

What Society is Doing

BY NONA LAWLER

FOR the pleasure of Mrs. Albert Edwin Hurst of New York, who is visiting in the city, Mrs. Philip Blumauer was hostess Saturday afternoon at the Japanese Tea Room on the mezzanine floor of the Hotel Multnomah. The affair was quite informal and every pretty appointed. Bright pink clusters of carnations and roses were arranged with a profusion of vine maple and fir greenery. About 35 guests were in attendance. At the tea table Mrs. William Felton and Mrs. Stephen Stoddard presided.

Popular Soloist to Go East.

Miss Grace Josephine Brown is the fortunate possessor of a contract that calls for her presence in New York later this summer to begin rehearsals for the leading ingenue with the musical comedy, "Bringing Up Father," built on the famous George McManus cartoons.

For the past six months Miss Brown has been the contralto of the quartet of singers entertaining at the Oregon grill, and it was there that the manager of the company heard her sing when his players filled a special week's engagement at the Baker. He was so impressed with the young singer's voice and individuality that he entered into negotiations with her and placed her under contract for the coming season.

Miss Brown is a well-known soloist in Portland, where she has filled important church positions among them the First Congregational, First Methodist and First Church of Christ, Scientist. She will leave Tuesday for her home in Medford, where she will pass the remainder of the summer until called east for rehearsals.

Birthday Party Occasion.

Miss Geneva France was a hostess Saturday at a party given at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. A. France, the occasion being Miss France's fourteenth birthday. Musical selections were rendered by Miss Irene Davis, Ellen Piker and Hazel Olsen, after which refreshments were served. The invited guests were Hazel Lehnart, Alice Murray, Evelyn Powers, Hazel Olsen, Ellen Piker, Irene Davis, Gertrude France, Daphne Douchette, Violet Burlison, Marie Hess and Charles Davis.

"Snug Ten" Entertained.

Miss Orrel S. Rose entertained the "Snug Ten" club at luncheon, Thursday at her home, 1035 Mallory avenue. The table was decorated with pink roses. Music and sewing were enjoyed during the afternoon by Myrtle Johnson, Mable McKnight, Pearl King, George Smith, Louise Phillips, Emma Fetsch, Edith Demmon, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Kingsbury, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Loomis, Mrs. Spence, Wash, Mrs. Rose and the hostess.

Mrs. Houghton of The Dalles Honored.

Mrs. H. S. Wilson entertained at an elaborate luncheon for Mrs. F. L. Houghton of The Dalles at the Northland hotel Friday. The guests were Mrs. Dr. Ferguson, Mrs. E. E. Houghton, Mrs. George Blackley, Mrs. Hugh Logan, Mrs. J. T. Peters, Mrs. T. J. Seufert, Mrs. A. S. Benson, Miss Bennett, and Mrs. J. T. Lighter.

Mrs. Joyce Hostess.

Mrs. J. H. Joyce entertained Wednesday at her apartments in the Brenner with four tables of "500." The refreshments and decorations were carried out in the colors pink and white. Card honors felt to Mrs. F. W. Patt, Mrs. Joe Sandval and Mrs. Dr. Keeney.

For Mr. and Mrs. Barnes.

For Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Barnes, who were playing at the Penthouse last week, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Hart, gave a dinner party Friday evening at their home, 230 Thirteenth street. Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. Hart were theatrical associates some years ago.

Society Notes.

Congratulations and messages are finding their way to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kunz on the arrival of their little son, May 29. Mrs. Kunz will be remembered as the Nellie Heffner.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hammer of Des Moines, Iowa, are visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford C.

Little Stories for Bedtime

BY THORNTON W. BURGESS

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Three Little Possums and Granny Fox.

Old Granny Fox was very pleasant to listen to. The three little Possums up in the tree, Grumpy, Grumpy, Grumpy, just had to listen, because she told them such wonderful things about the Great World that they had started out to see. They knew what Uncle Billy Possum would have said had he been there. He would have told them, this for stop their ears, that many times that they had been told many times that Old Granny Fox would gobble them up the first chance she got. But it is the way with little kids sometimes that they think they know more than their elders, especially when they want to do the thing that they have been told not to do.

The three little Possums had been told never to trust Reddy or Old Granny Fox, but now that they had seen Granny Fox for themselves and found her so pleasant and so willing to show them the things they wanted to see they began to think that Uncle Billy and Mrs. Possum really didn't know what Granny Fox was all about. Granny was going on in their foolish little minds, and she turned her head to hide a smile.

"I know you don't trust me, my dears," said she. "Probably you have been told terrible stories about me. But you mustn't believe all you hear or you never will get anywhere in the Great World. Use your common sense, my dears. Use your common sense. Be independent and act for yourselves. Now do you expect to find the wonderful things in the Great World unless someone one who knows where they are shows you the way? Never have I seen such fine, smart Possums at your age, and nothing would please me more than to show you all those things you want to see."

Bumpy looked at Grumpy and Grumpy looked at Bumpy and Bumpy looked at the others. "Shall we?" whispered Bumpy. "I don't believe she would hurt a flea," said Grumpy. "I wish she wouldn't smile; her teeth are too long and sharp," grumbled Grumpy. "It's a splendid chance to see the Great World," whispered Bumpy. "We'll never find all those wonderful things alone," added Grumpy. "I wish there wasn't such a hungry

Old Granny Fox trotted down the Lone Little Path.

look in her eyes," grumbled Grumpy. "She is very nice," whispered Bumpy.

"Mother Possum couldn't have really known her at all," said Grumpy. "I wish she didn't look her lips so much," grumbled Grumpy. Meanwhile old Granny Fox waited patiently at the foot of the tree. "I tell you what it is," my dears, said she at last. "I will go off down the Lone Little Path far enough for you to feel perfectly safe in coming down. You are quite right in being careful and cautious, and it does wonder that you have proved that they are to be trusted. When you have come down I will lead the way to those wonderful things and you can follow me at a safe distance." To herself she added: "I will lead them where there are no trees to climb," and she turned her head to smack her lips at the thought. Then Old Granny Fox deliberately turned her back and trotted down the Lone Little Path until they could just see her red cloak. Once more the three little Possums looked at each other, and this time even Grumpy hadn't a word to say.

Next story: "Sammy Jay Again Proves a True Friend."



NEUTRALITY POLICY STRONGLY URGED BY GERMAN-AMERICANS

Resolutions Passed at State Convention Which Was Held at German House.

REVIEW OF CONDITIONS

Delegates Dissent From Attitude of Administration Regarding War Munitions Exports.

As a result of 150 delegates from the Confederated German-Speaking societies of Oregon meeting in their thirteenth annual convention at the German Haus, Thirteenth and Main streets, yesterday, resolutions were adopted expressing loyalty to the United States, but dissenting from the president and his secretary of state in their attitude relative to the exporting of war materials.

The resolutions were telegraphed to the president last night, and are as follows:

"We, the Confederation of German-speaking societies of Oregon, being duly assembled in our annual convention in the city of Portland, Or., do hereby and herewith declare and adopt the following resolutions:

"That we are most grateful to Almighty God for the peace, happiness and prosperity of our state and nation.

"We deplore and look with horror and deep distress upon the terrible loss and destruction of human lives and property and the awful suffering of women, children and the aged and infirm, which is occasioned by the furious war now raging among the nations of Europe.

"We realize that our own flesh and blood are among the dead and suffering and we implore the Supreme Ruler of the Universe that this awful carnage and suffering among the people of these warring nations may cease, and that peace, harmony and brotherly love shall again prevail on earth.

"We are most grateful to our country becoming involved in a war with any foreign nation or ally ourselves with any of the belligerents, but we steadfastly maintain a strict neutrality.

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ENTERTAIN AT RECEPTION



The Arpin Sisters.

In honor of Queen Sybil and Princess Ruth, the Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodmen Wednesday tendered a reception. Among the features was the entertaining of the Arpin sisters.

August Kehrberger, Otto Schuman, O. C. Bortsmeyer, M. Mardorf and Theodore Bergman.

With one exception all of the present officials were reelected. The one exception was Mrs. Alvina Holling, elected second vice president. The convention closed last night with a banquet and reception.

Timekeeper Is Convicted.

North Yakima, Wash., June 7.—(P. N. S.)—M. L. Allingham, timekeeper for county road gangs, is under conviction here today of charges of false auditing of county payrolls. Allingham is one of the men indicted by the grand jury recently after an extensive investigation of county affairs.

Real Comedy Has Real Comedians

"Little Miss Brown," a William A. Brady feature being shown at the Columbia the first half of this week, is a real comedy with real comedians as actors.

Vivian Martin, vivacious and pretty, plays Miss Brown, and the excellence of the supporting cast is one of the remarkable things about the film. The story has to do with the embarrassing situations brought about by Miss Brown being mistaken for another man's wife and her weakness for flirtations. It is a succession of laughs.

Minister Resigns From His Pulpit

Rev. J. E. Youel Takes Action to Assist Presbyterian Institution—To Take Effect June 20.

Another Portland minister resigned yesterday and his motive is to relieve the financial situation in his church by enabling it to do without a regular pastor.

Rev. J. E. Youel, for two years pastor of the Spokane Avenue Presbyterian church, at the close of yesterday morning's services offered his resignation, to take effect at the close of the evening services June 20. He requested the congregation to unite with him in requesting the Portland Presbytery to sever the pastoral relations. The church session has called a congregational meeting for next Sunday, after the morning service, to act on the resignation. Rev. Mr. Youel expects it to be accepted.

The popular Redwood pastor who has taken this important step to aid his church said today: "The future outlook for raising the coming year's budget is not satisfactory. Acceptance of my resignation will leave me free to accept a call received last week from the First Presbyterian church at Tillamook, where I expect to preach my first sermon June 27. That is a splendid church in a growing community and I consider it a larger opportunity."

Rev. Mr. Youel has been actively engaged in the ministry for 18 years. The largest order of merit in the world is the French Legion of Honor, which has more than half a million members.

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