



MEMORIAL DAY

In memory of those who have given their lives, and to those who have offered their lives for this nation, our store will be closed all day Wednesday.

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Society

Before a congregation that fairly well filled St. Peter's Episcopal church Sunday morning, Bishop W. P. Remington, of the Diocese of Eastern Oregon, presented Mr. J. D. Slater with a beautiful gold fountain pen and gold pencil—the gift of the Parish, in honor of Mr. Slater's faithful service as Senior Warden of the Vestry.

The occasion was as much a surprise to many of the congregation as it was to Mr. Slater himself. Being singled out from where he sat with the choir, he was brought face to face with the Bishop, standing erect before the audience.

There he stood, somewhat embarrassed and bewildered with a perplexed facial expression—for Mr. Slater is a very modest man; his wife sitting near the front with bowed head, neither knowing what was going to happen.

As the Bishop eulogized briefly the achievements and zeal which characterized Mr. Slater's career in the church for so many years; made manifest by his unstinted spirit of love and devotion, and evoking as it does, the greatest esteem from the membership, the Bishop unfolded the wrapper from the package, referred to as "worth a million dollars" not especially in value, but in sentiment; opened the case containing the "Surprise Gift" and read from its enclosed card, what may be regarded as feebly expressing the sentiment of such a tribute and respect of friendship.

"The finest inventory that a man can take at the end of a year, is the good things he has done, which nobody could require him to do."

"Presented in token of the sincere friendship and appreciation of your faithful services as Senior Warden of St. Peter's Episcopal Vestry."

Overcome with emotion and with moistened eyes, Mr. Slater responded to the Bishop's address thanking him and the members for the gift which "I am utterly unworthy of" and praying for continued activity in the many more years of service to follow.

The following item was sent in by Rev. G. H. Quigley, former pastor of the First Methodist church of La Grande, but who now is located at Boise, Idaho.

"Married Sunday afternoon at the parsonage of Immanuel Methodist church of Boise, Idaho, by the Rev. G. H. Quigley, Mr. Earl Gilbert, of Emmett, Idaho, to Miss Belle Ferguson of Nampa, Idaho. They will make their home in Emmett, Idaho."

A large number of people witnessed the beautiful commencement exercises of the Sacred Heart Academy held Sunday evening in the church of Our Lady of the Valley.

The choir and orchestra numbers were especially pleasing. The members of the choir were composed of Eva Provost, Gladys Waldroff, Leona Waldroff, Isabel Becker, Lillian Beattie, Mary Wilvers, Joseph Munnell, Walter Duff, Leo McCorkle, Rebecca Provost, Della Lane. Those of the orchestra were Edward Fitzgerald, George Barbeau, Melvin Parker, Elmer Harnden, Lawrence Bay, Henry Nurte, Marvel Rhine, Jenny Nelson, Alice Rhine, Donna Scott, Kenneth Oxner and Effie Blanchard.

The following program was rendered: Orchestra selection—(S. Clark). Inflammatus et Ascensus (Rossini) by choir. Pilgrim's Song of Hope—(Battiste) by orchestra.

Presentation of Academic diplomas by Bishop McGrath, assisted by the local pastor Father Novey to Mildred Doris Lovett, Grace Margaret Chapman, Lois Evelyn Royes; presentation of diploma for the satisfactory completion of the post graduate division of the University course of music study to Mildred Doris Lovett, and for the Senior graduate division of the University course of music study to Grace Margaret Chapman; presentation of eighth grade diplomas and Palmer penmanship diplomas to Francis John Kenna, Albert John Waldroff, Roy Alaystus Charbonneau, Frances Amelia Murphy, Florence Elaine Nelson, Lucile Grace Kotz and Arleta Lucille Colt.

The Commencement address was given by the Rt. Rev. J. F. McGrath, D. D., in which he stressed the necessity of Christian education. Ave Maria (Lambillotte) by choir. Benediction. Prayer (Von Weber). Orchestra.

Fashion Notes

Combine White With Gold, Silver
New York.—There is a flair today for gowns that combine white with silver or gold. With a gown of lace or tulle mounted on silver or gold lace, the correct shoes are of gold or silver tissue.

Tam is Regular Hat.
Paris.—Time was when the tam of shanter was seen only in cool weather or for sports. This season, however, it comes gaily forth as a "regular hat," translated for the afternoon and evening into a filmy wisp of georgette embroidered in a dozen different colors.

Checked Gingham Vogue
Paris.—Checked gingham, the same checked kingham which children's frocks and now women's frocks are made, has rather a vogue for garden use today. It is used, decorated with fanciful designs in cross stitch, as table covers for small garden parties.

Cavalier Cloak
London.—The cavalier cloak is being worn over smart dinner costumes at Claridge's and the Savoy and such smart places at present. The cloak is frequently made of some thin material, such as chiffon, and worn over a gown of black or some dark color.

Holding Bridal Veil.
New York.—The bridal veil of today is often held in place by double strands of pearls. When pearls are used, flowers are not employed, the result being that of rich but complete simplicity. A very delicate and narrow edge of embroidery appears on many bridal veils.

Fur Ousts Embroidery
New York.—Fur is such a favorite trimming this spring that it thrusts embroidery a little out of the limelight. Some of the decorative motifs in both afternoon and evening gowns shown today are made up of thin strips of rabbit or marten.

Short Glove, Sleeveless Gown
New York.—The short glove with the sleeveless gown is not fundamentally a graceful combination. It has, however, appeared here recently. The space between the end of the wrist glove and the shoulder is filled in with two or three bracelets.

Lingerie Simplicity
New York.—The new Belgian lingerie shown here today is fascinating in its simplicity. Frequently of batiste, it depends much on hand-drawn patterns. Sometimes there is a touch of embroidery, and often the edges have a colored binding.

The French boast that they are making bases in the Sahara desert, but a lot of tight-tipped gentlemen are doing that over here without boasting.

Prayer (Von Weber). Orchestra.

Observer Want Ads Bring Results.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By Stanley



MARSHAL OTIS WALKER TRAILED THE CULPRIT WHOM HE SUSPECTS TOOK THE RED WHEELBARROW THATS BEEN MISSING FROM HAROLD VAN ORMAN'S STORE FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

COVE SOCIAL NEWS

COVE, May 29.—At the regular meeting of the Women's Club on Thursday, which was also the annual day, there was no election of officers. The present officers will continue to hold their offices until the next regular meeting on August 23, when new officers will be elected.

Rev. P. L. Post has just returned from spending a week in Baker. Mr. and Mrs. Bay O. Baker, who have been teaching in Reith, Oregon, are here visiting Mr. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Baker. After a short visit here they will go to the U. of O. for the summer term of school. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Carter spent the week end in La Grande.

Archdeacon McLean Goldie will hold services at the church of the Ascension on Tuesday evening, May 29. Mrs. Ross Kelly was a La Grande visitor on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rees were in Cove on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Mrs. A. A. Antlex, Mrs. T. C. Hefly, and Mrs. T. K. Conklin were shopping in Union on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCall, with a party of friends, spent Sunday in Cove. Miss Georgianna Jensen came over from Union on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. E. B. Conklin and daughter Mildred of Ontario, Oregon are in Cove, the guests of Mrs. Conklin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Bekersaley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corpe and family are visiting Mr. Corpe's sister Mrs. Ed Conley in Southern Oregon. Bills have been posted for school wood. 48 cords with the privilege of making it 50 are wanted.

Mrs. Thos. Towle entertained the Ladies' Aid on Wednesday afternoon. As this is the proper time for apple and cherry spray, the orchardists are busy spraying, and the air is replete of the fumes of lime and sulphur.

Mrs. Jessie Porter of Cuprum, Idaho, has been in Cove, the past week visiting at the home to her parents.

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