

Scio Bridge Club
Ends Season's Play

Solo.—The last bridge party of the Scio club was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Gill as hostess. A 1 o'clock luncheon was followed by an afternoon of cards with three tables in play.

The following members were present: Mrs. Merle Cyrus, Mrs. Edwin Holland, Mrs. Ed Myers, Mrs. Fred Bilyeu, Mrs. Villa Phillips, Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. Ella Shellen, Mrs. Albert G. Price, Mrs. Percy Schrank, Mrs. Pete McDonald, Mrs. Joe Withers and the hostess, Mrs. Gill was assisted in serving by Virginia Bilyeu and Miss Juanita Stepanek.

First prize was awarded to Mrs. Pete McDonald and second to Mrs. Ed Myers.

The "As You Like It" club met at the home of Mrs. Otto Bilyeu Thursday afternoon. The time was spent in quilting. Mrs. Bilyeu was assisted by Mrs. Dan Baldwin and Mrs. Orville Bilyeu.

Members present were: Mrs. Marvin Long, Mrs. Lester Arnold, Mrs. John Merritt, Sr., Mrs. Benton Arnold, Mrs. Riley Montgomery, Mrs. Walter Miller, Mrs. George Sutherland, Mrs. Eddie Bilyeu, Mrs. Ernie Caldwell, Mrs. John Shimanek, Mrs. Cora Cavan, Mrs. Price Neal and the hostess, Mrs. Josephine Brock of Salem was an additional guest of the club.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Cora Cavan.

Kingwood.—Members of the Book and Thimble club carried out the depression idea in apparel and program Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Beaver on Kingwood. Mrs. Beaver, Robert Clarke as musical director and a talk by Mrs. E. W. St. Pierre on the days of hardship during the gold rush to California were interesting entertainment features. Mrs. Walter Bixel and Mrs. Charles Adams assisted the hostess at the tea hour. Mrs. G. H. Templeton will entertain Thursday, May 12, with Mrs. Bixel and Mrs. Applewhite as entertainment committee.

Kelser.—Mrs. Joe Bartruff entertained the Ladies Aid Thursday all day. Her daughter, Mrs. Carroll Poole, assisted in serving a cafeteria dinner.

CONTRACT BRIDGE
"The Official System"

As Adopted by Leading Authorities
By E. V. SHEPARD

Bad Strategy.

I just saw Z open contracting on the hand shown below, with 4 Spades. It happened at one of the best known card clubs to be found in the world. There is no criticism of such a declaration when just four odd are required to go game. The majority of bidders would have preferred a demand declaration, with slam possibilities in mind. Of course there was no adverse bidding; Z held too many high cards to make such an attempt appear lucrative.

♠ 632
♥ 1087
♦ 97653
♣ 1087
♠ 974
♥ K53
♦ 84
♣ AQ92
♠ AK J1085
♥ AK
♦ 754
♣ KJ106

The opening lead was the Q of clubs, which was won by the declarer's Ace, false carded. It was not an unnatural hope that with nine trumps the four adverse held spades should fall in two leads, leaving dummy with one trump for ruffing the declarer's third losing diamond. Z led his K of spades only to discover that the four missing trumps were held by B, and that one spade trick must be lost. He then should have stopped leading trumps, and led a losing diamond, hoping that B would not win the trick and lead back a trump, to prevent dummy from ruffing a diamond, also to avoid letting dummy in, to lead up to the declarer through B's K of hearts. Instead of utilizing his only hope of fulfilling his game contract, Z banged down his Ace of spades, followed by his J. B won the trick with his Q, led his

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ingram of Albany were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Carson for the Wisteria club dance at the Illheeb clubhouse Friday night.

Miss Jessie and Miss Amy Martin entertained for the monthly dinner and business meeting of

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Sunday, May 1

Breakfast ride for Salem Riding Academy; breakfast following the ride at the Spa; leave academy 8:45 o'clock.

Schubert concert, Knight Memorial church, 8:00 o'clock.

Vesper service in compliment to Music Week, First Presbyterian church, 4:30 o'clock; public invited. First Methodist church, Music Week program of music; 7:30 o'clock.

Monday, May 2

Pageant, "Covered Wagon" in commemoration Oregon Day at Salem Heights school grounds by sixth graders; 2 o'clock.

State school for blind Music Week program, 8:00 o'clock in school auditorium; public invited. Salem Heights school, present pageant, "Covered Wagon" in grove back of school at 2 o'clock; public invited.

Rebekah lodge, card party, I. O. O. F. hall; informal entertainment for those who do not play cards. Wisconsin association potluck supper, Mrs. George Cummings, 1396 North Fourth street, 6:30 o'clock. Business meeting and election of officers.

D. A. R. Elm dedication, west entrance of state house grounds, 4 o'clock; public invited.

Wesleyan Service Guild, at home of Mrs. Marion Wilbur, 1890 North Capitol street.

Mrs. E. C. Cross and Mrs. Russell Catlin hostess at Cross home to members of Merry Go Round club following no host dinner at Argo.

Tuesday, May 3

Willing Workers section of American Lutheran Guild, evening musicale at church, girls chorus from Chemawa giving program.

Salem Riding Academy hold open house; public to observe riding and refreshments to be served following demonstration; 8 o'clock, horseshow pavilion.

Sigma Nu chapter, Delphians, 2 o'clock, city library auditorium; study of Roman comedy.

Willing Workers section of American Lutheran church, presents girls' chorus of Chemawa in evening program at church; church members and friends invited.

Musical tea home of Joy Turner Moses; hours 3 to 4 o'clock and 4 to 5 o'clock. Program begins at 3 o'clock and at 4 o'clock. Public invited.

Salem W. C. T. U., 2 o'clock in its hall South Commercial and Ferry streets.

Wednesday, May 4

Regular meeting of Maccabees, 2 o'clock; Mrs. Minnie Pratt, 257 Lee street.

Missionary meeting of First Christian church, to meet at Chemawa with Miss Gertrude Eakin, devotion-al leader and in charge of program. Those going, meet at church at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Fred Scott, hostess for Leslie Ladies Aid society of Leslie Methodist church; covered dish dinner; each bring a covered dish and table service. Meet at church at 11 o'clock.

Woman's Home Missionary society of First Methodist church, 2:30 o'clock; Dr. E. S. Hammond to report on Susannah Wesley home visited in Honolulu. Mitte box opening.

Dakota club potluck dinner, 6:30 o'clock, W. C. T. U. hall, Ferry and South Commercial street; bring own table service; silver medal contest as part of program.

Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church, with Mrs. Clara Lee, Pacific highway, 2:30 o'clock.

Music Week program, senior pupils of Sacred Heart academy, presented in St. Joseph's hall, 8:15 o'clock; public welcome.

Thursday, May 5

Ladies Guild of American Lutheran church, special meeting 2:30 o'clock in church parlors; Dr. Betty Nilsson, returned missionary from India, speaker.

Mrs. W. H. Byrd hostess to Chapter G of the P. E. O. Sisterhood; Mrs. Monroe Gilbert will speak on Russian Art.

Pietty Hill club with Mrs. E. C. Cross, Mrs. Russell Catlin, Mrs. E. Hartley, and Mrs. J. T. Whittit, assisting hostesses.

Friday, May 6

Junior music pupils of Sacred Heart academy, Music Week program, 2:30 o'clock in St. Joseph's hall. Interested public invited.

Saturday, May 7

Dinner meeting, Chadwick chapter, Order of Rainbow for Girls, Masonic temple; election of officers will follow dinner hour.

Marion county Council of Parent and Teachers, Aumsville high school; all day session beginning at 10 o'clock; Mrs. Ethel Miller, Monmouth normal school, speaker on "Rural Life and Parent-Teacher work."

SCHOOLS OBSERVE
MUSIC WEEK HERE

Special Programs in Grade
And Junior High Build-
ings are Planned

Music week will be observed by Salem grade and junior high schools this week with special programs. Miss Gretchen Kraemer, music supervisor for public schools, in cooperation with Mrs. Walter A. Denton, Music week chairman, is arranging for these programs.

The Music week events in the 11 schools will be as follows. McKinley—Series of programs, with brief music assembly at 9 o'clock each morning. Next week as follows: Monday, Mrs. Gordon McGilchrist, soloist; Tuesday, songs by third and fourth grades; Wednesday, orchestration by the first grade and group of songs by school assembly; Thursday, choruses by fifth and sixth grades; Friday, solo and assembly singing.

Park—Series of music and health programs at 1:30 o'clock each afternoon. Tuesday, songs of health and nature, by 1A; Wednesday, songs by Holland by 1A and 2B; Thursday, songs of many industries by 2A and 3B; Friday, 3A and 4B program; Tuesday, May 10, songs of many lands, by 4A; Wednesday, May 11, songs of the United States, by 5B and 6B; Thursday, May 12, songs of Latin America, by 6B and 6A; Friday, May 13, singing by entire school.

Englewood—Program Monday morning at 9 o'clock, songs and dances.

Highland—Program Monday morning at 9 o'clock, numbers by primary orchestra; community singing, songs by various grades, violin solo by Harold Prince and piano solo by Mary Jane McLeod.

Grant—Upper grades program Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, choruses, a reading by Viora Williams and piano solo by Margaret Barrett.

Leslie junior high school—Musical program and playlet, "The Stolen Prince" Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, numbers by the orchestra, the chorus, violin duet by Patricia Schramm and Jack Powers, vocal solo by Allene Moore.

Garfield—Program Thursday morning at 11 o'clock, chorus numbers by the various classes, piano solo by Elaine Sherman and violin solo by Elaine Sherman.

Richmond—Program Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock, piano duets, trios, action songs, class choruses, vocal solos by Leon Jonsson and Rev. W. Earl Cochran.

Grant primary program Wednesday afternoon at 1:45 o'clock, choruses, number by toy orchestra, duet by Lee and Larry Snook.

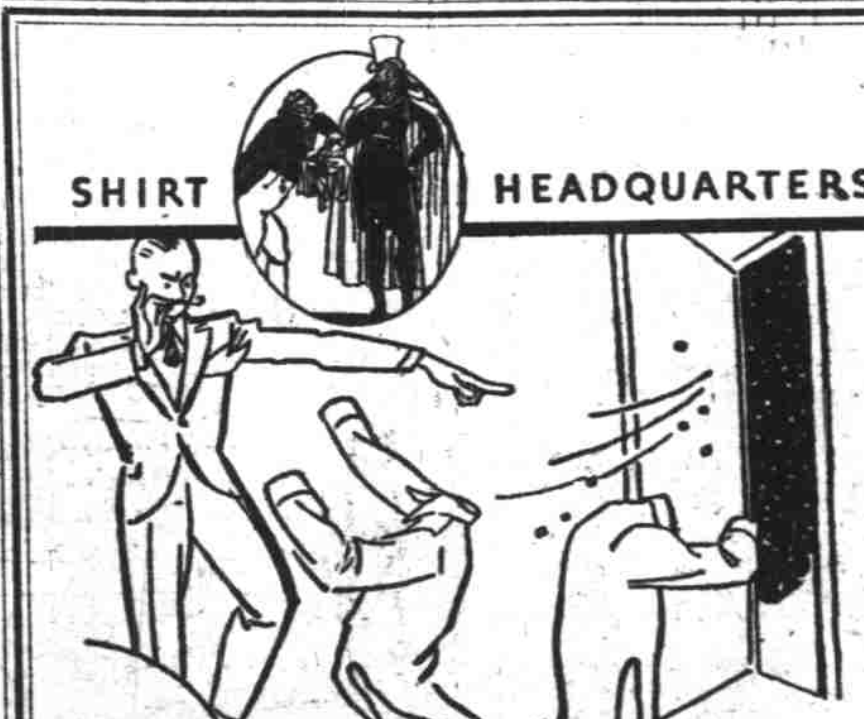
courts, and listening to God's word."

Mary Leslie, presenting the Bible and hymn book, was a daughter of Rev. David Leslie, and she became the first wife of Geo. H. Jones. Rev. T. H. Pearne was presiding elder. He almost was chosen United States senator. He was one of the stenographers of the Oregon constitutional convention.

Rev. F. S. Hoyt was president of the Oregon Institute, the name only 13 days before changed to Willamette university; chartered by the Oregon legislature holding its sessions in its building. Rev. Wm. Roberts was superintendent of Methodist churches in Oregon.

Samuel E. May, leader of the choir, was afterward secretary of state. He was the grandfather of United States Senator Frederick Steiwer of Oregon. The cost of the building was \$8000.

(The Bits man does not find any Rev. D. Smith among the Methodist ministers of Oregon in that time. He thinks that was a typographical error—that the man who gave the evening sermon was Rev. J. S. Smith, then of the Rogue river circuit—who was elected to congress in 1899.)

WHY PUT UP WITH
UNFAITHFUL SHIRTS?

Aren't you a little tired of shirts that grow away from you—that shrink and shrink until you have to give them to your small cousin? We thought you'd be—that's why we'd like you to come in soon and see our Arrow Broadcloth shirts. For these fine shirts are Sanforized-Shrunk, which means that they're guaranteed to fit you permanently, no matter how often laundered—or your money back. We have many styles, and colors, and prices, ranging from

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CLOTHING—WOOLEN MILLS STORE INC.

Washington Pageant to be
Offered by Sacred Heart,
St. Vincent de Paul Pupils

Great interest is being shown by the pupils of Sacred Heart academy and St. Vincent de Paul school in the rehearsals for a pageant, "In the Hearts of His Countrymen," depicting episodes in the life of George Washington. Over 300 children of the two schools will participate.

An outline of the pageant follows: The Muse of History, a symbolic figure, recites the prologue, prefacing each scene with a brief word of explanation, giving continuity to the various episodes.

Lincoln—Program Friday morning at 9:15 o'clock; toy orchestra, rhythm demonstrations and solo numbers.

Washington—Program Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock; choruses, violin solo by Ruthy Thomas, piano solo by Margaret Clare, numbers by the rhythm orchestra.

Patriotic junior high school—Program Friday night at 8 o'clock, band, mixed chorus and girls' chorus.

ington takes the oath of office as first president, April 30, 1789. Episode VI—Finale. The Muse of History pronounces the finale, "The March of the States." These representing Oregon are most anxious to make their own state the outstanding number in the pageant.

The production is educational, patriotic and civic. Songs, drills, and dances suggestive of the different periods lend charm and interest. Sacred Heart academy orchestra gives support throughout. Reverend Father Buck, pastor of St. Joseph's church, and Reverend Father Keenan, pastor of St. Vincent de Paul's church, have given their hearty endorsement of this patriotic presentation, honoring the "Father of Our Country."

Nursing Service
Leader Dropped

The Marion county health department, in line with its economy program, has dispensed with the services of Miss Elizabeth Freeman, director of the nursing service.

Miss Freeman has been connected with the department for three years.

GARDEN CLUB WINS
PRIZE FOR DISPLAY

Salem Garden club won second place with an award of \$15 at the Portland Garden show which opened at Laurelhurst park Saturday. This is the first official entry of the Salem Garden club in a Portland show and the award came as something of a surprise.

The scheme worked out by the local committee in charge of the entry was that of a garden nook. The setting in the park offered tall shrubs for a background and sides of the nook and a spreading Linden tree centered the grassy spot. The walk within the plot was lined with iris, Siberian wall flowers, yellow alyssum, blue violas, 100 yellow tulips donated by a local grower, and Dutch iris. The color scheme made a study in bronze, purple, and orange.

Much of the credit for the success of the venture is given Ernest Inger, and his committee, Mrs. W. H. Smith, Mrs. L. H. McManhan, Miss Elizabeth Lord and Miss Edith Schryver, local garden club president.

Hamilton's Fire Sale!

Now, at the beginning of the fourth week of our fire sale, we still have a number of pieces of furniture slightly damaged by water. These pieces must be sold at once to make room for new goods arriving daily. Already our floors are filling up with new merchandise direct from some of the leading factories. It will surprise you to see what a little money will buy in new furniture. Look over the items mentioned below and see if you can use any of them.

OVERSTUFFED LIVING ROOM
FURNITURE

Regular \$139.00 large size davenport and chair suite \$89.95. Both pieces covered in Cromwell Velvet. Frames are hardwood, springs set on webbing and tied eight ways.

Davenport and Chair Suite, special \$31.95. Both pieces covered in tapestry. Davenport is 30 inches in length, chair has buttoned back. This is by far the lowest price we have ever quoted on a suite of this quality.

Mohair Davenport, Chair Suite, special \$49.95. This suite is roomy and comfortable. Both pieces are covered all over including backs in 100% mohair, cushions are reversible in beautiful velours.

Two-Piece English Suite, special \$89.95. This is an outstanding suite in both design and upholstery fabric. Built to hold up and designed to please those who require the latest in furniture styles. This merchandise has just arrived and is priced for quick sale. This group will compare favorably with less attractive suites sold elsewhere at \$140.00.

Massive English Club Chairs, special \$14.95. These chairs are large and comfortable. Your choice of several tapestry and velour covers at this unequalled price.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR USE
THROUGHOUT THE HOME

Upholstered Occasional Chairs, as low as \$3.95. Reg. \$18.25 3-Panel Screen, slightly damaged \$8.95. Regular \$12.50 Upholstered Rockers, special \$9.95. These rockers have just arrived and will be offered for sale Monday.

Reg. \$22.50 Green Enamel Chiffonier, special, \$9.95. Also a few Twin Beds to match above, at each \$9.95. Assortment of Bridge Lamp Shades at 98c. Goldfish Aquariums as low as 35c.

See our new line of baby cribs and bassinets. The most beautiful and complete line ever shown in Salem and priced in line with the other big values we are offering to our customers.

Reg. \$1.65 Folding Card Tables, special 99c. This is a strong table with water proof top.

Reg. \$212 Monarch Electric Range, special, \$154.50. Gas ranges at big reductions.

DINING ROOM FURNITURE

Regular \$124 Eight-Piece Suite, special \$49.95. This is a very fine set that has suffered slight damage by water.

Regular \$59.50 Eight-Piece Suite \$39.95. Consists of medium size buffet and table and six chairs upholstered in green tapestry.

Regular \$129 Eight-Piece Suite, special \$59.95. This is an outstanding design in shaded maple. Chairs are upholstered in heavy tapestry.

Just arrived and included in this great money saving sale.

Regular \$139 Eight-Piece Suite, special \$89.95. This set is large and massive. In its construction an unusual combination of rare woods is used. The chairs are large with colorful upholstered seats.

Regular \$99 Eight-Piece Suite, special \$79.00. This set is of ash finished antique oak. Chairs and buffet are artistically carved.

Also odd chairs, library diners, gate leg tables, china closets, and servers greatly reduced.

REAL VALUES IN BEDROOM FURNITURE!

Regular \$59 Three-Piece Suite, special \$24.95. This suite is in combination walnut and consists of bed, vanity and chiffonier. Bed and vanity show slight water damage.

Regular \$49 Three-Piece Ivory Suite, special \$21.95. Regular \$170.00 Twin Bed Suite, special \$99.00. Consists of twin beds, vanity, dresser, and chair finished in early American maple.

Regular \$76.50 Four-Piece Suite, special \$49.95. These sets were a special purchase and are without doubt one of the most outstanding values of this sale. Suites consist of bed, chiffonier, vanity, and bench. Choice of decorated ivory or green.

Complete Bed Outfit, special \$12.95. Consists of Simmons two inch post bed and link spring, and fifty pound mattress.

Forty-Pound Felted Cotton Mattress, special \$3.75. Regular \$19.75 Simmons Spring Mattress, special \$14.95. Other spring mattresses from \$12.95 to \$37.50.

One Lot Bed Pillows, some slightly water-stained, special 98c. Other pillows at reduced prices.

C. S. Hamilton Furniture Co.

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