O. E. S. Has Interesting Session.

One of the most interesting sessions in the history of the local chapter of the Eastern Star was held Friday evening, when all the chairs were held by past matrons and past patrons, who were dressed in full colonial costumes in honor of Washington's birthday. Those who held the chairs were Mrs. G. M. Scott, matron; M. H. Anderson, patron; Mrs. H. H. Veatch, associate matron; Worth Harvey, chaplain; Mrs. H. A. Miller, organist; K. K. Mills, secretary; T. C. Wheeler, treasurer; Mrs. Clara Burkholder, conductress; Mrs. Andrew Brund, associate conductress; Mrs. W. G. Perry, Ada; Mrs. Lydia Stouffer, Ruth; Miss Elsie Lea, Esther; Mrs. T. C. Wheeler, Martha; Mrs. J. H. Chambers, Electa; G. M. Scott, scatinel; H. H. Veatch, warder, Mrs. Lydia Stouffer, the only charter member present, was presented with a beautiful bouquet of violets. The only other living charter member is Ben Lurch. Letters were read from Past Grand Patron Darwin Bristow and Mrs. Bristow, of Eugene: Mrs. Merle Scovell, of Withrow, Wash. Ren Sanford and Mrs. J. P. Graham, of

The following program was given: Sweet and Low, sung and posed by Mrs. Roy Short; Last Rose of Summer, sung by Mrs. Brund and posed by Mrs. Nelson Durham; Annie Laurie, sung by Miss Frances Beatty and posed by Mrs. C. C. Corson; Mother Machree, sung by Mrs. Roy Short and posed by Mrs. Helen Silsby; Speed of Our Republic sung by quartet and posed by W. J. Woods; The Story of Old Glory, sung by Worth Harvey and posed by Miss Muriel Shay.

The monthly supper of the Eastern Star was given preceding the meeting. The past matrons and patrons lodge was arranged by Mrs. H. A. Miller and the program by Mrs. K. K. Mills, present

Mrs. Ilma Beager entertained the Joker club at a six o'clock dinner Saturday evening, a three-course meal be ing served. The decorations were of Japanese quince and ferns. After dinner the diversion was five hundred. Those present were Mrs. Alfred Skei, Mrs. Will Hall, Mrs. C. E. Frost, Mrs. VanDenburg, Mrs. Burkholder, Miss Hunter, Miss Silsby, Miss Burkholder, Miss VanDenburg, Miss McDonald, Miss Kinsey, Miss Currin and Mrs. Beager.

The monthly Eastern Star supper was held Friday evening, about 50 members of the Star and their husbands partaking. Mrs. Nelson Durham, Mrs. Van Allison and Mrs. Elbert Bede had charge of the affair.

Anna Sherwood, of Portland, were such a basis. quietly married at Portland Monday and have arrived here to make this their home.

The Constellation club will meet in the banquet room of Masonic temple next Thursday afternoon.

The M. P. G. club will meet next Tuesday with Mrs. O. L. Nichols.

Lorane Society.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the Richardson home Friday evening. Those present were Verne and Dayton Hilamen, Howard Searles, Winford Richardson, Herbert Smith, Raymond Davis, Mary Davis, Grace Hilamen, Emily and Harriet Auld, Grace Henderson and Vida Richardson. . . .

Hebron Society.

About thirty guests enjoyed a delightful party at the Alfred White home Saturday evening.

Soldier Service Planned.

Creswell, Ore., Feb. 27 .- A committee representing the Red Cross, Honor Guard, Modern Woodmen and Boy Scouts met last evening and arranged for a memorial service for next Sunday afternoon at the Etna opera house in honor of James Leroy Pierce, who was a member of Company F. Sixth battalion, Twentieth Engineers, and who was lost on the ill-fated Tuscania,

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POLAND TO BE MADE INDEPENDENT STATE

Amsterdam .- The central powers intend to give self-government to the provinces of Courland and Lithuania, Imperial Chancellor von Hertling declared in his address to the reichstag.

The operations of the central powers in the east, the chancellor said, were being carried out with the sole aim of securing the fruits of the peace with Ukraine. He added:

"We do not intend to establish our selves in Esthonia or Livonia."

The chancellor asserted the central powers had freed Poland with the intention of calling an independent state into existence.

Count von Hertling previously made this declaration: "I can fundamentally agree with the

four principles which, in President Wilson's view, must be applied in a mutual exchange of views and thus declare with President Wilson that a Al. Cruson, of this city, and Mrs. general peace can be discussed on

"Only one reserve need be made in this connection. These principles must not only be proposed by the president of the United States, but also must actually be recognized by all states and peoples."

BRIEF WAR NEWS

The internal situation in Russia continues chaotic. So bad have conditions become in Petrograd that a state of siege has been declared by the military authorities, Germans again have tried to "out-

gun" the Americans in their sector southwest of Toul. As on several former occasions the Americans retaliated with such fierceness and accuracy of aim that the enemy desisted. On the battlefronts nowhere has there been an engagement of great dimensions. On the line in France there have been several patrol encounters, with the French the aggressors against the Germans, of greater than usual violence. The artillery activity along the front continues violent in isolated sectors.

Russia has accepted probably the most costly peace terms ever laid down by a conquering nation to a defeated government. The German de mands include more extensive annexations of Russian territory than heretofore mentioned, as well as virtually confiscating entente allied warships in Russian waters, favored nation commercial concessions and practically a Teuton protectorate,

Hertling Deceives None But Germans. Washington.-Count von Hertling's speech in the Reichstag, continuing belligerent powers, has not changed the situation, in the opinion of high officials here.

Instead of marking an advance toward peace it is regarded rather as the hands of the German militaristic party by endeavoring to convince the German proletariat of the impracticable nature of President Wilson's war aims as disclosed in his last address to congress on February 11.

Russians Recapture Town.

London. - Pskov, 175 miles southwest of Petrograd, has been recaptured by the Bolsheviki and street fighting is going on there, according tering the wreck of the Red Cross from Petrograd dated Monday.

Inter-Allied Labor Supports War Aims. ference in session here reached an Only two of the 12 women on board It was announced that the annuity, as agreement to support the British war and none of the four children were the lady was living in Germany, would aims program.

RUSSIAN SOLDIERS

REFUSE TO FIGHT

Then Enroll With Enthusion in Response to Call Workmen Enroll With Enthusiasm in Response to Call of Bolsheviki.

London.-If special dispatches from Petrograd gauge accurately the situation there the Germans are likely to find little difficulty in occupying the city with trained troops. Russian soldiers quite frankly refuse to fight and say "we have had enough of fighting. If the Germans come let them take

There is a stiffer attitude among the workmen from whom, if at all, resistance to the Germans must come. Even though for lack of training their resistance should prove of little value, they are said to be enrolling with enthusiasm in response to the call of the Bolsheviki leaders. The correspondent of the Daily News, writing

"Russian troops almost without exception have flatly refused to fight in the Naval Reserve as a cook, is the defending Narva has arrived at Gatfirst woman enrolled in that branch of china. Ensign Krylenko protested.

An official Russian statement sent out by wireless and which announces that Germany has refused to grant an armistice, says the Russian revolution

The announcement reads

"We are prepared to sign their peace of usurpation. We have already declared this, but there are many in dications that the German imperialists do not desire peace at the present moment, but rather an immediate strangling of the workmen's and peasants' revolution.

"Resistance to the German hordes thus becomes the principal task of the revolution-brave, heroic, obstinate and pitiless resistance. Every position, every railway, every locome tive must be defended. Every possi ble obstacle must be put in the way

AMERICAN PATROL TAKES 22 TEUTONS

With the American Army an France. penetrated a few hundred yards into mittees, farmers' organizations, county the German lines and captured two defense councils, school superintend-German officers, 20 men and one malents and principals and commercial.

in the Chemin-des-Dames show that 26 picked American soldiers participated, after every member of their battalion had volunteered.

The Americans moved forward eagerly to the attack behind a barrage fire, the first time this has been done by our troops. Some of the Americans made captures and others chased Prussian troops through the trenches as far as 750 meters, going beyond the objectives sought. The raid had been planned carefully and rehearsals were held the day before. The barrage fire began at 5:30 o'clock in the morning and continued until 6:35, guns of all calibers taking part.

The artillery duel in the American sector north-northwest of Toul grows more intense daily. The Germans fired 100 or more shells during the last 24 hours and later began to bombard violently some of our batteries with gas and high explosive shells.

EXPORTS OF NEUTRALS LESS

Shipments to Germany Drop Sixty-Five Per Cent.

Washington.-Food shipments from the northern European neutral countries to Germany have been cut 65 to 85 per cent since last year, by the operation of America's export control, as disclosed in the first annual report | tion to Cleveland or Pittsburgh or St. of the war trade board. The effect has been also to decrease to a marked extent shipments of other commodities from neutral countries to the en-

"In undertaking to supply the food and other vital wants of neutral peoples, under carefully considered agreements," it declared, "the board has desired to prevent acute suffering in these countries and to prevent them from falling under the economic power of the enemy. With German traders and comforters in neutral countries, however, there is no compromise indicated, but relentless isolation."

44 Survive Wreck of Liner Florizel. St. Johns. N. F.-Boat crews from the Newfoundland steamer Prospero, braving the breakers which are batthat were left of the ship's company of 136. The death list stands at 92. saved.

WANTED Will buy any kind of good work horses weighing from 1200 pounds up. I would like a few heavy mares that

A division which was supposed to be They replied they did not intend to

ACTION ON FOOD URGED

Will be at Cottage Grove

Saturday, March 2

Washington Administrator to Call Conferences to Increase Production.

are in foal.

Spokane.-County Food Production conferences throughout the state were called by Charles Hebberd, state food administrator, for Saturday, March 9, in telegrams to county food adminis--An American patrol in the Chemin trators of Washington. He asks that des-Dames sector, in conjunction with on that date, in every county in the state, joint conferences of food com labor and women's organizations be Details of the Franco-American raid held to consider the food production problem for next season.

Mr. Hebberd also wired Governor Lister and the State Council of Defense, asking that special recognition be given March 9 as "Food Production Day in Washington," and also took up with state heads of farmers' and labor organizations the matter of assisting in the proposed campaign.

Toledo Has Big Blaze.

Toledo, Wash.-One of the most disastrous fires this little town ever experienced occurred Sunday night about 12 o'clock. The loss is estimated at around \$10,000, partially covered by insurance.

Sixteen New American Cities. Some idea of the vast extent of the

work involved in building cantonments for the new national army is given in the following paragraph from Edward 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. Hungerford's "The Camps of the First Half Million," in Everybody's:

"Sixteen new cities for America! Sixteen cities, each of the size of Easton, Pa., or Elmira, N. Y., or Kalamazoo, Mich.; each built to a definite and fairly common plan, and all completed within from 100 to 120 days. Here, then, was some slight measure of the problem. To measure it in still another way, consider the building of a community of wood equal in popula-Louis; then the division of that great town into sixteen separate communities or cantonments-an average of one for each three states-and spread all the way across the face of the land from the commonwealth of Massachusetts to the state of Washington.

Oldest European Royalty. Though the late Emperor Francis Joseph was the oldest reigning sovereign in Europe, he was not the oldest royalty, says London Tit-Bits. The Empress Eugenie is four years older, while the Downger Grand Duchess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, the grandmother of the grand duke, is eight years older. Thus the last surviving grandchild of George III was the oldest royalty in Europe. The elder sister of the late Duke of Cambridge, and consequently the aunt of Queen Mary of England, it was June 28, 1943, that her marriage took place at Buckingto an Exchange Telegraph dispatch liner Florizel on the ledges north of ham palace. She received an annuity Cape Race, took off 44 survivors, all of \$15,000 a year from the British exchequer, which, being paid since for the period of seventy-three years, would amount to the tidy sum of \$1,-London.-The inter-allied labor con- Of the rescued, 17 are passengers. 095,000. But when the war broke out

be stopped.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

EARL M'NUTT

astor. Sunday school at 10 a.m. Reg ar preaching services at 11 a.m. and week prayer meeting Thursday evening Morning sermon, "Baptism." Even ig sermon, "How to Be Saved."

Presbyterian Church-D. A. MacLeod, one 137 R. Bible Morning worship at 11; evening worship at 7:30; bible study Wednesday enings at 7:30

Morning, "Jesus Only," No service Christian Church-Walter Callison, minister. Bible school 9:45 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. E. S. Muckley, of Portland, will speak

oth morning and evening. Subject at 10:45 a. m., "The New Philanthropy. Subject at 7:30 p. m., "Debts and In | vestments."

Baptist Church-E. G. O. Groat, pastor emeritus. Sunday school at 10 a.m. Preaching at 11 a.m. Prayer meet ing Thursday evening at 7:30.

Christian Science Church-Services in the chapel at 242 Second street each Sunday at 11 a. m. Regular testimonial eting 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,

Gospel Mission-W. B. Finney and wife, leaders. Second door south of the creamery. Services Tuesday and Friday at 7:30 p. m. Sunday services at

Sweet and Low.

A young man named Sweet engaged to marry a young woman named Lowe. A few Sundays previous to the wed- paper for publication. ding the happy couple attended church together, and as they walked along the aisle the choir began singing the song "Sweet and Low," entirely unconscious of the musical pun that was being per-

Mondays and Wednesdays have been designated as wheatless days and any Methodist Church-Rev. Jos. Knotts, each day as wheatless meals. Many every other day and meal. Following is a letter from W. K. Newell, assistant federal food administrator for Oregon,

utes and Victory pastry, pies, cakes, te, made of one third substitutes, neals. This practically makes wheatless lays and wheatless meals all the time, out in addition to that everybody is arged to use a large percentage of subtitutes wherever possible. All public ating houses will be permitted to erve these Victory products on wheatess days and meals provided they serve hem on every day and meal."

Directions for making some of the Liberty brends will be given next week.

Resolutions of Condolence.

Whereas, The silent messenger of Death has entered our fraternal circle with a summons for our exteemed brother, Robert Griffin:

Whereas, He was an earnest and aithful worker for the good of the orler during his thirty years' membership. n this lodge, therefore,

Be it resolved, That the heartfelt ympathy*of Cottage Grove Rebekah odge be extended to the bereaved famly who have lost a loving father. May he Heavenly Father remove the clouds d sorrow from their hearts,

Resolved, That the charter of this lodge be draped in mourning for thirty days; that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this lodge, a copy be sent to the bereaved family, and a copy be sent to the local

JENNIE JACKSON, LIZZIE HALL, ANNIE HUBBEL

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