

For June Brides and Graduates

This store is liberally stocked with many pretty appropriate gifts for June brides and graduates. Especially would we call your attention to our many sets and pieces of Ivory which are always so pleasingly received and which last a lifetime—a constant reminder of the one who gave.

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PERFECT SERVICE PURE DRUGS

CITY AND COUNTRY

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Don't be a slacker; eat Liberty bread.

Miss Opal Hewett was home from O. A. C. last Sunday.

For Sale—A new Columbia Grafonola. Call Main 2722.

Miss Gladys Reynolds was home from Corvallis last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Morgan were here from Vancouver last week.

Baby chicks for sale at reduced prices. C. W. Needham, Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. "Billy" Quartier were here Sunday from Portland.

Cleve Robinson of Lebanon was an Independence visitor last Monday.

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Maurice Porter of Oakville, Wash., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. C. T. Cook.

Miss Bessie Swope is home from Woodburn, her school having closed last Friday.

Do you live in Independence? Then why not patronize her industries. Eat Liberty bread.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bohannon were visiting their daughter at Newberg from Sunday to Tuesday.

Miss Thomas of Jefferson was a house guest at the home of her brother, A. L. Thomas, last week.

Mr. Thompson of Portland was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Dean Schumacher, a few days last week.

Miss Madaline Kreamer came home from O. A. C. to enjoy Community Day with her parents.

Mrs. L. Schoen and children were here from Eugene visiting Independence friends the past few days.

Miss Loraine Miller, of Olympia, Wash., has been the guest of the Misses Helen and Bernice Butler.

Mrs. Sara Claggett Young of Albany visited her parents Sunday. Monday she went to Portland to visit relatives.

For Sale—Square Piano in good condition. \$100, \$35 cash, easy terms on remainder. Inquire at the office of Polk County Post.

Miss Lola Morgan, after having completed a successful term of school near Willamina, has returned to her home in Independence.

Master Rodney Power arrived from San Francisco Sunday to spend the summer with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Carbray.

Corvallis Courier: Mrs. Charles Rohrer of Independence was in Corvallis during the week end visiting at the home of Mrs. W. P. Ireland.

Miss Vera Brunk came home from Portland last Friday night and returned Saturday. She was accompanied as far as Salem by her mother.

After attending Grand Lodge in Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walker visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy De Armond at their country home in Malheur county.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin and James Jr. of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson of Astoria visited the J. G. McIntoshes last Saturday and Sunday.

E. E. Paddock left Portland Monday for Chicago where he will act as sergeant at arms at the Republican convention. He expects to have the time of his life.

Miss Freida Campbell of Salem was here visiting friends and relatives this week. Miss Campbell is a senior at the Willamette U. and was a popular contestant in the student vote for May queen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cooper and children, Elizabeth and Jim, of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Craven

and Mr. and Mrs. Goodman of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper last Sunday.

A man by the name of Casey was seriously injured Monday in the Sletzt logging camps. He was struck in the head by a cable and it is not known as yet how badly he is hurt. He was taken to Portland the same day.

Miss Irene Williams was in Independence the first of the week. Miss Williams is with Ellison-White and it was among her duties to represent that organization in Independence on the closing day of the Chautauqua here.

Mrs. Clyde Ecker left Monday for Enterprise where she will represent the Independence Civic Club at the Annual Federation of Women's Clubs of Oregon. Enterprise is making a big effort to have a wonderful convention.

An erroneous impression has been current that the Buena Vista store was to close its doors last Tuesday. The report is a mistake. The store will remain open for several weeks yet and the closing out sale continues.

Mrs. George Conkey and Mrs. W. H. Walker returned the first of the week from Baker where they went as delegates to the Rebekah Grand Lodge. The ladies visited friends at Wasco on their return and report a most delightful visit.

Miss Gretchen Kreamer returned Saturday from Ashland where she has been a very successful and popular teacher for the past two years. Miss Kreamer could not be induced to sign a contract for next year as she intends to enter O. A. C. and specialize in music and languages.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. N. Lewis, Miss Mildred Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin M. Lewis of Salem and Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick of Portland gathered at the S. Taylor Jones last Sunday to help Mrs. Jones celebrate her birthday anniversary. The feast had been supervised by Mr. Jones and prepared by friends the day before and Mrs. Jones was all unaware of the pleasurable event that was in store until the guests began to arrive.

CIVIC CLUB PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL REPORT

INDEPENDENCE, Oregon, June 1, 1920.
To the President, Officers and Members of Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs:

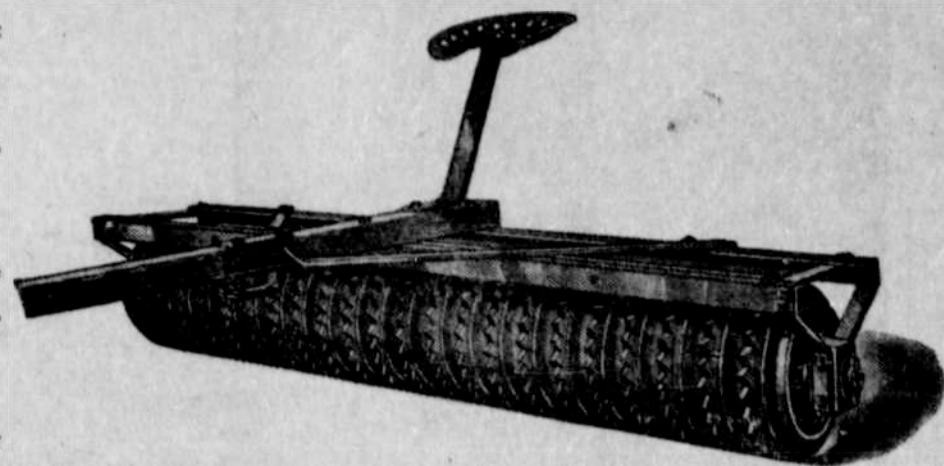
Ladies:—It hardly seems possible that a Club year has passed since we assembled in annual convention. The beginning of our year was most pleasant for at our first meeting we had the distinction of being the first Club to entertain our State President, Mrs. Callahan. Her visit was most inspirational. Our next meeting was a large reception to our teachers. In our work this year, feeling a relief from the tension of former "drives," we deviated somewhat from the money-making schemes of the preceding year when we contributed \$500 to commendable causes. This year we have striven to place special stress on Thrift, Americanization and Community Service. We held a special Thrift meeting which was largely attended. We devoted an afternoon to Americanization; we answered roll-call with patriotic quotations and engaged a splendid speaker on the subject. Our strenuous efforts during the year were turned to Community service. We are just closing a five-days' Chautauqua. Our Club signed the contract as two guarantors besides many of the members signed as individual guarantors. They worked assiduously for the sale of tickets. The fundamental reason for this was Community service. On Sunday of Chautauqua we promoted a real "get-together" Community dinner. Our Club furnished and served coffee to the entire gathering. The day was a Red-letter-day for our town. In November we gave a Community hard times party which was attended by over one hundred couples. Thruout the year we kept in mind the thought: "He has served, who now and then helped along his fellow-men." Along educational lines we offered prizes to High School students for the best essays on Oregon History. The Club devoted the month of April to the study of the measures and engaged speakers for the meetings. We endorsed the educational measures and worked for same. In the way of diversified study we devoted a session to French customs and spent an afternoon with Ella Wheeler Wileox. In a civic way we are working and concentrating our efforts for a Club-house of which you heard something last year. We gave a successful minstrel show which added materially to our already substantial Club-house fund of which you yet shall hear more. We also promoted a "clean-up-day." We are now working to beautify a fill on one of our main streets. We plan to plant shrubs, add lights, etc. to make this place more attractive. We have aided in many worthy causes and are planning a joint benefit for the Scholarship Loan fund and Woman's building. We are still hoping to entertain this splendid gathering of women in our proposed new Club-house some time in the not far distant future. Our Club stands for Community Service. Individually, we believe with Mrs. Wiggs, "Good things do not really belong to me until I have passed them on to my friends."

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. CLYDE ECKER,
President Independence Civic Club.

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Calvary Presbyterian Church

Next Sunday at 11 a. m., regular services will be held in Calvary Presbyterian church. The pastor, Dr. Duismore, will preach. The general public are cordially invited to worship with us.

Methodist Services

Your attention is asked for a moment. You should spend a few moments each Sunday to attend to matters of moral persuasion. You, each, should get right with God. Come to Methodist church Sunday morning at 11 and at 8 p. m. and hear the following subject respectfully discussed: "The Duty of Self-testing" and "Four Witnesses." Sunday school at 10 a. m. All are invited to attend these services.
C. T. COOK, Pastor.

MISS LEVY TO EUROPE

Miss Elizabeth Levy, of Salem, Oregon's well known violinist and who has had many pupils in Independence, will sail for Europe during July. She expects to be absent several months during which time she will study under the tutorage of several violin masters of that continent.

COULDN'T LIVE WITHOUT BEER

PORTLAND—When Oregon went bone dry in 1916, Dr. George L. Toel, an elderly citizen of Dallas, Or., was ready to die. He had a premonition that he would pass away because he was to be deprived of beer—his staff of life.

So Dr. Toel made his last will and testament. He bequeathed to Dr. F. O. Lehman of Portland Mrs. Harriet E. Smith and Walter L. Tooze Jr., both of Dallas, in equal parts, the money due him from Carl Hener Norden of Germany in case of death taking place in consequence of an affliction of the stomach, "caused by the prohibition law depriving him of the beer he had been accustomed to for over forty-five years."

He directed that a copy of the will be handed to the different breweries in Portland, Or., to "assist them in showing the people how he was murdered by prohibitionists."

But Dr. Toel lived too long. Even with prohibition in effect, he hung on for more than three years, so the breweries closed long before his will was made public. Dr. Toel died last Thursday at the Perkins hotel in this city, where he had gone a day or two before. He left no estate other than two suit cases and some personal effects. War with Germany wiped out the amount due him from an estate there.

The Proper Place to Drink

An exchange perpetrates this: Old fathr Hubbard went to the cupboard to get his poor self a drink. But when he got there the cupboard was bare, so he got him a drink at the sink.

MEMORIAL DAY, MAY 30, 1920.

Tread lightly! Speak softly! Ye are with the spirits of the dead, and on this day of days they hover near to mark your loving honor to their last remains.

Spread flowers and wreaths around their tombs, the emblems of unforgotten love, and water with your tears the spot that claims the ashes of the loved ones gone before. Mark well the tombs of those that gave their lives that ye might live in peace in this your native land. Wreath well their tombs, the tombs of ALL that fought for Freedom, Hearth and Home to save the honor of our flag that, draped half-mast today, in sorrow speaks to the hearts of loyal Americans the loving thoughts of her honored dead the words "Remember; America foremost and always; One Nation, one flag." Freedom and Love and Home! To all the stricken world, Peace.

ALBERT O. YATES.

GRAIN GRADING SCHOOL

In order to bring about a better understanding of the grading of wheat to the end that the grower may get a larger part of the consumer's dollar, the Polk County Farm Bureau has arranged for a two-day grain grading school to be held in Dallas June 11th and 12th.

Professor G. R. Hyslop of the O. A. C. and a number of assistants, as well as representatives from the State Grain Inspection Department, will go into every detail of the whole grading system.

It is nice of Canada to send us a minister. But what about a little wood pulp?—Morgantown, (W Va) Post.

Father Time —on Hand—

VIRTUALLY that's what you get in a wrist watch. Father Time on the hand, or on the wrist—it's just the same. A turn of the wrist discloses the time of day.

"Good-bye, Mrs. Jones. It's time for me to leave and get John's supper started," says the housewife; or

"Oh, Lucille! we must hurry or we'll miss the second show," says the charming young lady; or

"My stars, Margaret! the bell will ring in just three minutes," says the irresponsible school girl.

In fact, there's a place for every wrist watch made. Everybody wants one; everybody expects to buy one, or receive one some day—man or woman, boy or girl.

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You have been waiting for a long time to get a hat for this summer's wear that will be durable and pleasing to the eye. We have it. A good looking and well fitting hat is just as important for "dressing up" purposes as a tailored suit. Really, it is more important. You may think yourself dressed up with a classy suit, but if you wear an old slouch hat with it, the effects of the suit is discounted.

A few samples of our hats are on display in our window. One of those styles will look very becoming to you and you should come inside and try it on. Besides the hats on display we have many work hats and a full line of caps of all kinds.

O. A. Kreamer