

SOCIETY

By Margaret Spangler.

Interests of Fair week and the initial week of the public schools added to the activities of a patriotic nature have forced things social almost entirely into the background this week. After the boys and girls were all safely started in their new year of school work interest turned to the Lane county fair where it was found that here, as in so many things, war time simplicity, economy and emphasis on basic things with the frills left off was the keynote. Many changes in the usual order of county fairs was significantly noticeable especially in regard to women's activities. The Red Cross booths occupying prominent places testified to the great labor of love that the women of the county have performed during the past year and the substitution of cleverly made-over clothing for the usual fold-de-rols of embroidery also brought out a new note. The lack of the old shows and substitution of worth while entertainments every night was indeed a pleasing note for while the kiddies were not deprived of their fun, on the merry-go-round and ferris wheel the opportunity for entertainment probably was more general than it would have been with the usual shows for which no one feels nowadays that the money should be spent.

Many women of the city were busy with the work of the fourth Liberty Loan, working morning and afternoon in the chamber of commerce rooms sending out assessments and literature and planning for the Mothers' Day parade which was held with so much inspiration this afternoon.

Red Cross has claimed more attention than usual to this week, in the effort to fill the quota of sphagnum moss pads by the end of the week and officials are now rejoicing over the fact that again the chapter has come up to standard and through the splendid work of its members made the required number of pads.

MRS. CASE GIVES AFFAIR FOR CHOIR

Mrs. William Moll Case entertained the girls of the Presbyterian church choir on Thursday evening at a merry buffet dinner at the Coburg bridge on the McKenzie. The guests motored out to the picnic grounds late in the afternoon and after building a camp fire, enjoyed a picnic supper served by the hostesses. After supper, music and conversation about the camp fire served to while away a pleasant evening after which they motored back by moonlight. The young ladies of the choir who enjoyed this affair were: Miss Lois Gray, Miss Virginia Gray, Miss Helen Dresser, Miss Marjorie Dresser, Miss Margaret Dixon, Miss Leona Maxwell, Miss Helen Smith, Mrs. A. J. Dely, Miss Gladys Carnahan, Miss Dorothy Carnahan, Miss Dorothy Dickie, Miss Dorothy Brodie, Miss Dorothy Collier, Miss Madge Calkins, Miss Lillian Brock, Miss Cora Caswell, Miss Helen Andrews, Miss Marian Andrews, Miss Aldine Hillpot, Miss Florence Bingham and Miss Leola Green.

Y. W. C. A. OF HIGH SCHOOL GIVES RECEPTION FRIDAY

The Y. W. C. A. girls of the Eugene high school gave their annual reception in the music room of the high school building Friday afternoon. The room was beautifully decorated with a profusion of autumn leaves hanked in the corners and placed about the walls. About sixty girls were guests for the afternoon and enjoyed a program for which Miss Tirza Dinsdale, secretary of the University of Oregon Y. W. C. A., gave an informal talk. Miss Leola Green gave a vocal solo and Miss Alberta Potter played a violin solo. Following the program everyone gathered about the piano and joined in singing familiar songs. The affair then resolved itself into a general acquaintance party with guests chatting over punch and wafers which were served by the hostesses.

ENTERTAINS FOR FRIEND

Mrs. Claire Pennington was hostess to a few friends on Wednesday evening honoring Miss Pauline Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wheeler, former residents of Eugene who have recently returned from California to this city to make their home. Miss Wheeler will leave soon for Stanford University, where she will continue her college work in her Junior year and where she is a member of Delta Delta Delta fraternity. The young ladies who gathered in her honor Wednesday evening, at the home of Mrs. Pennington's mother, Mrs. Cora Rhodes, spent the hours in chatting and at the close of the evening the hostess served a dainty two-course luncheon. For the serving the guests were seated about a rose centered table. Besides the honor guest those who enjoyed Mrs. Pennington's hospitality were Miss Gretchen Wheeler, Miss Brownell Fraser, Miss Janet Fraser, Miss Ruby Bogue and Miss Iris Blewett.

MRS. CLORAN HAS LUNCHEON

Mrs. William Shedd of Palo Alto, was the guest of honor at a pretty luncheon given Thursday noon by Mrs. Timothy Cloran. The home of the hostess was bright with a profusion of asters in the different rooms and they served as a dainty centerpiece on the table, about which the luncheon guests gathered. Place cards corresponded to the centerpiece, bearing painted asters. The guests spent the afternoon following the luncheon, together, knitting and sewing while they chatted. Those who enjoyed Mrs. Cloran's hospitality were Mrs. J. W. Ford, Mrs. Cal Young, Mrs. Fred Stuckels, Mrs. Elbert Thrall, Mrs. Frank Chambers, Mrs. F. G. Young and Mrs. H. D. Sheldon.

WEDNESDAY WHIST CLUB HAS FIRST MEETING

On Wednesday afternoon the Wednesday Whist club met for the first time since the regular meeting was abandoned for the summer. The hostess for this meeting was Mrs. S. J. Wilson and Mrs. W. M. Green and Mrs. M. C. Harris were

invited to be special guests for the afternoon. The hours were spent in the usual pastime of the club and at the end of the time allotted for the games of whist Mrs. G. N. Frazer held the highest score and was awarded the Tariff stamps which are always given as the high score prize in this club. In two weeks the club will meet again and Mrs. Lucy Abrams will act as hostess.

GIVE LUNCHEON ON TUESDAY

Mrs. W. P. Fell and her daughters, Miss Margaret Fell and Miss Esther Fell were hostesses on Tuesday noon for a luncheon given for three of their friends, two of whom are leaving the city for the winter. The guests of honor are Miss Miriam Tinker who left on Friday for Oakland, Oregon, where she will teach during the winter; Mrs. Austin Cheney, nee Annette Spencer, who leaves soon for Portland to enter a business college and Miss Virginia Smith. The luncheon table was centered with an exquisite centerpiece of petunias and heliotrope and each place was marked by a clever dinner gram as place cards in the form of Western Union telegrams containing the guest's name and an appropriate message. The afternoon following luncheon, was spent in congenial chatting. Aside from the honor guests and the hostesses covers were laid at the luncheon table for Mrs. E. C. Stoker, Miss Martha Tinker and Miss Bernice Spencer.

SOCIETY PERSONALS

Mrs. C. E. Stocker arrived in the city this week from Pendleton and will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Fell.

Mrs. Austin Chaney, formerly Miss Annette Spencer, plans to leave soon for Portland where she will enter Beluk-Walker business college. Mrs. Chaney attended the University of Oregon last year and is a Pi Beta Phi. Mr. Chaney is in Camp Lewis having entered the service recently.

Miss Miriam Tinker, a former University of Oregon student and a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority, left on Friday for Oakland, Oregon and will teach there during the coming winter.

Miss Winifred Starbuck, a 1918 graduate of the University of Oregon and a member of Delta Delta Delta leaves this week end for Thurston where she will teach in the high school.

Mrs. William Shedd of Palo Alto is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ford, north of the city.

Mrs. H. D. Sheldon has returned from a trip to the east where she spent the summer with her mother near Worcester, Massachusetts.

VAUGHN STATION SOCIETY

Vaughn Station, Or., Sept. 16.—Sunday was the occasion of a dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Vaughn in honor of Mr. Vaughn's birthday. The table was bountifully spread with a large variety of delicious food. In the afternoon ice-cream was served to the guests. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Vaughn and family, Mr. and Mrs. George

Vaughn, Roll Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sutherland and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cram, Mr. and Mrs. Morganty and baby, Mrs. Patti and daughters, Sadie and Ida, Miss Merle Hunter, Miss Vera Vaughn, Glen Harrison, Veima Vaughn, Lester, Harold and Dorris Vaughn.

SPRINGFIELD SOCIETY

A few of Miss Laurel Griffin's class mates, gathered at her home on Wednesday evening, to bid her goodbye, as she and her mother were leaving for Astoria on Thursday morning. Those who enjoyed Miss Griffin's hospitality were the Misses Helen Stevens, Edna Moe, Carrie Ditto and Sylvia Strubin.

Little Stories of the War

By E. A. BATCHELOR

Paris, Sept. 9.—(By Mail).—Among the spoils of war recovered by American soldiers in their victorious fighting through the Chateau-Thierry region are numerous pairs of fine binoculars, hastily discarded by German officers. In some sections, where the Yankees had made a sudden attack, and Fritz had been obliged to "beat it" quickly, it seemed to have been raining field glasses when the victors reached the scene.

A canteen worker attached to one of the Y. M. C. A. huts near the front was talking with a "hard guy" in khaki. The "hard guy" was from east St. Louis.

"Why is it," said the Red Triangle man, "that the Germans threw away so many pairs of binoculars when they got ready to beat it? The glasses weigh practically nothing, and, as they are attached to a strap hung around the neck, they wouldn't be any trouble to carry. I can understand a soldier shedding his overcoat, knapsack, rifle and tin hat, if he was in a hurry to get thither from hither, but why unload an article that is expensive and hard to get at any price, when it is as small and light as a pair of field glasses?"

"Listen, bo," replied the east St. Louis soldier. "Them Huns ain't making no sucker play when they cans them field cheaters. They knows something, does them Heines."

"After goin' up agin us Yanks a couple times, they savvy that they ain't going to need no glasses to see us 'cause we're goin' to be right on top of 'em. No, sir, when they was chasin' them Roosians all over the map over on the east front, they had to have glasses to see their prey, but they ain't no guy in the boche army that is so near-sighted he won't see us Americans if he just sticks around."

"What them birds figures they need is speed, not glasses. And take it from me, that ain't bad figuring either."

American Woman Gives Soda Fountain for Yankee Tars

London, Aug. 22.—(By mail).—For a sailor in the American navy 5,000 miles and more from home, in a land where the Yankee soda fountain doesn't grow except in a few so-called "American" stores in London, shore leave at a certain Irish port was a melancholy affair.

Some such vision as this must have come to Mrs. Henry R. Rae, an American woman, when she gave \$1,000 to the navy to be spent in adding to the comfort of the sailors at the port in question. After much official correspondence between the American naval headquarters at London, the navy department, the American commander at the Irish port and Mrs. Rae, it was finally decided to purchase a soda fountain for the shore rest station.

The result is that the camp now possesses on marble-topped, 6-foot fountain with gas-making machine and the remains of 63 gallons of strawberry syrup, 32 of raspberry, 31 of pineapple, 14 of Cocoa paste and 6,000 pounds of granulated sugar.

Gasoline Is Fully as Dangerous as Dynamite

Many automobile owners do not fully realize the danger connected with the careless handling of gasoline, comments the Popular Science Monthly for August. In a general way they recognize the explosive power of the liquid, but few of them know how great that explosive power is. A writer in one of the magazines devoted to the automobile trade seeks to make this clear and more impressive by comparing the explosive power of gasoline with that of dynamite. He points to the fact that gas line even at low temperature, constantly develops an explosive vapor. Five gallons of gasoline will generate 8,000 cubic feet of gas, which, if ignited, expands 4,000 times. One gallon of gasoline, properly mixed with air and compressed, is equal to about eighty-three pounds of dynamite in explosive force. What makes gasoline particularly dangerous is the fact that it is more rapidly ignited and exploded than dynamite. One can never be too careful in handling gasoline under any and all circumstances.


American Airmen Bomb Road Swarming With Hun Troops

London, Sept. 20.—One hundred and fifty American airmen swooped down on a road crowded with German soldiers during the advance into the St. Mihiel sector, dropping bombs and firing machine guns, according to stories of America's first personally conducted battle printed here.

The Germans were retreating along two main roads, the despatches said. One of these was closed by American fire and the Germans were all sent down the other road, with the result that they were seen and attacked by the Americans.

SCHOOL WORKER RETURNS

Rev. E. R. Martin, who is associated with the American Sunday school union, returned to his home at Portland this morning. He had spent the past week in this city on business.



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Church Congregations Will Unite In A Great Liberty Loan Meeting

Eugene churches generally will unite with the fourth Liberty loan campaign committee in a great mass meeting to be held at the armory Sunday night. Captain Thomas E. Seddon who was sent to the United States by the British war mission will be the speaker.

Captain Seddon is an officer of the New Zealand army. He is the second son of the late Right Honorable R. J. Seddon, P. C., LL.D., who was for 13 years premier of New Zealand. He succeeded his father, who died in 1906, as member for Westland in the parliament of New Zealand and has retained the seat ever since. He volunteered in 1915 with the New Zealand forces and first saw service in Egypt. His command was sent to France in April, 1916, and assigned to the trenches in Armentieres. Captain Seddon was then bombing officer of his company, the 13th Westland and North Canterbury.

Captain Seddon was wounded at the battle of the Somme. He saw service at Ploegsteert and at the battle of Passchendaele and commanded the 12th Nelson company at the Heights of Abraham, being gassed in the engagement at that place. He also took part in the fighting at Amiens.

On account of the request of Mr. Goodrich for the churches to join in mass meeting at the Armory on Sunday evening in the interests of the Liberty loan, there will be no services at the church at that hour. A full attendance at the Bible School and at the morning service is desired. On Sunday, the 29th, the pastor will close his services with this congregation.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
Church edifice southeast corner of Twelfth and Oak streets. Sunday school 9:30. Sunday services at 11 a. m., subject, "Matter."

THE SALVATION ARMY
147 Ninth Avenue East. Captain H. R. Briggs and J. T. McKay, Envoy, officers in charge. Meetings: Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday, 8 p. m.; Sunday holiness meeting, 11 a. m.; Company meeting, 3 p. m.; Y. P. S., 6:30 p. m.; Salvation meeting, 8:00 p. m. All meetings preceded by open air at Ninth and Willamette Streets.

FIRST UNITARIAN
Eleventh and Ferry. Pastor, Andrew Fish. Services and church school will be resumed after summer vacation on September 29th.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL
Corner of Charleston and Seventh avenue west. A. M. Spangler pastor. G. D. Linn, Sunday School superintendent. Sunday school at 10. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor at 11. Theme: "Staying on His Hands." Y. P. S. C. E.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL
Corner of Seventh avenue and Olive street. Rev. Frederick G. Jennings, rector. Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity. Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. The evening service has been canceled in the interest of the union Patriotic meeting at the armory.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Willamette street, between Eleventh and Thirteenth, George H. Parkinson pastor. Sunday school at 9:30. L. I. Lewis, superintendent. Interesting classes for all. Preaching at 10:45 by the pastor. Text, "How Many Leaves Have Ye? Go and See." The Epworth league meets at 6:45. The interests in the young people's services is increasing and large numbers are attending. A special invitation is extended to all strangers in the city to attend. In the evening at 8 o'clock this church will unite with the others in attending the meeting at the auditorium in the interest of the Liberty Loan campaign. This is the last Sunday before the annual conference and all subscriptions must be paid as the pastor will save for the Annual Conference Monday afternoon.

MEN FEEL TIRED, TOO.
While much is said about tired women it must be remembered that men also pay the penalty of overwork. When the kidneys are weak, tired, or sluggish, when one feels tired and miserable, lacks energy and ambition, Foley Kidney Pills are tonic and strengthening. Wm. H. Clark, Springfield, Ohio, writes: "I found no relief from kidney trouble until I discovered Foley Kidney Pills. Now I am in a shape." They act quickly and surely.

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