

SOCIETY NOTES

LIFE'S MAZY WHIRL

Governor and Mrs. Savage returned Saturday evening from their southern tour. Mrs. Savage left on December thirty-first for Kansas City, for a brief visit at the home of relatives and the governor joined her there a little later. Governor and Mrs. Savage spent the greater part of the time during which they were absent in and near New Orleans, making trips out from there to places of interest according to the dictates of their own sweet wills. Going as they did for rest and recreation they accepted no social attention, although much was offered, until they were on their return journey. Mrs. Savage enjoyed the trip greatly, particularly the visit to New Orleans, as this was the first she had seen of that famous old city, and in her gracious womanly way she talked delightfully the other day of her experiences, and gave many interesting incidents of her journey. She spoke of the visits she and the governor paid to the French quarter of New Orleans, saying that nowhere, even in Europe, is the distinction between the old and the new,

Trips to Chalmette where the battle of New Orleans was fought, and to Lake Pontchartrain were made, and visits to cotton plantations where Governor and Mrs. Savage made a study of plantation life and witnessed the care of cotton in all its stages. Each planter has his own gin and cares for his own crop. Every part of the cotton is utilized. A fine quality of oil, resembling olive oil, is made from the seed, and the seed is also used for feed and other purposes. Speaking of the hospitality of the southern people, Mrs. Savage said it has been in no way exaggerated. Everywhere was there the greatest courtesy shown. On the return journey Mr. and Mrs. Savage accepted an invitation to a banquet tendered them at Memphis. The banquet was given by the prominent business men of Memphis at the Tennessee club. In an after-dinner speech Governor Savage spoke of the sterile country through which they had passed in going from New Orleans to Memphis, and compared the soil with that of Nebraska to the great advant-

Miss Agnes Wortley (a winner of hearts)—Miss Charlotte Whedon.

Miss Van Tromp (a widow to be won)—Miss Adeloyd Whiting.

Polly (a serving maid who serves)—Miss Vine Gahan.

Mr. Stuart (a theatrical bachelor)—Miss Emma Outcalt.

Mr. Reginald De Lancey Van Tromp (a man with ancestors)—Miss Laura Houtz.

Mr. Charley Newbank (a man with money)—Miss Margaret Whedon.

Mr. Frederick Stevens (a man with neither)—Miss Helen Field.

The bill of the play was daintily decorated in water colors. The improvised stage was in the large dining room at the Whedon home, and was decorated with palms and ferns. The audience was seated in the hall, the seats being elevated that all might have a good view of the stage. The house was decorated with red carnations. Miss Risser played for the delectation of the guests before the play and afterwards Miss Whedon sang. Salads, sandwiches and coffee were served. Following were present: Mesdames C. O. Whedon, R. C. Outcalt, and Rae of Vermont; alumnae members: Misses Mariel Gere, Ellen Gere, Mabel Richards, Clara Hammond, Abbott, Risser, Lindlay, Broady, Whiting, Bradt; Mesdames Lewis Marshall, H. H. Harley, Warner, F. M. Hall; active members present were: Misses Jessie Outcalt, Claire Funke, Dorothy Griggs,

with red and white. Following were present: Misses Helen Steiner, Beulah Bohanan, Faebell Cochran, Marjory Agnew, Cora Mudra, Hazel Bell, Myrri Grant; Messieurs John Walker, Warren Jennings, Cecil Mosher, Ralph Ingles, Albert Mudra. The club will meet this evening with Miss Hazel Bell.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Branch gave a card party Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Wakefield of Omaha, who is their guest, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Honeywell. Euchre was played. Four ladies, Miss Wakefield, Miss Miller, Mrs. Mallalieu and Miss Funke, cut for the royal prize and Miss Wakefield was the winner. Miss Putnam won the lone hand prize for the ladies, and Mr. Richards for the men. Messieurs Baldwin, George Woods, and Ed Butler cut for the royal prize and Mr. Baldwin was the winner. The house was decorated with red roses and the lights were shaded with red. The guests of honor received with Mr. and Mrs. Branch, and Mrs. Henry Branch assisted the hostess throughout the evening. An elaborate luncheon was served after the games and while waiting for their carriages some of the young people had a jolly little dance. Those present were Misses Wakefield, Hammer, Putnam, Truax, Rinehart, Burr, Outcalt, Funke, Hoover, Nance, Miller; Mrs. Mallalieu; Messieurs and Mesdames Homer Honeywell, C. G. Crittenden, F. D.

CONCLUDE A COURSE IN MUSICAL INSTRUCTION



MISS MAUDE SPINNEY.



MISS NELLY GRIGGS.



MISS ALLEYNE ARCHIBALD.



MISS LOIS BURRUSS.

between the foreign and the American, so closely drawn as it is in New Orleans between the old French quarter and the modern part of the city. A breakfast at Madame Begue's was a pleasant incident. Madame Begue and her husband, Monsieur Begue, have lived and served in New Orleans for many years, and have grown wealthy in serving, but their breakfasts have become famous, and famous people, as well as those less known, when in the Crescent City, flock to their board. Their table accommodates but thirty, and they serve but one meal each day, breakfast at eleven, and so great is the demand that places at the table must be engaged days, or for Sunday, weeks in advance. Guest books are there in which each records his name and many are the celebrities who have crossed the sanded floor of the vestibule, and climbed the winding stairs for the privilege of enjoying Madame Begue's Creole dainties. Eugene Field wrote in the guest book:

I'm very proud to testify
The happiest of my days
Is March 11, '95,
At breakfast at Begue's"

Mrs. Savage advises the tourist after doing the French quarter to spend much time at the wharves among the shipping; it is both interesting and profitable. Large vessels from Birmingham, Manchester, and other foreign ports were at the docks loading and unloading. Many of them bore the letter "M," showing that they belonged to Pierrepont Morgan.

age of the latter state. An official of one of the railroads was present and conceded that this might be true of the section through which they had come but said that he would place a special train at the disposal of Governor and Mrs. Savage and take them with any friends they might invite through a section which would compare favorably with any in the country. At a banquet on this train the governor admitted that the country through which they were passing was very beautiful but, he added, the soil which produces this luxuriant growth is brought down from Nebraska each year by the streams. He was invited to come down next spring with the soil. Mr. and Mrs. Savage attended the celebration of the birthday of Robert E. Lee at Memphis where the confederate veterans were present in their gray uniforms and carried their old guns used during the war. Mrs. Savage said, "Much as I enjoyed the south, I was delighted when our train crossed the Nebraska line, and am so glad to be at home again."

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Miss Whedon, Miss Margaret Whedon and Miss Outcalt entertained in honor of the alumnae members of Kappa Kappa Gamma Monday evening at the home of the Misses Whedon. A play, "Man Proposes," by Paul Leicester Ford, was given with the proper appointments and with great eclat. The scene of the play was a morning room at the Wortley's; time, after dinner and before the masked ball. The cast:

Inez Manrid, Mabel Stephen, Edith Locke, Louise Hargreaves, Edith Shedd, Nancy Cunningham, Elizabeth Cunningham, Olive States, Blanche Edmiston, Ruth Wilson, Emily Jenkins, Grace Bennett, Mabel Bennett; other guests were Misses Joyce Broady, Ruth Raymond, Gladys Hargreaves, Louise Burnham, Elsa Fawell, Mabel Cox, Helen Wilson, Mignon Trickey, Hammer of Philadelphia, and Wakefield, of Omaha.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Harpham gave a card party Saturday evening in honor of Miss Horan. Six handed euchre was played. No prizes were given. After cards an impromptu program of recitations by Mrs. F. D. Cornell, songs by Miss Horan, and piano music by Miss Risser, was presented. Delicate refreshments were served; Misses Risser and Harpham assisted. Guests invited were Messieurs and Mesdames J. C. Seacrest, C. E. Latshaw, C. H. Sharp, C. J. Guenzel, J. F. Hutchins, F. W. Hill, S. A. Foster, W. A. Rankins, Havey, John S. Reed, R. T. Van Brunt, R. M. Le Gore, E. E. Spencer, F. D. Cornell, C. H. Warner, T. J. Usher, L. W. Garoutte, A. H. Weir, M. J. Waugh, A. A. Scott; Misses Horan, Risser, Harpham, Clara Leese, and Mr. Lewis.

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Miss Cora and Mr. Willie Mudra entertained the F. F. F. club Friday evening with dancing and games. Light refreshments were served in the dining room, which was decorated

Levering, W. B. Hargreaves, Henry Branch, John Dorgan, George Woods, O. E. Rector; Messieurs Eames, Baldwin, Powers, Butler, Holmes, Joyce, Bartlett, Farrell, Thatcher, Fitzgerald.

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Beta Theta Pi gave a smoker Saturday evening at the chapter house, 1630 G street, to all fraternity men in the university. Palms and ferns contrasted with the scarlet and cream of the university, and the pink and light blue of the Betas. Cards were played and an appetizing luncheon was served. Besides the active chapter of Beta Theta Pi, those present were Messieurs Thomas, Farnsworth, Seacrest, Sherman, Lau, Payne, Fisher, Drain, Brown, Henderson, Barnes, Maloney, Hewitt, Gordon, Hoffnal, Langley, Kingsbury, Westover, Stevens, King, Matson, Schwartz, Reeder, Cowgill, Edmiston, Bartlett, Townsend, De Putron, Sheidler, Eager, Mills, Engel, Hayes, Ladd, Ledwith, Ringer, De-weese, Douglas, Burnham, Rainey, Stratton, Keyes, Schneider, Le Roy, Leesier, Kanzler, Pollard, Rhodes, Benedict, Adams, Ruggles, Code, Hope-well, Ferris, Fogg, Ames, Ransom, Rehleander, Cornell, Eames, Bone-camper, Broady, Powers, Burr, Perkins, Marquette, Caldwell, Ricketts, and Dr. Mayhew.

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The Hawthorne club of the high school gave a farewell party for Miss Hazel Murray this afternoon at the home of Miss Maude White. Miss Murray is about to leave the high school for the state university.