

Society

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller, Dr. W. T. Phay, Judge Crawford and Harry Priest.

Mrs. G. R. Kerr was hostess to a bridge party given Thursday evening at her home to a few of her friends. There were two tables of bridge in play, Mrs. C. L. Mackay receiving first prize and Mrs. Murchison second. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed after which refreshments were served.

The following ladies were present: Mrs. C. O. Murchison, Mrs. Jacobson, Mrs. Beddingfield, Mrs. C. L. Mackay, Mrs. Clyde Hanting, Jr., Mrs. Nellie Spencer, Mrs. Krentz, and Mrs. Kerr.

The Union Pacific Shop Craft Association held a get-together party at the K. of P. hall Thursday evening. A boxing match was one feature of the program, with dancing and cards following. A delicious lunch was served. All voted the party a huge success, and are looking forward to the next one.

The members of the Eastern Star Social club were most delightfully entertained Tuesday evening when

Mrs. P. A. McDonald was hostess. Mrs. McDonald had planned to have the party at her country home, but owing to the inconvenience of transportation, it was held in the Masonic hall. Four tables of cards were at play, Mrs. Ray Murphy winning the high score. Mrs. Turner Oliver of Spokane was the special guest of the afternoon. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Miss Mildred Webb entertained fourteen guests at a birthday party November 8 at her home at 1211 N. avenue.

Those present were: Payo Golden, Bob Gehlert, Inez Ebert, Valette Haver, Marjorie Kirby, Lucille M. Jerning, Edna Greshy, Helen Mohr, Dorothy Frank, Edna Ledbetter, Lois Turner, Fern Wells, Helen Williams, and the hostess.

Many beautiful presents were received by the hostess. A delicious two-course luncheon was served and all spent a very pleasant evening.

The Wednesday Evening Bridge club were entertained Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Larson acting as hosts and hostesses.

There were five tables in play with Mrs. E. T. Andrews winning the lady's prize and Mr. Beronius the gentleman's prize.

After a pleasant evening, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will give a big bazaar at the La Grande Electric company, West-Jackson building, 1206 Adams avenue, November 17 and 18. Will open 1:30 November 17.

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On this Armistice Day, November 11, the war has been over for four years. It is almost startling, that so much time has elapsed since the German surrender, 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month.

Time, which heals all wounds and obliterates all human activities, is rushing the great conflict into the mists of memory. The world still ferments with troubles, but the outlook as a whole is far better than it was a year ago. There are fewer uncertainties in the situation, and it is becoming obvious that the world is definitely on the way back to the normal conditions of peace. The road, however, will be a long one.

Crises, which threaten to become calamities, still rear their ugly heads periodically. But people are noticing that these crises never turn out as badly as expected; the clouds are more terrifying than the storms that follow.

America is leading all other countries in reconstruction and a return to sane thinking—common sense. We have taken and without the shock of industrial depression, natural reaction of the war. Our outlook is bright, where a year ago it was uncertain.

Europe will be slower to recover, for its damage was greater. But conditions over there, while bad, are far better than even the most optimistic hoped for when the last shot was fired in France.

STATES HAVE REMEMBERED THEIR HEROES

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tion is pending and measures being considered.

Pennsylvania—A bonus of \$10 per service month, with a \$200 maximum. This measure passed the state legislature once. Now it must be passed again before it can be submitted to a referendum vote in November, 1924.

California—A vocational education aid up to \$1000, or aid in form of home acquisition, November, 1922.

Illinois—A bonus of \$15 per service month, with a \$300 limit, November, 1922.

Iowa—A bonus of 25 cents per day in service, with a \$350 limit, November, 1922.

Kansas—A bonus of \$1 for every

day spent in the service, November, 1922.

Montana—A bonus of \$10 per every month in the service, with a \$200 maximum, November, 1922.

What Allies Have Done.

Great Britain (England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland) has granted a total of \$275,000,000 to her former soldiers, an average of \$101.50 each. This is in addition to local bonuses.

Canada has paid \$147,600,000 to her soldiers or an average of \$500 each.

Australia and New Zealand gave their service men an average of \$409.50 each.

Belgium averaged about \$300 per man.

France \$35.

WORLD AS IT FINDS ITSELF AFTER THE WAR

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seas possessions, like Canada and Australia, has been loosened. It is a fact that they have a disposition to insist henceforward upon a much fuller voice in imperial affairs than ever before.

France.

In France as elsewhere, the war leader, Georges Clemenceau, is in retirement, and Raymond Poincaré, in the premier's chair, is directing the country's rehabilitation.

The dominant thought of the French administration, ever since the invaders were driven from French soil, has been "collection of the sum exacted, as reparations, from Germany."

France, the most severely stricken by actual war of any of the great powers involved in the conflict, lacked either the enormous resources of the United States or the huge commerce of the British to facilitate her return toward prosperity. Considering the extent of her losses, however, she has made remarkably progress.

Germany.

For political change, though all have experienced it, no country in western Europe has anything to offer in comparison with what Germany has undergone.

Ruled at the time the war broke out by an imperial dynasty which seemed as firmly established as any in the world, the country is a republic today, and with small prospects despite some reactionary notions of a return to anything like the old system in any nothing of the fallen royal house.

Financially the situation leaves a great deal to be desired. President Ebert and Chancellor Wirth talk plainly of national bankruptcy unless the Allied reparations terms are materially modified.

In the matter of re-establishing her industries the republic has surprised the world, although her production clearly falls short, perhaps by half or more, of the volume it was believed she was about to attain.

Italy.

Italy has had turbulent political

conditions to deal with ever since the war ended.

The people were dissatisfied with the territorial award made to their country by the peace conference. There was, for a time, much communitistic sentiment throughout the kingdom. This the patriotic organization known as the Fascist was formed to combat.

Premier Orlando, who was in office when the war ended, was driven out by popular outcry against the terms he was forced to accept at Versailles. Premier Facta, less than a month ago, had to resign in the face of an uprising of not much less than revolutionary proportions engineered by the Fascist; and the leader of this formidable group, Benito Mussolini, was installed in his place, virtually with dictatorial powers.

Russia.

In Russia the overturning has been complete of all.

The czar and his family are gone. Not only the old government, but the old social order is gone. Civilization, as the western world understands it, seems to have disappeared. Even so radical a regime as that established by Kerensky, when the monarchy was overthrown, was ousted by the super-radicals who rule today.

To all intents and purposes Russia has ceased, for the time being, to exist as part of the world.

Others.

Of the lesser countries which the war touched it is too soon to say much.

Belgium, deeply as she was stricken, is showing wonderful powers of recovery.

Turkey, driven out of Europe, seems certain to come back perhaps pretty strongly considering that the sultan is religious head of the Mohammedan world.

Poland and a brood of new little states in central Europe and the Balkans have their respective salvation to work out.

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