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## Society

If you know of a society item and do not inform the newspaper, it is your own fault if it is not printed.

The Joker club held its regular meeting Monday night at the home of Mrs. J. D. Westenhaver, Mrs. Claude Cruson assisting Mrs. Westenhaver as hostess. High honors were won by Miss Maud Hooper, who received a dainty box of Easter candy. The booby, a miniature "Doc Yak," was awarded Miss Eunice Vandenberg. A dainty luncheon was served in two courses. Mrs. J. H. Callahan, Mrs. Albert Hillwell and Mrs. Elbert Bede were guests of the club. Mrs. Vandenberg and Mrs. Dean, who are members, were unable to attend, on account of illness.

Mrs. John Bader entertained the Social Twelve club Thursday afternoon. The house decorations were jonquils and palms. An hour was given to literature, each member giving something concerning the flag. The remainder of the afternoon was spent with fancy work and dainty refreshments were served.

The K K K K class of the Christian church gave a reception to their parents and invited guests Friday evening. The boys of the class gave a very pleasing program of readings and vocal and instrumental music. About forty were present. Refreshments of fruit, ice cream and cake were served.

The Friday Afternoon club gathered at the home of Mrs. S. L. Godard and spent a most enjoyable time with their needlework. Five o'clock tea was attractively served by the hostess. The club will meet April 13 at the home of Mrs. Wm. Lynch.

The M. P. G. club met Tuesday with Mrs. C. E. Frost, Mrs. Ralph Dean and Mrs. H. K. Metcalf were guests of the club. The afternoon was spent with fancy work and dainty refreshments were served.

The Semi-monthly Dancing club held a party at Moose hall Thursday evening. The children of members will attend the party to be held next Thursday evening, which will probably be the last of the season.

The regular meeting of the ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church will be held at 2:30 next Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors. All the ladies are cordially invited.

The Constellation club meets this afternoon with Mrs. Joe Porter and Mrs. Elbert Bede as hostesses.

The Tuckabeche club will hold a six o'clock banquet at Hotel Oregon Friday.

The Emanon club will meet with Mrs. Elbert Smith next Wednesday.

### The Cedars Society.

Owing to the death of Harvey Wallace, a nephew of Uncle Ves Venter, the usual birthday party was given up, but quite a number of the neighbors went in for a couple of hours Tuesday evening. The time was spent in visiting and music. Mr. and Mrs. Max Dordard gave several piano duets which were greatly appreciated. Uncle Ves was 56 years old.

The ladies' Welcome club met with Mrs. Wm. Dordard last Thursday afternoon and passed the time very pleasantly with social chat, music and fancy work.

### Saginaw Society.

A party was given at the Vaughn home Friday night. Games and music were the diversion of the evening. Those present were Ruby Keene, Ethel Moody, Bertha Nest, Ivy Porter, Clara and Nora Lebow, Marjorie Vaughn, Harold Scott, Clifton Hopper, Otto Nichols, Ernest Redford, Wm. Porter, Glen Smith, Thomas Quinn, Ivan Witcheer, Conrad Keene, Leslie and Edgar Vaughn and Mrs. A. O. Vaughn.

### Dorena Society.

The Christian Endeavor measuring social given in the hall Saturday night was a success in spite of the bad weather. Measuring the height and length

of the shoes of guests as they came in caused much merriment. The junior play, "Little Immigrants," was very well acted. Mr. Roberts, intermediate Christian Endeavor superintendent of Lane county, and Mr. Carlson, county Christian Endeavor treasurer, of Eugene, rendered several readings which were very much enjoyed. Over \$9 was realized from the sale of refreshments.

### SPRING FLOWERS

(By Mrs. Lincoln Taylor.)  
Ery-thro-ni-um Gi-gan-te-um.  
Erythronium means red—  
A nice little word from the Greek—  
Tho' ours is an ivory white;  
Akin to both lily and leek.  
Giganteum—very large,  
Tho' ours, for a lily, is small.  
Among all the belles of the clan  
She is the fairest of all.

The Erythronium belongs to the lily family. It is known by many names: Adder-tongue, Deer-tongue, Lamb-tongue, Dog-tooth Violet, Fawn Lily, and Easter Lily, because it is usually in bloom at the Easter season. It is the largest and perhaps the finest of the genus, unless it be the Montanum, a pure white species, which grows in the high mountains near the timber line.

Across the sunny western hills  
The lily-bells are ringing;  
In silent music, voiceless speech,  
A new-world anthem singing:

"As old leaves lie, old hopes die  
That life may be the richer bloom.  
In the new hope's dawn of a perfect day  
Shall vanish old shadows of gloom."

"As the lilies of spring to the children bring  
A joy which they cannot express,  
So, the flowers of thy life may be to the gods  
A rapture no lily may guess."

"All the creatures of earth would know  
The rebirth  
The life that shall flower thro' thee.  
The earth awaiteth its perfect hour  
When—life—shall—flower—free."

So the lilies sing from life's vestibule  
The lowest of heavens three.  
If the lily's the flower of that which is seen,  
What, then, shall thy flowering be?  
TILLA P. TAYLOR.  
April 4, 1917. Romans 8:18-22

### AMONG THE CHURCHES

[Every religious organization is invited to use this column for announcement of its services and other news. Contributors are requested to omit exhortations and other editorial matter, and to make the announcement of service as concise as possible. Social functions, etc., and news outside of weekly announcement may be elaborated upon.]

**Presbyterian Church**—D. A. MacLeod, pastor; phone 137R. Bible school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m.  
Morning subject, "The New Awakening." Evening, "God's Call."

**Methodist Church**—Rev. Jos. Knotts, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Regular preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.  
Easter services. Love feast 7 to 8 a. m. Easter program at 11 given by the Sunday school. Several babies will be christened. Easter concert by the choir at 7:30 p. m.

**Baptist Church**—E. G. O. Groat, pastor emeritus. Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

**Christian Church**—O. H. King, minister. Bible school 9:45 a. m. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

**Free Methodist Church**—Rev. F. W. Oliver, pastor. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesdays at 7:30 p. m. All are welcome.

**Christian Science**—Services in the chapel at 242 Second street each Sunday at 11 a. m. Regular testimonial

meeting each Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. The building is open for the use of the circulating library each Wednesday from 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to the services, as well as to make use of the literature.

**Catholic Church**—Father Curley, pastor. Mass and Sunday school at 8 a. m. on first and third Sundays of every month. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. on second and fourth Sundays.

### MISSIONARY SOCIETY IS IN SESSION HERE

Elaborate Program for Session Today and This Evening.

The twenty-sixth annual convention of the Woman's Missionary society of the Presbytery of Willamette is being held in the Presbyterian church here. The theme of the convention is "Preparedness."

Following is the program for today: 9:30—Devotional—Mrs. W. V. McGee, Albany.

9:40—President's message—Mrs. C. H. Sedgwick, Creswell.  
Music—"Just for Today" (Abbott) Dale Wyatt.

10:00—Officers in Training—Mrs. Wm. Moll Case, Eugene.  
10:10—Recruits in Training: Little Light Bearers, Mrs. Joseph Muhr; Light Bearers, Mrs. F. D. Lacey; Christian Endeavor, Miss Frances Beatty; Westminster circles; Westminster guilds, Mrs. Bruce Giffin and Mrs. A. E. Caswell.

Treasurer's report on munitions—Mrs. H. M. Bouley, Jefferson.  
Report nominating committee.

11:00—Commissioning new officers. Call from headquarters—Mrs. Leonard, Salem.

11:15—News from the front: (Substitutes) Christian Endeavor—Louise Beatty, San Juan, Porto Rico; Eli Allen, Urumia, Persia. Woman's societies—Dr. Maude Allen, Ferozepore, India; Miss MacNeill, Sycamore, Tennessee; Miss Louisa Lee, Fatategrah, India; Mrs. C. T. Birtch, Bogota, South America.

1:45—Devotional—Mrs. Clara Jones, Gervais.  
Reports of committees.

2:00—Potent Factors in Preparedness—Mrs. Blackburn, Lebanon.  
Music—"In Heavenly Love Abiding" (Sehmann)—Miss Wilcox, Mrs. Short, Mrs. Armes, Mrs. Cruson.

2:15—Forget-me-not Light Bearers—Creswell.

2:45—The Field Scout—Mrs. J. W. Aldrich, field secretary home mission board.

Hymn—"Go Ye"—N. E. W. Circle, Cottage Grove.  
The following program was carried out yesterday:

10:00—Meeting of executive committee.  
3:00—Devotional—Mrs. W. A. Orr, Creswell.

3:15—Welcome to Cottage Grove—Mrs. George Kerr.

3:20—Response—Mrs. Laurence, Dallas.

Music—"I Cannot Always Trace the Way" (Olds)—Mrs. Roy Short.

3:35—Survey of the Field—Mrs. Carl H. Elliott, Salem.

3:50—Reports of Presbyterian secretaries: Corresponding, Mrs. F. R. Leonard, Salem; literature, Mrs. G. W. Lawson, McMinnville; mission study, Mrs. A. W. Blackburn, Lebanon; extension and libraries, Mrs. J. G. Stevenson, Eugene; Westminster guilds, Mrs. Percy Collier, Eugene; Christian Endeavor, Miss Vesta Holt, Medford; children's work, Mrs. P. D. Lacey, Creswell; recording secretary, Mrs. M. H. Whitty, Corvallis.

Roll call of societies—Response by names and number of delegates.  
7:30—Devotional service—Mrs. Chas. A. Park, Salem.

Prayer—Rev. D. A. MacLeod.  
Anthem—"Watchman Tell Us of the Night" (Stearns)—Choir.

Impersonation of Cindy's Chance—N. E. W. Circle, Cottage Grove.  
Music—Mrs. Case and Mrs. Rae, Eugene.

Address—Alaska, with stereopticon views—Mrs. J. W. Aldrich, field secretary home mission board.  
Music—"The Holy City" (Stephen Adams)—George Matthews.

### Easter Program at M. E. Church.

Following is the program for the Easter services at the Methodist church at 11 o'clock Sunday morning:

"Awake, Glad Soul, Awake"—Sunday school.  
Prayer—Pastor.

Christening.  
Responsive Reading—Sunday school.  
"An April Song"—Primary department.

Recitation, "What Comes"—Billie McCargar.

Solo—Mary Ellen Benson.  
Little Links in a Chain—Miss Buel's class.

Recitation, "Little Brown Bulb"—Vernon Hale and Katherine Silsby.  
Easter Eggs—Katherine Silsby and primary department.

"Song of Victory"—Miss Wilson's class.  
Reading, "The Chimes"—Hazelle Stephens.

Song, "Tis Easter"—Mrs. Auk and Mrs. LeRoy's class.  
"Our Gifts"—Mrs. Hall's class.

Song, "The Flowers Tell the Story"—Miss Jones' class.  
Offertory—Miss Elsie Baimbridge.

### Earl Groves Joins Navy.

Cottage Grove will furnish at least one more boy for Uncle Sam's navy. Earl Groves passed the examination at Eugene this week and left for Portland yesterday, to be supplied with clothing, and will go from there to San Francisco to report for duty.

## DEFEND COUNTRY AND LIBERTIES SAY PASTORS

(Continued from page 1.)

reason for doubting the patriotism of members of the Methodist Episcopal church.

"Our nation is passing through a great crisis. No matter what we may think, or want to think, and no matter what action congress may decide upon, the fact undeniably exists that we are in a state of war with Germany. The United States is long suffering. No other great nation would stand for one week what we as a nation have stood for months and years.

"We like the German people. They are fine folks. My ancestors were German, Scotch and English. We are a mixed race, probably twenty nationalities are represented here in this congregation, but we are Americans. We like the people of Germany, but we hate their despotic, oppressive, militaristic, autocratic government.

"We love peace, we don't want war, but war is thrust upon us by deception, intrigue, plot and violence. We are threatened from more than one source. All treaties and every rule of international law have been ruthlessly violated. We must defend ourselves. It is not a matter of our aggression; our very hearths and homes, and not only ours, but those of other neutral nations, are threatened.

"The 'sad faced man' in the white house, our president, understanding the situation as no other man does, a man who has proven to us again and again that he wants peace, has called for volunteers for the army and navy.

"Some may quote the words of that song, 'I didn't raise my boy to be a soldier.' Well, maybe you didn't. Probably none of us have. But I'll tell you what, every last mother's son of us, born in this land under the Stars and Stripes, are raised, or ought to have been raised, I say, raised to be Americans, loyal and true to their country.

"God Almighty, Our Father, 'with malice toward none and charity for all,' we pray that thou will guide us. Amen."

Rev. Groat, at the Baptist church, who is 82 years of age and had a part in the Civil war, preached a stirring sermon, taking several texts from the bible to liken present conditions to those of bible times. After referring to "the mighty men of valor" of the bible, he said: "Such are the men we need today to protect our country, our commerce and our liberties, and humanitarianism the world over. I now speak of our own country and liberties. While we may not all be called to the colors, everyone can render aid by industry and encouragement, by guarding against treason, treachery and traitors. I am here also to endeavor to enlist your sympathy, interest and help in behalf of a better country even than America, even a heavenly country. We need strong men, courageous, valiant, true, as captains and leaders in the battle against sin, to stand for the right, to uphold the truth. We need volunteers to cross rivers, scale mountains, to carry conviction into the ranks of sin, to man the church and every Christian activity."

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### Shippam Is Now Captain.

Willis E. Shippam, United States army instructor of the coast artillery corps, O. N. G., with headquarters in Eugene, has received his commission as captain, his promotion from first lieutenant having been made some time ago. So far as learned, the promotion of Captain Shippam will cause no change in his post.

### Will Remit Dues.

The Masonic lodge, at its meeting last night, voted to remit the dues of any member while in active service of the United States in either the army or navy. The lodge also voted to erect a flagpole on its building, the lower floor of which is used for the armory.

### A Good Position.

Can be had by any ambitious young man or young lady in the field of railway or commercial telegraphy. Since the passage of the eight-hour law by congress, it has created a big demand for telegraph operators. Positions paying from \$75 to \$80 a month with many chances for advancement. It will pay you to write Railway Telegraph Institute, of Portland, Ore., for full particulars. m22a13

### A Great Story in Today's.

"The Choice," a new book by Mrs. Montayne Perry, will appear in Today's magazine this year. The author is one of the most popular magazine writers and "The Choice" is her masterpiece. This book will sell for \$1.25 after it has appeared in Today's. In our magazine club offer you get Today's and three other magazines for 25 cents.

### War Resolution Passes Senate

Washington, April 4.—The resolution declaring that a state of war exists between the United States and Germany was adopted in the senate tonight by an overwhelming majority of 82 to 6. It will be taken up for passage in the house tomorrow.

Senators who cast the negative votes were Gronna, of North Dakota; La Follette, of Wisconsin; Norris, of Nebraska; Lane, of Oregon; Stone, of Missouri, and Vardaman, of Mississippi.

## Legislators as I Saw Them

By ELBERT BEDE

### CHAPTER V.

The subjects of the sketches this week are young men but both give evidence of being among the comers. While I would not agree entirely with the views of either of them, this old state, if she is ever to come into her own, has need of just such young men—men of energy and ability—men who honestly endeavor to do their duty as they see it, and have good eyesight.

A. K. Peck, representative from Coos county, comes from a country where they do things, where folks are up and a-coming, and he is typical of such a country.

Mr. Peck was the author of three measures of state wide interest which



A. K. PECK  
Representative from Coos county

This system has heretofore been without regulation and has been subject to abuses by certain employers and doctors.

A third measure is of particular interest to the farmer, providing that any became laws. The first of these is the sterilization act which purposes to stop the reproduction of the incurable feeble minded and insane who are committed to the state institutions. This measure was highly commended by Governor Withycombe, Dr. Steiner and others of the board of control as being very well drawn and well safeguarded as to its subject matter and was only opposed by those who are opposed to the principle of sterilization in any form.

A second measure which is of particular interest gives the Industrial Accident commission complete supervision and control of hospital associations and company doctors when such associations or doctors are compensated from the wages of the employees present, residing upon any river or stream at a point where such river is closed to commercial fishing, may take salmon for the use of himself and family by means of set nets, under annual license fee of fifty cents, a right they have not heretofore enjoyed.

One of the few special appropriation bills to get by was the one for the erection of an armory at Marshfield and the ways and means committee gave Mr. Peck a large measure of credit for getting this bill through at a session when the purse strings were drawn pretty taut.

Senator Julien A. Hurley was honored by being named the member from the senate from eastern Oregon to prepare the argument for the voter's pamphlet on the road bond measure. Mr. Hurley was elected on a platform favoring state aid for good roads and he stuck to his plank. Mr. Hurley is a former newspaper man. Whether that is where he developed his ability as a legislator I do not know, but I'll bet that when he ran a newspaper he said what he thought and said it so that folks knew what he was talking about. Mr. Hurley was as bitterly opposed to the sterilization bill as Mr. Peck (mentioned in another sketch) was in favor of it. If I remember correctly the Peck sterilization bill passed the senate with only one vote to spare.



JULIEN A. HURLEY  
Senator from Multnomah, Harney and Grant Counties.

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provide irrigation. As chairman of the committee on irrigation he was able to be of much service to the people of his district. He had decided opinions upon the subjects in which he was interested and had a forceful way of expressing them.

### SENIORS ARE WINNERS IN FIRST CROSS COUNTRY RUN

After several postponements on account of bad weather, the first annual cross country run of the high school was held Wednesday afternoon and was won by the senior team, composed of the following men: Redford, Coffman, Powell, Rodolf and Randall. The course run was one one-half miles and was covered in the fast time of 8 1/2 minutes.

The first man to finish was Ernest Redford, a senior. He was closely pressed by Rupert Coffman, also a senior, who finished second. These two men finished well ahead of the rest.

Each class was allowed to enter a team of five men. The scoring was by points, the team having the fewest points against it to be the winner. The seniors won first with a score of 15 points, the juniors second with a score of 25, and the freshmen third with a score of 46.

It is planned to make the cross country run an annual affair to take place every year at the close of the basketball season and before starting regular spring athletics.

Following are the 18 men who ran and the order in which they finished: 1, Redford; 2, Coffman, Rupert; 3, Powell, Oval; 4, Medley; 5, Powell, Virgil; 6, Prottzman; 7, Rodolf; 8, Randall; 9, McFarland; 10, McKeon; 11, Halde-man; 12, Taylor; 13, Whitlock; 14, Markham; 15, Halliday; 16, Overholser; 17, LeRoy, Milton; 18, Finnen.

### BRANCH OF HONOR GUARD IS ORGANIZED LAST NIGHT

A branch of the Honor Guard was organized here last night, with the following officers: Chairman, Miss Carolyn Woods; assistant chairman, Miss Maud Hooper; secretary, Miss Sarah Green; treasurer, Miss Belle Burkholder. C. M. Shinn, member of the commercial club committee, called the meeting to order and assisted in the organization.

While those present were enthusiastic, there were many who did not know of the meeting, and a second meeting will be held Friday night, at which all unmarried women between the ages of 14 and 30 are urged to be present. The meeting will be held in the high school assembly. Twenty signed the pledge last night.

There are many forms of service laid out for members of the Honor Guard and each member must pledge herself to perfect herself in one of the forms of service. All these were explained at the meeting last night and will again be explained Friday night.

### CALL TO COLORS LIKELY TO COME WITHIN A DAY OR TWO

Word was received at the Eugene armory last night that a resolution declaring a condition of war to exist will probably pass congress today. In such event Captain Woods believes Sixth company will be called out at once and that the ranks will be filled by drafting if necessary.

### Royal Hawaiian Songbirds Coming.

The Royal Hawaiian Songbirds, a troupe of native Hawaiians, singers and musicians, will appear at the Arcade theater tonight. This talented organization of sweet singers comes highly recommended as one of the best Hawaiian troupes ever brought to this country. They present a varied program of songs, instrumental music and dancing, interspersed with comedy, which is a feature seldom seen in connection with a program of Hawaiian music.

Native Hawaiian music is undoubtedly the sweetest of all. The enchanting dreaminess of it seems to permeate to the very innermost senses, and the plaintive strains of the ukelele, accompanied by the voices of the native singers, carries with them a balmy atmosphere of the shores of Waikiki.

Princess Pauhi, a native Hawaiian princess, is presented as one of the featured numbers in a refined version of the Golden Hula Hula as it is danced in Hilo. Another feature is David Burrows, champion steel-guitar player of the world, who has so thoroughly mastered the art that at times he uses only one hand in the manipulation of this difficult instrument.

### Family Reunion at Sickbed.

The serious illness of J. T. Allison resulted in a family reunion Sunday. Those here from outside were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allison and son, Grants Pass; R. R. Allison, of Roseburg; Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Allison, of Roseburg; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Allison, of Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Allison, of McMinnville. With Mr. and Mrs. Van Allison and Mr. and Mrs. Fay Allison, of this city, all the children were present. All the men present from outside are railroad men employed by the Southern Pacific in the operating department. J. W. is an engineer, D. Y. and R. R. are brakemen, and H. E. and G. F. are conductors.

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