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20 THE SAN FRANCISCO CALL, SUNDAY, MAY 23, 1897.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK IN SOCIETY.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Ethel Cohen, daughter of Mrs. E. G. Cohen and the late Mr. Cohen, to Lieutenant Bert Hall Lyman Rees, U. S. A., which will take place at Trinity Cathedral Church.

The wedding is to be a most elaborate one. Jewels in the form of engagement gifts have been showered upon the prospective bride, the remaining article and material. Wines, the ushers' colors, is to be used exclusively, complementary to Lieutenant Rees' and flags and studded arrows are to be utilized to give the distinctive military touch to the wedding.

The bridesmaids will be selected from such girls as are tall and beauty. Miss Emma Butler is to be the maid of honor, and Miss Julia Crocker, Miss Helen Wagner, Miss Ida Gibbon, Miss Alice McGill, Miss Marguerite Jolliffe and Miss Bernie Brown the bridesmaids.

Lieutenant Carson is to be the best man and the ushers will be Lieutenant Rees' brother, Lieutenant Rees, Lieutenant Cronkite and Haldane will officiate as ushers.

The music will be a prominent feature of the wedding. William Greer Harrison has written the wedding march which will be rendered for the first time. This march will be sung by the Lyric Quartet during the ceremony. The bride's gown will be of white satin. The train is to be perfectly plain and the corsage completely covered with white tulle laid in tiny puffs.

Miss Cohen is a stately young beauty, and that she will be stunningly lovely in her bridal gown is a foregone conclusion.

Miss Butler, the maid of honor, will wear a dainty gown of blue organdie. The bridesmaids will be attired alike in white organdie, with large white hats trimmed with white plumes, those belonging to Miss Crocker, Miss Butler and Miss Wagner to be fashionable ostrich feather tips.

On account of the recent death of the bride's uncle, Dr. William P. Gibbon of Alameda, Miss Ida Gibbon will not be able to make her début with the bridal party in the metropolis, which is to be held at the residence of Mrs. Cohen on Pacific street, on Van Ness avenue. In fact all the preparations for the reception had not previously been made, but the bride's mother and sister-in-law-elect have been in all events an extremely busy crowd.

Miss Jessie D. Phelan gave an elaborate dinner party Thursday at the Cliff House in honor of Miss Archie Sewall, United States Navy, whose fiancée, Miss Sewall, formerly Miss Jessie Hamlin, is a party guest at the University club and inspected the warship. The dining-room was beautifully decorated with flowers and silver appointments. The dinner was served at 8 o'clock sharp, after a delightful evening the party returned to their homes by moonlight. Mr. and Mrs. Sewall left on the steamer Coptic for Honolulu, en route to Manila.

Mrs. and Mrs. Arthur Sewall, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sperckels, Mr. and Mrs. J. Downey Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Sharon, Mrs. H. D. Whittier, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sprouse, Mr. and Mrs. G. Dugood Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Whittier, Miss Mabel Martin, Miss Laura McKinstry, Miss Jane Cornett, Miss Hager, Miss Miranda, Miss Lucy Hager, Miss Ethel Sharon, Miss Caroline Sewall, Miss Sewall and E. M. Greenleaf.

Mrs. Charles Page gave a lunch party recently at her residence, 1727 Broadway, in honor of her visitor, Miss Lucy Fisher of Oakland.

Mrs. Charles Josselyn gave a lunch party Friday at her residence, corner of Hilly and Pacific streets.

Miss Mae Tucker gave a pleasant tugboat party to a small number of friends last Saturday. Various points of interest around the bay were visited, and the outing was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. James Otis entertained a few friends at dinner last Saturday evening at their residence, 1727 Broadway.

On Tuesday last Mrs. P. Hall McKeon gave a luncheon at her residence, corner of Pacific avenue. Covers were laid for fourteen, at a table prettily decorated with flowers.

The wedding of Miss Anna Grube and Harry Dutcher will take place on Wednesday evening, June 9, at the residence of the bride's father, Henry Grube, 2525 Octavia street. Only relatives and a very few intimate friends will be present.

Miss Ethel Wright has issued invitations for the wedding of herself, Miss Helen Elizabeth Wright, and Charles Lott Davis, on Tuesday, June 1, at noon, at St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Berkeley, Rev. Beverly Allen officiating.

THEY'RE ENGAGED.

Interesting Betrothals Made Public During the Week.

The engagement is announced of Miss Flora Sorensen to Paul Levin. They will receive their friends this Sunday, May 23, from 2 to 5 p. m., at 1550 O'Farrell street.

The engagement is announced of Miss Josephine Hamilton Kellogg to Mr. Frank Lee Gardner, by C. Kroger. They will receive their friends Sunday, May 30, from 2 to 5 p. m., at 1020 Fulton street, Alameda.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Anderson Bengtzen announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lena, to Rolee Schmid of New York City.

WEDDING BELLS.

Home and Church Ceremonies of the Past Week.

A very pretty home wedding took place on the 31st ult., when Frederick Meinardi and Miss Anna Rohn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rohn, 1010 Mission street, were joined in the bonds of holy matrimony by the Rev. Father Prendergast.

The home and parlors of the bride's parents were most beautifully arrayed and decorated with smilax, ferns and a France rose.

At 9:15 P. M. the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Miss Daisy Rohn announced the approach of the bride and bridal party. The bride looked charming in a handsome white satin, over which she wore the silver gown on which rested the wedding veil, which was caught with orange blossoms. Miss Rohn as bridesmaid wore a pretty gown of cream silk. Mr. Meinardi was supported by Mr. Charles Rohn, while Mr. Edward Rohn, brother of the bride, acted as groomsman. The bridal party stood under a floral bell of white and green, from which was suspended the wedding ring.

Dinner was served at 4 P. M. Twenty-five guests were seated at the table. Fr. Prendergast was toastmaster. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Rohn, Mr. and Mrs. Meinardi, Mr. and Mrs. C. Goetz, Miss Ursella Dempsey, Miss Dempsey, E. Knuth, Miss M. Hoy, Miss Daisy Rohn, Miss Lena Rohn, Miss Frank Fehr, James Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley, D. Connett, Mrs. J. Fabris, Sam Baker, Miss Lena Fabris, Miss Fabris Calderon, Frank Rohn and F. Schuttenhelm.

A birthday party was tendered to Miss May Hall by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall, 1341 Sanchez street, on Tuesday evening, May 18. Among those present were: Miss Hall, Miss Ethel Sullivan and Miss Katy Sullivan, Miss Alice Bayley, Miss Alice Flood, Miss Ella Bryan, Miss May Bryan, Miss Annie Bryan, Miss Lulu Lewis, Miss May Mc-Kenna, Miss Lizzie Sullivan, Miss Mamie Sullivan, Miss Florence Bayley, Miss Nellie Bayley, Miss Bessie Bayley, Miss Ethel Allen and Miss Frida Lagorio; Messrs. Frank Hall, Thomas Hall, Miss Mabel Phillips, Miss Maudy Fay, Miss Alice Brooks, Miss Lizzie Brooks, Miss Edith Brooks and Miss Mary Brooks, Mr. Robert O'Connor, Theodore Lagorio, Mr. Wolfe, Mr. Robert O'Connor, Jr., Mr. McDonald, Fred L. Shaw, Miss Flynn, Miss E. M. Corbett, Percy Phillips, Miss Ethel Hall, Miss Ethel Hall, Miss Ethel Hall