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Pythian Order Has Cancelled All Assemblies

By Alfred D Crider

ABD UHL ATEF TEMPLE No. 117, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, is known far and wide as the dramatic, social and funmaking heart of the Knights of Pythias

It was all prepared to give an open social and dance to the delegates of the grand lodge of the K. of P. next Monday night, and Tuesday night to hold its mysterious ceremonial, with neophytes from all parts of the states brought before its royal vizier for adoption within the great tribe of camel-drivers and lion-slayers. But the "Dokey" proposes and the health authorities dispose, and the ceremonial is not.

The proposed grand lodge of the K. of P. has also been postponed indefinitely. The grand temple of the Pythian Sisters likewise assembles not. All has been called off by telegrams, letters, messengers on swift camels, as it were. Tuesday, October 15, will not see them assemble, as proclaimed and expected.

George L. Spencer, royal vizier, mighty potentate though he is, doesn't hold a candle to his majesty King Spanish Influenza, and Ed M. Lance, the overworked secretary and knight of the quill, cannot but issue the decree as commanded by his royal vizier.

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George Brandenburg, W. F. McKenney and George P. Henry are the component parts of the "pep committee" charged by the Portland lodge of Elks with putting some of that article in operation and bringing the Elks up to the old standards. Just as they had prepared for the livest campaign ever known, along comes the Spanish influenza proclamation and all their pep has to be put on ice for a time. However, it will be hot stuff, just the same, when the ban is lifted.

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The death of Thomas C. Taylor of Portland in Bend Tuesday caused the indefinite postponement of the state commandery of the Knights Templar in Bend. It had held its morning session and it was intended to complete the business of the commandery that afternoon. Election of officers for the ensuing term will be held later. Sir Knight Taylor was grand commander of Oregon in 1907 and known and honored throughout the state as a fraternal leader in Masonry.

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Rose City camp, M. W. A., has appointed committees to arrange for the dedication of the service flag and the celebration of its ninth anniversary on the night of Wednesday, October 30. The service flag has one gold star on it to signify the sacrifice made by Lee Meadows, the first Modern Woodman to volunteer for service in this state and the first to fall in France.

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The following officers have been installed by Portland Star homestead, Brotherhood of American Yeomen: L. B. Kent, honorable foreman; Leroy Lomax, master of ceremonies; Mrs. Yetta Haines, correspondent; L. R. Jamieson, treasurer; Fred Spencer, chaplain; William Carmichael, marshal; Mrs. Rosa Blood, Lady Rowena; Mrs. Carrie Bryson, Lady Rebecca; T. W. Blood, watchman; Mrs. Anna Whitehair, sentinel. The retiring honorable foreman, O. H. Kastilahan, has been five years in harness, the past two years in that position. The homestead presented him with a gold watch fob Thursday night, Mrs. Yetta Haines making the presentation speech.

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Mount Hood circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft, will continue to meet in the Headquarters building at Tenth and Taylor streets every Tuesday evening, resuming meetings as soon as the authorities permit. Meanwhile the officers and members are boosting for the sale of Thrift and War Stamps. Mrs. E. S Routledge, one of the members, has sold stamps to the value of $3250 and is still hustling. Mount Hood circle is hoping to excel any other circle in the city in this line of activity.

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Ellison encampment, I. O. O. F., had a class of 19 last Tuesday evening to receive the Golden Rule degree. This is one of the largest classes in its history.

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Ralph Robinson, well known throughout the Masonic ranks in Portland, has returned from Washington, where he was summoned to prepare for service in the aviation corps. He will await orders to report for active duty in the transportation service of the aviation corps, and it is expected that he will be in France or on the way there within a few weeks. Meanwhile Mrs. Ralph Robinson has his job as assistant to the secretary of the Masonic grand lodge.

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A special head camp session has been called by I. I. Boak, head consul of the Woodmen of the World, to meet in Denver, Colo., November 18. The reasons given are to amend the constitution and consider matters of great importance. It is understood that efforts will be made to lower the age of admission, and perhaps to admit women to membership. The order is in good financial condition with an invested fund of between $8,000,000 and $9,000,000, and is carrying on its rolls free of all dues and assessments nearly 6000 members in the service of the country in army and navy. There will be seven delegates from Portland and 25 or more from Oregon.

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L. M. Thomas, state manager of the Knights and Ladies of Security, installed the officers of St. Helens council last Tuesday as follows: Thomas Lawrence, president; Max Madison, first vice president; Mrs. Ivy Brown, second vice president; Mrs. Ida Giberson, prelate; Mrs. Ida Hall, conductor; William A. Brown, corresponding secretary; H. M. Knighton, financial secretary. A large party of visitors were entertained after the ceremonies.

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Anchor council, Knights and Ladies of Security, had a record making crowd of friends and members at W. O. W. temple last Tuesday evening to attend its social and partake of its hospitable cider and pumpkin pie. There was plenty to go around. James Peters, chairman of the entertainment committee, was justly congratulated upon the success of the affair.

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Kirkpatrick council, Knights and Ladies of Security, made over $140 at Crystal Lake park last Sunday. Soldiers were admitted free. A large dancing party occupied the pavilion in the evening. The council will hold another of its open programs with cards and dancing Friday night at Swiss hall.

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A. G. Clark, the well known Oregon products first booster, has been elected a trustee of Portland lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Dr. Theodore Fessler.

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Mrs. Bertha Sumner Leach, grand treasurer of the Neighbors of Woodcraft, has returned from a trip of inspection and instruction through Washington, Idaho and Montana, where during the past month she visited over 30 local circles. She found everybody prosperous and busy. The war work occupied most of the spare energies of the Neighbors of Woodcraft, but the condition of the local circles in excellent.

Left to right—George L. Spencer, royal vizier, and Ed M. Lance, secretary, Abd-Uhl-Alef Temple 117, D. O. K. K., whose ceremonial has been called off.

Unification Of Lodges Postponed

ROCKWOOD LODGE No. 213, held its last meeting Wednesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall in that suburb, with over 250 people. The lodge has consolidated with Villa lodge No. 124, and will meet no more as a separate organization. The occasion was made a merry one and the banquet spread by Rockwood Rebecca lodge was done justice to by all. It had for its principal features, oysters, chicken, loganberry pie and the best home culinary art was demonstrated in many ways. E. P. Mertz, past master of Villa lodge, was toastmaster. E. E. Sharon, grand secretary of Oregon, responded on behalf of the grand lodge; W. H. Hamilton for Villa lodge and Charles Cleveland for Rockwood lodge.

The formal unification of the two lodges was to have taken place at East Glisan and Eightieth streets in Villa lodge hall last Wednesday evening, but on account of the closing of all lodge meetings will be held some other time in the near future.

Rockwood lodge was organized March 18, 1909, and flourished for a time, reaching over 100 members. Of late, however, owing to the changes in transportation facilities and the extension of the municipal lines of Portland, the lodge declined. It numbered 31 members in good standing at its last report. Its finances were in good condition and its real estate, regalia and other properties will go toward making Villa lodge one of the strongest suburban lodges in the state.

The Rebecca lodge of Rockwood is expected to follow its big brother into a union with the Rebeccas of Villa lodge. The union of these lodges is confidently expected to make the social life of Odd Fellowship more attractive in Montavilla than ever before.

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Several fraternal orders in Portland are conferring with a view of establishing a fraternal Liberty loan drive in this city for the fifth loan, with the intention to manage it directly themselves through a bureau. The United Artisans, A. O. U. W. and Neighbors of Woodcraft hope to interest other fraternities and make a showing that will secure recognition from the Federal authorities.

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The Neighbors of Woodcraft in Portland have been active in selling Liberty bonds since the close of the drive, and have disposed of $10,000 in small amounts to parties who had not subscribed or who were encouraged to subscribe more by reason of the liberal terms offered through the treasury of the grand circle.

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The Foresters of America in Portland have secured quite a number of applications in the nation-wide drive for members made on October 10. All who are examined and otherwise qualified will be admitted as soon as the ban on meetings is raised.

Oaks to Be Named for Heroes

Washington, Oct. 12.—(I. N. S.)—In the American Forestry Magazine, the official organ of the American Forestry association, just off the press, an editorial is devoted to the move in several cities to plant trees in honor of the war heroes. The magazine urges that this be made a national movement. It is urged that a boulevard be planted as "Liberty Row," or line some special street with "victory oaks" each to be named for a fallen hero.

Directions for Those Who Knit Socks

FOLLOWING are the latest developments in sock knitting as required for Red Cross knitting:

Medium-Size Sock

Materials—About one quarter pound yarn; 4 Red Cross needles No. 1 (⅛-inch diameter).

Measurements—Laid on a level surface the finished sock should measure:

Foot—Length, 11½ inches, but 10½ to 12½ is acceptable.

Leg—Length, 14 inches; circumference, 8 inches.

Cuff—Circumference, unstretched, six inches; stretched to fullest extent, 13½ inches.

These instructions have been issued after careful and painstaking study of many of the excellent directions now in use, and contain the best features of all of the generally approved methods of knitting socks. The new instructions have been tested by beginners as well as experienced knitters. Other good directions need not be abandoned if they produce serviceable, comfortable socks in reasonable conformity with the essential details of these instructions.

Important Suggestions

Always join threads by splicing or by running threads through each other with worsted needle.

When knitting the second sock of a pair always count the rows of the first sock to insure uniform size when finished.

Tie finished socks loosely together in pairs at top of leg in such a way that the hand can be inserted for inspection.

If sock is thin at point of gusset reinforce by darning on wrong side very lightly with a split thread of yarn.

Cast on 56 stitches on three needles; 20 on first needle, 20 on second needle, 16 on third needle.

Knit 2, purl 2, for 3 inches.

Knit plain 8 inches.

Heel—Divide stitches; 28 on first needle (for heel); 14 on second needle, 14 on third needle.

First needle (*) knit 1 row, turn, purl 1 row, turn. Repeat from (*) until you have 27 rows. Always slip first stitch.

To turn heel—Begin to turn heel on wrong side.

Slip 1, purl 15, purl 2 together, purl 1, turn.

Slip 1, knit 5, slip 1, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over knit stitch, knit 1, turn.

Slip 1, purl 6, purl 2 together, purl 1, turn.

Slip 1, knit 7, slip 1, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over knit stitch, knit 1, turn.

Slip 1, purl 8, purl 2 together, purl 1, turn.

Slip 1, knit 9, slip 1, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over knit stitch, knit 1, turn.

Continue until there are 16 stitches on needle.

Gusset—Pick up 13 stitches on side of heel (first needle).

Knit stitches of second and third needles on to one needle (second needle).

Pick up 13 stitches on other side of heel and take 8 stitches from first needle. (Third needle).

First needle—(A) Knit to within 3 stitches of end, knit 2 together, knit 1.

Second needle—(B) Knit plain.

Third needle—(C) Knit 1, slip 1, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over knit stitch, knit to end.

(D) Knit around plain.

Repeat A, B, C, D until you have 14 stitches on first needle, 28 stitches on second needle, 14 stitches on third needle.

Knit plain 5½ inches.

Kitchener toe. First needle—(E) Knit to within 3 stitches of end. Knit 2 together, knit 1.

Second needle—(F) Knit 1, slip 1, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over knit stitch, knit to within 3 stitches of end, knit 2 together, knit 1.

Third needle—(G) Knit 1, slip 1, knit 1, pass slipped stitch over knit stitch, knit to end.

(H) Knit 2 rows plain.

Repeat E, F, G, H 3 times (making 4 times in all). Then narrow every other row 5 times.

Knit the 5 stitches of your first needle on to your third needle.

You have now 10 stitches on each of the two needles.

Break wool (leaving 12-inch length) and thread it into worsted needle. Hold sock so that the worsted needle is at your right and, always keeping wool under knitting needles, weave front and back together as follows: (*) Pass worsted needle through first stitch of front knitting needle as if knitting and slip stitch off the knitting needle. Pass through second stitch as if purling and leave stitch on the knitting needle.

Pass through first stitch of back needle as purling and slip stitch off the knitting needle.

Pass through second stitch of back needle as if knitting and leave stitch on knitting needle.

Repeat from (*) until all stitches are off needles.

In order to avoid ridge across end of toe, fasten wool down the side.

Mrs. A. R. Bolderston, 521 East Sixty-first street north, was hostess Wednesday afternoon to Milameth chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. Bolderston was assisted by Mesdames F. W. Reed, Reckert, Shaver Sharpe, W. D. Scott, Schuman, Baird, Wright and Shay. The chapter voted to buy another Liberty bond. Arrangements were made to take an evening at the Y. M. C. A. for the entertaining of the soldiers. Mrs. Esther Allen Jobes, state chairman, spoke enthusiastically of the importance of the Americanization work to be done by the women of Oregon. Mrs. Alva Cage recounted her personal experiences in war work at Tent City, Coronado beach and gave to the chapter many helping suggestions.

The Tuesday Afternoon club met at the home of Mrs. J. O. Laber. The morning was devoted to Red Cross work. At 12 o'clock luncheon was served. Red Cross work was resumed, continuing through the afternoon. At 12 o'clock the business meeting was held. "Tendencies in Modern Art and Literature" is the work the club has undertaken for the year. Mrs. W. L. Marshall gave the first paper "Romanticism and Reaction Realism." Mrs. E. H. Whitney gave readings from Matthew Arnold, Tennyson and other writers. Mrs. W. B. George was a guest of the afternoon. The club will hold its next meeting at 10 a. m., Tuesday at the home of Mrs. W. L. Marshall, 254 Stout street.

At a special patriotic meeting, the P. E. O. Sisterhood of The Dalles adopted a war orphan, Tuesday at a gathering at the home of Mrs. W. L. Crighton. Mrs. R. I. Kirk, formerly of Springfield and past state president of the club gave an address. Mrs. Joe Stadelman read a paper on "What constitutes a good P. E. O. in War Time" and Mrs. Carlton Williams sung patriotic selections. It was also decided to do sewing for the Red Cross at each meeting. The afternoon's program was in charge of Mrs. M. Z. Donnell.

The progressive Woman's league of which Mrs. Alice McNaught is president is heading a movement for a few moments of prayer during the noon hour throughout the country for the success of the allies. The movement has been indorsed by the Ministerial union and will be backed by the city government, it is understood.

Girls Being Organized For War Service

RALLYING the young girls of America to the support of the government service activities for the soldiers, is the mission upon which Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, formerly president of the General Federation of Women's clubs, is touring the country in connection with the united war work campaign. The announcement just made that this foremost clubwoman is giving her entire time to this special phase again emphasized the wide-spread nature of the work, which the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the National Catholic War council and K. of C., the War Camp Community service, the Jewish Welfare board, the American Library association and the Salvation Army are conducting.

Mrs. Pennybacker has become a special representative of the war camp community service and is devoting her time to addressing assemblages of girls, organizing them into bandage-rolling groups and suggesting to them the various activities which they can conduct for the welfare of soldiers, sailors and marines without duplicating existing work. Her wide experience in women's clubs and the prestige which she acquired there makes her work of adding new units to war welfare activities especially valuable.

For the last two years Mrs. Pennybacker has been identified with some of the biggest patriotic movements in the country. In addition to her writing, she has lectured from one end of the country to the other on war work before civic organizations, clubs, Y. W. C. A. and colleges, interpreting the spirit of the times as affecting women and girls. A noteworthy thing about her as demonstrated both in her writings and lectures is the clearness of her understanding of women's responsibilities today in relation to the war.

An appreciable part of the war camp community service is furnishing hospitality for uniformed men and this is essentially the work of women and girls. Not only Mrs. Pennybacker's genius for leadership but the rich background of her own private life fits her admirably for communicating to large groups the enthusiasm for bringing forward the best that their community offers for the upholding of our highest ideals.

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On account of the shortage of graduate nurses following the call to the army an order has been issued by Surgeon General Gorgas, asking that all public health organizations assist in relieving the private duty nurses. One visiting nurse should take the place of five or six private duty nurses. The Visiting Nurse association of Portland, in answer to this urgent appeal, will endeavor to provide nursing service on an hourly basis. Arrangements can be made by calling up the office of the Visiting Nurse association, 1004 Spalding building, Main 4087, A-4342. The association wishes it to be thoroughly understood that the work will be in addition to the regular visiting nurse work and will not in any way interfere with the usual work done by the association.

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The Community Red Cross auxiliary, meeting Wednesdays at the Forbes Presbyterian church, offers the following report of work finished since September, 1917: Sheets 42, pillow slips 24, bed coats 18, pajama suits 42, shoulder wraps 12, bedshirts 176, dust clothes 280, bath robes 24, hospital caps 72, operating masks 72, comfort kits 50, comfort bags 50, underwear suits 24, girls' dresses 30, pinafores 50, handkerchiefs 155, tray covers 175, tea towels 50, napkins 100, wash cloths 224, arm pillows 40, small feather pillows 12, hot water bag covers 26, gauze rolls 30, bed socks 11, knitted quilt 1, knitted socks 271 pairs, wristlets 28, sweaters 105, mufflers 8, helmets 5.

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The monthly meeting of the Ockley Green Parent-Teacher club was held Thursday afternoon. Mrs. George W. Penketh presided. There was a good attendance and several new members were enrolled. Mrs. Lee L. Gilbert was elected vice president to fill a vacancy. It was decided in the very near future to have babies of the district under one to five years, weighed and measured in keeping with the requests of the United States government. An entertainment in honor of James Whitcomb Riley was also passed. However, since the influenza scare, both affairs will have to be indefinitely postponed. Much enthusiasm was expressed among those present and a year of great accomplishment is looked forward to.

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Mrs. Archibald McGill, 800 Stanton street, was hostess for the Fraternal day meeting of Chapter A., P. E. O. Sisterhood, recently. To further food conservation each guest supplied her lunch. Coffee was served by Mrs. McGill, asisted by Mrs. J. P. Jaeger and Mrs. S. H. Morgan. During the afternoon plans were made for the year's work. Fridays will be given to the aviation sewing at Meier & Frank's. The regular meeting day will be changed to the second and fourth Fridays of each month to enable the members to combine the chapter meeting with sewing.

Voluntary contributions were offered to make up the budget so all the time can be given to the Red Cross.

Members will please note the Fridays preceding the Chapter A calandar dates will be regular meeting days. The hour is not changed.

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Mrs. J. F. Kelly, president of the Shattuck Parent-Teacher association, was reelected at the meeting held Thursday. Other officers chosen were: Vice president, Miss Mary Donahoe; second vice president, Mrs. H. Shapiro; secretary, Mrs. Ogree; treasurer, Mrs. F. L. Benedict; chairman of program committee, Miss B. Merrill; chairman social activities, Miss Winifred Mosher. In addition to the election the following program was given: Recitation, Fledda Updike; recitation, George Richardson; piano duet, Joe Brill and Annties House; recitation, Dorothy Shapiro.

The Auxiliary to Company B, One Hundred Sixteenth engineers met Thursday at Central library when it was voted to purchase one dozen sheets for the linen drive now being conducted by the Red Cross.

WOMEN'S CLUB AFFAIRS

Only Meetings Will Be Those For Red Cross

By Vella Winner

AN ENTIRELY new situation confronts the women's organizations of the city; the usual concern is the meetings of these various organizations and the problem of getting around to all of them; the new situation is that there are no meetings to attend, not even a Red Cross Auxiliary. Conforming to the order of the surgeon general given to the people of Portland through the mayor and the health officials, all gatherings must be suspended while the Spanish influenza is prevalent.

"It is a matter of great regret of course that we could not hold the Federation meeting Saturday," said Mrs. G. J. Frankel, president of the Portland Federation of Women's Organizations, "but we comply glady, of course, with the ruling of the officials, for surely never was the old adage truer than in this case, 'an ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure,' especially when there has not yet been found any cure for this deadly malady."

Mrs. Albert M. Brown, chairman of the current literature department of the Portland Woman's club, which was to have held its first meeting this week Thursday, announces that the department will begin its season's work as soon as the quarantine is lifted. Heads of other organizations are all complying willingly with the request in the hope that the disease will soon be stamped out.

The only gathering of women that will be allowed will be those at the big Red Cross work rooms, where the work will be conducted under the supervision of physicians and nurses, to see that not even a suspect is allowed to mingle with the other women. The small Red Cross auxiliaries are asked to suspend meetings until the quarantine is lifted. This ruling gives the women of the city a splendid opportunity to work in the bandage and sphagnum moss departments of the Red Cross and there is a constant need for workers, hence it is hoped that many will avail themselves of this opportunity and help in this splendid work, which is considered by the government to be of sufficient importance to be carried on even in the face of the influenza scare.

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The first meeting of the Thompson Parent-Teacher association was held Thursday, October 10, at the school. An exhibit of their garden products, canning, sewing, poultry and rabbits was made by the pupils. The response was unexpected and the exhibits exceptional. The awards for the poultry and rabbits were given out after the meeting, the prizes going to: for poultry, first prize, Lillian Black (White Leghorn hen and rooster); second prize, Edward Day (Rhode Island Red hen and rooster); third prize, Harold James (White Leghorn hen); for rabbits, first prize, Curtis Kernan (Belgian hare); second prize, James Rogers (New Zealand); third prize, Virginia Parrish (English White litter). The decision on the other exhibits was deferred till Friday and, unfortunately, because of the closing of school, the exhibits had to be removed before awards could be made. Miss Winner's room, eighth grade, sang and five of the girls sang a second song. Mrs. Rogers was unanimously elected president and Mrs. Richards was also unanimously elected vice president. A short address on "Boys" by Mrs. Pratt concluded the program.

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The Progressive Woman's league met in Central library Tuesday, October 7. A linen shower of 42 pieces was given to the Red Cross. A committee was appointed to confer with the patriotic relief division in ministering to the sick soldiers in Vancouver. The league will give a series of four silver teas, the first to be with the president, Mrs. Alice M. McNaught, 324 Thirteenth street, Tuesday, October 15, from 2 to 5; the second with Mrs. A. Borgeson, 1191 Maryland avenue; the third with Mrs. N. S. Oettle, 321 East Ninth North, and the fourth with Mrs. Emilie Potter Duke, Rainier hotel. Clothing and hats will be made at these meetings for the rummage sale to be given by the league preparatory to the fifth Liberty loan. The Red Cross auxiliary meets every Monday at Lipman & Wolfe's from 1 to 4 o'clock.

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Mrs. C. L. Dutcher entertained the Trav-il-lieres club Tuesday, October 8, at her home, 530 Ladd avenue. The club members came early and spent the entire day sewing for the Red Cross. The hostess served luncheon at 1 o'clock and a brief business meeting followed while the ladies continued sewing. The club voted to buy a bond. The president gave an interesting report of the discussion at the City Federation meeting, dealing with important questions of the day. Mrs. H. B. Manchester will entertain the club in November.

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The last regular meeting of the Catholic Women's league was held at the home of Mrs. Edward Dunn, 652 Tillamook street. A large attendance was present. Mrs. J. C. Castello, president, presided. Much business of importance was transacted. Reports of the several committees show much work being done. Miss Edith McGinn, chairman of War Savings Stamps sales, reported sales amounting to $2590 to October 1. The report of Red Cross chairman told of the war work being done at the league headquarters. Miss Margaret Flaherty, superintendent of league cafeteria, reports a daily average attendance of 150 for the noon lunch. Several new members were received. Miss Emily Louise Plumley, representing government program on social hygiene, gave a most interesting talk along those lines. Miss Emma Butler also made a splendid talk on her work of child placing.

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The presidents of all women's organizations that have not reported to the woman's Liberty loan committee are asked to send a list of the members who hold fourth issue bonds in their own names, giving name, address and amount to the chairman, Colista M. Dowling, 213 Northwestern Bank building. All organizations that have purchased bonds not previously listed with the committee, are asked to telephone name and amount to headquarters, Marshall 1400.

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The Liberty luncheon to have been held at the home of Mrs. O. P. M. Jamison by the White Temple women on Tuesday has been postponed until further notice.

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There will be no meeting of Friends' auxiliary No. 116 on Tuesday, complying with the request of the mayor.

ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN'S CLUBS IN REVIEW

Forest Grove Woman's Club—Maintained headquarters at county fair, giving comfort to over 500 tired women. Planted trees in parkings around public school grounds, placed cans for scraps and garbage where needed, planned two clean-up days. Instrumental in having placed warning signs for automobiles near school, in securing systematic physical culture and free medical inspection in school, and a cafeteria in high school. Cooperated with food administration and held classes in conservation. Sold $88.67 worth Red Cross reals. Contributed $10 each to soldiers hospital fund and Y. W. C. A. hostess house fund, $50 to scholarship loan.

Dallas Women's Club—Conducted Red Cross unit and Thrift Stamp club, studied conservation, worked on Liberty loans, woman's committee of National Council of Defense, public health and extension committees. Purchased $100 worth Liberty bonds. Contributed $27.50 to state hospital fund, $25 to scholarship loan fund, $193.83 to the Red Cross, $42.20 to civic section, $82.29 for general club purposes. Made 1122 Red Cross garments. Received 87 volumes for book shower.

Eugene Monday Book Club — Began study of Mentor magazine, but later adopted patriotic work as chief activity. Bought Liberty bond, gave $8 to woman's building, knitted comfort and robe and sent it to Dr. Bertha Stuart in France. This year the club is holding weekly luncheons with Red Cross work afterward.

Waldensian Society Seeks New Members

The American Waldensian Aid society for Italian war relief is carrying on an active war work in Portland. At present a campaign for new members is being launched by the membership committee, consisting of Mrs. Samuel P. Lockwood, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Sherman R. Hall, Mrs. Warren E. Keeler, Mrs. J. C. Elliott King and Mrs. Charles D. Marshall. The general membership fee is $1, sustaining membership $10 annually and life membership $100 in one gift. Forty dollars a year will support a half orphan at home; $100 will support an orphan in an orphanage and insure education.

Mrs. James F. Ewing, chairman of the committee for clothing and knitted articles, has ready for shipment a large number of garments for the needy women and children of Italy. Mrs. J. C. Elliott King, who has charge of the boxes, cooperates with Mrs. Ewing in this work. Miss Genevieve Shankland is in charge of the knitting and sewing units and many garments have been made and sent to headquarters. Mrs. Charles E. Curry, the extension secretary, has charge of the glass jars which have been placed in the downtown stores and many public places, the money gathered in this way to be used to help build an orphanage at Lorre Pellice in northern Italy, as a memorial to those who have fallen in battle.

The national president of the American Waldensian Aid society is the Right Rev. David H. Greer of New York. The officers of the Portland chapter are: President, Mrs. A. A. Morrison; vice presidents, Mrs. E. H. Pence and Mrs. W. A. Waldo; secretary, Mrs. Fletcher Linn; extension secretary, Mrs. Charles Curry; treasurer, William M. Ladd.

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No busier place is to be found on Wednesday of each week when assemblies are in order than the sewing rooms of the White Temple, where the women meet to do Red Cross work. For many months Mrs. M. L. Hardwick and Mrs. D. M. Evans have been directing the Red Cross work, going to Lipman, Wolfe & Co.'s store rooms on Monday and Friday of each week and at the church on Wednesday, besides giving out and receiving much knitting done at spare times. During the summer the White Temple women spent one day a week at the Kanning Kitchen and along all lines they have given valuable service.

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The meeting of the Columbia society, Children of the American Revolution, which was to have been held Saturday at the home of Mrs. J. A. Keating on Portland Heights, has been indefinitely postponed.

Give Candy Cascarets to a Bilious, Constipated Child

"Mother gives me a candy Cascaret when I am cross, sick and won't play."

TO MOTHERS! Each ten cent box of Cascarets, candy cathartic, contains full directions for dose for children aged one year old and upwards. Nothing else "works" the nasty bile, sour fermentations and constipation poison from the tender little bowels so gently, yet so thoroughly. Even cross, feverish, bilious children gladly take Cascarets without being coaxed. Cascarets taste just like candy. Cascarets never gripe the little bowels, never sicken, never injure, but above all, they never disappoint the worried mother.

The Doctor's Advice

by Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply in any case of similar nature.

Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College-Elwood streets, Dayton, Ohio, enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given, but only initials or fictitious names will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

Frank writes: "I have been taking salts to purify my blood and cure my skin of itching and pimples, but don't get much benefit. Please prescribe for this."

Answer: I advise Three Grain Sulpherb Tablets (not sulphur Tablets), composed of sulphur, cream of tartar and vegetable extracts that remove constipation and purify the system. Take this treatment for several months for best results.

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"Patient" writes: "I want your free advice. I seem to have gone all to pieces. I am irritated and annoyed by dizzy moments, fickle appetite, no strength and life has no pleasures for me any more.

Answer: There are thousands who live too fast and then find themselves in your plight. The nervous vigor has been deranged. A tonic invigorating medicine called Three-Grain Cadomene Tablets will afford aid to Nature by supplying more food energy and give your system a chance to recuperate, when calm nerves should take the place of shattered nerves.

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"Lamper" asks: "I am so affected with painful kidneys that I cannot work regularly. My sleep is disturbed by frequent calls, only to void small amounts and follows burning, smarting pains. Backaches and often have chills and fever, making me real sick for a day."

Answer: A good tonic, soothing and neutralizing medicine for such complaints in Balmwort Tablets. Try them and continue a few weeks and I am sure you will write me of your recovery.

"Ford" writes: "I have suffered with a bad cough for some time and I am also weak and tired most of the time, which I think is due to the severe coughing. Can you give me a remedy?"

Answer: Yes, your weakness is due to the coughing, but you should be well relieved by using the following: Get a 2½ oz. package of Essence Mentho-Laxene and make according to directions on the bottle, then take a teaspoonful every hour or two until the cough is cured. This makes a full pint of the very best and safest cough syrup. If your druggist does not have Mentho-Laxene, have him order it for you of the wholesale firm.

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Mrs. S. asks: "My scalp itches terribly, is feverish and a great amount of oily dandruff is present. What is good for this?"

Answer: First shampoo the hair and then apply plain Yellow Minyol about once a week as per directions. This relieves the itching, overcomes the dandruff and makes the hair beautifully glossy and vigorous. Obtain in 4 oz. jars of druggists.

NOTE: For many years Dr. Baker has been giving free advice and prescriptions to millions of people through the press columns, and doubtless has helped in relieving illness and distress more than any single individual in the world's history. Thousands have written him expressions of gratitude and confidence similar to the following:

Dr. Lewis Baker, Dear Sir—I feel it as a duty to write you. Four years ago my husband had a bad cold and found no relief from all cough medicines we could try. We finally tried the Mentho-Laxene prescription and made it up as cough medicine and it quickly cured him. It also gives me great relief from asthma, from which I suffer in winter time, as you know here in Oregon we have it so rainy instead of snow. I send stamps and coupon for your great "Guide Book, Health and Beauty." Thanking you, I am, Yours truly,

MRS. M. H. VAN WART,
Lents, Oregon.

BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work.

People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act gently but firmly on the bowels and liver, stimulating them to natural action, clearing the blood and gently purifying the entire system. They do that which dangerous calomel does without any of the bad after effects.

All the benefits of nasty, sickening, griping cathartics are derived from Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets without griping, pain or any disagreeable effects.

Dr. F. M. Edwards discovered the formula after seventeen years of practice among patients afflicted with bowel and liver complaint, with the attendant bad breath.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are purely a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color. Take one or two every night for a week and note the effect. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

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Hair On Face De Miracle

Ordinary hair growths on face, neck and arms soon become coarse and brutally when merely removed from the surface of the skin. The modern non-sense way to remove objectionable hair is to attack it under the skin. DeMiracle, the original sanitary liquid, does this by absorption.

Only genuine DeMiracle has a money-back guarantee in each package. At toilet counters in 60c, $1 and $2 sizes, or by mail from us in plain wrapper on receipt of price.

FREE book with testimonials of the highest authorities, explains what causes hair, why it increases and how DeMiracle destroyes it, mailed in plain sealed envelope on request. DeMiracle, Park Ave. and 126th St., New York.

Glass of Hot Water Before Breakfast a Splendid Habit

Open sluices of the system each morning and wash away the poisonous, stagnant matter.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise—splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, lame back—can, instead, both look and feel as fresh as a daisy always by washing the poisons and toxins from the body with phosphated hot water each morning.

We should drink, before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to flush from the stomach, liver, kidneys and 10 yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract before putting more food into the stomach.

The action of limestone phosphate and hot water on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will cost very little at the drug store, but is sufficient to make anyone who is bothered with biliousness, constipation, stomach trouble or rheumatism a real enthusiast on the subject of internal sanitation.—Adv.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and beautiful. This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease. (Adv.)