

# What Society is Doing

BY NONA LAWLER

**M**RS. ADAM RUPPE and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Carl Ernest Ruppe have sent out cards for a tea which will be held next Thursday at their Irvington residence, 774 Stanton street. About 150 invitations have been sent out, the affair being planned as a compliment to Mrs. Kenneth Cooper of Mosier, Or., the sister of Mrs. Ernest Ruppe, and for Mrs. George N. Jaxthelmer of Everett, Wash., and Mrs. Shirley Parker of Spokane, the latter two will arrive the first of the week to be the house guests of Mrs. Adam Ruppe. The hours of the tea will be from 4 until 6 o'clock.

**For Miss Biles.**  
Pre-nuptial parties are being given by the score for Miss Clarice Biles and her fiance, Ralph J. Staehl. This afternoon Mrs. Frank H. Hilton is entertaining with an informal sewing party, and she has bidden the men to join the party for dinner and dancing will be enjoyed during the evening.

**Tuesday evening John Scott** gave an Orpheum party for Miss Biles and Mr. Staehl.  
Saturday afternoon Mrs. O. H. Matter (Dorothy Moulton) will entertain with a miscellaneous shower for the bride-to-be, the afternoon to be passed in sewing.

**For next week several affairs** will be given before the wedding, which will take place Thursday evening. Monday afternoon Miss Mary Blossom, who will be Miss Biles' maid of honor, will give a luncheon for her; Monday evening Mrs. George Herron (Gene Spencer) has planned a dancing party at her home in Irvington, and next Tuesday afternoon Miss Dorothy Worcester will entertain with a bridge party.

**Wednesday evening Mrs. Frederick Rodgers** gave an informal bridge party of three tables for the popular couple, the rooms being gay with yellow jonquils. A pretty guest prize went to Miss Biles.

**Miss Halley South.**  
Miss Genevieve Halley is visiting in San Francisco, where she is being much entertained. In the April 1 San Francisco Chronicle a portrait of Miss Halley was reproduced in the society pages.

**Mrs. Spencer Hostess.**  
Mrs. Schuyler Spencer was hostess at a most delightful informal tea on Friday, March 30, at her home, 1129 Thurman street, in honor of Mrs. Harry Palmer, now of Detroit, and Mrs. A. E. Braden. The house was decorated in spring flowers. During the afternoon vocal selections were rendered by Miss Emma Sorenson, Mrs. George Hotchkiss Street and Miss Freida Evans, accompanied by Mrs. E. A. Beale.

**Dainty refreshments** were served at 4:30. Fouring tea were: Mrs. Robert Berger and Mrs. McLaughlin, assisting with the serving, Miss Sorenson, Miss Berger, Mrs. Crysler and Miss Evans. Readings were given by Mrs. Helen Miller Scott. The guests were: Mesdames P. G. Mann, Wesley Jackson, A. E. Braden, Harry Palmer, H. B. Beckett, C. G. Allen, M. G. Nease, F. C. Howell, Mrs. A. Beale, Helen Theodore Nicolai, Arnold Lindsay, McLaughlin, Leona McLaughlin, Carl Jackson, R. G. Morrow, T. T. Davis, Maurice Goodman, W. A. Beale, Helen M. Senn, Harry McKay, Kate McKay, Sidney Cryler, George H. Street and Robert Berger, Miss Hella Berger, Miss Freida Evans, Miss Emma Sorenson and Miss Catherine Bowby.

**Red Cross Musicals.**  
A very successful musicale, planned by Miss Beatrice M. Kirkup, in aid of the British Red Cross funds was given at the residence of Mrs. David H. Gowans, 1023 East Flaxbush street, Monday evening. A large and appreciative audience greeted the various interesting numbers. A feature of the program was "Living Songs in Living Pictures."

"Mother Macree," by Mrs. Archibald Stewart; "Drink Me Only With Thine Eyes," by Miss Alice Nauman; "Annie Laurie," by Miss Nancy Hant; "The songs rendered by Laughlin McNeill, "Sweet and Low," by Mrs. W. R. Kirkup; "America, I Love Thee," by Mrs. J. T. Kirkup, songs by Miss and Mrs. Arthur W. Leslie. The usual



Mrs. Otto J. Kraemer (Elva Friendly), whose wedding was an event of Wednesday afternoon.

Cockpen," acted and sung by Mrs. D. H. Gowans and James Galt; "Japanese Maid," sung and acted by Miss Alice Nauman.

Plano selections, Miss Jean McKeeher; readings, Miss Skinner; vocal solo, Mrs. P. C. Griffin; violin selections, Miss Christine Brook; recitation, "Bairnies Cuddle Doon," Miss Nan Gowans.

The singers were accompanied on the piano by Mrs. T. Martin Watson Beatrice M. Kirkup. The Laird o' Scottish refreshments were served.  
**Kraemer-Friendly Nuptials.**  
The wedding Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock of Miss Elva Friendly and Otto J. Kraemer, though quite simply arranged, was of wide interest to the hosts of friends that this popular couple have in Portland. Dr. Jonah B. Wise officiated, there being no attendants to the couple, and only the members of the families were present. Mr. and Mrs. Kraemer have left for a short wedding trip, after which they will be at home to their friends at their new home on the Cornell road.

**Luncheon Hostess.**  
Mrs. Joseph F. Leonard entertained with a luncheon of 19 covers Wednesday at the Hotel Multnomah. The guests attended the Orpheum during the afternoon.

# Bed Time Tales

BY CLARA INGRAM JUDSON

**A Bear Story.**  
**O**NCE there was a big grizzly bear which lived in a huge stone bear pit in a big city zoo.

Part of the time he stayed in his snug little house in the back of his cage. The rest of the day he spent walking up and down, over and across, 'round and 'round the edge of his cage, swinging his great grizzly head as if he would like to hunt for game.

But in the afternoons of the warm spring and summer days he had his best fun.

For then children came and threw him peanuts and popcorn, which he would gobble up in his indifferent, off-hand fashion.

He really loved the peanuts and liked the fun of coaxing them from the interested children better than anything he did all the year. But it would never do for a bear—a big, handsome gray grizzly bear—to appear to like anything as common as peanuts—oh no! So just pretended he didn't care and that he ate the peanuts solely to oblige folks.

One bright spring day he sat back on his haunches in the front end of his cage and eyed the crowd of interested people in front of him.

Popcorn and peanuts came his way just as easily! For everybody liked to watch him snap his big jaw shut and solemnly crunch the peanut he had caught.

But sometimes the aim wasn't very true, or sometimes the peanut hit the bars of the cage and swerved to one side so he couldn't catch it without going after it.

"Wonder what I'd better do about the peanut I miss," he said to himself as he eyed the crowd thoughtfully. "I can't afford to lose my dignity by running after the ones I miss, and I don't like to lose them. Maybe I can reach that one there with my paw," and he located a nut carefully with a glance from the corner of his eye.



He sat back on his haunches and eyed the people in front of him.

Just at that very minute a glossy blackbird lighted on the top of the iron fence of the cage.

"Oh, look at that fine peanut," he chirped, "right down by that bear, and he doesn't see it at all. I mean to get it myself."

Down he darted, grabbed the peanut in his bill as the bear's huge cushioned paw reached out for the nut.

But the bear was too dignified and slow. Quick as a flash the bird grabbed the nut, flew to the high iron fence, and the bear's paw descended on nothing at all.

"Funny!" he grunted. "I was sure I saw a peanut there."

Up on the fence the blackbird crunched the peanut and laughed to himself at his joke on the bear.

Tomorrow—Raindrop Fables.

# Insulted Sergeant Compels Respect For Country's Flag

**I**n F Company is a sergeant who is just setting his arm out of a sling. The day after the call a man called him a "tin soldier" and intimated that the American flag was not worthy of being upheld.

"I hit him in the plate where his brains had petrified," said the sergeant. "Next time I will hit where the hitting is softer."

**County Agents Will Fight Food Problem**  
Eugene, Or., April 5. — Paul V. Maris, state leader of county agriculturists, Wednesday announced a plan whereby the county agents will organize with a view to lining up the agricultural resources of the state in case the food problem because of war becomes serious.

**Many Enlistments For Artillery Corps**  
Marshfield, Or., April 5. — Captain F. K. Gettins of Eleventh company.

**Best Home Treatment for All Hairy Growths**  
(The Modern Beauty.)

Every woman should have a small package of delatone handy, for its timely use will keep the skin free from beauty marring hair growths. To remove hair or fuzz, make a thick paste with some of the powdered delatone and water. Apply to hairy surface and after 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin and it will be free from hair or blemish. To avoid disappointment, be sure you get real delatone.

**Golden West Coffee is "Just Right"**

Coast artillery, states that he expects eight who were accepted Tuesday soon to close enlistments and have a Another big patriotic rally will be sufficient number of men. Several held Friday night to aid in raising enlisted Wednesday, in addition to men for the company.



# NEW ARRIVALS FOR EASTER

"Wonderful"—an overworked word, but most truly expressive of the apparel we have assembled for your Easter choosing!

Our New York connections enable us to keep in touch with every advance made in the season's styles, and our daily shipments are a true reflection of what's new for milady's wardrobe.

**IN SUITS**—Gabardine, Jersey, Serge and Tricot in a riot of color and variety of styles claim our attention tomorrow. Smart models with contrasting collars and cuffs—wide belts and button trimmings—embroidery and fancy stitching—all different—each one striking and truly suggestive of the spirit of Spring!

**DRESSES**—Some unusually smart ones, quite inexpensive, for dancing parties and afternoons, were opened today—see them tomorrow.

**LINGERIE**—of Nainsook, Georgette Crepe, Messaline, Crepe de Chine, etc., now in complete variety.

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# Bank at Pendleton Loses Its Cashier

**W. S. Badley, Long Connected With American National, Becomes Treasurer of New-Formed Company.**

Pendleton, Or., April 5. — W. S. Badley, for many years assistant cashier of the American National bank of this city, Wednesday formally resigned his position to accept the treasurership of the International Shipbuilders, Inc., of Seattle, a newly-formed corporation with a capitalization of \$50,000. Associated with him are R. W. Michael of this city, George W. Ninemire of Monte Sano, Judge L. F. Chester of Seattle, I. M. Powell, secretary of the state of Washington, and Robert E. Gavette of Seattle. Mr. Badley will move to Seattle.

# Germany Prepares To Grant Reforms

**Berlin Report Says Kaiser is Ready to Embark Upon Liberalization of all Government Institutions.**

Berlin, April 5. — (Via Sayville WTeless, April 5. — (I. N. S.) — While there are signs of lack of satisfaction following the imperial chancellor's speech in last week's Reichstag session, there are also abundant indications that Germany is prepared to embark upon a liberalization of her institutions.

Undoubtedly the chancellor, who voices the opinions of the highest civil and military authorities, is fully alive to the spirit of the hour and only awaits the opportune moment to put the desired reforms into effect.

It may be assumed that in this matter the chancellor is prepared to act, and in doing so to say that it is with the heartfelt approval of the kaiser.

# Kelso Boy Dragged Beneath an Auto

**Kelso, Wash., April 5. — Dragged along the pavement for distance of 15 feet Tuesday beneath the wheels of an auto driven by Twyla Dotterer of Ostrander, Howard Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Reynolds of this place, had a narrow escape from death.**

On his wagon the boy was running along Second street and turned into the path of the automobile, which could not swerve in time to avoid the wagon. Bystanders lifted the car from the boy's body. One leg and a shoulder were badly twisted and bad cut was made above one of his eyes.

# Good Roads Meeting Planned for Albany

**Question of \$6,000,000 Bond Issue Will Be Debated at Gathering of Linn County Citizens on April 12.**

Albany, Or., April 5. — Arrangements have been made for a representative good roads meeting in this city Thursday, April 12. The Linn county county has invited representatives of those favoring and opposing the \$6,000,000 road bond bill to debate the measure at a mass meeting to be held in the local armory on that date.

C. E. Spence, master of the state grange, has accepted the invitation to uphold the negative side of the argument, and the affirmative will be handled by State Senator Conrad P. Olson of Portland. Senator Olson was chairman of the senate roads and highways committee in the recent legislature.

The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Linn County Good Roads association.

The campaign in favor of the bond bill was opened in Linn county Wednesday by E. J. Adams of Eugene, newly appointed state highway commissioner, who addressed a large audience of farmers and townsmen in the toilet theatre. Other speakers were State Senator E. D. Cusick and A. C. Schmitt. Great interest in the issue prevails in this county.

# Aeroplane Attacks On Coast Predicted

**Des Moines, Iowa, April 5. — (U. P.) — German aeroplane attacks on New York, Washington and other great cities on the Atlantic seaboard were forecast Wednesday by Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary in an address before the Iowa legislature.**

He declared that within a few weeks fear actual hostilities opened he feared that Germany's airplanes brought to these shores aboard commerce raiders would be dropping high explosives on America's richest cities.

# Attack on Wilson Causes an Arrest

**Cattletown, Ky., April 5. — (I. N. S.) — A man giving the name of K. B. Hentschel, of Louisville, was arrested here Wednesday, charged with sending a telegram to the secretary of war attacking the president and the government. Papers found on Hentschel indicate that he had been corresponding with the Carranz government.**

# Cocoon Oil Fine For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain mulified cocoon oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless), is much better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulified cocoon oil at most any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces is enough to last everyone in the family for months.

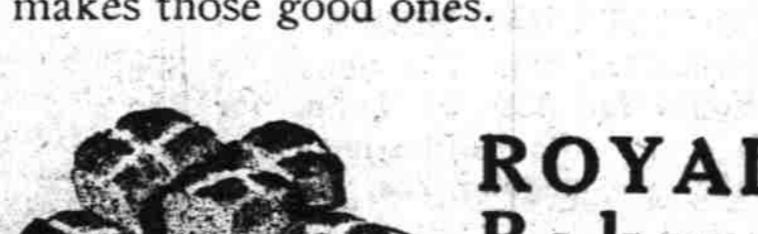


# Hot Cross Buns.

The cunning rabbit and the gorgeous eggs are no more essential to Easter than good Hot Cross Buns are to Lent.

Farther back than any of us can remember, Hot Cross Buns became a Lenten institution. Perpetuated in nursery rhyme, they have become a proverbial part of the Lenten season.

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**\$5 White Shoes \$2.98**  
These are made of fine grade of canvas, white heels—all sizes, \$2.98. \$6.00 grades, made of white kid or nubuck—all sizes, \$3.98. \$10.00 grades, white washable kid, finest made—all sizes, \$6.48.

**\$5 Two Tone Shoes \$2.98**  
These come in the following variety: Grey kid vamp, white kid top, brown kid vamp, white kid top, patent vamp, grey top—all sizes, \$2.98. \$6.00 grades, all sizes—\$3.98.

**\$5 White Top Shoes \$2.98**  
These come with patent vamp, white tops—all sizes—low or high heels, \$2.98. \$6.00 grades with black kid vamp, white kid tops—these come with high or 3/4 heels—all sizes, \$3.98.

**\$7.50 Buck Top Shoes \$4.98**  
These are the finest quality buck tops, in all leading colors, with fine kid vamps, Goodyear welt soles, new 3/4 inch heels, every pair a beauty—all sizes—all widths—real \$7.50 shoes \$4.98.

**\$6 Grey Shoes \$3.98**  
These come in all grey kid or grey kid vamps with new grey cloth top, low or high heels, all sizes \$3.98. \$7.00 grades in all sizes \$4.98.

**\$6 Ivory Shoes \$3.98**  
These come in all ivory kid or ivory kid vamps—new ivory cloth tops—low or high heels, all sizes \$3.98. \$7.00 grades in all sizes \$4.98.

**\$4 Tan English \$2.98**  
These come dark tan, 7-inch tops, English style, extension soles, a very popular shoe for the growing girls; Ladies' sizes 2 1/2 to 7—price \$2.98. \$6.00 grades with rubber or leather soles, \$3.98.

**\$4 Black English \$2.98**  
These are made with gunmetal vamps and soft leather top, extension soles; Ladies' sizes 2 1/2 to 7—price \$2.98. \$6.00 grades with white Neolin soles—price \$3.98.

**\$6 Buck Shoes \$3.98**  
New Buck Shoes in champagnes, browns, whites, light and dark greys; long or medium vamp, new 3/4 or high heel, all sizes, \$3.98. \$7.50 grades, all sizes, \$4.98.

**\$3 White Shoes \$1.98**  
These are made of white canvas, English style; leather or rubber soles; Ladies' sizes 2 1/2 to 7, \$1.98. \$4.00 grades, all sizes, \$2.98. \$6.00 grades in white buck, all sizes, \$3.98.

**\$7.50 Two Tones \$4.98**  
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