

Society News and Club Affairs

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Interesting Original Program for Alliance

The Women's Alliance of the First Unitarian church will hold its regular monthly luncheon and program Friday, in the Emerson room of the church.

The luncheon is announced for one o'clock by the committee, Mrs. G. H. Littlefield, Mrs. Fred Alban, Well and Mrs. Zero Polaire.

Following the luncheon, Mrs. J. M. Clifford will present a program of original work consisting of songs, given by Mrs. Truma Huston, soloist, accompanied by Mrs. F. O. Brantley.

The Alliance invites all those who may be interested to attend both luncheon and program. Reservations for the luncheon may be made by telephoning any one of the committee.

Mrs. Clifford has just been awarded first prize in a feature story contest in the magazine "The Writer." This was her first attempt at prose.

Family Dinner Event At Gray Belle

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Peterson and daughters were entertained at a 6:30 o'clock dinner at the Gray Belle on Friday evening by Iva B. Reed, Caroline Nerod and Bessie Donaldson.

Covers were placed for the honored guests, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Peterson and daughters, Jean and Peggie, Mrs. Jean S. Singleton, Lora Parker, Effie Grimes, Iva B. Reed, Caroline Nerod and Bessie Donaldson.

Chemawa—Another one of the pleasant series of teas which are being given by Mrs. J. T. Ryan during the school term for all the women on the campus was held at the practice house between 4 and 5 o'clock Monday afternoon. Special guests at this tea were Mrs. Ruth Bronson and Mrs. A. T. Neff of Washington, D. C.

Kingwood—Mrs. A. L. Applewhite entertained Thursday afternoon her guests being members of the Laurel Social hour club. Mrs. Glenn L. Adams presided at the business session and Mrs. B. B. Flack, in charge of recreational features, introduced guessing games.

Dallas—Mrs. Earle Richardson and Mrs. Charles Watson were joint hostesses at a benefit card party held at the Richardson home Thursday night. Four tables of bridge were in play with high honors going to Mrs. Clifford Helgeson and Mr. Virgil Bolton.

Miss Eugenia and Miss Wilda Slegmund assisted by Mrs. Louise Loveland, will entertain the members of the Past Noble Grand's association at the W. M. Slegmund home, 1296 Lee street, Wednesday.

Miss Myra Wicklander in training in the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland is a weekend guest in Salem.

Mrs. Norman Kenny entertained with bridge at her home Friday afternoon.

DENHEM BETTER TURNER, March 12.—Mrs. Denhem has been seriously ill the home of Mrs. W. J. Denhem, for two weeks with complications following an attack of the flu. Some improvement is shown since an operation on his ears Wednesday. Mrs. Ada Mathias, who has been seriously ill, shows slight improvement.

AT CONVENTION JEFFERSON, March 12.—Mrs. E. F. Powell, Mrs. Lee Wells, Mrs. Hugh Blyden, Mrs. C. Pratt, Mrs. Robert Terhune, Mrs. Chas. Hart, Mrs. Harry Kessler, and Mrs. W. W. Warner attended the Missionary convention held at the Albany Christian church Friday.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

"The Official System" as Adopted by Leading Authorities By E. V. SHEPARD

The Luck of the Game.

What your opponents do, or which way you happen to take a finesse, often decides the score. Sometimes in duplicate games and team matches luck may count more than skill. Even a large number of hands played in a match between two pairs may fail to give equal cards to the competing sides. You can not beat the cards, although skill counts heavily in contract. The hands below were played in a recent duplicate game with quite different scores at various tables. Luck counted in play more than skill.

AK7 Q10862 K8 KJ10 1096532 3 Q532 Q8 A Q J K 4 5 432 84 A975 A10 A976

Some players in Z's position bid no-trump, and some passed, but at all tables Y became declarer, and hearts were trumps. Some pairs bid 4-Hearts, some 6-Hearts, and four pairs played at 6-Hearts. Two of these high bidders were doubled, and two of them escaped without a double.

In a few cases the opening lead of the 2 of diamonds caused A's Q to be captured, and took all guess out of the play. Y could not fail to make his small slam with such an opening.

In most instances the opening lead was the 4 of clubs. That also gave Y his contract without difficulty.

Mr. R. F. McIntyre, Mrs. and Mrs. Horace J. Thomas are spending the weekend in Kelso and Longview, Wash., with W. H. Sibbald, brother of Mrs. McIntyre.

Henry W. Lehman and Mrs. Frances Shepherd were quietly married in Vancouver, B. C., Wednesday, according to report which has reached Salem.

Miss Marcum Bride of O. D. Stephenson

Jefferson—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marcum was the scene of a pretty wedding Thursday night at 8 o'clock, when Miss Ethel Katherine Marcum became the bride of Oliver D. Stephenson, Rev. Fletcher Galloway, pastor of the Salem Nazarene church officiating using the simple rite ceremony. The bride and groom were unattended. The nuptial vows took place before an arch entwined with pink and white streamers, with ferns and a palm for background.

The bride, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marcum, was lovely in white, and carried a bouquet of mixed flowers. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Stephenson of the Red Star service station, and both he and Mrs. Stephenson are popular among the younger set. Following the ceremony, light refreshments were served by Mrs. Ira Ellis, Dorothy Marcum, Emily Marcum, Louise Bernison and Della Stephenson. Mrs. Mary Powell baked the lovely wedding cake.

The next day the happy couple left on a short motor trip, after which they will make their home on the groom's father's place.

Those present for the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. H. Marcum, the bride's parents, Dorothy, Leonard, Ruby and Earl Marcum, brothers and sisters of the bride; Mrs. M. S. Stephenson, mother of the groom; Lester and Della Stephenson, brother and sister of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Stephenson, and children Lorraine, Dorothy, Donald and Kenneth; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith and son Junior; Mrs. Mary Powell, all of Jefferson; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Buranson and daughter, Louise of Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. Wakefield of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Marcum and daughter, Emily of Forest Grove; Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Ellis and daughters, Emily and Lela of St. Helens, and Rev. Fletcher Galloway of Salem.

AMATEUR THIEVES GET \$35 IN GOODS

SALEM HEIGHTS, March 12.—Thieves forced entrance to the Salem Heights Purty store Friday night and stole a quantity of goods roughly estimated to be worth \$35. It is thought the robbery occurred in the early part of the evening, while nearly everyone in this vicinity was attending the spring opening in town.

It is also believed to be the work of young boys, judging by the kind of goods stolen. Tobacco, cigarettes mostly, was taken in quantity as was candy and cookies. Several pounds of cheese is also among the known articles stolen. John Winters, manager of the store, is having the stock inventoried to determine the exact loss.

The thieves entered the store through the front door, apparently prying and breaking the lock with a large screw-driver, which was left behind with other evidence of a hurried exit. A night light is always left burning in the store.

Elsworth Family Goes to Portland Where He Has Job

LYONS, March 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elsworth left for Portland Tuesday, where Mr. Elsworth has secured work for a short time. Their small son, who is in school,

remained here with his grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, Mrs. Elsworth will also visit with friends at Forest Grove, before returning home.

Mrs. E. D. Crabtree, who has been ill and under a trained nurse's care for the past two weeks is sufficiently improved to the extent of getting along without the nurse since yesterday. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. Grace Elofford is now helping care for Mrs. Crabtree.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vaughn went to Salem on a combined business and pleasure trip today. The Vaughns own an apartment house in the city and were in town looking after business interests connected with the apartments.

A. VanVolkenberg In Hospital Here; J. Wilsons Moving

PLEASANT VIEW, March 12.—A Van Volkenberg was taken to the Deaconess hospital in Salem Thursday. He is suffering from an attack of tonsillitis and influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and family, who have been living on the J. C. Morris place near the Cloverdale school, moved to Portland, the latter part of the week, where Mr. Wilson will be employed in a sawmill.

Mrs. Frank Neal from Oak Ridge is looking after property interests here and at Marion. She is also visiting at the homes of her sister and brother, Mrs. A. J. Miller and Frank Cook.

DRAZDOOS FUNERAL SLATED FOR TODAY

INDEPENDENCE, March 12.—Funeral services will be held at the home farm of P. M. Drazdoos at 3 p. m. Sunday afternoon for Mr. Drazdoos who died Friday at the age of 64. Interment will be in the L. O. O. F. cemetery at Buena Vista.

Russians in the neighborhood will be in charge of the service. The Drazdoos family resides on the Cleave Prater place at Buena Vista.

Drazdoos was born in Russia and came to Peoria, Oregon, 20 years ago. Subsequently he lived in California for a few years, returning to the Independence territory ten years ago. He married 43 years ago and his wife, Dora Egors, survives him, along with five children. Paul who lives in Canada, and John, Grace, Leo and Anna who live at home. One sister and one brother survive.

Mrs. Manning Called By Mother's Illness

GERVAIS, March 11.—Mrs. S. D. Manning was called to Portland Wednesday because of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Mary McClard. Mrs. McClard fell on the steps at Calvary Tabernacle in December and has been losing strength since that time. Due to her advanced age slight hopes are entertained for her recovery. She is 84 years old.

Word from Fred Ferschweiler, who is in a Portland hospital following a fall from a tree at his home last Thursday is that he is recovering as rapidly as could be expected. X-rays taken Monday and Tuesday showed that he had a dislocated rib and shoulder and an injury to his lung.

Woman's Community Club at Shaw Has Social Afternoon

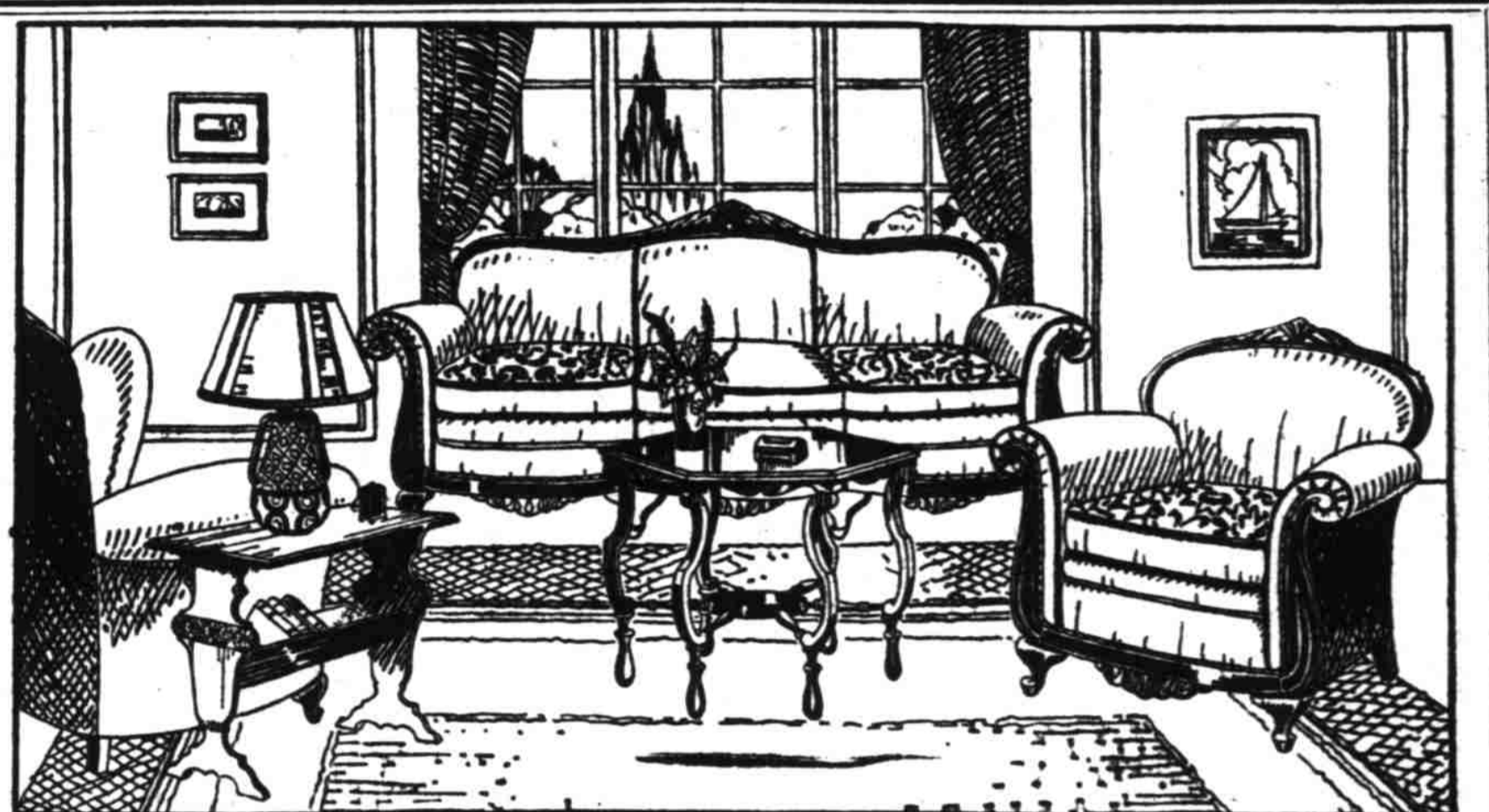
SHAW, March 12.—The Woman's Community club met at the home of Mrs. Joe Perry Thursday afternoon with the time spent in sewing and social conversation.

Members present were Mrs. Ed Gilbert and children Harold and Dorothy, Mrs. Fred Gilbert and children Georgia and Freddie, Mrs. Ed Coffin, Mrs. Jas. Sherman and daughter Yvonne, Mrs. John Battiner, Mrs. William Berg, Miss Amanda Mathews, Mrs. Elton Brownwell, Mrs. Ed Amort and granddaughter, Patricia Burghart and the hostess, Mrs. Jas. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pickell and daughter Yvonne, who have been employed in Marshfield the past year have returned to their home near Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Humphrey who were married recently have moved in their farm near Shaw. Extensive improvements have been made on the place.

HUBBARD, March 12.—Dorothy Scholl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Scholl, has been ill since last Friday. Three weeks ago she was seriously ill with throat complications. Dorothy is a senior in Hubbard high school.



SLAUGHTER SALES

are often carried on more in name than in reality. Our policy has always been to give extremely good values in our sales, and at this time we are offering a number of high grade Davenport, Overstuffed Chairs, Dining Suites and Bedroom Suites at about half their real values. This is done to clear our floors of a number of pieces and put cash in the till.

Here Are Some of the Offerings--

Living Room Furniture

- \$195 Mohair Davenport \$122.50
- \$189 Mohair Davenport 115.00
- \$129 Mohair Davenport 99.50
- \$257 Tapestry Davenport 169.00
- \$185 Tapestry Davenport 110.00
- \$175 Tapestry Davenport 109.50
- \$195 Shadow Warp Dav. 99.50
- \$152 Mohair Davenport 85.00
- \$185 Rohan Velour Dav. 109.50
- \$119 Tapestry Davenport 79.50
- \$150 Damask Davenport 79.50
- \$79.50 Mohair Davenport 59.50
- \$59.50 Mohair Davenport 39.00
- \$49 Velour Davenport 29.50

Bedroom Furniture

- \$320 Berkey & Gay, Walnut. \$199.00 (See Window)
 - \$320 Berkey & Gay, Chestnut 160.00
 - \$420 Berkey & Gay, Walnut. 210.00
 - \$248 Berkey & Gay, Maple.... 130.00
 - \$170 Ripple Maple Suite 99.50
 - \$330 Louis XV Suite 175.00 (6 Pieces, Twin Beds, Enamel)
 - \$234 Walnut Suite 165.00 (Twin Beds, 6 Pieces)
- Many Other Suites, Ranging in Price from \$99 Down to \$39.50 for 3 Pieces

Dining Room Furniture

- 8-Piece Berkey & Gay Walnut Suite, was \$459, sale price \$275.00
 - \$287.50 8-Piece Walnut Suite, Buffet, 5 Chairs, Arm Chair, Table \$175.00
 - \$156 Walnut Suite, Buffet, 5 Chairs, Arm Chair and Table \$97.50
 - \$133 Walnut Suite, Buffet, 5 Chairs, Arm Chair and Table \$92.50
 - \$127 Walnut Suite, Buffet, 5 Chairs, Arm Chair and Table \$92.50
 - \$89 Walnut Suite, Buffet, 5 Chairs, Arm Chair and Table \$76.50
 - \$87.50 Walnut Suite, Buffet, 5 Chairs, Arm Chair and Table \$69.50
- Other Suites Ranging Lower in Price

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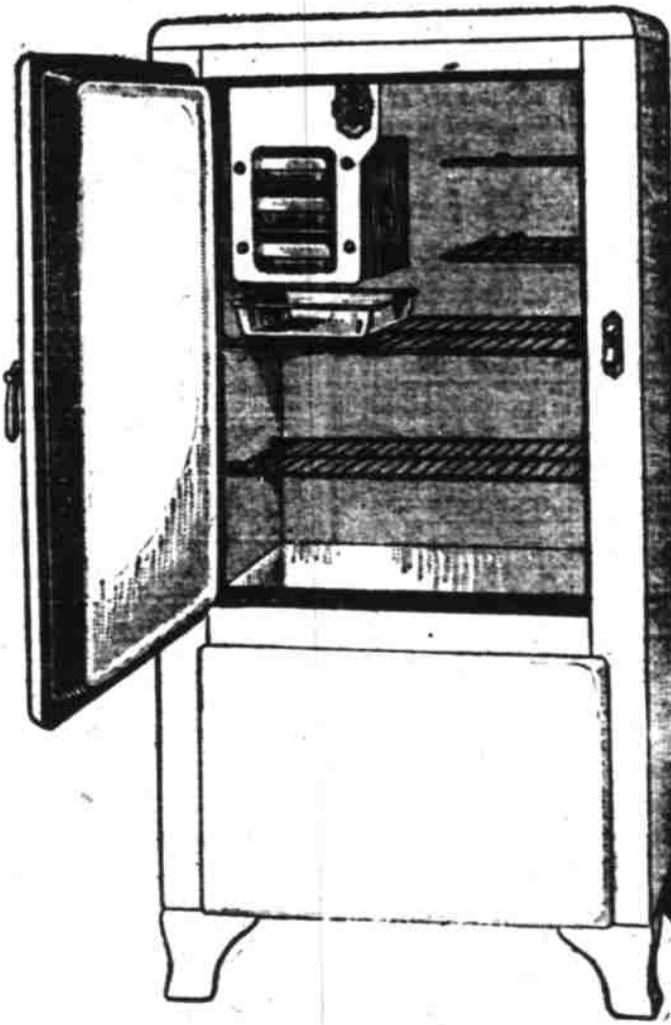
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