

NEWS of SOCIETY

Social news must be in the hands of the society editor by 3:30 o'clock. Due to the fact that the social page is made up before noon, it is practically impossible to insert stories after that hour. Hereafter, items, no matter how important they are, that are delayed beyond that hour, will not be printed until the following day—News Editor's Note.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First Methodist Episcopal church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. J. McKinnon, at which time the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. L. S. Hanford, president; Mrs. Fred Smith, vice president; Mrs. S. C. Smith, treasurer and Mrs. E. O. Payton, secretary.

The winning side in the recent contest was entertained by the losing side. A week June wedding was solemnized, which added much to the merriment of the afternoon.

The social hour was brought to a close by serving sherbet and cake.

Little Miss Wilma Mays entertained a number of her friends at the Riverside Park yesterday afternoon, the occasion being her tenth birthday anniversary.

Those present were: Mildred Schmitt, Peggy Holtonkamp, Betty Ruth Holtonkamp, Margaret Weeks, Twila House, Patsy Jesse, Lucile Price, Sally Siegrist, Julia Schmitt, Evelyn Mays and the hostess.

Mrs. J. T. Williamson arrived the last of the week from Portland where she spent the winter. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. G. A. McNeill and small daughter, of Rochester, N. Y. Mrs. McNeill will be here for several weeks visiting.

Medical Springs, Ore. (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Kennedy announce the engagement of their daughter Mildred, to Leonard Huffman, of Union. The wedding is planned for the first week in July.

Mrs. E. H. Hollister, accompanied by her son Cecil Hollister and Miss Grace Metcalf, of Corvallis, Oregon, have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Hollister's sons, Bert Hollister and Tracy Hollister. This is their first trip to Eastern Oregon and they were delighted with the Grande Ronde valley. The party left this morning for their home by automobile.

WOMEN RAPIDLY INCREASING IN "WALL STREET"

NEW YORK (AP)—Wall Street is becoming more and more dependent upon women; the average space for each office worker in the financial district of Manhattan has been cut down over six per cent in the last decade; bankers maintain more magnificent quarters and give their employees less elbow room than all other tenants of the most pretentious skyscrapers.

These are the outstanding conclusions of experts of the Building Owners' and Managers' association, after a survey of a group of the world's largest office buildings undertaken to obtain data for the use of architects in designing skyscrapers of the future.

Ten years ago, when the last accurate door-to-door census of first-class office buildings in the Wall Street district was taken, it was found that there were four men employees for every woman, and that the average floor space for each worker was 125 square feet.

A similar census in a typical office building recently revealed that in a total population for the structure of 16,565, the proportion of men to women was only two to one, and that the average working space had been reduced to 107 square feet.

Hints for the Housewife

A STRING BEAN SWEET PICKLE

In the making of sweet pickles, the enameled ware preserving kettle is indispensable. Its porcelain surface makes it safe to use with the strongest vinegar, and no matter how long the pickles may be in the cooking their natural color will not be altered.

Try this year a little known sweet pickle made of very tiny string beans. Pick the beans when not over an inch or inch and a half in length. Trim off each end. Place in an enameled ware preserving kettle and cover with sugar in the proportion of one cup of sugar to one of the beans. Then pour on any good vinegar until the beans are covered. Bring quickly to a boil and simmer. Then cook slowly, adding whole cloves, a few allspice and a small quantity of stick cinnamon. These spices may

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YES, KANSAS HAS NO FLAG

WASHINGTON (AP)—With 49 state standards in its possession, presented by organizations and individuals, prospects of receiving soon those of the remaining states, the post office department boasts the most complete collection of official state flags in the country.

The flags of Ohio, Utah, Montana and Kentucky recently were presented and accepted ceremoniously by Postmaster General New.

The only states not now represented in the collection are Arizona, Kansas, Mississippi, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, Washington and Wyoming. Inquiries concerning presentation of a flag have been received from all but Nevada and New Mexico. Hawaii and Porto Rico flags are included in the 49 now preserved by the department, but there is none from the District of Columbia, which has no official flag. Alaska, Guam, Samoa or the Virgin Islands.

Presentation of the flag of Nebraska recently by the Railway Mail Service association of Lincoln and Omaha was accomplished only after the difficulty of ascertaining the design. Appeals to the secretary of state and adjutant general of the state brought responses that the state had no flag and senators and congressmen from the state knew of none. It was finally determined the state's official seal on a field of gold had been recognized as the Nebraska state flag. It is understood that Kansas has no law prescribing a state flag, and as soon as one is adopted a flag for the post office department's collection is promised.

Turtle Returns to Original Master

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP)—"Mortimer" is only a large turtle, the bulky pet of a Spokane schoolboy, but the unusual homing instincts he has recently displayed, are causing much comment here.

For some time the turtle had been tied to a stake in his master's yard. The young owner traded his pet, and the turtle took up residence nearly a quarter of a mile away.

Shortly afterward the amphibian wandered through an open gate and disappeared. Twelve hours later it turned up at the home of its original owner.

Isolation of Lepers Is India's Problem

MANILA (AP)—Isolation of the leper is one of the serious problems of India, according to Dr. A. H. J. Douglas, of Rangoon, Burma, who is in the Philippines to make a detailed study of conditions of leprosy in the islands and methods of treatment employed at Cullion where 5,500 lepers are confined.

"We have long known leprosy exists in India and estimate that there are as many more unregistered," said Dr. Douglas. "There are 16,000 known lepers in Burma alone, with 19,000 more unregistered."

"Isolation of the leper is one of the serious problems of India. This country is in the throes of sexual upheavals at present and too much pressure by the British might bring condemnation from the natives. Complete isolation, as in the Philippines, would be almost impossible in India."

Dr. Douglas says tropical disease experts of India dispute the belief of some medical men that the chaulmoogra oil treatment for leprosy is absolute, and that leprosy will be cleared from the earth within the next 50 years.

Discarded Street Car Market Being Sought

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP)—A market for discarded street cars is being sought here by street car company officials, who for a long time have been wondering what to do with an ever increasing stock of non-serviceable carriers. It is planned to sell the bodies to residents of the Island Empire, to be used for various purposes.

Numerous inquiries have been received at the offices of the company regarding the cost and other details, and plans are being formulated to have a "sale" in the future.

Prospective purchasers plan to use the cars for summer cottages or children's playhouses and one man has signified intention of transforming the trolley into a cafe.

Correct this sentence: "It happened a year ago," said the statesman to the investigators. "And I have forgotten the details."

When warm weather arrives, practically every woman wears a dress that is both dark and cool and may be worn on the street without looking as if the wearer were bound for a garden party. Here is something that just fits the order. It is of blue seersucker crepe with just a suggestion of trimming in the way of white seersucker bands. The pleated apron adds to the tailored effect and gives a certain weight to the sheer material. The easy neckline and short sleeves insure absolute freedom and comfort.

NEW SOUVENIR IS DEMANDED

Indians Must Learn to Fashion New Type of Mementoes, Says Dame Fashion.

CASS LAKE, Minn. (AP)—Dame Fashion who, ever since the Indians relinquished their land has smiled upon the red man, making their characteristic creations popular with the white brethren, now is frowning upon the offerings of the dexterous tribesmen.

Dr. W. R. Heagerty, superintendent of the Ojibway Sales Agency, says that the Indian's contributions to curio collections such as beaded things, blankets, lace handkerchiefs and miniature birch-bark canoes, must be revolutionized to further capitalize the modern white man's passion for novelties.

The superintendent blames fashion alone for the complicated situation which the agency promoted by the Episcopal Diocese of Duluth, now is attempting to solve by teaching its Indian proteges that, to continue in the bloodless fight against the high cost of living they must cater to the whims bestowed by custom upon their white neighbors.

In years past, according to Dr. Heagerty, the Indian, or rather his squaw, found a ready market for the waste paper baskets, work baskets, miniature canoes and other trinkets, which they made with their own hands. But now fashion decrees that it is no longer correct to have these curios in sight around the house, so sales have fallen to virtually nothing.

Ojibway women also make exquisite point lace handkerchiefs formerly brought fancy prices, but custom holds that they are no longer in style so these one-time popular ornaments go a-begging, says the superintendent.

"Another conflicting angle," Dr. Heagerty confesses, "concerns the beadwork on hats, moccasins and chains done by Ojibway women. The cost of glass now is so high and the quality so inferior that bead work cannot be done at a profit."

"And the worst of all the Indian, deprived of his tribal costumes by the advance of civilization, cannot understand all of this. It is especially difficult for them to turn their talents to 'other channels.'"

The problem was revealed to mission workers during the first year's operation of the Ojibway Sales Agency. This agency was established to help the rapidly diminishing tribesmen to bridge the gulf between themselves and the white man civilization by effecting "an economic and moral reformation."

The church would abolish the old trading posts, whereby the Indian received in exchange for his offerings merely food, tobacco and the necessities of life, and would obtain cash for their products. This, it is hoped, would enable them to learn the true value of money so that 16 years later when they, according to law, are no longer government charges, they will be able to get on.

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Like Father, Like Daughter

It was Champ Clark's daughter who brought the "convention hat" to the Democratic national convention. The former Governor Clark—now Mrs. James Thompson of New Orleans—arrived wearing the Democratic emblem on her hat, as shown in the picture, and the fad soon caught on.

IRISH TRY TO REGAIN EXPORT EGG'S MARKET

DUBLIN (AP)—Patrick Hogan, the Free State minister for lands and agriculture, has introduced into the Dail a bill to regulate the export of eggs. Eggs are one of the most important of Irish exports, and the industry has recently shown signs of deterioration. In 1921 Ireland exported \$50,000,000 worth of eggs, poultry and feathers, the value of the export being second only to that of cattle.

For the year ended March 20, 1924, the Free State export of eggs was only about \$17,000,000. Part of the diminution is attributed to a fall in prices and the expansion of opportunity for continental competitors since the war. Before the war the Irish export was more than 50 percent greater than the Danish. Now it is less.

Under Mr. Hogan's bill all eggs for export must be collected in premises registered by the ministry of agriculture, tested and graded under official supervision and packed in standard boxes. It is hoped by abolishing defective packing and grading to double the Irish egg export.

CULION HOSPITAL FOR LEPERS NOW CURES 300 YEARLY

MANILA (AP)—The greatest problem now confronting the Philippine health authorities in the Cullion leper colony is to the field already won so that the disease may be completely put under control, in the opinion of Dr. Victor G. Heiser, far eastern representative of the Rockefeller Foundation, who has just returned from an inspection of the Cullion colony. Dr. Heiser at one time was director of health of the Philippines.

"This work can be done by continuing annual appropriations from the legislature to carry on the task so well started," said Dr. Heiser. "The greatest danger is that some day the taxpayers may get tired of supporting the colony and drop it altogether. All the ground so far covered in the fight against the disease would be lost should the appropriations for support of the lepers be cut off."

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INVITE SPAIN KING, QUEEN

California to Ask Rulers to Cross Atlantic to Attend the International Pilgrimage.

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Plans have been made for an international pilgrimage to one of the cradles of civilization on the Pacific Coast of the United States, the spot near Monterey, Cal., where Father Junipero Serra, the first Spanish padre, landed and established the first mission in California in 1776.

The celebration, to be centered in the restored chapel of Carmel Mission, will begin October 12 and last a week. Those to whom special invitations will be issued will include the king and queen of Spain and the Spanish ambassador at Washington, the president of Mexico and a number of other noted Spaniards and Mexicans.

The ancient Spanish mission overlooks the Pacific ocean. The body of Father Serra is buried beside the altar in the chapel, but during the observance the coffin will be removed in the course of a memorial service, and placed in a beautiful sarcophagus which is being completed by Jo Mora, the sculptor, in his studio at Pebble Beach, Cal. The sarcophagus will be unveiled at an elaborate ceremony on October 19, the Sunday that will mark the conclusion of the pageant.

Thousands are expected to gather for the celebration. In addition to the religious services, there will be music, dances and entertainment typical of the period represented. The fiestas, fandangoes, barbecues and mission plays that characterized the Spanish occupation of California will be reproduced faithfully.

Father Serra is credited not only with founding a spiritual heritage for his people in the new land, and with administering to many of their secular needs, but also with planting the seeds, brought from Spain, for the first farm in western America.

During the observance the flags of Spain, Mexico and the United States will fly together over the historic customs house of Monterey. A prevailing note will be the costumes of the old mission days, a period that survives today in the geographical names and type of architecture of California.

Laura Bride Powers an artist, is announced as the originator of the pilgrimage and pageant. The details were first made public from San Carlos church in Monterey by Father Damian M. Mestres.

British Historians Coming

LONDON (AP)—The senate of the University of London has appointed three representatives to the Anglo-American conference to be held in December at Richmond, Va. They are Professors A. F. Pollard, H. W. Seton-Watson and Hubert Hall.

Auto Kills Deer

GRANTS PASS, Ore. (Special)—Dr. M. E. Cooper of Roseburg ran into a deer with his automobile on the Pacific highway north of Grants Pass and killed the animal.

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LEAGUE READY TO ASSIST IN CIVIC ADVANCE

INDIANAPOLIS (AP)—Interest in community and civic betterment among members of the American Legion is growing rapidly, according to Garland W. Powell, director of the Legion's National Americanism commission, under whose direction this phase of Legion work is being carried out.

Mr. Powell's statement was based on the hundreds of requests which have been pouring into the community and civic betterment bureau, a division of the American Legion commission.

"While we have many reports concerning posts which have already assumed some community responsibility, it is surprising how many Legionnaires are planning campaigns or betterment of conditions about them," Mr. Powell declared. "Requests for director along these lines are received daily and indicate that constructive work for their neighbors is the principal aim of the great group of ex-service men."

"There is no intention on the part of the Legion to supplant any agency engaged in work of this character, but to offer our broad membership as an agency equipped to align all community endeavor."

Advice furnished by the bureau will extend to every phase of community development and civic betterment, Mr. Powell said.

DELEGATES ARE PLEASED

PENDLETON, Ore. (Special)—Satisfaction over the nomination of President Coolidge and General Dawes on the republican ticket was apparent among the delegates who attended the national party convention at Cleveland, according to S. D. Peterson, a delegate. Milton attorney, who was here on his way home. He saw President Coolidge in Washington after the convention and visited in Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee and Kansas.

Mr. McCauley's following is not as strong in the east and south as the west, according to the impression Mr. Peterson got from talking with many democrats.

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