

Social and Personal

The benefit Kermis which will be held January 25 in the Oregon theater, under the auspices of the Church of the Redeemer, is claiming the interest of Pendleton people. Rehearsals for the affair are now under way. Mrs. J. C. Snow and Mrs. M. O. Bennett, with other members of the Guild, are in charge of the plans.

Pupils of the Methodist Sunday school were guests last night at the B. O. Barnhart farm home near Pendleton. Fifty young people motored to the farm at the conclusion of the Mahood lecture last night and spent the evening in enjoyment of the playing of games. Real picnic refreshments, in the form of sandwiches and ice cream, formed a part of the entertainment.

The Jewell club will give a dance this evening. The dance is another one of the series of dances for which the club has been sponsor during the winter. The affair will be held at Eagle-Woodman hall.

Honoring the sixth birthday anniversary of her little daughter, Virginia, Mrs. R. W. Ayres was a charming hostess yesterday at the Ayres residence at 410 Garfield street. Little friends of Virginia, with their mothers, were invited for the affair, the guest list including Mrs. E. O. Draper, Marian, Sarah and Edgar Draper, Mrs. S. L. Nichols, Marjorie Nichols, Mrs. Volney Bybee, Mildred and Jean Bybee, Mrs. D. S. Dunlap, Elizabeth, George, Doak and David Dunlap. Attractive place cards in red and yellow, with candles in the same shade, marked the places of the guests at the birthday table, and the same color scheme carried out in the six

candles which decked a birthday cake.

A group of the younger set enjoyed an informal high school dance at Liberty hall last night, the affair being in the nature of a benefit for the purpose of securing funds for the purchase of football sweaters for the letter men of the school. Miss Mary Johns, Miss Dorothy Fiegel, Miss Olive Rosche and Mrs. Earl Fleischman were patronesses for the dance.

Mrs. James Johns, Sr. and Mrs. Charles H. Marsh were hostesses yesterday for a meeting of the Current Literature Club in the club rooms of the county library. The afternoon was planned as a farewell to Mrs. C. F. Colesworth, a prominent member of the club who is soon to leave Pendleton. "Women and Home Life in China" was the subject of an interesting paper by Mrs. James Johns, while Chinese schools formed the topic for an entertaining talk by Mrs. L. T. Fredericks of Weston, who spent seven years in China. Mrs. Fredericks is a Pendleton visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Whitman. Miss Mildred Berkeley sang two charming solos, "Do You Remember" by Carrie Jacobs Bond, and "The Magic of Your Eyes" with violin obligato, played by Miss Helen Johns, and piano accompaniment by Mrs. M. O. Bennett. Miss Lois Gornall, talented young pianist, played "To a Water Lily," and "By the Brookside." The use of fragrant China lilies and incense, and the serving of chop suey, with Chinese tea in tiny Canton cups, added an original and delightful touch to the afternoon. Chinese embroideries made attractive the tables where Mrs. H. H. Hattery, Mrs. C. S.

Gerard and Mrs. Colesworth presided.

Four records by Jascha Heifetz, the noted young violinist who is to appear in Walla Walla January 25th, and in Portland January 28th, will be the feature of the Virola musical program Sunday afternoon at three in the county library. Other noted musicians fill the remaining numbers of the varied program.

The reading room is open from two until five. The public has free access to all the books in the stock as well as to eighty-eight weekly and monthly magazines, and to fourteen daily and weekly newspapers.

1. Scherzo-Tarantelle
Henri Wieniawski
Jascha Heifetz
2. Maelzel's Chess
(Arthur Penn)
3. La Campanella
Luis V. San Geronimo
Enrico Caruso
4. Spanish Dance (Sarasate)
Jascha Heifetz
5. Kerry Dance (Medley)
Ernestine Schumann-Heine
6. Could I (Tolstol)
Emilio de Gogorza
7. (a) How much I love you
(La Perge)
- (b) The year's at the spring
(Beach)
8. Johann Gade
Jascha Heifetz
9. Valse Bluettes (Drigo)
Jascha Heifetz
10. Serenata (Tosti)
Nellie Melba
11. A little bit of honey
(Wilson-Bond)
12. Swiss Echo Song (L'Echo)
Tetrazzini
13. Chorus of Dervishes
(Beethoven)
14. O sole mio (Neapolitan folk song)
Emilio de Gogorza
15. From the land of the sky blue water (Eberhart-Cadman)
Alma Gluck
16. Kamennol-Ostrow (Rubenstein)
Victor Herbert orchestra.

Mrs. C. A. Oliver has as her guest for the coming two weeks Mrs. C. O. French, of Spokane, who arrived yesterday. Mrs. French is visiting Pendleton for the first time since she and Mr. French departed 13 years ago. She is renewing many old acquaintances here. Mr. French was city marshal more than 20 years ago.

Mrs. A. N. Packard and daughter Mae, with Mrs. Packard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Porter of Alberta, Canada, left today for a visit in Vale, Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Porter have been in Pendleton as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Packard.

Mrs. T. H. Redwell, formerly of this city, who has been a visitor in Pendleton, expects to leave on Monday for her home in Enterprise. Mrs. Redwell during her stay here has been visiting her daughter, Miss Dorothy Redwell, and Dr. L. D. Kileman.

An event of interest for Monday will be a called meeting of the Woman's Club of Pendleton which is to meet at the library at 3 o'clock. The new club has ambitious plans for the future, and will have an unlimited membership. Local women desiring to unite with the club are invited to attend the coming meeting.

Prominent in the social calendar for this month is the appearance in Walla Walla of the San Carlo grand opera company in "Il Trovatore" January 29, and the appearance of Jascha Heifetz, famous violinist, in Walla Walla January 25.

Mrs. Will Wyrick is enjoying a stay in California. Mrs. Wyrick is prominent in Parent Teacher circles in Pendleton and during her stay in the south she is observing the work of the Parent Teacher Associations of California.

Miss Claire Haley and Miss Mildred Berkeley left last night on delayed No. 17 for Portland, where they will spend the week-end.

Mrs. J. N. Burgess, who is adjourning in Portland, will be joined in a week by her daughter, Miss Madeline Burgess, and the two will go on to California to the home of Mrs. Burgess. Miss Burgess who has been attending University of Washington, will resume her studies with the opening of the spring term.

W. D. Chamberlain, collector of internal revenue here, returned from Portland today after conferring with Milton A. Miller, collector for Oregon. William Robert was a returning passenger on No. 6 today from Portland.

Fred W. Lashkin arrived home this afternoon from Portland and Astoria. While on his trip he helped arrange for furnishings for the new Elks' temple.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Akey were hosts Thursday night for a turkey dinner at Hotel Pendleton, when members of the staff of the J. C. Penny store, of which Mr. Akey is manager, were guests. Red carnations centered a table at which were seated Mr. and Mrs. Akey and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Wennersten, Mrs. C. L. Nolle, Mr. T. H. Aaron, Astill, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rembold, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Dimick, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ross, Miss Lucy Perry, Mrs. Jessie Smith, Miss Chris MacKenzie, Miss Helen MacKenzie, Miss Vada Snook, Miss Marilla Frey, Miss Juanita Perry, Miss Marjorie Ball, Frank Garsch and J. C. Whitehouse, of the local Penny store, and Mr. and Mrs. Immel and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dudley, of the Athena Penny store. At the conclusion of the dinner the guests spent a social evening at the store, where Mr. Akey gave a short talk voicing his appreciation of the co-operation of the employees. Mr. Rembold gave a talk entitled "The Employee's Part" while Mr. Astill gave an address on "Suggestive Salesmanship." Mr. Dudley chose as his topic "Showing Merchandise." A talk by Mr. Immel, and the story of experience in France, by Mr. Whitehouse, with two readings by Miss Thelma Akey, concluded the evening's program.

Completing Improvements.
Workmen are completing the final improvements to the Thomas shop on Main street today. The windows are being completed and the interior has been finished.

New Teller Arrives.
Rudy Molner, who is to be paying teller at the American National Bank, arrived Friday evening from Portland and took up his new duties today. He was formerly with the First National Bank of Portland in a similar capacity and succeeds Brooke Dickson here. Mr. Dickson having been made assistant cashier.

SIMS WAS TOLD NOT TO LET BRITISH
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Remember, we would as soon fight the British as Germans."

If the United States had had a larger destroyer fleet when the war began there would have been no submarine menace. Sims told the committee. He said a fleet of 300 destroyers, thrown in when America entered the war, would have made the undersea boats harmless. The hundred and ten foot submarine chaser, he added, was "one of the misconceptions of the war." Every effort was made to see that enlisted men received their share of decorations. Sims declared. He added: "An erroneous impression has gone out. I want to emphatically deny that officers were favored against enlisted men in the awards. I wish newspapers to print that in red ink headlines is possible." Sims cleared all suspicion of neglect of duty from Commander Bagley, brother-in-law of Secretary Daniels, who lost his destroyer, the Jacob Jones. The admiral disclosed that the Jacob Jones was sunk by a chance shot from a submarine two miles distant. The submarine then generally believed, Sims said. Its actual count he reported that sinkings of 15 boats were six and a half times as much as they actually sank, the admiral asserted.



Miss Zilia Graf, leading lady with the Devoreux Company at the Oregon Theatre in comedies Thursday and Friday, January 22 and 23.

"SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL" FIRST PRESENTATION

It will be of interest to all theatre lovers in Pendleton that Clifford Devoreux and his celebrated company with the talented Zilia Graf as leading lady has been secured for a two days' engagement at the Oregon Theatre on Thursday and Friday, January 22 and 23. This is an extraordinary engagement, but a change in the route of the company has necessitated their passing through Pendleton and they have been induced to stop off here for two days and citizens will have a real dramatic treat. On the first night of their engagement they will present "The School for Scandal" by Richard Brinsley Sheridan which is one of the finest comedies ever written. It contains flashing lines, fine situations, with a strong dramatic vein running through it. The plot of the story is gripping and is entertaining to the fullest extent.

On the second evening the company will present "She Stoops to Conquer" by Oliver Goldsmith which is a light comedy of the eighteenth century period, and is a case of mistaken identity. Two young men are misdirected and they go to the house of a friend of their families thinking it to be an inn, and the friend of their father they take for a young man, while the young man whom the young man is to marry they treat as a harlot. Out of this situation there arises some real comedy which cannot help but keep the audience in smiles.

The Devoreux Company has just concluded a most successful week's management in Portland, and they present these comedies in fine style. Every one of the members of the company are actors of a high order, and they know how to make the most of the situations. The costumes are elaborate and true to period in every detail. It is a rare event for such a company as this to come to Pendleton for two days, but although it is in the nature of an experiment, it is certain that they will be such a success that their high class companies may be induced to visit here.

DONORS OF BLOOD WANT \$55; NURSES GIVE FREE TRANSFUSION, END STRIKE

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Professional donors at a hospital here today struck for \$55 an ounce. The strike was broken when the nurses gave their blood free.

Too Much for Her.
Four-year-old Harold was going away on a visit. His mother had been giving him final instructions in table etiquette and the general importance of being polite.

His 6 year old sister listened with increasing disdain. Finally, unable to bear it any longer, she said: "Now, mother, if Harold's going up there to get a damn nice, I'm not going."—The Home Sector.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to express our most sincere thanks to the many kind friends who so generously contributed their assistance during our sad bereavement and loss of our beloved daughter, Anna also to thank them for the beautiful floral tributes received.
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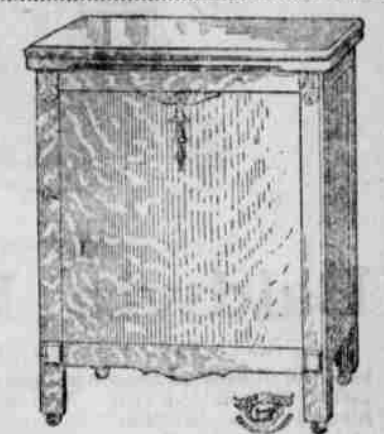
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