ANNUAL CONVENTION OF OREGON FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS OPENS AT PRINEVILLE MONDAY

The Convention Programme Will Be Featured by Recitations, Addresses by Celebrities and Some Excellent Music—Special Train Will Carry Delegates From Portland.

Mrs Ward Swope, President Oregon W. C. T. U. —GROVE.

Mrs I. H. Crawford, President Maplewood Parent Teachers. —GROVE.

Mrs M. H. Lamond, Prominent In The Portland's Woman's Club. —GROVE.

Mrs Elva D. Carlson, Active In Food Conservation Work. —DAVIES.

ALL is in readiness for the important meeting of the year, the state convention of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs, which will open in Prineville tomorrow night.

Portland will send a good representation and the towns throughout the state will be well represented. In fact, the smaller cities are planning to send the larger proportionate delegations.

The federation special will leave the Union Station at 8:20 o'clock tomorrow morning. Delegates are reminded to be sure to get their certificates when purchasing their tickets to Redmond. When the whistles blow and the bells ring at the appointed time it will be strictly a woman's train, with women delegates to a woman's convention, in charge of a woman passenger agent, that will start on its way to Central Oregon. Miss Avis Lobdell, passenger agent for the O.-W. R. & N., has been making the preliminary arrangements and will do all the work usually done by a man passenger agent.

The train will be beautifully decorated, the decorations having been planned under the direction of Miss Lobdell and A. H. McKeen, who has designed all the company's prize-winning floats. Flags for the train are loaned by the Employes' Club and include many of their silk trophies.

A diner will be attached to the train and this will obviate the necessity of the box lunches that were to have been taken.

The train will be met at Redmond by women of the convention city, who will escort the delegates to Prineville by autos loaned by the Commercial Club of Prineville.

The latter part of October was selected as the meeting time because the weather at this time is beautiful, and a glorious outing is anticipated by those who will attend. The distance from Redmond to Prineville is 17 miles, not 50, as some imagine.

The train will go by way of the Columbia River, and then up the Deschutes Canyon, one of the finest scenic places in Oregon. Snow-capped mountains will be in full view from the plains that are to be traversed in the latter part of the journey. The convention programme heralds a reception at the convention place tomorrow night, with addresses by celebrities and some excellent music. The programme for the entire meeting is replete with interesting attractions.

The attendance from Portland will be larger than was at first anticipated. Among those clubs that will send delegates are: Army and Navy Auxiliary, Tuesday Afternoon, Civic Welfare, Albina Woman's Graduate Nurses' Association, Research, Railroad Woman's, Shakespeare Study, Woman's, Presidents' Psychology, Coterie, Grade Teachers' Association, Oak Grove and Milwaukie Social Service, Bay View Study, Brooklyn Mothers and Teachers', Charles Dickens, Corriente,, Council of Jewish Women, Monday Musical, Mount Scott Mental Culture, State Woman's Press. There is every indication that the attendance will be well over the 100 mark.

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The annual meeting of the Consumers' League will be held Monday, October 29, at 3:30 P. M. at the home of Mrs. W. L. Brewster, 707 Wayne street. Mrs. William F. Oglewin, who is president of the league, will come to Portland from Seattle to attend the meeting.

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The Portland Woman's Social Science Club expect to engage in Red Cross work on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month. All members and their friends are invited to be present next Tuesday at the Meier & Frank auditorium from 10 to 5 o'clock for this purpose. At the last regular meeting Mrs. Douglas, of Reed College, gave a very interesting and instructive discourse on the closed shop. Mrs. Sarah Moore will represent the newly federated club at the State Federation of Woman's Clubs to be held at Prineville this week. Mrs. Moore leaves on a special train Monday morning.

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The meeting of the Irvington art class, which was held at the home of Mrs. Alice Weister on Wednesday, was an unusually interesting affair. Mrs. Weister gave the opening address and was followed by Mrs. James Beggs, who gave an address on "Rhythm." A delightful feature of the afternoon was the appearance of Miss Alma Gruehnig, who gave several piano solos. Miss Gruehnig is a pupil of Rudolph Ganz, and will leave soon for New York, where she will continue her studies.

The home of Mrs. Weister was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

The members of the class are anticipating a delightful year.

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The Mayflower Club met Monday evening in the blue room with a large attendance and the president, Mrs. Helen Banghart, presiding. After the programme plans were made for the social features of the club this season.

Mrs. Dodson Elected Head of Association.

Mrs. Bernice Merrill Resigns as President of Thompson Parent-Teacher Organization.

THE Thompson Parent-Teacher Association met for the first time this school year in the assembly hall Thursday, October 11. Mr. Brown, the principal, gave a talk on "The Value of An Education," in which he presented the ever-increasing need confronting the parents of today in keeping their children in school, not only to complete the grammar grades, but also for the high, trade and university training.

Owing to accumulated outside duties and activities, Mrs. Bonnie Merrill, who was serving her second term as president of the association, resigned that office. Mrs. G. R. Dodson, 747 Borthwick street, was elected Mrs. Merrill's successor, and Mrs. Foster was elected secretary. Mrs. Hodson, the former secretary, having also tendered her resignation.

After the business meeting an inspection was made of the display of vegetables grown in home gardens by the school children. First and second prizes went to the following children: First prize, Howard Shepard, pumpkins; Albert Wetzell, for onions; Cardell Parrish, for tomatoes and potatoes; Dorothy Ramsay, for carrots and parsnips and squash; Rush Nee, turnips, and Jack Winklebeck for beets. Second prizes: Gladys Junkie, for squash; Dorothy Ramsay, for potatoes; Cyrus Lewis, tomatoes; Albert Hoeft, turnips; Rush Nee, pumpkin and beets; Lillian Black, carrots, and James Rogers, for onions. Dorothy Ramsay, with first and second prizes, was named champion of the school.

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The Big Sisterhood met on Tuesday at the People's Institute to outline their plans for work for the Winter. There were representatives from the Juvenile Court, the department of public safety for women, the attendance department of the public schools, the Catholic Women's League, the Methodist Deaconesses, the People's Institute welfare department, the Pacific States Telephone Company and the Parent-Teacher Associations. The collegiate alumnae is taking an active part in the work. The chairman is Miss Valentine Prichard, vice-chairman; Mrs. H. M. Blansford, and secretary, Mrs. Niel Counse.

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At the last regular meeting of Central Union, Mrs. J. W. Wilkins gave an interesting talk on "The Relation of Dress to Morals." The topic for discussion at the next meeting will be "Some Important Matters Pertaining to Our State Government."

A special meeting was held Friday at the home of the president, Mrs. Hidden, where the making of ration heaters, bandages and comfort bags was the order of the day.

At the meeting next Wednesday, which will be held as usual in Room A, Public Library, bandage making will continue, and as there is a call for more dish towels for our boys in camp, Central Union will be pleased to receive contributions of material.

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The art loan exhibit at the Central Library, which is under the direction of the General Federation of Woman's Clubs, is attracting a great deal of attention. On Monday the pictures will be on exhibition in Central Library Hall for the high school pupils and members of the upper grammar school grades. There will be a lecture given by Mrs. Alice Weister.

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Mrs. A. A. Morrison urges that all of the women in Oregon do their share towards knitting Serbian squares. Old sweaters or socks may be ripped and washed and reknit into squares. The last plea made by Mrs. Morrison was successful, and she asks that again the women show their patriotism and loyalty and help have 3000 more ready by January 1. The others which were made are on their way to their destination. The squares are to be knit 12 inches square and may be sent to Mrs. Morrison at the Trinity Parish-house, 57 North Nineteenth street. This is not for the women of Portland alone, but for all of the women of Oregon.

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The Willamette Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has organized a Red Cross unit and will sew every Tuesday from 10 A. M. till 5 P. M. in the auditorium of Olds, Wortman & King's. All Daughters of the American Revolution and all friends of the organization are invited to sew with the chapter either all day or any part of the day. Bring thimble and scissors.

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The delegates who have been appointed to attend the State Federation at Prineville from the Portland Woman's Club are Mrs. Nettie Greer Taylor, Mrs. Chester Hopkins, Mrs. Esther Jobes, Mrs. John M. Scott, Mrs. John McRoberts, Mrs. Sadie Orr Dunbar, Mrs. F. S. Dunning and Mrs. O. P. M. Jamison.

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The Woman's Auxiliary to the railway mail service will meet at the home of Mrs. B. F. Cannon, 1800 Chautauqua boulevard, on Thursday.

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Beaumont Parent-Teacher Association, one of the "live wires" of the city, will hold an evening meeting on Friday, when an illustrated lecture on "Domestic Pets" will be given by William L. Finley, president of the Audubon Society. Fernwood School will lend its stereopticon machine for the occasion. Music will be a feature. The new Victrola will be used. Miss Elizabeth Pollock, one of the teachers, who is an expert on vocational training, gave an address at the last meeting of the association on Tuesday.

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The Portland Woman's Auxiliary of the Railway Mail Association has issued their attractive year book. The officers for the year include Mrs. H. C. Pettit, president; Mrs. C. A. Bump, vice-president; Mrs. R. J. Woodward, recording and corresponding secretary; Mrs. L. V. King, treasurer; Mrs. B. W. Gothard and Mrs. H. I. Plotts, press correspondents. The members of the programme committee are Mrs. Bump, Mrs. Plott, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. Leedy and Mrs. King. Those on the membership committee are Mrs. Haygarth, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Emmons. On the courtesy and flower committee are Mrs. Gothard, Mrs. Spitzenburg and Mrs. Persinger. Mrs. Butterworth is a member of the club extension committee. On the home economics committee are Mrs. Cannon, Mrs. Grovo and Mrs. Robinson. On the public health committee are Mrs. Van Groos, Mrs. Litchfield and Mrs. Abraham. The programmes outlined for the different meetings are interesting, both socially and intellectually, and are being anticipated with pleasure by the club members.

Oregon Club Women Advised to Help Liberty Loan.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw Points Out That Government Needs Their Aid.

OREGON clubwomen must stand by the woman's committee and buy liberty bonds. If a woman has some money she cannot use it to better advantage.

Hear what Dr. Anna Howard Shaw says:

"The woman's committee is asked by the various departments to urge the state divisions to do certain bits of work whenever the Government wants a drive. Now, the liberty loan drive is before us, and we should devote every energy to that. Do this by the spoken word, by newspaper advertising, by circulars, by every method you know. You can do much by a house-to-house visitation and by personal solicitation.

"We are fighting to teach all the nations of the world the lesson we ourselves have not fully learned, but toward which we are aspiring. We cannot build up one nation into a great democratic force while there lives in any part of the world a great autocratic power built upon the militarism which seeks only for the destruction of other nations. It cannot be done.

Army of Women Vital.

"The first thing women want to get into their heads is this: that the army of men is not one thing, and the army of women another; that the army of men are not patriots and the army of women assistants to patriots. The army of women is an integral part of the army of the Government to carry on the war, and is of as vital importance to the success of the war, as is the Army in the field.

"We women are to do our part. We are to take our share in this work. Before you can get a billion dollars sold in bonds, you have got to sell one dollar's worth in bonds, and before you can sell a billion bonds you have got to sell one bond. Now you and I can sell one bond, and they will never get their billions uutil we sell our ones. And it ought to be the consecrated idea of every woman to buy a bond, if we have got to sell something that we have got, or haven't got, or to borrow something we never expect to pay, and start out in that way. Remember, when we get the bond we have got something that moth and rust cannot corrupt nor destroy, something that will last, something that is ours.

Liberty Bond Is Tie.

"Now if you are able to buy one bond and there is somebody who is not able to buy any, don't buy two for yourself, buy one for another. I am going to tell you what I did when the first bond drive came. I had something I could sell for a thousand dollars. I sold it. I thought I would get a thousand-dollar bond. Then I began to think of my family. You know an old maid has a bigger family than anyone ese. I said, 'Now I am not the only patriot in the family. I have got a lot of youngsters who cannot afford to buy bonds, but I should be very mean to get a thousand-dollar bond for myself, and not have the other members of my family get any. And so I divided up. Every niece and every grand-niece got a bond, and they are tied up to the Government by that little bit of a bond.

"I am glad the Government had to call on the women in its financial flight. They thought women had never known anything about that, and never could know anything about it. Now they recognize that they cannot carry on a great big financial scheme without getting the backing of the women. And the women must prove to the Government that it was a great deal wiser than it thought it was in calling on the women."

War Pictures Will Be Shown This Week.

Plans Completed for Raising Fund for Soldiers and Sailors.

THE various committees appointed by Mayor Baker to secure an emergency fund for the soldiers and sailors of Oregon report a wide interest in the entertainments which are to be given at the Auditorium during the week beginning October 21.

A large number of reels showing the activities in the training camps have been sent by the Government to be used for this occasion. Many of Portland's best musicians and singers will entertain between reels. Governor Withycombe is chairman of the men's committee on state co-operation. Mrs. J. F. Chapman, chairman of the women's committee on state co-operation, is receiving a large nmmber of inquiries as to how, when and by whom the fund is to be administered. These questions are of vital importance to every contributor to the fund and must be carefully provided for.

Mrs. J. Francis Drake, chairman of fraternal organizations, has met with fraternal organizations throughout the city. The reports are that fraternal societies will take an active part in selling tickets. The women's clubs of the city are being interested in the sale of tickets by Mrs. C. B. Simmons.

Any information desired may be obtained by calling Mrs. G. J. Frankel or Mrs. M. McClallen, Red Cross headquarters, Meier & Frank building.

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The Portland Grade Teachers' Association will hold an informal Hallowen party in the Lincoln High School gymnasium on the evening of October 26. The affair is in the nature of a "get-acquainted" party, at which a short programme of music and readings by members of the corps will be followed by games, refreshments and dancing. The party is complimentary and all grade teachers, especially those new to the corps, are cordially invited to be present.

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The Civic Improvement Club of Independence is one of the most active clubs of the community. The president is Mrs. K. C. Eldridge; first vice-president, Mrs. O. D. Butler; second vice-president, Mrs. A. L. Thomas; secretary, Mrs. Clyde Ecker; financial secretary, Mrs. J. S. Cooper; treasurer, Mrs. D. D. Davis, and board of directors, Mrs. Sherman Hays, Mrs. E. E. Paddock and Mrs. George W. Conkey. The chairmen for the following committees are: Auditing, Mrs. P. M. Kirkland; street, Mrs. S. E. Owen; health, Mrs. Crosby Davis, and charity, Mrs. J. E. Hubbard. The programmes outlined for the meetings for the year are interesting and promise to be of benefit to the club members and the community.

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The Central Oregon Enterprise, with progressiveness true to its name, has big headlines across the entire front page announcing the big club event of the year—the state convention of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs at Prineville, October 22 to 25. The Commercial Club of the convention city is assisting the clubwomen in planning a big entertainment for the visitors. True frontier days will be depicted. The stockmen of the locality have arranged a bountiful "Buckaroo breakfast" for Tuesday.

Here is an extract from a timely poem written by Mrs. Ada B. Millican, a gifted Eastern Oregon woman:

Roll out the old chuck wagon, boys,
And fill her up with grub,
We're goin' down to Prineville town
To meet the Women's Club.
Jakie J. and Slick-Ear Sam,
With Sid the Kid, and Bully Bill,
Is goin' to sizzle bacon
And give a bunch-grass fill.
The fats will fry the spudiets,
And fix a boiler o' beans,
While the coffee an' all the rest o' the drinks
Will be set up by th' leans.

The Portland Women's Research Club will hold another of its delightful luncheons next Thursday in Multnomah Hotel. For this affair Mrs. M. H. McClung, chairman, is arranging an attractive programme, which will be announced later. A particularly pleasing feature will be the musical programme, which will include solos by Harold Hurlburt, tenor, and Mrs. Cornelia Barker Carse, violinist.

Following the luncheon the club will hold its regular monthly business session. Reservations should be telephoned not later than Wednesday evening to East 1237 or East 3830. On Wednesdays at 2 P. M. the club meets at Olds, Wortman & King's to sew for the Red Cross and all who are interested in this work are earnestly requested to lend their assistance.

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The patriotic bargain sale, planned during the past six weeks by the Portland Grade Teachers' Association, will be held in November. Articles of every description are wanted by the teachers and may be left at the Lownsdale entrance of the Girls' School of Trades between 8 and 4 o'clock, in charge of Mr. Galvin, janitor of the building. If articles are to be called for, please telephone Miss Jessie McGregor, president of the association, Main 7584, or Miss Viola Ortschild, chairman of the patriotic committee, East 2404.

At a former sale $297 was realized and used for patriotic work. All branches of the service are to be considered in the distribution of any fund the association may secure through the sale.

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The Coterie has enjoyed many delightful programmes this year and last at the Multnomah Hotel, but for the next few weeks, probably, will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. C. J. Allen, where bandage rolling and Red Cross work will be done. The Coterie has accomplished much in a way of civic and patriotic service and has done it all in an unostentatious way. At the last meeting an informal luncheon was served.

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Portland Women's Research Club will meet every Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Olds, Wortman & King's Red Cross room. They have secured the services of a competent instructor, Mrs. J. E. Dean, who will assist them in their Red Cross work. All women who care to work during these hours are invited to attend.

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The Tuesday Afternoon Club was entertained October 16 at the home of Mrs. Ben Riesland, 944 Broadway. A short business meeting preceded the programme. Three new members were voted into affiliation with the club at this time, Mrs. W. H. Giles, Mrs. J. J. Handsaker and Mrs. Harry Randall.

It was Wordsworth day in the club's study of romanticism in England. A study of Wordsworth from the romantic angle, as a poet of nature and common humanity, was given by Mrs. G. M. Glives. A group of his poems was read by Mrs. G. W. Tabler.

There will be no meeting of the club October 23, as the State Federation of Women's Clubs convention convenes at Prineville October 22. The club will meet the following week, October 30, with Mrs. W. L. Marshall, 254 Stout street, at 2 o'clock.

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Chapter C, P. E. O., held its regular session recently at the home of Mrs. J. N. Harney on St. Johns Heights. Mrs. Odell, president, having received the liberty bond purchased by the chapter, gave the members the privilege of inspecting it before it was deposited with the treasurer, Mrs. Lawrence Holbrook.

By unanimous action the members present voted to condemn and repudiate the activities of those disloyal women who are seeking to hinder the success of the new liberty loan.

A yearly subscription to "Popular Mechanics" was ordered for the soldier boys' library.

Following the business session talks on "The Topography and Business Conditions of Brazil" were given by Mrs. R. G. Brand and Mrs. A. M. Odell, and an interesting and comprehensive paper on "The Amazon River" was read by Mrs. Charles Billington. Fruit juice and arrowroot wafers were served by the hostess.

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The women of the Altar Society of St. Laurence parish will entertain at the home of Mrs. Charles H. Feldman, 986 First street, on Wednesday evening, October 24, at 8 P. M. Five hundred will be the game of the evening. Refreshments will be served and a general good time is promised to all who attend. The women who will assist the hostess are Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell, Mrs. W. J. Smith, Mrs. George Feldman and Mrs. D. Fleming. Take "S" car to Bancroft avenue and walk west to First street.

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OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 20. — (Special.) — The women of the faculty and the wives of the faculty men have one of the interesting clubs of the state, the College Folk Club, which meets regularly in Waldo Hall on the first Saturday of each month, at 3 o'clock. The opening gathering was a reception to new women on October 13, which was the first Saturday after the opening of college.

"Modern Art" will be the subject for November 3, when Mrs. E. T. Sherman and Professor F. D. McLouth will be the speakers. "A Doll Party" is scheduled for December 1, giving hints of the holiday season and a jolly afternoon. For the first meeting in 1918 there will be an address by Dr. Stewart, of the department of physical education for women, Reed College. February 2 music will be the feature and on March 2 there will be a lecture by Professor J. F. Brumbaugh. April 6 is designated as story day and May 4 as the date of the club luncheon and the election of officers. The club this year is headed by Mrs. W. H. Atwood as president, Mrs. Brumbaugh vice-president and Mrs. G. E. Heck secretary-treasurer.

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The Woodstock Study Club met Friday afternoon for the first time this season. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. W. F. Boire; vice-president, Mrs. R. M. Mann; secretary, Mrs. J. G. Hayman. Social and programme committees were appointed. The course of study was outlined and topics assigned. Meetings held second and fourth Fridays of each month at Woodstock Branch Library.

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The Portland Shakespeare Study Club will meet on Wednesday at 2 o'clock with Mrs. R. E. Jones, at the residence of Mrs. M. M. Ringler, 635 East Twenty-first street North. The study will be from "King Henry IV."

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The regular meeting of the Fortnightly Club was held at the home of Mrs. C. V. Ross, 655 East Forty-eighth street North, Monday afternoon. After the business session, at which two new members were elected, Mrs. X. O. Barker and Mrs. C. W. Ross, the members were given some Red Cross work to do, and the programme was taken up. Woodrow Wilson and James Harvey Robinson, as historians, were discussed by Mrs. C. S. Iliff and Mrs. George Blake. An interesting feature of the work this year is the current events department, under Mrs. Robert A. Bennett, vice-president. Topics of the day are given to members for three-minute discussions, and the autobiography of someone in the public eye is given at each meeting.

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Willamette chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, dedicated on Saturday of last week the marker which they erected in honor of the pioneers. There were about 125 present, members of the pioneer families and from both D. A. R. chapters.

Much credit for the success of the undertaking is given to the "Old Trails" committee, of which Mrs. J. M. Knight is chairman. The committee wishes to thank all who took part in the exercises, as well as Frank Glennon, of Oregon City, who helped in the placing of the stone.

The following poem was written for the occasion by Mrs. June McMillan Ordway and dedicated to the Willamette chapter; and was read by Mrs. J. M. Knight:

THE OREGON TRAIL.

Westward they came through storms and calm
With cheerful hearts and song,
O'er mountains rugged, crags and heights,
With hope they were made strong.

'Twas courage led through valleys deep
Where rivers murmuring flow
Ever upon the trail the word
Was "Onward we shall go."

To make the wilderness to smile
With fruit and golden grain
That they might find content and peace
After the toil and pain.

They sought for homes 'mid this great West
For them no tears nor wail;
Oh, may they all find greater joys
At the ending of the trail.

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The first meeting of the year of the Social Service Club of Oak Grove and Milwaukie was held Thursday at Grange Hall, Milwaukie. Many guests were present and later enjoyed the fine talk given on Scandinavian immigration by Dr. Wilhelm Petterson, of Portland.

The club is this year taking up the study of immigration. A short business meeting was held immediately following the address presided over by Mrs. Skulason, president, the regular business of club being transacted.

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The New England Society held its monthly meeting Tuesday evening in the assembly room of Hotel Portland with a large attendance. After the business session and programme there was dancing. There were about 100 present.

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The Pennsylvania Woman's Club met at Hotel Portland Friday evening to make plans for the Winter's work.

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The Red Cross unit of the First Presbyterian Church meets every Friday and is doing a large amount of work under the direction of Mrs. A. E. Butterfield. Next Tuesday the Women's Society of the church will meet for an all-day session. Luncheon will be served at 12:15 o'clock and men as well as women will be present. Business women find this luncheon reasonable and good.

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The regular meeting of the Trav-ilIere's Club convened Tuesday with Mrs. W. O. Lake, of 889 Halsey street, as hostess. Hooverism and Red Cross work were the important subjects of the afternoon, members telling how they are helping to conserve food and exchanging menus for meatless and wheatless days. The club will take up knitting to aid in Red Cross work. A committee was appointed to have the necessary material for knitting the different articles ready for the next meeting, which will take place the second Tuesday in November at the home of Mrs. Wright.

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The next meeting of the Portland Railroad Woman's Club will be held November 2. There will be no meeting this next Friday as scheduled.

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The auxiliary to Company A, Oregon Engineering Corps, met Friday evening at Hotel Portland.

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The women's gymnasium class of Arleta School will meet every Tuesday evening during the season. All women of the community are invited.

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Company E Auxiliary will meet in the Meier & Frank building at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday.

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The executive board of the Portland Parent-Teacher Council will meet in room G, Central Library, on Friday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock.

WINNERS AND ONE OF ACTIVE SUPPORTERS OF HYGIENIC ESSAY CONTEST CONDUCTED BY OREGON WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

Ward W. Curtis, Beech Creek, Or.

Dorothy Lewis, Benson Polytechnic, Portland

Mary Frances Burnett, Eugene, Or

W. W. Austen, Co. School Supt, Grant County.

Mary Frances Burnett, of Patterson School, Eugene; Ward W. Curtis, of Beech Creek School in Grant County; Dorothy Lewis, of Benson Polytechnic School, Portland; W. W. Austen, County Superintendent in County That Won Grammar School Prize.

Portland, Eugene and Beech Creek School, in Grant County, won the honors in the hygienic essay contest conducted this year by the Oregon Women's Christian Temperance Union. The winners were announced recently at the W. C. T. U. convention in Albany. The essay contest is conducted each year for the schools of the state, the prizes always being given by the W. C. T. U. Ward W. Curtis, of the Beech Creek School, in Grant County, won the state grammar school prize. The superintendent in that county is W. W. Austen, and he has taken much interest in the contest for the last eight years.

Mary Frances Burnett, of the Patterson School in Eugene, won the lower-grade prize and Dorothy Lewis, of the Benson Polytechnic School in Portland, won the prize for the high school section in the state. The prizes were presented last Thursday at Albany.

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The Monday Musical Club gave its first members' concert of the season in the Hotel Portland last Monday. These members' concerts are on the third Mondays of each month, alternating with the concerts by outside soloists, which are given the first Mondays.

The compositions heard were all by early composers belonging to the age of the harpischord, and there was a quaint charm to the entire programme. Mrs. Palmer opened the proceedings with a paper on the lives of Scarlatti and contemporary writers of music. Miss Reynolds gave two piano numbers, "Toccata" and "Sarabande" (Scarlatti), interpreting them in an interesting manner. Miss Johns' vocal selections were "Caro mio ben" (Giordigiani), "Arietta" (Paradies) and "O del mio dolce ardor" (Gluck). They were much appreciated. Miss Brakel's violin selections were "Menuet" (Porpora), "Andantino" (Martini), "Sicilienne et Rigaudon" (Francoeur). They were Kreisler's own arrangements and, while still keeping the style and quaintness of the old writers, Kreisler has touched them with his own brilliancy and genius. Miss Brakel played them well.

These concerts are arranged chronologically. Early composers, followed by classical, romantic and modern. The programme committee is making considerable effort to make these concerts instructive as well as entertaining. A large attendance on the part of the club is hoped for.

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"Money talks!" said the man who tries to be severely practical. "Better'n that," replied Mr. Dustin Stax, as he signed another Red Cross check. "My money has quit ordinary conversation and is learning to sing 'The Star-Spangled Banner.'"—Washington (D. C.) Star.

During the last year it has been estimated that the people of the United States consumed 5,760,000,000 oranges.

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"Love Song," "Song of the Brook" and "Witches' Dance" (piano compositions of Woodfin), played by the composer; patriotic readings, Mrs. Anna Rogers Fish; "Awake" (Pillsener), "Oh, That We Two were Maying" (Nevin), "Uncle Rome" (the Old Boatman) (Homer), "Requiem" (Homer), "Jean" (Burleigh), Laurence Woodfin; "The Sunshine of Your Smile" (Ray); "Spring's Awakening" (Sanderson), Marguerite Flower-Olinger; "Farewell to the Coat," from "La Boheme" (Puccini), "Stars of the Summer Night", "Rainbow Song," "In the Twilight," Laurence Woodfin; dialect reading, Mrs. Anna Rogers Fish; "He Met Her on the Stairs" (Noveilo), "An Explanation" (Taylor), "The Crow's Egg" (Warren), "Keep the Home Fires Burning" (Novello), "The Lord Is My Light" (Allitsen), Laurence Woodfin.