

WHAT-SOCIETY-IS-DOING



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A JOY FROM LITTLE THINGS.

To press a joy from little things—
From feet that fall in time,
From flying silent fashionings
Of heart some hidden rhyme,
From shapes of leaves and clouds and snow,
From others' brighter eyes,
From thinking "I am dull, I know,
But some are glad and wise;"
From love remembered, though too dim
For laughter or for tears,
One fragile flame, so pale and slim,
To gleam on gayest years—
That is one way of joy, I know,
Yet I desire, desire
To go the way a god might go,
Through love and life and fire!
—Fannie Stearns Davis.

SONG FOR MUSIC.

Love is the wind. My heart is the
fallen leaf.
Love is the measure; mine are the falling
feet.
Yet must I dance in time with its throbbing
beat.
Yet am I blown in the woods of grief.
MAD though the dance, unattired and
serene you move.
Wild though the wind, you flower secure
and sweet.
Love is the music; mine are the falling
feet.
I am the whirling leaf, for the wind is
love.
—Rose Cary Noble.

A FEW MORE days and fall will be here. The camping parties have already broken up, the youngsters are preparing to return to school, the people have all returned from their river homes, and everything is in readiness for the society season of 1908-09, which, while promising nothing unusually brilliant, will probably be up to the average year which begins with a tea and finishes in a sound of revelry at the dinners easter night. So bring on the Indian summer and the fall styles and the new hats and the debutantes and all of the rest of the expensive luxuries, for there isn't much new under the sun, and if there is anything that looks that way let's have it.

One of the principal social functions of the week in Marshfield was the reception and tea Friday afternoon tendered by Mrs. J. M. Blake at her home in honor of her mother, Mrs. R. N. Peyton of Spokane, Wash., who has been visiting her. The hour was 3 o'clock and about fifty guests were invited. The hall was prettily decorated with vine maple, the reception room in red Dahlias and vine maple and the dining room with vine maple and pink and white astors, Mrs. G. W. Kaufman assisted at the punch bowl and Misses Helen Bradley, Frances Williams and Miss Mandigo also assisted the hostess.

One of the most enjoyable outing parties of the week was a picnic at Charleston Bay. The occasion was to hear an announcement by one of the young ladies but just what the announcement was and who made it, is a secret that is being zealously guarded by all who were present. A picnic luncheon was enjoyed and the entire day spent 'mid the murmurs of the wild waves as they broke in across the bar. Among those invited were Miss Evelyn Anderson, Miss Agnes Hutchison, Mrs. E. Mingus, Mrs. Wm. Lawlor, Mrs. Chas. Nicholson, Mrs. J. W. Flanagan, Miss Reed, Mrs. E. E. Straw, Miss Mamie Mahoney, Mrs. Dr. Thayer, Miss O'Connell, Miss Butler, Mrs. Otto Schetter, Mrs. French and Mrs. Arthur McKeown.

The Beautiful America Club of North Bend will hold its annual meeting at the North Bend Commercial Club rooms Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Following the election of officers, cards and music will be enjoyed. The program for the year will be discussed. It is proposed to start a series of readings as a course of study for the club. Civic art and flowers will probably be first taken up. It is not unlikely that Mrs. Winsor who has accomplished so much as the head of the club the past year will be reelected president.

The Chaminade Club completed its organization for the present year at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Dr. Horsfall last Wednesday evening. Plans for the year were discussed, a general program outlined and new officers elected. It was decided to enlarge the organization and make it representative of music on Coos Bay, instrumental as well as vocal. In order to do this, it was necessary to increase the maximum of the membership limitation. It was also decided to take in associate members who in addition to attending the concerts will participate in the monthly program meetings. In addition to the annual concert, it is proposed to give at least one more during the season. The club will meet every Wednesday evening at the homes of the members but in case the membership grows to the proportions that some expect, it is proposed to engage a hall. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Miss Evelyn Anderson.
Vice-president—Mrs. Howard Savage.
Recording secretary—Mrs. Chas. Stauff.

Corresponding secretary—Mrs. E. G. Flanagan.
Treasurer—Miss Millie Johnson.
Librarian—Mrs. J. S. Coke.
Director—Mrs. Horsfall.

It is proposed that the Chaminade club join the National Federation of musical clubs this year.

Mrs. Allah H. Traer entertained at lunch today in honor of Mrs. R. N. Peyton of Spokane, Wash., who is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Blake in Marshfield.

Last Monday evening, the local Finnish people tendered a reception and banquet at the Knights of Finland hall in honor of Miss Wester, lind, the noted vocalist who gave concerts here Sunday and Monday evenings. With a very few exceptions, the guests were Finnish people. The hall was artistically decorated with huckleberries and cut flowers. Following the reception, a banquet was served. After the banquet, a number responded to toasts in the Finnish tongue. Miss Westerlind spoke first in Finnish and then in English, expressing her appreciation of the cordial welcome that had been extended to her on Coos Bay.

The Biographic Club met Thursday with Mrs. Arthur McKeown. It was the first literary meeting of the club this year. Mrs. McKeown read a paper "Listz." The next meeting will be with Mrs. Otto Schetter and Mrs. Schetter will read a paper on "Handel." The club has decided to entertain at least once in every five weeks. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Miss Stella O'Connell.
Vice-president—Mrs. Wm. Lawlor.
Secretary—Mrs. E. Mingus.
Treasurer—Mrs. J. W. Flanagan.

Miss Maude Painter will entertain a number of friends at what at her home this afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. Benj. Rice of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who has been spending the summer here.

The Ladies Art Club was delightfully entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. W. Bernitt. Refreshments were served. The club will be entertained next Friday by Mrs. L. Lang at her home.

Mrs. Fannie and Miss Violet Henderson spent Tuesday with friends at Coquille.

Mrs. A. H. Powers and daughters, Misses Hazel and Lucy, are in Minneapolis where the young ladies will enter school for the coming year. Mrs. Powers will return in a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bonebrake tendered a reception at their home in South Marshfield Thursday evening

PERSONAL notices of visitors in the city, or of Coos Bay people who visit in other cities, together with notices of social affairs, are gladly received in the social department. Telephone 1331. Notices of club meetings will be published and secretaries are kindly requested to furnish same.

in honor of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Zelia to Mr. Eben Nelson which was solemnized at Coquille Wednesday. About twenty-five friends and relatives were present.

Misses Kathleen and May Bennett will entertain a number of young people at their home this evening.

Mrs. R. N. Peyton of Spokane, Wash., will leave for her home next Wednesday, going overland via Roseburg. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blake and Harlan Peyton will accompany her as far as Roseburg.

The marriage of Leonard Mauzey and Miss Maud L. Lang was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents in South Marshfield Monday. The ceremony was attended only by intimate friends and relatives. The young couple are now on a honeymoon tour to Portland, Salem and other northern cities and will be at home to friends in Marshfield about October 1.

Miss May Stauff returned Thursday from a ten days visit with friends at various points in the Coquille valley.

Mrs. J. T. Hall and family, visited with friends at Coquille during the past week.

Fay White, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. White of South Marshfield, will entertain a number of his young friends at his home this evening in honor of his fifteenth birthday.

Among the marriages of the week was the nuptials of Clarence R. Woodward and Miss Eva Ellen Clarin which was solemnized at Gold Beach, September 11. Mr. Woodward is well-known in Marshfield where he formerly resided. He is a brother of Mrs. L. J. White of South Marshfield.

Miss Lettie Larsen entertained a number of Marshfield young folks at a house party at her home on Larsen's Inlet this week. Among her guests were Misses Kathleen and May Bennett, Vivian Taylor, Nellie Tower and Miss Laura Kruse of North Bend.

PERMANENTLY LOCATED.

Valuable Addition to Coos Bay Musical Circles.

Music lovers of Coos Bay will be pleased to learn that the piano studio of Louis H. Boll in the First Trust and Savings Bank building is to be a permanent fixture in Marshfield. Mr. Boll occupied a prominent place in the music circles of Portland and since his location in Marshfield has won an enviable reputation as an instructor of ability. His list of pupils is constantly enlarging and is an indication of the effectiveness and popularity of his methods.

HORSE IS INJURED.

F. P. Norton's Belle N. Wrenches Ankle In Race at Salem.

Word was received here today that Belle N. F. P. Norton's fast little mare, wrenched her ankle in the first heat of the 2:25 trot at the State Fair races at Salem Monday. When the accident befell her, she was in second place and by many was picked as a winner of the event, the best time in which was 2:16 1/4. The accident will mean that Belle N cannot race any more this year, but it is hoped that the injury will not leave any permanent defects.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton who have been attending the Salem races will go from Salem to Portland to attend the race meeting there next week. Mr. Norton may enter some of his other horses in the Portland races.

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GETS LAND VERY CHEAP

Another Roseburg Man Has Picked Up Something.

ROSEBURG, Ore. Sept. 19.—Jas. O. Newland, the local real estate dealer, is the latest Roseburger to acquire fine property "dirt cheap." Following the action a few weeks ago of Claude L. Kidder, the local abstractor, in filing a homestead entry on a big slice of waterfront adjoining the City of Marshfield, Mr. Newland has just bought 1 3/4 acres of land inside the corporate limits of the City of Eugene for exactly \$15.14. The sale was made by the state school land board, which acquired the tract under the lien selection law. The land is particularly described as lot 8 of section 30, township 17 s., range 3 west. It abuts the Willamette River and lies immediately west of Skinner's Butte. It was excluded from the official survey of the Skinner Donation Land Claim many years ago, and that it was not acquired by some intending purchaser long ago is probably due to the fact that the maps at Eugene do not show the tract to be available for purchase.

THREE TO ASYLUM.

Coos County Commissioners Order Them to Asylum.

Ada Humphrey, of North Bend, aged 25 years, was remanded to the Oregon Insane Asylum by Judge Hall this week. Abraham Gustafson, aged 39 years, a native of Finland, as well as Elsie Clayton, aged 8 years, who was born in Coos County, were adjudged insane and sent to the asylum. The little girl's father resides at Four-mile.—Coquille Sentinel.

BUILD GOOD ROADS.

Citizens of Rural Unite for Better Highways.

Darius Gant was down from Rural the first of the week. He says that they are getting some perfect roads built in that section. His district is one of the richest in the county and they are building a 14-foot roadway, and propose to continue the taxation of property until the district is well provided for in the matter of highways. The big timber holders bear a large share of the expense.—Myrtle Point Enterprise.

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STREET CAR CONVERSATION.

While riding on a street car recently, Mr. Geo. H. Day, an insurance man of Milford, Mass., was pleased to learn that a fellow passenger was from Des Moines, Iowa, as it brought back to him an incident which he has every reason to remember. In the conversation which followed, Mr. Day said: "Your city is to me the most famous of any in the west. Several years ago, I was completely cured of a bad case of colic by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which is made at Des Moines. No one could persuade me to use any other medicine for this trouble. I always keep a bottle of it in my home, and in my grip when traveling." For sale by JOHN PREUSS.

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