



Easter

Now comes the natural New Year—according to Nature's own calendar, daily proving more and more that last year's leaves are not expected to be dangling from this year's trees. Fashion places before your eyes the perfected styles which once and for all clear away every bit of mystery as to what women will wear for Easter and for Spring. Whether the Fashion World is to go color-wild or no, now becomes known. And what Egypt, China, or Persia or France had to do with the creating of this new world of style is made plain as day.



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what it will be in the future. "We know," he remarks gravely, "that the British fleet, no matter how preponderant on the sea, cannot save our homes from the power that strikes swiftly from the sky. We ought to ask ourselves whether we can be defended against this new power, as formerly we kept our shores inviolable. Could the people endure the strain of bombardment from the air, and the constant fear of it? Here may lie our most vulnerable point; and at it an enemy would strike first, hoping at small cost to himself to weaken our resolve and paralyze our mind and arm.

"There is no imminent danger of war, but no man can be sure of peace even five years ahead. Before 1914 we were content with our small army, knowing that, at the worst, we should have time to create new armies. That assurance has gone forever. We shall not have time, for within a few hours of the rupture of peace our homes, workshops, transport and munition factories would be attacked.

"True, at the moment, there is only one power that could strike it us through the air, and that power is France, happily our ally. But who can say what changes in the distribution of air power and in friendship may not occur within the next few years?"

A million pounds sterling in subsidies for commercial air service will be paid to an air transport company parliament accepts the recommendations of the air ministry.

The government has already given large subsidies to various companies operating air passenger lines to the continent under plans that have proved unsuccessful, as they allowed competition among the companies at the expense of the government.

The new plan provides that the government will undertake to furnish a million pounds, to be allotted over a space of ten years to any firm with a capital of a million pounds and which is capable of developing commercial aviation.

The government will allow the company complete control of its own development, requiring only that all profits over ten per cent be equally divided between the government and the shareholders. When the million pounds has been repaid, the government will drop all connection with the company.

Several companies are understood to be preparing to bid for the subsidy monopoly if the plan is passed by parliament.

Air lines, able to carry from eight to a limited passenger across the Atlantic in less than 24 hours, it is claimed, become practicable with the use of two 1600-horsepower propeller engines being built for the ministry. These engines will be the most powerful in the world, and will burn crude oil instead of petrol.

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For Women

Corvallis, Ore., Mar. 31.—Miss Estelle V. Graybill of La Grande, and Mr. Frank W. Rosebraugh of Salem, were married in the auditorium of the First Presbyterian church of Portland at 8:15 on the morning of March 18.

The service was read by the Rev. H. C. Bowman and the wedding march from Lohgrin was played by Mr. Coupsen, church organist. The altar was simply decorated with tall baskets of lilies and spring

flowers. About 60 guests were present. Mrs. Rosebraugh wore a gown of cocoa colored flat crepe trimmed with French flowers and wore a large hat. Her corsage was made of sweet peas and roses. There were no attendants. Mr. Arthur Rosebraugh of Eugene and Mr. Charles Carroll of Portland, fraternity brothers of the groom were the ushers.

Mrs. Rosebraugh is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Herron of this city. She is a former O. A. C. student and a member of Sigma Chi. While in college he was active in varsity debate, being a member of Delta Sigma Rho, national honorary debating fraternity, and was also a 440 track man.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosebraugh will make their home in Salem where Mr. Rosebraugh is in business.

Mrs. C. J. Black, Mrs. S. F. Andrews, Mrs. George Lyman and Mrs. Lester Bramwell, the stake Mutual Board, entertained in honor of the Blake M. I. A. dramatic company at a banquet last evening, held in the Amusement hall.

Toasts were in order for the evening, and about fifty people were served. A program was given following the banquet, and the remainder of the evening was spent in games and community singing. The ladies served in connection with the Young Men's Board also.

The color scheme of gold and green was carried out in all details.

"Presenting a most entertaining program before the Covina Monday Afternoon club yesterday afternoon in Covina, Calif., the dramatic section and the ladies' chorus of the Ramona Woman's club gave a clever two-act comedy, "One on Dick," which was enthusiastically received by those witnessing it. The play was presented under the direction of Mrs. Claire Phillips, dramatic director of the Woman's club, and its cast included some of the best talent of the department."

The above is an extract taken from the Pasadena Evening Post and will be of interest to La Grande people who are acquainted with Mrs. Claire Phillips. She was formerly of La Grande and was known as Mrs. Frank Washburn.

Mrs. Will McDonald was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening by a number of her lady friends, the occasion being her birthday anniversary.

Five tables of "500" were arranged Mrs. Bert Hughes receiving high score and Mrs. M. Pryor consolation.

Refreshments were served at the close of the evening, and Mrs. McDonald was presented with a beautiful pyrex tea-pot by her friends.

Mrs. M. Pryor of Imbler, and Mrs. A. R. Williams of Baker were the out of town guests present.

An attractive collection of handsome Polaire cloth coats. Because of their exquisite distinctiveness, they will prove particularly pleasing. The illustrations only indicate their smartness.

A quiet and pretty wedding took place Saturday evening at 7:30

o'clock at the Baptist church parsonage, the contracting parties being Edward Hartman and Pearl Hyattshaw. The ring ceremony was read by the Rev. A. R. Sisson.

Both the bride and groom are local young people and are well known in this vicinity.

Miss Elma Bay and Marguerite Zweifel celebrated their fifteenth birthday anniversary, March 17th, by entertaining a few of their friends at the Zweifel home. The evening was spent in playing progressive peanut and dancing. Margaret Baker won first prize in the game and Marjorie Warnick the consolation. The house was tastefully decorated in cut flowers and St. Patrick decorations. A dainty luncheon was served after which the guests departed wishing the girls many more happy birthdays.

Everybody is anticipating a fine time at the Shrine's dance which is to be given at the Rex hall, Monday evening, April 2, under the auspices of the Shrine club.

Decorations will blend with the spirit of the affair, and spring will be ushered in with all its glory. Dancing will begin promptly at nine o'clock.

The Young Ladies Auxiliary of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. C. E. Short on Tuesday evening, April 3rd, at eight o'clock. The committee is composed of Mrs. C. E. Short, Miss Esther Rohrer, chairman, Mrs. Olive Bay, Mrs. Rudolph Wells, Mrs. Chester Thompson.

The subject for the meeting will be "City Beautiful," and promises to be one of interest and profit. It is hoped that all members will be present.

Moose Lodge No. 580 installed officers for the ensuing year last Thursday evening in the Odd Fellows hall. The following assumed the responsibility of their offices: Dictator, A. N. Mayville; vice dictator, J. K. Fitzgerald; Prelate, J. H. Stephens; Trustee, David Ellsworth; Treasurer, R. Roy Smith;

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FORESTS ARE RE-PLANTED

COEUR D'ALENE, Ida., Mar. 31.—A total of 34,377 acres of burnt-over and cut-over land has been planted by the forest service in north Idaho and Montana to date, according to a statement issued recently by C. K. McHarg, supervisor of the Coeur d'Alene and St. Joe national forests.

in established plantations with a total of 9,256 acres.

"In the northern district of the forest service, north Idaho and Montana, 1000 to 4000 acres are planted each year. Three million trees are raised annually to supply stock for this average.

"All planting in the district is at present being confined to the white pine belt because conditions in this region are most favorable to tree growth. The species used, white pine, is of greatest commercial value and because the largest burned over areas in need of reforestation are in this belt. The average in need of reforestation in the white pine type is not known, but 75,000 acres would be a conservative estimate and that would include only double burns. It is the present policy to plant double burns, because in most cases natural reproduction comes in on single burns in the white pine type.

"As to cost, \$10 an acre is about the average. This includes everything from the cost of the seed, surveying the stock in the nursery, digging the area and planting."

Rock of Marne Disbanded
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Mar. 31.—The thirty-eighth United States Infantry, which served with unusual distinction overseas during the World war, is now stationed at Fort Douglas here. Only twenty-nine of the 3,300 officers and men who were in France with the regiment are still in its ranks.

Brigadier General U. G. McAlester, who as a colonel commanded the Thirty-eighth in the Marne district, is in charge of Fort Douglas. In the fighting on the Marne the Thirty-eighth won the name "The Rock of the Marne Regiment," because of its feat in routing two divisions of German shock troops.

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