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## FASHIONABLE WASHINGTON BALLROOM TURNED OVER TO CONGRESSMEN-WIVES FOR RED CROSS

Washington, July 14.—Of Washington's ballrooms, built for theatrical affairs, there's at least one that isn't being danced in right now. A rattle-in-buzz sings in the ear as the door to the ballroom of the Congressional club is approached, and the creak of rocking chairs is heard. A peep through the doorway discloses matrons and maids, portly and slender, sleeves bared to the elbow, bending busily over sewing machines, or humming as they rock back and forth, daintily jabbing and pulling needles through yards of cloth.

They are daughters and wives of United States senators and representatives, making countless articles for Uncle Sam's gay young war dogs—and, sea and air.

The women are working under direction of the Red Cross. What they do is what is wanted. Their work is real, downright, back-bending work with a capital W.

A visitor, incidentally gets very little attention in this reconstructed ball-room—not even, strange to say, a newspaper reporter. Mrs. Towner, wife of the Iowa representative and Mrs. Padgett, wife of the house naval committee chairman, did get up from their sewing ma-

chines long enough to give a few two-and-three-word answers to reporter's questions. However, they wouldn't have got up then, if Mrs. Towner's cloth hadn't given out, and if Mrs. Padgett's machine didn't need oiling. (Mrs. Padgett confessed, also, in and aside, that she just had to straighten out the kinks in her back and roll up her sleeves again.)

Mrs. Towner explained she couldn't talk long, as "the girls" had to finish 11 suits of pajamas the same day.

But this isn't all the Congressional club is doing. They have sent out thousands of copies of the Red Cross directory of chapters, to women all over the country, urging them to join their nearest chapter and enter systematically into war relief work.

Then, too, these women receive every day thousands of letters asking all sorts of questions relating to just such work as they are doing. All letters are answered, no matter what their nature is.

Taken, altogether, these women, from a reporter's viewpoint, get more real work done, in less time than their husbands do "On the Hill."

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at the church Wednesday afternoon to work.

Mrs. Dillon was called to Portland Tuesday morning on account of the illness of her daughter, Elizabeth Shoemaker, who was operated on for appendicitis.

Miss Ierne Ahern made a trip to Grants Pass Tuesday in her new Chevrolet.

A Red Cross dance will be given at the grange hall Saturday, July 21. All are invited to come and enjoy the good music, good floor, good supper and good time.

## CHICHESTER'S PILLS

Chewers.

A British food expert's statement that nine people out of ten are digging their graves with their teeth includes those who are constantly chewing the rag as well as those who overeat.

Kansas City Journal.

**LELAND**

Mrs. Tom Critzer Sr., has been very sick with erysipelas, but is improving.

Miss Elizabeth Miller returned home last week from Monmouth, where she graduated from the normal school.

A number of the Leland people spent the Fourth at the Ashland round-up.

Misses Margaret and Laura Strong have returned home from Walker, where they visited their grandmother for several weeks.

John and Sam Anderson returned home last week from Nevada.

Turner Anderson left last week for Chicago. His father accompanied him as far as Chesser, where he will visit his daughter for a short time.

Gene Reed made a business trip to Grants Pass one day last week. Mr. Reed is fire warden for this district again this year.

John DeVall and family motored to Grants Pass Saturday evening on business.

Mr. Orchid and family stopped over on their way home from an auto trip to California points to see Mrs. Orchid's mother, Mrs. Kirk, of Placer.

The farmers are busy haying. The crops are very short this season.

Roy and Minnie Gearhart, of Merlin, were visiting friends in Leland last week.

Ben Layton passed through Leland on Thursday morning's train bound for Fort Leavenworth, where he will be trained for U. S. service in the hospital corps.

**MERLIN**

Mrs. Nellie Shelby returned Monday from Corvallis, having spent the last three weeks attending the summer school at the agricultural college.

W. H. Byrd, of Glendale, a former resident of this place, spent Sunday here.

William Crow has gone to Eugene, where he will visit for some time with relatives and friends.

Miss Anna Hamlin left Tuesday evening for her home at Turner, after visiting a few days here.

Mrs. Chas. Crow has gone to Rogue River, and will spend a week or ten

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**WALDO**

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Albright have returned from a camping trip on Pickett creek.

Messrs. Harris and Akerill are working at the Waldo copper mine.

Mrs. Green, of Kennet, Cal., is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Cash Hendricks.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Al Zaver, a daughter on July 3.

Misses Linnie and Bessie Albright spent Sunday and Monday in Waldo.

Mrs. Martha McCollum, of Vale, Ore., who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bishop near Waldo, called on Mrs. Bert Dysert Monday afternoon.

The Waldo Sunshine club met at the home of Mrs. Ray Cooke near the Deep Gravel mine on Thursday afternoon. The time was pleasantly passed with conversation, fancy work and a short reading by Mrs. Dysert. Dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Frank Stewart, Frank Harris, Bert Dysert, Celia Stagle and the Misses Julia O'Brien, Grace, Alberta and Evelyn Dysert and the hostess, Mrs. Ray Cooke.

Misses Ruby and Essie O'Brien called on Miss Daisy Hervey of Takilma Sunday evening.

Miss Hazel Clay returned to her home in Grants Pass Monday after spending a week visiting friends near Waldo.

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Andrew Carnegie on one occasion said at a dinner:

"Don't believe the old fellows who talk about the superiority of the past over the present. Those old fellows are possessed by the same absurdity which possessed Bush."

"I guess I want a pair of spectacles," Dash said to his oculist.

"A-ha, old age coming on, eh?" laughed the oculist. "Eyes failing—eh, what?"

"No," said Dash. "No, my eyes are forty-five as just as good as ever they were, but—hang it—the light nowadays ain't the same." —Philadelphia Bulletin.