

Activities BY VELLA WINNER

THE women of Reed college spent this afternoon in their first rehearsal in the Helling theatre, where on June 1 and 2 they will present "Everywoman's Road." Everything is ready now for the play and the next few rehearsals will be spent at the theatre putting on the finishing touches.

The costumes, which make up such an important part in the play, are finished and many pictures are being taken of them. They are picturesque and all are designed with a sense of the significance of color.

Artists to Meet. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wanker of 318 Holland street will entertain the Society of Oregon Artists and their friends this evening, May 28, at Mrs. Alice Weister and Mrs. Edith Tostler Weathered are to speak on Art and Mrs. H. W. Foster and Miss Bushnell will sing, while music will be furnished by other members. Take St. Johns car to Peninsula avenue station, one block south and one west.

Club Women Welcomed. That the visiting club women who are already arriving for the Council meeting of the General Federation are being warmly welcomed is attested by the activity of the trains committee of which Mrs. H. C. Uthoff is chairman, and the hotels committee, of which Mrs. J. W. Tritt is chairman and Mrs. C. E. Runyon, vice chairman. Members of the trains committee are meeting every train and are presenting visitors with roses. The rooms of the delegates are also decorated with roses.

Clinton Kelly Association Election. The Clinton Kelly Parent-Teacher association met yesterday afternoon with a large attendance, the occasion being the annual election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. C. T. Osborne; first vice president, Mrs. C. Tomlinson; second vice president, Mrs. E. H. Conroy; secretary, Mrs. A. Carlson; treasurer, Mrs. C. W. Helme; chairman social service committee, Mrs. Quigley. The retiring president and treasurer gave their annual reports. The children furnished a program and an address on the need of kindergartens in the public schools of Portland was given by Mrs. Alva Lee Stephens, the new president of the Council of Parent-Teacher associations. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served.

Current Literature Department. The final study meeting of the current literature department of the Portland Woman's club was held yesterday with Mrs. D. A. Watters and Mrs. C. W. Hopkins as hostesses. The meeting was held at the home of the former with an attendance of 29. Two long tables decorated in pink roses were used for serving the luncheon. Several of the women responded to topics with some original sentiment, a quotation or poem. Mrs. F. C. Whitfield delighted everyone with her vocal numbers.



Left to right—Eleanor Ewing as "Beauty"; Phoebe Sheldon as "Solace" in "Everywoman's Road."

Following officers were elected for the new year beginning in October: Mrs. A. C. Hampton, president; Mrs. H. E. Bickers, vice president; Mrs. C. S. Jerard, treasurer; Mrs. J. S. Johns, secretary. The new year book committee are: Mrs. James A. Fee and Mrs. J. S. Johns, editors; Mrs. J. S. Johns, associate editor; Mrs. J. C. Bryant, Miss Amos, Miss Brooks, Mrs. E. A. Emery, Mrs. Ben Riesland, Mrs. Harriet Hendee.

Ball Clerk's Auxiliary Meets. The woman's auxiliary to the Railway Mail association met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. J. Stimpson, on East Yamhill street. A pleasant social afternoon was spent with 15 members and seven visitors present. An invitation was read from the mail clerks and their wives living at Metzger, announcing a picnic to be held June 19, at Metzger park, to which the Portland mail clerks and their families are invited. The auxiliary will hold its annual picnic in July. The afternoon closed with the serving of refreshments, the hostesses being assisted by Mrs. Ray Antrim.

Baseball Game Feature. In Vancouver, Wash., the United Artisans will maintain an open house for members from 9 a. m. until night at K. of P. hall, Tuesday, June 15. There will be a baseball game at the high school park, refreshments served in the hall, dancing and music in the afternoon. At night a street parade to the Rex theatre, led by Campbell's American band, will begin another program. Fancy drill and dancing will complete the celebration. Vancouver Artisans have increased in the last few months from 214 to 340 members.

Young Ladies Drilling. Sixteen young ladies of Oregon assembly No. 1, United Artisans, are drilling every Thursday night under the direction of Mrs. H. G. Knott to represent a series of symbolic figures from the remains of San Francisco next July. After every drill comes the regular session of the council.

Scenes in Mexico. "Scenes in Mexico" were presented last night before Oregon Assembly No. 1, United Artisans, at the Seiling-Hirsch building, by C. V. Cooper.

Scottish Rite Masons. The committees of the Scottish Rite Masons' reunion beginning at their cathedral, Lowndes and Morrison streets, Thursday, June 3, and continuing for the remainder of the week, are as follows: Reception, General T. M. Anderson, W. E. Grace, Joseph Simon, C. W. Lowe, George H. Burnett; candidates committee, M. C. George, T. C. Taylor, Henry L. Pitcock, W. D. Fenon; Oscar Hayer, musical director, Ralph W. Hoyt, organist, William B. Boone; aeolian organist, Morris B. Wells; electrician, Robert Skein; stage assistant, Walter J. Holman; class con-

They didn't feel comfortable in that strange tree. Shadows came there first. No, Bumpy, Grumpy, and Frumpy were not afraid of the dark. Of course not! The very idea! Hadn't they eyes for seeing in the dark? And yet somehow they didn't feel quite comfortable there in the crotch of the strange tree with the Black Shadows all about them. Bumpy was just going to say so when a shadow a little blacker than the others stopped right in the top of the very tree they were in. Then the terrible voice of Hooty the Owl rang through the Green Forest. Bumpy, Grumpy, and Frumpy hugged each other, and their hearts thumped as if they would burst through their skins. "We must keep perfectly still," Bumpy whispered. "We better play that we are dead, and then if he sees us he'll think we are," whispered Frumpy. So the three little Possums played that they were dead, and they lay in the crotch of the big tree for ever and ever so long. Hooty didn't see them. Of course, he didn't dream that there were three little Possums in the very tree there. He didn't once look down in the crotch; and if he had he wouldn't have seen anything but a mass of hair that didn't move. At last he flew away. A long time, a very long time after, Frumpy ventured to move. "The Great World was such a terrible place," he whimpered. "Keep still," growled Grumpy. "Somebody may hear you."

Next story: Bumpy, Grumpy, and Frumpy See More of the Great World.

doctor, E. G. Jones; costumer, R. A. Neilson. The candidates committee are: Mrs. J. S. Johns, reception committee, purple; visitors, yellow.

Royal Arcanum. The Royal Arcanum councils of Portland will attend Memorial services next Sunday at 7:45 p. m. in the Atkinson Memorial church, East Everett and East Twenty-ninth north.

Macabees' Plan Excursion. The Knights of the Macabees have decided to have an excursion to Canemack park Sunday, June 6.

To Show New Banner. Kirkpatrick Council tonight will exhibit the new \$250 state banner it has received from the supreme council.

New Assembly Formed. A new local assembly of the United Artisans has been organized at Brush Prairie, Clarke county, Washington.

Ladies' Night at Elks. Wednesday, June 2, will be Ladies' night at the Elks' club. Double program will be presented.

NATIONAL GUARD NOTES. Scout Young Camp Will Organize Rifle Club. Will Have Strong Team. Scout Young camp, Spanish War Veterans, has decided to organize a rifle club in the Oregon National Rifle association. The government allows them one Krag-Jorgenson, 1888 model, for every five members. As "Scout" young camp has 475 members, they expect to have rifles enough to form a strong organization.

Will Fire Salute. Monday noon the cruiser Boston will fire a salute of 21 guns as part of the Memorial day exercises.

Three Aspire to Position. There is a paymaster to be elected on Sunday in the Oregon Naval Militia, and there are three applicants for the position. Examinations will be conducted by the Oregon Naval Militia staff.

Loyal Greeks Grieve Over King's Illness. John Pulos, Business Man, Leader Among Countrymen Here, Pays Constantine, Ruler, a Fine Compliment. There is sadness in Portland's Greek colony.

The Journal Woman's Calendar Friday, May 28.

MARKETING. The new shipment of Florida tomatoes which arrived yesterday is on the retail markets today. The quality is excellent, but the prices remain rather high on account of the limited supply.

THE STRAWBERRY MARKET goes up and down almost daily. Today the supply is comparatively limited, but the quality remains good, notwithstanding the rains. Wet fruit can be shipped as far as Portland from the outlying towns without deteriorating in the least, but it will not bear shipment east.

BUTTER EXPORTATIONS to Australia, New Zealand and Canadian points continued, leaving the supply somewhat short, with prices in the ascendancy.

THE VEAL MARKET is still glutted and for the first time in years veal is cheaper than pork.

REGON CABBAGE is coming in limited quantities. The heads are hard, white and crisp and are retailing at 2 cents per pound.

CARROTS, BEETS AND TURNIPS are coming in limited quantities from California. Local shipments are also beginning to come in, but the vegetables are notably small.

SPARAGUS STEWED. Cut the points as far as they are perfectly tender into pieces not more than one-half an inch in length, wash them and throw into boiling salted water. When they are tender, take out asparagus and lay aside for a few minutes. Have some pieces of toasted bread, dip them into the water in which the asparagus was boiled. Butter them and place in dish, laying asparagus on top. Pour a little milk into saucepan. Thicken with a little flour and add a piece of butter and salt to taste. Pour the mixture over the asparagus, and serve very hot.

THE SHOPPER'S ingenuity displayed by the designers of women's blouses this season. And the particularly striking thing about it is that the most expensive blouses are just as dainty and as prettily designed as the more expensive ones. One of the large stores of Portland is featuring blouses at the lowest possible prices. And every shipment is different. They're mostly lingerie, though I saw a few tub silks and pongees, which are always good, and especially so for traveling and outing wear. Sheer voiles, crepes and novelty materials, with collars and cuffs of organza and pretty embroidery effects, some with bits of color, others charmingly lace trimmed, were shown me in these groups that you may purchase for a mere song.

AWNING-STRIPPED PETTICOATS are quite the latest thing from petticoatland. They are in the black and white stripes as broad as any awning you ever saw. They come in chiffon taffeta with fancy, fancy, daintiness of accordion pleating, also with the jersey top with taffeta flounces trimmed with narrow fluting at the bottom.

GLOVES FOR GOLFING are once practical and good looking were shown me at that exclusive glove shop on Morrison street. They are made of chamamois and little mesh, others are of chamamois and leather and still others of chamamois and leather, and come in all white and natural chamamois. The distinctive feature in the large perforations for the knuckles, enabling the player to grasp the stick much more firmly.

OSTRICH BOAS are again attracting attention from the woman who loves dainty, soft things around her face and neck. The newest ones I have seen are in 18-inch lengths and are trimmed with silk tassels. The colors include white, navy, brown, tan, alicia, gray, black, and black and white mixture.

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cretly married and leaves a note disclosing the fact to his friend and begging him to care for his wife and little girl. The child becomes the ward of the man who killed her father and in later years loves him, in ignorance of how her father died. Through the woman who caused the quarrel she learns the truth but Strathmore is well-given and love triumphs. It is well acted and holds interest. The bill is completed with a beautiful Father colored scene of Piza, Italy, a study of insect life and "The House That Jack Moved."



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"Commuters" Gets Laugh at Orpheum. For the remainder of the week, the Orpheum is offering the Kleine production of "The Commuters," James Forbes' clever comedy. In the featured role of Hettie Brice is Irene Fenwick, who is a tremendous favorite on Broadway at this time. The cabaret orchestra leader, whose alias is "Sammy," and who is brought home by Larry Spice after an all-night jamboree, is played by the comedian, Charles Judels.

THE picture is splendidly produced, cleverly acted and filled with an abundance of comedy due to the well-worked out situations. The subtleties are responsible for many laughs. In striking contrast is a foreign comedy, "A Fourfold Cupid."

Ouida's Novel in Film at Columbia. Ouida's "Strathmore" filmed under the direction of D. W. Griffith with Charles Clary playing the title role, is the Columbia's stellar attraction for the remainder of the week. It is the story of an unworthy coquette who deliberately causes a quarrel between two friends, one of whom is killed in the ensuing duel. He has been se-

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