work of the fall season.

She calls attention to the goal in mind, in the caring of the deendent children of Oregon, namey, "to complete payment for our farm, build and equip 16 cottages, provide proper school facilities, make playgrounds and roads, etc."

Attention was called to the fact that 76 children are being cared for, with the boys' building somesecessary either to build, or to end eight boys away.

The following figures and statements concisely give the facts: complete it we have organized a eans. All such dues secured by our unions will be ap-plied on the land payment of 25 which is a part of each

A further injunction is that every WCTU member should be a mber of the boosters league. his league will be enthusiastically at different conventions, airs and other gatherings.

The closing paragraph in the tter is a reminder to the memrs of the farm home bazaar, ch will be held at the state air. The union will have a booth for the entire week in the edual building. All are urged to send in every article possible, Mrs. C. P. Bishop receiving con-tributions up to Sept. 20, although it is hoped that articles will be ent earlier, if at all possible.

While Tuesday was the occasion of the annual business meeting, the election of officers was left

Delegates to the state convention, which will be held in Corvallis October 6-9, will also be ted at this time. The hoses for the afternoon, which

nce Crane, prominent Boston

CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF THE

THE WORK at the Children's limited time, no formal invitations Farm Home at Corvallis was are being issued by the hosts. All brought up in an interesting man- old time friends, schoolmates and lakes, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford enner at the Tuesday meeting of the acquaintances will receive a cor- joyed a motor trip over the splen-WCTU. Considerable attention dial welcome. Mr. Patton plans a did new Roosevelt highway from was given to a letter received from memory test for the visitor and Bandon to Port Orford. Mr. and Ada Wallace Unruh of Portland, will not introduce the guests to Mrs. Clifford left for their vacaexecutive secretary, in which she Dr. Crane, but will allow him to presents facts important in the guess their identity during the evening. Dr. Crane, after leaving Salem tomorrow morning, will spend a short time in Portland before leaving for his home in

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clifford arrived home Tuesday evening from day trip as far north as Seattle, a unique vacation trip to Crater taking in a number of points of and Diamond lakes. Going from what overcrowded. This latter their ranch east of Roseburg to the condition will, of course, make it Ranger's station at Rock Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford, with Mr. Osborne, and their packer, left Friday afternoon, September 5. As after spending the night at the no meetings were held during the We have about \$6,000 of this station, for Diamond Lake by fund raised by the sale of Mult- horse-back. Going through the nomah county fair stickers. To magnificent fastnesses of the Umpqua National forest, past Ran-"Boosters League." We hope to ger's stations at Steamboat, Illisecure \$10,000 of the fund by bee, and Big Camas, the party averaged about 20 miles a day, the minimum proving 13 miles, and the maximum 28, according to the location of camping sites chosen. One night was spent at Steamboat, one at Illihee, and one at Big Camas, the party arriving at Diamond Lake the fourth day. Here camp was established for three days. Without the packer, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford and Mr. Osborne went on to Crater lake where they followed the thousand feet trail down to the water level of the lake. While the climb down takes 20 minutes, the ascent takes an hour. Returning to Diamond lake, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford followed the Old Bradley trail in returning to Rock creek. Numerous deer were seen, and several bear with all sorts of the smaller animals. Two nights were spent in rattlesnake districts. Added to the adventure of following a narover until the next meeting, Tues- row, precipitate trail over many perilous places, was the necessity on one occasion of fording the tumultuous North Umpqua, a canyon river of many cataracts and of swift flow. A further experience was the two hour trip will be observed as rally day for through thorn bushes by patient, zig-zag trails, not then escaping the union who belong to the Pres- many scratches. Notably beautiful was an ancient, virgin forest of spruce, pine, and fir in which ard to by old-time friends of Dr. Three pack-trains, of five mules each, were passed on difficult the summer. reco, who will arrive in Salem | mountain trails, during the jouroday from the beach. The affair ney, all ranger supplies being

mole, offers untrammeled scenery up the North Umpqua.

Though the scenery over the trails is indescribably beautiful, few tourists have ever taken the horseback trip. In fact, the ranger at Rock Creek said that as far as he knew only two women before Mrs. Clifford had ever made the picturesque journey.

Before visiting the two scenic tion the 18th of August.

Mrs. S. E. Tucker and Miss Lucille Tucker arrived home last night from Cannon Beach where they suent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Rottle are home from a week-end and Labor interest on the Sound.

The opening meeting of Hal Hibbard auxiliary for the fall season will be held at the armory, summer, the president, Mrs. F. A. Thompson is desirious of a good attendance. Important business cluding the auxiliary's part in the Defense Day program.

Arthur Rosebraugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rosebraugh, 1422 State street, will leave Portland today for Vancouver, B. C., where he will be the guest for the coming week of Col. John Leader, formerly of Eugene. Mr. Rosebraugh, who has won the Rhodes scholarship distinction, will sail for England Sept. 18, taking passage at Quebec. He will begin his work at Oxford early in October.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Byrd, Miss Helen Smith and Miss Marie Koth are home from a week's vacation H. Byrd, arriving by motor on

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Toothacre have bought a picturesque site at Mrs. Toothacre spent the Labor day week-end at the mountain re-

Following the musicale last evening at the First Presbyterian church when a group of young Salem musicians were presented in enjoyable recital, Rev. Mr. Long made an announcement according o which the student recital will ists who were gathered here for

Mrs. George W. Hug is home for the visitor, and owing to the particularly beautiful falls, Le- with her aunts, Misses May and

Aviation Officer Showing Mother of Lieut. Smith, Round the World Flyer, His Route On Way Home



Smith, commander of the U. S. Angeles.

Lieut. Horace S. Kenyon is seen | Army's round the world flight here pointing out to Mrs. Maud H. where her son was at the time this

Verses and Reverses

Now isn't it absurd?-

I cannot sleep at night of thinking

dogs,

They don't seem

A beaker of banan oil

And lots of APPLE-SAUCE!

The highest hill can go so far-

And yet a hill does not ocmplain

Because it climbed itself in vain.

The American Legion auxiliary

will meet in regular session this

merce rooms, at which time plans

meeting will begin promptly at 8

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGrew

(Clyde Ausman) were in Salem

over Sunday and Monday, going

on Tuesday to Tangent to visit

with Mrs. McGrew's brother,

Claire Ausman, Mr. and Mrs. Mc-

Grew will be in California again

this winter where Mr. McGrew

will be on the teaching staff of

the southern branch of the Uni-

versity of California. Mr. and

Mrs. McGrew have been spending

the summer with Mrs. McGrew's

parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Aus-

man at Asotin, Wash. Mr. and

Mrs. Ausman are here for a few

days from Asolin. They will

Mrs. Grace Bishop, coming over

from Cannon Beach last evening,

will be a guest here for a few

weeks before going on to Corvallis.

from a five weeks' vacation spent

WIDOW OF MILLIONAIRE

SOLOMON TURCK WEDS

AGAIN AT THE AGE OF 89

She is now the bride of William

F. Reilly, of New York City, 69

Mrs. Grace Thompson and little daughter, Fay Louise, are home

It cannot reach a single star,

will come before this meeting, in- Anne Shogren, at their summer home near Ocean Park, Wash, the PEO sisterhood will meet to-Mr. Hag joined Mrs. Hug and son, day for 1 o'clock luncheon as the Wallace, for the motor trip home. guests of Mrs. B. J. Miles at her Robert, the younger son of Mr. home, 2525 South Commercial and Mrs. Hug, will remain at street. Oceanside as the guest of the Misses Shogren until the opening of school.

A cat-fish is a fish, I know; Mr. and Mrs. Hug took a trip A cat-bird is a bird; o Rainier National park and Hood A cat-tail is a fuzzy plant; canal before returning to Salem. A dog-star is a planet bright;

Mrs. Edwin Sherwood is a A dog-wood is a tree; guest in Mill City. But doggone all these cats and

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. England of La Peer, Mich., are house guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. England, Of my girl, my love, my rose; who plan to be gone from their Overhead the stars are winkinghome for six weeks, are on an in- With, or at me, Heaven knows! teresting tour which will take Cascadia, on the river bank, where them as far south as Mexico. Mrs. they intend to build a summer Byrd and Mrs. England are for- A politician, when he eats, cottage for next season. Mr. and mer friends, who knew each other Prefers a single course;

> Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Price and children, Stanley and Jack, are home from a 10 days' vacation at

Mrs. N. C. Kafoury was hostess Tuesday afternoon for the first autumn meeting of St. Paul's become an annual September guild. The afternoon was spent Little drops of water, event, also that the Presbyterian in preparation for the cooked food Little drips of rye, church would thus be understood sale on Saturday and for the rum- Used to make a high-ball, a fire had never been known. All as the place for this recital, with mage sale and bazaar to come In the days gone by. The informal open house at the a fire had never been known. All as the place for this recitai, with one of Mr. and Mrs. Hai D. Pat- along were delightful camping Mrs. W. E. Anderson to sponsor later. Refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon. on tonight is being looked for sites with the fishing always good. the appearance of the young art- at the close of the afternoon. While the next regular meeting of the guild will not come until October 7, it was decided to call evening at the Chamber of Coma special meeting September 16 ill be in the nature of a surprise brought in in this manner. A from a summer's vacation spent for the continuation of the bazaar will be made for Defense day. The

> One of the attractive affairs honoring Miss Charlotte Zeiber prior to her departure for Northampton, Massachusetts, where she will enter finishing school, was the theater party and luncheon at which Miss Lenta Baumgartner was hostess.

> The group of guests included: Miss Charlotte Zeiber, Miss Eugenia Zeiber, Miss Margaret Stolz, Miss Ruth Griffith, Miss Nancy Thielsen, Miss Sarah Lansing, Miss Florence Jones, Miss Pauline Knowland and Miss Elizabeth Latham of Silverton.

> Mr. and Mrs. Guy T. Doan have returned to their home in Toledo after visiting over Labor day with Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Doan. Mrs. A. E. Rust of Nestlewood farm was also a guest at the Doan home, leaving yesterday.

For the first monthly meeting of the new season, a group of fifty members of the Woman's at Nye Beach. Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George H. Alden, 760 North Church street. The afternoon was also the occasion of the quarterly tea-meeting.

The opening devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. R. K. Ohling. As an introduction to the lesson of the day, Ponciano Tuanio, a student at Willamette university from the Philippines, talked interestingly on the subject of brotherhood, telling of the recently organized Cosmopolitan club as it is organized on the local

The lesson-hour was in charge of the hostess who gave a resume of the text, "Adventures in Brotherhood" by Dorothy Giles which will be used during the winter in conjunction with Robert Spears' book entitled, "Of One Blood."

With tea following the lesson study, the assisting hostesses for the afternoon included Mrs. F. L. Utter, Mrs. J. W, Beckley, and Mrs. Ray Smith. Mrs. J. W. Beckley and Mrs. R. K. Ohling

Miss Pauline Remington, after spending the summer at Cannon Beach, returned home Tuesday evening. Today Miss Remmington will leave for Redmond, Oregon, where she will be a member of the high school faculty, teaching hishigh school faculty, teaching his-tory and coaching dramatics. Miss Remington will be accompanied to Turck, who possesses millions, loves Portland by her mother, Mrs. J. A. to dress, to dance and to be with Remington, and brother, Frederic. Foung people.

SOCIAL CALENDAR Informal reception for Dr. Crane, 8 to 10 o'clock. Mr. and

Mrs. Hal D. Patton, hosts, 883 Court street. emerican Legion auxiliary. Chapter day. Chamber of Com-

hood. Mrs. B. J. Miles, hostess. Friday

First Congregational church Missionary society, Mrs. Vera ed to be guests. Shattuc, 1465 South Church

First Presbyterian church Missionary society. Church parlors. 2:30 o'clock. First Christian Church Mission-

ry society. Church parlors. Hal Hibbard auxiliary. Armory fternoon.

Saturday Cooked food sale. St. Paul's Guild. Piggly Wiggly store. Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. LaMoine Clark,

hostess. 2 o'clock.

John J. Printz left yesterday ic for Youngstown, Ohio. This is The members of Chapter G of from four to six weeks.

and Mrs. Frank Crawford. Plans were made for the meet-Chapter G of the PEO sister- ing of the chapter on Tuesday, Franklin read a group of five Ori-September 46, at which time members of the chapters from Amity the first, "A Midnight Song," havand McMinnville have been invit- ing been accepted for publication

> * * Professor and Mrs. Florian Von Eschen plan to leave today for a week's motor trip to southern Oregon. They will go immediately to Medford where they will be guests at the Oliver Rogers home. to Crater lake. On their way home Professor and Mrs. Von Es- Ferry street. chen will be guests of the Arthur Rogers home in Eugene.

hostess Tuesday evening for the spent a short vacation. first indoor meeting of the Modmorning over the Northern Pacif- ern Writers' club. Four stories, Smith, mother of Lieut, Lowell H. photograph was made at Los his first trip back in 16 years. were presented during the eve- planning to go as far south as La He will visit many friends and ning. The first, entitled "Spilt Jola. He will return home in relatives, planning to be gone Milk," written by Mrs. Ruth Far- time for registration, September

A large group from Chadwick second story, this one by Perry chapter of the Eastern Star open-Reigelman, was of a theatrical naed the fall season with a business ture. "The Wellspring" gave the meeting Tuesday evening. The title. A near-lynching scene furchapter room was decorated in an nished atmosphere for Miss Marie unusually beautiful manner with Roberts' story, "Tunnel Number mixed asters. These were from Two," while "The End of the the gardens of Mrs. Wayne Henry World," by Charles J. Lisle, was semi-historical.

In the way of poetry, Mrs. F. G. ental poems by Cedric V. Chang, in "Poets of the Future," a college anthology. J. R. De Spain read "Indian Summer," while Mrs. Emma Niemeyer changed seasons and read "The Glad New Year."

The next meeting of the club will be on Tuesday, September 16. During the week they plan a trip Dr. and Mrs. F. G. Franklin will be the hosts at their home on

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hunt, Georgia Hunt, Mrs. Gertrude Robison Ross, as- and Zelpha Walte, has just resisted by Mrs. Molly Brunk, was turned from Netarts where they

Joseph Nunn will leave today each of widely different plotting, for a vacation trip to California go, was a children's story. The 15, at Willamette university.

Here Is Dr. Frank Crane's Opinion of

Captain Blood

By RAFAEL SABATINI

Publication of this great romance by "the modern Dumas" begins in The Oregon Statesman on September 7.

"When a man recommends anything he likes to his friends, he is in danger of being a nuisance, whether the particular thing is a kind of smoking tobacco, a necktie, a brand of religion or a new book. At the same time, when one strikes something which pleases him immensely, it does not seem to be quite fair to keep it to himself.

"I read many books, swarms of them, galaxies of them, oodles of them. I am expected to read them, some because other people are reading them, some because I want to find out something in them, and some because I like them. The latter, however, are few. To come across a book that takes one by storm, holds him, fascinates him and gives him that rare intoxication that meets the inmost passion, is an event.

"Recently I went upon a long journey and spent many days upon the train and steamboat. Upon this journey I found a book. It was entitled 'Captain Blood,' by Rafael Sabatini. I read it, first languidly, then interestedly, and at last I went at it as a drunkard consumes his liquor or a child

"I passed it on to the other members of my family. Each read it and each was consumed by the same flame that had consumed me.

"I do not hesitate to say that this is the best story I have read since 'The Count of Monte Cristo.'

"I do not judge of it as literature. All I know of it is that it is good. swift, clean English. But it is not of its style that I would speak.

"It has something more than style, something rare, the rarest thing indeed I know of in writing. It has creative imagination.

"A magazine editor once said to me that he wished he could get hold of a good story every month, something in the best manner of Conan Doyle. I replied to him that his wishes were modest, and that he probably failed to realize that out of the billion or so population of the world there were probaby not more than three or four individuals who could create a story, a really fresh, vivid, gripping story.

"In 'Captain Blood' Sabatini has proved that he is one of these few.

"It is a story of bucaneering days in the Spanish main, one of the most romantic and adventurous epochs of the world. And the reader is taken into the atmosphere of the time, and is made to realize all its vivid charm, yet skillfully kept from being nauseated by its brutality.

"The best thing about it is that it is an imposing tale, a wonderful varn. The reader is not interested in its descriptions, in its literary values, in its English, in this or that; he is interested in Captain Blood, and before he gets through he is better acquainted with Captain Blood than he is with his neighbor who lives next door.

"Whether this is a recently published book or not, I have not taken the pains to inquire. All I know is that I have just read it and I count it one of the great books of the world.

"It took me out of myself. It opened a door through which I escaped from all the commonplace things of life. I am a thousand years old more or less, and it is very rare that one can tell me a story interesting enough to blot out all of my surroundings."

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