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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 Social Twelve club meets today with Mrs. L. S. Hill.

The Emanon club meets today with Mrs. Armored Monson.

The Euterpean club held a pleasant session Monday evening at the home of Miss Jessie Smith, being only marred by the depredations of some jokers or sneak thieves who walked into the kitchen during the meeting, and while the party was being held in adjoining rooms, and carried off the cookies. As a result the refreshments consisted of ice cream a la natural. The following program was rendered:

Barenolle (Offenbach)—Ruth Stewart, Bethel Gowdy, Juanita Short.

Somebody Holds You Dear (Hawley) Mrs. Westenhaver.

Heatherose (Lange)—Miss McGee.

Teach Me to Pray (Jewitt)—Frank Wallace.

Hear Me Norma (Jefferys)—Mrs. Trask, Mrs. Short.

Mazurka Caprice (Krause)—Juanita Short.

Thou Shalt Love the Lord (from Eli) Mrs. Westenhaver, Mrs. Short, Jessie Smith.

The Swallows (Coweri)—Miss Wilcox.

Two Larks (Leshetzky)—Ruth Stewart.

Awakening of the Lion (De Kotski) Mrs. Trask, Ruth Stewart.

Little Gray Home in the West (Lohr) Miss Wilcox, Mrs. Short, Jessie Smith, Mrs. Cruson.

The Constellation club was delightfully entertained last Thursday afternoon by the retiring president, Mrs. T. C. Wheeler, the occasion being the club's third anniversary. A business session preceded the social session. Just before the serving of refreshments the mem-

bers were asked to leave the banquet room. Upon reentering they found the room darkened and lighted only by candles, three of which were on each of the individual cakes at each place. The favors were dainty little cut glass May baskets filled with flowers. Mrs. K. K. Mills, ex-president, assisted Mrs. Wheeler in serving. The banquet room was prettily decorated with wild cactus and orchids. The officers elected were: President, Mrs. G. M. Scott; vice-president, Mrs. Roy Short; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Van Allison.

The M. P. G. club meets next Tuesday with Mrs. Roy Smith.

**Saginaw Society.**

A farewell party was given in honor of Rev. Taylor Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Witcher, in Delight Valley. Games were enjoyed and at midnight a delicious luncheon was served. Those attending were Kathleen Allen, Harriet Queen, Ruby Keene, Bertha and Lora Neat, Bessie Nichols, Marjorie Vaughn, Ethel Moody, Myrtle Witcher, Mrs. A. O. Vaughn, Mrs. Charles Nichols, Mary Neat, Merle Scott, Bowman Hartley, Kelly Moody, Howard Keene, Carl Nichols, Tom and Ed Queener, Ivan Witcher, Roy Taplin and Mr. White.

A surprise birthday party was given on Mrs. O. J. Kayser at her home Friday night. Those enjoying the occasion were Inez Tucker, Mildred Hopper, Echo and Valta Walker, Ruby Keene, Marjorie Vaughn, Nora Lebow, Thomas Quinn, Gale and Ansel Walker, Tom Queener, Glen Smith and Clifton Hopper.

The Good Neighbors club met at the home of Mrs. Taplin Thursday and quitted a quilt.

**Delight Valley Society.**

Mrs. Ernest Sears was hostess to the G. T. X. club Wednesday afternoon. A dainty luncheon consisting of pineapple sherbet and cake was served. Mrs. Widdersheim and Mrs. Hogate, of Cottage Grove, were guests.

A farewell party was given in honor of Mr. Taylor Saturday night at the W. A. Witcher home. About twenty-five young people were present.

A surprise party was given Mrs. O. C. Kayser Friday night in honor of her birthday.

**Hebron Society.**

Mrs. Ella Willis entertained the Ladies club last Thursday with a rag carpet sewing. A fine dinner was served at noon. Those present were Mrs. G. A. Shortridge, Mrs. S. P. Short-

ridge, Mrs. G. A. Small, Mrs. R. E. Leaky, Mrs. Clara Gilham, Mrs. Emma Kelly, Mrs. Edith Gilham, Mrs. John Murray, Mrs. George Kappauf, Mrs. Eva Young, Mrs. George Keibelbeck, Mrs. Martha Gilerist, Miss Myrtle Gilham, Miss Olive Shortridge, Miss Edna Shortridge, Miss Irene Wills and Miss Anahell Small. The outside visitors were Mrs. Alice Noth and Miss Jessie Winecoff.

**Delight Valley Society.**

May 2.—The G. T. X. club was most pleasantly entertained last Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Platt and Mrs. Nichols at the Nichols home. A dainty lunch was served by the hostesses.

The Nixon family entertained with a birthday supper Wednesday, May 2, in honor of Grandpa Nixon's eighty-ninth birthday. The guests were the George Hall and Will Hall families, of Cottage Grove.

**Epworth League Elects.**

The Epworth league of the Methodist church has elected the following officers: President, Lola Wilson; first vice-president, Fay Sams; second vice-president, Lester Phelps; third vice-president, Marie Jones; fourth vice-president, Mabel Wilson; secretary, Curran Purvance; treasurer, Neita Hazelton; organist, Elsie Baimbridge.

**Home Guard, Attention!**

A meeting for the organization of the home guard will be held at the city hall tomorrow night, at which time the details of organization will be taken up and decided upon. As the amount of ammunition and number of guns depend upon the number of members, it is desired to have as large a turnout as possible.

**Card of Thanks.**

To the neighbors, Rebekah lodge and all others who were so kind to us during the sickness and death of our daughter, especially to those who furnished the beautiful flowers, we wish to express our sincere appreciation.

MR. AND MRS. D. STERLING.

**COUNTY BILLED FOR BIG AGRICULTURAL MEETINGS**

The county has been billed for meetings on Saturday, May 12, which has been designated by the governor as Agricultural Defense day. The posters advertising the meetings have been sent out by N. S. Robb, Lane county agricultural agent, and P. T. Fortner, his assistant.

In this section of the county meetings will be held at 2 p. m. at Cottage Grove, Creswell, Loran and Dorena.

**Will of Mrs. Lurch Filed.**

The will of the late Mrs. Lena Lurch, of Cottage Grove, who died at Oakland, Calif., April 21, 1917, was admitted to probate last week. According to the petition to probate the will, the property of the estate is valued at \$13,000. In her will Mrs. Lurch bequeathed \$1000 each to her daughters, Mrs. Lillie Kreuger and Mrs. Celia McCreadie, and the remainder to her husband, Benjamin Lurch. The court appointed Mr. Lurch as executor and George M. Hall, George Lea and W. P. Hubbell as appraisers.

**No Final Spelling Match.**

No final spelling match for Lane county will be held in Eugene this year. The match will be held on Friday, May 18, in all schools which are still in session at that time. The results will be sent to the superintendent who will make out the certificates of merit and send them to the winners. In former years, the spelling match has been a feature of the annual school rally.

**AMONG THE CHURCHES**

**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.

Rev. J. L. Beatty will preach in the Presbyterian church in the morning and Rev. J. W. Perkins in the evening.

**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.

Rev. J. W. Perkins, county juvenile officer, will speak in the morning. In the evening the twenty-eighth anniversary of the Epworth league will be observed.

**Christian Church**—Walter Callison, 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.

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

**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.

**First Church of Spiritual Science**—Nellie Wood McKinney, pastor. Meetings every Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m., at the McKinney home, Twelfth street and Washington avenue.

**Eighth Grade Examinations.**

The regular State Eighth Grade Examinations will be given in School Districts where there are pupils to take them, on Thursday and Friday, May 17 and 18, 1917, according to the schedule and rules sent to the chairman of the board.

E. J. MOORE,  
Co. School Supt.

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A Tragic Cantata

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Claud Kime Frank Wallace

Miller Mosby Glen Smith

Reader—Worth Harvey

Music under direction of Esther Sibley

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Piano Solo—Eva Hartung Selected

Violin Solo—Menuet—Handel

Thelma Wilkinson

Vocal Solo—By the Waters of Minnetonka—Thurlow Lieurance

Reading—Hildred Hall

Reading—Ruth Jorgenson Bryer Rose

Vocal Solo—Maytime—Oley Speaks

Reading—Lois Thomas

Reading—Martha Wilkinson Nigger Baby

Vocal Solo—Because I Love You, Dear—Veta Hickey

EVERYGIRL

A Humorous Musical Play in Two Acts.

Cast of Characters:

School Bell Slang—Helen Rudolph

Question Mark—Hildred Hall

Doleful Dumps—Marie Kidings

Examination—Bertha Stephens

Nothing—Martha Wilkinson

Everygirl—Ruby Hendry

Jealousy—Wilma Allen

Hate—Marie Jones

Love—Hildred Hall

Loyalty—Helen Simpson

Alma Mater—Eunice Vandenberg

Laughter—Hazel Loucks

CHORUSES

Little Dances

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Schoolmates:

Popular Girl—Marie Jones

Flirt—Ruth Jorgenson

Athletic Girl—Marie Kidings

Grind—Elizabeth McCargar

The Clique

Myrtle Potts at the piano

Act I—Everygirl, who has had a bad time with Exams, is in the power of Doleful Dumps and his helpers, who wish her to be unhappy.

Interlude

Piano Trio—Charge of the Hussars

Ruth Stewart, Bethel Gowdy, Juanita Short

Vocal Solo—The Naughty Tulip—Mary Turner Salter

Mary Ellen Benson

Act II—A better influence is brought around Everygirl by Love, Loyalty and Laughter and she again loves her Alma Mater.

## HONOR GUARD GIRLS DRILL SAME AS MEN

The Honor Guard girls propose to be as well prepared for emergencies as the men, and last night they commenced the regular military training. The first lesson was in floor work and they were instructed by Lieutenant King and Sergeants Roy and Dan Woods. Thirty-five were present and all were enthusiastic. Captain Woods said he never had seen anyone pick up the work so quickly and none wished to quit when the hour's drill was completed. The drill will be continued every Wednesday night. After the militia officers are called away some ex-member will act as drill officer.

You wouldn't live in a community that didn't have a newspaper. Are you doing your part to keep a newspaper in the community?

**MRS. J. M. COMER IS DEAD AT THE AGE OF 71 YEARS**

Mrs. J. M. Comer died Sunday afternoon, following a lingering illness. The funeral was held at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon from the Seventh-day Adventist church, Elder J. A. Rippey, of Roseburg, officiating.

Deborah Woolley was born in McDonough county, Ill., January 1, 1846. She was married to J. M. Comer, in Illinois, September 24, 1863. They moved to Minnesota in 1864 and to Oregon in 1890. She was a member of the Adventist church for 40 years. Eight children born to the union are all living. Those present at the funeral were George F. Comer, of Portland; Mrs. Cornelia Drake, of Newport; Mrs. L. M. Tucker, of Cottage Grove, and Mrs. Minnie Fox, of Medford. Those unable to be present were O. P. Comer, Howard Lake, Minn.; J. W. Comer, Fargo, N. D.; J. Mark Comer, of Calcutta, India, and F. M. Comer, of Pillsbury, N. D. There are 18 surviving grandchildren and 9 surviving great-grandchildren.

Those from out of the city present at

the funeral, besides the children, were Mrs. Al Larrabee, a sister, of Portland; Mrs. Ed. O'Neil, a niece, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Comer, brother and sister-in-law, of Drain; I. B. Hucksins, nephew, of Drain, and Zena Wheeler, a granddaughter, of Newport.

**Card of Thanks.**

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the sympathy and many kindnesses shown us in our recent bereavement. Especially did we appreciate the floral tributes.

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**SOUTHERN PACIFIC TIME TABLE**

North Bound South Bound

No. 16—2:28 a. m. No. 13—1:00 a. m.

No. 18—9:56 a. m. No. 17—7:10 a. m.

No. 14—4:35 p. m. No. 15—2:42 p. m.

No. 19—7:40 p. m.

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