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FLIT THE FLAPPER.

We are assured by no less an authority than the Eugene Guard that the flapper is about to flit away and that in her place will come a girl who will be more natural and less self-conscious. The Guard gets its information from no less a source than some league in Chicago which seems to dictate what our girls shall and shall not be.

The Guard seems to object to the girl who has put as little as possible on her body and as much as possible on her face. We trust that when the dear little flapper flits back from wherever it is that she is going to flit to make the change predicted by the Guard she won't come arrayed in dresses that catch under her heels and with hair done up in a hay mow on the back or top of her head.

The Guard pines for the lost art of being natural. We join in the pining, but we trust the girls won't get any closer to nature than they already have.

The Guard says girls will be girls. The great trouble seems to be that they have tried to be boys, with the result that man has lost the courtesy and deference formerly bestowed upon the feminine. A boyish bob does not call for a doffing of the male lid; skirts above the knee do not suggest courteous male assistance across a mud puddle or into an aptomobile.

If there is to be a return to the natural in the feminine, we trust there will be a return of the lost art of male courtesy.

The sprightly, sputtering Spectator, edited during the spare moments of humorous Hugh Hume, charges Editor Harold Hamstreet of Wallowa with having referred to the editor of this great family journal as Sir Obelisk. While the charge was preferred by humorous Hugh without thought of evil consequences,

it is unfair and has brought great distress of mind to the philologist who makes the Wallowa Sun shine like the nose of John Barleycorn will if Al Smith is elected president. The gentle Harold of the euphonic town of Wallowa lives in a community where harsh words and profane language are forbidden, and the unqualified charge preferred by humorous Hugh and read by the Spectator's subscriber in Wallowa, has resulted in resolutions being adopted by the ladies' aid society and the W. C. T. U. protesting against Harold's unseemly conduct and his uncalled for use of language imputed to him, but which really could have come from no other than the distorted, distressed, diabolical imagination of the Beau Brummell of the Spectator.

Clever Claude Ingalls, who grabs a minute or two from the golf course every once in a while to write editorials for the Corvallis Gazette-Times, finds fault with the editor of Cottage Grove's leading newspaper for preaching to the young folks and is particularly vindictive in his denunciation of the publication of sermons delivered by this writer. Something worse might happen to the kids. Claude might come here and preach to them, and in such case their faith would be taken from them, for they would find that many complimentary things said about the Corvallis Adonis by this writer are not true. In order that we may retain our unsullied reputation for veracity, we trust that Ingalls sticks to his own ballistics and to his own editorial columns.

A furore has been raised over the claim of Eastland, Tex., that a horned toad in excellent health has been released from the cornerstone of the town hall, where it was placed 31 years ago. Professors of biology, geology and bugology have arisen in protest. In view of the fact that we have seen human beings retain their health for periods longer than this while animation appeared to be suspended, we are inclined to believe in the truth of the story from Eastland.

Many men get a great deal of credit trying to do something they can't accomplish, which, of course, disgraces those who are too ornery or too lazy to try.

Men like to marry widows because they have had experience and won't be expecting as much as the virgin who has never had her ideals shattered.

We notice that folks who know it all have just as much curiosity as we have.

The person who shocks you doesn't necessarily have a magnetic personality.

AN ACROBATIC WORD.

COTTAGE GROVE, Ore., Feb. 25.—(To the Editor.)—Will you please ask the school children whether they know of a word that looks the same right side up or bottom side up and reading either backward or forward. I know of only one word having this distinction.
ELLA A. WIESE.

ANNUAL INSPECTION OF BATTERY WEDNESDAY

Annual inspection of Battery "E," local national guard unit, will be held Wednesday night and Lieut.-Col. J. L. Long, of the coast artillery corps, will be inspecting officer. Major C. W. Waller of Salem, instructor for the 249th coast artillery, also will be present. The inspection is open to the public.

Colonel Long will review the administrative work of the battery in the afternoon. At the inspection officers will be given small tactical problems and the assembly formation for the battery will be with full field equipment except that full packs will not be worn. Other equipment will be displayed and inspected in the unit's store room.

The battery will hold drill Tuesday night and no excuses for absence either Tuesday or Wednesday nights will be accepted, Captain C. C. Cruson said.

The question of whether drill hall and armory facilities are adequate will be considered by Colonel Long.

DEMOCRATS ORGANIZE MAY HAVE CANDIDATES

The democratic ticket should include a candidate for each office to be filled in the forthcoming election, members of the Lane county Democratic committee decided at a recent meeting.

George N. McLean was named chairman of the county group. Other officers are George O. Goodall, secretary; E. B. Parks, state central committeeman and P. L. Armitage, congressional committeeman.

The chairman will appoint an executive committee and will fill vacancies by naming precinct committeemen.

Home trade merchants will buy their Salesbooks from their Home Print Shop.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Carrie Jackson, grand associate conductress of the grand chapter and deputy to the grand worthy matron, made her official visit to the local Easter Star chapter Friday evening. A large number attended and initiatory work was put on for two candidates and two others became members by affiliation. A number of visitors were present. Mrs. Jackson praised the work of the chapter and spoke of the district meeting to be held in Eugene in March. A social hour followed the regular session and a buffet supper was served. The dining room was decorated with pussy willows and a bouquet of violets centered the dining table. The hostess committee was Mrs. T. C. Wheeler, Mrs. O. L. Nichols, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. A. W. Swanson, Mrs. Ralph Saltzman, Mrs. C. C. Cruson, Miss Myrtle Kem, Mrs. W. J. White and Mrs. Andrew Brund.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bartels were honored with a surprise party by a group of friends Wednesday evening in celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary. The guests served a 6:30 dinner and a social evening followed. Many attractive gifts and bouquets were given Mr. and Mrs. Bartels. They were married February 22, 1878, in Neosho, Mo. Eight children were born to this union, seven of whom are living. They are Mrs. Mary Brown and Fred and William Bartels, all of Cottage Grove; Mrs. Mattie Clark and Mrs. Sarah Powers, both of Portland; Mrs. Lillie Douglas, Medford; and Mrs. Ethel Cashaw, Dunsmuir, Cal. Mrs. Clark was here from Portland for the party. Mr. and Mrs. Bartels have been residents of this city for 28 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Barker entertained Thursday evening for the Bona Tempo club. All club members were present and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Morris were additional guests. The evening was spent playing bridge. Mrs. Glen D. Smith held high score for the women and R. A. Morris for the men and Mrs. Earl Garoutte held low score for the women and G. A. Sanders for the men. A delicious luncheon was served at midnight. The rooms were attractive with bouquets of sweetpeas and tinted pussy willows. The club will hold its next meeting March 8 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Garoutte.

The Social Twelve club was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. E. Compton. In honor of four members whose birthday anniversaries are in February, Mrs. Compton, Mrs. Herbert Eakin, Miss Esther Silsby and Mrs. B. R. Job, other members had prepared a surprise. Each of the four was given a miniature mail box in which were a number of birthday greetings. A lighted birthday cake in the form of a flag was another feature. A short business session was held and a social time with needlework followed.

Bert B. Chandler camp of the Spanish War veterans held its annual dinner Saturday night in veterans' hall. Families of members were present and other guests were Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Lebow, R. N. Vinson and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Boone. Mr. Boone is a veteran of the Indian wars. A program of toasts was given and Harry K. Metcalf, past commander, was toastmaster. A social evening followed and music was enjoyed.

The Latham Community club will hold the second of its series of meetings on "Nutrition" at 10 a. m. Friday at the home of Mrs. Archie Walker. The meetings are open to anyone interested. Those attending will take basket lunches. The meetings are held under the direction of Miss Agnes S. Brightman, district home demonstration agent, and Friday's meeting will deal partly with meal planning. A large number attended last Friday's meeting.

Mrs. Albert Woodard entertained Thursday afternoon for the Utopia club. Additional guests were Mrs. Durning and Mrs. Carlile. A pleasant afternoon was spent with needlework. At the close of the afternoon a delicious two-course luncheon was served. Pink candles and pink cyclamen were table decorations and artistic placecards were used.

Mrs. William Baker and Mrs. Ira Beidler were joint hostesses Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Baker for the Past Noble Grand club of the Rebekah lodge. The afternoon was spent with needlework. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. L. E. Liston will be program leader at the Delphin society meeting tonight in the library. The subject for study will be "Modern Romances in the Making."

Mrs. Clara Burkholder, Mrs. C. A. Beidler and Mrs. Earl Baldwin will be hostesses Thursday afternoon in Masonic hall for Constellation club.

Mrs. William Thum will entertain the Joker club at her home on Thursday evening.

Mrs. R. B. Reed entertained Thursday afternoon for the Ad Libitum club. Additional guests were Mrs. W. I. Mills, mother of the hostess, Miss Edna McNew and Miss Snider. A pleasant social afternoon was enjoyed. Dainty refreshments were served. An attractive bouquet of pink and lavender sweetpeas was the table centerpiece.

Officers of the Eastern Star entertained with a dinner Friday evening at Hotel Bartell in honor of Mrs. Carrie Jackson, grand associate conductress and deputy of the grand worthy matron.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church held a party Friday evening in the church parlors. The evening was spent with games and contests. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. W. W. McFarland will entertain Tuesday afternoon with a 1:30 o'clock luncheon at the Colonial cafe for the LaComus club.

The Elmarites club will be entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Hall.

The Mothers' club will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. F. C. Houser.

W. R. C. Committees Named.

Several standing committees of the women's relief corps were named by the president, Mrs. Eva Aubrey, at the meeting Saturday afternoon as follows: Relief, Mrs. Julia Ashby, Mrs. Harriet Leonard, Mrs. Carrie Hemenway, Mrs. Emma Tompkins; executive, Mrs. Mahala Teeters, Mrs. Laura McKernan, Mrs. Bohm; auditory, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. Harriet Leonard and Mrs. W. L. Hatch. Mrs. Hatch was installed as senior vice president. The altar was draped in memory of Mrs. Emma J. Miller.

At the close of the business meeting a program in honor of Washington and Lincoln was given as follows: Reading, "The American Flag," Georgetta Knowles; piano solo, Viola Rohde; reading, Dorothy Hatch; vocal duet, Mae Aubrey and Dora Casper; piano solo, Georgetta Knowles; reading, Frankie Fuson; reading, Mrs. Elizabeth Fahrenwald; reading, Elizabeth Rohde; short talks on Washington and Lincoln by several members of the corps. A luncheon followed the program. The rooms were decorated with flags and bunting.

Auxiliary to Organize.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles at its meeting last week voted to organize a women's auxiliary of the lodge. Mrs. Mildred Baker was named to have charge of securing members and completing organization.

The Law of Supply and Demand.

P. T. Barnum, at the outset of his career as a showman, originated the idea of the Happy Family, taking his cue from that prophecy of holy writ wherein it is stated that the lion and the lamb eventually shall lie down together.

The thing proved a sensation. On the opening day, following advertisements in the daily press, crowds flocked to Barnum's museum to stand in front of a cage wherein, with no bars to separate them, were displayed a lion, a tiger and panther and in the midst of these a gentle lambkin, all four dwelling together in seeming amity. News of the marvelous wonder spread and the patronage increased by leaps and bounds. Nevertheless, Mr. Barnum appeared at times worried.

When the spectacle was two weeks old a friend inquired of him how the Happy Family seemed to be getting along.

"Oh, fairly well," said the great showman. "I am going to make a permanent feature of it if only the supply of lambs hold out."

DO YOU KNOW?

Questions—22

- 1—Who said: "I mean to stir the Yankee blood as I stir this grog"?
- 2—What country holds the Davis international tennis championship?
- 3—What is the weight of the human heart?
- 4—What is a galvanometer?
- 5—What states were originally colonized by the Dutch?
- 6—How many Presidents have been assassinated and who?
- 7—What living composer writes music of rare and exotic charm that is so original in conception and so startlingly dynamic that it has been termed musical anarchy?
- 8—What bay, projecting far into the interior of North America, forms a vast inland sea?
- 9—What is Edmund Spenser's best-known poem?
- 10—What great innovation did Henry Ford establish in his plants?

Answers—22

- 1—Major Pitcairn, before the battle of Lexington.
- 2—The United States.
- 3—The average human heart weighs nine and one-half ounces.
- 4—An instrument for detecting the presence of an electric current or measuring its strength.
- 5—New York, New Jersey.
- 6—Three: Lincoln, Garfield, McKinley.
- 7—Stravinsky.
- 8—Hudson bay.
- 9—"The Faerie Queene."
- 10—The five-day week.

Larger Cubes Butter Are Asked

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Feb. 27.—(UP)—One inch cubes of butter as standard portions in hotels and restaurants are advocated as a farm relief measure by B. F. Sherman, local dairyman.

The average service of butter is one-third ounce, he cites. Serving inch cubes would add one-fourth ounce per portion, an increase of 35,000,000 pounds annually for the country, Sheridan estimates.

OIL WELL DRILL SOON TO REACH 3500 FEET

Rapid progress is being made at the Guaranty Oil company hole at City Outlook, Eugene, it was reported Saturday by W. E. Marston, president of the Crown Oil company which is drilling the hole. It will not be long before a 3500 foot depth is reached, he said.

An eight inch hole is being run at the present time and will be continued to the 3500 foot depth, when a six-inch drill will be used.

The Crown Oil company's holdings now include all the present drilling equipment, a 30 per cent royalty in the drilling lease and 2000 acres of leases surrounding the well, Mr. Marston said. It is the intention of the drilling company to move all equipment to a new location, probably to Cottage Grove, as soon as commercial production of oil or gas is secured.

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DELIGHT VALLEY.

(Special to the Sentinel.)
Feb. 23.—J. A. Joll is building a new addition onto his house. This will be 14x18 feet and two stories high.

Mrs. E. J. Sears visited her sisters in Salem over the week end while her son Max attended the conference at O. S. C. in Corvallis.

Francis Horn, accompanied by his mother, attended the O. S. C. conference.

Sunday guests at the E. J. Kent home were Mr. and Mrs. George Curran, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sears and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKibben of Cottage Grove.

Mrs. Holman of Vancouver is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lawrence Brown.

Miss Gwendolyn Haight taught at high school in Miss Gothard's place while the latter was away on business.

Mrs. Gorton and Miss Lois Jackson of Eugene spent Monday eve-

ning with Miss Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Brown and daughter of Corvallis spent Sunday at the Charles Conner home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Moore and daughter returned Tuesday evening from an extended visit in Kansas. They say Oregon looks better to them now than ever before.

Social Neighbors club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. E. Nixon with Mrs. Aden Miller and Mrs. Hugh Nixon assisting. Room decorations were in keeping with Washington's birthday and the delicious lunch further carried out the idea. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lee Nixon.

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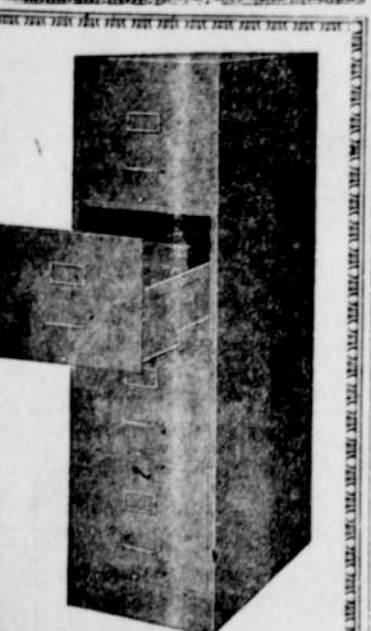
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