

# A Page of Special Interest to Women

## SOCIETY NOTES

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### Calendar of Events—

Thursday, June 10.—Floral Society Meets. Library, 8:00 p. m. Special session.

Thursday, June 10.—Elks' Ladies Card Club. Mrs. Tony Franco and Mrs. G. Hedberg, hostesses. Afternoon.

Thursday, June 10.—Girls' Club Achievement Program and Box Social at Bellview School House. Evening.

Thursday, June 10.—Public reception at Civic Club House for Miss Mary Squire, National Executive Camp Fire Organization. Evening.

Friday, June 11.—Home Missionary Society. M. E. Church Parlor. 2:30 p. m. Election. Members come.

Friday, June 11.—Past Noble Grands' Club. Mrs. Story. Alida street, hostess. Afternoon.

Saturday, June 12.—College Club. Hostess Mrs. H. A. Stearns. Oak Street.

Monday, June 14.—Joint Celebration Flag Day by Mount Ashland and Crater Lake Chapters. Luncheon in Park at 12:30. Bring individual dishes. Program at Civic Club house 2:00 p. m. Daughters reminded to attend.

Monday, June 14.—W. R. C. Picnic-Social. Park. Mrs. Nellie Randles, Mrs. Gay Randles and Mrs. Roy Parr, hostesses.

Monday, June 14.—Art Club. Meets at home of Mrs. Cliff Payne, Granite street. Mrs. Frank Nelson and Mrs. Cliff Payne, hostesses.

Wednesday, June 16.—Missionary Society, Presbyterian church. Mrs. C. B. Lamkin, hostess.

D. A. R. Observes Flag Day — Mount Ashland Chapter of the American Revolution will join with Crater Lake Chapter of Medford, by invitation, in an appropriate observance of Flag Day, Monday, June 14, 1926, in Lithia Park.

The chapters will meet at the picnic grounds in the park for luncheon at 12:30 o'clock.

After luncheon adjournment will be made to the Civic Club house, where an interesting program will be presented, beginning at 2:30 p. m.

In this program, the chapters share. Each will furnish musical numbers and readings or addresses appropriate to the day so honored.

### Engagement Announcement—

Announcements have been received recently of the engagement of Miss Margaret L. Johnson, only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Johnson of Medford, and Mr. Leonard C. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fraser-Brown well known residents of the valley.

More than ordinary interest is felt in the announcement, for, until recently, Miss Johnson's home

was in Ashland, the family having come here from the east in 1910, and Dr. Johnson practiced his profession here until the removal to Medford.

Here, all were particularly active in social and church circles and their going was a matter of keen regret. Miss Margaret, since her graduation from Ashland High has been attending Oregon Agricultural College, graduating this spring.

A large circle of friends in Ashland as well as in Medford are very interested in her happiness.

Mr. Brown is very well known here also. For some years he has been preparing for the ministry of the Presbyterian church. He has been especially active in young peoples' work.

The date of the marriage has not been announced.

### W. R. C. Picnic Social—

A Picnic Social is the pleasant plan for Monday's entertainment of the W. R. C. to be held in Lithia Park at 2:30 p. m.

There is always a splendid program arranged, by the committee in charge and the assistant hostesses always see that there are most satisfactory refreshments.

Those in charge for Monday's Social are Mrs. Nellie Randles, Mrs. Guy Randles and Mrs. Roy Parr.

All members are cordially invited. If the weather is unfavorable adjournment will be made to the I. O. O. F. hall.

### Home Missionary Meeting—

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold its meeting in the church parlors, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

All members of the organization are urged to be present since there is much business to come before the society, chief of which is the election of officers.

They will be, as usual, a fine program, in charge of excellent leaders. Everybody come.

### Interesting Ceremonies—

On June 13, 1926, at Canby's Cross, in the Lava Beds, there is to be dedicated a monument commemorative of the Madoc War.

At this dedication there has been every effort made to have as many of the survivors and those connected with them present for the ceremonies.

From a letter received from Captain Oliver Applegate, it is learned that the Native Daughters of the Golden West are actively concerned, as are the Daughters of the Revolution.

Mrs. C. E. Pell, whose father, Captain Ivan Applegate, was a participant in that war, and a niece of Captain Oliver Applegate, will attend and take as her guests, Mrs. Gordon MacCracken, State Regent of the Daughters of the

American Revolution, Miss Katherine M. Vincent, registrar of the Southern Oregon State Normal school, and Mrs. Grace E. Andrews, historian of the local Chapter.

Mrs. Pell and her guests will leave Saturday for Klamath Falls.

### Box Social a Success—

The box social given by the Social Circle of the Christian church was preeminently a success, both in a social way and as a financial venture.

There was an excellent program; much fun over the sale of the boxes, and of course heaps of fun during the lunch hour.

Many friends had assembled to help make this affair a success, and all felt quite satisfied in the result attained.

### Wednesday Club Meets—

The business meeting of the Wednesday Club was called for four-thirty Wednesday afternoon. At this reports were made and plans discussed for future activities.

Somewhat later the members' families arrived and tables were spread for the bountiful supper in which each had a share, for it was a covered dish affair.

To the feast all brought appetites in fine condition, and full justice was paid the splendid repast.

Adjournment was made early, that all could attend prayer service.

### Home Missionary Society Meets—

The Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet Friday of this week at the church parlors.

This is an especially important meeting. The lesson is a fine one, and at the business session there will be the annual election of officers and the organization wishes that every member be present and express her preference in regard to the incoming officers.

The meeting begins at 2:30 p. m. and promptness insures that none of the lesson be lost.

### Legion Auxiliary Meets—

Monday evening was a very special occasion for the American Legion Auxiliary. At this particular meeting a three course dinner was served at the Armory.

The dinner, which all enjoyed, was the reward given by the losing side in a membership campaign in which the Auxiliary was divided, each striving to outdo the other in winning members.

Mrs. S. A. Peters, Jr., was leader of the losing side and directed that the forfeit be paid in the delightful dinner served at 2:30 p. m. Monday.

After dinner a short business session was held.

### College Club Meets Saturday—

Mrs. H. A. Stearns is hostess at the meeting of the College Women's Club, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at her pleasant home on Oak street.

Mrs. C. E. Pell is social chairman at this meeting. The special feature of the afternoon will be an address by Mrs. R. L. Reed, on "A Day in Honolulu."

Mrs. W. H. Rhodes of Albany, sister of Mrs. H. A. Stearns, is expected today, to spend the summer, a house guest. She will arrive in time to enjoy the club program with the members.

All members in Ashland are reminded of Saturday's session and asked to plan to attend.

### Family Dinner Party—

Prior to her leaving for Berkeley, Miss Eva Poley was the complimented guest at a delightful family dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Poley.

Those who enjoyed it, and the visit which followed were Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Andrews and family, Mrs. Josephine Poley, Miss Eva Poley, and the members of the W. M. Poley family.

Miss Eva Poley left the next day for Berkeley to attend classes there during the summer term.

### P. N. G. Meets—

Mrs. Story, on Alida street, is hostess at Friday's meeting of the P. N. G. Club. Mrs. Jennie Gilbert will assist.

All members of the club are asked to attend.

The sessions are always interesting, and the social hour is pleasant.

### French Club Meets—

At Monday's meeting of the French Club at the home of Mrs. W. M. Poley those present finished the book that has been studied this past winter.

Summer plans for the club will be announced later.

### Normal Notes—

President and Mrs. J. A. Churchill went to Medford Monday, where Mr. Churchill addressed the Parent-Teacher Association. His message was a vital one and of much interest to the thoughtful audience.

### Coming to Ashland—

Mrs. Francis Bowen is moving to Ashland to attend the summer session of the Southern Oregon Normal.

Her father and mother and three children will accompany her here.

### Taken an Apartment—

The Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Matney of Starbuck, Washington, with their daughter, have taken an apartment of Mrs. Ellen Pate on Roca street, for the summer term of the Normal.

A vacation will be combined with work, however. For those coming from the neighboring state, the change has all the vacation elements.

The Rev. Matney is the pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Starbuck and his sojourn here until his return home will be his summer outing.

### Guest at Mrs. Pell's—

Miss Katherine Vincent, registrar of the Southern Oregon Normal will be at home at Mrs. Pell's pleasant residence on Granite street for a time.

Later her mother and grandmother are coming, and the family will establish a home here.

When Miss Vincent arrived a few days since, she was accompanied by Miss Gardner, a friend who was also a teacher at Lewiston, Idaho.

Miss Gardner was with Miss Vincent for a brief visit prior to leaving for her home in Calexico, California.

### Comes From Powers, Oregon—

Miss Naomi Love from Powers, Oregon, will attend Normal in Ashland, and will live at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Churchill on the Boulevard. Miss Margaret Armentrout, President Churchill's stenographer, will enter school later.

### Community Club meets—

The last meeting for the season of the Upper Valley Community Club occurred Tuesday afternoon at the pleasant country home of Mrs. Harkins on the Boulevard.

This was essentially a business meeting and the decks were cleared for the summer vacation. A committee of which Mrs. Mark True is chairman was named to have charge of the first meeting and act as program committee for the year. Those named were: Mrs. Mark True, Mrs. W. L. Huxley, Mrs. C. A. Brown and Mrs. Homer Moore.

Officers selected for the coming year were: Mrs. Carl Goetche, President; Mrs. D. D. Jackson, Vice-President and Mrs. Edwin Dunn, Secretary-Treasurer.

It was decided that the picnic planned for the Valley Clubs would be postponed until fall when the new Club house would be finished.

It is expected that the first meeting will be held in its new home.

Mrs. Harkins served lead tea and dainty cookies during the special hour which followed the business session.

### Mrs. Dobbin Irwin Entertains—

An out-of-town visitor of Mrs. Dobbin Irwin was the complimented guest at a birthday dinner and party, the evening of June the seventh.

Miss Frances Stein, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Irwin, had a birthday which was featured most delightfully Monday evening in a beautiful birthday cake the attractive finale of a delicious dinner.

Other than the guest of honor, there were members of the family, Mr. and Mrs. Dobbin Irwin and daughter, Margaret and Mr. Ray Bailey of Portland.

### Reception for Miss Mary Squire—

Tonight, Camp Fire Girls and their friends will gather at the Civic Club house, honoring Miss Mary Squire, National Executive from New York.

At the reception there will be an interesting program. Musical numbers will alternate with addresses given by a number of speakers.

Miss Mildred Crain will introduce the principal speaker and honor guest, Miss Squire. She will be welcomed by Mrs. Gordon MacCracken. Musical numbers will be given by Letha Miles, Madeline Stevens and Maxine Emert and there will be ensemble singing by the Camp Fire Girls.

Other speakers are the Rev. H. F. Pemberton, Superintendent G. A. Briscoe, and a representative of the P. T. A.

There will be a display of Camp Fire Work and at the close of the evening there will be a Board of Sponsors organized.

Tomorrow Miss Squire will be taken to Pinehurst where there will be at least 200 girls to confer with her during the day in the open. A picnic dinner is a feature of Friday's plans. It is expected there will be 80 girls from Klamath Falls in attendance. Jacksonville, Talent, Rogue River, Grants Pass, Ashland and Klamath Falls will all be represented in splendid groups of wide-awake girls, at this conference.

### Foreign Missionary Society—

The Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church held its recent session at the home of Mrs. A. Marske on Sherman street.

A number were out of town, so the attendance was not so large as usual.

In the absence of Mrs. Carroll Pratt, who, with her daughter, Alice, has been in Southern California since school closed, Mrs. F. H. Pemberton, vice-president of the organization was in charge of the meeting.

The lesson was on Mexico, the book under consideration having been completed. Mrs. O. G. Howard led in the discussion of the topic.

Mrs. Jennie Hammond was devotional leader.

At the close of the program and study hour light refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. A. Marske.

### Parent-Teacher Notes

Handwork for Children—Continued

Can't we begin on something that requires all the square, round and flat sticks, but which is something in itself, begin, for instance, on a freight car?

Let everybody make freight cars—one each—boys and girls—having first gone down to the side track and measured one up, in groups of four, say. Let these measurements and sketches be brought back and checked up with the actual measurements of the car to see what mistakes are made in simply reading a rule or tape—(how very rare accuracy in school is) Then let everybody make a scale drawing on a basis of 5-16" equals one foot and by that means practice the use of fractions and the art of accuracy again. From the drawing get out the sizes in wood of proper thickness, and put the car together. The wheels must be turned in a small lathe—all one piece with the axles—and the trucks designed in a simple way. Put on all the accessories—sliding doors, ladders and stirrups (made of wire), brake beams and brakes, couplers, runway along the top, airbrake tank and braces underneath.

When it is all done and painted you have something that the maker is proud of, and that everybody is proud of, and that is tremendously stimulative of further work of a similar sort.

As a corollary to all this the class can make a project of car construction and set at the history of wheeled vehicles, and ascertain why a freight car is built as it is, and how everything on it is derived from a plain wagon simply modified to meet railroad conditions.

Well, that's only one little

thing. There are windmills (for instance, also very fascinating things to make and having a long history, and most emphatically there are boats, beginning with the Norse Type, the dragon ship, and continuing to the "Mauretania."

Only let everything be a matter for investigation first, for research and reading, for poetry and for prose and for music. Get drawings that are accurate. They can be secured through "The Rudder" magazine, New York. If you don't your proportions will be wrong and then nothing happens. Be sure that boys and girls do all these things. The girls need it and love it just as much as the boys. They can begin in the 6th grade anyhow, some earlier.

Models can be made to illustrate water transportation from the canoe down through the early Mediterranean sail boat and galleys to the caravels and carracks, the river scows and house boats of American pioneer life, the Fulton steamboats, the schooners and clipper ships, the ocean steamers; and the same can be done with land transportation.

There are plenty of books and pictures available as guides. Read plenty of Masfield, Kipling, Conrad, Bulle, Melville, Dana and so on.

A great deal more might be said that must be left unsaid.

In addition to wood work of this sort there will always be a proper amount of plain cabinet work. In my school I have found so many things needing to be made for the school, such as benches, small tables, bookshelves, picture frames, and recently we made a large number of looms of a somewhat complicated structure needed for the weaving work. We also build small houses, outside, the houses constituting a miniature village. And we have a pond, an artificial one of concrete. Every school should have a pond, for boats must be floated in order to get that sense of life into them, and besides a pond can be used in

Of course there is clay work, very thrilling ways, firing and glazing, and basket making, and work with copper, beating out bowls and chasing designs, and making enamels, and there is book binding, all most exhilarating, suited to various ages and tastes and most important to that poise of mind and serenity of heart that makes boy or girl, man or woman whole and therefore wholesome and peculiarly happy, light hearted, and companionable. How many people could save their souls, by this manual process cannot be ascertained but millions would be a modest word for it.

And now it only remains to be said that what is good in school is better at home.

If you have a proper regard for the welfare of your children you will provide a work shop—and not in the basement—and you will provide the necessities in the way of tools and materials, and let the school instructions be practised at home. If you are fortunate you will know how to work with your own children (How few are so fortunate) But this is another thing that is accomplished by teaching children arts and crafts, namely, when they grow up (if the teaching has taken hold, has been allowed time enough in the curriculum—and have children of their own then that very important thing can happen—they can work with their children and get on terms with them that would be impossible

otherwise. For when you work with people at a stimulating task you get the very finest comradeship that is possible in this world. Isn't that what parents need to secure comradeship with their children just as much for their own sake as for the children's?

Life is meant to be an exuberant thing and for those who, in this way, get in tune with the great music of human emotion in creative work, whether the jewel cutter or the cathedral builder, the composer of symphonies, the builder of ships, or the teacher, it is and always will be.

It seems the one best way in which to "Wait upon the Lord," to renew your strength, to mount up on wings as eagles.

For Heaven's sake then, let us give all children a chance. Let us see that History, Geography, Mathematics, Grammar, moving pictures, radio, or social antics of any kind do not usurp the place of this magnificent therapeutical cure for the sickness of a competitive and accretive society. What to do with leisure time so that it will conserve and strengthen our precious store of emotions instead of infecting them with a kind of tuberculosis, that is the greatest question in education in

America today.

I take the liberty of advocating three things as essential to wholesome leisure—nature study, music, and handwork. But none of these are valuable unless taught by the right sort of person. That person should be the theme of another article.

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### Dear Cynthia

Even though Brother Ned was spanked for it, I think it was rather cute when he told Aunt May that she might catch a bear if she would buy and wear a smart dress from

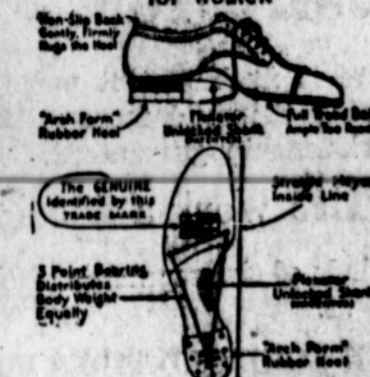
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