

NEWS of SOCIETY

Approximately fifty couples were present last evening when the regular monthly Country club dance for the month of January was given at the club house. The rooms were beautifully decorated in a color scheme of pink, festoons of crepe paper being used in the ball room and pink carnations artistically arranged in the dining room. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour to excellent music furnished by the Star Noctely orchestra. Luncheon was served at midnight.

The committee in charge consisted of Dr. and Mrs. Lee Houvy, chairman, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keener, Mr. and Mrs. Ward M. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Thompson, Dr. and Mrs. Verne Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Norton, Warren K. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Eakin, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Roesch, G. C. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Putman, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ingle and Mrs. F. L. Lilly.

Cravat Is Feature



A cravat of brocaded silk is the novel feature of this black tulle cloth coat with its pleated skirt and plain top. A bit of the same material is introduced in the sleeves. The very discriminating use of fur adds "chic" to it and gives an air of quiet elegance.

Thursday afternoon, Mrs. J. E. Woodell, Mrs. A. V. Duryea and Mrs. Tom Walsinger will have charge of the program.

The Women's Home Missionary of the First Methodist Episcopal church will meet at the parsonage Wednesday at 11 o'clock. A pot-luck luncheon will be served. Each lady will bring sandwiches and one other dish of food. All members and friends of the society are invited.

The Imbler Parent-Teachers association will meet at the Imbler Amusement Hall Friday evening, January 29, at eight o'clock. An address will be given by K. C. Rambo, from Near East Relief in Asia Minor. The subject of his talk will be "Conditions in Asia Minor."

The Parent-Teachers association of Central school will meet at the high school auditorium Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Fashion Notes

New York—It (hats). No, the well known brand of soap is not referred to. Chiffon, of which many of the new dancing frocks are made, floats equally well. The frocks themselves are straight and slim, but the scarfs, godets and panels with which they are adorned float so gracefully as almost to seem to dance of themselves, forming a mist of delicate pastel colorings.

New York—Cotton gloves once were regarded as the distinguishing mark of the New England spinner. Today they are being worn under the name of "fabric" gloves or musette gloves by the best dressed women of the country. The favorite designs are of the soft gauntlet strapped wrist type.

New York—Clouds can have a silver lining, but the new ensembles are distinguished by linings far more brilliant in color. The majority are covered inside with the beautiful, new printed silks in the widest of designs and shades.

New York—If the tongue of the new sport oxfords could speak they would say "comfort." The new models have fairly broad heels of medium height, round and rather stubby toes and a high arch. The tongues fall over the laces and are elaborately fringed. Tan calf or white buck are approved materials.

Paris—Scarfs nowadays don't necessarily have two ends, since some are continuations of the dress. An afternoon dress of black moroccan may have a band of gold embroidery running from hem to shoulder, where it becomes a scarf. This is wrapped about the neck and allowed to hang over one shoulder in cape effect.

Paris—It still is impossible to leave the hair and the hands together, but in the newer spring onesie frocks kasha or fancy woolens go perfectly with crepe de chine. Some of these dresses have the upper portion of kasha and the skirt of crepe, while others reverse this order.

London—Castles which have ghosts instead of steam heat are responsible for the fur-trimmed pajamas which are now being shown here. One example is carried out in yellow brocade trimmed with brown fur. The legs are accordion pleated and tied tightly just below the knee with ribbons edged with fur.

London—The English tailor-made two-piece suit now attracting attention is of the popular short

coat, narrow skirt style, but it is differentiated from the French production by the use of beautiful Scotch tweeds and worsteds in the softest of colorings.

EPILEPSY FEARS PROMPTS SUICIDE OF ENGAGED MAN

KALISPELL, Mont. (AP)—Fear that an epileptic affliction suffered early in life had rendered his contemplated marriage to a Kalispell girl inadvisable, prompted the suicide here of Harvey D. Paige, aged 21, the son of John E. Paige of South Bridge, Mass., and the grandson of Calvin D. Paige, member of congress from Massachusetts, letters he had written revealed Monday.

The letters, discovered after the shooting, which occurred in a hotel here Saturday evening on the eve of the announcement of his engagement to marry Miss Helen O'Connell of this city, were addressed to his fiancée, his parents and to the proprietors of a tourist resort near here where he made his home the last three months.

They indicated that the suicide was deliberately planned and declared that no blame was attached to anyone but himself. The fatal shot was not heard and young Paige's body was not discovered until his absence from a social gathering had led to an inquiry.

This body will be sent east Monday night without an inquest.

Penn Relay Meet to Drop the Penathlon

PHILADELPHIA—The pentathlon, which for a decade has been one of the feature events of the annual University of Pennsylvania relay carnival, will be replaced this year by the decathlon.

The action of the Olympic committee in removing the pentathlon from the list of events and making the decathlon the test of all around championship caused Dr. George Orton, director of the relay carnival to make the change.

That the pentathlon served its usefulness in developing athletes to represent this country in the all around championships was demonstrated by the victories of American college athletes in both the decathlon and pentathlon.

The Pennsylvania relay carnival has always been maintained with a view of keeping American college athletes prepared for Olympic competition. It was for this reason that the discus and javelin were added to the program several years before they were placed on the list of events in the I. C. A. A. A. meet.

The events for the decathlon are: 100-meter flat, running broad jump, putting the weight, running high jump, 400 meters flat, 110 meters high hurdle, throwing the discus, pole vault, throwing the javelin and 1500 meters flat race.

The first five of these events will be held Friday, April 24, and the others on the following day.

British Museum Reports Multitude of Visitors

LONDON (AP)—The interest in antiquities aroused by the Tutankhamen discoveries in Egypt, and the great influx of visitors into London during the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley, have had the effect of making the year just past a banner one for the British museum.

It is expected that the total attendance will be considerably greater than last year, when 1,695,353 persons visited the museum, a greater number than any year since 1851, when the Great Exhibition was held.

U. S. Gift at Peace Palace THE HAGUE (AP)—A statue of Justice, the gift of the United States government, has been received at the Peace Palace and has been placed under the dome over the grand entrance.

The statue is the work of Andrew O'Connor of Paxton, Mass. A formal presentation is to be made shortly by Richard M. Tobin, American minister to the Netherlands.

Another improvement in radio is the announcements don't sound like train callers.

Just as a suggestion to improve the railroad crossings, we could have undertakers for flagmen.

As a rule, as you look so are you looked upon.

Call to Bar



An international bar association is the dream of Attorney John A. Cline of Cleveland, president of the Ohio State Bar Association. He is starting a movement that eventually may bring it about. Such an organization, he says, would take over much of the work now done by foreign consuls and eliminate considerable red tape.

Australian Order Awaits Second Coming of Christ

LONDON (AP)—In order to wait for the second coming of Christ, 2,000 members of the Order of the Star in the East have built an amphitheater at Balmoral Beach, near Sydney, Australia, says the Express correspondent.

So deep is their belief that this return is imminent, preparations have been made at the cost of \$20,000, raised by enrolling members of the order who subscribed from \$50 to \$500 per seat.

While the order's belief is that Christ will return in human form, it is expected He will arrive at the amphitheater by walking on the water from South Head, at the entrance to the harbor, to Balmoral.

The amphitheater will contain a small model of a Greek theater which will be used for the staging of Greek drama during the waiting period, as even the most confident member of the order will not say just when the second coming is to take place.

BOND ELECTION CALLED

MONMOUTH, Ore. — A special election has been called for February 3 to decide whether to authorize the city council to issue \$35,000 sewer bonds to construct trunk line sewers.

The city would be divided into sewer districts and the property owners allowed to use the Bancroft bonding act to pay the cost of laterals which would run from the property to the main lines.

FIRSH AND SAND QUIZZED IN PROBE

NEW YORK (By the Associated Press)—Frank Firsh, captain of the New York Giants and J. H. "Helme" Sand, shortstop of the Philadelphia national club baseball team were examined by Assistant District Attorney Brothers as a preliminary to a grand jury investigation of last fall's baseball scandal.

Mr. Brothers, who was placed in charge of the investigation by District Attorney Banton, did not divulge the result of his interview with the two players.

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27 YEARS AGO

Daily Morning Observer, January 26, 1898.—Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Skilling, of Imbler, came up on the frozen snow Tuesday.

C. W. Nesley shipped his third car of potatoes to San Francisco this week where they will be used for seed.

Joe, son of Dan Sommers, of Elgin, had his hand badly mashed in a runaway while sleighing yesterday.

J. D. McKennon received a letter yesterday intending a check of over \$700 which he had given up for lost 13 years ago. He said it was just like receiving money from home.

We trust the railroad from Union to Catherine creek will soon be an accomplished fact.

My understanding plans are being perfected to enlarge the woolen mills at Union. We hope someday to see an immense factory at Union, one sufficiently large to make clothing for all the people between the Cascades and Rocky mountains and a few hundred thousand yards to sell to outsiders.

Union has the water power, the country, the wool, why not utilize them.

The three-act drama, "The Golden Gulch," presented at the Red Pepper school house last Saturday evening by the local amateur club was voted by those present a complete success.

Born—in this city Friday, Jan. 21, 1898, to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bekley, a son.

Tuesday morning the messenger of death entered the home of Reverend and Mrs. Perry Chandler and called their son Ralph. It was only a few years ago while in college a robust enthusiastic student preparing himself for his chosen life's work, a minister, that Ralph was stricken with typhoid fever from which he never fully recovered and after an illness of a few days he passed over the river wholly prepared to meet his maker which fact alone offers more consolation to the stricken parents than it is possible for human hands to proffer although.

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GOSPEL SERVICE SERIES IS HELD AT LANE CHAPEL

Sunday evening marked the beginning of a series of gospel services, being held at the Lane chapel, at three o'clock north of the railroad, on corner of First and Lane streets.

J. F. Ransom, the present pastor of the Church of the Nazarenes, which was organized in our city the latter part of October,

last, will bring the gospel message. Mrs. J. F. Ransom will also assist Mr. Ransom in the preaching.

These services will continue every night during the week except Saturday, starting promptly at 7:30 o'clock. The minister who has charge of these meetings, says "It affords us great pleasure to offer to the people of La Grande

some gospel services that are different. The preacher of the hour is not afraid to tell the truth. The singing you will hear at these services is different. The solos Mr. Ransom brings each evening are rendered with the unctious of the Holy Spirit."

Many of the friends of the Nazarene church will be glad to hear these services.

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