

What Society Is Doing

A GROUP of prominent society matrons are arranging an interesting sale of needlework for Saturday of next week. November 26, at the Hotel Portland, from 2 until 5 o'clock. The articles are the clever work of Miss Hazel Hall, a prominent Portland girl, who, though an invalid, has for several years carried on a small business in her home, making clever bits of fancy work for sale. Mrs. Harrison Platt has the affair in charge, and others who are interested in the event will take charge of various tables. Mrs. Thomas Honeyman, Mrs. James Laidlaw and Mrs. J. F. Dickson will have table No. 1; Miss Hall will have table No. 2; with Mrs. M. G. Hall, Mrs. Charles Busey assisting her; table No. 3 will be in charge of Miss Isabelle Gauld, Mrs. George A. Warren, Miss Eliza Grellie; table No. 4 will be dolls, with Mrs. Lester Kollock, Mrs. Olga Wright and Mrs. Frank Branch, Riley in charge; table No. 5 will be in charge of Miss Ailsa MacMaster, Miss Helen Ladd and Mrs. Hazel Blumauer Litt. Others who will assist during the afternoon include: Mrs. J. Wesley Ladd, Mrs. Joseph N. Teal, Miss Ella Stephens, Miss Ruth Teal, Miss Helen Platt, Miss Charlotte Laidlaw, Mrs. Alton Pendleton, Mrs. Jacob Kamm, Miss Martha Hoyt, Miss Ethel Malcolm, Miss Evalina Magruder, Miss Elizabeth Jacobs, Miss Amy Robinson, Miss Lorine Wyld and Miss Katherine Hoyt.



Mrs. Arthur C. Callan, who entertained Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons at bridge parties.

Tea will be served at 4 o'clock, with Mrs. Harrison Platt, Mrs. Wheelwright and Mrs. A. E. Rockey presiding. A feature of the afternoon will be solo dances by Miss Katherine Laidlaw. Miss Laidlaw will dance at 3 o'clock and again at 5 o'clock.

Scottish Rite Party.
The Scottish Rite Masons will hold their first party, for the season of 1916-1917, at the Cathedral, next Thursday evening. The parties of this branch will be similar to those held during past years with the exception of possibly the real frolic with fancy costumes. The patronesses for the party next Thursday evening include the following: Mrs. Louis G. Clark, Mrs. Virgil L. Clark, Mrs. Robert Frazier, Mrs. Ralph W. Hoyt, Mrs. John Burgard, Mrs. J. B. Pittenger, Mrs. Walter J. Holman, Mrs. Charles E. Runyon, Mrs. Arthur C. Callan, Mrs. M. C. McMahon, R. E. Knight, Mrs. Richard Martin Jr.

The parties are in charge of the following committees: Dance, Virgil L. Clark, chairman; Arthur C. Callan, Frank L. Lewis, R. E. Runyon, Walter J. Holman, W. J. Hoffmann, O. Kramer, Henry Feldman, Robert S. Farrell, R. A. Nielsen; cards, Robert A. Miller, chairman; L. G. Clark, R. D. Inman, A. M. Wright, E. H. Semanich. The general committee of arrangement consist of all of the foregoing, with Virgil L. Clark as chairman and R. A. Nielsen, secretary. A large number of members' cards have been issued and the members are looking forward to an unusually interesting series of parties.

Annual Ball Planned.
The Gul Reazee Grotto, Velled Propheta, is a social organization with Masonic ranks that is composed of over 500 members, many of them the most prominent and active in the different local Masonic orders of Portland. This year the annual ball, which is set for Saturday night, November 25, is to be held in the Multnomah hotel, and special arrangements are being made to make everything about it attractive. The committee of arrangements is composed of Frank T. Rogers, Otto Cramer, and Mrs. E. Stevens. The Grotto band will furnish the music under the leadership of Nason, and the Grotto guards will act as a floor committee.

To Celebrate Birthday.
Mrs. F. C. Barnes entertained recently to celebrate her birthday with a dinner party. The party consisted of widows who were school chums of Mrs. Barnes. The table was decorated in a huge mass of red carnations. Each guest was presented with a favor of a shower bouquet of red carnations. The large drawing rooms were elaborately decorated with large white chrysanthemums. The evening was spent in playing cards. The present were: Mrs. J. D. Sutherland, Mrs. J. Westaway, Mrs. E. W. Critchton, Mrs. T. Collinson, Mrs. Charles H. Hovey, Mrs. P. Graham, Mrs. E. P. Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. Binner.

Employees P. R. L. & P. Co. Dance.
The second annual party of the employees of the P. R. L. & P. Co. will be given tomorrow evening at Murrill's ballroom, Washington and Twenty-third streets.

The patronesses will be Mrs. O. B. Caldwell, Mrs. Fred Cooper and Mrs. B. F. Boynton. The committee is: Arline Olson, Rhea Joslyn, Claire Mann, Ethel Boothby, Helen Hughes, Beatrice Lash, Charlie Bauer, Odin Evanson, Harry Strugatz, Harold Ford, C. H. Ferris, Charlie VonRhen, Nelson Fogus, William Saunders, George Jett, Frank New.

Charming Bridge-Tea.
Mrs. Clifford C. Stout was a delightful hostess this afternoon in her Taylor street home at a bridge party of five tables, with additional guests calling for lemonade. A deeply golden chrysanthemum made brilliant decorations throughout the rooms. Assisting Mrs. Stout were Mrs. William B. Hare, Mrs. Ray Allison Hess and Mrs. E. G. Chandler.

In Compliment to Mrs. Sullivan.
Mrs. Edward McLernon gave a box party Wednesday afternoon at the Orpheum, complimenting Mrs. Eva L. Sullivan of San Diego, Cal. Those occupying the box were Mrs. Sullivan, Miss E. G. Chandler, Mrs. Charles Sweeney and Mrs. McLernon.

Home From Wedding Trip.
Mr. and Mrs. John Randolph Latourette (Sally Clay) have returned from their wedding trip and are registered at the Portland hotel. Mrs. Latourette was a society belle of Seattle, and her recent wedding was an important event socially in that city.

Esthetic Club Tea.
The Portland Esthetic Dancing association will give a tea, Saturday at the Villa St. Clara at 4 o'clock. The hostesses will be Mrs. O. B. Caldwell, Mrs. Fred Cooper and Mrs. B. F. Boynton.

Clears Blotchy Skin
Don't worry about blotches or other skin troubles. You can have a clear, clean complexion by using a little Zemo, obtained at any drug store for 25c, or extra large bottle \$1.00. Zemo easily removes all traces of pimples, black heads, blotches, eczema, and ringworm and makes the skin clear and healthy. Zemo is a clean, penetrating, antiseptic liquid, neither sticky nor greasy and costs a mere trifle for each application. It is always dependable. The B. W. Ross Co., Cleveland, O.

secretary to Governor Withycombe, is at the Perkins.
Ernest Casselman, a Detroit manufacturer, is at the Nortonia.
Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cohn of Pendleton are guests at the Portland.
M. L. Stewart is registered at the Perkins from Astoria.
Dr. H. A. Hanson of Tacoma is at the Imperial.
T. N. Richards of North Yakima is at the Carlton.
A. N. Moores is a Salem visitor at the Oregon.
Mrs. R. R. Wilson of Michel, E. C., is a guest at the Cornelius.
Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Campbell are Seattle visitors at the Nortonia.
Captain E. A. Mason of the S. F. & P. liner Beaver is at the Multnomah.
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Milholland of Union are guests at the Imperial.
E. L. Reynolds is a Corvallis visitor at the Carlton.
Mrs. E. V. Borleska of Seattle is a guest at the Oregon.
Judge William T. Darch of Goldendale is at the Nortonia.
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. James of Baker and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. James of Newport are at the Cornelius.
C. C. Clark is an Arlington arrival at the Imperial.
J. J. Coughlan of Vancouver, B. C., is at the Portland.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davis of Westport are at the Perkins.
G. W. Miller is registered at the Carlton from Butte, Mont.
Irving S. Bart of Goldendale is at the Multnomah.
Carl E. Fischer is a Springfield visitor at the Cornelius.
H. F. Hanson is a San Francisco arrival at the Nortonia.
G. W. King is registered at the Perkins from Marshfield.
C. C. Quackenbush of Rye Valley is at the Oregon.
Mrs. B. E. S. Raymond of Seattle is a guest at the Multnomah.
Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Baldwin are Honolulu visitors at the Portland.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reichert of Newark, N. J., are guests at the Washington.
Mrs. W. S. Kennedy of The Dalles is at the Washington.
Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Flae are Everett, Wash., visitors at the Washington.

Suit May Lay Bare Blacklist Details
Plaintiff Asserts Defendant, by Getting Him to Ship Rubber "Disguised" as Coffee, Got Him in Bad.
New York, Nov. 17.—(U. P.)—Some details regarding Great Britain's alleged reasons for establishment of the blacklist and a complete story of how German agents are said to have shipped rubber to the Federalist "disguised" as coffee is expected when the \$50,000 damage suit by Leon P. Malinty against Phillip Neider goes to trial. Malinty, of Italian descent, is on Britain's blacklist. In a suit filed in the supreme court, he declared Neider, an exporter, is responsible for it. He said Neider got him to ship 250 bags of "coffee" to Norway nine months ago by saying the Norwegian-American line had refused to accept the shipment from him. British searches found the supposed coffee was about three-fourths rubber, Malinty declared.

Lincoln High Graduates Dance.
All graduates of Lincoln high school are invited to attend the alumni "hard times" party at McMahon's hall, Forty-third and Division streets, tomorrow evening.

Society Notes.
Mrs. H. T. Donivan of Stevenson, Wash., passed the fore part of the week in Portland with her sister, Mrs. Fred A. Krebs. Mr. and Mrs. Krebs left today for Seattle, where they will make a short visit.
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Burka, Mrs. C. E. Nelson and Mrs. B. L. Burroughs, all of Pendleton, are spending several days at the Hotel Portland.
Mr. and Mrs. H. F. C. Killian of New York are spending a few days at the Hotel Portland. Mr. Killian is a broker, and although he declares this is his first western trip, it will not be his last, as he will return next year for a longer stay.
Miss Flora Rosenblatt left Wednesday for the east to spend the winter. While in Cleveland, Ohio, she will be the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. Brund.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rosenblatt left Wednesday for Chicago to attend the seventy-sixth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Rosenblatt's father, M. Marx, of the firm of Hart Schaffner & Marx.

PERSONAL MENTION
Wesleyan's President Here.
Dr. William Arnold Shanklin of Middletown, Conn., president of Wesleyan university, is at the Portland with Mrs. Shanklin. A prominent Methodist divine and educator, Dr. Shanklin is well known in this part of the country, having had pastorates in Spokane and Seattle. Before going to Wesleyan he was president of Upper Iowa university. Rev. and Mrs. Shanklin have many friends in Portland.

Mrs. Day Visits Portland.
Mrs. Harry L. Day of Wallace, Idaho, is at the Portland. Mrs. Day is the wife of the well known mining man, who is also one of the owners of the Portland.
Prominent Lawyer Here.
Judge William M. Bickford of Missoula and Butte, one of Montana's most prominent lawyers, is at the Portland.
E. C. Harley of Astoria, who always registers "New York of the Pacific," is at the Portland.
J. E. DuBois, a lumberman of DuBois, Pa., is at the Multnomah.
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Mrs. Oregon Mother:
FAMILY-MATINEES Will Be Given at the

Columbia Theatre
Every Saturday morning at 11 o'clock for children. The programmes shown will be under supervision of Mrs. G. J. Frankel, Mrs. Lee Arnett, Mrs. Carol Liehe, Mrs. E. M. Baker, Mrs. F. F. Myers, Mrs. Oswald W. Taylor

Saturday, November 18

Mary Pickford
in

'Less Than the Dust'

CLASSIC DANCES BY
LITTLE FRANCIS HANRAHAN

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to have been returned Friday morning, Wong Ling told the police. He freed himself about half an hour after the robbery.
leged accomplice, is held at Marysville and will also be taken north. Mrs. Patterson contends that her husband is still alive, although she does not know where he is.

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"Not enough money, too many goods---that's the reason why"---Aronson

Aronson Decides to Unload

Get the picture—
A great, bright, clean store, on a wonderful corner, filled to overflowing with the handiwork of skilled craftsmen from every land; glorious gems resting in their beds of velvet; cunningly wrought treasures of platinum, silver and gold; fine watches; rich silver and plate; sparkling cut glass in many a rare and fanciful design; bags of fine, soft leather, richly lined and trimmed; rare china, wonderfully clear and thin and touched lightly by the painter's brush; jolly clocks that tick-tock a welcome to eager throngs; beautiful silk umbrellas that laugh at tear-laden showers—a bewildering, dazzling array of ten thousand treasures that glow and sparkle in their cases—waiting—waiting—for you.

What a picture!
And they can be yours—all you want of them—all you can carry home—for, lo! for two long days and nights Aronson has played the magician. He has pointed to a diamond ring and said, "Someone is longing for you—your price shall be \$75.00, not \$100.00."

Or he has cast his wand over a tray of fine watches, and instead of \$20.00, \$40.00 and \$75.00, the little price tickets now read \$14.85, \$29.50 and \$59.50.

Or he has tapped with his magic pencil a great, sparkling cut-glass bowl, making it ring like a crystal bell, and behold! where the ticket read "\$7.50" it now reads "\$3.75."

Or he has said to a fine clock, "You're an honest looking chap. Somebody can shake hands with you for \$5.85 instead of \$8.00 and pocket the difference. It will probably do him more good than it will me. Goodbye and good luck!"

He has looked on the great shelves of solid silver and commended thus: "Thanksgiving will be here in a fortnight. I want to share it with everybody I can." And every piece of silver echoed back, "Share it with everybody I can." On every piece appeared a new price and the aggregate added together means a few thousand dollars less in Aronson's cash drawer—but apparently Aronson does not care, for—

America dwells in peace. Her granaries are full. She has much to give, and she gives much. And this is the month of Thanksgiving.

Aronson looked toward the windows. Outside an eager

- a lot of Leather Bags—normally \$2.50 to \$3.50—take one for 35c.
- a 26-piece Onecida Community Flatware Set for only \$6.65.
- a \$50 Sheffield Tea Set of 5 pieces for \$30.35.
- a \$27.50 Sheffield Waiter \$18.35.
- \$3.50 and \$5 Beaded Bags \$1.15.
- another Traveling Set—was \$7.50—is \$4.75.
- a 7-piece \$10 Water Set \$4.85.
- \$2.25 Candlesticks 95c.
- a \$2.25 Mayonnaise Dish and Spoon for \$1.10.
- \$1.50 Sterling Salt and Pepper Shakers, pair 65c.

Here are two wonderful bargains—something that can be treasured from generation to generation:
—a \$165.00 Sterling Tea Set, 5 pieces, at \$112.50.
—a \$185.00 Sterling Tray for \$135.

You'll like Aronson's fine Stationery—especially when you read these prices. Crane's and Hurd's, in finest quality, \$1 boxes, 60c; 70c boxes, 35c; 60c boxes, 25c.
Time is the most valuable thing in the world—buy Aronson's Watches now and keep track of the moments.
—\$40 Howard Watches \$29.50.
—\$75 Howard Watches \$59.50.
—\$15 Elgin and Waltham Watches, 12-size, 20 year gold-filled cases, \$7.85.
—a big lot of odd Watches—some of them regularly priced as high as \$20; take your choice at \$5.85.
—\$12.50 Bracelet Watches, gold-filled cases, \$7.85.
—\$15 Bracelet Watches, gold-filled cases, at \$9.85.
—\$17.50 Bracelet Watches, gold-filled cases, 15-jewel, for \$10.85.
—\$20 Bracelet Watches, gold-filled, extra small size, for \$14.85.
—\$22.50 Elgin Bracelet Watches, small size, \$15.85.

Don't—on any account—miss seeing Aronson's Diamonds, for here is where he prides himself. Aronson's Diamonds run regularly as high as \$1500—right now every Diamond in the store is reduced an average of 25 per cent less than its normal price. For instance—

- \$50 Diamond Rings are now \$37.50.
- \$100 Diamond Rings are now \$69.75.
- and so on up to the big fellows that run into the hundreds of dollars.
- A \$10 Diamond Lavalliere with solid gold chain is now \$5.85.
- a \$17.50 Diamond Lavalliere—with solid gold chain is now \$13.85.

Select anything you want from Aronson's wonderful collection of sparkling Cut Glass at just one-half its regular normal price.

All of Aronson's beautiful Hollow Plate Ware goes at an average of about one-third less than regular prices.

This is only a tithe of the many wonderful things Aronson is going to tell you about in this paper. Watch for the news from this store—it's going to be mighty interesting.

We forgot to say that if you find something upon which your heart is set, it will be laid aside for you if you will make a very reasonable deposit.

Two of Aronson's Business Maxims:
We don't want to say or do a single thing that we would wish to recall.
We shall stick to the plain truth, even if we don't sell a thing.

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BROADWAY at WASHINGTON