



By MARGUERITE GLEESON

CLUB CALENDAR

Story Telling section of Arts League at library.
Home Missionary society, First M. E. church, with Mrs. J. L. Stevens, 316 N. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bray of Los Angeles have just returned to their home following several weeks visit in Oregon. Mrs. Bray was formerly Miss Belle Lawrence, a daughter of Rev. William T. Lawrence, pastor of the old Cumberland Presbyterian church in Salem.

The Tri Club frolic Monday night at the home of Miss Marjorie Blake. The party was a Halloween and was given in the attic of Miss Blake's home.
The girls of the Tri club who were present were: Marion Vinaver, Ruth Walker, Agnes Bayne, Neal, also of Eugene and the Betty Hummel, Helen Berg, Ger-

The four young people attended Eugene high school together, the marriage of Mr. Walker and Miss Neal being the outgrowth of a pleasant high school romance. Rev. Charles E. Harrison of Portland, Mr. Walker's cousin, was the officiating minister. Following the ceremony a bountiful table was spread by Mrs. Walker and Mrs. E. B. Perrine.

The list of invited guests included Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Neal, Fred Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Perrine, Mrs. Lucy Johnson, Mrs. J. S. H. Walker, L. G. Perrine, Miss Irene Walker, Virgil Perrine, Miss Venita Walker, Kenneth Walker.

The two couples will leave soon for Yakima, Wash., where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zesell, Sr. have gone east to spend two months. They will go as far as Chicago, stopping at St. Paul.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Thompson Sunday were Miss Eva L. Moulton and Charles R. Moulton of Portland. They drove down for the day returning in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson are now living in the Court apartments.

Mabel Dusenbury entertained for 18 friends at a birthday Halloween party last Saturday at the Bray home.
The guests included Helen Roberts, Rovena Eyre Henriette White, Dorothy Livesley, Ruth Buckner, Leah Fanning, Rosalie Buren, Ruth Kuser, Eleanor Verrall, Neltje Tibbits, Lucile Pettibohn, Maurine Styles, Pearl Kappaha, Loreta Fisher, Dorothy Kizar, Mildred Gilbert, Mary Cupper.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

MARION—O. C. Auburn, L. W. Howitt, H. B. Ferguson, Geo. I. Leison, W. C. Thurlow, Willard Smith, Geo. A. Cable, O. C. Auburn, J. L. May, F. E. Bailey, H. E. Hart, E. Stone, G. A. Holton, E. L. Melton, J. C. Citty, Frank J. Connolly, Portland; Hubert Huthert, McMinnville; Mr. and Mrs. James A. Brown, Capitola, Colo.; Horace Lilly, Stayton; H. C. Atwell, Forest Grove; H. N. Hartman, H. A. Hlaydon, Ashland; H. S. Daly, Silverton; H. Luderman, Tacoma; Clayton L. Long, Corvallis; M. T. Clark, Archie F. Myers, Seattle. BLIGH—H. Neal East, Lester Crown, J. W. Lundy, H. L. White, W. Hoffman, Portland; H. B. Cummings, Washington, D. C.; S. H. McKibben, Oak Hills, Alaska; A. A. Adams, Yakima; E. R. McCormack, Hillsboro; George F. Hoover, Myrl P. Hoover, Bend.

TERMINAL—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clark, Medford; N. C. Nelson, Florence; F. J. Starrett, Roseburg; J. A. Taylor, Scotts Mills; Roy A. Dancoff, Orville Soule, Jim Dort, Perry Gunthers, Lebanon; Perry Backly, Baldwin, Kans.; L. L. Howard, W. A. Shane, H. A. Bender, Portland.

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LAWYER SAYS CLIENT INSANE

Mrs. Phillips Declared to Be Subject to Fits—Quarrel Claimed

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 31.—Mrs. Clara Phillips is a "moron," "subject to epileptic convulsions" and has "the mentality of a child," her attorney, Bertram Herrington declared today in opening the defense in the trial for the murder of Mrs. Alberta Meadows.

The attorney asserted he would prove that the defendant did not wield the hammer with which the state contends Mrs. Meadows was beaten to death on Montecito drive on July 12 last. He declared it would be shown that Mrs. Phillips' every action on that day was "guided by Peggy Caffee," prosecution witness who testified she saw Mrs. Phillips striking Mrs. Meadows with the hammer.

State's Case Rested
The state rested after examining Lester Atkins, who corroborated Mrs. Caffee's statement that he and a man named Gentry met Mrs. Caffee and Mrs. Phillips at Long Beach a few hours before the slaying.

He said the women came to his apartment and Gentry and Mrs. Phillips went out and returned with a pint bottle of whiskey of which all four partook. He said he and Gentry drove the women to Los Angeles, Mrs. Phillips carrying with her the bottle and what remained of its contents.

Mrs. Caffee Blamed
Herrington declared he would show that Mrs. Meadows was slain after an altercation and fight between her and Mrs. Phillips in which the latter's little finger was practically broken and she appealed to Mrs. Caffee for aid. It was Mrs. Caffee, he asserted, who bought the hammer, and not Mrs. Phillips.

After the slaying, the attorney went on, Mrs. Phillips went to a hotel and was there told by her husband that "something awful" had happened and she must go to Texas at once. Phillips, he said, got her some money and she started east.

Defendant's Father Insane
Referring to his client's mental condition, Herrington said her father and several other near relatives had been mentally irresponsible, the father being insane for six years prior to his death. Mrs. Phillips herself, he went on, was subject to epileptic attacks and her mental balance was frequently upset by the conduct of her husband. He said her mind was affected by accusations made by Phillips concerning a mountain trip she once made, and that Phillips told her his information came from Mrs. Meadows.
On the day of the slaying, Herrington said, Mrs. Phillips became epileptic because of statements made to her by Mrs. Meadows about the latter's acquaintance with Phillips.

SILVERTON NEWS

SILVERTON, Ore., Oct. 31.—(Special to The Statesman)—William Hjorth and his daughter, Miss Dora Hjorth of Green Bay, Wis., are visiting at the M. J. Madsen home.

Alfred Jensen and Amos Benson made a business trip to Salem Saturday night.

Miss Nettie Benson was a business caller at Salem Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Madsen, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Madsen, Miss Dora Hjorth, W. Hjorth, Miss Lillie Madsen, Miss Cora Satern, Alvin Madsen and Harold Larson motored to Turner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larson, Miss Esther Larson, Merle Larson Orval Larson all spent Sunday at Eugene as guests of John Larson, who is attending school there.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Brun of Portland are visiting at the home of Mrs. O. S. Hauge.

Miss Cora Satern is again out after a week of illness.

Miss Alvina Hamre has returned from a visit at Portland with Mrs. Theodore Opsand.

Rev. George Henriksen returned from a week-end visit at Seattle.

Rev. Hans Hazus of Seattle spent the week-end at Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson are the parents of a baby girl.

Michael Welch, Mining Man, Killed in Hoist
BURKE, Idaho, Oct. 31.—Michael E. Welch, superintendent of the Hercules Mine here was killed today while coming to the surface in the mine hoist. Just now he was killed is not known, but it is believed that a piece of iron pipe from a quantity of mine equipment that was being carried in the hoist struck him in the head, crushing it.

Mr. Welch has been in the mines in the Couer D'Alenes for many years and is well known throughout the district.

Party is Held
SILVERTON, Ore., Oct. 31.—(Special to The Statesman)—Sylvia Larson, Miss Ethel Larson and Miss Louise Henriksen entertained a group of friends at the George Henriksen home on Second street. The affair was in the form of a Halloween party and the 30 guests were masked.

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