



Left to right—Mrs. G. I. Stahl, recently elected president of the Tuesday Afternoon club; Mrs. Will F. Powell, who gave a dramatic reading at the meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star last week.

By Vella Winner. HANKINGIVING day, which is essentially a home day, made the past week a quiet and uneventful one in point of public gatherings, however, with characteristic unselfishness, the earnest, thoughtful women who make up the clubs and parent-teacher associations of the city did not confine their work of preparation for the festive day to their own families, but extended the good cheer of their households to the hundreds of less fortunate families of the city.

Infant Foods Discussed. "Infant Foods, Their Use and Abuse," was the subject of the lecture given yesterday by Dr. William F. Anus. He said in part: The proper feeding of her infant should be the mother's first concern. If the mother is healthy and can nurse her infant, she should do so. If, however, nature has seen unfitting to her, the inexperienced mother may be faced at the very beginning with a most serious problem. The first thought, of course, would be to secure a wet nurse, but the expense of the wet nurse and other considerations that need not be mentioned are usually prohibitive. Not much time is permitted the mother to decide on some course of action, for the baby, if normally, is not slow in making its needs known. The natural thing for her to do would be to consult her physician, who should be able to advise her how to modify cow's milk to adapt it to the needs of her infant.

Concord School Bazaar. December 4 is the date set for the annual bazaar of the Concord Parent-Teacher association, to be held at the school house Saturday afternoon and evening. At two o'clock there will be a program by the children. There will also be a program in the evening. Light refreshments will be served during the afternoon and evening. The chairman of the committees who are working hard to make the bazaar a success are: Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Atherton, Mrs. Denny, Mrs. Landen, Mrs. Powers, Mrs. Young and Mrs. Wallace. The Misses Stackweather, Bailey and Lee. Miss Lee has charge of the program and selection. It is not so much the intention of the club to raise money as it is to promote the sociability of its members.

Sewing Room is Busy. The sewing room which the Junior League is operating for the needy women of the city is running to its full capacity. Twenty sewing machines furnished by the White Sewing Machine agency, through the courtesy of Rev. John H. Boyd, with Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Riehl, will be the guests of honor. Similar receptions in other districts will follow in rapid succession.

Woman's Press Club to Meet. The regular monthly meeting of the State Woman's Press club will be held on Wednesday evening, December 1, at 8:03 o'clock in room A, Central Library. The subject of the evening, "Magazines," will be discussed by Mrs. Beasley Guip. The music part of the program will be contributed by Mrs. Francisco Chronicle, who is now solicited a magazine in Portland. A paper on some of the women editors of New York, by Miss Helen Sawyer Grady, will be read. The musical part of the program will be contributed by Miss Leta Dea, her number being the "Wayside Chapel and Selections from 'I Trovatore.'" Mrs. Minnie R. Dea will be chairman of the evening.

Story Hour Club to Meet. The Story Hour club will meet in the Library Hall, Thursday, December 2. The program will be as follows: Part 1—Dramatization of "First Grade Poems," Miss Helen Patch, Clifton Kelly, A. Christmas Story, Miss Eleanor McCarty. Part 2—Legends of the Northwest;

ACTIVE IN TURN VEREIN

To Present "Damos of Cranford." Under the auspices of the Portland Women's club the delightful play, "Damos of Cranford," is to be given in January at the Lincoln High school auditorium. The benefit and play will be a grand success. Mrs. Adelina M. Alvord, well known in educational circles, will stage and coach the play. The dramatization by Mrs. Alvord is from the novel by Mrs. F. W. C. A. Thackeray. The stage settings will be true to the period and the costumes quaint and beautiful. Preliminary rehearsals began last Friday morning at 615 Elmer building.

Lebanon Association Organized. A flourishing Parent-Teacher association was organized last week at Lebanon with the following officers: President, Mrs. P. M. Scroggin; vice president, Mrs. G. Everett; secretary, Mrs. A. W. Blackburn; treasurer, Mrs. Byron Millap. Thursday afternoon, December 2, Mrs. George W. McMath will speak on the value of Parent-Teacher organization.

Ladies of Social Turn Verein Party. Invitations for the second stepping party to be given December ninth by the Ladies and Active Members of the Portland Social Turn Verein at the Deutsche Haus, Thirteenth and Main street, will be out soon. The hall will be elaborately decorated for the occasion and the event is looked forward to with much pleasure.

Club and Association Notes. The Tuesday Afternoon club will meet next Tuesday at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. A. Dickson, 493 East 12th street. Take Richmond car to Thirty-sixth and go west.

Social service department of the Parent-Teacher association will meet in room H, Central library, at 10:30 o'clock. The following speakers are requested to be present to give full reports of the last month's work. All others interested in the work of this department are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Circle "L" to Be Host. Circle "L" of the Women's association of the First Presbyterian church, of which Mrs. Fred Hiram Strong is the chairman, will give the first of a series of receptions which are planned by the different circles, Wednesday evening of this week, at the home of Mrs. Florence West, 380 East Twenty-eighth street.

It May Be True But Few Believe Tale

Pasadena, Cal., Nov. 27.—(P. N. S.)—After dinner habits of a Tuolumne county mule are the subject of a story current here which bids fair to put Charles R. Green, former business manager of the Pasadena News, and the front row of the Pasadena class (green), in a new managing a big orange and lemon ranch at Lindsay, Tuolumne county, asserts a mule on the ranch, every evening when his fodder is eaten, reaches out more than in the croch of a big tree. Green says the mule has a fondness for him, and that in time he will teach it to cross its legs and smoke. Pasadena, who have visited the ranch, assert that the former newspaper man is in excellent health and that his mind is clear.

Even Cross, Sick Children Love Syrup of Figs. Look at tongue! If feverish, bilious, constipated, take no chances. "California Syrup of Figs" can't harm tender stomach, liver, bowels.

GET RID of FAT FREE TRIAL TREATMENT. My treatment has often reduced at the rate of one pound a day. Here are a few of the many letters constantly received by me:

MRS. C. PHINEAW writes: "When I started your treatment I weighed 222 pounds and now I weigh 160. I was 48, now 40, I was 38, now 29. I was 65, now 54. No, I did not diet or exercise at all while taking your treatment."

MRS. S. SANTEE says: "I have lost approximately 50 pounds since taking your treatment. I feel better than I ever did. I can take long walks without becoming tired or short of breath. Thank you very much for what you have done for me."

MRS. O. WHITLOW writes: "I have lost 75 pounds as a result of your treatment and have never felt so well in my life as I do now."

DIG EATERS GET KIDNEY TROUBLE SATS AUTHORITY. Take a teaspoonful of Salts to flush Kidneys if Back Hurts. Omit all meat from diet if you feel Rheumatic or Bladder bothers.

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET. A Well-Known Actress Tells How She Darkened Her Gray Hair and Promoted its Growth With a Simple Home-Made Mixture.

Declares Peace Talk To Be Real Menace. Berlin, Nov. 27.—(L. N. S.)—Count Reventlow, the military expert, sees a menace in peace talk to both England and Germany, and warns the Germans that the war must be fought out to the end.

DIRECTORY OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

- ALBERTA WOMAN'S IMPROVEMENT CLUB—Second and fourth Tuesdays at 8 p. m. at the homes of members. President, Mrs. Josephine H. Sharp, 1033 East Twenty-fourth street. Phone C-2683.
- ASSOCIATION COLLEGIATE ALUMNAE—First Saturdays at 2:30 at the homes of members. President, Mrs. Helen Gillespie, 1213 Duane street. Phone C-3622.
- BASE LINE IMPROVEMENT CLUB—Last Wednesdays at 2 p. m. President, Mrs. Ruth Fruns avenue near Base line. Fabor 2672.
- BAY VIEW STUDY CLUB—Every second Thursday at 8 p. m. at the homes of members. President, Mrs. E. E. Redd, 404 Belmont street. East 1890.
- BROOKLYN MOTHERS AND TEACHERS CLUB—First Thursday at 2:30 at Brooklyn school house. President, Mrs. M. Klappen, 907 Beacon street. East 4428.
- CAMPFIRE GUARDIANS ASSOCIATION—Second and fourth Thursdays, 9:30. Central library, 1001 Main street. East 2333.
- CORRIENT CLUB—First and third Tuesdays at 8 o'clock. Women of Woodcraft hall, Lecturer, Mrs. A. L. Loria, 104 East Fourth street, North. East 4448.
- F. W. C. CURRENT LITERATURE—Thursdays following regular club meetings at 1 p. m. at homes of members. Chairman, Mrs. J. P. Pettit, 91 East Thirty-fourth street, North. Taber 99.
- F. W. C. LITERATURE—First and third Fridays at 8 o'clock. Women of Woodcraft hall, Lecturer, Mrs. C. H. Chapman, 582 East Twenty-first street, North. East 4448.
- F. W. C. PSYCHOLOGY—Second and fourth Thursdays at 3 p. m. committee room of Women of Woodcraft hall. Leader, Mrs. Florence Crawford, Chairman, Mrs. C. B. Richmond, 400 Heights Terrace. Main 8588.
- F. W. C. SHAKESPEARE—First and third Fridays at 8 o'clock. Women of Woodcraft hall, Lecturer, Mrs. J. J. C. Harre, Chairman, Mrs. Anton Giebach, 673 Taylor street. East 4417.
- PORTLAND STUDY CLUB—Second and fourth Mondays at 2:30 at the homes of members. President, Mrs. John Peleman, 507 Taylor street. East 4428.
- PRESENT DAY CLUB—Second and fourth Tuesdays at 2:30 at the homes of members. President, Mrs. E. H. Beckon, 104 East Fourth street, North. East 1751.
- PRESIDENTS CLUB—Second Wednesday at 1 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. President, Mrs. A. H. Bryman, 582 Myrtle street. Main 417.
- PSYCHOLOGY CLUB—Second and fourth Thursdays at 2 p. m. Central library. President, Mrs. A. E. Stephens, 693 Wasco street. East 4417.
- SELF CULTURE CLUB—Second and fourth Fridays at 8 p. m. at the homes of members. President, Mrs. J. J. C. Harre, 600 East Main street. East 2757.
- STATE COUNCIL OF WOMEN VOTERS—Second Saturday at 2:30 at Central library. President, Dr. Viola May Cox, 841 Lorain street. Main 8315.
- STATE WOMEN'S PRESS CLUB—First Wednesday at Central library at 8 p. m. President, Mrs. Martha Palfman Branch, 1510 East Main street. East 4417.
- STORY HOUR CLUB—First Tuesdays at 8 o'clock at 9 o'clock at library hall. President, Mrs. Maude K. Dranski, Main and Kenneth streets. Lents, Taber 2313.
- THE COTERIE—First and third Wednesdays at 10:30 at the homes of members. President, Mrs. Robert Berg, 793 Belmont Drive. Woodlawn 3081.
- TUESDAY AFTERNOON CLUB—Every Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the homes of members. President, Mrs. Robert Smith, 998 East Tenth street. Woodlawn 1068.
- WOMAN'S AUXILIARY NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER CARRIERS—First Tuesday at 2 p. m. at Central library. President, Mrs. Alexander Temple, 414 Klickitat street. C-3442.
- WOMAN'S AUXILIARY NORTH PORTLAND COMMERCIAL CLUB—Second and fourth Thursdays at 8 p. m. at the North branch library. President, Mrs. Marshall J. Dana, 1248 Alameda avenue. Woodlawn 8104.
- WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE RAILROAD CLEANS ASSOCIATION—Last Thursday of each month at 2 o'clock at the homes of members. President, Mrs. A. J. Stimpson, 709 East Yamhill street. East 2946.
- WOMAN'S CIVIC IMPROVEMENT CLUB—Every Tuesday at 8 p. m. at Central library. President, Mrs. Josephine E. Sharp, 1033 East Twenty-fourth street, North. C-2683.
- WOMAN'S DEPARTMENTAL CLUB—Every City Park club house, Second street, North. Taber 1065.
- WOMAN'S NEW THOUGHT CLUB—First and third Tuesdays at 2 o'clock at Central library. President, Mrs. D. Peterson, 70 Cornell Road. Main 8588.
- WOMAN'S POLITICAL SCIENCE CLUB—Every Tuesday at 2 p. m. at Central library. President, Mrs. Mary E. Stevens, 974 Milwaukee street. Sellwood 2387.