IN SOCIETY

Miss Hose Is Married to Iowa Man

NEWS of the wedding of Miss Mae Hose, for more than 20 years a resident of Portland, but for the past two years of Boone, Iowa, to Lovell S. Freeman of Adel, Iowa, will be received with pleasure by her many Portland friends. The wedding occurred December 19, and the couple is now spending a portion of a wedding tour at Long Beach, Cal.

Miss Hose is the daughter of Samuel Hose, who for a number of years conducted a grocery store on Russell street in Portland. Miss Hose and Mr. Freeman became acquainted back in Iowa before she came west, when as a school teacher Miss Hose boarded with Mr. Freeman's parents. While Mr. Hose conducted his store in Portland his daughter kept his books and when advanced age made his retirement from business necessary, she cared for him until his death, which occurred in his ninety-third year.

The death of her father left Miss Hose free, and the announcement of her marriage to Mr. Freeman occurred about one year later. They will be at home to their friends about March 1 at their home in Adel, Iowa.

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Installation of officers of Sumner post, Woman's Relief corps, was held Saturday evening at room 525 in the courthouse. The officers are: President, Mrs. Harriet Hendee; senior vice president, Mrs. Anna C. Gardner; junior vice president, Mrs. Fannie H. Lamb; secretary, Mrs. Alma S. Rennie; treasurer, Mrs. Jessie Henderson; chaplain, Mrs. Hannah McMahon; conductress, Mrs. Alta Honanshelt; guard, Mrs. Annie M. Young; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Lettie L. Seal; press correspondent, Mrs. Gertrude Fargo; musician, Miss Elizabeth Nelson; assistant conductress, Mrs. Sarah Hinkle; assistant guard, Mrs. Jacobina Gross; color bearer 1, Mrs. unice Sargent; color bearer 2, Mrs. J. Dickenbach; color bearer 3, Mrs. Mary Taylor; color bearer 4, Mrs. lizabeth Hayden. Mrs. Bertie M. Smith, past deputy president, was installing officer. The corps presented Sumner post with a flag, the president, Mrs. Harriet Hendee, making the presentation. J. J. Leavitt, commander of Sumner post, responded. Short speeches were given by the following: Judge C. G. Burton, past commander in chief; Deputy Commander J. G. Chambers, Chaplain W. T. Kerr, and Past Commander F. M. Varner. About 200 were present, and refreshments were served.

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Peter A. Porter circle No. 25, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, held its regular business meeting at 11 a. m. on Wednesday, January 9, in the I. O. O. F. hall on Skidmore street and Williams avenue. Dinner was served at noon and a public installation was held at 2 p. m. The following officers were installed: President, Minnie E. Simons; senior vice president, Emma Ellison; junior vice president, Emma Tucker; secretary, Madie Byrnes; treasurer, Georgia Staysa; chaplain, Mary Hance; patriotic instructor, Carrie Courter; conductor, Zula Dennis; assistant conductor, Cynthia Lamb; guard, Alcy Burdette; assistant guard, Lillie Lilligar. Ella Himes, department councillor, was the installing officer, and Sisters Hancock of Blackmar circle and Addie Hance of Peter A. Porter circle were the installing conductors. Sister Barhite from Eugene was present and a number of members from the Blackmar and Winslow Meade circles. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in listening to speeches and readings from the comrades and sisters. Sister , gbert, in behalf of Peter A. Porter circle, presented the past president, Sister Howes; past secretary, Sister Simons, and past treasurer, Sister Staysa, a recognition pin for their services.

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Joint installation was held Wednesday evening, January 2, by Geo. Wright corps, No. 2, and Geo. Wright post, No. 1, G. A. R. The retiring president, Emma Roberts, was presented with a beautiful jeweled emblem of the order by the new president, Margaret Becker. A lovely potted plant was presented to the installing officer, Mary E. Chamberlain, and flowers were given the new president, Margaret Becker, by Mrs. Tompson of Scout Young auxiliary, Spanish-American War veterans, and by T. M. Shyrock of Fidelity lodge No. 14, D .of H. A lovely picture was presented to the corps by Mr. and Mrs. Hicks. The following officers were installed for the corps by Past Department President Mary E. Chamberlain: President, Margaret E. Becker; senior vice president, Ada Davis; junior vice president, Mary Tossey; treasurer, E. Griffith; chaplain, Mary Renner; conductor, Emma Roberts; assistant conductor, Margaret Proverse; guard, Anna Savage; assistant guard, Pearl Becker; secretary, Cora Ponnay; press correspondent, May Pferdner; patriotic instructor, Josephine Mowers; musician, Lotta Murry; color bearers, 1, Ella Frost, 2, Lillie Sweet, 3, Gertrude Fredericks, 4, M. Frater.

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The H. B. Compson G. A. R. and Relief corps held a joint installation at St. Johns Saturday, January 5. A splendid time was enjoyed by the members and their guests. At noon an excellent luncheon was served.

The officers of the W. R. C. installed were: Mary Simmons, president; Lowell McGlumph, first vice president; Rose Robinson, second vice president; Adille Hanson, chaplain; Mary Chaney, secretary; Amanda Whatman, treasurer; Mary Perry, conductor; Kate Imel, associate conductor; Lucinda Jones, guard; Cora Mevill, Minnie Hannan, Hattie Hill, Elizabeth Harrison, color bearers; Flossie Kniffle, musician.

G. A. R. officers: S. W. Horton, commander; O. A. Bemis, senior vice commander; G. G Randall, adjutant; R. H. Miller, quartermaster; A. Wentz, surgeon; T. Kelley, chaplain; D. Drew, patriotic instructor; F. M. Dillon, officer of the day; J. M. Jouel, officer of the guard; D. E. Godfrey, sergeant-major.

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The monthly meeting of the Wisconsin society at the Portland Social Turn Verein last evening was a success in every way. The program was as follows:

A pleasing solo by Mrs. Fay Huntington, accompanied by Mr. Ferringer. Mrs. Gabriel Pullin also sang a solo with Mr. Ferringer as accompanist. A patriotic reading, "Oregon," by Miss Myrtle Jacobson was greatly appreciated. Song by little Miss Verlyn Carey, also a violin selection by Chester Couchman and Miss Ruth Carey. An earnest address on patriotism by Comrade Stevens, G. A. R., was roundly applauded. Refreshments, cards and dancing finished an enjoyable evening.

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The Multro club gave another of its formal dances Wednesday evening at Murlark hall. This club, which comprises about 100 couples, is giving its second series of parties.

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An enjoyable surprise took place at the Irvington home of Mrs. K. Nordstrom last Tuesday afternoon when about 20 women gave her a surprise party on the day of her fiftieth birthday. She was presented with a mahogany pedestal. A prettily decked table was arranged in the dining room by some of the ladies after their arrival, where a luncheon was served. Other gifts including flowers and sweets were received. An enjoyable musical and literary program was carried out. Mrs. Nordstrom has been a resident of Portland since 1889. She has a host of friends and is widely known socially. She is the mother of a very musical and talented family well known here. Her eldest daughter, Mrs. Hobbs, is organist at the Star theatre, and the oldest son is organist at the Columbia theatre.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alex McDonald from Victoria, B. C., were entertained by their friends and relatives in two charming parties during the holidays, New Year's day in the evening at the home of Mrs. D. Sessions, 188 East Taylor street, and three days later at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Auger, 30 East Tenth street north. Games were enjoyed and patriotic songs helped to make a very merry party. Francis Sessions, Ruth and Thelma Auger and Mrs. Ella B. Jones were the piano soloists. Those presents were: Mr. and Mrs. Alex McDonald and son, Mr. and Mrs. Auger, Thelma Auger, Ruth Auger, Mrs. Lenore Peterson, J. J. Herron, Mrs. D. Sessions, Mrs. J. Harris, Roy Harris and wife, Julia Gould, Mrs. Lottie Harris, Ida Rosco and Glen Harris.

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The following officers were installed for 1918 at Portland chapter No. 97, Order of the Eastern Star, January 4: Mrs. Dora Gradon, worthy matron; William Wharton, worthy patron; Miss Anna Dudley, associate matron; Mrs. Jessie L. Ream, treasurer; Mrs. Sophie L. Hobson, secretary; Mrs. Grace Dudley Wikander, conductress; Miss Orrel Rose, associate conductress; Mrs. Laura Whailey, chaplain; Mrs. Emma Wentz, marshal; Miss Ethel Robertson, organist; Miss Marguerite Younger, Adah; Mrs. Laura Frederickson, Ruth; Miss Othel Obrist, Esther; Mrs. Emma Shirey, Martha; Mrs. Gertrude Simmons, Electa; Mrs. Lulu Wetzel, warden; Bernard O. Kean, sentinel.

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A delightful entertainment was given last Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bernstein, 388 Twelfth street, in honor of the marriage of Mrs. Bernstein's niece, Sophie Kravitz of Boston, Mass., to Jack Diskin of Lynn, Mass. The wedding took place at Boston, Sunday, December 30. Mrs. Bernstein had her home tastefully decorated. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. S. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stahl, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. I. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. I. Agram, Mr. and Mrs. Tillis, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cohn, Abe Freedman, Sam Chusit of New York, Morris Wolf of Roseburg, Miss Kate Davis, Miss Sophie Bernstein, Miss Pauline Wolf, Mrs. Alice Westerman, Abe Bernstein and Morris Wolf.

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A birthday party was given by Mr. and Mrs. S. Wolf at their home, 389 Eleventh street, Thursday night, January 3, in honor of the eleventh anniversary of their daughter, Pauline. The home was decked with flowers and the supper table was elaborately decorated, including a large cake with 11 red, white and blue electric lights. During the evening musical numbers were rendered. Miss Pauline Wolf and Mrs. Charles Dierke played piano solos and Henry Bettman entertained with violin selections, accompanied by Charles Dierke. Sam Bernstein furnished fun with comic speeches. Several original recitations were rendered by Miss Pauline Wolf and Miss Sophie Bernstein.

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The meeting of the Michigan society held last Monday evening in the Portland hotel was a wonderful success. There was a large attendance and the program rendered was a most excellent one. Refreshments were served. Cards and dancing were a feature. The meeting was the occasion of the annual election of officers.

The elected were: President, D. B. Menerey; first vice president, N. J. Sykes; second vice president, Mrs. Edith Demmon; secretary, Mrs. Gertrude Hayden; treasurer, Mrs. Fay Wheeler Eastman.

The program committee members for the February meeting are: Mrs. G. L. Rauch, Mrs. A. O. Sanders, Mrs. Fay Eastman.

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The Vernon alumni gave a benefit dance at Cowley's hall, East Twenty-eighth and Alberta streets, Friday, January 11, for the purpose of buying a service flag for the Vernon school. Patrons and patronesses for the affair were: Mr. and Mrs. Melville Carroll Mr. and Mrs. Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Julian, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Mansion, Miss Bennett, William Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Mahoney, Mr. and Mrs. Dike, Mr. and Mrs. Osterwald. The committee included: Gladys Osterwald, Margaret Mansion, Gladys Mahoney, Lenore Arpin, Virginia Patton, Hazel Williams, Lillian Reynolds, Ruth Clarke.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Adams entertained Wednesday evening at their home, 334 East Forty-sixth street, in honor of their tenth wedding anniversary. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart, Mrs. H. J. Barnet, A. A. Barnet, Mrs. C. B. Griest, Mrs. C. A. Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hoge, and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Le Garie. After an evening spent in playing five hundred Mrs. Putnam and Mrs. Taylor assisted the hostess in serving a dainty collation.

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The dancing party given by Miss Alice Buckenmeyer for her junior dancing classes on Friday evening at Linnea hall was one of the most delightful of the holiday season. The hall was artistically decorated with evergreens and bells and a huge illuminated Christmas tree adorned one end of the ballroom. Over 100 of the future belles and beaux made merry through the evening and proved themselves adept in the modern ballroom steps.

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Mrs. Eldon J. Steele has as her house guest, her brother, Dr. Harry Flynn of Chicago, who will spend a fortnight in Portland. Mrs. Steele entertained Tuesday of last week with a dinner party at Hotel Portland for her brother and later the Orpheum performance was enjoyed.

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Irvington club members had a most enjoyable times at the informal party Friday evening. Those in charge of the parties for January are Mrs. Ivy Whiting, Mrs. M. C. Woodard, Mrs. R. G. E. Cornish, Mrs. J. E. Cameron, Mrs. W. H. Cullers, Mrs. E. G. Leihy and Eugenia Calhoun.

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The Wisconsin society held its monthly meeting at the Portland Social Turn Verein, Thirteenth and Main, Thursday evening. There was a short program, followed by cards and dancing. All Wisconsinites and their friends are invited to attend these affairs.

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Members of the Union league gathered for dinner Thursday evening in the blueroom of Hotel Portland. There were 25 present.

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The Young Ladies' Sodality and St. Stephens Social Welfare club announce a play, "Hit on Miss Social," to be given Friday evening, January 18, at St. Stephens hall, East Forty-second and East Taylor streets. This is the first of the series of social affairs that will be given by the organizations. The committee urges and requests its many friends to come and spend an enjoyable evening with it. The committee on arrangements is: Anna Bolda, Jenny Mooney, Robert Carleton Smith, Harry Lavery, Edward Kennedy and Rudolph Christman. The committee for refreshments is: Harry Lavery, Agnes Bolda, Ethel McMullen, Anna Chambers and Jenny Fallu. The committee on reception is: Elizabeth Bolda, Ethel McMullen, Effie Chambers, A. A. Carlson, Robert Carleton Smith and Edward Kennedy. A "Hoover" candy committee includes: Jenny Mooney, Mary Bolda, Gertrude Lavery and Evelyn Enright. The patronesses will be: Mrs. McMullen, Mrs. Lavery, Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Robert Carleton Smith.

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Winslow Meade circle, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, will give a 500 card party in room 525 courthouse Monday afternoon, January 14, at 2 p. m. All are welcome. The following is a list of the new officers for 1918, installed by Mrs. Estella Baxter: President, Mrs. Mary Koontz; senior vice president, Mrs. Nellie Pollock; junior vice president, Mrs. Alstrom; chaplain, Mrs. W. Brumbaugh; secretary, Mrs. Anna Buffum; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Nellie Rekdahl; conductor, Mrs. Eugenie Westerberg; guard, Mrs. Frances Newberg; assistant conductor, Mrs. Beeson; assistant guard, Mrs. Reed; delegates, Mesdames Clagget, Thompson, Reed and Rekdahl; alternates, Mesdames Beeson, Buffum, Barnes and Spear.

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The 1917-18 Follies have made extensive preparations for their mid-season party to be held Friday night at Christenson's hall. Special musical numbers have been arranged and a most enjoyable evening is anticipated. Assisting on the committee are: V. Lucille Clodfelter, Lillian Granson, Harry Hammer, Zeta Ausman, Dorothy Cahill, Ray Ward, Ruth Angel, Howard Suade, Gladys Steele, Dean Draper, Lillian Anderson, Georgia Pollock, Mary Muir, Francis Haffenden, Frank Taylor, Lena Balzimer, Rose Karol, Elmer Dahl, Gale Fox, Al Mielke, Eva Vinton. The patrons and patronesses are: Mr. and Mrs. Mose Elliroy, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Baker, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Christenson.

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Clan Macleay, Order of Scottish Clans, will celebrate the birthday of Robert Burns on January 25 with a concert and dance in the Masonic temple. The following will entertain: Miss Goldie Peterson, Mrs. Virginia Hutchinson, Maldwyn E. Evans, J. Ross Fargo, Miss May Van Dyke, pianist; Royal Chief A. G. Finlay, remarks on Burns; Watson Sisters, Highland dances; Pipe Major J. H. McDonald, piper.

MISS AMY GERSTEL FIANCEE OF ERNEST E. MYLAND OF EUGENE.

GOLDEN WEDDING OBSERVED

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Cook

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Cook of Portland fell on New Year's day and was the occasion of a delightful celebration with them and their friends. A dinner was arranged by their relatives and close friends and a reception followed at the home of their son, H. C. Cook, 354 East Forty-eighth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook were married January 1, 1868, in Whitehall, Wis., and later moved to Minneapolis and thence to Portland. The couple has five children, Mrs. Hattie Bly of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Margaret J. Haslett, Mrs. Mabel Hand of Minneapolis, L. C. Cook of Miles City, Wis., and B. C. Cook of Portland, at whose home the reception was held.

The house was prettily decorated with flowers, the gifts of the many friends of the couple. Among the guests was W. L. Cumming of Salem, who was present at the wedding 50 years ago. He gave a short talk appropriate to the occasion and other entertaining features of the afternoon were a song, "Because," by Miss Calla Korman, and for an encore, "Sunshine of Your Smile." Miss Grace Tobias danced "Flower dance." Miss Doris Lake gave a reading and Phyllis Cook, the granddaughter of the honored guests, also gave a reading.

Among those present at the reception were: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cumming and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cumming all of Salem; Miss Rose Cummmg and Warren Cumming of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Lake and Miss Doris Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Tobias, Miss Grace Tobias, Mrs. Alice G. Smith, Milton Smith, Mrs. Edna Flackman of Los Gatos, Cal., and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Cook and daughter, Phyllis.

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

War Brings New U. S. Stamps Into Albums

THIRTY-SEVEN new spaces in the stamp albums of coming years already are assured as a direct result of the status of the United States as a belligerent power. It is not customary for a nation to wage war without providing something of interest to philatelists. The South and Central American countries which have aligned themselves with the entente have not yet issued war stamps, but it is expected that some or all of them eventually will do so.

The contributions of the United States in this respect are various. Most of them arise out of the war tax legislation enacted by congress. Twenty-one documentary revenue labels soon made their appearance, ranging in values from one cent to $1000, for use on wills, deeds, conveyances and kindred legal papers. This practice was adopted by the government in Civil war days, and resumption of it now will turn millions of dollars into the nation's war coffers. The tax on playing cards was raised from two to seven cents, thus making a seven cent revenue to displace the lower denomination.

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The postoffice department did not put out a new three cent adhesive to meet the increased letter rate, but when the extra necessary millions of the current three cent value were printed their color proved to be pale violet instead of the customary purple. These pale violet specimens have appeared perforated on four sides, perforated only vertically, perforated only horizontally and with no perforations at all, thus creating four varieties. Then the government introduced the three-cent envelope, and this has appeared thus far in purple on white, amber, manila and blue paper. It is said the postal authorities were not quite satisfied with the fact that the color is so dark and that the next printing will show these envelope stamps in lighter shade, which of course would produce another four varieties.

The foregoing chronicling accounts for 30 different stamps. In addition, the government is planning a 13-cent denomination, to meet the combined new letter rate with the special delivery or registration fee. Then there are the 25 cent war savings and $5 war thrift stamps, which are classified in the philatelist's revenue division. The standard American Scott albums and catalogues are to provide spaces and quotations for these, the assent of the government having been sought and obtained. Under this plan collectors will put these in their books and the dealers will lay in stocks of them for future use, and in the years after the war there will exist thousands of these which the government meanwhile will not have had to redeem. In this way philately plans to do a considerable "bit" toward winning the war.

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This accounts for 33 of the 37 varieties. The other four may be attributed to submarine warfare pressure. Shipping and freight congestion, due to U-boat activities, caused shippers to send bulky consignments by mail, across continent and to foreign lands. This created a necessity for stamps of higher denominations than those then existing, and the government reissued $2 and $5 values from the plates of the 1902 series, but on unwatermarked paper as compared with the watermarked paper of the original issue. This was a temporary procedure until new plates could be made which conform to our current series of adhesives, the new $2 and $5 each appearing in two colors.

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Sale of the stamps assembled by George H. Worthington, Cleveland capitalist, continues to hold the attention of the philatelic world. This collection, which occupied years in the building, was one of the world's three largest and included albums of the finest old United States stamps in existence. It was estimated to be worth $1,000,000.

When Mr. Worthington disposed of the major portion of it, auctions were begun in New York so that collectors might have opportunity to bid for small lots or individual stamps. The first of these sales brought more than $120,000. Three other auctions have been held, and the fifth will take place, under the offices of J. C. Morgenthau as were the others, in New York on January 28, 29 and 31. On those dates the albums containing the stamps of India, Portugal and colonies, Shanghai and the Balkan states will be broken up. Thus far the Worthington stamps have realized about $212,000. Important among the labels yet to be disposed of are the United States valuable proofs and essays.

When the calf had eaten all the orn Aicha turned it from the city.

Ruse That Raised Siege Of Beleagured City

By Georgene Faulkner

ONCE upon a time, long, long ago, the town of Tlemcen, in Algeria, was beseiged by the enemy and all the people in the town were almost starved. Every day food became more scarce and meat and bread brought such unheard of prices that the poorer citizens almost perished from hunger. People became very ill and children and old people suffered so terribly that every one was in despair and even the strongest men seemed to lose all hope.

At last the mayor, in desperation, called a meeting of the citizens and said: "Friends, there is nothing for it but to surrender our town or we will all die. Our hospitals are crowded with the sick and our children are crying for food. We have come to the end of all our resources."

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The men looked at one another in despair, for they did not know what to do, and they felt that the mayor was right, for sooner or later they would all die of starvation. The women were all weeping and wailing and begging the men to save them from the enemy, but no one knew just what to do, when suddenly an old woman stepped before the mayor and, making a low bow, she said: "No! No! We will never give up to the enemy. I have a plan which will save the town if you will do as I command. Our good prophet, Mahomet, will not let us be destroyed by our enemy. We shall not die. No! No!"

The people looked in amazement at the old woman and they saw how her eyes glistened and flashed with scorn, and as she shrieked out the words, "No! No" some of the other women took up her cry and they all began to wail out, "No No! Our good prophet, Mahomet, will save us. He has sent her to show us the way."

The mayor was so much impressed with all of this that a glimmer of hope came to him and he said: "What is your name, good woman?"

"My name is Aicha, and I am your servant, but today you must do my bidding," she answered, and she drew up her bent figure and pointed a long, bony finger at the mayor.

"Tell me your plan, good Aicha," said the mayor. "Speak loudly so that all may hear and we will obey your commands."

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Then Aicha raised her voice until it was borne to the farthest extremity of the market place, and she called out loudly. "First, you must bring me a young calf."

"A calf" said the mayor in amazement. "But, my good woman, that is impossible; the last calf was killed long ago and now you could not find one for its weight in gold."

But Aicha insisted that a calf must be found and brought to her at once, and so all of the people scattered far and wide to search for a calf and they were rewarded by finding a beautiful milk white little animal that had been hidden away in an old cow shed by a miserable old miser.

"Now, go out and find me some grain," she commanded. But at this there was an outcry of dismay.

"There is none to be had, woman, as you well know," said the mayor indignantly. And the people began to look at the old woman and shake their heads sadly. "She must be crazy" they said.

"I must have grain," she commanded again. "Search from house to house and bring me grain."

The people then went all over the town from house to house, and after some hours they brought her some corn in a measure. Aicha took the corn and moistened it to increase the bulk, and at once she began to feed the hungry calf. The mayor was horrified, and he called out: 'Stop, woman! What a terrible waste! For shame upon you, feeding that calf when our children are crying for bread and our sick are suffering and starving in the hospitals. How dare you stand before us and squander this precious grain!"

Aicha went on feeding the calf, as if she had not heard, until all of the people began to crowd about her, shouting, "For shame! Stop this mad woman. She is wasting our food!"

"Only give me my way a little longer," she pleaded with the mob of angry people, "and you will soon see the enemy retreat."

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When the calf had eaten all of the corn Aicha led it to the gates of the city and, followed by a wondering crowd, she commanded the sentry to open the gates for her. The sentry refused to do this until the mayor had come in person and ordered him to do so. As soon as the gates were unlocked, Aicha pushed out the calf, which at once began to enjoy its freedom and frisk about and eat the short grass.

Then the angry people surged about Aicha in a wild mob, saying, "You mad woman! You take our last calf and feed it all of our grain and drive it out into the hands of the enemy, where they may enjoy it for food."

"Wait," said Aicha, "and you shall see what you shall see."

The people watched from the walls of the town and soon saw the soldiers seize the calf and drag it into the camp of the enemy. When the king and his generals saw the calf they could hardly believe their eyes. "I thought that we had nearly starved them out!" exclaimed the king. "But it cannot be true or they would have killed this beautiful calf and not let it wander outside of their gates to browse."

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"It looks rather lean," said one of the generals, "but your majesty is right. They must have more food than we have or they would have killed and eaten it long ago. It is some time since we have had any fresh meat and our rations are very low."

The troops were all so discouraged by this turn of affairs that the king decreed that the calf should be killed and eaten at once and they should have a feast upon it. They killed it in haste, but to their amazement they found inside a great quantity of undigested corn. They reported this to the king, and he summoned all his generals.

"If those people have grain enough to spare for their cattle they cannot be starving for food."

The generals said: "This is true, your majesty; we are the ones starving, and we had better raise the siege and retreat at once lest our soldiers grow angry and rise up in mutiny against us for keeping them upon such short rations."

Then they all agreed, and soon the decision of the king and his generals ran through the camp. "We must retreat," they said.

That night the enemy all disappeared and in the morning the people saw that the enemy had fled. Thanks to the wit and strategy of Aicha, the town was saved.

The grateful people carried her on their shoulders all about town, and they all praised her, and the mayor decreed that she should live in peace and plenty all of her days.

[Retold from the book "Folk Tales From Many Lands," by Lilian Gask.]

Coming Society Events

The Retail Druggists' association will hold its first annual dance and get-together party Wednesday evening at Murlark hall. E. A. Robinson, president of the association, is chairman of the committee, and a delightful evening is anticipated.

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Blessed Sacrament Altar Society ladies are making preparations for a card social to be given Tuesday evening, January 15, in the hall, corner Maryland and Blandena street. All members and friends are invited.

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The high school and academic set, which has held so many delightful informal dances at Murlark hall this winter, will give another party Tuesday evening.

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