

# What Society is Doing BY NONA LAWLER

**M**R. AND MRS. CHARLES LEWIS MEAD will receive at their residence, 714 Tillamook street, in Irvington, this evening. The occasion is their tenth wedding anniversary.

The advent of summer and summer weather always gives a new impetus to entertaining, as Portland is, after all, a near summer resort. This week is filled with interesting functions. Tomorrow the John T. Young will preside at a tea honoring Mrs. George W. Boschke of San Francisco, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Guy Standifer Wednesday. Mrs. Alva Lee Stephens will entertain the Parent-Teacher associations of the city, and Thursday Mrs. Frederick A. Kribbs will give a bridge affair.

**Miss Preston of Tacoma Visitor.**  
Miss Adelaide Preston, principal of the Annie Wright seminary of Tacoma, Wash., will be in Portland this week. She will be the inspiration for a luncheon to be given at the Hazelwood on Friday at 1 o'clock. Miss Preston wishes to form a Portland branch of the Alumnae association, patterned after the very successful Seattle chapter. Every alumna and every girl having attended the seminary for one year or more is earnestly requested to be present at this luncheon. For further information phone Mrs. John A. Beckwith.

**For Mrs. Jordan.**  
Mrs. Mezzetta T. Jordan of Denver, Colo., who has been visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O. H. Jordan, was entertained at her home Thursday evening, June 8, at auction bridge. Decorations were pink roses and daisies. Those invited were: Mr. and Mrs. William Hare, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stout, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Coate, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Fortwin, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Long, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bechtold, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kelo, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. M. Dresher, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Willis, Miss Nina Joy, Dr. Robb and M. H. Tracy.

**Pythian Sisters to Initiate.**  
Ophiha Temple, No. 18, Pythian Sisters will initiate several candidates Thursday evening, June 15. Election of officers will be in order. All members are requested to be present. A communication from Ivanhoe lodge, K. of P., was received, inviting Ophiha Temple to attend their memorial services Tuesday evening, June 13.

**Entertained at "500."**  
Mrs. Harry Green Knott entertained at 500 on Friday afternoon, commencing her house guests, Mrs. Victor Luthie, Mrs. E. R. Sutton and Miss Hazel Graves, of Astoria. Honors were won by Mrs. Edna Walker, Mrs. Samuel D. Penney and Mrs. George Feather. Those present besides the house guests were: Mesdames L. C. McCormick, J. B. Stammers, Alice Smith, D. Perry Evans, George Feather, W. Cheney, J. M. Hicks, Samuel D. Penney, W. A. Gill, Emma Milburn, Effie Walker, George Mendel, P. Flaherty, Roy Flaherty, A. C. Bushlight and Mrs. Annner of Tillamook, Or.

**"500" Party Planned.**  
Winslow Meade circle, L. of G. A. R., will give a 500 card party Monday afternoon, June 12, from 2 to 5, room 225, Commercial. Refreshments will be served and prizes awarded. All are cordially invited.

**Society Notes.**  
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pattullo left Saturday morning for a trip through southern California.

## Ratification Rally Planned by G. O. P.

County Central Committee Arranging for Gathering to Indorse Ticket From Top to Bottom.

The Republican county central committee is planning a ratification meeting upon the return to Portland of the delegates to the Chicago convention. At that time the members of the committee, the delegates and candidates nominated for state and county office on the Republican ticket are expected to join in a ratification of the entire Republican ticket from top to bottom. A committee, composed of Lloyd Bates, John A. Day and John P. Marshall, has been appointed to have charge of arrangements for the rally, which is expected to include a parade, with brass bands, a history of the Chicago convention by C. W. Fulton, speeches by all the candidates and other features.

John L. Day, chairman of the central committee, has appointed the following executive committee: Lloyd Bates, Francis Capell, John B. Schaefer, O. A. Eastman, L. I. Krause, Perry Haker, A. F. Barnes, W. E. Harris, James C. Walsh, W. H. H. Dufur, J. P. Marshall, H. Y. Freedman, John B. Easter, Thad Vreeland, H. A. Darnall, R. A. Nielsen, George I. Thompson, H. Von Borsel, George W. Stokes and Rowena Allan.

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Mrs. Walker Willis Kamm of San Francisco, who is visiting her relatives in the city.

## Beauty Chat BY LILLIAN RUSSELL

**The National Drink.**  
WATER, coffee, tea and other beverage bills run high, the national drink in this country is still water. Americans do not aspire to be known as a nation of beer drinkers, nor are they anxious to acquire a reputation as wine drinking people. They are willing to permit other nations to have these reputations. Perhaps Americans indulge in drinks of more variety than any other nation. This is because they are cosmopolitan and also for the reason that more Americans than any other people have sufficient means to gratify their appetites.

Statistics show an enormous per capita consumption of alcoholic beverages, coffee and tea in this country. Nevertheless, the national drink is becoming more popular every year.

The question of drink is one of growing importance as the summer months approach. Much of the summer's illness will be due to drinking the wrong liquids. It always is. Those who overindulge in injurious stimulants and beverages may attribute their sickness to other causes, but in their hearts they are sure to realize that their illness is due to indiscretions.

It has amused me to watch people drinking beer and highballs for the purpose of keeping cool during the summer. Each contains a percentage of alcohol, which as a stimulant has the immediate effect of heating the blood and body. It is rather pathetic to see people follow such a practice. They do not deceive anybody—nor themselves. They are not drinking to keep cool, but because they want to drink alcoholic stimulants. It would be better by far if they were to drink pure water. A vast percentage of the American people know this to be a fact and drink water in preference to anything else.

It would be wrong to insinuate that only the consumers of alcoholic stimulants abuse themselves through their drinking habits during the summer time. I know a man who was opposed to alcoholic drinks. He boasted that he never tasted alcohol in any form, but the doctors declared that he died from excessive use of iced tea during the hot months of the summer. If he was wise, his wisdom was of a very limited scope.

It is not my intention to suggest that iced tea is as dangerous as alcoholic stimulants. Iced tea in moderation is acceptable and refreshing. Many people turn to buttermilk in the summer. They look upon it as nourishing. It is fattening when the butter has not been removed, and it is an excellent stomachic if the acids it contains do not disagree with one.

Iced coffee is popular with some people, but it has not yet taken the place of tea. Most of the people who use iced tea and coffee desire a stimulant as well as a thirst quencher. Charged waters come in for their share of popularity, and I suppose it would be safe to say that some of the younger members of society abuse themselves by overindulging in soda water. The carbonic gas in charged waters may prove harmful in large quantities.

I have a friend who drinks hot water all the time. She enjoys excellent health and is very beautiful. She claims to find hot water more refreshing than cold drinks and she never drinks anything but water. Acid drinks, especially those containing...

**Funeral of Oakland Pioneer Woman Held**  
Oakland, Cal., June 12.—(P. N. S.)—Funeral services for Mrs. Annie E. Hume, widow of the late George W. Hume, who died in her home Saturday, were held at the family residence this afternoon.  
Mrs. Hume was 68 years old and a native of Oregon. With her husband, who was one of the most prominent commission men and salmon packers on the Pacific coast, she came to Oakland 40 years ago.  
She leaves two sons, Dr. W. R. Hume and C. H. Hume, and six grandchildren.

## NEW ORLEANS POLICE AND MARINES ENGAGE IN A PITCHED BATTLE

Both Sides Badly Beaten Up Before Men From Transport Hancock Stop Fight.

New Orleans, June 12.—(U. S. S.)—Two hundred marines from the Pacific coast and other sections of the country on their way to Santo Domingo fought a battle in the streets of New Orleans last evening, midnight and 3 o'clock Sunday with the police and it was only after Corporal Anderson and Adjutant Randall of the transport Hancock, on which the men sailed from this port Sunday, had used every effort that the melee was settled.

Thirty marines were landed in jail, every one of them in a badly battered condition. The police, who were outnumbered 3 to 1, were as badly beaten up. Sergeant Herman Stuppy having two fingers on one hand broken.

Vernon Stakley, one of the marines, was shot by Patrolman Robert Tonkelt, who said Stakley insisted on hitting one of the policemen with a brick.

The marines, who were ashore before leaving, were in the restricted district of the city, where they were the inmates of a resort when the police interfered. The soldiers of the sea resented this. The fight began and then sounded the clarion call, which the sailor of Uncle Sam knows well. Marines and soldiers piled on the cabarets and dance halls and within 15 minutes the street was a moving, fighting mass of men.

One big Irish marine knocked down five policemen as quick as they reached him. Another, an Italian hardly bigger than a small boy, spilled three on the street. Then the reserves were called out.

The marines were unarmed, but the police had sticks and blisses. Back and forth the battle waged up and down the streets and into French street, then into Basin, until the two forces, especially the police were being battered too heavily. A call was sent to the naval station and communicated by wireless to the Hancock. A big force of marines was sent and they subdued the riot.

All of the men were turned over to the government for punishment.

## Important Action To Follow Meeting

Paris, June 12.—(U. S. S.)—It is certain that the visit of Premier Briand, General Joffre and General Ruffe, minister of war, to London was marked by absolute understanding on all military points covering all fronts.  
The Temps, declaring that the exchange of views showed perfect agreement between the French and British governments, adds:  
"This is no banal diplomatic formula, but an agreement which soon will be translated into action of the highest importance for the successful prosecution of the war."

## A. J. PEAPER, NOTED MASON, PASSES ON



—Photograph by C. Elmore Gore. A. J. Peaper

A. J. Peaper, who died here Wednesday, was born in Leavenworth, Kan., September 3, 1859. He was a member of the I. O. O. F. and the A. F. and A. M. and belonged to the Mystic Shrine. Mr. Peaper is survived by his widow, Mrs. Olive M. Peaper, and two children, Alice, aged 13, and Joe, aged 7.  
Charles Peaper of Oklahoma is a brother. Two sisters are Miss Ida and Miss Bertha Peaper. In Leavenworth, Mr. Peaper was identified with several important commercial enterprises. He came to Portland and added in establishing the Oregon Brass Works, and at the time of his death was first vice president and manager of the company. Funeral services were held Friday at 1 p. m. under charge of J. P. Finley & Son. The body was cremated.

## Nine Injured in Auto Accidents

Series of Mishaps at Seattle Put Number of Persons in the Hospital With Serious Hurts.

Seattle, Wash., June 12.—(P. N. S.)—Nine persons are suffering severe injuries today, four of whom are in a serious condition as the result of four automobile accidents in Seattle and vicinity.

Skidding off a 20 foot embankment near Poulsbo, a car driven by J. C. Wolfe of Bremerton, turned turtle, seriously injuring Wolfe, Mrs. David H. Polk, Mrs. Will Henderson, Mrs. Wolfe and Betty Bell Wolfe.

Edward White is in a Seattle hospital with possible fractures of several ribs. His machine went off the road near Kent, when he turned around to see if another machine was going to pass him. Hale Bassett, 17 years old, and Allen McCallie, driving a motorcycle, crashed into an automobile and were thrown 20 feet. Bassett has a fracture of the left leg. W. E. Atkins sustained severe cuts in a rear end collision with a machine driven by E. Beckett. A passenger bus fell through a trestle plank near West Seattle without injuring anyone.

## Bed Time Tales

BY CLARA INGRAM JUDSON

**Mr. and Mrs. Brownly Bat.**  
D OWN near the creek where the wood rats made their home stood a great, tall sycamore tree, that was so old—oh, so very, very old—that it had long ago ceased to grow. Its great trunk was hollow and its bare limbs reached out white and naked toward the sky. Not a very nice tree to have around, did you say?  
Well, perhaps not. But Mrs. Brownly Bat would not have agreed with you about that—indeed, no! She and Brownly, her mate, thought it the very nicest tree in the whole woods. That just shows how opinions differ, doesn't it?



Bats are content to live wherever they happen to be.

Now, of course you are wondering if they built a nest there and all about their home.  
No, they had no nest in the sycamore tree. But that wasn't because they disliked the tree—no, indeed. It was because they never made a nest anywhere. Never! Doesn't that seem queer?

With all the other creatures of the forest working so hard over their homes it's surprising to come across a family who make no home.  
But you see, the bats are a very sleepy family. Of the whole twenty-four hours they sleep about twenty, and of course the four hours that are left give very little time for home-building; they are needed, every minute, for food hunting. Perhaps that is the reason why the bats are content to live wherever they happen to be and never make any attempt at home-making—not even when their two little bats are tiny babies.

All the forest folk, Mr. and Mrs. Brownly Bat are the least known. Mr. Gater never even saw them and had you asked him who the bats were and where to find them, he would have thought you were poking fun at him.  
Tomorrow—Mrs. Bat's Supper.

Even Willy Wood-rat only guessed that such creatures lived. Miss Charmelion, who happened upon Mrs. Bat in the sycamore tree one day, and the squirrels, were the only folks who knew even a little bit about the bats and their ways.

That, of course, was because the bats slept all the day and most of the night. Only at twilight or at dawn could they be seen darting softly about in search of their supper or breakfast of mosquitoes and gnats.  
But the bats were not blind, as they were supposed to be; they saw many a wonderful sight in the forest if they had quite good times of their own that some day you shall hear about.

## His Love for Girl Leads to Jail

Army Officer's Dream Is Over

Otto Neufeldt, lieutenant in the Austrian army, who escaped from a prison camp in Siberia after being taken prisoner by the Russians in front of Warsaw, was arrested by Lieutenant Jenkins at Linnton yesterday, charged with threatening officials of the local Apostolic Faith Mission, who kept from him Miss Martha Straight, a young woman with whom he says he is in love.

Neufeldt, who is 28 years old and speaks eight languages fluently, was caught when he applied at the Linnton postoffice for a decoy letter, sent him by Detective Coleman and Snow. They had sent it as coming from Miss Straight, whom Neufeldt is said to have written, asking her to write to him as "Arthur Schwartzburger."

To escape his attention she left Tacoma and was followed to Portland by Neufeldt, according to the information given the detectives by Mrs. Tredway, a worker at the local mission. When he tried to locate her here, and the mission workers refused to tell where she was, he is alleged to have threatened to kill Mrs. Tredway.

Weddings at Freewater.

Freewater, Or., June 12.—Miss Vashli Morse, daughter of Mrs. Effie Ross, living a mile west of this city, was married at her mother's home to Cephus Mustard of Pendleton. The Rev. H. S. Shangle of Columbia college was the minister. Mr. and Mrs.

Mustard will reside on their ranch near Pendleton.  
Harry Davis, who has just returned from Kirksville, Mo., where he has been studying osteopathy, has accepted a position as night agent for the Walla Walla Valley Railway company at the station, Freewater.  
Miss Alice Chickenshead, who has been one of the teachers at the Advent school for the last two years, was married to J. F. Alexander of the Milton Nursery company. The ceremony was performed by Elder W. W. Steward.

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