

NEWS of SOCIETY

Approximately two hundred people were in attendance last evening when a reception was given at the Baptist church honoring Reverend and Mrs. George Pollard, recently from Palo Alto, California, and also Reverend Bert Powell, new pastor of the South Methodist Episcopal church. The auditorium of the church was beautifully decorated to represent an after-dinner and added greatly to the atmosphere of the evening.

The following interesting program was given with Dr. W. P. McAdory presiding in an excellent manner:

Addresses of Welcome—The Church, L. E. Chennett, the Ministers Association, Rev. Keith, pastor M. E. Church.

Response—Rev. Pollard. **Vocal Solo**—Mrs. Geddes. **Piano Solo**—Miss Lovett. "How the Church Can Be of Help to the Pastor"—Rev. Latham.

Vocal Solo—Raymond Williams. **Song**—"Blood Be the Tie"—Congregation.

Prayer—Deacon Damon. Following the program an informal reception took place and everyone present was given an opportunity to shake hands with the new pastors and welcome them to La Grande. Every minister of the different denominations of the city and their wives were in attendance and took part in the reception, during which time refreshments were served by the W. W. G's.

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Central school held their first meeting of the year yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the high school auditorium. The meeting was opened by the singing of "America" and prayer by Reverend William Crosby Ross. This was followed by a vocal solo by G. J. Dutton, a dance by little Miss Peggy Bohlenkamp and a talk by Mrs. Stella Ingle on health.

There was a large attendance and several important business items were brought before the meeting at this time.

Mrs. C. E. Wade proved herself a charming hostess yesterday afternoon at her home on Washington avenue, when she entertained the Friday Bridge club. During the afternoon's play Mrs. Sam Harris won high score and Mrs. E. Jacobson winning the second prize. The home was beautifully decorated with asters and dahlias and before one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season was brought to a close a delicious luncheon was served.

Members of the recently organized Friday Bridge club were charmingly entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. J. Landay, with Mrs. Landay and Mrs. Frank Robinson as hostesses. The home was artistically decorated with marigolds and at the close of the over popular game of bridge Mrs. Rex Green was awarded the prize for high score and Mrs. L. A. Young was given the consolation prize.

During the afternoon a delicious luncheon was served by the hostesses.

An enthusiastic gathering took place at the Greenwood school yesterday afternoon, when the Parent-Teachers Association held their first meeting of the year. Everyone enjoyed the excellent program during which time Superintendent A. C. Hampton gave a short talk pertaining to the school budget; Miss Mildred Lovett played a beautiful piano solo, and Reverend Latham gave a very interesting talk entitled "The Public Schools as the Hope of America."

The following officers were installed for the coming year: President, Mrs. P. A. Charlton; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Sumner; assistant secretary, Mrs. Bonnell; program committee, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Williamson and Miss McNeel; the social committee, Miss Spook, Mrs. McPherson and Miss

Simplest Of Lines



WITH an elaborate velvet brocade material such as is employed for this gown, you need only the simplest and least complicated lines. The simple square neckline is outlined by a satin band and of which is allowed to hang free and is unadorned. The cuffs of the original sleeves are also of satin. A deep fringe finishes the hem.

Crouters: the welfare committee, Mrs. Stetson, Mrs. Phillips and Mr. Wilkinson.

The Association will hold its next meeting October 17.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church spent a very enjoyable time last evening in what was known as a "Nutty Social." Approximately forty come invitations, corresponding with the event, were issued and that many young people attended and enjoyed themselves with games appropriate for the affair. At the close of the evening delicious refreshments were served.

Cover (Special)—The regular monthly meeting of the Women's club was held at the library Thursday afternoon. It was decided to postpone the festival and bazaar to be held October 2 to October 18. At this affair each church society will take part, there will be a musical program and other interesting entertaining features. Also dinner will be served.

CLEAN LIVING IS URGED—CORVALLIS, Ore.—Clean thinking, clean speaking and clean living coupled with dependence upon a divine power, are the essentials for greatest success in college and afterwards, President W. J. Kerr told the freshmen class when he addressed it as part of the program of freshman week.

While no check on the exact number of freshmen is possible till registration is completed tomorrow, E. B. Leason, registrar, predicted that the new class would be the largest since the 1919 war class when 1233 entered for the first time.

Many British War Dead Will Remain in Germany—HAMBURG, Germany (AP).—The bodies of many British soldiers and sailors who died in German hospitals and in prison camps during the war are to remain in the country permanently. The British government recently acquired several tracts of ground here and elsewhere where cemeteries are to be maintained. The largest burial place will be in the Ohlsdorf cemetery of Hamburg, where a space for 700 graves has been taken over by the English. Bodies of soldiers who died in Mecklenburg, Schleswig-Holstein, Hannover and Oldenburg are to be transferred here, as well as the sailors who died at Borkum and Emden.

SALT HELD A PREVENTATIVE

(By Frederick Stricker, Oregon State Health Board)

That the state of Oregon has an abnormally high percent of individuals affected with goiter has been a matter of common knowledge for years, but only recently has any particular attention been given to it. Iodine is necessary for the proper function of the thyroid gland. When the storage of iodine in the thyroid gland gets below 0.1% the gland begins to enlarge and a goiter is formed. It has been shown beyond doubt that endemic goiter is due to a deficiency of iodine in the water and food in certain districts. It is also known that beginning goiters have frequently been made to disappear by the use of iodine. Goiter is prevalent in cattle, horses, sheep, hogs and poultry of goiterous regions. A very small amount of iodine taken with the food prevents the development of goiter in these animals.

Endemic goiter is definitely and easily preventable. Existing enlargement may be frequently caused to disappear through administration of some form of iodine. As to the form of iodine to be used, it should be low in cost and in a form that will insure its regular use. The chocolate iodine tablet taken once a week has been found convenient and palatable. This is the continuous method and is preferable to the saturation method of giving iodine once or twice a year.

Next to water, common salt is the most universally used article of food. Most salt comes from which salt is crystallized contains a small amount of iodine, but in the process of refinement and crystallization the iodine is lost. Salt manufacturers are now placing on the market table salt containing iodine. A small quantity of iodine in the food will make children immune from simple goiter. Common salt is something that is used by everyone regularly. Salt is therefore an ideal medium for supplying iodine to children.

The average person eats about seven pounds of salt a year and in order to furnish sufficient iodine 0.2% of sodium iodide has been added to common table salt. There is no danger of causing ill effects by the use of iodized salt. Common table salt containing this quantity of sodium iodide is therefore recommended for the prevention of simple goiter. Simple goiter is a gland enlargement which can be prevented if treated in time.

HUNT'S LETTER

(Continued from page 1)

Imagine Director Mather getting Lake Ontario to back into the Niagara River until the falls disappeared.

If "Jim" Conners wins in November, as he won in the Michigan senatorial primaries, it means his investigation of prohibition in connection with his treasury inquiry will go the limit. Even then, he will have, as a lame duck, until March 4, 1925, to go on with his work; but most of the pep will be taken out of it. But if he's re-elected, he'll have the increased prestige of endorsement by the voters of his state.

In spite of everything, the other congressional investigations will back after election, something of the jazz which characterized them before the houses adjourned. Then everybody was interested in the effect they might have on the 1924 campaign. When they're resumed—such as are resumed—the next election will be a long way ahead.

Prohibition, however, is non-partisan, with an interest all its own.

Although America isn't in on the pending international arbitration negotiations at Geneva, the Washington government keeps an eye on them. England's statement of the terms on which she's willing to accept compulsory arbitration has rather stunned officials here. Compulsory arbitration is all right, the English say, but it mustn't apply to anything they may do in attempting to keep or restore peace.

The Washington official in-

Peacemakers



Rev. Warren L. Steeves, pastor of First Baptist Church in La Grande, O., and his wife (above) run a domestic relations bureau for their congregation. They have been successful in snatching up threatening divorces of some of their flock.

pression is that this leaves considerable latitude for interpretation and it's all England's latitude—whatever interpretation she puts on her navy's dollops, other countries will have to agree to. However, being no party to the negotiations, America hasn't anything to say about it.

Library Chats

WHAT SHALL I READ?

A few suggestions from your public library: Kennedy, W. S.—"The Real John Burroughs."

A memoir, fresh, fearless and virile in tone, an honest criticism and appraisal of a man who suffered, as have others before him, from too fulsome praise. Mr. Kennedy pictures the great naturalist's life in his various surroundings, and stresses the points in his character which have made him an international figure.

Maclean, Arthur.—"Dog and Duck."

A charming book of essays in the Dickens manner, treating of old English holidays and customs, book collecting, food, drink, and diversions.

Powers, Jewelyn.—"Black Laughter." "Black Laughter" is a kind of "Robinson Crusoe" of the continent of Africa. Indeed, Jewelyn Powers resembles Daniel Defoe in the startling realistic manner in which he conveys the actual feelings of the wild places he describes.

Royden, Maude.—"Beauty in Religion."

Maude Royden, acknowledged to be the most notable woman preacher of our time, met with phenomenal success during her last ten weeks' lecture tour through the United States. In this collection of addresses Miss Royden takes as her text the words of that old hymn:

All things bright and beautiful, All creatures great and small, All things wise and wonderful, The Lord God made them all.

The story of the actor's life on the stage—a life crowded with incident and with fascinating contacts. Anecdotes of actors, critics, playwrights, producers. These new books will be added to the library Saturday evening at 6 o'clock.

CHURCH NEWS

RIVERSIDE CHAPEL—The Nazarene evangelists are having good meetings in the chapel at the corner of First and Lane streets north side, and converts to Christ are being made. On Thursday night an interested audience hung on the words of the preacher as he told the story of the blind man in Mark 8:27-28. As it required two touches to the sightless eyes of that inquirer by the Great Physician, so blind mortals must have two works of divine grace wrought in their hearts to secure clear and perfect vision. On Sunday at 11 a. m. Rev. Ingler will sing "His Eye is On the Sparrow," and Rev. Elberton will speak on "The Trial of Our Faith." On Sunday night the evangelist will give his life story, "From the Quaking Table to the Pulpit," and the soloist will render an appropriate song. No admission will be charged. The meetings will continue another week and a cordial welcome will be accorded to all. Services each evening at 7:30.

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL—Anyone in need of a friend or kindly advice call on us and we are at your service. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Anyone bringing five new scholars will earn a prize. Classes for all ages. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. and 11 a. m. Young People's service at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday is our Harvest Festival Sunday and there will be special services held all day, also special music and harvest songs. Week night services Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 p. m. Bible class Friday at 8 p. m. Monday evening, Sept. 29, will be a Harvest Festival celebration, potluck, games and garden product. You are all invited to attend all of these gatherings.—Adjutant Peterson.

ZION ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH—M. Ave., opposite high school. Rev. Wm. F. Holt, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. Morning services, 11 a. m. Luther League Devotional service, 6 p. m. Sunday is our special Rally Day for all the services, including the Sunday School. The special attraction will be the presence of Dr. George H. Hillman of Berkeley, Cal., who is the district superintendent of the United Lutheran Church of America. His territory includes the Rocky mountains and everything west of them. As this may be the only time that he can be here, you don't want to miss this opportunity.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Holy Communion, 8 a. m. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning service 11:00 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Rev. Mr. Braunwell, general secretary National Council will preach at night.—Rev. R. W. Crosby.

ISLAND CITY COMMUNITY CHURCH—Things to remember: 1. That it is better to live and practice a few good things than to have a volume of miscellaneous things which you do not put into practice. 2. To do the things which you really believe will benefit you and help others. 3. To be thankful for your blessings. 4. That Christ wants to help you to be master of your circumstances. 5. That a man's greatness, his progress, his happiness and his value to the human race can all be pre-ty well measured by the love that is in his heart. 6. That the church is striving for the very highest and best community interests. 7. That the church needs you and you need the church every Sunday morning and evening.—Hall K. Walls, pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Character is the supreme need of the twentieth century and towards this character building is our contribution of the Sunday School. President Harding said before his death: "The future of the nation cannot be entrusted to the children unless their education includes their spiritual development." We are endeavoring to assist the nation in this spiritual development and tomorrow will be

RALLY DAY IN EVERY SERVICE First Methodist Church

Cordial invitation to all services and a special invitation to an EVENING MUSICAL 7:30 P. M.

ORGAN—1. Introduction, "Fraternal March" - Lindsay 2. "Canzonetta" - - - Frysinger Mrs. A. E. Kinman

CHOIR—1. "Send Out Thy Light" - - - Gounod 2. "Praise Ye the Lord" - - - Gounod Church Choir, Mrs. Sherwood Williams, Director

SOLOS - DUETS—1. "Consider and Hear Me" F. Flamington Harker Mrs. T. R. Maxwell 2. "The Blessed Morn" - - - Petrie Sherwood Williams and Paul Knautz

MALE QUARTETTE—The inimitable Chamber of Commerce Quartette will render a 30-minute concert. Sherwood Williams, G. L. Dutton, tenors; Elmer Stoddard, George S. Birnie, bass

15-MINUTE SERMON—"Big Enough for God" - Elmer Grant Keith

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FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTISTS—Corner of First and Washington. Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject: "Reality." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. (The reading room, now located in West-Jacobson Bldg., Room 3, is open daily except Sunday and legal holidays, from 9 to 6, with an attendant from 2 to 4 p. m.) All are invited.

NEWBERG KLAN IS SUED—McMINNVILLE, Ore.—The first claim in the \$50,000 damage suit of Edna F. Cummings of Newberg against members of the Newberg Ku Klux Klan is expected in the district court within the next few days when Judge H. H. Belt will hear arguments on a motion of H. A. Kilks, attorney for some of the defendants, to strike out certain parts of the complaint because of alleged irregularities. The case probably will be called for jury trial on November 2.

Mrs. Cummings alleges in her complaint that members of the Newberg Klan caused to be written and circulated charges of immoral and improper conduct between Mrs. Cummings and Carl Stevens. Mrs. Cummings is said to be 48 years of age and states in the complaint that she is a grandmother. Carl Stevens is 29. Mrs. Cummings received a divorce here July 9 from William Cummings.

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