

WOMEN'S PAGE

SOCIETY

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

Social events in the city have been few this week because of the vacation week-end, which many have been spending out of town. The mountains, lakes and seashore are very popular, especially during these warm summer days.

With those who could not leave the city for the week-end, the many Fourth of July celebrations in the city and in the neighboring towns, have been very popular. Many family and group picnics were held by others not caring to attend the larger events.

Clubs and societies have discontinued their meetings until the fall months, and picnics and garden parties in general are taking the place of indoor affairs.

"No Host" Dinner Enjoyed Friday Evening on River Bank

The river bank behind the home of Miss Bess Wharton on Harvard avenue, was the scene of a "no host" dinner on the evening of the Fourth of July.

Enjoying the affair were Miss Bess Wharton, Mr. and Mrs. Al Bashford and sons, Donald and Bobby, Mrs. Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leake and daughter, Patricia.

At the close of the dinner the evening was spent in setting off fireworks.

Fourth of July Celebrated With Picnic on North Umpqua

One of the many enjoyable all-day picnics with which the Fourth of July was celebrated was held on the North Umpqua river at the Kiwanis camp above Glide. Fishing and hiking were the sports of the day, and the usual plentiful picnic-dinner was furnished at noon.

At the picnic were Miss Fern Scott, Miss Charlotte Olson, Miss Margaret Jennings, Miss Pauline Shoun, Miss Lucille Shoun, Mrs. Myrtle Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Clark and son, Junior, Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Shoun and Betty, Howard and Roderick Shoun, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Olson, Frank Grubbe, George Harrington, Kenneth Riley, Charles Robertson, Wallace Robertson and Jarvis Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruton Entertain Tuesday With Lawn Party

Among the pleasurable affairs of the week was the lawn party arranged on Tuesday evening of this week by Mr. and Mrs. Royd Bruton at their home on North Kane street. A pot-luck supper was served on the lawn, where Japanese lanterns made a colorful setting to the affair.

Cards were played indoors following the supper. Those in attendance at the affair included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Church, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Radabaugh and Mrs. Radabaugh's sister and house guest, Miss Verna Braden of Mariposa, California, Miss Elsie Hudson, Mrs. Louis Miles and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Bruton.

Portland Visitor Guest of Honor at Garden Party

Pleasant among the popular outdoor entertainments of the week was the garden party on Tuesday afternoon, presided over by Mrs. Washington Hughes, and given in the lovely park-like garden on the river bank of her home on Spruce street, in honor of Mrs. M. F. Zigler of Portland, house guest of her sister, Mrs. L. B. Riddle.

The entire afternoon was spent most agreeably in the garden. The ladies chatted, and part of the time two tables of bridge were in play. At tea hour the hostess served dainty refreshments.

Enjoying the hospitality of Mrs. Hughes, besides Mrs. Zigler, guest of honor, were Mrs. Lee Wells, Mrs. F. E. Hartung and son, Tommy, Mrs. Chester Morgan, Mrs. Horace Berg, Mrs. William Bell, Mrs. A. G. Young, Mrs. L. B. Riddle and Mrs. Zigler's little daughter, Miss Dorothy Zigler.

Picnic Enjoyed Fourth of July at Norman Home

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Norman and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hirst arranged a most enjoyable day for the Fourth of July, entertaining a group of friends and relatives at an all-day picnic at the beautiful grove on the river bank at the Norman home near Millwood. Swimming and boating were the day's recreations. At noon a beautiful picnic dinner was furnished, the entire group being seated at one long table in the grove.

Present at the picnic were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Burt and family of Happy valley, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson and family of Coles valley, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Nance of Winchester and the latter's mother, Mrs. B. Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Norman of Millwood and Mrs. Norman's mother, Mrs. Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hirst of Umpqua.

Campfire Girls Camp to Be at Wolf Creek Starting July 28th

The Campfire Girls' camp will be held this year at Wolf creek, starting July 28th, for a two weeks' session, according to announcements made recently.

Miss Dorothy Arundel, who spent this week attending Camp Nana, the Campfire Girls' camp in Portland, will be camp director. Miss Arundel will report on the details of the camp life when she returns from Portland.

A Red Cross swimming instructor has been secured from the University of Oregon, who will give the girls lessons in swimming, diving and life saving.

Several of the local group guardians are planning to attend the camp, and a sufficient number of camp counselors has been secured.

Girls who wish to attend the camp are urged to register as soon as possible at the Roseburg chamber of commerce, as the camp at Wolf creek will accommodate only forty-five girls.

A big picnic and rally for the local campfire groups is being planned for the first of the week to celebrate the return of Miss Arundel from Portland.

Son of Rev. Edwards Weds Corvallis Girl

A pretty wedding was solemnized at seven o'clock Tuesday morning, June 24, at Hotel Benton in Corvallis, when Miss Wilma A. Foster was united in marriage to John C. Edwards, Rev. C. A. Edwards of this city, father of the bridegroom, officiating at the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards left after the ceremony to motor by way of Newport along the Roosevelt highway to Seattle. They are soon to return to live in Corvallis and will be at home in the Heckart apartments.

Mrs. Edwards is the only daughter of Mrs. Ida Foster and the late Dr. W. A. Foster and has spent practically all of her life in Corvallis. She was graduated from Corvallis high school, recently she has been employed at the Southern Pacific terminal. Mr. Edwards is the son of Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Edwards of Roseburg. He is a former University of Oregon man and went to Corvallis a short time ago to become manager of the local Williams' Self Service store.

Sutherland P. N. G. Club Meets With Mrs. Anderson

The P. N. G. club of Sutherland was entertained on Wednesday afternoon of this week at the home of Mrs. Theodore Anderson of Calapalapa street. Fourteen members and two visitors were present.

Mrs. Goff's team was the winner in the contest for the month. After a pleasurable social hour a delicious lunch was served in the dining room, which was decorated in red, white and blue.

Mrs. B. A. Butler is preparing to leave next Tuesday for the east to spend the summer months. She will visit with friends and relatives in Chicago and Minneapolis, returning to this city in the fall.

Bright Colors Shine on Golf Links

Miss Helen Hewitt, bride of Ivan Brosi in Pretty Home Wedding

In a very pretty home wedding, which took place at three o'clock in the afternoon at the bride's home in Edenwood, Miss Helen Hewitt became the bride of Ivan Brosi of Winston, Rev. Alexander Mulder of the Roseburg Presbyterian church officiating.

Baskets of sweet peas and Scotch broom gave their color and charm to the rooms. The couple stood before an improvised altar of the same flowers while the ceremony was being read.

The bride was winsome in a French imported frock of cream colored georgette trimmed with Battenburg lace and hand-made flowers, with a graceful flaring skirt. She carried an arm bouquet of pink and white orchids.

Miss Margaret Hewitt was her sister's only attendant. She wore a sleeveless model of yellow georgette, cut with the popular fitted waist and flared skirt. Her bouquet was of sweet peas in cream and salmon shades.

"Ted" Brosi acted as best man. Proceeding the ceremony Miss Vera McClintock sang, "At Dawn." A reception was held for the relatives and close friends present following the ceremony.

The couple left for a trip to northern California via the McKenzie pass, Crater lake and Diamond lake. After a week's absence they will be at home to friends in Winston, where Mr. Brosi is a rancher.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Molly B. Hewitt, and is well known here, being a graduate of the Roseburg high school. Before her marriage she was employed in the office of Dr. George R. Houck.

Wilbur Gold Star Mother Enroute To France to Visit Son's Grave

Just a few days before the armistice was signed, Private Vincent Winniford was numbered among those who lie in "No Man's Land." Where the bullets of his enemies had failed to take his life, a tiny pneumonia germ brought about his death.

Mrs. John Winniford of Wilbur, second gold star mother of this locality to leave for France as a guest of the United States, started on her way Wednesday to visit the grave of her son, who is at rest in the soldiers' cemetery at St. Mihiel, near Nancy, France.

Records show that Winniford was drafted in June of 1918 and departed from his home at Wilbur on June 24. As a member of Company H, 305th Infantry, he was sent to the front about September 26.

He contracted bronchial pneumonia 24 days before the armistice was signed and died several days later. He was 25 years of age at the time of his death.

Besides his parents, the Wilbur boy was survived by three brothers and a sister, all of whom reside at Wilbur.

Mrs. Winniford will sail from New York next Wednesday, arriving at Cherbourg, 16 days later. The party of which she is a member will spend two weeks in France, two days of which will be spent in Paris. The entire trip will take five or six weeks. All her expenses will be paid by the government as a small token of appreciation for her heart-breaking sacrifice during the great war.

Riddle Girl Honored With Farewell Party at Moshaf Home

A farewell party was given Wednesday evening at the Moshaf home in honor of Miss Ruth Moshaf, who is leaving soon after the Fourth to attend the Northwest Business college, Portland, for two years.

The evening was spent in playing games and visiting. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch were served.

Those present were Miss Wilma Loder, Miss Marie Ball, Miss Katherine Ball, Miss Myrtle Adair, Miss Ernestine Riddle, Miss Marie Willis, Miss Margaret Clutter, Miss Edith Marcum, Miss Ruth Marcum, Miss Edna Marcum, Miss Bernice Burgoine, Miss Margaret Ball, Miss Katherine Henslee, Miss Ernestine Henslee, Miss Freda Henslee, Miss Betty Henslee, Miss Virginia Kirk of Chicago, Dean Marcum, Robert Moore, Marle Marcum, Keith Henry, Alvin Walker, Ellis Mills, Gale Blundell, Edward Davis, Bill Nichols, Owen Willis, Leroy Pfaff, Lesley Pfaff, Delbert Ball, James Marshall, Miss Cornelia Orlando Melton, and the hostess, Miss Florence Moshaf.

District No. 11 Graduate Nurses Meet With Mrs. Post

Mrs. E. A. Post entertained very pleasantly at her home on Tuesday evening of this week, the occasion being the meeting of the district number 11 of the Oregon State Graduate Nurses association. During the business session which was held, Mrs. Blanche Cacy was elected secretary to fill the vacancy left by Mrs. Constance Crist, who has gone to the Hawaiian Islands to take a course.

A committee was appointed to revise the by-laws of the constitution of the local association, the committee being Mrs. M. Hofsford, Mrs. Blanche Cacy and Miss Sibyl Walker.

Following the business meeting there was an enjoyable social and refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Marks Celebrate Twenty-Fifth Wedding Anniversary

About one hundred relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Marks of Garden valley met in the K. of P. hall Saturday evening, June 28, the occasion being the celebration of the Marks' 25th wedding anniversary. Huge baskets of fruit, flowers and candies made a beautiful setting for the affair.

Proceeding the ceremony Miss Vera McClintock sang, "Into the Dawn with You" and "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Miss Marjorie Knight. The bride party entered to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March played by Miss Ethel Marks. Little Ella Mae Shook acted as ring bearer followed by Bettie Helmboldt and Jean Cloake as flower girls preceding the bride who entered on the arm of her brother, E. G. Cloake. Marcelle Moore and Bobbie Matthews were train bearers. Mrs. Nellie Myers being mistress of honor. Mr. John Marks acted as best man for his brother, J. E. McClintock officiating.

After congratulations were extended, old-fashioned games were played to the merriment of all. The reception room was beautifully decorated with baskets of flowers. The long tables in the banquet room were prettily decorated with bowls of sweet peas and tapers in pastel shades. Mrs. Ed Helmboldt, Mrs. Max Myers, Myrtle, Lucie and Grace Cloake, sisters of the bride, served the refreshments. The bride's cake was placed on the table especially arranged for the bride party.

Out of town guests were Miss Hazel Marks of Portland and Miss Ethel Marks of Eugene, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Marks, and Mrs. F. C. Birch and son, Frederick, of Marshfield.

Mrs. Gile, Mrs. Arthur Entertain Wednesday With Luncheon

Among the outdoor affairs which are so popular during the warm months was the garden party arranged on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. R. L. Gile and Mrs. J. D. Arby at Mrs. Gile's home on the Garden valley highway, in compliment to Mrs. F. T. McWhirter, house guest of Mrs. A. C. Marsters and cousin of A. C. Marsters and R. W. Marsters. A prettily appointed luncheon was served at one o'clock on the shady lawn, Miss Maxine Moore assisting the hostesses in serving.

Covers were laid for the guest of honor, Mrs. McWhirter, Mrs. A. C. Marsters, Mrs. R. W. Marsters, Mrs. George Bradburn, Mrs. Collier, Mrs. S. A. Sanford, Mrs. M. J. Shoemaker and her daughter, Mrs. Warren Briggs of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Mose Rice, and the hostesses, Mrs. Gile and Mrs. Arthur.

A pleasurable hour of visiting followed the luncheon.

Picnic at River Forks Is Delightful Affair of Wednesday Evening

Outdoor affairs are the order of the day for July, and the picnic held at the forks of the river at Melrose on Wednesday evening of this week was among the most delightful. A picnic dinner was furnished by Miss Agnes Pitchford and V. T. Jackson. Swimming, boating, and singing around a bonfire were the diversions.

The picnic was attended by Miss Ethel Smith, Miss Helen Bergh, Miss Reside Redburn, Miss Lois Byrd, Miss Agnes Pitchford, Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Jackson, Miss Dorothy Jackson, Elton Jackson, C. H. Daugherty of Yoncalla, Harry McCabe, George Deitsch, and Judge C. F. Hopkins.

Miss May Moore left Monday for Portland, accompanied by little Susanne Wilds, niece of Miss Naomi Scott, who has been spending a few days here with Miss Moore and Miss Scott. Miss Moore went from Portland to Camp Sitcoos, girls camp near Westlake, where she plans to spend the coming six weeks.

Mrs. H. C. Stearns and daughter, Madeline, left this morning for Klamath Falls, Oregon, to spend the week-end with Mrs. Maxine Stearns Webb.

Mrs. Caroline Devers, of Fort Collins, Colorado, spent the Fourth of July in this city as the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Runyan.

Rebekahs Install New Officers at Meeting Tuesday

Installation of officers for the coming year took place at the meeting of the local Rebekah lodge on Tuesday evening of this week in the Odd Fellows hall.

New officers installed were Mrs. Anna Reynolds, noble grand; Mrs. Gladys Colby, vice grand; Mrs. Gertrude Hatfield, recording secretary; Mrs. Maud Plyler, treasurer; Mrs. R. L. Russell, right supporter of the noble grand; Mrs. E. V. Hoover, left supporter of noble grand; Mrs. Ruby Bloom, right supporter to the vice grand; Mrs. Kathleen Webber, left supporter to the vice grand; Mrs. Lillian Nelson, warden; Miss Carmel Newland, conductor; Mrs. Clara Crawford, outside guard; Mrs. K. E. Sandquist, inside guard; Mrs. J. F. Hurd, chaplain.

The installation ceremony was conducted by Mrs. T. B. Busonbark, district deputy president, assisted by Miss Ha Laubach, deputy marshal, and the staff of past officers.

A social hour followed the installation, and later refreshments were served by the retiring officers in the dining room, which was attractively decorated with sweet peas arranged with fern.

Brand's Barbecue Stand Scene of Informal Party

Brand's Barbecue stand was the scene of an informal good time on Monday evening of this week when the employees of the local J. C. Penney store motored out after store meeting to spend an hour at the stand, those enjoying the evening including Miss Cora Moore, Miss Ruth Von Pessl, Mrs. Harold Taylor, Mrs. William Sanders, Mrs. Anna Dabney, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eichenlaub and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Elliott.

Mrs. J. M. Judd and daughter, Miss Jessie Judd, returned to this city yesterday after visiting for several days in Seattle with Miss Eldress Judd, physical education director in the Seattle Y. W. C. A. Miss Jessie Judd has also recently been in attendance at the Y. W. C. A. conference at Seabeck.

Miss Helen Casey, who has been attending the school at the Community Playhouse in Pasadena, California, arrived here Wednesday to spend the summer at her home here. Miss Casey will return to the school next fall.

Miss Wharton, Miss Titus Guests of Honor at Affair Friday

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wharton, entertained a group of relatives and close friends at their cabin on the river near the Curry Estate on the afternoon and evening of the Fourth, the affair being arranged in honor of Miss Florence Wharton, who is visiting here from the school in the Hawaiian Islands, and Miss Virginia Titus of California, friend of Miss Wharton, also a guest in the city.

A dinner of attractive appointments was served at five o'clock, covered by Miss Helen Casey, guests, Miss Wharton and Miss Titus, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wharton and son, Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wimberly and son, Donald, Mr. and Mrs. George Hall of Portland, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wharton.

Group Entertained Fourth of July on North Umpqua

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Bates of Myrtle Creek and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Morgan presided over one of the many delightful picnics given on the Fourth of July, inviting a group of friends to spend the day at their country home on the North Umpqua river near Glide. Horse shows, swimming and fishing were the day's recreations. At noon a picnic dinner was served outdoors in the cool shade. Fireworks were a feature in the evening.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Washington Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Arby and daughter, Miss Beverly Bell from Beverly Hills, California, Mr. and Mrs. John Runyan, Mr. Nugent, Mrs. Caroline Devers of Fort Collins, Colorado, house guest of the Runyans, Mrs. Dean Babar, Miss Ethel Kenney, Lester Russell, and the hosts and hostesses, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan and their son, and Mr. and Mrs. Bates and their two daughters.

Few Ladies Present at Country Club on Ladies' Day

Ladies' day at the Country club was marked by an unusually small attendance this week, many being out of town or preparing for vacation trips over the Fourth of July. The ladies on the golf links in the morning were Mrs. Harry Stearns, Mrs. A. A. Richard, Mrs. Phil Harth, Mrs. W. E. Oll and Mrs. Leon McClintock. The winner in the first flight was Mrs. Phil Harth, who played one of the lowest scores that have been made on the local links, making the course in 45, one above ladies' par. Winner in the second flight was Mrs. Stearns, and in the third, Mrs. Harth.

Luncheon was served in the club house at noon, and in the afternoon a few remained for bridge.

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Dr. Louis Albert Banks Tells Interesting Story of Letters Of Famed World Personalities

The sixth of July, 1930, will be a Roseburg News-Review anniversary. Two years ago, on that date, Dr. Louis Albert Banks began to publish with this paper his daily poem, which very soon developed into a poetic comment on the world significant news.

So far as we know the News-Review is the only paper in the United States, or indeed in the world, that has a poem every day, commenting on some interesting personality or event in the current news of the time.

A reporter, wishing to make a note of the starting of the third year of Dr. Banks' poems, interviewed him on the subject. He found Dr. Banks in his study, surrounded by his books, sitting by his window looking out into a great green Hawthorne tree where he feeds the birds in winter, and which has many feathered visitors through the summer.

The reporter told him what he wished, and asked him how he happened to write poetry.

"Well," said Dr. Banks, "I had been writing serious all my life and for over fifty years have always been publishing something; but when I had my paralytic stroke and the physicians told me I could no longer stand the excitement of public speaking, I felt the great necessity of some new interest that would keep my soul alive and yet be an avenue that would help me to do good by my writing, which was the only thing I was still able to do. Having this in mind, I said to my wife, Florence, 'Aiken Banks.' 'It is too bad I haven't your poetic gift, for I have all the time necessary to work at it.' To my great surprise she assured me that if I would really work at it, I could write poetry myself. I was seventy-one years old, and had never written a poem, but she was so sure that with my long experience in authorship, and wide use of vocabulary gained in that way, I could write poetry, that the idea took root and my first poem on the old fireplace standing on the Hamilton hill, was published in the News-Review. I experimented so many times, and finally came to the conclusion that the iambic tetrameter, which I use in the News-Review poem, was the best vehicle to carry my message."

The story of the great collection of letters that have come to Dr. Banks from distinguished persons is interesting. Let Dr. Banks tell you:

"I saw a story about incidentally, I saw a story about the day's news of how the childhood home of Mary Pickford was to be torn down. Taking my cue from that, I wrote a poem on 'The Universal Sweetheart.' When it was completed my wife said, 'It would please Mary Pickford to see a copy of that.' So I sent it to her, and as quickly as the mails could carry it, there came back a most gracious letter from the most famous moving picture actress in the world, thanking me, and assuring me that I had made her very happy, and that she would keep the poem as long as she lived; also sending me a photograph of herself. That gave me the idea; I said to myself, 'If the physician will not allow me to preach any more, there is still one very pleasant way for me to give others happiness.' A few days afterward I saw a speech by Lady Nancy Astor, the first woman member of the English parliament, in which she spoke of 'the English-thinking race.' That gave me a theme for a poem, which I sent to Lady Astor, who wrote me, in her own hand, a very cordial answer."

"From that, it has gone on, and whenever there is anyone who would be specially interested in the poem—the themes of which are always taken from the current life of the world, I have sent a copy to that one. This has continued for about eighteen months. See what has been gathered in, that time! Among the first was a speech by James J. Davis, secretary of labor under the last three presidents, recently nominated by his party for United States senator from Pennsylvania. In the speech to a company of working men, Mr. Davis told the story of how at one time he was so poor that he lost his way on the railroad to New Orleans to get a job of driving mules. Of course to have a member of the cabinet tell a story like that was poetic. My theme was 'The Way Up Is Always Wide Open.' It pleased Mr. Davis very much; he not only wrote me a grateful letter, but he included one of the new five dollar bills then coming out, and said, 'Buy something as a souvenir of me.' I went to the Roseburg Book store and bought a large album—large enough for me to paste in a copy of the poem at one end of the page, and at the bottom of the page, an envelope holding the letter, and still have plenty of room to paste in pictures of the writer and his or her family, which adds great interest to the page. When I bought the album it seemed to me to be too large for me to expect ever to get it full; but letters have come so fast that already I have seven of these volumes almost entirely filled; they cover almost every class of human life—for instance, they run all the range between a letter from King George V of Great Britain, and an Italian scissors grinder in Hartford, Conn. whose son wrote me that his father was going to frame the poem, and he would feel good every time he looked at it."

"Speaking of kings and rulers: I have a letter in French from King Albert of Belgium; one from



the president of Uruguay, South America, in Spanish; from President Von Hinderberg of Germany, in English; from President Masarik of Czechoslovakia, also in English; from former President Taft, and his wife, of France, and from three presidents of the United States—Taft, Coolidge and Hoover. A most generous note from Lou Henry Hoover, wife of the president. Premiers of many countries have honored me: From the United States, Elihu Root, Kellogg, author of the peace pact; Charles Evans Hughes, and Henry Stimson since his return from the naval parley. Hoover's cabinet is well represented, as, in addition to the secretary of state, Stimson, I have letters from Ray Lyman Wilbur, secretary of the interior; Patrick Hurley, secretary of war; Andrew Mellon, secretary of the treasury, who like Secretary Davis already mentioned, has served under three presidents. Among English promoters are letters from David Lloyd George, Stanley Baldwin, Ramsey MacDonald and Gen. Jan Christian Smuts of South Africa. Others not to be forgotten are from Benito Mussolini, of Italy, and Johann Schober, premier of Austria.

"There is another group of letters that are fully as interesting to me as those from kings, presidents and premiers. I have a beautiful one from Albert Einstein, most famous philosopher in the world; Lord Baden Powell, who founded the scout movement; Will C. Durant, who wrote the History of Philosophy; John Macfie, the new poet laureate of Great Britain; Edwin Markham and Henry Van Dyke, distinguished poets; Jane Addams of Hull House, Chicago; Lillian D. Wald of Henry St. Settlement, New York.

"The pulp is represented by such men as Dr. Parkes Catman, famous radio preacher; Bishop Francis McConnell, president of the federated churches; Joseph Fort Newton, who followed Joseph Parker in London. The press by such editors as Adolphus S. Ochs of New York Times and William Allen White.

"A famous group of explorers like Mrs. Carl Akeley; the Duchess of Bedford in England; Charlotte Chambers Adams, and our own Amelia Earhart, first woman to fly the Atlantic.

"There are senators as far apart as William Edgar Bosh of Idaho and Pat Harrison of Mississippi; and between such men as Thomas Schall, the blind senator from Minnesota. And from congresswomen, there are Ruth Hanna McCormack of Ill., and Ruth Bryan Owen of Florida. I have all the living Roosevelts—Governor Theodore, Porto Rico; Kermit, the hunter, and Alice Roosevelt Longworth, and Gov. Franklin Roosevelt of New York.

"You would not have space for me to mention one-third of the interesting personalities who have not held high office, but who are famous for useful work or heroic deeds, who enrich these volumes.

"Of course, poetic things are happening all around us—in Roseburg—and Douglas county, that awake my muse. When Fannie Reynolds married an aviator and flew off to California on her wedding day; when Shirley Knight went into the movies to advertise Roseburg turkeys; or T. E. Singleton caught an owl in Douglas county's courthouse; or Charles Brand discovered the Garden of Eden in the Umpqua valley; or Daphne Hughes was elected to a national race; or Bianca Hill was paraded in the covered wagon in which she was born; or Major Lawrence E. Mott and wife came back to our summer paradise it demanded a poem, and their letters in response are as interesting to me as these more famous kings and presidents."

The reporter remarked to Dr. Banks that these letters must be very interesting to him since he could not travel any more as he used to do; at which Dr. Banks replied, "I thought when I traveled 50,000 miles a year, lecturing for prohibition, in every state in the United States, that I saw a great deal, but how much more I see now, sitting here in my window, writing my daily poem for the News-Review, which brings back to me these letters from the most famous people in the world, the people who are now making history!"

This collection of autographed letters will mean much to the collector or the museum of a hundred years from now.

Charles and Wesley Little Celebrate Birthday on Fourth of July

A four o'clock dinner to celebrate the birthday of their two sons, Charles and Wesley, was given on the Fourth of July by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Little at their home on South Stephens street, inviting Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams of Melrose to be present at the affair. Sweet peas and ramblers roses were used throughout the rooms to give a touch of color.

BROWNING SHOWS DUE IN ROSEBURG

The Browning Amusement company has applied to the city for a license to operate their shows in Roseburg next week. The rides and other concessions will be set up in the grove on Fullerton street, according to the application filed with the city clerk.

CHEVROLET TEAM HANDS GLIDE ANOTHER DEFEAT