

NEWS of SOCIETY

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church met yesterday afternoon in the community room of the church for their regular meeting with Mrs. J. T. Richardson, Mrs. C. H. Seitz, Mrs. Gustav Wessler, Mrs. G. H. Claycomb and Mrs. O. E. Silverthorn as hostesses. There was a large attendance and a very interesting business meeting was held. It was announced that the new pipe organ will not be installed until the last of February. After the business meeting a social hour was spent and refreshments were served.

Miss Gladys Miller entertained a number of friends last evening with a coming party at her home on H avenue. Refreshments were dressed for the spirit and after a good time at evening refreshments were served at the Miller home.

The St. Peter's Episcopal Guild met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. L. Larson for their annual business meeting, at which time officers were elected for the ensuing year. Mrs. J. C. Camp was chosen president for 1925; Mrs. George Cochran, vice-president; Mrs. F. A. Wells, secretary, and Mrs. A. W. T. Milne, treasurer. Following the business meeting refreshments were served by the hostess.

The American Legion Auxiliary met with the Legion last evening at the K. of P. hall and officers were installed for the ensuing year. Following the business session the evening was spent at dancing and refreshments were served by a committee in charge.

The Second Division of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist Episcopal church met yesterday afternoon at the beautiful new home of Mrs. C. M. Rosamond, 503 Spring street. Mrs. Roy Tyler had devotions and Mrs. L. W. Leighton had charge of the business meeting. A social hour followed during which refreshments were served by Mrs. Rosamond, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Lape.

Cryptal Rebekah Lodge No. 59 installed their officers for the coming year recently with Mrs. Mabel McPherson, district deputy present, Mrs. Mollie Buckley, deputy Grand Marshall, in charge. Mrs. Lash had charge of the business meeting. The first ten degrees had been conferred in the work. Five years ago the lodge presented to her a beautiful "Pearl" bracelet. "Pearl" is high the lodge president, to her a Pearl Grand ring for the good work she has done for the order. Mrs. Laura Oliver had the presentation and Mrs. Mollie responded with a few well chosen words of appreciation and prayer.

Miss Thelma Lowrey, who made La Grande her home last summer, was queried at Vancouver, Wash., Friday, January 3, to Herbert Matlow, of Portland. The happy couple are spending their honeymoon at Seattle and expect to make Portland their home.

The First Division of the Methodist church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. S. G. Coleman as hostess at her home on Eighth street. After the general business and devotional meeting, the afternoon was spent socially and dainty refreshments were served.

The Ladies of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen held installation of officers Tuesday evening at Eagles hall. A large number of the members were present and an excellent installation was served following the installation. Mrs. Grace Adams was installed as president for the coming year.

Medical Springs. (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Winth entertained with a New Year's eve party on the evening of December 31. The evening was spent at cards and music. At midnight refreshments were served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. Whitten Mr. and Mrs. Geo. South, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kennedy, Mrs. Gus Peters, Misses Louisa Peters, Lillifoe, Jean Wilma and Esther Kennedy, Leonard Whitten, Wilson Hayes, Vernon Johnson, Vivian Kennedy and Leonard Peters.

Medical Springs. (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Winth were hosts at dinner New Years. Covers were laid for twenty guests.

All we wish is that those radio guys would find their Sully. You can't turn a dial without someone wondering what's become of her.

Every drinker thinks he can drive a car while drunk. He can, too, not counting accidents.

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A Tunic Dress



IT'S no wonder printed silks are so fashionable, because they are so very adaptable to the modern styles. Here we have a tunic dress of printed pussy willow made over a slip of plain color and trimmed about the sleeves and collar with bands of the plain color. The close neckline is very popular just now as are the slightly full sleeves.

Announcements

Social announcements may be printed in this column free of charge. Any announcements pertaining to any functions such as weddings, food sales, etc., will be printed. Announcements to be printed the same day must be in society editor's hands by 9:00 o'clock. News editor's note.

The Parent-Teachers Association of Willow school will meet tomorrow afternoon at 8:00 o'clock at the school.

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. W. F. Snook, corner of Tenth street and M avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Ess Eaton will be hostess to the P. A. H. club tomorrow afternoon, January 9.

Fashion Notes

Paris.—There may not be enough peppy dresses in the world, but there are any quantity that wrap around. One of the latest is of dark blue kasha which enfolds the figure rather closely, fastening on a diagonal line from right shoulder to left hip with four large buckles. It is embroidered in red.

Paris.—The flat handbag still predominates here and small women since the newest examples are particularly beautiful. One such is of black buckskin embroidered with a Greek figure in gold threads.

London.—The latest shade is lettuce green. One evening frock of that shade in satin shown here today is embroidered with red, silver and brilliant beads. The hem flares slightly and is banded with fur.

London.—The new camel's hair hats, unlike the camel's do not give anyone the "chump." They have stilted, tipped-down brims, folded in crowns, are bound at the edge and banded with heavy corded ribbon and finished with a tiny grouse feather at the side.

New York.—English silk broadcloth, so popular in the past year for men's shirts, is being used for girls' frocks in Roman stripes of green, pink, blue, peach, orchid, silk, crumpled red, dove gray, gold black, apricot and other delicate shades.

New York.—The Orkneys and the Scotch Highlands have no advantage over some parts of America when it comes to handwoven woollens. Many carefully woven women are selecting homespun from the handlooms of Asheville, the Kentucky mountains and Nantucket for their spring suits.

New York.—The cross-word puzzle craze has not only gone to women's heads but to their feet. Some of the latest shoes are embellished on toek counter and straps with black and white squares or combinations of white, black or other colors.

Postal Business Drops

ALBANY, Ore. — For the first time since 1902 receipts in the postal department of the Albany post office have shown a decrease. The drop amounts to about \$200 for the calendar year. In 1923 a total of \$24,782.52 in business was done, but last year the total was \$23,422.14. The 1923 total was the largest in the history of Albany. Money order business also dropped a little during the year.

PARIS PLANS TO ENTERTAIN

PARIS (AP)—A city going up within a city. Such is the sight confronting visitors to Paris when they look over the great buildings going up between the Champs Elysees and the Esplanade des Invalides. It is possible to see for the international exhibition of Decorative Arts, from April to October, 1925.

Situated on both banks of the Seine the exhibition grounds will cover an area of 70 acres. It has been found necessary to extend the private roads across the beautiful bridge of Alexandre III, which serves as a connecting link over the Seine, and the most modern bridge in Paris with modern built upon it will resemble an ancient structure of the days of the Romans or the Middle Ages.

Modernism will be the essential condition upon which articles will be admitted. All copies of genuine antiques will be banished. A special pavilion has been set aside for the exhibits of electrical dynamos and motors.

The industries invited to participate in the exhibition have been divided in five groups: architecture, furniture, decoration, arts of the theatre, street and gardens, and aviation.

Architecture has been subdivided into the following exhibits: art and industry in stone; art and industry in metal; art and industry in glass.

Furniture and household necessities will be shown in wood, leather, metal, glass, textile and paper. Under this head will be shown exhibited books, toys, musical instruments and scientific apparatus.

Decorative exhibits will comprise garments, dresses and accessories, perfumery, flowers and jewelry.

Everything pertaining to the theatre, street and gardens and aviation will be shown under the last two groups.

All the great perfumery houses in Paris have combined and will occupy the main pavilion.

Tung Woon Publishes Chinese Literature

PERKING (AP)—Tung Woon, Tung, the "Fuy" Emperor of China has no desire to retrace the footsteps of the conqueror. He recently visited his native city which he now considers his home. A "coup" which would restore his desired activities.

He said recently he would not avail himself of the withdrawal by Yuan Shih-ai and Marshal Chang Tsao-lin of the military forces imposed upon him by General Feng Yuxiang, whereby he was forced to leave the palace.

The boy emperor declared he had no desire to "re-enter the cage" of the Imperial City because he disliked the Imperial system which it would be necessary to maintain there. Instead he looked forward with keen delight to a future life of residence in a future temple to which he hoped to see something of the world.

Hsuan Tung, referring to the four imperial libraries made known that he recently had proposed the publication throughout the world of the "Golden Treasury of Chinese Literature" not as a commercial venture but as an interesting revelation of secret history and as a true picture of Oriental civilization through the ages. Former President Tsao Kuo, however, had raised objections to this proposal. The libraries include dynamic and popular histories, classics, and other works of rare skill.

2 PORTLAND BOYS HELD

ROSEBURG, Ore. — Two Portland boys, George Rife, whose address was given as East 24th street, and Ray Schmeer, 19 East 41st street, were held by city police here for investigation. The boys were driving a car registered in the name of E. W. Bergman of Geneva, and carrying a California visitor's permit, issued to Colby W. Sanborn of San Francisco. The boys said they were driving the car to Portland for Sanborn.

Cinderella's lot wasn't so bad. She slept right by a fire.

What Next?



The world's smallest dictionary is carried in a pocket by Mrs. Otto Fredrick of Minneapolis to work her crossword puzzles. It contains 14,592 definitions, although it is only one and one-eighth inches long, three-eighths of an inch wide and three-eighths of an inch thick.

Obenchain Weds Again



"The one man in a million" has married again. Ralph R. Obenchain, who was that "one" because of the defense of his divorced wife, Madaloon Connor Obenchain, in her three trials for the murder of J. Fulton Kennedy in Los Angeles a few years ago, has married Miss Mabel Schmitz, 21, of Evanston, Ill. Obenchain is a lawyer and theater manager of Evanston.

MAY HARNESS OCEAN WAVES

STOCKHOLM (AP)—How to harness the sea waves for industrial work, one of the oldest problems in the world, has been solved, according to the claim of a Swedish engineer, Lieutenant Sven H. Lundberg, of the government road and water-way construction corps, who has applied for patent rights on a huge mechanism, devised by him, which might be characterized as a floating power station.

The Lundberg invention, not only produces power, it generates it from the action of the waves, but by means of turbine-driven dynamos can convert this power into electricity. It consists basically of a raft about 500 feet long and 200 feet wide, which is so affected by the action and setting of the sea that it utilizes about 50 per cent of the available energy actually contained in a wave.

It is not at present possible to give details of construction, but experiments already made with a small-scale apparatus prove, according to the inventor, that a single wave five feet high can deliver 2,700-horsepower to the station, and that the available power increases at a more rapid rate than the height of the wave so that a ten-foot wave can deliver 15,200 horse power.

Mr. Lundberg declares that floating power rafts of this type are so steady that production plants could be built on top of them and that they would be ideal for factories that develop soda and chemical fertilizers out of air and water. He makes also the startling claim that an adaptation of the invention can be made for ships so that enough power, taken from a moderate sea, could be conveyed to the propeller shaft to drive an average freight at the normal speed desired from steamers.

J. V. Starratt Resigns

SALEM, Ore. — J. V. Starratt of Glendale, special investigator for the state land board for two years, has submitted his resignation to the state land department and it has been accepted. Mr. Starratt was also in behalf of Jefferson Myers, candidate for state treasurer prior to the general election in November, and was a supporter of Governor Pierre two years ago.

Norway Advances Claims As Winter Playground

CHRISTIANIA (AP)—Norway is making an effort to get the winter sport of the 1928 Olympic games. The International Olympic committee had Switzerland in mind as the location for the winter sports, but Norway hopes to land the meet and thus advertise itself as an ideal winter-sport land.

From January 1 Christiania is to be called Oslo, which was the original Norwegian name of the capital. By attracting international gatherings to Oslo the Norwegian government hopes to bring the new name before the world.

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