

SOCIAL AND PERSONALS

After several weeks' adjournment the surgical dressings classes of the Red Cross are to be resumed Monday. A new shipment of supplies has just arrived and immediate work is necessary following the delay. Because of the absence from town of some of the instructors Mrs. H. E. Bickers has offered to take charge of next Monday's work and that day's class will be of volunteer members, so an urgent appeal is made for co-operation in starting on the new allotment. The classes will be resumed in the work room of the county library and Monday's class is scheduled for 1 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Sheard have taken a cottage at Bingham Springs.

Walter Anderson, Josephine Anderson and Della Tope are camping at Bingham Springs.

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Cal Roberts and family have a cottage at Bingham Springs.

Mr. Kopek and family of Athena

have a cottage at Bingham for two weeks.

Mrs. Leo Drake and son, James, who have spent the past month at Newport and in Toledo as guests of Mrs. Drake's sister, Mrs. Bert Geer, arrived home yesterday and were accompanied by Mrs. Geer and Miss Mary Geer who are to remain in Pendleton for a visit.

A regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Tuesday at the Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock, for which date annual election of officers is scheduled. A good attendance is desired because of the selection of delegates to state and county conventions, which will take place Tuesday and the number of delegates allowed each organization is dependent upon its membership, one to each ten being the ratio. The county convention is to be held in Helix September 11 and the state convention in Portland October 9, 10 and 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kempendorf of New Hampton, Iowa, who are guests of Mrs. Kempendorf's sister, Mrs. L. F. Lauphin, went to Hermiston on Sat. 17 today to spend the next few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Percy. They will return the first of the week. Their son, Harold Kempendorf, who arrived a few days

ago from Havre, Mont., departed at the same time for Seattle.

Mrs. Henry Stanfield of Echo and Mrs. Lorna Robinson of Spokane were luncheon guests today at the home of Mrs. C. E. Roosevelt.

Mrs. Levi Ankeny, Mrs. J. Ankeny of Walla Walla and Mrs. Hugh McArthur of Portland are house guests here this week at the home of Mrs. Nesmith Ankeny.

Mrs. Frena Rogan, Miss Katherine Regan and Miss Marjorie Campbell were guests today at the C. S. Jerard home. Mrs. Regan is a sister of Mrs. Jerard and was en route from Portland to Pasco. Miss Campbell, whose home is in Portland, departed with the others of the party this afternoon.

Mrs. M. E. Ferris of Portland, who has been visiting for a fortnight with her daughter, Mrs. Elmer E. Cleaver, leaves this evening on No. 18 for Baker.

The C. B. Isaac home, just west of Pendleton, was last evening the scene of a charming dancing party for which Miss Gladys Boynton, Miss Della Ferguson, Miss Emma Gordon and Miss Fernside Perrin were hostesses. Brilliant yellow sunflowers nodded their gay welcome through the rooms and about thirty guests shared the evening of dancing. The hostesses included in their invitation list Misses Edna Salins, Thelma Salins, Helen Isaac, Evelyn Isaac, Blanche Isaac, Vera Cook, Fanny Bybee, Laria Callison, Rita Ferguson, Edna Allen, Grace Allen, Vera Huey, Elva Cuper, Mary Wilkes, Vesta Hoskins, Merle King, Irene Stocker, Juanita Friedly, Jean Eobson, Marie Baker, Pauline Dohbert and Messrs. Harold Whaler, Owen Huey, Carl Gordon, Raife Ulrich, Forest Perrin, Byron Moll, Bern Moll, Fred Stroble, Sterling Patterson, Houston Parrie, Harry Nelson, Roy Kincaid, Jack Beck, Jene Hampton, Shelby Alloway, Jack Childs, Roy Duff, Hershey Schneider and Harold Casey.

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WITH THE COLORS



News of Loch Boys in the Service; Information for This Department Will be Appreciated.

TOM KEATING IS SERGEANT. Thomas J. Keating, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Keating, now in the service in France, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant, first class. He is with the 43d Ballon Co., of the Air Service. In a letter received by his parents yesterday, he described life in France and said that the French have learned the American system of charging and that any article purchased in a shop gets a higher price than it is worth. He says that letters are always welcomed by the boys "over there."

BATTERY HAS BEEN LUCKY. Among the boys who left Pendleton with Troop D last year and is now seeing service in France was E. F. Selasky of Athena. Under date of July 28 he has written his mother at Athena, saying in part: "We have been in it from the start, and it is a long way from being finished yet. Our battery sure has been lucky. We have not lost a man so far. There has only been three men killed in the regiment and five gas cases, so you see we have had the upper hand of the boche all the way through. The country was sure strewn with dead Germans."

WINS COMMISSION. Maurice Hill, in the aviation corps at Payne Field, Miss., wires his parents here that he has received his commission as second lieutenant and will have a 15-day furlough in which time he will visit his home here. He is expected by the middle of next week.—Athena Press.

Lieutenant Hill is well known in Pendleton, having made his home here before going to the army, and his friends will be greatly pleased to learn of his success.

SAFE OVERSEAS. Mrs. Mollie Bowman, 1102 West Alta street, received today a card telling of the safe arrival overseas of her son, Corp. Lloyd Bowman. Corporal Bowman left Pendleton in the June 25th draft, going to Fort Kearny, San Diego, Cal.

THROUGH WITHOUT A SCRATCH. Sergeant Clarence Bean of the medical corps, attached to the 33rd division in France, went through "the big fight" on the west front the latter part of July without a scratch, according to word received by his aunt, Mrs. H. E. Bickers.

SHERIDAN BOY KILLED. A telegram received at Sheridan, Ore., tells of Walter P. Matthias of that place being killed in action in France on July 15. Mr. Matthias was among the first on the list of more than 100 to enlist from Sheridan.

GOES TO WEST POINT. Lieut. Frank Bertholet, son of Conductor Gus Bertholet of the Northern Pacific, has been ordered from Texas to West Point for duty. It is presumed he will serve as instructor. Lieutenant Bertholet is in line for a captaincy.

JOHN IN A TIGHT PLACE. The following is taken from the Athena Press:

"On Active Service, July 29, '18. "Dear Mother: I haven't received a letter from you for some time, but guess the mail is held up some place on account of the drive. They have given us permission to write home about the battle, so I will try to tell you about the part I took:

"For a week before the drive started, I was stationed about five hundred yards from the Marne river. We were billeted in a small town, acting as a guard or outpost. When the drive started, the boche put over a barrage that covered every foot of ground for twelve or fifteen miles back. They claim it was as bad as the one at Verdun, and it lasted for about ten hours. When it started we all went in a cellar and stayed until it slowed up a little. The house was blown down over us and every building in town blown to pieces. As soon as the barrage lifted the boche started coming across the river, and as the machine gun companies were wiped out by the shells, there was nothing to stop them and before we knew what had happened, we were completely surrounded.

"I sure thought my time had come. And there were only sixteen of us, but we started fighting with our rifles and finally an officer and about 50 men got with us. And there is sure a lot of boches that will never see the Fatherland any more. Most of the boches were just kids and they would begin following 'Kamerad,' as soon as they got close enough; but after a fellow has seen a few of his own men blown to pieces, he doesn't pay much attention to what they say, and when the machine guns and rifles opened up, they fell like grain before a mower. About the only prisoners that we took were just the ones that were lucky enough to get through our lines, and these amounted to about 1000 for the day.

"We fought all day the 15th and all night, and the next day about noon, without a rest, to eat and very little drinking water. And then reinforcements came and the handful of men that was holding the line were relieved. Believe me, I was all in and was surprised to get back of the line one more, for during the battle I didn't think I would ever get out alive. I guess I was pretty lucky, for once a fellow that was lying right across me, got hit with machine gun, and another time a shell blew them up all

around me and I came out without a scratch. "The reinforcements drove them back across the river and have got them on the run yet. I went back to the front for a few days and helped clean up the battle field, but didn't have to fight any more. At present I am sitting in a big room in a swell chateau, writing this letter on a mahogany table. It has sure been a swell place. The people had to leave because of shell fire.

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