

In the Social Realm

Society News.

Please phone all news items, society or otherwise, to the Tidings, No. 39. It is often necessary to leave late items over until the next issue, so as to insure insertion please phone them in as early as possible. The Tidings goes to press early each Monday and Thursday afternoon and items must be in and in type by noon if possible.

Mrs. C. H. Vaupel entertained the Thimble Club at her home on the Boulevard last Friday afternoon. The afternoon was devoted to fancy sewing and embroidery, and delicious refreshments were served. Those present were Mesdames Cunningham, Swendenburg, Vaghte, Beach, Shepherd and Grace Turner.

The dramatic club of the Ashland Polytechnic school went to Ray Gold Saturday for a picnic and had a most merry time. The crowd consisted of the cast which produced "The Stubbornness of Geraldine" and included the following students, supplemented by Eugene Carpenter, Bruce Lininger and Ed Steele, the three chauffeurs.

One of the features at the regular five hundred party at Elks Temple last Thursday was the presentation of two fine pieces of hand-painted china to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pierce, in honor of their twentieth wedding anniversary, which took place Friday. Mr. Pierce, as secretary of Ashland lodge No. 944, B. P. O. E., has been untiring in his efforts to make ladies' day a success, and the ladies appreciate that fact. At Thursday's meeting of the club Mrs. Alex Livingston won highest honors, while Miss Frances Mullt drew the consolation prize.

Miss Alice Poor and Miss Minnie Rickman entertained a number of their young friends at the home of the former on Friday evening. Games were played and light refreshments were served. The following guests were present: Reta Gard, Ruth Chappell, Ada Parton, Mildred Gearhart, Helen VanDyke, Agnes Hedburg, Laura Wiley, Louise Gillette, Gladys Good, Charlie Brady, Leon Baughman, Fay Phillips, Arthur Maxedon, Leslie Schwimley, Elwood Hedburg, Howard Cole, John Rickman, Arnold Rickman and Donald Minkler.

The Eastern Star people held open house Tuesday evening in honor of the new lodge room carpet. In addition to the usual order there was a beautiful musical program, several of Ashland's best musicians assisting. There was also a committee appointed to form a round table for the benefit of those who do not play cards, the committee consisting of Mrs. D. R. Mills, Mrs. Ellen Wagner, Mrs. Eugenia Atkinson, Mrs. D. L. Minkler and Mrs. Ella Young. Light refreshments were served during the evening. Over 100 members and others were present.

Being showered with blocks is not usually a pleasant experience, but the kind which were bestowed upon Mrs. Hackard of Klamath Falls last Monday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Sam Lindsay, on Third street, the occasion being Mrs. Hackard's birthday. The blocks in question were "patchwork" blocks, and enough were contributed to make two complete quilts. Light refreshments were served. The guests were Mesdames Price Fowler, R. E. Patty, W. A. Schwimley, H. C. Stock, Nicholl, J. B. Saunders, S. B. McNair, Lydia Lamb, J. C. Barnard, S. Arnold, Abbie Northland, Delphia Cotter, E. Fowler, J. Elliott, N. Moore and Miss Verna Haight.

Mrs. C. A. Malone and Mrs. P. B. Fuller entertained the Monday Afternoon Embroidery Club at the home of the former on Monday afternoon. A very pleasant afternoon was spent by the ladies, light refreshments being served. On Wednesday evening the ladies of the club and their husbands were entertained by the same hostesses at the Malone home. The rooms were handsomely decorated with spring blossoms. Five hundred was the order of the evening. Mr. and Mrs. L. Roy Davis won the high scores for lady and gentleman and W. H. McNair drew the consolation prize.

West Side Circle.

The West Side Parent-Teacher Circle had a special meeting Thursday afternoon for the election of officers. The following were elected to serve during the ensuing year: Mrs. B. W. Talcott, president; Mrs. D. Perozzi, vice-president; Mrs. F. S. Whittle, secretary; Mrs. B. R. Greer, treasurer.

The question of changing the day of meeting to the third Tuesday of each month will be voted upon at the next meeting.

Bach-Spierung.

On Wednesday, April 16, 1913, Miss Eva Spierung and John C. Bach, both of this city, were united in matrimony by Elder Frank Lindblad, at the Brethren parsonage. The groom is baggage man at the Southern Pacific depot and the bride a daughter of Mrs. Kate Kuder, 517 Iowa street. Mr. and Mrs. Bach left the same evening for Eugene, and after a short visit there will go to Portland and thence to Corral, Idaho, where they will visit his parents. Mrs. Kuder and Miss Esther Spierung, a sister of the bride, left on the same train for Eugene.

Celebrated Anniversaries.

Monday, April 14, is an important date in the families of the descendants of Isaac Hill. On that date sixty years ago, April 14, 1853, Mr. Hill and his family finished the arduous and dangerous trip across the plains of the middle west and over the mountains and arrived in the beautiful and then almost unsettled Rogue River Valley. On witnessing its beauty they decided to make their future home, and Mr. Hill took up as a donation claim what is now known as the Kingsbury springs place.

With the family were three daughters, who afterwards became prominent citizens of the valley, being wives of three of Ashland's well-known pioneer residents. These girls afterwards became Mrs. T. Dunn, Mrs. M. L. Gillette and Mrs. A. H. Russell. The day of their arrival in the valley chanced, by a curious coincidence, to fall upon the birthday of Mrs. Russell, and the two events have long been celebrated together. This year was no exception, the celebration covering two days and members of the family and descendants coming from Portland, Los Angeles and intermediate points to take part in the festivities.

On Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Russell fourteen relatives sat down to dinner in honor of the event. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walter and daughter Ruth of Portland and Mrs. J. M. Potter and daughter Margaret and son Russell of Weed, Cal., came specially for the event. The place cards at this function were photographs of Mrs. Russell, on the reverse side of which Miss Mabel Russell had painted the names of the guests and the dates 1838-1913. On each card was laid a bunch of fresh violets. Besides the out-of-town

guests Mr. and Mrs. Otto Winter, Miss Hortense, Paul and Francis Winter, and Misses Mabel and Nellie Russell were present. Mrs. Winter, Mrs. Walter and Mrs. Potter are daughters of Mrs. Russell, this affair partaking more particularly of the nature of a birthday party for Mrs. Russell.

On Monday evening the arrival of the Hill family in the valley was celebrated at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Winter on the Boulevard. Mrs. M. L. Gillette, one of the sisters of Mrs. Russell, arrived Sunday evening from Los Angeles, and J. B. Russell, a son of Mrs. A. H. Russell, arrived from Yreka, and were present, as were the others of the party of the previous evening, and the following Ashland descendants of Isaac Hill: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gillette, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gillette and daughters Louise and Margery, Mrs. J. K. Van Sant, Judge and Mrs. George W. Dunn, Miss Ada Dunn, Edwin Dunn, Horace Hill Dunn and Miller Dunn. In addition to the 14th of April being the sixtieth anniversary of the arrival of the Hill family in the Rogue River Valley and the seventy-fifth anniversary of the birth of Mrs. Russell, it is the eleventh anniversary of the birth of Francis Winter, the grandson of Mrs. Russell.

TARIFF BILL IS FRAMED.

President Has Assurance That Bill Will Pass House in Present Form.

Washington, April 16.—Assurance that the tariff bill would pass the house practically in its present form was given President Wilson today by Representative Oscar Underwood of Alabama, chairman of the ways and means committee and majority leader in the house. Underwood also predicted that the bill would reach the senate within three weeks. He expects the house to act speedily, a few days being devoted to general debate and then the bill being considered under the five-minute rule, schedule by schedule. President Wilson expects the bill to have an easy time in the senate too.

Underwood denied today that the income tax provision proposes a tax on insurance beneficiaries, asserting that death and endowment benefits are not considered as incomes.

The house democratic caucus considered today the wool, cotton and flax schedules. So far the assaults by the advocates of protection upon the proposed tariff bill have uniformly failed.

Underwood admitted he expected the hardest fight on the wool schedule but was confident that free wool finally would win.

Representative Dies veiledly criticized the president's demand for free wool, intimating dictator. Representative Ferguson of New Mexico and other southwestern members supported Dies.

Medford Girl in Beauty Chorus.

Seattle, Wash., April 17.—Claudine Rose of Salem, Ore., and Evelyn Carey of Medford, Ore., are the Oregon representatives in the "beauty chorus" of coeds who will dance and sing in the production of "Princess Bonnie" by University of Washington students at the Moore theater on April 24. The presentation of this opera at a downtown Seattle show house will mark the first university theatrical affair held off the campus for years.

Blindine Hays of Olympia, Bessie Hassett, Mrs. K. P. Bemis, Harold Gray, Ethel Porter of Seattle, Ned Edris of Spokane, Claude Harmon of Tacoma, and Lawrence Williams of Bellingham are the principals, and about sixty coeds and students are in the chorus.

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BURKE FILES BOND.

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Washington, D. C., April 1.—John Burke, former governor of North Dakota, who today became treasurer of the United States, filed a bond for \$150,000 with the federal government to insure adequate care of every cent of the nation's money in his custody. The guarantor of his honesty and faithfulness is a seven-million-dollar corporation of Baltimore, the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.

While the total of the treasury's funds will run nearly a thousand times the amount of Governor Burke's bond, all the other treasury officials who share with his the care of the money are bonded and the aggregate security bears a much larger proportion toward the total funds. Besides, the largest loss for which a treasurer was ever held responsible was \$600, the contents of a sack stolen by a laborer some years ago.

Twelve thousand structures of various kinds were erected in New York city last year, representing an expenditure of \$297,000,000.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County.

In the Matter of the Estate of Alice R. Gibson, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator has filed his final account in the above entitled matter and that in pursuance of an order of the County Judge, made therein, the hearing upon said matter has been set for May 17, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the County Court room in Jacksonville, Oregon, when and where all parties interested may appear and show cause, if any, why said account should not be allowed and said administrator discharged and a distribution made as prayed. JOHN R. GIBSON, Administrator of the Estate of Alice R. Gibson, Deceased. First publication April 17, 93-5t

A Real Indian Paper.

Its historic treasure, the plant of the old Cherokee Advocate, a paper which for half a hundred years was a part of the national life of the Cherokee Indians, was recently sold by that nation. It was the only newspaper in the world printed in an Indian language in Indian characters. The once powerful agent, now a souvenir, was purchased at public auction by J. S. Holden, editor of the Fort Gibson Post, more as a matter of sentiment than anything else, \$151 being the sum paid for the outfit.

Bandits Buried Coin Dug Up at San Jose.

San Jose, Cal., April 15.—More than \$1,000 in gold coin, believed to have been buried by Tiburcio Vasquez, a notorious California murderer and bandit, was unearthed at Los Gatos, near here, while an old adobe house was being razed in a park. The coin is in the city's treasury.

Even Exchange.

Eggs and produce taken in exchange for dry goods, shoes, groceries, etc., at the Ashland Trading Company. 71-tf

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