

NEWS of SOCIETY

Mrs. A. J. Stange was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge club and a number of friends yesterday afternoon. A dainty luncheon was served at the Country club at one o'clock. The dining room of the club house was beautifully decorated for the occasion with a profusion of spring flowers.

Following luncheon the guests returned to the Stange home on Walnut street and bridge was enjoyed during the remainder of the afternoon, with the club prize going to Mrs. T. J. Scroggins and the guest prize to Mrs. A. W. Nelson. Beautiful spring flowers were also used to decorate the home.

A delightful affair took place Monday at the home of Mrs. E. T. Andrews, when she entertained the lovely Thirteenth club with a bridge luncheon. An excellent three-course luncheon was served at one o'clock. The table was attractively decorated with an appropriate color scheme conforming with Washington's birthday.

During the afternoon play Mrs. F. L. Lilly won high score for the club prize and the guest prize went to Mrs. Anna Pollack.

Mrs. S. C. Smith was hostess to the Home Missionary Society of the First Methodist Episcopal church yesterday afternoon. For the business session Mrs. Lee Hanford, president, had charge of the devotional services. The regular lesson was given by Mrs. Christine Duncan. "Brotherhood."

Before adjournment an excellent luncheon was served by the hostess.

After spending several days in La Grande in the interest of the Women's Benefit Association Mrs. Catherine Erickson, Deputy Supreme Commander of the W. B. A., left last evening for Pendleton, Steppner and Bond, where she goes in the interest of the order. Mrs. Erickson was the inspiration for several social affairs while in the city. A large number of ladies of the W. B. A. accompanied her to the train last evening.

Maxville (Special)—A delightful dance and card party took place recently at the Stover home here when Mr. and Mrs. Stover entertained a number of friends. At an appropriate hour a dainty luncheon was served.

For Summer Days



THIS summer frock illustrates the possibilities of printed and bordered silk. Such a dress requires very little sewing and is quite finished when it has an organdy collar and a sash. The color scheme here is unusual. The material is black and white and the sash is a lovely sapphire blue.

Swedish Labor Follows Conservative Pathway

STOCKHOLM (AP)—Sweden is a stronghold of labor in politics, the percentage of voters enrolled under the labor banner being larger than in any other country, according to figures brought out here by Social-Democrats, the government organ, and vouched for by the secretariat of the Socialist Labor International. On the other hand, the relative indifference of the Communist organizations, when measured by the test of the ballot box, is revealed by the same statistics.

In the Swedish Riksdag the Social-Democratic party, which forms the principal backing of the present government, has a membership of 104 out of a total of 239 deputies, or 45.2 per cent, the highest in any country. The Communist representatives number only four, with one independent. The Social-Democratic vote in the last election was 225, 844, or 41.1 per cent of the total, while the Communist was but 45, 282, or 2.7 per cent. Consequently there would seem to be every prospect that in Sweden the labor movement will continue to follow Hjalmar Branting's fundamental principle to remain evolutionary within legal bounds, rather than resort to revolutionary tactics.

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Boost Your Pastor

(By FLORE L. BARRE)
I have told you before that I am the offspring of a pillar of the Protestant church and a heathen. As in all well regulated families, the pillar was the boss and she insisted that her offspring go to church and Sunday school regularly, which said of spring did bring an obedient child, by compulsion.

In spite of all this excellent training, I must admit that I am heavily toward the heathen side of my family. The Tower of Pisa is not in it with the angle at which I lean. As some learned man has said: "There's a reason," and the reason that caused the acute angle is the attitude of the pillars and surrounding supports of the churches towards their pastors.

These are the days of boosting. We boost our home town, our clubs, our people, our products; but do we boost our pastors? I say we do not, and in there any other human or project more worthy of this boosting than the pastor? I hear some of the saints say "Why, the idea. Boosting a pastor. A man appointed by God, to lead his flock." I say to these saints, "Yes, why not? We do not hesitate to criticize a man appointed by God. I have heard a pastor so artistically shrouded and by his pillars that I doubt if the Lord would ever recognize what was part of the man he was supposed to have appointed. It is a poor rule that does not work both ways. If we have nerve enough to criticize, we should be fair enough to boost. I know, positively, that people go to church with chips on their shoulders, waiting for the pastor, by his negligence, sermon or delivery to touch the chip and start it teetering; and oh, the delight when it does start to teeter, for it was just what they expected."

It is a fact that pastors are the poorest paid people on earth. I heard this explained, one time, by the statement that "talk is cheap." If this is so, some of us would be drawing less salary than we do now, which God forbid.

As I figure it, a pastor is supposed to live on faith and dumplings and he is not to complain if the dumplings come up missing. I often wonder if this is the reason there are so many skinny pastors. I have been trying to remember ever having seen a real fat one, and I cannot stretch my imagination that much. Of one thing I am dead sure, La Grande cannot produce one.

The complaints I have heard of pastors are numerous but this is the favorite: "I do not like Pastor X. I cannot get enough spiritual food out of his sermons. I have heard this often and with good reason that, if St. Pete stops me at the party gate and asks me if I feel that I have digested enough spiritual food to allow me to enter, I know I'll slap him. That's just how rolled I am over that complaint. How can we expect to get spiritual food or anything else out of a sermon with that tetry chip on our shoulders? How can we plan our own day meal, count the cherries on the new hat of the lady in front of us (I did this last Sunday), put over a deal in real estate, solve a problem, decide whether tucks or pleats would be best for our new gown—and then expect to get spiritual food from the pastor's sermon? We can just bet our chances of playing a harp in the future, that the getting of this food lies within ourselves and not with the pastor. "You can lead a horse to water, but you can't make him drink," seems to fit in here, with aptology to Solomon.

I often wish we could all get a bird's-eye view of ourselves, as seen from the pastor's platform. If we could see what the man has to be interested in, plan for, visit and even love—well I think it is asking too much, even of the Lord, to love such a bunch of "contrariness and pure cussedness, not to mention a pastor. And yet, our criticisms we pick flaws we leave the church and expect the pastor to turn the other cheek. Certainly. That's what he is paid for. Isn't he a pastor? Once upon a time there was a dear, old lady, who never was heard to say an unkind thing of anyone. In the same town in which she lived, there also lived a very bad man. Nothing good was known of him. He died, and people thought that at last they had one of whom the old lady could say nothing kind. But she looked at him and finally said, "Well, he did have a handsome nose."

I think it would be a good idea to follow this old lady's plan. If we feel that we cannot say one nice thing about our pastor, let us look at his nose. In looking at his nose, we may come to realize what lies back of that nose; how, back of it plans are thought out for our good, our interests, our comfort and our advancement. Then, let us boost. I know we will run the risk of losing our pastors from the shock and making their wives widows. I would hate to do this, for I assure you it is no joke, being a widow, but anyway, let's be game and run the risk. In spite of my being a heathen, I think that every pastor is entitled to an extra halo of Heavens and an extra boost on earth, for

Heaven's pastors, make me question.

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Trade Unions Are Favored More By The Women Workers

NEW YORK (AP)—The number of women workers organized into trade unions more than quadrupled in the decade from 1910 to 1920 says a statement issued today by the National Bureau of Economic Research, Inc., of this city, summarizing an exhaustive report on the subject.

In 1910 the statement showed the female membership of American trade unions totaled 56,748, situated among 24 organizations. In 1920 the total women membership was 236,600, divided among 37 organizations.

All organizations but two, the machinists and the brewery workers, had a large membership at the close of the decade. Three important new organizations, it is pointed out, which were not in existence in 1910, the Amalgamated Clothing Workers, the Amalgamated Textile Workers and the telephone operators' branch of the Electrical Workers, contributed practically 100,000 members, or nearly one-fourth of the total rise.

Another organization, the Railway Clerks, whose female membership in 1910 was negligible, was responsible for 35,000 more in 1920. In both years the membership of the clothing unions was the dominating item. The International Ladies

Garment Workers and the United Garment Workers had, in 1910, 40 per cent of the total; and in 1920 these same organizations, together with the Amalgamated Clothing Workers, had 42 per cent. By 1920 however, the shoe, textile, railway clerks, and electrical workers' unions had risen to a place of importance, with a combined membership of more than one-third of the total. Most of the unions dropped a large part of their female as well as their male membership during the years following 1920. Any estimate of the total loss between 1920 and 1923 can be little more than a guess, but it is judged that it was not much more than 100,000. A considerable part of this loss, moreover, is probably ascribable to the exodus from industry of the many women who found employment in industry during the war.

"The course of the labor movement among women in this country is unintelligible without some conception of the number of women who work and the nature of the work they do," explained Dr. Leo Wolman, who conducted the investigation. "Both in 1910 and 1920 women represented just about one-fifth of the total number of persons who in the United States



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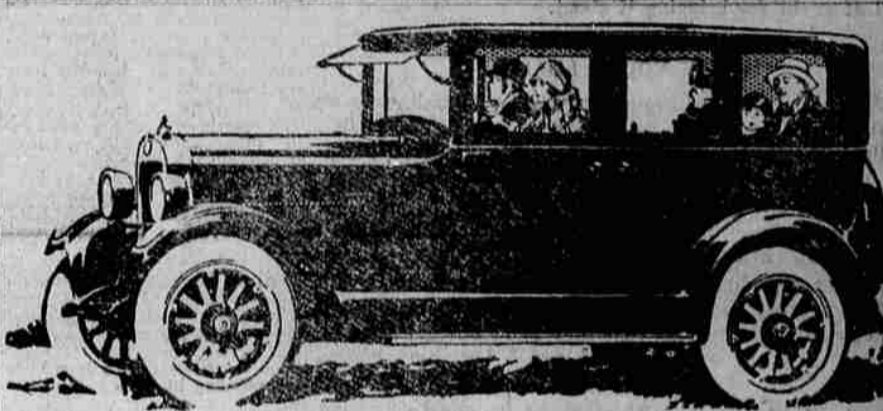
"The substantial gains took place in trade, professional service and in clerical occupations. Manufacturing and mechanical industries hardly moved.

"The type of skilled craft union which is so prevalent among men and which plays so dominant a role in the American labor movement is practically non-existent among women. The nearest approach to it is to be found in the unions of professional workers, like actors, musicians, and teachers. Except in the case of actresses who are now highly organized, unionism is very weak indeed."

Alleged Liquor Dealer Held.
MILL CITY, Ore.—Wm. Downing Hoover, Ore., was picked up here by members of the sheriff's office from Salem, being charged with bootlegging. When his room at the Hammond hotel was searched a suitcase containing several gallons of moonshine was found. During 1923 Downing worked as a government packer out of Detroit. He was taken to Salem.

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

The Junior Bridge club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. L. A. Prescott, at 204 First street.

The Parent-Teachers association of Central School will meet tomorrow afternoon, February 27, at 2:45 o'clock. Dr. W. T. Pfy will be the speaker of the afternoon.

The Island City Card club will meet with Mrs. Ruby Knight at Union tomorrow afternoon, February 27.

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