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## SEPTEMBER

The first suggestions of autumn are not so much seen as felt. They are vague and indistinct, yet real. The fading of summer into fall resembles the subtle changes that overtake one at the middle life, for that it is slight, gentle and unobtrusive. There is a little lessening of vision, and the eyes are weary after extended reading. So comes the resort to spectacles, not of course that they are really needed, but as "an aid to reading, a preventative only." There is a slight slowing up of physical activities, a resolution not to overdo; a feeling that one has earned the right to slacken the pace and relax a little oftener. Yet there is still zest in living, a charm and color and melody continue to allure thus slowly, almost imperceptibly, but surely, comes the knowledge that one has reached high noon, and the shadows must of necessity lengthen toward the East.

It is the month of September that summer fades into autumn. The tokens at first are not numerous, but they are there. Something in the air is alien to August, a certain crispness that is tonic. There is a slight haze on the horizon. The greenness of the earth and trees is subdued, and there are faint tints of brown appearing here and there. There is a shimmering and a shriveling in the corn fields, and the process of ripening is quickened daily. A few of the birds have already answered the call of the Southland, but many linger to gladden the eyes of the wayfarer and cheer his heart. Winter still seems a long way off, and it is good to know that between September days and flurry of snow and ice are the flaming splendors of October.

September is a month that has much to offer to those who are in love with life under the open sky. The days are cool, but not too cool for comfort. The rays of the sun are genial, but not unpleasantly warm. The early mornings are bracing and the early evenings live in them a quality of dreamy ardor. The leaves are falling, but not in profusion. Summer fades slowly, almost imperceptibly as the charm of a beautiful woman in her early forties whose eyes are still eloquent, and with healthful fervor undiminished. Such is September, standing midway between the purple maturity of midsummer, and the old gold and crimson of the crowning days of autumn.

### RECORDS IN THE AIR

In aviation it seems that records are made only to be broken. Five times, in a few more than that number of days, records for speed have been made and smashed. The latest is a flight by a marine aviator at the rate of 266 miles an hour—four and a half miles a minute faster than the fastest bird, faster than earth's most rushing wind. Tomorrow some other flier will attain higher speed, for aviation is still in development.

The rapid advance that is being made in aviation warrants belief that the half of its possibilities have not yet been told. American fliers are evidently determined not to slacken effort until all possibilities have been developed. The challenge of forces and elements to be overcome has been accepted, and the aviators are on the wing. Thus does America's spirit drive her sons to victories in peace, as it has driven them to victories in war.

### WHAT WE NEED

There are many things we need in Ashland, but a few are vital and outstanding above all others.

We need stability—the will power to determine what is right and a determination to see that only that which is

We need a spirit of unanimity—the ability and willingness to agree upon what we want and then go after it and get it.

We need aggressiveness—for without aggressiveness, indolence and stagnation will be out lot.

We need loyalty—for without loyalty we will be enriching commercial interests and distant point and impoverishing our people at home.

Some communities thrive and grow because of their natural advantages. Others are made only through the dogged energy and perseverance of their citizenship.

Ours will be what we make it, and we should make it all that we can.

Just when skirts had passed out, enabling a man to watch where he was going in traffic, the girls fell for those rainbow shoes.

# SOCIETY

MRS. GRACE E. ANDREWS, Editor.

Home Items to her at 345-R, between 10 A. M., and 2 P. M., and evenings.

**Calendar of Events of the Week—**  
Study Club—Monday, Oct. 1st.  
Civic Club—Tuesday, Oct. 2nd.  
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of M. E. Church—Friday, at Mrs. Patrick's on Almond St.  
Epworth League Social—Friday evening Oct. 5th, M. E. Church.  
Missionary Society—Friday, Oct. 5th, Christian Church.

### Let Us Know—

Now that the different organizations and clubs have started their various activities, the editor of these columns would appreciate it very much if each organization would appoint a reporter or ask the secretary to notify her of the meetings as they occur and also tell of the social doings, the programs, or any activities of these organizations.

The line is sometimes busy, but please try again; for everyone is interested in what is transpiring and without your help, many things will be missed that are of moment to everyone.

### Wednesday Club Meets—

The Wednesday Club met this week in the Parlors of the Presbyterian Church.

In spite of the weather, which behaved somewhat unseasonably, there was an enthusiastic group of women present, to discuss plans and enjoy the social hour.

After the routine business had been disposed of satisfactorily, an election of officers to fill the unexpired terms, resulted in the naming of Mrs. August Schuerman, Pres., Mrs. Sackett, Vice-Pres., Mrs. F. H. Johnson, Secy.; and Mrs. Dillard as Treas.

Letters of greeting were read from former officers; Mrs. Fred Wilson former Pres., and Mrs. Ira Leslie, Secy.

Needlework occupied busy fingers during the social hour. Mrs. Harry Harrison and Miss Margaret Dougherty gave a musical program to the delight of the guests.

Miss Dougherty played the guitar with Mrs. Harrison at the piano.

The selections were beautiful and most sympathetically interpreted.

It was a treat that was highly appreciated by those fortunate ones who were present.

The hostesses, whose pleasure it was to serve, were Mrs. Wilmer Poley, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Andrews.

The next meeting will be October the tenth, with Mesdames Carry, L. C. Dunn, Ellis and Dillard as hostesses.

Mrs. Ellis will act as chairman.

**Dinner Party at Hotel Medford—**  
One of the social events of the week was a six course dinner given for the members of the Telephone Fraternity of Southern Oregon, at the Hotel Medford by Mr. J. M. Lamb, the District Plant Chief.

Covers were laid for thirteen and the arrangements and service were all that a gracious and kindly host could desire.

Those who enjoyed Mr. Lamb's hospitality from Ashland were, Messrs. M. F. Marsten, C. A. Davis, Joseph Berick, S. F. Kelly, H. F. Alkins, From Medford Messrs. A. J. Vance, and G. W. Satchwell and Mr. William Hoffer from Grants Pass were guests.

Mr. Lamb was toast master and principal speaker. The guests assuredly felt it was good to be there, and enjoyed the evening's hospitality most thoroughly.

**Meetings of Some of the Clubs—**  
The "Who-Do's" a very live organization, of the M. E. S. S. whose first meeting has already been chronicled, meets the third Friday of each month, making the October meeting the 19th.

The Wednesday Club, the social organization of the Presbyterian Church meets the second Tuesday of each month for the social meeting and the fourth Wednesday of each month is the day set apart for calling.

The Teacup Club, the social club of the M. E. Church, has not begun its meetings yet, but the Club usually meets once a month.

The Art Club meets every fortnight; their next meeting falls on October the eighth.

The Civic Club meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

The Merley Circle has its meetings every month. This is the Social Club of the Baptist Church.

The Social Circle of the Christian Church has not begun its fall activities yet.

The Ashland Study Club meets every week, at the homes of its members.

The French Club meets or met last year on Tuesdays of each week. This club has not held a meeting yet this fall, so the day will be determined later.

The D. A. R. holds its meetings

every third Friday of the month at the Civic Club House.

The Thursday Evening Bridge Club has its meetings fortnightly, Thursday evenings.

There are yet other organizations the time of whose meetings have not been learned.

### Merley Circle Meets—

The Merley Circle, which is the social organization of the Baptist Church, met Wednesday of this week at the home of Mrs. Payne on the Boulevard.

In spite of the threatening weather, there were perhaps more than twenty-five ladies present.

This meeting was planned as a "Rally Day" for the Women's organizations of the Baptist congregation.

It might be of interest here to state that there is one central organization, under which all the others function. The branches are, The White Cross, the Ladies Aid, and the Missionary Society (Foreign and Home).

At this meeting there was a good program, which followed the social hour.

After the devotional exercises, Mrs. Guy Crosby gave a most interesting reading.

There were also talks from the presidents of the different organizations.

The White Cross, the Ladies Aid, and the Missionary Society were represented.

The guests were favored by two beautiful musical numbers played by Miss Lolita Pierson.

"The Aeolian Harp" and "Stabat Mater" interpreted most sympathetically and the guests felt that they had been favored indeed through Miss Pierson's courtesy.

The hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Roys Mrs. Crosby and Mrs. Peters.

**League Social Next Friday—**  
The postponement of the League Social tonight will disappoint a goodly number of young people.

However it will occur next Friday evening, at the M. E. Church Parlors.

Committees have charge that will see to it that a good time for every one is assured. Games will be provided and of course there are refreshments of the satisfying and satisfactory order.

No doubt the postponement will but augment the interest.

### Dinner Guests at Dr. Tiltons—

Dr. and Mrs. Tilton entertained at dinner, Sunday, most delightfully, the Rev. Mr. Chaney, Mrs. Chaney and children, and their house guests Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Smith of Klamath Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chaney. They are old friends and were making a short visit at the Parsonage.

### Society Meets—

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Patrick on Almond Street on Friday of next week, at 2:30 P. M. It is hoped that a good attendance will be present, as the program is most interesting and in missing one of these meetings one loses a great deal, since special preparation is made to cover a definite program at each afternoon.

### Magnuson-Casey Wedding—

A very pretty wedding and one of much interest to Ashland folks took place last Saturday September 22, 1923 at high noon at the home of the bride 1328-16th St. Santa Monica, Cal., when the marriage of Miss Helene Casey and Mr. Elmer Magnuson was solemnized; the Reverend S. A. Drummond chaplain of the Soldiers Home of California officiating. The house was made very beautiful in pink flowers with a background of the soft pepper tree branches and other appropriate decorations.

Miss Georgia Coffee presided at the piano. In prelude Miss Gertrude Biede sang "Oh! Promise Me" and Iohengrin's Wedding march was played for the entrance of the bride and groom. The bride was given away by her father, J. R. Casey.

After the ceremony congratulations were extended; then a delicious four course luncheon was served by the bride's sister, Mrs. Charles Hargadine. Covers were laid for fifteen. The guest list included only the immediate family and a few close friends of the bride.

The most artistic table decorations were arranged by Mrs. Hargadine and Miss Gertrude Biede, the center piece, a pergola in daintiest of greenery and rosebuds under which a tiny bride and groom and minister stood was a beautiful creation.

This date and hour marks another event of great moment in the Casey family for on this day 62 years ago occurred the marriage of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. Magnuson left immediately on a short honeymoon trip to Los Angeles, San Diego, Catalina Islands, and other points of interest. The bridal couple will be home to their many friends after October 15th at 1328-16th St.

They have the best wishes of all the Ashland friends for a happy and prosperous future.

### Mrs. George Robison Entertains—

A very happy little affair was given, Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. George Robison, Second Street, honoring Miss Louise Lennart, who leaves very soon for Chicago, where she will make her home.

A few of her friends planned the happy little evening and, in truth it was one of the happiest.

Miss Lennart, who is especially gifted, read the palms of the guests and foretold the future as portrayed by the tea-cups.

During the evening a most delicious luncheon was served by the gracious hostess.

As an expression of the love and esteem, in which Miss Lennart is held, her friends presented her with a beautiful leather hand bag.

Those who were present on this happy occasion were the Mesdames Leah Caldwell, Bertha Herr, Emma Rhodes, J. H. Sugg, Delia Acklin, Ida Crandall, O. B. Turner, Emma McKibben, Dr. Maude Hawley, Miss Welch, Mrs. Robison and the honor guest, Miss Lennart.

Miss Lennart has lived in Ashland for many years, and her hosts of friends will regret exceedingly that she plans to return to her old home.

All are hoping that Ashland may again claim her at no distant date.

### Real Estate Moves—

Charles Lamb has purchased the residence at 333 B. Street for investment purposes. Five acres of land northwest of here belonging to Mr. Hunt was recently sold to the Medford Auto Paint Co. W. R. Haley has also purchased the property at 744 Iowa Street from O. Willis. All sales are reported by J. J. Deakin.

## VINING

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—IN—  
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### Returned from Vacation in Cal.—

The Misses Georgia Coffee and Gertrude Biede returned yesterday afternoon from a two week's vacation in California. Motoring in Miss Coffee's machine the travelers averaged over 200 miles each day traveled. One day was spent in Oakland and Alameda visiting friends.

The J. R. Casey family at Santa Monica were hosts during their visit in Santa Monica. With headquarters there, Pasadena, Glendale, Catalina Islands, Burbank and Inglewood shared the tourists attention. Mrs. Elizabeth Bush at Inglewood was visited and friends in each of the other cities. "The Covered Wagon," which has attracted attention, was playing in Hollywood at the time the local people were there and they comment very highly on the immense production. They returned home via the ridge route, having gone down over the coast route. No trouble of consequence was experienced, but a delightful two weeks brought them home.

Let's get together on the clothes question. Paulsens's.

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