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Clubs, Society and Features

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Miss Mears and W. S. Ashley To Wed

By Helen Hutchison
THE marriage of Miss Antonette Mears and Willis S. Ashley will be a smart event of Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Anna Tindula, recently elected president of the A. T. B. Girls' club, which meets fortnightly.



Fraternal Notes

The Royal Highlanders will give a dance and social at the East Side Business Men's club Wednesday evening and there will be a cafeteria lunch served.

Cosmopolitan lodge, Knights of Pythias will confer knight rank Wednesday evening, at Pythian building.

Star lodge, I. O. O. F. will meet Thursday night to finally settle on building plans and reports of the committee.

Miss Cora J. Cooley of Portland became the bride of John J. Rose of Panama, Thursday at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Hoefeldt are receiving congratulations from friends on the arrival Monday night of a baby daughter, named Marjorie Jane.

The Women's Guild of Trinity parish will hold a rummage sale Thursday and Friday at 104 First street, near Washington.

Dr. William A. Waldo, pastor of the White Temple and F. E. Francisco were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnson, at 1001 East Twelfth street north, Sunday.

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Club Women in Favor of Tax For Blind

By Vella Wheeler
CLUBWOMEN throughout the state are showing a great deal of interest in the tax levy measure to be voted on May 21, providing for the care and employment of the blind.

The Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs is taking the lead in this matter, and the legislative committee, of which Mrs. Alexander Thompson is chairman, is mailing today to the president of every federated club the following letter:

"Your legislative committee of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs believes there is no more worthy or necessary measure to come before the people at the special state election, May 21, 1920, than the measure providing for the levy of one sixth of one mill tax for establishing an institution for teaching the adult blind and furnishing them employment."

"This bill is designed to enable the 500 adult blind in Oregon to become self-supporting instead of being objects of charity. In this institution, as proposed, these unfortunate sightless people will be instructed along practical lines, and means will be provided for their permanent employment after they become proficient in their various trades."

"There will be other educational bills on the ballot to merit your attention and indorsement, and active campaigns are being waged in behalf of these measures. Your committee, however, knowing that the unfortunate people interested in the success of the blind school tax measure have little means and sources of appeal except their own efforts, your special assistance and cooperation in securing the passage of the measure."

"Your committee urgently requests that you give this measure your careful consideration, then your indorsement, and that publicity be given as extensively as possible, to the end that your influence in this important matter may be felt."

"We recommend (1) that you appoint a committee of three persons, the purpose of creating sentiment in favor of it; (2) that your club indorse it; (3) that you secure all possible favorable publicity for it; (4) that all clubwomen in Oregon go to the polls and vote for it."

On account of the benefit dinner which is to be given Wednesday night, 11 a. m. until 2 p. m. in room 525 courthouse by the Gold Star Mothers of the American War Mothers, the regular meeting of the organization will not be called until 2:45.

The Oak Grove-Milwaukie Social Service club will meet Thursday at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. E. Alexander, two blocks west and one south from Island station. An excellent program has been prepared.

In memory of the birthday of Shakespeare, the Portland Shakespeare Study club will plant an oak tree in Peninsula park Friday at 3:30 p. m. There will be an interesting program given jointly by the club, the park superintendent and officials and the children of that district. The public is invited.

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Benefit Vaudeville On Friday Night

Through the combination of stellar acts, with the addition of two local surprises in entertainment, the eight act vaudeville bill to be presented Friday night at the Auditorium, will be one of the most symmetrical and pleasing that ever has been offered to a Portland audience. So assists Frank Coffinberry, director, when he ventures a prediction or two regarding the forthcoming vaudeville and social dance benefit, to be given for the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Multnomah Guard band—that the former may visit service men who are ill in local hospitals, bringing them comforts, and that the latter may discharge some portion of the debts for uniforms and equipment incurred while the band was engaged in patriotic service work during the war.

Mayor Baker will serve as official announcer for the footlight folk—and may also be persuaded to lift his well known basso-profundo voice as caller for an old-time quadrille. The dance will begin at the conclusion of the vaudeville program, with music furnished by the 65 piece Multnomah Guard band.

Four American artists will be discussed and specimens of their work shown. Mrs. R. Bruce Horsfall will speak on J. Alden Weir and Paul Dougherty, and Miss Marie E. Rockwell, president of the club, will speak on Edward W. Redfield and William Keith.

The Portland Woman's Social Science club will hold its next meeting Thursday, April 22, at 2 p. m., at the home of Mrs. E. H. Frazelle, Multnomah station. Take Oregon Electric car, leaving Jefferson street station at 1 p. m., or take car either at Fifth and Multnomah, Fifth and Salmon. Ride to Multnomah station.

The first social meeting and dance of the Girls' Friendly Society Friday evening, May 7, will be given at the parish house of St. David's was thronged with people, including a contingent from St. Paul, Oregon City, the Rev. Thomas Jenkins and Rev. C. H. L. Chandler receiving the guests. Mrs. E. T. C. Stevens is the active and enthusiastic head of the organization in Oregon, and every parish are being established every parish in the eighth district, is expected to make a visit of inspection soon.

Chapter F of the P. E. O. Sisterhood will meet with Mrs. Saldie Orr-Dunbar, 7115 Fifty-third avenue southeast, Thursday at 2 p. m.

The Clinton Kelly Ladies' Aid society will give a dinner at the home of Mrs. M. A. Palmer, 532 East Forty-first street (Richmond car), Wednesday, from 12 to 2 o'clock.

The Ladies' guild of St. Michaels and All Angels church will meet Wednesday at 2 p. m. with Mrs. D. Z. Irvine, 834 East Thirty-second street north.

Society Plans to Perpetuate Wild Flowers of Oregon

An exhibit of fall wild flowers is to be shown as a result of the interest displayed in the wild flower exhibit at Central library last week.

The display also started agitation for a society for the preservation of wild flowers in Oregon, which, it is said, are rapidly disappearing. At the rate they are being destroyed, some species, it is said, will be practically extinct within five years.

Especially mention has been made of the wild orchids which have been so abundant between Portland and Oregon City, and which, by injurious gathering, is becoming more and more rare.

THE Stroller notices

THAT there's at least one man on the east side who wears an eyeshade when he's working in his garden.

That he's probably an office man, who has the habit.

That a man driving a brand-new four-passenger automobile in Columbia boulevard couldn't figure out why he stalled trying to carry eight heavyweights up a grade.

That he has been picking up his friends all along the road to treat them to a ride in his new machine.

That some of them had to walk back.

That there was ice this morning in Jerry's water bucket.

That Colonel Roosevelt's picture starts Jerry's applause when it is shown on the screen.

That it looks quite natural to see him in action.

That it makes us realize how valuable motion pictures are going to be to coming generations.

That the old-time minstrel band sounds natural as ever.

That we miss the old-fashioned drum major who used to swing the baton or the gun and throw it high into the air.

That we used to marvel at his dexterity.

That many a good egg has been laid away of late in a water-glass bath.

That they'll come in handy later on.

That when a business man doesn't replace the glass in a broken show window one wonders how long before a receiver will be appointed.

A "Timely" Suggestion
The STROLLER Notices—
Dear Stroller: Think us along at hand for your history.

Today's contributor to the column heading suggestion certainly has worked out an idea in keeping with the weather of the last few weeks, and we think there's considerable merit in his work. What's the verdict?

Another new idea tomorrow.

A "Questionnaire"
The Fringe of Civilization—
Dear Stroller: Or, April 17. Dear Stroller: You nearly gave us a nervous proposition when you said you didn't know where the little Titian was during junior week. We most thought we know you, and we aren't sure yet that we don't.

Is the "littest one a 'he' or a 'she'"?

Do you or did you belong to the O. N. G. G. (it is information we are after).

We don't remember the "dork," but such is easily acquired.

Did you notice the bald old gentleman in the evening suit, silk hat 'n' everything, at the Heilig the other evening? U. A. K.

Dear U. A. K.: Yours of recent date rec'd and contents noted, and in reply will state:

1. The "littest one" is a girl, and some girl, too. We rather wanted her to be a boy before she came, but the moment after she arrived we wouldn't have traded her for the finest boy in the world. She isn't a bit like the Titian, neither in looks nor disposition. Guess that's why they get along so nicely together.

2. No, it has never been our good fortune to belong to the O. N. G. G., but some of our very good friends are, or have been, members of that organization. (Information cheerfully furnished.)

3. You speak a mouthful. Some acquire dogs and others have dogs thrust upon them. Since acquiring "Jerry," a number of pups more or less grown have at various times rubbed against me, but from our frugal board there aren't more than enough scraps to feed one dog. I must say, however, that if any unstarving hungry hound looks particularly interested in my scraps, I do not hesitate to skimish about to find him a square meal, even if she has to cut into the cold roast veal, left over from the hot dinner the night before, to do it.

4. No, the only baldheaded old gentleman we noticed at the Heilig the other evening was sitting down in the front row.

And now, having satisfied your kind interest of the best of our ability, will you please tell us why you call where you love the "Fringe of Civilization," and how it happens that the "column" interests you out there? S. R.

String Quartet Program Is Announced

THE Flonazey Quartet, which appears at the Heilig tomorrow night, direction Steers & Coman, gave the first of its Boston series of concerts for this season in Jordan Hall a few weeks ago. The house was full, in spite of the fact that there was another important concert at Symphony hall.

The spontaneous applause which greeted the four gentlemen when they appeared, and after each number of the program proved that the Boston musical public recognizes the superlative merits of this matchless quartet.

The presence in the audience of many persons rarely seen at other public concerts except "the symphony" indicated that the Flonazey quartet have been included in the limited list of concerts which may properly be attended by those in the social register.

Following is the program: Haydn... Quartet in D major, op. 76 No. 5. Allegretto-Allegro; Largo cantabile e mesto; Minuetto; Finale.

Smetana... Quartet in E minor (from My Life). Allegro vivo appassionato; Allegro moderato in G major; Largo sostenuto; Vivace.

Gossens... "Molly on the Shore" Grainger.

Eugene Is Considered
University of Oregon, Eugene, April 17.—The Drama League of Portland is hoping to come to Eugene about the first of May to produce three plays, the proceeds to go towards the women's building fund, according to a letter received from Mrs. Irene Gerlinger of Portland to Dean Elizabeth Fox.

A progressive dinner during junior week, end, the proceeds to go to the women's building fund, was also suggested in the letter from Mrs. Gerlinger.

WHO? WHAT? WHERE?

ALCAZAR—Morrison at Eleventh. Famous Georgia Minstrels, 8:20. Matinee Wednesday and Saturday, 2:30.

ORPHEUM—Broadway at Taylor. Vaudeville De Luxe, 8:10. High class vaudeville and photoplay features. Afternoon and evening. Program changes Monday afternoon.

LOEW'S HIPPODROME—Broadway at Yamhill. Direction Ackerman & Harris. Vaudeville and photoplay features. Afternoon and night.

DRAMATIC STOCK
BAKER—Broadway between Morrison and Alder. The Baker Stock company is "Lombardi," 8:20. Matinee Wednesday and Saturday, 2:30.

MUSICAL FARCE
LYRIC—Fourth at Stark. Musical farce, "The Bull Fighter." Matinee daily at 2:30. Nights 7 and 9.

PHOTOPLAYS
COLUMBIA—South at Stark. Anita Stewart in "In Old Kentucky." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.

LIBERTY—Broadway at Stark. Wallace Reid in "Excuse My Dust." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.

RIVIERA—Washington at Park. Friedlaender in "The Virgin of Stamboul." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.

MADISON—Washington at Park. Rex Beach in "The Silver Horde." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.

PEOPLES—West Park and Alder. Irene Castle in "The Amateur Wife." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.

STARBUCK—Washington at Park. James J. Corbett in "The Prince of Avenue A." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.

CIVIC—Fourth at Washington. Frank Keenan in "The World Aflame." 9 a. m. until 4 o'clock the following morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Rose left for a brief honeymoon, after which they will return to Harrisburg for a short visit before leaving for their home in Panama.

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High Lights

Life, Viola Dana states, has become for her one queer affair after another. "While appearing in the screen version of 'The Willow Tree,' the star had to have her hair elaborately done the Japanese fashion twice every day; and now in 'Dangerous To Men,' she appears as 'Liza,' the little girl with pigtail braided so tightly that they fairly quiver."

Bryant Washburn, Famous Players-Lasky star, has just completed the screen version of George Broadhurst's farce, "What Happened to Jones," and will start immediately on "A Pull House." Fred Jackson's well known stage success.

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THE BURGESS BERTIME STORIES

Jimmy Skunk Receives a Warm Welcome
By Thornton W. Burgess

"The welcome that is warm and true will drive away the winter snow. 'Twill banish care and trouble like a bird. 'Twill banish all the heart will love."

"But now that my book is come back to me, I rejoice and am exceedingly glad! Bring hither the fatted-morocco and let me rub the volume, and set it on the shelf of honor; for this my book was lent and is returned again."

"Presently, therefore, I may return some of the books that I myself have borrowed."

The first appearance of the interior of the Pennsylvania hotel, New York City, as a "picture location," was made on St. Patrick's day, when Olive Thomas, supported by members of her company and more than 100 extras, "shot" scenes in the skyscraper hostelry.

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