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Society

Chapter I, P. E. O., met at the home of Mrs. Edna Brown, Friday, at the usual hour. This being the annual meeting, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

- President, Mrs. Edna Palmer.
- Vice-President, Mrs. Lucy Stanchfield.
- Recording-Secretary, Mrs. Alice Miller.
- Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Dora B. Schilke.
- Treasurer, Mrs. Ida M. Richardson.
- Chaplain, Mrs. Lillian Hohnenkamp.
- Guard, Miss Wytel Wade.
- Delegates to State Convention, First Delegate, Mrs. Edna Palmer, Second Delegate, Mrs. Lillian Richardson, Third Delegate, Mrs. Cornelia Mossman, Fourth Delegate, Mrs. Margaret Hunter.

The officers were installed by the retiring president, Mrs. Mossman, in a very impressive manner.

Mrs. Palmer, assuming her station, thanked the members for the honor they had conferred upon her and her associate officers, and paid high tribute to Mrs. Mossman and her efficient corps of officers, who, by their untiring efforts, have made the work of the past year, both instructive and enjoyable.

Mrs. Mossman, in a few well chosen words, thanked Mrs. Palmer, the members, and particularly her own officers for the support and co-operation she had received for the year.

Hope Chapter No. 13 observed their social night in a very pleasant manner, with the officers acting as hosts and hostesses.

After the regular business meeting they were entertained with a program provided by the social committee. The first number was a minute danced very stately and gracefully by two young misses, Misses Jaido Clark and Alma Bay. Mrs. Ritter gave an interesting talk on the subject of the Lincoln Memorial which was recently dedicated in Washington, D. C. Her talk was illustrated with beautiful slides showing the building and the seated figure of Lincoln which was the work of the famous sculptor, Daniel Chester French. This number proved an interesting and educational feature of the program. Mrs. Bacon read the story of the Star Spangled Banner as written by Waterman, while Miss Frederic Schilke in her charming manner and beautiful voice sang the song dedicated to the late Francis Scott Key, who was the author of the national anthem.

After the program refreshments were served in the parlors. Mrs. W. S. Parker and Mrs. Robert E. Eakin presided at the coffee urns, ably assisted by the other officers.

The Knights of King Arthur, a club comprised of the boys in the Sunday school classes of Ken Kaylor and J. H. Hearty of the Presbyterian church, were served with an elaborate banquet last evening at the church, the mothers of the boys preparing and serving in a most delightful manner. Covers were laid for 24.

The banquet was held in honor of Ken Kaylor, who has been very active in the church for the past two years, and who is now departing for his new home in Roseburg. Brief remarks were made by Ken Kaylor, J. H. Hearty and Rev. Hoos, which were interesting and instructive. The special guests for the evening were the Rev. and Mrs. William Crosby Ross, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hearty.

The Pythian Sister club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. W. Riley. After the business meeting the ladies spent the afternoon in playing "500," high score going to Mrs. Blanch Shannon, and consolation to Mrs. George Keltz. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Riley and Mrs. W. E. McClure.

Those enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. Jack Oliver, Mrs. Mildred Crowley, Mrs. Dora French, Mrs. George Keltz, Mrs. Dora Rise, Mrs. May Riley, Mrs. Willard Moss, Mrs. Irene McCarthy, Mrs. Bertha Carlyle, Mrs. Ruby Howell, Mrs. Lida O'Neal, Mrs. Frank Cleavinger, Mrs. Edna Rohan, Mrs. L. W. Weoka, Mrs. Walter Jones, Mrs. McShain, Mrs. Carl Gastner, Mrs. Blanch Shannon.

A Pinocchio party was given at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hunter last Saturday evening. The little folks listened to stories told around the fireplace by the Misses Mildred and Myrtle Hoyt, while the older people played cards. Mrs. August Erickson received the ladies' prize and Louie Standley the gentleman's prize.

Those present to enjoy the evening were Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Durand and son Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hoyt and daughters Mildred and Myrtle, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gulikman, Mr. and Mrs. August Erickson and children Anita and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Standley and children Mildred and Dale, and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hunter.

The three-act comedy "Daddy," was given by the State M. I. A. at Island City last Wednesday evening and was attended by a very large number of people. In fact every seat in the theatre was sold and standing room was scarce. The committee in charge cannot say too much in praising the people of the little neighboring city for its loyal support. Everyone expressed themselves as having an evening of real entertainment.

The play itself was presented in a very splendid manner and Elmo Clegg as "Daddy" kept the audience in a continuous state of laughter. A splendid four piece orchestra furnished the music between acts. Ruth Bramwell played the piano, Dorothy Caldwell, violin, Jack Hiatt, saxophone and Ray Bennett, drums.

After the show the evening was spent in dancing until 11 o'clock.

Women of Mooseheart Legion met at the home of Mrs. Jessie Fisher Thursday afternoon for a social meeting.

The time was spent at quilting and fancy work. At the close of the afternoon refreshments were served by the hostess who was assisted by Mrs. D. Charbonneau.

The guest for the afternoon was Mrs. Elsie Cole of Joseph. Members present were Mrs. Don Shanks, Mrs. Agnes Crandall, Mrs. Marjorie Collins, Mrs. Frank Shanks, Mrs. Cora Kline, Mrs. Laura Crandall, Mrs. E. S. Norris, Mrs. A. N. Mayville, Mrs. D. Brannon, Mrs. Walter Bennett, Mrs. J. G. Stuart, Mrs. M. C. Provost, Mrs. Roy Smith, Mrs. Charles Ruysan, Mrs. Dessie Stoop, Mrs. Fred Smith and Mrs. C. S. Shultz.

Mrs. C. E. Wale entertained the Friday Afternoon "500" club Thursday afternoon at her home, 1715 Washington avenue. The afternoon was spent at cards, Mrs. Bert Hughes and Mrs. E. Jacobson winning the prize.

Refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon.

A pupil's recital was given Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harriet McDonald, 502 Fourth street. Those taking part in the program were Billy Miller, Oreta Baum, Levon Niederer, Cameron Miller, Gladys Roberts, Virginia Warnick, Elizabeth

YEARLY REPORT MADE

(By Associated Press) YAKIMA, Wash., Mar. 2.—The Yakima Horticultural Union's cash receipts for the fiscal year ending January 31 amounted to nearly \$2,000, less the season's low prices, according to a statistical report issued by J. P. Evans, chief accountant, presented to the annual meeting of the stockholders here. Eighteen hundred sixty-four cars of fruit were handled during the year, including 1,195 of apples, 214 of pears, 105 of peaches, 22 of cherries and 20 of plums and prunes.

TAKE BIRDS FOR WALK

(By Associated Press) PEKING, Feb. 2.—(By Mail).—Fondness displayed by Chinese of all classes for birds as pets and playthings is a trait that always impresses a foreigner in China. Taking the bird out for a walk is a part of the regime of many households. It is no uncommon thing to see a well-dressed, prosperous looking Chinese strolling about gently swinging a bird cage containing a song bird resembling in appearance the lark. It is the "hwami." He must have his daily exercise or he will not sing, is the Chinese theory. In some families exercising the bird is a regular part of the house-woman's duties.

BEEES TO STRIP POLLEN

(By Associated Press) PENNSYLVANIA, Pa., Mar. 2.—Aparth of Franklin county who have kept their bees in the west end of the county where there is some fruit making, this year will vent their bees in certain lots in the fruit groves of the Altoona region, west of the Mingo Valley valley to aid in pollination of the fruit.

They don't believe that with the aid of the bees a great crop of cherries can be harvested this season, and on the fruit in this section is prices are exceptionally good.

Apple men also are planning to vent bees during the blooming season, as this practice has always where tried yielded big results.

THREE WIVES SEEK DIVORCE

(By Associated Press) CHICAGO, Mar. 2.—Suits for divorce have been filed by Pauline Wagner against Arthur Wagner on grounds of cruelty, by Mary C. Beach against Charles S. Beach for desertion and by Elva Cagle, Kelso, against Otto Cagle for cruelty and desertion. The Wagners were married at Kalamazoo in 1921 and have a child 1 1/2 years old, and the Cagles were married at Portland August 27, 1918, and have two children.

ESSAY CONTEST PLANS READY

The state board of general examiners for Oregon is soon to conduct the second annual essay contest on the relation between "good health and good teeth." The contest has the approval of the state school superintendent and also Mrs. A. T. Warlow, county school superintendent, who in various parts of the county children make a good showing. Following are the rules and regulations of the contest and also the prizes.

Rules and regulations governing contest (framed) by the state board of health and under the state department of education.

1. Subjects—For fifth and sixth grades, "How good teeth may aid good health."

2. Length—For fifth and sixth grades not to exceed 400 words.

3. Time limitation—All essays shall be in the hands of the county superintendent not later than April 1. The county superintendent shall transmit to the state superintendent the winning essays in each contest unit not later than April 29.

4. Contestants shall use legal cap paper, writing on only one side with pen and ink.

5. The teacher shall give a series of lessons on the care of the teeth with the purpose of giving pupils material with which to work.

6. In each county each district of the first class shall be a contest unit. All the county living outside districts of the first class shall be a contest unit.

7. Each pupil shall place the number of his school district, his grade and an essay number, given him by his teacher, at the top of each sheet on which he writes. Pupil's name should not appear on the manuscript.

8. Each pupil after completing his essay shall submit a form containing the following: The name of the county in which he lives, his grade, the number of his school district, his essay number, the statement of his teacher as to whether or not he has received no help from any one in the composition part of this essay, followed by his name.

9. Prizes—A prize of ten dollars in each county for the best essay for fifth and sixth grade in districts of the county living outside districts of the first class.

A prize of ten dollars in each county for the best essay for seventh and eighth grades in districts of the county living outside of districts of the first class.

A prize of twenty-five dollars for the best seventh and eighth grade essay in the state for all districts living outside of districts of the first class.

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CITY WOODYARD BOON TO MANY

(By Associated Press) OAKLAND, Calif., Mar. 2.—The city woodyard for eight years that has been a salvation for the poor and needy of this city. The city council has just appropriated an additional \$2,000 for its maintenance for the balance of the current year. The Municipal woodyard is a public welfare institution and its board of directors is made up of local citizens. The unemployed, the sick and the friendless are welcomed.

A penniless stranger may remain three days and receive three meals a day, lodging, laundry and bath. Employment is found, if possible, and where a man can secure his own work and wages \$100 cents for the woodyard management, but for one-half of it for his daily keep. The more able bodied men and women wood and are paid accordingly. In the last seven months the woodyard furnished lodgings to 11,000 of which approximately 10,000 were worked for and the others paid for in cash. Several charitable institutions have offered to take over the Municipal woodyard, but Mayor John L. Davis and the city council have decided to keep it as a city institution for the poor and needy.

WORDS TO THE WISE ON BOOZE

(By Associated Press) EUGENE, Ore., Mar. 2.—When a man goes into the moonshine country, turning business it is wise for him to continue his indulgence at the law entirely so that employers, according to G. O. Whitley, a recent legislator, he advised from Texas, who in his opinion is a trap for the unwary. Whitley is also of the opinion that it would be wise for employers to erase their names from books in which moonshiners obtain an address. Whitley recently spent a few months up that creek, east of Eugene, Ore., in the mountains, in a trapping expedition, according to police officers, upon the day he arrived there, a number of articles were seized from the moonshiner's premises. Upon discovery of the capture, one of the neighbors' boys made a report of Whitley's plans. Although Whitley he discovered in a trap, the moonshiner's search revealed the boy in which the outfit had stayed. Whitley's name was on the list.

Whitley had not been expected to moonshine, and the officers are that he probably would not have been expected had he continued his lawlessness in that line.

COLD HURTS EYE AND EAR

(By Associated Press) BOISE, Ida., Mar. 2.—Young boys and girls on the Payette, Idaho, game preserve have not been very well during the recent cold weather and many have fallen prey to measles and other predatory ailments, according to reports to State Game Warden Otto M. Jones. The other children, however, are in good shape.

Two deputies recently made a journey to the Payette preserve, for a survey of conditions. They took with them four old horses which were killed and their heads preserved in the hope that predatory animals would feed upon them and die. Grazing conditions in the preserve are reported fair.

SURETY COMPANY LIABLE

(By Associated Press) KEELE, Wash., Mar. 2.—Federal Judge Edwin C. Cushman handed down a decision yesterday granting the Kelso State bank a judgment for \$25,000 against the Phoenix Deposit Company of Maryland, which had a surety bond of that amount upon Fred E. Stewart, cashier of the Kelso State bank, who disappeared March 17, 1922, following the failure of the bank.

A similar decision involving \$20,000, won by the Kelso State bank in federal court in Portland, is now under review by the circuit court of appeals at San Francisco.

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THE HOME GARDEN

What is Home without a Garden? THE LATEST ON LAWN MAKING Experiments by the department of agriculture in grass growing have established the following facts of importance to all who sow grass seed in the spring:

1.—Seeding plants tend to go to seed at the same season as old plants, the season being determined by either the temperature, or the length of daylight, or both. Seeding of late sown seeds thus have little chance to develop strength before they are called upon to reproduce, and this exhausts them.

2.—Seed must be covered if it is to germinate and where it is thrown upon an established lawn, a top dressing is required to insure coverage. This should be sand or loam well enriched.

From the first finding it follows that seed must be sown early. To delay seeding is to deny the seedlings a fair chance to "stool," or spread out and become established. Especially is this the case where the season of seed bearing is accompanied by drought and heat, putting a strain upon the young grass when it is least able to stand it. Where the soil is already prepared, grass may be sown on the snow and will "melt in," as the farmers say, must be sown at the earliest possible date, and a top dressing always provided where it is intended to improve an established lawn.

An important point in making a new lawn is to loosen up heavy soil. Put almost anything on it to break up its compactness—sand, ashes, cinders even—and put a plenty. Four inches is the least amount needed on the top four inches of the soil. It is unnecessary to stir the soil deeper than this.

Avoid bargains in grass seed. Good seed is a commodity dealt in on boards of trade and never obtainable at a bargain.

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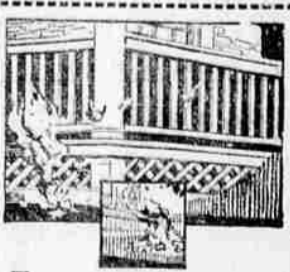
This is the latest photograph of Marie Neuten, New York society girl, who will marry Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney in Paris, March 5.

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