WOMEN'S PAGE

SOCIETY

BY GRACE CARROLL

All Contributions to this Page—Society, Women's Clubs, and Personals—Should Be Telephoned to the Society Editor by Friday of Each Week.

AMONG anticipated social affairs in club organizations for the coming week will be the first fall party of Umpqua Squaws of Wigwam Camp on Wednesday evening, October 3, at the attractive T. H. Ness home in Laurelwood.

The officers of the organization, Mrs. T. H. Ness, president; Mrs. Horace Berg, vice-president; Mrs. H. Clay Darby, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. H. S. French, sergeant-at-arms, will join in entertaining at the affair.

The Squaws will make plans for the winter schedule and hold a brief business meeting in the earlier part of the evening, later entertaining with the Umpqua Chiefs as guests.

Former Douglas Girl, Promising Musician, Is Heard in Recital Recently

Mrs. E. E. Gore presented Miss Juanita Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Miller of Talent, in informal piano recital Friday evening at her home 116 Geneva avenue. Miss Miller is one of the brilliant and promising young pianists and gives promise of going far in music. She has just graduated from high school and will enter the Southern Oregon Normal School next week where she expects to take a two-year's course preparatory to entering college. She plans continuous study in music.

Miss Miller was assisted by Mrs. Evelyn Herman in two clever readings and also by Walter Woodcock in an entertaining character sketch and by Miss Alice Holmback and Miss Beulah Gore in piano duets.—Medford Mail Tribune.

Miss Juanita Miller is a former Yoncalla maid and attended school in the northern part of the county until 1927, when the family moved to Talent, where Mr. Miller is principal of the school. The young musician was heard over the radio Tuesday evening by a number of her friends in the county.

Early Week Wedding is Surprise

Comes as a surprise to many of their friends is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Lorene Gross, daughter of G. E. Gross, manager of the C. J. Breier company store, and Mrs. Gross, to Paul DeRose of Roseburg.

The quiet wedding ceremony was read in the study of the Christian church Tuesday evening, Rev. W. H. Baird officiating. Mr. and Mrs. John Groat of this city attended the bride and bridegroom.

The bride is a popular member of the younger set and attended the Roseburg high school here. Mr. DeRose also attended school in Roseburg. They are making their home at the Roadman apartments.

A number of Roseburg folk were in Salem for different days of the fair this week and to enjoy the exhibits. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Marsters and J. E. McClintock, auditor of the board, were there for the entire week. Mr. Marsters is president of the state fair board. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wharton and son, Billy, were there for Tuesday's festivities and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Taylor and daughter, Athalie, and Mrs. J. C. Stephenson were also in Salem for that day. On Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Shoemaker motored north to attend the exhibits. Many of the Roseburg groups have remained over and plan to return home Sunday.

Benson P. T. A. Plans Winter Schedule at Meeting Monday

Opening the winter monthly meetings of the Benson P. T. A. a session was held on Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the school building, a good crowd of members assembling to make plans for the winter schedule and talk over the regional convention here next month.

Mrs. Horace Berg, president, was in charge of the business meetings. The other officers for this year are Mrs. Elmer McKean, first vice-president; Mrs. Tracy Rowland, secretary; Miss Katherine Olson, treasurer.

The meetings are held the second Monday in each month during the winter.

Two Matrons Invite Group to Meet Visitors

A charming affair of September 21 planned to honor visiting friends was arranged by Mrs. Hugh Ritchie, Sr., and Mrs. Peter Sinclair at the home of the former, a number of guests being invited for the afternoon to meet Mrs. N. B. Mundy of Las Vegas, Nevada, Mrs. J. B. Hyams of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, Mrs. W. B. Cresswell and her mother, who are here from St. Cloud, Minnesota.

At the close of a pleasurable afternoon, during which Mrs. Cresswell took several pictures of the guests, the hostesses served refreshments.

Invited to meet the group of ladies were Mrs. Fred Parrott, Mrs. J. Erwin Page, Mrs. R. A. Calhoun, Mrs. L. Potvin, Mrs. A. Niday, Mrs. W. Harrison, Mrs. R. H. C. Wood, Mrs. J. Sharp, Mrs. R. Ewens and Mrs. M. Ferguson.

Catholic Daughters to Open Winter Series With Card Party Soon

Among the earlier social events scheduled for this fall is the first card party of the season to be given by the Catholic Daughters of America, which has announced the date of October 11 as the time for the opening of the series, which last year proved so delightful.

Plans were started this week for the event, which is to be held in St. Joseph's parish hall. The committee in charge is arranging to make it the most enjoyable even on the October calendar and both bridge and five hundred will be played. Prizes are to be given at the close of the evening and refreshments will be served.

Mrs. T. H. Ness, who so capably handled last year's series, is general chairman.

Glendale Man and St. Louis Girl Wed This Week

A fall wedding of interest in Roseburg and the southern part of the county was that of Archie Mosier of Glendale and Miss Nellie M. McCuskill of St. Louis, the ceremony being an event at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Luper, in Grants Pass last Tuesday night.

Judge Rusk of that city officiated and afterward Mr. and Mrs. Mosier came to this city for a visit before going to Glendale to make their home. Mr. Mosier is well known in Roseburg circles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Clark entertained at their home in this city over the week-end, Mr. Clark's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Bader of Olympia, Washington, and his cousin, Mrs. Elizabeth Cooper of Long Beach, Cal.

FLOWER TALKS

PEONIES ARE BEST OF HARDY PLANTS

Editor's Note: This is the second of a series of "Flower Talks," suggesting to News-Review readers what and how to plant gardens this fall in preparation for next year. The articles are written for NEA Service by Romaine B. Ware, magazine contributor on horticulture.

By ROMAINE B. WARE
Written for NEA Service

Peonies probably are the most important of all the hardy plants that we may set out in the fall. From the first of September until freezing time is the best season of the year to plant them. The peony will grow in all sections of the country except the extreme south, there it does not bloom well. In the last 25 years there has been a great improvement in the peony, until today it is one of the very best of all perennials.

Doubtless the most important thing to keep in mind in planting them is the depth to set the roots. If they are too deep or too shallow they never will bloom right, if at all. The eyes, or buds, should be two and one-half inches below the surface. And it is well to be careful that they do not settle after planting and get too deep.

The soil should be prepared to a depth of at least two feet. If your ground is fairly rich you do not need to add any manure, and in no case use any but thoroughly rotted manure. The safest thing to use is bone meal. This may be added at planting time—about two liberal handfuls to each root well mixed with the soil.

The selection of varieties is important and is best done at bloom-ing time. I will just mention three that are good but not expensive. In "Avalanche" we have one of the best whites. "Mons. Jules Elie" in the pinks is hard to beat and for a good red, "Karl Rosefield" is a winner. There are a great many fine varieties and once you become interested you will want a lot of them. Start with a few and soon you will see what a wonderful flower it is. As a cut flower, cut in the bud and allowed to open in the house, there is nothing that will give greater satisfaction. Plant a few of them this fall.

Delightful Affair Given to Honor Two Visitors at Riverside

A delightful buffet dinner was given at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Allen Lee at Riverside Thursday evening honoring Mrs. Elizabeth A. Lee of Colorado Springs and Mrs. C. A. Dennis of Los Angeles who are spending several months at the Lee home. The rooms were decorated with ferns and gladiolias. After the dinner hour several lovely vocal and piano solos were given by Mrs. Leo and Mrs. Dennis after which dancing was enjoyed to music furnished by Mr. Adrian Bowen.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Marsters, Ernest and Eldred Trussell, Allen Lee, Clyde Green, Virginia Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Marsters, Mrs. Ed Marsters, Adrian Bowen, Mrs. Durlin, Mrs. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Krewes, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanders, Chas. Hurst, Hilda Common, Melchoir Common, Mrs. Don Young, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chilson, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Chilson, the honor guests and hostess.

Miss Weatherford Is Bride of Homer Rioth at Ceremony in South

A great deal of interest is attached to the announcement of the marriage of Miss Florence Weatherford of San Jose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Weatherford of this city, and Mr. Homer Rioth of Mercedes, California, the wedding being last Saturday, September 22, at the study of the Methodist church in Mercedes.

Mrs. Rioth, who attended school here and for several years was employed at the local telephone exchange, for the past few months has been residing in San Jose. Mr. Rioth formerly lived in this city and at Sutherlin and also is well known in the community.

The couple visited with the bride's parents here the first of the week on their honeymoon trip, leaving Wednesday for Portland to visit with Mr. Rioth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rioth. The bridegroom is a cousin of Gen. John G Pershing, one of the most noted figures in military and diplomatic circles.

Auxiliary and Spanish War Veterans Join in Social Time

An event of interest for Thursday evening was the first fall meeting of George Starmer Camp, Spanish War Veterans, and the Auxiliary, which joined in a social time at the club rooms in the armory.

On the program, which entertained a large number, were a bones solo, by Shorty Snyder, dance by Miss Eileen Chambers, violin solo by Lawrence Delaney, vocal solo by Thomas Hopkins, humorous vocal selection by Elden Thumsler, of Medford.

Four new candidates were initiated by the Auxiliary. They were Mrs. E. A. Post, Mrs. D. R. Shambrook, Mrs. Harriet Hermahn and Miss Beulah Tjomsland.

At the close of the evening refreshments were served.

For the meeting in October the camp will entertain with a chicken supper at the armory.

Woman's Club Plans First Meeting Tuesday, Which Will Be Guest Day

Among women's clubs announcing plans for next week is the Roseburg Woman's Club which will hold the first autumn meeting at the club house on South Jackson street Tuesday afternoon, October 2, at 2 o'clock. As immediate steps are to be taken to outline the season's work all members are urged to be present and guests interested in the work are also invited to attend.

Mrs. H. D. Harris, the new president, will have charge of the meeting.

The other officers for the year are Mrs. John Runyan, first vice-president; Mrs. A. G. McMillin, second vice-president; Mrs. L. W. Metzger, recording secretary; Mrs. H. E. Coleman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Victor Short, treasurer.

The directors are Mrs. Carl R. Neal, Mrs. L. B. Skinner, Mrs. Wm. Bell, Mrs. Geo. A. Bradburn and Mrs. Dean Buhar. The club house board is composed of Mrs. Foster Butner, Mrs. H. D. Harris, Mrs. Wm. Bell.

The committees for the year include standing committees, year book, Mrs. A. G. McMillin, Mrs. J. C. Leedy and Mrs. John Runyan; press and publicity, Mrs. A. G. McMillin, Mrs. Carl R. Neal and Mrs. L. W. Metzger; music, Mrs. C. S. Heinline and Mrs. Lee A. Wells; service shop, Mrs. L. B. Skinner, Mrs. Wm. Bell and Mrs. John Runyan; Christmas Seals, Mrs. Wm. Bell, Mrs. Dean Buhar, Mrs. E. H. Fletcher, Mrs. Carl R. Neal, Mrs. H. G. Philpott; community service, Mrs. Foster Butner, Mrs. T. U. Gilliland, Mrs. W. H. Carter, Mrs. F. E. Harvey, Mrs. H. W. Marsters; reception, Mrs. N. H. Willis, Mrs. W. B. Brown, Mrs. Helen G. Spaick and Mrs. J. C. Leedy.

As the club year ended before the federated convention June 25 in Klamath Falls, the delegates will have reports to make at Tuesday's meeting. Other business will come up at this time and new business will be discussed.

Hostesses for the afternoon will be the board. Refreshments will be served at the close of the day.

IT'S GOING TO BE A WHITE WINTER

Evening Gowns, at Least, Have Deserted Rich Colors for Snowy Materials That are Enlivened by Glittering Ornaments

By HENRY HENDEL
(For NEA Service)

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The winter's return to femininity in modes brings an unprecedented vogue for white for evening wear.

For, while this color or that may heighten a woman's beauty, bring out the color of her eyes or enhance the shade of her hair, no color has the intrinsic quality of white to give a woman the look of lovely purity, womanliness and youth.

It really is no wonder there is a return to white, after the deep, gorgeous colors that have run rampant for several seasons.

White gowns are harder to fashion than colored ones. They should, no matter how complicated their cut nor intricate their decoration, preserve the appearance of simplicity.

Glittering Decoration

This season, all the fashionable world glitters. Therefore the white gown uses paillettes, bugles, gleaming lace, pearls and diamante to touch it up.

There are many favorite fabrics for the white evening gown: satin for the sophisticate, tulle for the debutante, Lace, mousseline de soie, souffle de soie, chiffon point d'esprit, velvet, lame, embossed taffeta, silk brocade, crepe and others, developed by certain houses, have individual beauty.

A white gown's cut depends entirely upon its fabric. The stiffer materials like taffeta must have a different style from the supple satin gown or the diaphanous, clinging chiffon.

All-Over Patterns

If glittering trim is used, one's ingenuity may have full play. There are gowns this winter of chiffon, entirely patterned by paillettes or some other shiny ornamentation.

One white crepe Elizabeth gown of extreme simplicity has a full skirt of dipping sides entirely blocked into squares by iridescent bugles. These are lined, like chenille, in even pattern.

This gown has a simple, bloused bodice, with a wide band of bugles running around it. Its low beltline has a crushed belt of bugles, with a little bow-knot for frivolity instead of a buckle. The back of the skirt is longer than the front and the sides step down, in modernistic fashion, to ankle-length.

Uneven Hemlines

A second version of the smart white evening gown uses crisp tulle in circular folds to form a graceful skirt of uneven length.

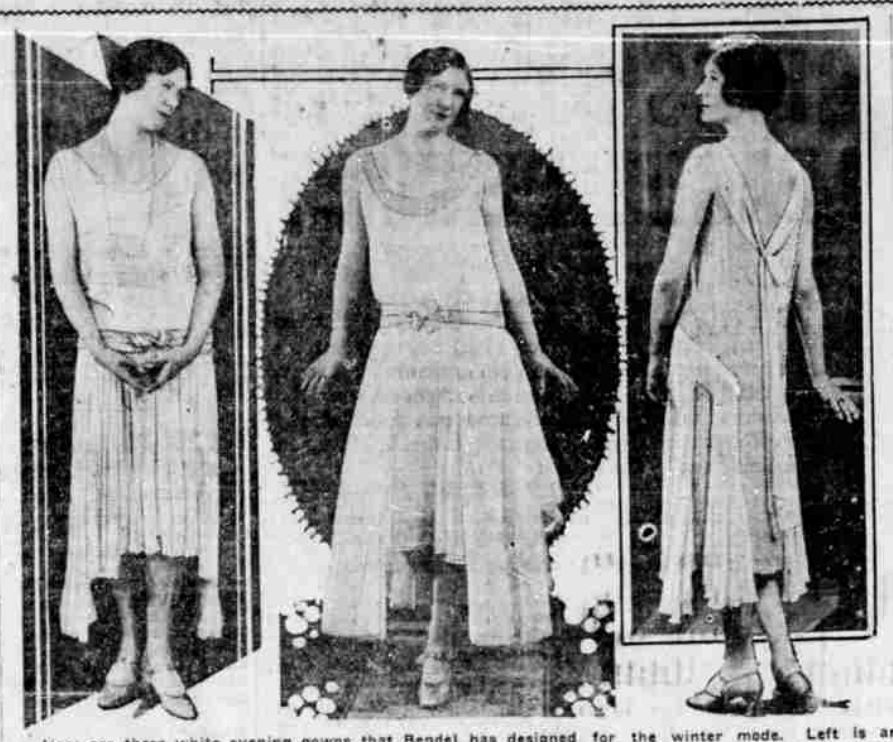
A rounding necklace yoke of crystals dips to a deep U in the back. Two bands of crystals come together in front for a belt, while the lower band slips down in the rear to give the tight hipline effect. A wide banding of the crystals hems the slip and gleams through the tulle with great charm.

For the older woman who wears white, a gown that uses the princess theme is extremely good—one, in particular, that modifies the severity of fitted lines by the introduction of drapes, panels or some other skillful touch.

Modernistic Trend

Such a tone is a white chiffon that has the body of it embroidered diagonally with silver lined uglies and uses the chiffon in circular drapes. Here we see the modednistic tendency towards geometric design developed until it becomes a gracious thing.

The neckline is extremely soft, with a fold of chiffon framing the face and tying in a bow-knot in the back, with its ends hanging almost to the skirt's hem. From the point of the front neckline an intricately cut fold of chiffon rounds to fashion a yoke insert and band in four circular panels from each hip. These graceful panels flare as Milary dances.



Here are three white evening gowns that Bendel has designed for the winter mode. Left is an Elizabeth model with full skirt and bodice decorated by iridescent bugles. Note the square-stepped hemline. The smart gown in the center uses crisp tulle to form a skirt of uneven length. At the right is a gown on the princess theme, its circular chiffon drapes making it particularly suitable for the older woman.

Three Maids Leave for Los Angeles Friday

Preceding their departure for Los Angeles, Miss Esther Nichols and Miss Florence Wimberly, who have been here for a fortnight visiting with relatives, and Miss Lucille Lenox, who is to make her home in the southern city this winter, were extensively entertained by their friends at a series of dinners and parties.

Miss Nichols is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Nichols of this city and is nurse in a physician's office in Los Angeles. Miss Wimberly, who also is formerly of Roseburg, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wimberly. She spent a day in Grants Pass visiting friends and was joined there by the other two girls Friday, the three traveling south together.

Applegates Entertain for Informal Dinner Party

Among the informal and delightful dinner parties of the week was that at which Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Applegate entertained a few of their friends at their Sutherlin home on Tuesday evening.

Seated about the charmingly appointed table were Mrs. Josephine Stark, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clark of this city, C. C. Fristoe of Sutherlin and the hosts.

Epworth League Entertains at Pleasureable Affair in Church

Friday evening, September 21, a delightful surprise was given by the young people of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal church in honor of George Churchill, who is entering O. S. C. and Rev. Joseph Knotts and family, who are leaving for The Dalles.

The early part of the evening was spent in games and a social time. Later the guests were asked to find their places at the banquet table, which was beautifully decorated with asters and crepe paper, the color scheme being purple and orange. William Unrath acted as toast master, and after a number of talks and musical numbers, given by the League members, responsive talks were given by the honor guests. At the close of the program the Knotts family was presented with a set of books ends as a token of love and appreciation.

Teachers and Church Members Entertained at Banquet

One of the most pleasurable affairs this week for the teachers of the city schools and for the new members of the Presbyterian church was the informal reception and banquet given at the church on Thursday evening.

The basement parlors were a riot of color with michaelmas daisies, ferns and asters in profusion. Covers were laid at the long tables for over 200 guests.

The general affairs were in charge of Miss Frances Howell, president of the ladies aid of the church, and program details were under the direction of Mrs. H. C. Parslow.

Following the dinner hour the program was enjoyed, the entertainment consisting of musical selections by those present, quartet numbers and songs and whistling selections by Mr. and Mrs. Homer Crane.

Fullerton P. T. A. Meets With New Officers

The first fall meeting of the Fullerton P. T. A. was held Thursday, September 27, at 7:30 o'clock with the new president, Mrs. C. D. Fies, presiding. After the meeting was called to order the community sing was led by C. D. Fies. The secretary's report was read and accepted and the treasurer reported the money on hand.

The president then made a talk on the work for the coming year and added an appeal for each member to help in making a block for a quilt for the service bag. Each chairman of the various committees gave reports on their work. Mrs. Kohlhagen gave a brief talk on child welfare. Mrs. F. H. Churchill and Mrs. R. D. Williams spoke of the P. T. A. convention to be held here October 23rd, and urged that every member attend. A short discussion as to the convenience of afternoon or evening meetings was held and it was decided that at least some of the meetings would be held in the afternoons. Miss Cooper gave her resignation as secretary, which was accepted. After a rally song the meeting was adjourned and the rest of the evening was given over to the program. A short but delightful program was enjoyed, the boys of Mrs. Helliwell's 5th grade giving the Athenian Code and Miss Marion Ness two solos, accompanied by Mrs. Heinline. Mrs. Heinline gave a piano solo. A bouquet of flowers was presented to each teacher, to Mr. Preble and to the president, the presentations being made with a witty verse in appreciation of the work being done by them. A social time, with refreshments, followed.

Garden Club and Public to Hear Rock Garden Authority Monday

Members of the Roseburg Garden Club and others greatly interested in garden topics will have an opportunity to hear one of the foremost authorities on rock gardening on Monday evening when Mr. Adolph Meyer of Portland will speak at the auditorium in the Junior high school at 8 o'clock, the speaker being secured through the club.

At this time when most garden enthusiasts are planning for their spring flowers and outlining gardens and listing their plants, Mr. Meyer's talk will be of great benefit and he will have several important instructions on what and how to plant rockeries. He is a specialist on alpine plants also and will have his own stereopticon camera and slides which will be shown in conjunction with his lecture Monday night.

Group of Twelve Entertained at Bridge

One of the charming social affairs for the latter part of the week occurred on Friday evening when Miss Catherine Olson entertained a group of friends at bridge at the home of Miss May Baldwin.

Three tables were in play in the rooms attractively arranged with autumn leaf and fall flower decorations. At the luncheon tables the hostess was assisted by Miss Baldwin.

On Tuesday evening of next week Miss Olson will entertain a group of 12 friends belonging to her social sewing club.

Mrs. Tipton Hostess at Afternoon Affair Honoring Visitors

An afternoon affair of attractive appointments was the party given on Wednesday by Mrs. Cleo Tipton complimenting her aunt and daughter, Mrs. Susan Peet and Miss Alice Peet, who are visitors here from Seattle.

Guests for the afternoon were friends of the visitors and members of the M. O. A. Club. The rooms of the home were arranged with asters and other fall flowers, which were also used later in the afternoon at the luncheon tables at which the hostess was assisted by Mrs. E. A. Heinboldt and Mrs. C. W. Cook.

Besides the honor guests there were present, Mrs. James Sharp, Mrs. Lizzie Connelly and the following club women, the Mesdames E. A. Heinboldt, J. Jones, John Marks, C. W. Cook, Geo. Bickel, John Travis, Ward Ellis, E. G. Cloake, Geo. Powers, M. H. Allison, Ralph Bell and the Misses Pearl Jones, Ellow May Cloake and Marjorie Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harth of this city who are on a four month's tour of the states have taken a cottage at New Orleans for the rest of the month and plan side trips while there. They have been traveling in the east and southern states and on October 6 leave for San Antonio, Texas, to attend the national American Legion convention, later visiting in California before their return home.

Mrs. Sharps Entertains at Afternoon Affair Complimenting Visitors

Mrs. Jacob Sharps of Garden Valley opened her beautiful home on Thursday afternoon to a number of her neighbors and friends, honoring the following ladies who are visiting friends here: Mrs. Mundy of Las Vegas, Nevada; Mrs. Jennie M. Hyams of Toronto, Canada, and Mrs. J. Potvin and daughter, Mrs. Cresswell, of St. Cloud, Minn.

A most delightful afternoon was spent in music and social conversation, and at a late hour the guests were invited into the dining room where a sumptuous dinner was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Mundy.

At the close of the dinner hour Mrs. R. Ewens read a beautiful poem written by herself and dedicated to Mrs. Sharps' long life of service and hospitality to her friends.

Covers were laid at the table for the following guests:

Mrs. J. Erwin Page, Mrs. R. A. Calhoun, Mrs. J. C. Bailey, Mrs. Peter Sinclair, Mrs. Jennie Hyams, Mrs. A. Niday, Mrs. Ed Brown, Mrs. R. S. Hutton, Mrs. R. H. C. Wood, Mrs. J. L. Potvin, Mrs. Effie Jenck, Mrs. Cresswell, Mrs. Wm. Harrison and Mrs. Potvin.

Mrs. H. L. McHenry and baby daughter, who have been here for several days as guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kohlhagen, on South Jackson street, leave Sunday for their home in Portland. They will be accompanied by Mrs. McHenry's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edw. G. Kelhagen, who will visit in the metropolis for a few days.

Miss Margaret Page Hostess at Evening Affair

For a wholly pleasurable and informal evening affair on Thursday Miss Margaret Page entertained at her home in North Roseburg for the members of her Sunday school class at the Baptist church and additional guests, numbering 22.

The rooms had been transformed for the affair with baskets of colorful autumn flowers and games of amusing variety entertained the guests.

Later in the evening the hostess, assisted by Miss Marie Ring, served luncheon at small tables.

Large Affair at Church Honors Knotts Family Friday Evening

Quite the largest and most successful affair to be given at the First Methodist Episcopal church this autumn was the reception and entertainment planned last evening by the church members as an adieu to the pastor and his family, Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Knotts and son, Ross, and Mrs. Knott's mother, Mrs. Ross, who leave Monday for The Dalles, where Rev. Knotts has a new pastorate.

The church parlors were filled with over 200 guests during the evening which was enjoyably interspersed with entertainment features.

The program consisted of several musical numbers including a violin and piano duet by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Williams, followed by two vocal selections by Miss Marian Ness. A quartet, named the backward number with all the characters in backward costumes, sang old songs. The next selection was called "Sweet Williams," with Mr. and Mrs. Williams giving a harmonica and piano duet. Leroy Hiatt sang two solos and the grand march followed.

This was led by Rev. and Mrs. Knotts, and they were followed by Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Penhall, Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Acher, Dr. and Mrs. Louis Albert Banks and other guests present, the group going to the dining room where 40 small tables were placed for luncheon, each centered with a bud vase containing lavender and pink flowers and holding a pink lighted taper.

As soon as the guests were seated singing of old songs was led by Mrs. C. S. Heinline with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Williams.

C. S. Heinline then took charge as toastmaster and introduced the following speakers: Foster Butner, Lawrence Goodburn, Rev. R. W. Acher, Rev. J. B. Penhall.

Dr. Banks then made a talk, presenting Rev Knotts with a desk lamp, a token of appreciation from the church. Mrs. A. J. Geddes, in

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POETS' CORNER

Signed Contributions for This Department May Be Sent to the Society Editor of The News-Review, and Will Be Used as Space Is Available.

THE LURE OF THE UMPQUA

In the Valley of the Umpqua,
there's something in the air
That seems to cast a spell on one,
when once he's lingered there;
A mystic, magic, subtle charm
that has the power when
One leaves the Valley for awhile,
to draw him back again.

We know the truth whereof we
speak, for, most a year ago,
We came to Roseburg to sojourn,
where winter roses grow.
But when Spring came upon the
hills, singing her songs of
joy,
We turned our face toward home
again, our homeland, Illinois.

Illinois is a goodly land, 'tis fertile, rich and fair,
We've scores of true and trusty
friends and kindred dwellings
there.
Within its hallowed soil there
rest the ones who gave us
birth.
Survivor of a broken home, we
wander o'er the earth.

So we've come again to Roseburg,
where Nature's always kind,
We know we'll meet some splendid folks, like those we left
behind.
What lies before, we may not
know, not even for a day,
But all is well in Umpqua Vale,
we're glad we came this way.

—W. TAYLOR COOPER.

MODERN VIEWS

A flash of light in the ponderous drum,
The strains of music next will
come
The dancers gather. The waltz
begun
And I and my sweetie are there.

'Mong other couples we smoothly
glide
I hold my sweetie close to my side.
In perfect step she doth abide.
Oh, she's a heavenly thing.

I laugh, I could dance the rest of
my life.
Forgetting all of the daily strife.
I say, "Shall I ask you to be my
wife?"
Oh, yes, I truly do.

But when the thrill of the dance
is o'er,
The morning after the day before,
And the landlady's bill is at my
door—
That banishes all romance.

And I in my saner moments know
A married man must have much
dough
And to the hop he could not go—
Must work for dollars and cents.

My sweetie says she' feels the
same.
To leave off dancing, life is
lame,
And marriage would be but a humdrum game,
And that's the modern view.

We are too wise for Cupid's darts
This modern life has seared our
hearts
We take from it the better parts
And leave the rest behind.

—ORPHA COLLINS.