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SHOULD MARRIED WOMEN WORK?

To judge by the amount of space devoted to the subject in Eugene papers, whether or not married women should work must be a seething question in that city. Everyone has written on the subject, from the hen-pecked husband to the indolent flapper who doesn't do anything that she doesn't have to.

This writer's observation has been that the way some women keep house it would be much better for them to work; that the way some work to keep a house and a family of kids slick and clean for an unappreciative hubby, they ought to be given a business position for a vacation; that the way some feminine workers complain about the tough time they have they ought to welcome a soft place in a home that a hubby is willing to provide; that the way some women manage a business puts some men to shame; that some women never should have had homes and that all will do just as they doggone please regardless of the splendid advice that we men give them. This is as far as we are going to put our foot in it.

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EXPULSION STUDENTS.

Following expulsion of several university students because of their participation in what was described as a booze party, two or more of such students being girls, a question has been raised as to what control university officials should have over students and whether they have exceeded their powers in dismissing pupils for indiscretions committed off the university campus.

Decidedly they have not exceeded their authority. Boys who send their girls and those to the university have the right to expect their associates to be boys and girls of high moral standards, girls and boys that they would permit in their own homes with their own children; university officials have a right to say what shall be the moral qualifications of those who would benefit by a tremendous expenditure of state funds.

Boys and girls who participate in drinking parties are not taking their education seriously enough to make it worth while to spend money upon them.

We would not complain about the expulsion from our high schools of pupils who participated in booze parties.

We in business do not employ boozers and moral lepers.

Our schools should be at least up to the standards of sordid business.

University officials are not going far enough.

FARMERS DON'T WANT CLASS LEGISLATION.

From North Dakota, where the Non-Partisan league was incubated, comes the declaration from the governor of the state that the McNary-Haugen bill is class legislation that would benefit one class to the detriment of all other classes.

Many of us wouldn't mind benefiting the farmer for a time at the expense of other classes if we felt sure that the result wouldn't eventually be the worst injury of all.

Aside from arousing keen interest by such a statement from the state which for years enacted every conceivable piece of legislation for the benefit of the farmer regardless of what happened to the other fellow, Governor Bulow makes the following pertinent observations:

"All the farmers of the north-west need is a fair deal. They do not want others to have benefits which work against them. If this country is to progress and succeed, agriculture must succeed, and this can be brought about only through ousting the present system of government, the big business interests and the abolition of lobbyists who are responsible for the passage of special legislative acts which are of benefit to certain classes and are a detriment to many other classes."

The governor has come mighty near hitting the nail a resounding smack on the head.

An exchange advertises, "For Rent—An apartment with a large living room and kitchenette." There is no advantage in the size of the living room. A Ford coupe is large enough.—Corvallis Gazette-Times.

All who know the gallant and pulchritudinous Mr. Ingalls will understand that what he says of loving rooms is no mere opinion. It is absolute knowledge, founded on long and varied experience gained in telephone booths and parked cars.—Portland Spectator.

The Cottage Grove Sentinel puts the prohibition question and the reasons for its nonenforcement squarely before its readers. The Sentinel has found the cause to be lack of interest in enforcement of the law by the public in general. We do not leave the enforcement of the law against homicides in the hands of bandits or murderers, nor that against theft in the hands of ex-burglars, so why leave the enforcement of the 18th amendment in the hands of those whose previous course in life has been in direct violation of its principles.—Gold Beach Independent.

Another bandit has been killed in trying to escape after a robbery. His partner was wounded and captured. This happened at Pe Ell, Wash. Such discouragement for our rising young highwaymen is disheartening and may force them into more lucrative occupations.

A statesman of the present administration has made the statement that money can be handled more safely by women than by men. With us it's not so much a question of safety as of economy.

We wouldn't admit that any other baby is better than our own—because a better baby would be too good for this world and we wouldn't wish to bring any sorrow into the lives of its parents.

What a howl there would be if money were squandered on a peace project the way it is on a senseless war.

If all the autos in the United States were placed end to end it would be Sunday afternoon.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Paul Van Deine, who has just arrived from the east to make her home in Eugene, was guest of honor for a charming tea on Friday afternoon, when her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rufus Van Deine, and Mrs. J. T. Finerman invited about 30 friends to call between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock at the Van Deine home. Mrs. C. F. Hoskins and Mrs. E. W. Frans poured and cut the ices, with Miss Marion Leach, of Eugene, and Miss Elizabeth Dunn, of Aberdeen, assisting in the serving. Little Margaret Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stewart, greeted the guests at the door. A patriotic motif was carried out with the decorations of gay red tulips and with tiny hatchets in the ices. Out of town guests invited were the guest of honor and Mrs. Harry Titus, Mrs. Gavin Dyott and Mrs. Louis Charneski, all of Eugene, and Mrs. Sam Anderson of Aberdeen.

Tanglefoot dancing club members will have their first dance of the spring session tonight in I. O. O. F. hall, with decorations carried out in the spirit of the Washington birthday anniversary. The committee for the dance is: Mesdames E. W. Frans, H. W. Lombard, C. J. Kem, J. T. Finerman, Schofield Stewart, L. W. Coier, W. H. Daugherty, Elbert Bede, P. L. Grannis, George McQueen, Roy Short, K. K. Mills and F. C. Ford. Hostesses for the second and third dances will be: Costume dance, March 19—Mesdames Hagen, G. Smith, Chambers, Morford, Hazen, Liston, Clark, Hill, Lattie, E. Garoutte, Reise, Murphy. April 16—Mesdames Anderson, Owen, Cruse, B. Leonard, Barker, Dungan, Morris, Gowdy, Pirtle, Fuller, W. Garoutte. The executive committee for the session is Fred Anderson, Schofield Stewart, Glen D. Smith, Earl Garoutte and H. A. Hagen.

Complimenting her daughter, Mrs. Leontine Lusk, on the anniversary of her birthday, Mrs. W. M. Morelock invited a group of Mrs. Lusk's friends in Saturday afternoon to make five tables of bridge. Yellow daffodils and pussy willows were attractive house decorations. Miss Thelma Wheeler won high score at cards and Mrs. Carl Witte the consolation prize. Those bidden for the affair were Miss Eva Rice, Roseburg, Mrs. W. A. Garoutte, Mrs. G. A. Sanders, Mrs. Glen Smith, Mrs. Carl Witte, Mrs. Cleo Morelock, Mrs. Ivan Barker, Mrs. Earl Garoutte, Mrs. Smiley Morris, Mrs. Ralph Saltzman, Mrs. Hilah Laffoon, Mrs. Fay Allison, Mrs. Maunee, Mrs. Elmer McCollum, Alma Dale Covington, Thelma Wheeler, Bonita Benger, Dolly Pitcher, Evelyn Veach.

An old fashioned dance with old fashioned music will be the entertainment for members of the American Legion and auxiliary at a joint meeting of those two organizations tonight. John Nokes, violinist, and Mrs. C. H. Boslough, pianist, will furnish the music. W. B. Stennett is on the program for a stunt and other entertainment is promised by the committee in charge. Members of the auxiliary who do not care to dance will take a quilt for a family needing help. The committee in charge of refreshments is Mrs. O. M. Kem, Mrs. Sol Coffman, Mrs. Roscoe Forward, Miss Myrtle Kem and Mrs. John Miller.

Mrs. C. E. Umphrey, Mrs. Leslie Cooper and Mrs. N. E. Glass were hostesses for Constellation club Thursday afternoon in Masonic hall. Potted plants and ferns were table decorations and tiny hatchets were favors in keeping with the approaching anniversary of Washington's birthday. Additional guests were Miss Grace Johnson, of Salt Lake City, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. L. Godard, Mrs. Roy Leonard, Mrs. Clyde Leonard and Mrs. Earl Cone. The club will sponsor a benefit card party, the date having been set tentatively for March 15.

Members of the La Mercedi Pont bridge club were guests Friday night of Mrs. Ivan Barker, who also invited Mrs. L. E. Liston, Mrs. Herbert Reise, Mrs. Fred Bennett and Miss Bethel Gowdy to share her hospitality. Miss Helen Breedlove and Mrs. Brighton Leonard held high scores and Miss Violet Hukari low score. Tinted pussy willows and potted cyclamens were used effectively as decorations and the tally cards gave a patriotic touch in keeping with the Washington birthday anniversary. A two-course luncheon was served.

Mrs. Harold Johnson invited in a few friends Friday evening to make up five tables of ruck at which Mrs. Albert Woodard held high score. At the close of the evening a two-course luncheon was served. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Woodard, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Compton, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Umphrey, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Mackin, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Moore, Miss Virginia Magness and Paul Steinbrook.

Unusually successful was the card party sponsored by the Degree of Honor lodge Wednesday night, about 80 persons, guests and lodge members, being present. The hall was elaborately decorated with streamers of red hearts. At bridge Mrs. Schofield Stewart won first prize for ladies and Glen Smith first prize for men. Mrs. A. W. Swanson had second high score. Mrs. Carrie Hemenway had high score at five hundred and John Skilling won the prize at the pinocle table. During the evening a quartet composed of Thelma Wheeler, Mrs. Glen Smith, Mrs. Fay Isam and Mrs. Carl Witte furnished vocal numbers. They were accompanied by Glenda Ross. Mrs. Carl Witte and Mrs. Leontine Lusk played saxophone duets, with Thelma Wheeler at the piano, and Mrs. Fay Allison entertained with piano solos. Refreshments were served by six girls dressed in the white drill team uniforms of the lodge. A St. Patrick's day dance to be held March 17 at the armory, will be the next event sponsored by the organization. The lodge will meet in I. O. O. F. hall after the first of March.

The Latham Community club will meet at 10 o'clock Friday forenoon at the home of Mrs. Hugh Trunnell for the first of a series of meetings on nutrition under the direction of Mrs. Agnes S. Brightman, district home demonstration agent. The group will study the subject, "Food Values in Relation to Health." The meeting is open to any one interested. The women will bring basket lunches.

Guest night will be observed Tuesday night by the Tuesday Evening Study club, when they will entertain the teaching staff of the Cottage Grove schools and the vocal and piano teachers at the home of Mrs. C. E. Umphrey. An interesting program is being prepared.

Departing from the regular custom of an afternoon session of bridge, Mrs. W. H. Daugherty will entertain members of the Tuesday Bridge club and their husbands for an evening of bridge tomorrow night at her home.

Mrs. W. J. White will be program leader for the regular gathering of Research club Tuesday afternoon at the city library, the subject for the meeting being "Ralph Waldo Emerson."

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Glass, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ostrander.

The women of the Baptist church will enjoy a social afternoon in the church parlors Wednesday and Mrs. Waldron and Mrs. Leonard will be hostesses.

Mrs. J. Q. Willits and Mrs. D. H. Hemenway will entertain Wednesday evening for the Tillicum club at the home of Mrs. N. E. Compton.

The Social Twelve club will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. E. Compton.

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