

SOCIETY

By RUTH LENORE FISHER.

BEVY of younger maids arrived in town yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock on the Oregon Electric, returning from their year at college. In the party were Miss Mary Elizabeth Bayne, Miss Irene Curtis, Miss Ina Proctor, Miss Veva Smith, Miss Ina Spaulding, Miss Esther Busch, and Miss Grace Humphreys, who will spend the summer at their homes in this city, and Miss Claudine McManus of Pendleton, who will visit Miss Edna Ackerman for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bishop motored to Gervais last night and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown at their attractive country home there.

Mrs. Everts W. Charles of Portland is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will T. Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. Erceel Kay, Mrs. Oliver C. Locke and Mrs. H. H. Olinger are in Portland where they are playing in the state golf tournament at the Waverly Country club links. Mr. and Mrs. Kay have been doing some

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Mrs. John W. Harbison will be hostess this afternoon to the children of her primary department of the First Presbyterian church Sunday school for the annual picnic. They are to meet at the church at 2 o'clock and after a short meeting there will go to Marion square where the remainder of the afternoon will be happily spent with games and refreshments. Mrs. Harbison has asked the teachers in the primary department to assist her this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Elkins and son, Collins Jr., of Pendleton, and Mrs. Lewis Oldfield of San Francisco

co are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Goodin at their home. The party motored from Corvallis where they attended the commencement functions.

Dr. and Mrs. Mark Skiff, Mark Skiff, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Curtis and Mrs. E. Giebler formed a motor party to Corvallis this week to attend graduation exercises at O. A. C. Miss Irene Curtis was a member of the graduating class.

The women's alliance of the Unitarian church will meet with Mrs. John Pollock at her home, 893 Union street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie T. Walker (Marguerite Wible) of Coquille, will arrive this morning to be the house guests of Miss Lena Cherrington until after commencement at Willamette university.

Salem friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Davidson of Brownsville, formerly well known Salem residents, will be interested to know that their daughter, Miss Geraldine, won the prize offered for the best essay written on the book "Pollyanna." This prize was offered by the Junior Chautauqua of Brownsville. Miss Davidson is 12 years old.

The Women's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet in the church this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. E. Bowen, a missionary from China, will address the meeting.

Sergeant and Mrs. W. R. Landis (Vera George) of San Francisco announce the birth of a daughter in that city June 2. She has been named Opal, the name of her aunt.

Dr. and Mrs. Mark Skiff have as their house guests Mr. and Mrs. George Simpson of Portland, who arrived yesterday.

The Misses Carrie and Bertha Moores of Portland are guests of Mrs. A. N. Moores in this city until after the Willamette university commencement.

Mrs. Roy Mills motored to Newberg last night to join her husband and attend the graduation exercises of the Newberg high school last night.

Roderick S. Waters of Portland came up last night to attend the graduation exercises of the high school. His brother, Kenneth Waters, was a member of the class.

Ball Tossers Banned
at Y. M. C. A. Dining Room

Good food and good fellowship worked hand in hand last night at the baseball banquet which was given at the Y. M. C. A. club rooms by the members of the Twilight league, with "Biddle" Bishop as the guest of honor.

Dinner was served at 7, and though some of the boys were unable to be present, those that were there did full justice to everything that was set before them, and what was set before them, as one of the boys said, was fit for a king.

The speakers of the evening were James Elvin, president of the league, "Knickerbocker," who is one of the hardest workers to make the league a success, and "Biddle" Bishop, manager of the Salem Senators. The success of the Twilight league is now assured, and these little get-together dinners will do a lot to cement friendship between the rival teams, and are expected to go far to make good, clean baseball and sportsmanship between the opposing teams.

Salem Representatives
Commended on Speeches

Salem representatives who attended the luncheon of the Portland Ad club Wednesday were highly complimented on their talks concerning the valley.

Mayor Baker rose after the third of the four speakers and made his talk and said the meeting was the best of the year, from the fact that the Salem men had put forth in a clear and concise way just what the valley had accomplished and hoped to accomplish.

Speakers from this city were Governor Olcott, T. E. McCroskey, manager of the local club, L. J. Chapin and C. J. Espy.

Airplane Forest Patrol
to Operate This Month

The airplane forest patrol will be ready to operate in Oregon by June 25, says a letter received by F. A. Elliott, state forester, from the office of H. H. Arnold, commander of the air service for the Western division of the United States army.

LIBERTY--SUNDAY



PRINTER GOES AS MISSIONARY

David Byerlee and Wife on Way to Africa; Will Speak Here Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. David Byerlee are visitors at the home of Mrs. Byerlee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cave, 1160 Hood street. They have recently been graduated from the Eugene typographic university, and are under appointment to Bolenge, Belgian Congo, Africa, where they will become missionaries under the foreign board of the Disciples of Christ.

The Bolenge church is one of the largest churches in the world, and has several outposts along the Congo and tributary rivers. These churches and the outlying districts are visited by the pastors and missionaries by means of the river steamer, Oregon, which was presented to the force in 1909 by the Christian churches of this state. It is of interest also that one of their active workers is Dr. E. R. Moon, an Oregon boy, who with his wife, has been on the field for several years.

Mr. Byerlee is a printer by trade, and has been president of the Eugene Typographic union for some time. He will have charge of the great native printing plant at Bolenge, and will evangelize when on itinerating trips. Mrs. Byerlee is an accomplished vocalist, and has been a teacher in the music department of the Bible university for some years. She will not only have charge of the music at the post, but will teach reading and writing in the native language. Salem people will have the opportunity to hear these accomplished young missionaries before they go to New York to take passage for Africa, for it has been arranged to have them address the morning session of the First Christian church, Center and High streets, next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Grand Army Is Invited to Salem for Next Year

Salem has extended an invitation to members of the G. A. R. now in session at Astoria, to hold their next meeting in this city. A telegram was sent by the Salem Commercial club yesterday to Captain Daniel Weber, head of the G. A. R. in Oregon, asking that Salem be considered when the vote is taken.

New Willamette Fraternity Files Corporation Papers

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday with the state corporation department by the Kappa Sigma fraternity, recently organized at Willamette university. The incorporators are Gordon W. Sammons, president; James H. Bohls, secretary-treasurer, and Paul G. Wapato, manager. The property value is given as \$100.

Articles were filed by the Malheur Lumber company of Malheur, capitalized at \$10,000. The incorporators are William J. Lachner, A. A. McDonald and Blaine Hallock.

A permit to operate in Oregon was granted to the Rauch & Lang, Inc., Delaware corporation. George R. Alexander of Portland is named as attorney-in-fact for Oregon.

Resolutions showing an increase in capitalization from \$5000 to \$10,000 were filed by the Merges Hardware company of Portland.

Notice of withdrawal from the state was filed by the Growers Service company, a corporation of the state of Washington.

Educational Millage Bill Cost Large Sum of Money

The state-wide campaign waged in behalf of the millage tax measure for higher education prior to the special election of May 21 cost \$23,266.42, according to a statement of expenditures filed with the secretary of state by H. T. Vance, secretary of the joint alumni relief committee.

Other expense statements filed yesterday were:

L. M. Leper, Portland, candidate for the Republican nomination for state senator, 13th district, \$85.75.

C. C. Hall, secretary of Good Government club, expenditures in behalf of the candidacy of L. M. Leper for the Republican nomination for the office of state senator, 13th district, \$176.68.

Thomas Whitehorn, Corvallis, candidate for delegate to the Democratic national convention, first district, \$119.70.

Edison I. Ballagh, St. Helens, candidate for the Republican nomination for state representative, 29th district, \$60.00.

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PLATFORM ADOPTED

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it was created. This commission, properly organized and its duties efficiently administered, should afford protection to the public and legitimate business interests. There should be no persecution of honest business, but to the extent that circumstances warrant we pledge ourselves to strengthen the law against unfair practices.

We pledge the party to an immediate resumption of trade relations with every nation with which we are at peace.

Despite the unconstitutional and dictatorial course of the president

and the partisan obstruction of the Democratic congressional minority, the Republican majority has enacted a program of constructive legislation which in great part, however, has been nullified by the vindictive votes of the president.

The Republican congress has met the problems presented by the administration's unpreparedness for peace. It has repealed the greater part of the vexatious war legislation. It has enacted a transportation act making possible the rehabilitation of the railroad systems of the country, the operation of which, under the present Democratic administration, has been wasteful, extravagant and inefficient in the highest degree. The transportation act made provision for the peaceful settlement of war disputes, partially nullified, however, by the president's delay in appointing the wage board created by the act. This delay precipitated the outlaw railroad strike.

We stopped the flood of public treasure, recklessly poured into the lap of an inept shipping board, and laid the foundations for the creation of a great merchant marine; we took from the incompetent Democratic administration the administration of the telegraph and telephone lines of the country and returned them to private ownership; we reduced the cost of postage and increased the pay of the postal employees — poorest paid of all public servants; we provided pensions for superannuated and retired civil servants, and for an increase of pay of soldiers and sailors. We reorganized the army on a peace footing and provided for the maintenance of a powerful and efficient navy.

The Republican congress established by law a permanent women's bureau in the department of labor; we submitted to the country the constitutional amendment for woman suffrage, and furnished 29 of the 35 legislatures which have ratified it to date.

Legislation for the relief of the consumers of print paper for the extension of the powers of the government under the food control act, for broadening the scope of the war-risk insurance act, better provision for the dwindling number of aged veterans of the Civil war, and for the better support of the maimed and injured of the great war, and for making practical the vocational rehabilitation act, has been enacted by the Republican congress.

We passed an oil leasing and waterpower bill to unlock for the public good the great pent-up resources of the country; we have sought to check the profligacy of the administration, to realize upon the assets of the government and to husband the resources derived from taxation. The Republicans in congress have been responsible for cuts in the estimates for government expenditure of nearly three billion dollars since the signing of the armistice.

We enacted a national executive budget law; we strengthened the federal reserve act to permit banks to lend needed assistance to farmers; we authorized financial incorporation to develop export trade, and finally amended the rules of the senate and house, which will reform evils in procedure and guarantee a more efficient and responsible government.

HIGH COST OF LIVING
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bands to fight but in case of serious trouble with the Turks or Russia, a force exceeding 200,000 would be necessary.

No more striking illustration can be found of President Wilson's disregard of the lives of American boys or American interests.

We deeply sympathize with the people of Armenia and stand ready to help in all proper ways but the Republican party will oppose now and hereafter the acceptance of a mandate for any country in Europe or Asia.

League of Nations.
The Republican party stands for agreement by that full publicity which will enlighten the influence of an aroused public opinion. The government should take the initiative in inviting the establishment of tribunals or commissions for the purpose of voluntary arbitration and investigation of this issue.

We demand the exclusion from interstate commerce of the products of convict labor.

Women in Industry.
Women have special problems of employment which make necessary special study. We commend congress for the permanent establishment of the Women's bureau in the United States department of labor to serve as a source of information to the states and congress.

The principle of equal pay for equal service should be applied throughout all branches of the federal government in which women are employed. Federal aid for vocational training should take into consideration the special aptitudes and needs of women workers. We demand federal legislation to limit the hours of employment of women engaged in intensive industry, the product of which enters into inter-state commerce.

Housing.
The housing shortage has not only compelled careful study of ways of stimulating building but it has brought into relief the unsatisfactory character of the huge accommodations of large numbers of the inhabitants of our cities. A nation of home owners is the best guaranty of the maintenance of those principles of liberty and law and order upon which our government is founded. Both national and state governments should encourage in all proper ways the acquiring of homes by our citizens. The United States government should make available the valuable

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information on housing and town planning collected during the war. This information should be kept up to date and made currently available.

Hawaii.
For Hawaii: We recommend federal assistance in Americanizing and educating their greatly disproportionate foreign population; home rule, and the rehabilitation of the Hawaiian race.

Reclamation.
We favor a fixed and comprehensive reclamation to increase national wealth and production.

We recognize in the development of reclamation through federal action with its increase of production and taxable wealth a safeguard for the nation.

We commend to congress a policy to reclaim lands and the establishment of a fixed national policy of development of natural resources in relation to reclamation through the now designated government agencies.

The Service Men.
We hold in imperishable remembrance the valor and the patriotism of the soldiers and sailors of America who fought in the great war for human liberty and we pledge ourselves to discharge to the fullest the obligations which a grateful nation justly should fulfill, in appreciation of the services rendered by its defenders on sea and on land.

Republicans are not ungrateful. Throughout their history they have shown their gratitude toward the nation's defenders. Liberal legislation for the care of the disabled and injured and their dependents has ever marked Republican policy toward the soldier and sailor of all the wars in which our country has participated. The present congress has appropriated generously for the disabled of the world war. The amounts already applied and authorized for the fiscal year 1920-21 for this purpose reached the stupendous sum of \$1,186,571,893. This legislation is significant of the party's purpose in generously caring for the maimed and disabled men of the war.

Public Roads and Highways.
We favor liberal appropriations in co-operation with the states for the construction of highways, which will bring about a reduction in transportation costs, better marketing of farm products, improvement in rural postal delivery, as well as meet the needs of military defense.

In determining the proportion of federal aid for road construction among the states the sums lost in taxation to the respective states by the setting apart of large portions of their area as forest reservations, had been considered as a controlling factor.

Conservation is a republican policy. It began with the passage of the reclamation act signed by President Wilson. The recent passage of the coal, oil and phosphate leasing bill by a republican congress

and the enactment of the water power bill fashioned in accordance with the same principle, are consistent landmarks in the development of the conservation of our national resources. We denounce the refusal of the president to sign the water power bill passed after ten years of controversy. The republican party has taken an especially honorable part in saving our national forests and in the effort to establish a national forest policy. Our most pressing conservation question relates to our forests. We are using our forest resources faster than they are being renewed. The result is to raise unduly the cost of forest products to consumers and especially farmers, who use more than half the lumber produced in America, and in the end to create a timber famine. The federal government, the states and private interests must unite in devising means to meet the menace.

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