

SOCIETY

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AFTER TWO SHORT WEEKS with friends in both Salem and Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brassfield and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Brassfield left yesterday morning by motor for their homes in California. In Salem they were entertained as house-guests at the home of Mrs. E. C. Small, the mother of Mrs. Arthur Brassfield.

The visitors were entertained in numerous delightful ways. A week ago Wednesday the two Mrs. Brassfields were invited guests of Mrs. H. J. Clemens at a meeting of the Leisure Hour club. Over the past week-end Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Albert were hosts for a house-party at their mountain lodge at Medford. On Tuesday Mrs. E. C. Small and Mrs. T. G. Hopkins entertained for 20 at a buffet dinner in their home. Mrs. R. E. Lee Steiner and Mrs. George G. Brown added further to the pleasure of the fortnight. Mrs. Brown's compliment was in the form of an informal afternoon tea on Thursday at which a group of those who knew Mrs. Arthur Brassfield during her earlier residence in Salem were bidden.

Such large interest has followed announcements of the dance recital which will be given by the pupils of Miss Lenore Preston on Wednesday evening that it has been necessary in order to accommodate all those who have received invitations to hold the affair in St. Joseph's auditorium.

The Parrish Junior High school will hold "open house" next Thursday afternoon and evening, in the afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock and in the evening from 7 to 9. Work from all departments of the school will be on exhibit. Those interested, from all parts of the city, are invited for the extensive affair.

All members of the American Legion auxiliary are asked to meet at 1:30 o'clock in Marion Square for the Memorial parade.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bishop will motor to Portland today where they will join Mr. and Mrs. Eric Mite for a trip to Underwood. There they will be guests of Mrs. Mair's sister, Mrs. Mary Packard. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop will return home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mayer are leaving today by motor for their summer home at Mackenzie Bridge where they will be domiciled for the coming weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hixson of Seio will be house-guests (all Sunday evening) of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cleveland.

The GAR Memorial day exercises will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Armory. The speaker for the afternoon will be Representative W. C. Hawley. The Sons of Veterans quartet will give various numbers and Mrs. Hallie Parrish Hinges will sing appropriate songs. Rev. F. W. Taylor, pastor of the First Methodist church, will read Lincoln's Gettysburg address. This is only a part of the program which promises to be pleasurable and instructive.

The rehabilitation committee of the American Legion auxiliary wish to extend their thanks to those who donated money or supplies by which we were enabled to make the hospital supplies completed. We also wish to thank those women who worked so faithfully making the articles. The completed articles have been sent to the Veterans' hospital in Portland.

At the closing session of the state FEQ convention in Oregon City new officers were elected as follows:

Miss Marthine Grimsby of Portland, president; Mrs. A. Mabel Simkins of McMinnville, first vice president and chairman of the state educational fund; Mrs. Mattie Bodine, second vice president and chairman of the state welfare and trust fund; Miss Jessie Mickey of Portland, organizer; Mrs. Amy O. Welch of Portland, recording secretary; Mrs. Maude B. Gooler of Klamath Falls, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Agnes Kelly of Medford, treasurer.

The following delegates to go from the Oregon chapter to the supreme chapter in Minneapolis in 1926 were elected: Mrs. Jessie Patterson of Portland, Mrs. Winifred Wood of Portland, Mrs. Beta Hall of Woodburn, Selma Cum-

ptions have been issued for the affair which will take place at 10 o'clock Thursday morning at St. Joseph's Catholic church.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Roberts, Miss Margaret Rodgers, and Carl Gabrielson were among a party of Salem people motoring to Albany for the Country dance this week.

The Bethel Dorcas club met on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Hain. Plans were made at this time for an all day picnic sometime in June. At the short program which was given, Mrs. Art Johnson gave a musical number, Mrs. Ida Baker, a reading, and Mrs. Mattie a reading. At a shower held Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Cass Nichols was honored with many lovely gifts. Spring flowers were used in decorating the rooms. At the tea hour the hostess was assisted by Mrs. Harry Boles and Mrs. John Hain.

Mrs. Anna V. Robbins is home after a ten days' vacation at Newport. She stopped in Corvallis as the guest of her daughter, Miss Danta Robbins.

Officers were elected in the Salem Teachers' association for the coming year as follows: Miss Lela Reed of the McKinley staff, president; Miss Lillian Schroeder, first vice president; Mrs. Cathryn Bates, Grant; second vice president; Miss Grace Allen, Park; secretary; Miss Dorothy Taylor, Parrish junior high; financial secretary, F. E. Lord, Parrish junior high; treasurer, U. S. Dotson, Park; press correspondent, Miss Ruth Stearns, Garfield.

Building representatives named are as follows: senior high school Miss Anne Towe; Parrish junior high, Miss Harriett Peat; McKinley school, Mrs. Nell Boege; Highland, Mrs. Nicholine Welbon; Grant school, Miss Gladys Toul; Englewood school, Mrs. Clara Carlson; Richmond, Mrs. Grace Zoss; Park school, Mrs. Gladys Mills; Mrs. Ermine B. Fawk, Lincoln school; Garfield, Mrs. B. Duncan.

Major-General Kenzie W. Walker, chief of finances of the United States, of Washington, D. C., was the interesting visitor of his brother, Dr. W. H. Walker, over the past week-end.

The Writers' club will meet on Tuesday, June 2, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Lisle, 1041 South Thirteenth street.

The two plays which the Junior Standard Bearers of the First Methodist church are preparing for presentation on Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock at the church were presented this week for the pleasure of the residents of the Old People's Home who were especially pleased both with the missionary drama and the breezy three-act comedy, "In the Air."

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. U. C. Shipley will be interested to know that they have moved to their attractive new home at 148 E. Washington street.

Dean and Mrs. George H. Alden are planning an extensive trip through the middle west which they will make by motor leaving Salem soon after commencement. Dean and Mrs. Alden will probably be gone a large part of the summer.

Miss Lois Wheeler, who has arrived in Salem from Los Angeles to spend the summer, was the inspiration for one of the most attractive social events of the week when on Thursday evening at her home Miss Florence Cartwright entertained with a dance. Banks of wild roses, and Scotch broom were used in the rooms, with pink shaded lights and candles.

Wayne Allen, who is home on vacation from a successful season in Los Angeles where he has been playing at the Cinderella Roof, captivated the guests with the music of the evening.

Those participating in the festive dance which was followed with a delicious buffet supper were:

Mr. and Mrs. Breyman Boise, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Deckerbach, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Brazier Small, Major and Mrs. T. E. Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Slater, Miss Marie Briggs, Miss Gladys Currie, Miss Louise Peterson, Miss Dorothy Patterson, the honor guest, Miss Lois Wheeler, the hostess, Miss Florence Cartwright, and Messrs. Arthur Ross, Frank Durbin, Eugene Gill, George Stearns of Eugene, Theron Hoover, and LeRoy Gard.

One of the most attractive of the weddings planned for early June will be that on next Thursday, June 4, when Miss Louise Healy will become the bride of Mr. Eugene F. Gratton of Portland. A large number of invita-

DINNER STORIES

Two youthful gentlemen called at the stage door and took out two of the youngest and prettiest chorus misses. The routine of putting a good deal of greenbacks back into circulation was being duly gone through.



"Would you believe it," suddenly asked one of the gentlemen, "we are father and son?"

"That's quite all right," answered one of the chorines, "we are grandmother and granddaughter!"

In a certain part of Alabama a colored pastor had made himself extremely unpopular with his congregation. When his unpopularity was at its height, the time for the annual election of preachers came around. The reverend called his flock together:

"Brethren and sisters," said he, "all who want me for their pastor for another year will please say 'I'."

No one wished him back, so consequently there was a death-like silence. However, the pastor was not daunted. He waited for a moment and then cried:

"Ah, but silence gives consent. 'I see your pastor another year.'"

"Dirty Shirt," Dan came riding down the main street of Cactus in a cloud of dust. He was riding a panther with a cactus saddle, a wild cat was under his left arm, and he was beating the panther with a rattlesnake. He dismounted with a flourish in front of July & August's, swaggered in and belovied in a loud voice: "Gimme me favorite drink; iye sulphuric acid, a couple o' shots o' arsenic and some nitroglycerine."

He downed his drink with a gulp.

"Where do you come from?" quavered the barkeep.

"Aw," said "Dirty Shirt," "I come from up on the hills. The tough guys run me out."

PACIFIC CITY CALLING

MANY WILL MAKE DRIVE TO COAST MEMORIAL DAY

Eighty miles from Salem, the Pacific City beach is calling to a number of people who plan a future.

A short week-end outing over Decoration day. An open air concert is planned for the afternoon with a big dance offered at night.

During the winter a new hotel and a large number of cottages and tent houses have been constructed, giving ample assurance that visitors will be well taken care of. There is also a spacious auto camp grounds with pure water from the mountains.

For those who desire, there is plenty of fishing, bathing, boating clam and crab fishing and many fine walks all within a short distance of the main resort and a few minutes from the center of Pacific City.

PREMIER'S BROTHER DIES
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., May 29.—Thomas Lomas, 74, half-brother of Premier John Oliver, died here today. He was a farmer in the Burquitlam district.

POULTRY CONVENTION SOUGHT FOR OREGON

CONVENTION FOR 1926 IS WANTED FOR PORTLAND

Men Interested in Industry Being Asked to Contribute to Expense Fund

Plans are being worked out by prominent Oregon poultrymen, headed by W. C. Conner of the Northwest Poultry Journal, to bring the annual national convention of the American Poultry Association to Portland next year. Only two Pacific coast cities have ever been honored with this great convention, San Francisco, during the Pan-American exposition, and Seattle three years ago. Last year this annual convention went to Toronto, Canada, and this year it will be held at Des Moines, Iowa. As a result of this convention, with its prominent delegates from every state, including poultry experiment station experts and all of the editors of poultry and pet stock magazines of the country, much benefit is derived by the convention, city and state in the way of free advertising and promotion of this great poultry industry. The Puget Sound country and its poultrymen are still being held in the limelight by those eastern and middle western editors who attended the Seattle convention with its trips of inspection to all of the greatest poultry plants of that district, including the Puyallup Poultry experiment station. Orders to the amount of thousands of dollars have been received for Washington poultry stock from the east and middle west as a direct result of the Seattle convention, and that state was put on the poultry map to stay put along with California.

Now, it is up to Oregon to get into the limelight in the same way by bringing this great poultrymen's national convention to Portland in 1926.

The national officers and directors have expressed themselves favorable to Portland for the 1926 convention, and Judge Harry H. Collier, of Tacoma, American Poultry association director for the ninth district, comprising the Pacific coast states and Hawaii, says Portland can have this national convention in 1926 if the Oregon poultrymen want it and will pledge the required \$2000 to defray the expense of this convention. All Oregon poultrymen consulted are enthusiastic for this convention and the necessary committees are being appointed to go after it in earnest.

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ARMY MORE OPTIMISTIC

DRIVE PROGRESSING AND QUOTA NEARLY REACHED

The Salvation Army is just two-thirds over the top in the efforts to secure funds, with which to carry on the work in this city for the coming year, according to the report of Ensign William Sagert. Practically \$800 is needed to finish the quota, which will give the organization here a sufficient sum over the \$300 deficiency, which they met last year. They are optimistic in their viewpoint, however, and fully expect to get matters across during the coming week.

Accused as Briber in Shepherd Trial



A Chicago grand jury is probing charges of attempted bribery in the trial of William D. Shepherd, alleged "germ murderer." James N. Callan (above) is being held as a result of the statement of Philip Barry that Callan offered him money to serve as a juror.

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Industrial demonstrations will be open to the public from 10 o'clock Thursday morning until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. At 2 o'clock the baseball team meets the Oregon State Normal school nine.

Students taking part in the musical comedy, "Paul Revere," are Grace Peterson, Raymond Haldane, Edna Audette, Reno Booth, Anna Peratrovich, Jacob Atkins, George Flach, Louis Dupuis, Nicholas Stepetin, Agatha Crouch, Clifford McLeod and Hilda Chamberlain.

Special numbers include a fashion show, the costumes being made by the girls of the domestic art classes; a Highland fling by Mabel Peratrovich and Dosofey Merculleff and a special dance by Miss Peratrovich. Choruses of soldiers, girls and loyalists will be offered.

WEATHER GODS FOUND TO HAVE CONSPIRED

EVERYBODY IS LOSER EXCEPT UMBRELLA DEALERS

Rain Torrents Cause Hundreds to Scurry to Shelter From Heavy Deluge

The gods of the weather were successful in a dark conspiracy against Salem people yesterday. Only one class of citizens, the umbrella dealers, regarded the day as anything except a total loss. Lightning, rain, and hail displayed remarkable teamwork in successfully ruining new bonnets and taking the crease out of gent's suits.

In a burst of hail and rain that broke early in the afternoon, hundreds were sent scurrying for any possible shelter. One in ten, perhaps, carried an umbrella. The rain continued persistently for about two hours, and then was broken by a ray of sunshine.

Hundreds of people then flocked from their shelter in a rush for street cars to take them home. Lightning took the stage then, and with one mighty crash, ren-

dered the street cars temporarily useless as public carriers. Repairs in the power house made under severe conditions, placed the Commercial street line in operation after an hour, but the other system was delayed much longer. Following the lightning, a terrific downpour started that once more filled doorways and stores with rain-soaked people. It was then that umbrella merchants disposed of their surplus stock as women, downtown shopping for Memorial day, realized that the only way they could get home to make further preparations for the day, was to walk.

Curbs were filled with water throughout the city, as a result of the unusually heavy rain.

TRAPPER IS NOT FOUND

WILLIAMS LAKE, B. C., May 29.—A searching party, headed by Hugh Hughes, special police officer at 100-Mile House, returned from the Timothy mountain country today following a two weeks' fruitless quest for George Bowers, a trapper, who has been missing since December. This is the third party of searchers who sought Bowers in vain. He disappeared December 15, with a heavy pack for his trap pack-line.



MEMORIAL DAY

Through the hushed music of our devotions today comes the faint clamor of forgotten guns.

Those guns once menaced our country, our homes, ourselves, but heroes stood between.

Young lives laid down at Gettysburg, on San Juan Hill and in the Argonne, paid for our peace and liberty—

This is the day for remembering.



MEMORIAL DAY

THEY died that we might live in peace and contentment. Honor them today with your tribute to the memories you love and cherish.

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