

# IN SOCIETY

## 'Attache of Berlin Embassy Home To Wed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Grafton Minot, of Washington, D. C., who have been abroad about a year, are home for the marriage of their son, Grafton Winthrop Minot, and Miss Constance Gardner, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Augustus P. Gardner, which will be solemnized July 24 in the Episcopal church at Ipswich, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Minot have passed the greater part of the year at the Isle of Wight and in Switzerland, preferring to remain abroad during the incumbency of their son as an attache of the American embassy at Berlin. Young Mr. Minot has been in this country only a few days. Shortly after his graduation at Harvard in 1914, when he took his degree at the end of a three year's course, Mr. Minot sailed for Europe with his parents, their departure occurring soon after the marriage of J. Grafton Minot's niece, Miss Mary J. Armory, and Fulton Cutting, which was solemnized at Beverly about a year ago. Young Mr. Minot is a grandson of T. Lindall Winthrop of Beacon street, the present Mrs. Winthrop being Mrs. J. Grafton Minot's stepmother. Miss Gardner is a granddaughter of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Washington and Nahant. She is at Hamilton, where her parents have a country estate known as Sagamore farm. Young Mr. Minot intended to enter Oxford college when he went abroad, but the war, which broke out shortly after his arrival in England, caused him to change his plans and, instead, he was made an attache of the American embassy at Berlin. Mr. Minot and his bride will make their home in Berlin.

## Many Dinners Given At the Boat Club.

A large number of dinner parties were given last night at the main house of the Boat club, preceding the usual Saturday night dance. Mrs. Roger W. Spencer entertained 10 guests, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Williams had 15 guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. MacGregor, 6; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. O'Donnell, 4; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. C. Ross, 8; C. F. How, Jr., 6; C. H. Taylor, 4; Sidney McDonald, 5; Dr. Arthur H. Schwartz and Mrs. Schwartz, 5; R. E. Burbridge, 4, and C. H. Ginzgold, 4. A number of smaller dinner parties were also given. Pink and white peonies were used to center the dinner tables.

Reservations are already being made for Tuesday night's dinner-dance at the main house, when the canoe and motor boat section will be in charge. The dinner will be followed by canoe and motor boat rides on the harbor preceding the evening's dancing.

## Called "Most Charming American Woman."

Representative and Mrs. Fred Britten of Chicago, who passed a month in the Philippines, are now in China and Korea, and will be in Japan for a month before returning to the United States. Mrs. Britten was presented with a large pearl ring by the sultan of Sulu, who pronounced her one of the most charming American women he had ever met. Another distinction which Mrs. Britten's friends are announcing with pride is that she made an aerial flight, taking a spiral dive from 2,000 feet in mid-air.

Miss Glenice Brooke of the Y. W. C. A. was hostess at a birthday party at the association building Tuesday night. Roller skating and games were the amusements, prizes being won by Miss Doris Johnson and Miss Louella Gleason. Pink and white were the colors used in decorating. The guests were Miss Edith Christie, Miss Betty Fjellman, Miss Myrtle Meesan, Miss Julia Laughny, Miss Louella Gleason, Miss Doris Johnson, Miss Mildred Surratt, Miss Mary Lindahl and Miss Margaret Haggett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nolan, 2513 West Second street, entertained at cards Thursday night in compliment to Mrs. P. A. Gausemel and daughters, Palma and Sadie of Kenyon, Minn. Five hundred was played at four tables, favors being won by Mrs. E. E. Youngren, Mrs. T. Nolan, Miss Sadie Gausemel and C. J. Nolan. There were dainty decorations of poppies.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wright, 3405 Lake avenue South, entertained Friday night in honor of Miss Kate McDonald, who will leave Tuesday for a two months' visit at Cape Brighton, in eastern Canada. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Harmon, Mrs. G. Mahoney, Miss Margaret Ross, Miss M. Cummings and Miss Dorothy Harmon.

Miss Helen O'Connell was hostess at an informal affair Thursday night at the home of Mrs. W. H. Burke, in honor of Miss Madeline Cheadle, who was graduated this month from the nurses' training school of St. Mary's hospital. Blue and white, the class colors of the school, were used in the table appointments, pansies and ferns being the flowers used. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burke, Mrs. John Spinks, Miss Florence Denny, Miss Mary O'Connell, Miss Patricia Pieky, Rupert Meads, Frank Scanlon, Albert Scanlon, John Scanlon and Phil Dougherty.

Miss Ruth Dryer, 1123 East Seventh street, was the guest of honor at a surprise party Wednesday night. She was presented with a bouquet of pink gladioluses. Games and music were the amusements, prizes being won by Miss Clara Aris and Walter Reinfield. Mrs. Dryer was assisted by Mrs. R. G. Black. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dryer, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Black, Miss Clara Aris, Miss Elsie Aris, Miss Elizabeth Breen, Miss Freida Hauck, Miss Lena Nisius, Harry Hauck, William Nisius, Arthur Reinke, Victor Patchlowski and Walter Reinfield.

Mrs. J. Vertelney and Mrs. M. Tomlin, 402½ East Fifth street, entertained at a card party Wednesday afternoon. Favors were won by Mrs. V. Kell and Mrs. S. Lieberman. Covers were laid for 30 guests. Games and music also were the amusements. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. I. Winer, Mrs. S. Winer and Master Sol Winer, Mrs. E. Swenson, and Miss Michaels, all of St. Paul, and Mrs. Theodore and Mrs. E. Fisher of Willow River.

Mrs. William Simon, 406 East Fifth street, was hostess at a linen shower Thursday night in honor of her niece, Miss Sadie Berkson, a bride-to-be. Music was played, favors being won by Mrs. H. Segal and Mrs. A. Altman. Guests attended.

## PLAY SATURDAY FOR THE TROPHY



MISS BETTY MERRILL.

Miss Amelia Andrews defeated Miss Mildred Washburn in the women's tennis singles at Oatka branch of the Boat club yesterday afternoon with the score 6-3, 6-1. Miss Andrews is now in the finals with Miss Betty Merrill, who will play Saturday afternoon for the Bagley trophy.

In the women's doubles Miss Caroline Marshall and Miss Amelia Andrews will play against Miss Mildred Washburn and Mrs. J. F. Thompson in the finals Saturday afternoon for the two new Boat club trophies.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thompson defeated Miss Louise Frick and Theron Hawkes in the mixed doubles yesterday afternoon, the score being 6-2, 6-2; Miss Andrews and Lauren Kennedy defeated Miss Esther Coffin and Carroll Steele, with the score 6-1, 6-1; and Miss Betty Merrill and Walter Kennedy defeated Miss Mary Towne and Hunter Towne with the score 6-2, 6-3. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and Miss Andrews and Lauren Kennedy are now in the semi-finals in the mixed doubles.

## Bridge and Dinner Dance on Wednesday.

The usual Wednesday bridge, followed by a dinner-dance will be given at the Northland Country club, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hart, 109 Anoka street, entertained the members of their card club at a picnic supper on their veranda Tuesday night. The evening was passed informally, music and dancing being the amusements. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cook Jr., Mrs. D. E. Giffin, Mrs. E. L. Kimball, Mrs. H. McLean, Mrs. E. T. Hughes, Mrs. G. A. Pearce, Mrs. L. A. Dunaway and Mrs. C. E. Giffin.

Miss Elizabeth Miller, 34 West Second street, was hostess at a dinner party of eight covers Tuesday night. Oriental poppies and peonies were the table decorations. Mrs. W. H. Miller, 34 West Second street, entertained at a trout dinner Friday night. Covers were laid for 24.