



SOCIETY



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Thanksgiving festivities are the order of the day and one finds the holiday celebrations to be quite varied. There are still those who place the big feast as the main attraction of the day; other would forego that delight to witness one of the great football games on schedule, and quite a number feel that nothing perfects the whole as to attend a dance somewhere, and many finish off the day at the theater. Editor and Mrs. Robert S. Abbott are motoring to Columbus, Ohio, to be the special guests of Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Johnson.

Dr. and Mrs. Norwood Thorne of 5219 Michigan Ave. had a small home dinner, with Dr. Gordon Jackson, brother of Mrs. Thorne, as guest.

Attorney and Mrs. Harold Tyler of 1756 Champlain Ave. entertained with a Thanksgiving dinner. Dr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson and Dr. and Mrs. Robert Church were invited guests.

Mrs. Hazel Harrison Anderson and mother, 3745 Prairie Ave., had Prof. Alan Locke and Miss Baber and her sister as their dinner guests on Thanksgiving.

Judge and Mrs. Albert B. George, 3231 Vernon Ave., spent Thursday very quietly at home and enjoyed a family dinner.

Theta Omega chapter of the Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority was quite fortunate in having Prof. Locke as speaker at a special session Thursday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. M. O. Bousfield, 4548 Forrestville Ave.

New Yorkers Here

Mrs. Sadie Warren Davis, editor of the Amsterdam News, and Mrs. Lillian Sharpe, contributing editor, New York, are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. A. B. Kastor and children and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ferguson, 4735 Michigan Ave.

Dr. Lillian Dove and family, 4511 Michigan Ave., motored to Idlewild, Mich., to spend the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Minnie Badger, Milwaukee, Wis., president of the City Federation of Women's Clubs, was the guest last week of Mrs. Mabel Washington, 3812 Calumet Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Shamwell, Washington, D. C., are guests of Mrs. Earl B. Dickerson, 4528 South parkway. Mr. Shamwell is on a vacation after a year's work in Montreal, Can. Many social affairs are being given in their honor.

Mrs. Louis A. Carter, wife of Maj. L. A. Carter, 25th Infantry, Nogales, Ariz., is visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. DeFrantz, New York, who are stopping at 4415 South parkway, are being highly entertained by their many friends.

Mrs. Albreta Moore Covington, 5842 Michigan Ave., will entertain the Home Girls club Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Jennie Burnett, 4724 Michigan Ave., has issued invitations for a bridge party Saturday, Dec. 3, when the Elite bridge club meets at her home.

Thanksgiving Guests

Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, Daytona, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Turner, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. William Montgomery and Mrs. Beatrice Tandy were dinner guests of Mrs. Nettie George Speedy at her home, 4824 Prairie Ave., Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Davenport, 6029 Michigan Ave., are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with the parents of Mrs. Davenport at Henderson, Ky.

Prof. Alain Leroy Locke, professor of philosophy at Howard university, who was the guest of Miss Zonia Baber, 6037 Ellis Ave., chairman of the art week, has returned home.

Mme. Roberta Dodd Crawford, accompanied by Miss A. Hortense Hall, left the city Saturday for the East, where they will engage in a number of concerts.

James Weldon Johnson, New York, guest of honor at a stag given at the Appomattox club Friday evening, is stopping at the Hotel Grand.

Mrs. Edreaner Gillespie, 4524 South parkway, is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, Daytona, Fla., was the breakfast guest of Mrs. Victoria Clay Holand Thanksgiving morning.

Mrs. Ella Smith, 4629 Champlain Ave., was hostess to the Woman's Aid of the Old Folks home Tuesday. The largest attendance in the history of the club was present. A delicious luncheon was served. Mrs. Smith was assisted by her granddaughters, Mesdames J. Ah-rue Feaman and Robert R. Taylor, Jr.

Mrs. Jackson Ill

Mrs. R. R. Jackson of 3552 South parkway has been confined to her bed for 10 days or more with illness.

At a reception tendered by Miss Mary McDowell of the University settlement Miss Hazel Harrison Anderson, Prof. Alain Locke, Mme. Lillian Evanti and James Weldon Johnson were special guests of honor. Fifty or more were bidden to meet these outstanding celebrities. The affair was well attended by the interracial group. Miss Zelma Watson of the A. K. A. sorority and president of Beta chapter sang several numbers.

At its Sunday afternoon meeting Masque was pleasantly surprised when it was announced that one of the plays under discussion had been written by Ralph Jackson, secretary of the organization. Mr. Jackson, who is an artist of no mean ability, has proved himself so competent that his play was chosen for presentation during the Christmas season.

Mrs. Edward Wilson of 4938 Michigan Ave. was hostess at a most elaborate luncheon last week. Her 12 guests were served on a solid gold luncheon service.

Mrs. Mabel Baylor of Milwaukee, Wis., who came to the city to attend art week festivities left this week to attend the Howard-Lincoln game at Philadelphia. She intends to return here for the Christmas celebration and parties.

Speaking of Christmas parties reminds us that the P't club has decided to be 'well out of the general rush of affairs during the holidays and has arranged for its annual affair on Dec. 2 at the home of Mrs. Americus Brown, 4750 Champlain Ave.

Prof. Alain Locke was guest of honor at a dinner at the Appomattox club on

Wednesday evening. Fifty of our most prominent men were present to do this intellectual genius honor.

Miss Elise Evans was the guest of the Associated Business club auxiliary on Thursday last.

Benjamin Carruthers, who starred in the Masque presentation, "The Trysting Place," last summer, has been given a prominent part in the Hyde Park high school play, "You Never Can Tell." Mr. Carruthers is in his junior year at that institution.

Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Neason of 4956 South parkway, announce the marriage on Nov. 6 of their sister, Miss Lenora Lawes, to Leon Armstrong, 483 E. 45th St. Rev. Tookes performed the ceremony. Those in the wedding party were Maude Armstrong, sister of the groom, and John McFadden, groomsman. The house was beautifully decorated with ferns, palms and fresh cut chrysanthemums and roses. The color scheme of pink and white was most systematically adhered to and a most pleasing effect resulted. More than 100 attended the bridal reception.

Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, Daytona, Fla., has been the recipient of many social courtesies while here. Mrs. M. C. B. Mason was hostess to a theater party in her honor and many informal receptions and dinners were also given for her.

Mrs. Clarence Taylor of 66th St. and St. Lawrence Ave. entertained her 500 club on Wednesday. Her beautiful new bungalow was fairly aglow with Thanksgiving decorations and her tables were appropriately enhanced with similar favors. A lavish luncheon initiated the afternoon's festivities and the presentation of prizes terminated the round of pleasure. Mrs. Taylor is listed as one of Chicago's most affable hostesses.

Mrs. Richard Jones of 3115 South parkway, has as guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles King of Cincinnati, who are here on their honeymoon. Mrs. King was, prior to her marriage, Miss Helen Walker.

Mrs. Maude Roberts George was the guest of Mme. Lillian Evanti, Washington, D. C., at the opera Saturday evening.

Lawrence H. Minnis, 540 E. 46th Pl., has gone East to witness the Howard-Lincoln football game. He will visit New York before returning home.

Miss Norma Porter, 5404 Michigan Ave., spent the week-end in Morgan Park as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, 1205 W. 112th St.

Prof. and Mrs. J. A. Taylor, 4124 Vincennes Ave., spent Thanksgiving week with relatives in Detroit, Mich. From there Mrs. Taylor will go to Cleveland, Ohio, for a week's visit.