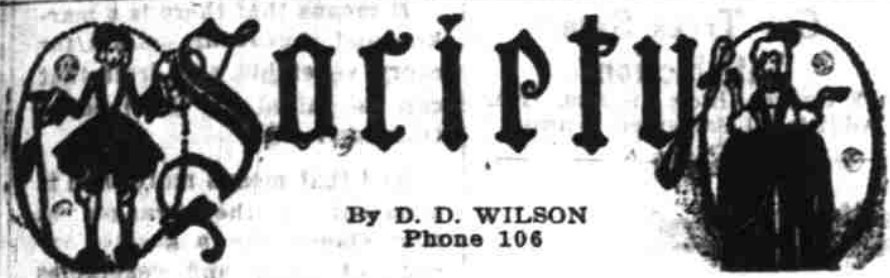


SEVENTY-FIRST YEAR



By D. D. WILSON
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Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Epley returned Saturday from a motor trip covering about 1200 miles. Pendleton, Walla Walla, Spokane, Coitax were the principal points visited, with Medical Lake, Couer d'Alene lake and many other interesting spots as side trips. Dr. and Mrs. Epley visited at Spokane university and were entertained by several friends in that city.

To really appreciate Dr. Epley's interest in this particular section of the country, one must know a little of his past history. During the years 1875 to 1881, Dr. Epley, then a small boy, made his home near the main thoroughfare between the Nez Perce reservation and that of the Couer d'Alene Indians.

Those familiar with the history of the Pacific northwest will recall that in 1877, Chief Joseph of the Nez Perce tribe grew restive and called his doughty warriors to the war path. Dr. Epley relates

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reading the service. Only immediate relatives witnessed the ceremony.

Miss Mallow formerly lived at Brownsville and this marriage is the culmination of a youthful romance. Mr. Tussing is a junior in the college of law at Willamette university. The young couple will make their home in Salem.

The O. A. C. club announces the second of its series of entertainments which are being given for the benefit of the Student Loan fund. This will be held at the Leslie Methodist church on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, a small admission charge being made.

A number of interesting features are planned for the program, among them two violin numbers by Mr. P. F. Thomas, a student of Ruthyn Turney of Chemawa and a promising musician. Lena Belle Tartar who has just completed 12 weeks of study of voice and harmony at the University of Washington; Leo Miller, baritone, soloist with the 1916 O. A. C. glee club; Mrs. La Moine Clark in her popular whistling solos; Mrs. C. I. Lewis as reader and Miss Vivian Hargrove in a series of stories for children are among the other attractions offered. As only members participated in the program, the club feels justly proud of the array of talent offered and believes that because of the excellence of the numbers presented and the benevolent purpose behind it, the affair should be well patronized.

The Writers' section of the Salem Arts league met Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. Molly Brunk, 1545 Highland avenue. Following the usual method of procedure, each member contributed an original story, poem or literary production of some nature. A highly interesting program was presented on this occasion. Miss Carol Dibble, a guest of the club, read a story by Mrs. W. F. Fargo, already published, called "Empty Spaces." Mrs. Monroe Gilbert contributed a quartet and Gertrude Robinson Ross two of her poems, one of which she has recently sold. It is called "Pierrot was a Light of Love." Mrs. J. C. Nelson read an interesting treatise on modern literature. Mrs. Edwin Sherwood, a guest, contributed "Lilies of the Argentine" and other poems, while Mrs. F. S. Barton also presented several original poems.

Mrs. J. W. Harrison, president of the Arts league was present as a guest of this section. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. C. Richards.

A miscellaneous show in honor of Miss Alice Thompson was given yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. A. Livesley, 610 South Winter street. Mrs. Livesley and Mrs. W. M. Plimpton being hostesses. The rooms were lovely with white, yellow and orange flowers, the same color scheme being used in all the rooms. Little Janet Plimpton and Dorothy Livesley assisted in serving.

Much to the disappointment of all concerned, the Theo Karle concert which was to have been held in the Grand theater last evening will not be given until October 4. Through an error for which neither the Salem Musical Bureau nor Mr. Karle himself is responsible, the great tenor has also been billed for another engagement at this time.

The Aid society of the Women's Relief corps will hold their social afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emma Summaerville, 1160 Center street, this afternoon.

The Kafoury Clerks' club held their monthly business meeting Tuesday, September 20. After supper, which was served in the club room, important questions were taken up regarding salesmanship and better service to the shopping public.

Mrs. J. B. Litterer and Mrs. E. E. Upmeyer entertained at luncheon Friday in honor of Miss Marie Church, who expects to return soon to her missionary work in Korea, after a year's leave of absence. Miss Alice Kika, a Korean student, who will continue her musical studies in Portland this year, was also an honor guest.

The dining room decorations were done in yellow, marigolds being used.

Additional guests were Miss Margaret Fisher, Miss Della Chappell and Miss Esther McCracken.

About 18 members of the West Central circle of the First Methodist church were present at the regular meeting yesterday which took place at the residence of Mrs. D. W. Fisher, 790 North Church street.

The newly elected officers took their places. These were Mrs. E. E. Fisher, president; Mrs. D. W. Fisher, vice president; Mrs. Grant Day, secretary, and Mrs. Grover Bellinger, treasurer.

After the usual business meeting a social hour was enjoyed, refreshments being served by the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Margaret Fisher.

Two hundred relatives of Mr. and Mrs. George Seely attended the golden wedding celebration at Wilsonville on Tuesday. The services were held at the Methodist Episcopal church, and the pastor, Rev. Alfred Bates, officiated and had charge of the musical programs, given both forenoon and afternoon. Following the ceremony the happy couple were given presents which were very beautiful. A very delicious banquet was served at noon. Mr. Seely, who is 82 years old and settled in Linn City, near Oregon City, and from there moved to Canby and later on his father's claim where he now resides. Mrs. Melinda Jane Seely, who was born near Newberg, is now 67 years of age. She has always lived in the west except for two years when she and her husband lived in Kansas City immediately following their marriage.

Rev. and Mrs. Alfred Bates returned to Salem last night after attending the golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. George Seely at Wilsonville, visiting the Tualatin public schools where Mr. Bates talked to the pupils on "London From the Top of an Omnibus," and afterward attending the chicken pie dinner served at the Tualatin Methodist church.

MY HEART AND MY HUSBAND

Adele Garrison's New Phase of REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

CHAPTER 175
WHAT ALICE HOLCOMBE TOLD MADGE

Alice Holcombe looked up at me wistfully, her lips quivering. "Forgive me," she pleaded. "I know I'm getting everything mixed up. I don't know what is the matter with me."

"I won't forgive you if you talk that way," I retorted, with a grimace I was far from feeling. "You're simply upset by something you've heard, and the quick-settling out is to tell me all about it. Come now, you didn't know this when you went to Patchogue, so you must have heard it there since yesterday. So you won't have to go very far back in your memory. Now, when? Where? How? as we used to tell the children in the composition classes."

"I have a young cousin who is an operator in the Bayview telephone exchange," she began obediently, slowly. "I have not seen her for some time, but she came out to Patchogue yesterday for a week-end to visit the same relative whom I came to see. She is usually very merry girl, and I was surprised to find her exceedingly sober of demeanor. I caught her studying me covertly several times, and at last this morning she evidently made up her mind to a definite course of action, for she maneuvered to get me alone and then asked me earnestly: 'Gossip Alice, what do you really think about the Stockbridge case? Do you think Mr. Stockbridge killed his wife?'"

"The question nearly made me lose control of myself. But I have been schooling my feelings lately, trying not to betray my own horror at the thought that any one should suspect Kenneth, for I find that many of my best friends do not think as I do about it. So I waited until I could answer her calmly before I spoke."

An Unsuspected Shock.

"I am sure that he didn't!" I told her. "As sure of his innocence as I am of yours or my own."

"You're one of his oldest friends, aren't you?" she went on looking at me curiously. "Would it make you very unhappy if he were found guilty?"

"I answered her promptly. 'Yes, to both questions.' I said and she nodded her head gravely as if I had only confirmed her own thought.

"The I know what to do," she said thoughtfully, and a minute after she added something which frightened me.

"Can you get a warning to Mr. Stockbridge?" she asked.

"I can," I answered, knowing that I could relay it through Kenneth's attorneys. I did not think it wise to tell her that Kenneth had requested that neither you nor I should attempt to see him nor communicate with him."

Miss Holcombe paused and looked up at me as if asking assurance that she had acted wisely. "You did just right," I said.

"I thought you'd approve," she answered simply, then went on with her story.

"Will They Tell?"

"My cousin told me that both she and another operator had listened in on the telephone that afternoon both when Milly telephoned you and when Kenneth did."

I struggled hard to keep my face expressionless. If these girls had indeed heard everything, and should tell what they knew, then the plight of all of us was sad indeed. Alice Holcombe and I would surely be brought into the case, and I dare not acknowledge even to myself how damning to Kenneth Stockbridge would be the evidence I would be compelled to give.

I forced my stiff lips to speech.

"Will they tell what they know?" I asked.

"The other girl has already," Alice Holcombe answered, "but fortunately she had a busy board that afternoon, and she heard but very little. She has been given a good sum of money for the little bit she did hear, and both she and the lawyers employed by Milly's family have been pestering my cousin to tell her story. But so far she has kept quiet—she is not the kind of a girl to sell her knowledge—and they have no idea how much she knows. And now I am sure she will not only keep her mouth shut but will persist in saying she really heard nothing more than did the other girl. She even refused to tell me what she had heard."

I drew a breath of relief. I could understand the reluctance of Alice's young cousin to repeat the venomous words concerning her which Milly Stockbridge had uttered to me that afternoon.

Glad indeed was I also that my friend had not discovered the fact of Kenneth Stockbridge's confiding his private papers to me. I was that bit of news. But I was troubled at the thought of the dynamite which her young cousin possessed, for I did not quite share my friend's confidence in her young relative's discretion. I feared that a girl who would "listen in" would also capitalize her knowledge.

(To be continued)

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Dallas Knights Entertain McMinnville Lodge Men

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Opinion is Written for State Treasurer Hoff

Attorney General Van Winkle has written an opinion for State Treasurer Hoff holding that in case of a bequest of a certain amount to be paid monthly from the income of an estate to the divorced wife of the testator as long as she is unmarried, the inheritance tax on the bequest shall be collected on each installment as the bequest is paid. The reason

for this is that there are no tables or statistics by which to calculate the period the beneficiary may remain unmarried and it is therefore impossible to estimate the present value the bequest which she may receive.

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