

SOCIETY NEWS

BY GERTRUDE P. CORBETT

MRS. SUSIE FENNELLS PIPES yesterday entertained with a most interesting and delightful literary-musical, honoring Anne Shannon Monroe, the well-known writer.

Miss Monroe read one of her latest short stories during the afternoon, and a charming trio—cello, violin and piano—was given by Genevieve, Jack and Dorothy Frazer, which caused quite an ovation to be given the young trio by the assembly.

The rooms were prettily decked in keeping with the Yuletide season, and at the close of the programme "Hooverized" refreshments were served. Mrs. Mary Frances Isom and Mrs. Harry Beala Torrey presiding at the table.

Mrs. Pipers' guests were: Mrs. Margaret Burrell Eddle, Mrs. Gordon Voorhies, Mrs. Torrey, Miss Genevieve Thompson, Mrs. Frederick Strong, Mrs. Robert Stronach, Mrs. William Wood, Miss Frances Gill, Mrs. Lee Hoffman, Miss Margery Hoffman, Miss Elsa Gerelle, Miss Susie Smith, Mrs. J. E. Berthold, Mrs. J. E. Bilderback, Miss Isom, Mrs. John Beason, Mrs. Thomas Carrick Burke, Mrs. M. L. Pipes, Mrs. Theodore Brown, Mrs. Harold M. Sawyer, and Mrs. von Ettinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd M. Hamilton are receiving congratulations of the rival of a son, Boyd Kirby Hamilton.

Mrs. Katherine Daly who has been visiting her son, Herbert Daly, in Detroit, has returned to her home here. Mrs. Daly also visited friends in Chicago en route home and while there was entertained extensively. At San Francisco she was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Alf Kelly and also was the guest of Capt. and Mrs. C. Elliott at Mare Island for a few days.

Betsy Ross Council will give a dance and card party Saturday evening. These parties are very popular, and a large attendance is expected.

The Tillamook Dancing Club will hold the last party of the first series at Harlow Grady Hall Saturday evening. It has been planned to have the party a costume affair, but due to the Red Cross drive it was decided to have the costume party some time during the second series, which starts January 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Grady will give their junior advanced classes a Christmas party this evening. Each member of the class has invited two friends, and the young people are looking ahead to a jolly time home with the gifts given over to dancing and refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Grady will leave Saturday evening for Los Angeles to observe Christmas with Mr. Grady's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Walker, of Yamhill, are spending a week in Portland, having their baby operated upon. They are at the Good Samaritan Hospital.

Mrs. Herman Heppner went to the Dalles yesterday at the request of several of the most prominent society folk of that city to arrange a party for the appearance of the San Carlo Grand Opera Company that will be held in Portland January 12. There will be eight performances, including several of the favorite operas, and for each occasion society will be represented by this evening. Each member of the class has invited two friends, and the young people are looking ahead to a jolly time home with the gifts given over to dancing and refreshments.

Miss Catherine Dresser has arrived from Astoria to pass the holidays with relatives and friends in this city.

J. Francis Glass left for Tacoma and Seattle to pass the holidays with his mother. Upon his return the first of the year he will resume his studies at Columbia University.

The members of the Albina Machine Company will be hosts for a formal dinner party Saturday night in the peacock room of the Multnomah Hotel. Covers have been arranged for 27.

A merry Christmas party was given on Wednesday night by the women residents of the Martha Washington, who entertained at a dance for about 40 couples. The social room was decorated in holly and garlands of greenery. Refreshments were served late in the evening. Several who did not care to dance played cards, and all entered with true holiday spirit into the festivity.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Melbourne T. Abel and Mrs. C. B. White were hostesses at the clubhouse for the members and friends of the Laurelhurst Club Ladies' Tuesday Afternoon Card Club. Despite the disagreeable weather, a large number were present and an enjoyable afternoon was spent at bridge and "five hundred." Prizes in bridge were won by Mrs. P. E. Ebbenshade and Mrs. J. M. Lister and five hundred by Mrs. Ferdinand E. Reed and Mrs. P. A. Kelschneider.

Tonight the members of the club will engage in dancing at Cottillion Hall and on the following Monday afternoon, December 24, the Laurelhurst Club Study Club will meet at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Mabel Holmes Parsons as leader. Mrs. Parsons on the same evening at the clubhouse will deliver her lecture, "The New Popular Criticism," to which the public is cordially invited.

A holly booth with Mrs. W. D. Wheelwright in charge will be a feature at the Red Cross shop auction sale Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Among the articles to be auctioned will be a pale pink cameo necklace, beautifully cut, some old English silver spoons, some silver plates, heirlooms, a statue, marble busts given by Mrs. Hirsch, an ivory and lace fan from Paris, a statuette, silver after-dinner coffee cups, a Mandarin coat. Members of the club will be glad to see you.

The weekly meeting of the British Red Cross Society will be held in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Eleventh and Alder streets, Saturday evening. The remainder of the articles left over at the British section of the bazaar will be disposed of, and the proceeds will be turned over to the bazaar fund. A cordial invitation is extended to all so that everything can be cleaned up. There will be no meeting of the society on Saturday, December 23. The meetings will resume on the first Saturday of January.

Teachers of high and grade schools will meet tomorrow from 10 to 12 o'clock in the Lipman Wolfe Red Cross room to do patriotic work.

Those who are interested in the Red Cross shop at 108 Fifth street will be glad to know that the Jefferson High School boys of the manual training department have sent over another consignment of the popular toy "The Go-Bugs" that will be sold for the fund that for the Oregon troops abroad. Many other schools have done well in making attractive articles and all deserve credit for their patriotism and practical help.

Women's Clubs
The Overlook Woman's Club will meet today with Mrs. H. E. Raven, 788 Melrose drive. The club is sewing for the poor.

One of the most attractive Christmas parties for clubwomen was that

CHAIRMAN PHILANTHROPY COMMITTEE PORTLAND WOMAN'S CLUB, WHO WILL TAKE CHARGE OF THE SALE OF RED CROSS SEALS TOMORROW.



Mrs. J. C. Costello

bers of the committee are Mrs. J. C. Ainsworth, Mrs. Dallas Hache, Mrs. L. Allen Lewis and Miss Caroline Planders. Several society girls will assist.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sharpe, of Prineville, arrived in town to spend the holidays with the latter's parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Morrison.

A surprise dancing party for the cadets of Hill Military Academy was given last night by the faculty. The boys, day scholars as well as boarders, were ordered to appear for the evening study hour. In the midst of the quiet of the study period about 30 young girls and a group of chaperones appeared and the dance was the order of the evening. This was the final social event at the academy before the Christmas holidays.

WOMEN'S PATRIOTIC SERVICE BY EDITH KNIGHT HOLMES

IF YOU'VE never gone hungry and felt the need of warm clothing and comforts, you've missed a lot in life. You have no idea how to sympathize with the poor or with the soldiers who are in the trenches in France. That is the opinion of one of the Red Cross workers in the Peninsula district, where the response for Red Cross memberships has been splendid. Many of the people there are in moderate circumstances, but they are responding nobly.

A captain in that district said yesterday that one of her best workers is a girl of German parentage. This girl has two brothers in the American forces fighting in France, and she has letters from the brothers stating that the Red Cross is doing such great and helpful things for the soldier boys.

At one house the worker called and found a couple just arrived in Portland and the family fund consisted of \$15. Of this they gave \$1, and the wife joined the Peninsula Red Cross auxiliary. The worker hesitated about taking the dollar from people so poor, but the man who is well and strong and willing to work, declared he soon could get a job and make more, and it might save some poor fellow in the trenches. It is the people who have known what that can feel most for those who are making the big sacrifice.

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Lavender Club, branch 1, will meet today at 1 o'clock in the East Side Business Men's Club house.

A Christmas programme will be given by the girls of the Gearhart Club Sunday afternoon at 4:30 in the Y. W. C. A. auditorium: "The Story of the Other Wise Man," Olga Hallingby; Christmas music, boys from Trinity Episcopal choir and Miss Orma Burdick. During the social hour, at the close of this service, the following numbers will be played on the Victrola: From the "Messiah," "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," "He Shall Feed His Flock," "Hallelujah Chorus"; from the "Elijah," "If With All Your Hearts," "Stille Nacht, Heilige Nacht," Miss Agatha Grondahl, president of the club, will preside. All men and girls are invited.

The Grange Woman's Club will hold its regular meeting today in room A, Central Library, at 2 P. M. Bruce Dennis, of the State National Defense Board, will address the club on the subject "Farmers in Patriotic Service." Early Oregon history will also be discussed.

This club is taking up the matter of Oregon medicinal herbs as a part of its home industries study. It will perfect a plan whereby the school children of the state will make collections during their vacation months and exhibit at the county and state fairs. Prizes will be awarded.

KITCHEN ECONOMIES BY ISOBEL BRANDS

Four Delicious Christmas Cornmeal Desserts.

THERE'S another way to save the precious white flour—use cornmeal instead of white flour when you bake puddings, pies and many other forms of desserts.

Did you know that you can use the plain, uncooked cornmeal to take the place of pie crust in many varieties of pies? For example, instead of baking your crust for a lemon meringue or other fruit pie, simply sprinkle thickly the bottom of the greased pie plate with uncooked cornmeal. It develops a nut-like flavor in baking, and many people even prefer it to the heavy pie crust.

Here are some other delicious cornmeal desserts:

Cornmeal Pudding.
1 cupful of cornmeal.
1/2 cupful of rye.
1/2 cupful of hot milk.
4 cupfuls of cold milk.
1 1/2 cupfuls of molasses.
1 egg.
1 tablespoonful of butter.
1/2 teaspoonful of nutmeg.
1/2 teaspoonful of salt.

that have been soaked in water and drained. Mix the apples with the sugar and cinnamon and fill into a buttered baking dish. Spread the cornmeal over the top and bake 45 minutes.

Molasses Corn Cake.
2 cupfuls of cornmeal.
1 1/2 cupfuls of sour milk.
3/4 cupful of molasses.
2 tablespoonfuls of shortening.
1/2 teaspoonful salt.
1 1/2 teaspoonful soda.
1 egg.

Sift all the dry ingredients together, then add the milk, molasses shortening and the beaten egg, beating all thoroughly. Pour into a deep, greased pan and bake 45 minutes.

Cornmeal Chocolate Cake.
1 1/2 cupfuls of cornmeal.
7/8 cupful of sour milk.
3/4 cupful of molasses.
4 tablespoonfuls of fat.
2 tablespoonfuls of chocolate.
1 1/2 teaspoonfuls of salt.
3/4 teaspoonful of soda.
1 egg.

Heat the molasses and gradually stir in the cornmeal, fat, chocolate and salt, then put aside to cool. Add the milk, then the flour and soda sifted together and the beaten egg. Pour into a greased, shallow baking dish and bake for 30 minutes in a moderate oven.

COMEDIANS HEAD BILL

PEARL BROTHERS ACT FEATURE AT HIPPODROME.

Leatia Miller Appears in Clever Farce as Girl Raffles and Thoroughly Pleases Audience.

Pearl brothers, a fat one and a little one, and a comedian named Burns absolutely walk away with the new bill at the Hippodrome this week, and this despite the fact there are a half a dozen other good acts.

The Pearl-Burns combination hasn't a serious moment in all its clever turn. Burns plays the piano, and plays it mighty well, too, while the little Pearl sings in a great, big voice, and the big Pearl warbles in a still bigger voice. A brilliant act of athletic feats, a grand opera, and sing popular airs, putting it all over with comedy emphasis. One capital turn the offer is a ventriloquist travesty with the big Pearl as the ventriloquist and Burns in a splendid characterization of the "dummy."

An interesting offering is that of James Devlin and Leatia Miller in a farce called "Just One Little Girl." The little girl is demure, and the gray who comes to call at the bachelor apartments of the man about town. She steals everything in sight, even the telephone off the wall, and the audience rejoices at the discomfiture of the "wise guy" host. The comedy is neatly put over by Mr. Devlin, and Miss Miller is dainty and clever as the girl Raffles.

A trio of musical folk are the "Three Xylophonds," who speedily dash from grave to gay in their playing. A brilliant bit in this act is the music brought from bottles partly filled with water. Jack Fox and Joe Wynn, billed as the "Boys From Memphis," sing and dance gaily, and wind up their bright turn with a surprise that brings laughter.

Chester and Johnson, a daredevil cyclist and a pretty girl, open the bill with an interesting and diverting turn. Closing the vaudeville part of the bill is the Hylarson troupe of four European novelty gymnasts in a series of daring adventures on the bars and exhibition of athletic prowess.

The photoplay is a big dramatic incident entitled "A Game of Wits," featuring the talented Gail Kane.

FIRE DEMONSTRATION PLAN

Mr. Bigelow to Show Ability of New Apparatus on Unpaved Streets.

Residents in districts where horse-drawn fire apparatus stations are to be discontinued will be shown the possibility of getting automobile apparatus into unpaved districts. City Commissioner Bigelow is planning a demonstration as soon as the first of the powerful new fire machines recently ordered are received.

The plan of cutting out some stations and maintaining protection by installing powerful machines in other nearby stations has met with considerable objection because of the general supposition that the auto ma-



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chines cannot go into unpaved districts. Commissioner Bigelow contends that the machines will go where horse-drawn apparatus cannot. The first of the big machines is expected in the city early in the new year.

PERSISTENT EFFORT WINS
Skamokawa Patriot in Army After Being Twice Rejected.

SKAMOKAWA, Wash., Dec. 20.—(Special.)—Word has been received from Jack Schilling, of this place, to the effect that he is in the training camp at Vancouver. Last Summer Schilling's patriotic spirit was aroused and he decided to enlist in the Army. He tried at Portland and Astoria but was rejected on account of disability. Being determined to "break into the service one way or another" he made preparation and passed the civil service examination for postal clerk. While

waiting for appointment he underwent an operation in hopes of correcting his physical defect. Last week he tried the recruiting office again and had the good fortune to be accepted. He is training for work in the aviation corps.

CHURCH'S SANCTION GIVEN
Catholic Miners May Work on Holy Days in Christmas Season.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Cardinal Gibbons gave his sanction today to Roman Catholic miners working on the holy days falling within the Christmas and New Year holiday season. In a letter to Fuel Administrator Garfield he approved of a suggestion that miners take only Christmas day and New Year's day off and further proposed that saloons might co-operate by closing from 9 o'clock in the evening until 8 o'clock the following morning.

SEND IN YOUR

Liberty Bread Recipe

Any Person is Eligible to Send in a Recipe

Cash Prizes as follows: First Prize, \$20; Second Prize, \$10; Third Prize, \$5; fifteen Fourth Prizes of \$1 each.

Your recipe letter must be received before noon December 27. So get it written right away and send it to the

LIBERTY BREAD RECIPE JUDGES

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SIMPLE CONDITIONS FOR RECIPE WRITERS

We want your recipe for a Liberty Bread in which Seedless Raisins are an ingredient. The recipes must be for a bread in which other materials than wheat flour are used. This does not mean that you must not use wheat flour. You can mix wheat flour with corn, rye, rice, barley, oatmeal, potatoes or any other material. But the recipe which you send the judges must include Seedless Raisins. Do not send a sample of bread. Send only your letter containing the recipe for your own Liberty Bread with Raisins. In the event that two persons are tied for any prize, we will duplicate such prize.

Free Samples of Seedless Raisins

You are not required to buy Seedless Raisins in order to submit a recipe. If you are not acquainted with Seedless Raisins, you can get a free sample package of Sun-Maid Seedless Raisins from any of the grocers mentioned in the prize announcement in this paper for December 19. Get your letter with recipe into the judges' hands immediately. You have until December 27 at noon.

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