

In the Social Realm

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Mr. and Mrs. Ora Delbert delightfully entertained a number of young ladies at dinner Wednesday evening, a splendid musical program occupying the hours following the appetizing meal. The guests were Misses Mary Smith, Edith Razor, Mamie Holmes, Carrie Morehouse and Winnie Spencer.

A number of parties have been formed this week for making the trip to the top of Mt. Ashland. R. C. Porter and wife, C. A. Brown and wife, and Rev. S. A. Douglas and son Olin left Wednesday morning for Mt. Ashland. The journey to the top seems to be gaining in popularity as the season advances.

Messrs. L. Pedersen and Throne and Misses Euna Pellett and M. E. Smith were dinner guests at the Razor ranch. Several of the guests who are musicians gave a number of enjoyable musical selections during the evening. Mr. Throne playing the cornet, Miss Pellett at the piano and Mr. Pedersen playing the violin. They are still praising the bountiful chicken dinner that was placed before them.

Mr. A. H. Peachey and his Sunday school boys, "The Husters," enjoyed a day's outing at Kingsbury Springs Monday, going in Mr. Peachey's wagon. The day was spent in those forms of amusements so dear to boyish hearts. Those in the party were A. H. Peachey, Frank Burnette, Dean Burnette, Vernon Milam, Lester Phillips, Amos Chapman, Ralph James, Arthur Stennett and Lee Peachey.

White carnations formed the decorations at a dinner party given Wednesday, July 24, by Mrs. Henry Easterly, at her home at 527 Terrace, the dinner being given in compliment to Mrs. Easterly's sister, Mrs. Alice E. Coad, of Murphysboro, Ill., who is their house guest. Those invited to partake of the bountiful chicken dinner prepared by Mrs. Easterly were Mrs. Alfred Young, Mr. and Mrs. James Sayles and Mrs. Lyman Payne.

Rev. and Mrs. Howell Isaac entertained a number of friends at 1 o'clock dinner today, one of the guests being Mrs. Williams, a colored woman who has been holding meetings at the Full Gospel Mission on Fourth street during the past week. Mrs. Williams was born a slave and was raised in illiteracy, being unable to read or write, but her sermons are full of interest and originality. She is considered a remarkable woman by those who have heard her. The other dinner guests were Mrs. Elizabeth Hanscom, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Abbott and Rev. and Mrs. Reeves.

Saturday afternoon a number of young ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. E. E. Miller, on Church street, to assist her daughter, Miss Etta, in properly celebrating her natal day. The informal gathering was in the form of a porch party, the guests enjoying the afternoon upon the spacious porch of the Miller home. Light refreshments were served during the afternoon. Those in attendance were Misses Bertha Bailey, Mary Young, Ada Hartley, Lulu Smith, Melissa Wenner, Mary Kirshbaum, Sadie Christeen and Etta Miller, Mesdames Mary Childers, Edith Clarke, Mary Hamilton and Alice Stubbs.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Doran, on Ashland street, was the scene of a happy gathering Sunday, when a jolly crowd, who had expected to spend the day at the McNeil ranch across the creek, decided not to venture so far under such a threatening sky, and accepted the invitation of the Dorans, who were members of the party, to stop at their place instead. Mrs. McNeil, suspecting that some such arrangements had been made, soon put in her appearance, bringing a great freezer of cream for the crowd, and a most enjoyable time ensued. Those in the party were Mrs. McNeil, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Nichol, Mr. and Mrs. William Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Doran and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Doran and family.

Sunday School Classes Picnic.

Two classes of the Baptist Sunday school, accompanied by their teachers, Mrs. Gault and Mrs. Rolph, and a few invited guests, enjoyed a canyon picnic Wednesday. The chief feature of the day, the appetizing picnic dinner, was partaken of in the park. The rest of the day was spent on the picnic grounds farther up the canyon, swinging, rope jumping and other amusements being indulged in by the lassies. Those present from Mrs. Gault's class were Mrs. Gault, Misses Maydew Triplett, Bertha Smith, May Smith, Claudia Triplett, Eula Browning, Aura Browning, Florence Masters, Lizzie Adams, Carrie Adams and Lena Adams. Those in attendance from Mrs. Rolph's class were Mrs. Rolph, Misses Evelyn Paddock, Louise Triplett, Ruth Anderson, Nellie Thompson, Mabel Frobach, Edna Abbott, Doris Wilcox, Orpha Oslin, Luella Herrick, Effie Oslin, Nettie Moffatt, Delpha Moffatt, Esther McErlane, Luella Bailey and Ruth Hemphill. Invited guests were Mesdames Douglas, Canine and Charles Harris, and Miss Mabel Van Nice. Miss Maydew Triplett took pictures of the picnic party during the afternoon.

New Studio.

Mr. L. W. Marble, an experienced photographer, has leased the Camps Studio of this city and is now prepared to serve the people of Ashland in everything pertaining to the latest style of photography.

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EDWARD H. GOULD.

Old Soldier Laid to Rest in Mountain View Cemetery.

Edward H. Gould was born August 18, 1827, at Cambridge, Vt. When about 5 years old his parents moved to Canada. Later, some time in the '50s, they moved to Fond du Lac, Wis.

When the Civil War broke out he sought to enlist as a private soldier, but his imperfect eyesight led to his rejection. Not to be thwarted in his plans, having been a druggist, he entered the service as a hospital steward. Much of the time he acted as assistant surgeon, and in emergencies he had to do duty as doctor and surgeon. He was associated in these capacities with the 21st Wisconsin regiment.

His most noteworthy war experience was with Sherman's forces in their "march to the sea." Having served to the end of the war, he then settled in Chicago as a druggist and remained there until drawn to Colorado by the lures of the mining fever. This was about 1870. Nineteen years later he came to eastern Oregon and entered the ranching business, living much of the time in the solitudes as a lonely bachelor. Tired of this kind of a life and desiring to find a home for his sister, that they might spend their remaining years together, he started in quest of a place where they could have two things especially—their church and good water. Ashland, Ore., proved just the place Mr. Gould was in search of. Preceding Mrs. Bingham a few months, he bought where they could have a garden, keep chickens and have a family orchard. On South Laurel street he built a neat and comfortable house, where for five years brother and sister have lived happily together.

Mr. Gould was a man of more than ordinary intellectual ability, a careful observer and a great reader. These and other qualities have made him a useful citizen. He has been active and prominent in the Grand Army post, having served that body as its quartermaster for nearly five years.

He was baptized in childhood and was confirmed as a member of the Protestant Episcopal church. When about 17 years of age his strict conscientiousness and sterling integrity enabled him to maintain consistently Christian profession amid the temptations of army life and the equally trying conditions of mining camp life. Quiet and undemonstrative, he has always commanded the respect and esteem of those acquainted with him. He was junior warden of Trinity Episcopal church, and until his health failed was always in his place at church, attending faithfully both morning and evening services. He was the kind of man whom the community will greatly miss, and will be especially in home, church and G. A. R. circles. He has been in failing health for about a year, but was a regular attendant at church and Grand Army hall until the last three months.

He leaves an only sister, Mrs. Bingham, to whom he was greatly attached and by whom he was greatly beloved.

"May he rest in peace."

Funeral services were held from the Episcopal church at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, Rev. Lucas officiating. Appropriate music was rendered by the choir. A large body of friends gathered to pay their last respects to an esteemed friend and comrade, the church being filled. An abundance of floral offerings testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. Members of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. attended in a body. Interment was made in Mountain View cemetery.

WILL NOT REMIT FINES.

Columbia River Fishermen Must Pay for Minor Offences.

Washington.—United States Senator Chamberlain has been advised that the department of commerce and labor declines to remit the fines imposed upon fishermen operating motorboats on the Columbia for minor violations of the navigation laws, such as failure to carry lights, etc.

The department contends that accidents are liable to occur through minor infractions of the law, and is inclined to inflict the full penalty.

The senate public lands committee has reported favorably the Chamberlain bill reserving lands in Linn county and including them in the Santiam national forest.

ELEVEN FOREST FIRES.

Thunder Storms Start Conflagrations All Over District.

As a result of the thunder storms recently, eleven forest fires have been reported throughout the district. Late Saturday night nine of these were reported under control and men were massing to the other two points.

The storms had no distinct center, every mountain district having at least one fire reported. Heavy rains and in some cases hail have swelled the streams until they are nearly as large as just after the spring melting.

Discovery Cost \$7,600.

Madrid.—The cost of the discovery of America was \$7,600, according to ledgers just found at Palos, Spain, containing facts concerning the outlay made by Christopher Columbus on his expedition to the New World. The armament of the fleet cost \$2,800. The personal expenses of Columbus and his officers amounted to about \$400, and \$4,400 was spent during the voyage. According to the ledgers, the crew each received a monthly wage of \$1.25.

Clearance Sale.

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2,195 GO FISHING.

Lure of Hills and Streams Enriches State Coffers.

The call of the mountain streams and the pine-scented hillsides has caused 2,195 people to part with the necessary one dollar to obtain a fishing or hunting license that they may be permitted to follow their inclinations. This amount was the record at the first of July and since that time it is estimated that 500 more have followed the call of the wild. Another 500 is expected before August 1, when the deer season opens.

The total number of licenses last year was in excess of 6,000, and though the present registration is a little in arrears, the county clerk deputies assign the cause to the fact that there has not been enough warm weather to cause the citizens of the different cities to feel the need of a vacation.

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