

SOCIETY

If all the world loves a lover, so does all the world love a wedding and especially a June wedding. Simplicity and elegance should characterize the invitations, which must be sent from two to four weeks in advance of the ceremony. It is considered more elegant now to have the guest addressed in the third person, instead of the second as heretofore, leaving a blank space which is filled in by hand. The invitation should be engraved in script, old English or block lettering on a large sheet of heavy English paper almost square. Accompanying this should be a card about half its size for the reception or wedding breakfast.

A wedding may be either formal or simple. The stately ceremony of a church wedding is the typical fashionable wedding of today, and the one most in favor with those having a large circle of friends.

June offers a magnificent decorative opportunity in the way of roses, peonies or apple blossoms, five or half that sum make a pretty showing in a small church, while a thousand can easily be spent where the edifice is a large one.

It is no longer good form to have the marriage vows set to music. It is now considered theatrical. The triumphant strains of the wedding march sound forth from the organ as the bridal cortege enters the doors and bursts forth in joyous peal as they depart. This, with the selections played by the organist previous to the ceremony and afterwards until the guests depart is considered sufficient music, save, as in some cases, where singing choir boys meet the bridal party and turning lead them up the aisle.

As the doors of the church are thrown wide open, the signal for the wedding march to begin, the bridal party enters from the west of the church. At the same time the bridegroom and his best man appear from the vestry and proceed to the foot of the chancel steps where they await the bridal party. The ushers, walking two by two, come first. The bridesmaids follow in the same order, each couple leaving five or six feet of space between them. Next comes the maid of honor, alone, and then the little flower girls scattering flowers in the bride's pathway. The bride comes last leaning upon the right arm of her father or near male relative who is to give her away. The procession divides at the top of the chancel steps, the bridesmaids placing themselves between the ushers, the group forming a semi-circle on either side. The maid of honor goes to the left and takes her place in front of the bride. The bridesmaids near where the bride is to stand. The bride leaves her father's arm to take the bridegroom's hand and then accepting his left arm they take their places before the clergyman. Both kneel for a moment. The bride's father steps back a few feet and the marriage service is read by the clergyman. At the words, "Who giveth this woman to be married to this man," the father of the bride advances and places her right hand in that of the clergyman, who in turn places it into the right hand of the bridegroom. At the conclusion of the ceremony, the bride goes down the aisle on the right arm of her husband, the bridegroom following in the reverse order in which it went up the aisle, the ushers bringing up the rear. Sometimes the best man offers his arm to the maid of honor, and each bridesmaid is accompanied by an usher, but this is not strictly up-to-date and is a custom never followed in the society of New York and other eastern cities. It is customary to have six or eight bridesmaids, and of course the same number of ushers. The bride selects her maids from among her most intimate friends, and usually includes one or more sisters of the bridegroom. The maid of honor is a sister of the bride or her dearest friend. Her gown should be a little more elegant than the bridesmaid's and may combine the colors of the bride's. If the one chosen for this place should be married, she is known as the matron of honor and should wear, if possible, her own wedding dress. The maid of honor holds the bride's bouquet, takes off her veil and puts back her veil. The veil is supposed to cover the bride's face until after the words which make the couple man and wife, when it is put back by the maid of honor. As the veil does not always fall in graceful folds, many brides have the front part in a separate piece, which may be fastened with pearl pins in the hair. These are deftly removed by the maid of honor, who puts the detached portion of the veil across her arm. The bridesmaid's gowns are of some light material, usually all alike, contrasting prettily with that of the bride. All, including the maid of honor, wear hat and gloves. It is the bride's prerogative to select the mate-



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rial for the bridesmaids' dresses and where and how they shall be made. It is customary for her to favor each of her maids with a gift prior to the wedding. The bridegroom has properly no expenses at the wedding but the ring, clergyman's fee, carriage sent to convey the ushers to and from the church, the one in which he and his best man drive to the church and which takes the latter to the bride's house after the ceremony, and the carriage which takes himself and his wife to the train or their future home. All other expenses, decorations, fee to sexton, organist, etc., are borne by the bride's parents. Custom also demands that the bridegroom shall give to the bride a gift and her bouquet; also a bouquet to each of the maids, one which harmonizes with her gown. The groom also gives a souvenir to his best man and each of the ushers, and furnishes them with the gloves and ties worn at the wedding. The best man's duties are varied, and largely dependent upon the wishes of the groom. He attends the bridegroom on the day of the wedding and drives with him to the church. The precious ring is entrusted to his care to be produced at the proper moment. One nervous best man had three rings disposed in different pockets that he might not be weighed in the balance and found wanting when the final test came. After the ceremony the best man gives the clergyman his fee enclosed in an envelope. He takes the bridegroom's hat and coat with his own and going down the aisle, reaches the door in advance of the bridal party, that he may signal the bride's carriage. After the wedding he puts the marriage notices in the paper and attends to any other commission that his friend may desire.

A house wedding may be made a beautiful ceremony, and if it be in the country, the reception held on the lawn. The mother and sisters of the bride receive the guests, the father not appearing till he enters the drawing room with his daughter. A room is placed at the disposal of the bridegroom, best man and clergyman upon their arrival. At the appointed hour, the clergyman takes his place facing the company, followed by the bridegroom and his best man who stands at his left. Two ushers mark off an aisle with broad ribbon and return to precede the bridal party who enter at the farthest door. The bridesmaids follow the ushers, the bride coming last with her father. Or the ushers may precede the best man and the one bridesmaid, and the bride

and groom follow. A pretty idea also is to have the bridesmaids mark off the aisle with ribbons, and after the bride has taken her place form a half circle back of her, holding the ribbons. At the conclusion of the service, after being congratulated by the clergyman, the bride and groom turn to greet the guests.

At a quiet house wedding there are no attendants and the bride and bridegroom enter together and take their places before the clergyman. This wedding is characterized by the utmost simplicity and modesty.

A few members of the Duluth Art Club, and others interested in their work, remember with pleasure meeting Prof. T. J. Richardson last summer at the home of his brother, S. W. Richardson. At that time the artist exhibited a large collection of his compositions in oil and water color, consisting of sketches from nature and life studies of the peasantry in France, Holland, Italy, Isle of Capri, and many other countries, but especially Alaska, where he has studied ice colorings, glaciers and Indian life for a period covering about twenty years.

The following clipping from a recent issue of the Minneapolis Journal will be of interest:

"T. J. Richardson has gone to St. Louis to install a special exhibit of his Alaskan pictures. These will be an important feature of the Alaskan building at the exposition, both as a decoration and an exhibit. Governor Brady, who is an old-time friend of the artist, requested Mr. Richardson to prepare the material for the exhibition when he visited the governor at the Alaskan capital last summer. There are forty pictures, which are the fruits of about twenty years' acquaintance with Alaska, which was a favorite sketching ground with the artist long before it became a favorite tourist resort. Probably no one else has the intimate knowledge of the pictorial qualities of the country and the wealth of sketches possessed by the Minneapolis artist. His studies of ice show fine powers of observation and facility in the happy handling of bold colors. Mr. Richardson will remain in St. Louis several weeks."

Mrs. C. P. Craig entertained delightfully yesterday afternoon at tea.

Mrs. J. N. McKindley of 1024 East First street entertained at luncheon Wednesday in honor of Miss Effie Jack. Pink roses and ferns were used for decorations and covers were laid for Miss Jack, Mrs. James McAuliffe, Mrs. D. H. Day, Mrs. W. R. Jarvis, Mrs. Nickerson, of Boston; Miss Ber-

nice, Mrs. E. C. Blanchard, Miss Calla and Miss M. and Mrs. Carl Luster left last evening for Deerwood for a few days' fishing.

Invitations have been received for the wedding of Miss Minnie G. Denli, of Twin Valley, Minn., and Frank L. Buell of this city. The wedding will take place Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund M. Niles, at Twin Valley. Mrs. Niles is a sister of Miss Dennison. The young people will be at home at 1506 East Superior street after July 1.

Miss Marguerite Smith was the hostess at a surprise birthday party Saturday evening. Her guests were Almeda Fowles, Mamie Gain, Mabel Swenson, Ellen Johnson, Mabel Woods, Esther Johnson, Mabel Adams, Estlin Johnson and Anna Scheltz. Austin Lynson, John Sheltz, Stephen Smith, Edward O'Neil, Bert Adams, Angus Gain, Harry Brewer, William O'Neil, Vern Smith and Paul Smith.

Mr. Ernest Lachmund has just finished a set of three new piano compositions, which will probably be published in this country. Mr. Lachmund's first compositions published in Berlin have had a splendid sale, and this will undoubtedly pave the way successfully for any new pieces.

Friday evening Miss Alice Keepers was guest of honor at tea at the Y. W. C. A. rooms. The table was decorated with yellow and white. After tea a linen shower was tendered Miss Keepers and many dainty bits of linen became hers. The guests were: Mesdames Alexander Milne, R. A. Webster, H. L. Keepers, W. Feetham, W. A. McNaughton, W. S. Horr, Le Roy; Misses Gans, Moody, W. C. Fargo, Reader, Webster, Stewart, Culver, Carson, Craig, Goodwin, Johns, Wilson, Wood.

Among the contributors to the following well known women are the Bethel club, Mrs. L. J. Hopkins, Mrs. Paine, Mrs. W. H. Vaughn, Mrs. H. G. Inman, Mrs. J. J. C. Davis, J. P. McCarthy, Mrs. J. H. Haines, Mrs. H. V. Holmes, Mrs. B. E. Baker, Mrs. H. Johnson, Mrs. George Croft, Mrs. M. C. G. Smith, M. J. Jacques, Mrs. M. M. McCabe, Mrs. W. J. McCabe, Mrs. C. R. Smith, Mrs. W. L. Whipple.

Invitations were received early in the week for the wedding of Miss Florence Gale Briggs of this city and Norman H. Yeo, of St. Vincent, Minn. The ceremony will take place on the 8th of June, in the evening and will be held at the First Methodist church.

Last evening the Somerses Y. entertained at a leap year party at the home of Jay Cook Howard, of 4632 London road.

Mrs. V. L. Bean will give a musicale at the Guild room of St. Paul's church Monday evening for the benefit of Circle No. 10. This is the Duluth Heights circle and much time and labor has been expended on the program in order that some of the work planned by the little body of workers on the hill need not be hampered for lack of funds. Mrs. Bean's violin and piano pupils will give part of the program and they will be assisted by Mrs. F. T. Holmes.

Thursday evening the Calendar Circle of Duluth Heights gave a party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, for Mr. Reuben Wilson. Mr. Wilson has been particularly helpful to this circle in its various entertainments, and is something of an actor and is also a popular young society man, and in recognition of his efforts in their behalf, the members presented him with a handsome traveling case. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Mrs. F. M. Mayhan of Duluth Heights entertained Friday afternoon for Mrs. C. C. White at luncheon. Daffodils and ferns were used for decorations, and the guests were: Mrs. Benjamin Wood, Mrs. E. Adams, Mrs. Hugh Fowler, Mrs. LeRoy Coons, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Tarbor, Mrs. Edward Perrett and Mrs. William McEwen.

Mrs. C. T. Cranfill of 407 West Third street was delightfully surprised by a party of thirty friends, Friday evening, who gathered at her home to celebrate her birthday. The guests came laden with presents and some unique

ideas with regard to bestowing them, which created much merriment. The evening was devoted to cards, music and supper.

The wedding of Miss Sadie Cohen and Louis Shenowsky will take place this evening at Odd Fellows' hall. Among the out of town guests will be Miss Lillian Mesberg of Virginia, who arrived yesterday. She will attend Miss Cohen as maid of honor.

A small number of Duluth people celebrated two birthdays at a dinner last evening at the Superior hotel cafe. The company was composed of Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Patton, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gorrie and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Chadwick. Yesterday was Mrs. Patton's birthday and today is Mr. Chadwick's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schuler of West Duluth had a small house party at their summer home on the St. Louis river early in the week. Their guests were Miss Simpson, Miss Brophy, Miss Dormedy, George Foote, A. Swanson, Samuel Dix and A. Jacoby.

The wedding of Miss Ida May Kennebrook and Charles A. Wing, took place Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kennebrook, at 1612 East Sixth street. The service was read by Rev. S. C. Davis of the First Baptist church. The wedding was very quiet. Mr. and Mrs. Wing will be at home at Camp Dellwood, on Park Point.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. A. D. Smith, of 5415 Ramsey street, entertained the members of Pearl Hive No. 4, L. O. T. M. in honor of her birthday. The rooms and tables were decorated with the lodge colors, red, white and black. A luncheon was served.

Professor C. W. Seymour lectured yesterday morning at Assembly hall on the subject of "Orange." This is the ninth lecture of the course and the attendance continues to be very large. Monday evening the advertised lecture, on Pere Marquette, will not be given, owing to the fact that it falls on Memorial day. It will be given instead on Tuesday night and the remaining two lectures will be given Friday night and Saturday morning. The subjects are "A Dinner at Holland House," and "Japan and the Japanese."

Miss Katherine Michael of 312 Lake avenue, was guest of honor at a linen shower Wednesday afternoon. Many pretty gifts were presented to Miss Michael and music followed by refreshments, made the afternoon a very pleasant one. The guests were: Misses Mildred Williams, Winnie McMillan, Anna Flood, Alma Johnson, Edith Blackwood, Marie Collier, Bessie Melbourn, Anna McDonald, Anna Wright, Louise Michael, Jay Boerner, Emma Witte, Marie Soronson, Marie Morrow, Agnes McMillan, Edna Miller.

SOCIETY PERSONALS.

Miss Anna Pilcher of Boston is visiting her brother, C. E. Pilcher, on North Fifty-third avenue west.

Mrs. L. F. Trask of Burlington, Iowa, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bruen, of 1431 London Road.

Mrs. W. J. Rapsey and Miss Bessie Rapsey of Port Arthur are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Cooper on Fourteenth avenue east.

Rev. Father Corbett and Rev. Father Floyd of the Sacred Heart church, returned Friday from Grand Forks.

Mrs. Roger Powell and children will leave Tuesday for Lewis, Delaware, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. H. D. Clark of Minneapolis, is visiting Mrs. S. R. Lewis, of 215 Third avenue west.

Mrs. John K. Richter has gone to Chicago for a month's visit.

Miss Jessica Hartley has returned from school in the East.

Miss Cassie Burns has gone to her home in Cloquet. She will return to her studies in this city Monday.

Miss Margaret Patton and Miss Barbara Patrick have returned from West Virginia, where they were attending school.

Mrs. Hornbrook of East Third street, left Friday to spend Memorial day at Tower.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Barnum left Friday afternoon on the steamer Easton for Washington Harbor, Isle Royale.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chapin have returned from a two weeks' trip to New York.

Mrs. N. Rossiter and son, of West Duluth, returned the first of the week from a short visit at Deer River, Minn.

Mrs. A. M. Prudden and Miss Edna M. Prudden left Monday for a six weeks' visit at Minneapolis.

Mrs. H. S. Webster has arrived from her home in Indiana. She will reside at Lakeside, where Mr. Webster is in charge of St. John's church.

Mrs. M. Thompson of 312 Fourteenth avenue east, has gone to California for several months. Her grandson, William F. Winship, accompanied her.

Mrs. Archie MacDonald and daughter, Margaret, of Ashland, Wis., are the guests of Mrs. Richard Little, on East Third street.

Mrs. Charles A. Stack has returned from a trip to Deerwood.

Mrs. C. T. Lamb, of New York, is the guest of Mrs. T. P. Getz, of Lakeside. Mrs. Emma Fish left Friday for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will visit for some time.

Mrs. George H. Campbell, of Sault Ste. Marie, is visiting friends in Duluth.

Mrs. C. G. Grisbale, of West Duluth, left during the week for a visit at Virginia, Minn.

Mrs. J. C. Earle, of Austin, Minn., is the guest of Mrs. E. G. Budd, of West Duluth.

CLUB AND CHURCH NOTES

Congressman J. Adam Bede has sent to the Woman's council, a large con-

signment of garden and flower seeds which are to be distributed among the school children and others in the city. An exhibit is planned for the fall at the library when prizes will be awarded.

Tuesday evening the gymnasium classes of the Y. W. C. A. will hold its closing frolic and the guests will have an edifying and instructive entertainment in feminine agility. The program which is athletic in character, is in the hands of leaders of the various classes and some decidedly original and thrilling "stunts" are promised.

It is deeply regretted that this will be the last meeting of the classes with Miss Maude Culver in her capacity as teacher. The work of the gym has been particularly prosperous under her direction, besides which she enjoys the personal friendship of a large circle of pupils and acquaintances.

The St. Barnabas Guild of St. Paul's church were entertained Monday evening at the rectory by Dr. and Mrs. Ryan. The opening society and business meeting were followed by selections by Miss McLaren who has just returned from the Emerson college of Oratory, and songs by Mr. Custance. Refreshments were served and a pleasant social time followed.

The last meeting of the season of the West Duluth W. C. T. U. was held Friday at the home of Mrs. N. C. Hendricks. The affair was a reception for the ex-presidents, and the members who occupied the post of honor were Mrs. E. J. Ellison, Mrs. C. R. Keyes and Mrs. G. Smith.

Mrs. Hunton was leader for the afternoon and read letters from state officers and members out of the city and short talks were given by the guests of the union. Mrs. Ellison, first president of the union, came from her home at Minneapolis to attend the affair and her talk was much enjoyed by the early members who remember with gratitude her work among them in the early days of the union.

Greysolon Lu Lhut Chapter D. A. R., met Tuesday with Mrs. A. D. Goodman on East First street.

The papers were on the Continental congress and the National Capitol and were delightfully read by Mrs. W. D. Underhill and Mrs. H. S. Paddock.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. H. C. Marshall of East Fifth street opened her beautiful home for the reception to Professor E. H. Griggs, which the Literature class tendered by selections by Miss McLaren who has just returned from the Emerson college of Oratory, and songs by Mr. Custance. Refreshments were served and a pleasant social time followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Scott of 2218 East First street returned Tuesday from

Biloxi, Mississippi, where they have spent part of the winter. Miss Alice Scott met them at St. Louis on her way home from Stanford university, and the party spent several days at the exposition.

F. A. Patrick entertained members of the Chi Psi fraternity Tuesday at a Dutch lunch. The delectable feast was prepared at the home of the host on East Superior street and the guests were: William C. Winton, Fred Reynolds, Harvey P. Smith, Charles A. Chase of Superior, Victor A. Stearns, Howard T. Abbott, J. Scott Cash, Roy W. Peck, Eby A. Gridley.

Gate City Temple, Rathbone Sisters, were entertained Thursday evening by Mrs. C. B. Stanley, at 5995 London Road. The husbands of the members were also invited and the guests were: Mrs. Caroline Quimby, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vicks, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Orchard, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Kruschke, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Sjosellus, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Page, Miss Stella Quimby, Miss Alice Sjosellus, Miss Maude Howard, Miss Nellie Page, Miss Ida Wetherall.

Duluthians have had a distinct treat afforded them during the week in the three lectures which were given by Professor Griggs, under the auspices of the Ladies' Literature class. Professor Griggs came to this city preceded by a flattering account of his ability as a lecturer and left with every prediction of a most exclusive club women of the city listened to him and placed the seal of unqualified approval upon his work. To people who enjoy the English language as it should be, Professor Griggs' lectures are a "thing of beauty, and a joy forever."

A moonlight sail up the St. Louis is to be one of the pleasures offered the visiting delegates during the State Music Teachers' association next month. The excursion will probably be held on Friday, June 17. The complete program for the convention is out and offers a veritable feast. A feature that Duluth will highly appreciate is the three organ recitals, by leading organists of the state, Hamlin Blank of Minneapolis, G. H. Fairbairn of St. Paul and Gordon Graham of Winona. Besides concerts by state talent, among which are found the following Duluth artists: George L. Tyler, Mrs. Woodward and Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Bradbury, there will be a Minnesota composers' concert, at which the following will take part: Carl Heilmaler, St. Paul; Dr. W. Rhyss Herbert, St. Paul; W. W. Nelson, St. Paul; Robert G. Gale, Minneapolis.

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Gustavus Johnson, Minneapolis; C. A. Marshall, Minneapolis; Arthur F. M. Custance, Duluth; Ernest Lachmund, Duluth.

The wind-up of the convention will be the concert on Sunday night, June 18, by the three magnificent artists, Emile Sauret, Jessica de Wolf and Arthur Speed.

The Duluth musicians will entertain the visitors at a reception at the Commercial club on the first evening of the convention, and will also show off Duluth by giving them a drive around the boulevard on Saturday afternoon.

The women of the W. R. C. will meet this afternoon at Temple Hall to arrange the flowers which will be used tomorrow to decorate the graves of the dead soldiers. Many children will assist them, for while organized contributions by the school children have been discouraged the children, as individuals, will continue to contribute flowers so long as patriotism lives. A very urgent invitation has been extended to the children to attend the exercises on Monday also. The veterans will go to the cemetery in the morning and the exercises will be held at 9 o'clock. In the afternoon patriotic exercises will be held at the Armory at 2 o'clock, after which the Grand Army will accompany the W. R. C. to the canal, where the latter organization will strew flowers in the water in memory of the dead sailors who have no burial place, other than the sea.

The Relief Corps will not go to the cemetery Monday morning as a body, as dinner is to be served at noon by the members to the veterans at Temple hall. All visiting members of the Grand Army and of the W. R. C. and also all members of the Sons of Veterans are included in the invitation list of the dinner.

The Grand Army, according to custom, has invited the Relief Corps to attend the services at the First Methodist church today. Members of the W. R. C. are requested to assemble in the church parlors before the service.

Chief W. H. Steen, of Braidwood, Ill., and Royal Secretary Peter Kerr, of Boston, will be the guests of honor at a reception which will be given for them on June 3 at Folz hall, by Clan Stewart. This will be the first time the local clan has had an opportunity to entertain the officers of the royal clan and extensive preparations are being made for their reception.

On Sunday, June 5, the clan will attend the services at the Pilgrim Congregational church in a body, where Rev. Alexander Milne, will preach a special sermon to the lodge.