

WOMAN'S SECTION OF THE BEE

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Washington Society

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WASHINGTON is growing to be a resourceful city so far as its suburbs are concerned. Where 20 years ago there were but two country clubs, there are now at least nine, with innumerable tea houses, coffee houses and way-side inns, most of them due to the great automobile traffic. The roads round about Washington are ideal, and the localities are so filled with historic interest that they are magnetic attractions, especially for the great army of newcomers here doing war work. The haunts of George Washington, George Mason, Dolly Madison and her several retuges during the troublous times of her life, and even the home of Thomas Jefferson many miles down in Virginia, are the mecca towards which great numbers of week-end tourists make their way. The unprecedented coolness of the past fortnight has encouraged all this. The quaint old homestead of the Father of his Country is dedicated to the nation in its original simplicity. The home of George Mason, Gunston Hall, now owned and occupied as their all-year-around-home, by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hertle, formerly of Chicago.

Joseph Leiter Home.
Quite in contrast to this adorable home of primitive simplicity is the glass house of Joseph Leiter, built on a lovely point on the Virginia side of the upper Potomac, just at Great Falls. Many miles of lovely cultivated ground surrounds the mansion, which is fitted with every known luxury inside and out, with a wide veranda all around it, all enclosed in glass from early fall to early summer, and in wire the rest of the year. It is an ideal place of modern luxury, especially for the kiddies, four of them in the Leiter family, and many of them in the families of their friends, who visit them frequently. And again in contrast to Mt. Vernon and Gunston Hall is the real splendor of the McLean place "Friendship," which although surrounded by many acres of garden and woodland, all laid out by a landscape gardener, is almost within the city.

The Nebraska people in Washington have had a busy week. Senator and Mrs. Gilbert M. Hitchcock had a beautiful dinner party Tuesday evening in honor of the British ambassador and the countess of Reading. There were 20 guests asked to meet them and dinner was served at the Chevy Chase club, which is particularly beautiful this year.

What Nebraskans Are Doing.
The home of Senator and Mrs. George W. Norris of McCook, Neb., is almost turned into a war workers' headquarters. In addition to the knitting class of the Nebraska Women's Washington club, which meets in their Cleveland Park home every Monday night, and various committee meetings other nights, there was organized last Tuesday night a first aid class in their immediate neighborhood. Miss Hazel Norris was elected president, Miss Mary Holden secretary and treasurer. Miss Reavis, daughter of Representative and Mrs. C. Frank Reavis of Falls City, Neb., is one of the active founders. They will meet every Tuesday night in the Norris home.

Representative and Mrs. A. C. Shallenberger of Alma, Neb., were attendants at the wedding of Mrs. Shallenberger's niece, Miss Lillian Louise Bettinger, and Mr. Lawrence Radford, which took place Monday morning of this week. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Earle Willey in one of the pretty parlors of the Shoreham hotel in the presence of only the members of the families, and was followed by a breakfast there. Miss Grace Shallenberger and Miss Dorothy Shallenberger and several other relatives of the bride and bridegroom were present. Mr. Radford and his bride left for a short wedding trip and will be at home a little later on at the Livingston in this city. The bridegroom is now attached to the ordnance bureau of the War department. The bride is a Wisconsin girl and was supervisor of schools there for 10 years or so, and then went to Jacksonville, Fla., in the same capacity. Representative and Mrs. Shallenberger entertained a small company at dinner Tuesday evening at Congress hall for Governor Neville of Nebraska, who was spending a few days in the city. Arthur Mullen, national committeeman of Nebraska, and his son, of Omaha, were among the guests.

Interesting Trip.
The Misses Shallenberger had an interesting and unique trip early in the week. They drove up the river road to Chain bridge in a party, where they left their automobile and walked up the tow path of the canal, between the river and the canal, to Great Falls, making the trip of 11 miles in two hours and 45 minutes. This is one of the most picturesque trips imaginable, the scenery being beautiful to a degree and Great Falls one of the most picturesque spots in this country.

Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes has returned from her hurried visit to Broken Bone, where her mother, Mrs. Root, was ill. Mrs. Root has recovered and returned to her home in Colorado.

Mr. Fred Purcell, cousin of Mrs. Rhodes, who has been an enlisted private in the army for some time, has been detailed to the bureau of standards for service.

J. H. Frandsen of the University of Nebraska has made a visit here recently for a conference of dairymen to fix the price of butter.

Soldiers at Field Club.
Through the courtesy of the Omaha Field club, members of the 63d Balloon company of Fort Omaha, and their guests, enjoyed a very pleasant evening of dancing at the club house Tuesday evening. About 75 couples attended. All expressed themselves as having spent one of the most thoroughly enjoyable evenings since their arrival in Omaha. Light refreshments were served.

Hallbrook-Jones Wedding.
The marriage of Miss Gladys May Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rees Jones to Mr. Wayne

Charming June Bride Will Live in Fremont



Mrs. Samuel Maxwell

A charming bride of the week is Mrs. Samuel Maxwell, nee Miss Nellie Pritchard, whose wedding took place Thursday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Pritchard. Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell have postponed their wedding trip until the fall and will make their home in Fremont.

Snowden Halbrook will take place this evening at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. W. A. Anderson of the Calvary Baptist church will perform the ceremony. Miss Bessie Halbrook, sister of the bridegroom, will be the bride's only attendant and Mr. Russell Davis of Cheyenne, Wyo., will be best man. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple will leave on their wedding trip which will include the Great Lakes and a St. Lawrence river boat trip to New York.

Wedding in Washington.
A simple military wedding will take place in Washington, D. C., Sunday morning, when Miss Grace Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller of Monmouth, Ill., will be united in marriage to Lt. George McIntyre.

The ceremony will take place immediately after the morning service at the Presbyterian church of which President Wilson is a member. There will be no bridal attendants and only a few close friends will witness the ceremony. Lieutenant and Mrs. McIntyre will make their home in Washington for the present, as Lieutenant McIntyre is in the construction department of engineers.

When I Get Home

When the war is o'er and I get home,
I'm goin' to settle down,
No more around this earth to roam;
I'll stick to the old home town,
Back to the burg that's half asleep
I'll drag my weary frame;
Where the streets are filled with hogs and sheep;
And I'll live the quiet game.
I'll forget about squads "east" and "west,"
And drilling from dawn to dark,
My body'll get a needed rest
In some cool and shaded park.
Never again will that old gun
Bear on my shoulder, sore;
For living will be one round of fun
For me, when the scrap is o'er.
And I'll cast about in lovers' woods
For a maiden, fair to see,
One who has lots of worldly goods
And willing to do K. P.
I'll doll all up in clothes, brand new,
And find a nice soft seat,
Morning and night I'll sleep right through
Both reveille and retreat.

Then the world will be one Paradise,
When I come from "over there,"
The old home town will sure look nice
With its welcome everywhere.
Three or four medals I'll display
Across my manly chest,
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Personals

Mrs. T. J. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keough and baby will spend the summer at Cohasset, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baldrige and Mrs. F. P. Kirkendall motored to Camp Dodge last week end. Capt. Malcolm Baldrige returned with them and spent Sunday in Omaha.

Miss Betty Fairfield and Miss Katherine Gardner expect to leave Wednesday to spend the summer at Camp Meenahag, Fish Creek, Wis.

Mrs. E. G. McGilton and Miss Eleanor McGilton are expected home th first of the week.

A daughter was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Austin of Phelan Manor, N. Y. The baby is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McGrew of this city.

Lt. Edgar Ferguson of Fort Omaha has returned from St. Louis, where he was called by the illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Kountze leave today to spend a week with their son, Denman, who is at Gettysburg training for the tank service.

Mr. J. E. Davidson returned on Thursday from an eastern trip.

Mrs. A. C. Redmon and daughter, Ruth, left Wednesday for California to spend the summer in Long Beach and the Catalina islands.

Mrs. Herman Kountze, Mrs. Ella Magee and children are spending the summer at Spring Lake, N. J.

Mrs. E. W. Nash has returned from an extended visit in New York.

Miss Sybil Nelson has as her guests for the week-end Miss Dorothy Raymond of Lincoln and Miss Marguerite Schneider of Fremont. Miss Schneider has been accepted as a canteen worker and is awaiting her call to France.

Miss Luella Allen will spend the summer in New York studying violin with Kneissel, also specializing in Hawaiian instruments.

Mrs. Charles R. Sherman returned Friday from Fort Des Moines, where she is visiting her son, Roland

Enlists for Red Cross Service Overseas



Miss Pearl Jenkins

Miss Pearl Jenkins has "enlisted" for Red Cross stenographic service in France on call of the "recruiting officer," Mrs. Ruby Lester Fleming, who was in Omaha last week. Because of her excellent training and ability, her friends are certain Miss Jenkins will be among the first Omaha women to go to France.

Miss Jenkins attended Wesleyan university in Lincoln. She is a sister of Mrs. Lee Van Camp.

Sherman, who is with the base hospital unit.

Madame Brogan, who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Brogan and who is greatly loved by a large circle of friends, has been very ill for the last ten days, but is much improved now.

Mrs. Charles Offutt and Miss Virginia Offutt have returned from several weeks in the east.

During the last few years a considerable number of Scandinavian women have taken up the hazardous occupation of deep-sea fishing.

Red Cross

Mrs. Walter Silver, head of the surgical dressings department, who has been ill at her home, is now convalescing at Excelsior Springs. She will return Monday.

Frank Judson, head of the Nebraska Red Cross, is in Pittsburgh, Pa. He will be in Chicago Monday and return home the middle of the week.

June's quota of surgical dressings

is nearly completed. The attention of all workers both in this department and in that of the hospital garments will be turned toward remodeling the 25,000 shirts which the government has asked the Omaha chapter to do for the boys in Texas, who are in need of light-weight clothing. This task, which must be completed by August 1, will be begun on Monday.

Music at St. Magdalene's Church.

Today at the noonday mass at St. Magdalene's church, Loretta De Lone will play a new organ "Prelude" in D flat, composed by her and dedicated to Miss Adelaide Nichols, an

organ pupil in Boston. Mr. Harry Burkley will also sing. Last Sunday John McCreary sang.

Bran Used As Fuel In Argentina

Bran is now used in Argentina for fuel, according to Commercial Attaché Robert S. Barrett, Buenos Aires. "There is practically no market for it for stock food, and it can not be exported because of lack of shipping," reports Mr. Barrett. Nearly all this product is used for fuel. It is estimated that bran gives about the same result as wood; that is, three tons of bran is equivalent to two tons of coal.

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