

SOCIETY

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THE ATTRACTIVE SUMMER garden of Mrs. William Ever Anderson on Court street was the scene of a delightful affair today when the Mrs. Dowell entertained with a sister tea. Present were Mrs. Dorothy Mrs. Lucille Ross, Miss Emma and Miss Iva on a table under the light posts to the block, clustered deep with vari-colored lights; and topped by three "flaming torch" globes in emblems. The decorations of the flag combined with the black and white of the K. T. in the "sky-scraper" district was impressive beyond words. On top of the forty-story L. C. Smith building was an immense cross; and crowning the tower on the new Olympic hotel was a jeweled cross, the one from the San Francisco exposition which, since, had not been in use. Upon this, huge wreaths played, making it distinctly visible for miles and miles out on the Sound; and from the big plant of the electric company other wreaths played in rainbow combination, and in red, white and blue. It needs no words of mine to give you an idea of the splendid illuminations these gave—beautiful beyond description. So the Knights had good reason to marvel (as they did) at the results.

Miss Garfield plans to remain in Seattle until the first of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Kirk spent the week-end at Neskowin. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burns and

Miss Edna Garfield who is spending her vacation in Seattle are interestingly, in a letter to P. W. Brown, of the Knights Templar Conclave which was published by a large number of Salem people.

Excerpts continue as follows: "This was the most elaborate convention they ever had at any convention and their enthusiasm knew no bounds over the city's 'old hand' and the really magnificent decorations everywhere. The electrical engineer of the conclave also of the San Francisco exposition and I have never seen more beautiful results anywhere. In addition to Seattle being considered the best lighted city in the United States, its capacity was unlimited, and the decorative scheme was bewilderingly beautiful. For the Knight Templar emblemation furnished forth, by eight extra

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SOCIAL CALENDAR TODAY

Ice Cream Social. Ladies Aid Society of the Christ Lutheran church. Mrs. L. C. Hockett, 1003 N. Commercial street.

The Ever Ready Birthday Club. Mrs. T. W. Hall, 1496 Ferry street. Hostess. Pot-luck dinner.

Young Married People's club of the First Presbyterian church. Hager's grove.

Thursday
Sewing society of Woman's Relief corps. Mrs. I. L. McAdams, 245 D street, hostess.

Annual Scotch picnic. Fairgrounds.

Mrs. C. A. Nye and daughter, Miss Doris Nye, are guests in Centralia of Mrs. Nye's daughter, Mrs. F. W. Schwab. They will take a trip to Mount Rainier before returning to Salem.

Miss Beatrice Walton and Miss Vivian Hargrove are in Vancouver, B. C. for ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Irwin are enjoying an outing at Neah-kanie. They are domiciled at Cain's place.

Mrs. George E. Dorcas and Mrs. Louis Lachmund returned Monday night from a vacation at Neskowin.

Rev. and Mrs. Erskine of Jefferson were dinner guests on Sunday of Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Launer.

The many friends of Dr. Fred H. Thompson will be glad to learn that he plans to arrive in Salem this month after three months of clinical research abroad. Dr. Thompson sailed for the states last Saturday, taking passage on the Aquitania, one of the largest American liners. Dr. Thompson will probably reach Salem the 25th of August.

Miss Mayme Homyer, bride-elect, was recently honored at a shower given for her by Miss Bessie Smith and the Misses Oehler at the home of Mrs. Smith. The evening was pleasantly spent in viewing the many beautiful gifts received by the honor guest. Those present were: Miss Homyer, Mrs. Wm. Erlon, Mrs. Carl Armstrong, Mrs. H. Albers, Mrs. C. Homyer, Mrs. Fred Thompson, Mrs. Clifford Townsend, Mrs. A. F. Homyer, Mrs. W. J. Lee, Mrs. Wm. Krueger, Mrs. Leon Barwick, Mrs. Albert Vicks, Mrs. A. Oehler, Mrs. H. Tasto, Mrs. Arnold Krueger, Mrs. Lester Franklin, Miss Maude Herron, Miss Ruth Edwards, Miss Tillie Allen, Misses Selma, Irma, Gertrude, Clara and Frieda Oehler, Miss Clara Homyer, Misses Bessie and Florence Franklin, and Miss Bessie Smith.

Miss Homyer's marriage to Mr. Elton H. Thompson will be an event of early next month.

Miss Barbara Riesen of Hillsboro is the house guest this week of Salem friends.

The sewing society of the Woman's Relief corps will meet at the home of Mrs. I. L. McAdams, 245 D street Thursday afternoon, August 13. All members are asked to bring their own work. Members of the GAR and friends of the members are invited.

Mrs. Frederick Hill Thompson and children, David and Peggy, are home from a ten day vacation at Seaside.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bishop returned home Monday evening from Newport and Nye Creek, having motored over on Friday. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bishop were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hal D. Patton at Agate Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Roberts and two daughters, Miss Helen Roberts and Miss Mildred Roberts, accompanied by Mrs. J. Shelley Saurman, are on a ten day motor trip to Vancouver, B. C. They plan to return home late this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Zadoc Riggs and Mrs. Waller left earlier in the week for a ten day vacation at Seaside.

Browning Secures Anulment Papers in Wide-heralded Mary Spas Case



Millionaire declares he will never "adopt another child." This close-up shows Mr. Browning and his new foster-daughter for a week. Mary's sunny smile and sweet disposition, Mr. Browning

committee, of which Miss Mame Zeigleman, first vice president, is chairman. The choice of a national federation pin or its equivalent in money, if preferred, goes as a prize to the winner of the contest, the selection of the most desirable and suitable name being left to the decision of the state bulleta committee, which is composed of the chairman, and the following members, one from each of the 12 federated clubs: Astoria, Mrs. Margaret Hubler; Coos Bay, Mrs. Alice Maloney; Corvallis, Miss Marie Hollister; The Dalles, Miss Dora Sexton; Eugene, Miss Mosselle Hairy; Hood River, Mrs. Susie Lynn; Klamath Falls, Mrs. Zella Jones; Medford, Miss Jane E. Olson; Portland II, and P. W. club, Mrs. Pearl Baldwin; Portland Women's Advertising club, Mrs. Celeste Harris; Roseburg, Miss Grace E. Taylor; Salem, Miss Rosalia Keher.

The contest, which started on August 1 and closes September 20, is open to all members of the state federation, each being permitted to submit two names, which should be sent direct to Miss Zeigleman at 315 Platt building, Portland.

Sunset Orchard, the lovely country home of Mrs. N. E. Gunnell was an attractive place last Sunday when Mrs. Gunnell and Miss Kathryn Gunnell entertained informally for a group of friends from Salem and Portland. Dinner was served on the lawn at 3 o'clock with covers placed for ten. Sweet peas and Golden-rod in a crystal basket centered the table and a profusion of summer flowers was arranged about the yard and porches. Later little five year old Merlyn J. Gunnell on his Shetland pony delighted the guests with stunts and a demonstration of his horsemanship.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Kietzing and children, Harold and Dorothea returned home yesterday from a week-end in Grants Pass and at the Oregon Caves.

The committee in charge of the picnic for the Young Married Peoples' club, of the First Presbyterian church, has announced that in case it rains this (Wednesday) afternoon the picnic which is planned, instead of Hager's Grove, will be held in the church parlors. However, the committee is going ahead with plans to serve the lunch at the picnic grounds promptly at 6:15. Club members are reminded to bring a covered dish and own table service.

BERRY VENDOR IN COURT
BOXES ALLEGED NOT TO CONFORM WITH RULING
There is a law in Oregon that provides that strawberries be sold to the public in standard size boxes. But that law does not state that the boxes must be full when sold. This was the grounds on which a demurrer was issued in the complaint against H. T. Terrill, and was sustained by Brasier C. Small, justice of the peace. Terrill was charged with "unlawfully selling produce (strawberries) in less than the quantity represented." A demurrer was filed, declaring that the fruit had been sold in standard size boxes and that was all that was required by the law.

Under the statute it was mandatory on Justice Small to sustain the demurrer. The case came up in the justice court yesterday afternoon.

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In addition to these dump actors there are whole troupes and groups of funny old bears, seals and sea-lions, fox terriers, collie dogs, geese, pigs and Shetland ponies.

DEATH FACED CALMLY
SIMMONS DIES FOR MURDER; INNOCENCE PROTESTED
LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 11.—(By Associated Press.)—Protesting his innocence to the end, Walter R. Simmons, former Montana cowboy, deputy sheriff and baseball player was electrocuted at the Nebraska state penitentiary early today for the murder of Frank Paul, a garage man of Spencer, Neb.

Just before Simmons walked to the chair he gave out the following statement to the press: "There are but a few moments left. There is a life hereafter, and if I were leaving this world with a lie upon my tongue I wouldn't have the chance that I would have if I told the truth. Realizing it to be true above all things, I can only say that I am innocent. I am speaking without prejudice against anyone. All is forgiven by me, and I ask forgiveness of you if such is possible."

After the electrocution former Judge E. P. Holmes, his chief counsel, said he would continue his hunt for the "slayer of Frank Paul." He said that "an innocent man" was electrocuted this morning.

IMMIGRATION IS DEBATED
LATIN-AMERICAN DELEGATES TO MEET AT CONVENTION
WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—(By The Associated Press.)—Attempts will be made at meetings of American, Mexican and other labor union officials here August 27 to solve the Mexican immigration problem and to plan an intensive campaign for expansion of labor organizations throughout Latin America.

The American conference has been summoned by William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor. Among those invited to attend are Luis N. Morales, secretary of commerce and labor under President Calles who is regarded as one of the most authoritative spokesmen for Mexican labor, and Edwardo Mondra, general secretary of the Mexican regional government.

Spanish Warrior Baroness Avers U.S. Has World's Only Free Women



The only women in the world who are really free live in the United States, believes the Baroness de Alcahal, famous Spanish woman warrior, who is now touring the country, studying her Yankee sisters. The Baroness was a commissioned officer in the Spanish army in Morocco, and actually participated in fighting. A fact that is attested by medals awarded her by King Alfonso for bravery in action.

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PORTLAND, Aug. 11.—Grain futures: Wheat, hard white, blue stem, Beart, August \$1.55; September \$1.54; soft white, August \$1.55; September \$1.54; western white, August \$1.55; September \$1.54; hard winter, August \$1.55; September \$1.54; northern spring, August \$1.53; September \$1.52; western red, August \$1.48; September \$1.47; BBB hard white, August \$1.55; September \$1.54.

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