

In the Social Realm

CLUB CALENDAR.

- Civic—Second and fourth Tuesdays.
- Auxiliary—Every alternate Thursday evening.
- Junior High School Parent-Teacher—Third Tuesday.
- Hawthorne School Parent-Teacher—Third Tuesday.
- Sunshine—Second and fourth Thursdays.
- Wednesday Afternoon—Second and fourth Wednesdays.
- Trinity Guild—Second and fourth Thursdays.
- W. R. C.—First and third Saturdays.
- Monday Afternoon Study—Alternate Mondays.
- Chautauqua—Monday evening.
- Chautauqua—Monday afternoon.
- W. C. T. U.—First and third Tuesdays.
- Home Guard—Tuesday evening.
- Eastern Star Embroidery—Second and fourth Tuesdays.
- Teacup—First Tuesday.
- Travelers—Second Tuesday.
- Rebekah Embroidery—Second and fourth Thursdays.
- Christian Aid—Second and fourth Thursdays.
- Choral Society—Every Tuesday evening.

Belgian Babies' Benefit

Spring, apple blossoms, babies, and such like delectable pink and white things were suggested to your mind the minute you entered Hotel Asutin last Saturday afternoon when, in honor of the Belgian Babies' Benefit, the main apartments on the ground floor were converted, for the time being, into a flower-decked fairland. Out of deference to the babies, the entire color scheme was keyed to pink and white, the same delicate shell pink to be found in the dainty layettes that were on exhibi-

tion during the afternoon as practical illustrations of the way the money garnered in at the benefit would be spent. The one exception to the prevailing pink tint was the tiny knots of ribbon in the Belgian colors presented to each guest on her arrival, and repeated in the large Belgian flag draped beside the Stars and Stripes in the ladies' parlor.

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Mrs. Sylvan Provost and Mrs. A. H. Pracht, the instigators of this happy event and the hostesses of the

afternoon, were assisted at the receipt of custom by Mrs. D. Peruzzi and Mrs. Frank Jordan, who gathered in the admittance fees, while Mrs. Ella Mills and Mrs. Frank Dickey received the guests on the second floor and directed them to the handsome suite prepared as dressing and cloak room for the occasion.

Some clubs and a few individual hostesses had reserved card tables for the afternoon, among these guests being a half dozen women from Medford. Both parlor and dining room were comfortably filled with card-players; and the knitters' cosy corner was not slighted, either. But from a decorative standpoint, the tea room was the "piece de resistance" of the whole affair. There, as throughout the rooms, baskets of bridal wreath and apple blossoms were suspended at intervals, a fountain surrounded with flowers and greenery played in the center, and the perfectly appointed tea tables with pink candles in silver candelabra and center pieces of pink and white blossoms made the background of a charming picture. Here tea and delicious cakes were dispensed by Mrs. Chester Stevenson, Mrs. Paulserud, and Mrs. Henry Enders, Jr., assisted by the Misses Marian Summers and Bernice Myers.

Over and above the required admittance fee, several generous gifts were handed in during the afternoon, swelling the total receipts to something more than \$40, enough money to provide the Belgian babies with a number of pretty layettes, for which it is to be hoped, they will be grateful. While on the other hand, the guests at their benefit, owe the Belgian babies (also the hostesses of the day, Mrs. Provost and Mrs. Pracht) a vote of thanks for an exceptionally charming afternoon.

W.C.T.U. Institute

This is the month for institutes for southern Oregon W. C. T. U. and accordingly two were held in Jackson county last week, one in Medford and the other in Ashland. Both unions show great activity along the lines of relief and Red Cross work.

The Ashland W. C. T. U. shows advancement along spiritual lines and this department was emphasized by Dr. Keeney Ferris, who gave an eloquent address on "First Things First." She paid high tribute to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union when she said it had wielded a thought over the world as no other. Continuing along the line of spiritual organization excepting the church, she said: "Its only as we keep in touch with God with one hand will we ever be able to touch the world with the other hand and help it up."

A health talk by Dr. Maud Hawley along practical lines was greatly appreciated.

Rev. D. D. Edwards gave a most timely and exhaustive lecture on

"Tobacco," showing the great waste of land and money because of this weed. "Its an expensive habit," declared Rev. Edwards, "\$1900 is being spent every minute of the year for this harmful thing. One smokeless and chewless and spittleless day a week would pay all the expenses of the Red Cross."

Rev. Ferris gave a very comprehensive talk on "Prayer." He emphasized the great need of deep intercessory prayer these days when the world is in a deep baptism of sorrow, but if we win democracy and it be not a spiritual democracy our cause is lost.

The evening program brought out a well filled house. The Dr. Tilton orchestra furnished delightful music. Mrs. Hockett's sweet voice filled the house with melodious strains when she sang, "So Long Mother," "Our Banner," and other patriotic songs, all of which brought forth hearty applause from an appreciative audience.

Hon. C. M. Thomas of Medford spoke on "Patriotism in Politics," and during his remarks threw some light on the political situation of our country and the great need of the best citizenship standing together to elect strong and clean men to office.

Lottie Hannon, state lecturer of W.C.T.U., who gave our evening address, is a woman of great experience, organizing seventy-five unions in Montana alone. She is admired for the breadth of character and untiring devotion to our principles to make the world a better place to live in. Her lecture on "Patriotism" is one people enjoy hearing more than once. Her eulogy on the flag does not fail to make better patriots of those who hear it. Mrs. Hannon declared there had not been a symbol since the star of Bethlehem that means so much to the world today as our own U. S. flag. And to the star of Bethlehem are we indebted for our emblem. The white stars in the blue field are symbolical of that blue sky and the starry depths that hovered over Judea the night the Savior of the world was born, and the red and white stripes are to remind us of that life of suffering and sacrifice. "O, is it any wonder?" asked the speaker, "that all must acknowledge that there is no other banner of such significance as our own red, white and blue."

The children of the two grade schools had been active in getting out a crowd to hear the patriotic address, and as a reward for their work the Oregon W.C.T.U. presented a handsome all-wool bunting U. S. flag to the two teachers receiving the largest number of votes—the flag to become the property of the respective rooms represented by these teachers. Miss Thomas, of the 5th grade and Miss Morehouse, of the Junior high, having received the highest number of votes, were given the flags.

Annual Dinner

At the annual dinner at the Christian church Thursday night a good crowd was present. After the dinner a church business meeting was called and reports were given from the church societies telling something of their work during the year. Then the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing year: Elders—A. H. Peachey, V. V. Hawley, and Peter Burnett was elected as an honorary elder. Deacons—Jas. Beagle, F. D. Swingle, J. W. Haskins, and James Yokum. Deaconesses—Mrs. Roy Hale and Mrs. Peachey. Trustees—George McAllister, F. D. Swingle, Chas. Edgington, James Beagle and A. H. Peachey. Clerk—Chas. Edgington. After the election of officers, Rev. Huffman of the Medford Christian church and C. F. Swander of Portland each preached a short sermon. Mr. Huffman displayed a variety of interesting curios from India that he had procured during his trip around the world.

Civic Improvement Club

The following program will be given at the Civic Improvement club Tuesday, April 23, 1918, in the Auxiliary hall at 2:30 p. m.:

Vocal solo, Mrs. Esther Ashcraft. Reading, Mrs. Willshire. Miss Anne McCormick will give a talk on Table Service and Etiquette and will demonstrate how to properly serve a luncheon.

The ladies of Miss McCormick's economic class and Civic Improvement club will furnish refreshments. War bread will be furnished by Miss McCormick's class.

Hostesses for the afternoon are Mesdames Patterson and Wick. A cordial invitation is extended to all and especially to Miss McCormick's class.

A pleasant and profitable afternoon is anticipated.

Mrs. Jennie Christenson, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hicks for the past week, returned to her home in Albany Thursday afternoon.

Classified Advertisements TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR SALE—Part or all, most desirable 15-acre modern home in Ashland. Free irrigated. R. D. Sanford, Helman street. 96-5*

WANTED—A good cook or waitress. Apply Home Restaurant, East Main street. 96-21*

FOR SALE—A set of double harness and fine team for ranch work. For particulars address E. Greer, Hill, California. 96-14

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished modern eight-room house, well located at 614 Boulevard. Fine neighborhood, and close in. One of the best homes in the city. Enquire at the Tidings office, or Mrs. D. R. Minkler. \$25 per month. 96-21

FOR RENT—Furnished—A large first-floor front room. Hot plate for light cooking; and outside door. \$6.00 per month. Phone 411-R. 96-11

WANTED—Man and wife for ranch work. Patterson Orchard company. Call 303 North Main or phone 304-J. 96-21

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE ROGUE RIVER FRUIT & PRODUCE ASSOCIATION—Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the Rogue River Fruit & Produce Association for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting, will be held at the Public Library, on Main street, Medford, Oregon, the 21st day of May, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m. Rogue River Fruit & Produce Assn. By R. C. Washburn, Pres. By G. B. Dean, Secretary. Dated Medford, Oregon, April 20, 1918. 96-51 mon.

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NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS—In the district court of the United States, in and for the district of Oregon.

In the matter of A. A. Chisholm and Elizabeth Chisholm, bankrupts.

To the creditors of A. A. Chisholm and Elizabeth Chisholm, bankrupts: You are hereby notified that on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1918, A. A. Chisholm and Elizabeth Chisholm were duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts will be held at the office of the undersigned in rooms 26-27 over the Jackson County Bank building, in the city of Medford, Oregon, Jackson county, on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1918, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., at which time and place the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupts, order a sale of the property of the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Medford, Oregon, this 20th day of April, 1918. FRANK J. NEWMAN, Referee

NOTICE OF PROPOSED LOCATION OF STREET—Whereas, the common council of the city of Ashland has deemed it expedient to lay out and establish a street extending from Scenic Drive to Grandview Drive, in said city of Ashland, Oregon, and

Whereas, the said common council has caused such proposed street to be surveyed and a plat thereof filed in the office of the City Recorder of said city, which plat shows the lots and parcels of land affected and the owners thereof, so far as known, and which plat was, by the said council, duly adopted, on the 18th day of April, 1918, and

Whereas, on the 18th day of April, 1918, said council appointed three disinterested freeholders of said city, viz. W. F. Loomis, W. H. Gowdy and G. W. Benedict, to view such proposed street, and make an assessment of the damages and benefits incident thereto.

Notice is hereby given that said viewers will meet at 2 o'clock P. M. on the 3rd day of May, 1918, at the intersection of Bush street and Scenic Drive in said city, for the purpose of viewing said proposed street and assessing the damages and benefits aforesaid.

The names of the owners of the lots and parcels of land affected by such proposed street, so far as known, are, John R. Gibson, H. F. Badger, Mary M. Badger, George Pellett, J. P. Halfhill, Hester Carter, Isaac Bailey, E. D. Briggs, Richard Beswick, and Jones. Done by order of the common council of the city of Ashland, Oregon, this, the 22nd day of April, 1918.

GERTRUDE BIEDE, City Recorder. 96-11

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED OPENING OF ALLEY

Whereas, the common council of the city of Ashland, Oregon, has deemed it expedient to lay out and open an alley extending from First street to North Pioneer avenue, in said city, and Whereas, the said common council caused said proposed alley to be surveyed and a plat thereof filed in the office of the City Recorder, which plat shows the lots and parcels of land affected and the owners thereof, so far as known, and which plat was duly adopted by said city council on the 18th day of April, 1918.

Notice is hereby given to all parties interested that W. F. Loomis, W. H. Gowdy and G. W. Benedict have been appointed to view such proposed alley and to make assessment of the damages and benefits incident thereto, and that said board of viewers will meet at 10 o'clock A. M. on May 3rd, 1918, at the junction of C street and North Pioneer avenue, in said city, for said purposes.

That the names of the owners of the lots or parcels of land affected by such proposed alley, so far as known, are A. M. Beaver, A. Schuerman, W. T. Holmes, Annie L. Holmes, J. F. Minkie, Howard Rose, Charles Rose, D. L. Minkler, J. P. Dodge, James Archibald and Emma Archibald.

Done by order of the common council of the city of Ashland, Oregon, this 22nd day of April, 1918. GERTRUDE BIEDE, City Recorder. 96-11

For Sheriff

I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for sheriff at the primary, May 17th, 1918. If nominated and elected I will during my term of office give my personal attention to the office and enforce the laws as provided by statute. I stand for a business administration and a square deal to all. A. W. WALKER. (Paid Advertisement)

For County Commissioner

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for county commissioner on the republican ticket. I stand for prudent progress in all things; am thoroughly conversant with the construction of roads, bridges and so forth, and believe in making improvements wherever and whenever necessary. Have had wide experience with men and affairs. If nominated and elected will during my term of office endeavor to conduct the affairs of said office in an efficient manner and give the taxpayers full value for every dollar expended. F. V. MEDYNSKI. (Paid Advertisement)

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