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NEW PASTOR AND FAMILY GIVEN HEARTY WELCOME

At M. E. Church Last Night
Reception With Program
of Interest.

A reception at the M. E. church last night enabled the members and friends of the church to get acquainted with the new pastor, Rev. Gibson, and family, and better acquainted with each other.

With A. M. Hammer presiding talks were heard from different ones, representing the city in a striking manner.

Dr. W. P. White spoke for the pastors, hoping for a fellowship with the new pastor, and the old fashioned gospel. Rev. G. H. Young also spoke in a neat talk.

Mayor Curt welcomed the Gibsons on the part of the city; F. P. Nutting, of the Democrat, for the press; A. L. Fisher, for the commercial club, of which Rev. Gibson's predecessor was a member; Mrs. Archibald gave an appropriate reading on the minister's wife, well made up for the presentation; Dr. Lee spoke for the college; Superintendent Boettcher for the schools of the city; C. E. Sox for the Y. M. C. A.; Dr. Davis for the physicians and Dr. Littler, a superintendent of the schools for ten years. Mrs. Gibson, responding, told how thirty years ago she had resided in Mountainview, Benton county, and of how she and her husband, after their marriage passed thru Albany and were even then delighted with the city.

Rev. Gibson in responding told of the suddenness of the call to Albany, when they had expected to go elsewhere; his pleasure in coming here after all, after living in and around Spokane for nearly thirty years. He proposes to preach the old fashioned gospel, an enemy of destructive criticism and believes that the extra capacity of the church should be utilized, with a big field ripe for the harvest. A striking statement was that in 28 years he had never failed to meet his new congregation the Sunday following the assignment.

A social session followed with refreshments. Albany people generally, who have come in contact with the new pastor and his family are greatly pleased, and count them a splendid addition to the life of the city.

A DANGEROUS BILL.

Full Rental Value Land Tax and Homesteaders' Land Fund Amendment.

There seems to be some confusion in the minds of some voters regarding the Full Rental Value Land Tax & Homesteaders' Land Fund Amendment. It is a most complicated measure. After reading it through one is confused and hardly knows what it is all about.

But there need be no confusion about this measure. It is a single tax measure, pure and simple, although a loan feature has been added. The doctrine of single tax is just this: That all income from land, exclusive of improvements, belongs to the state. "The Full Rental Value Land Tax & Homesteaders' Land Fund Amendment" does this very thing. It calls the income from land "land rent," and under the amendment all this land rent must be paid each year to the state in the shape of taxes. Do you get the idea? It is just single tax under another name. Under single tax all income from land is taken by the state. In this proposed measure income from land is called "land rent" and all of it is taken by the state.

Mr. Uren, who drew the bill, has repeatedly acknowledged that it is the same old single tax that the voters have repeatedly rejected at the polls. Everyone who has carefully read the bill agrees that it is single tax, but under a different name.

Those who are in favor of single tax and government ownership of all land should vote for this measure. Those who are opposed to single tax and believe in private ownership of all land should vote 307 X NO.

 Around Baker.
 1/2 Glen D. Hart while riding on trains around Baker took nine straw votes. Every vote was for Wilson but one, as follows: 46-34, 44-30, 20-11, 10-4, 19-12, 27-30, 41-33 and 31-20. Total 277-200.

Daredevil Kate.

"Daredevil Kate is a character unique in literature and motion-pictures," said Virginia Pearson, star of the William Fox film which bears the name of this heroine, and which comes to the Rolfe Friday. "Kate begins by being a bad woman; then she becomes good; then she relapses into wickedness with redoubled energy; and when again she becomes good, she does so to stay."

It took a minute study of various types of women for Miss Pearson to understand well the character of Kate.

NEXT PRESIDENT MAY BE NAMED BEFORE ELECTION

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The results of the November election, and the name of the next President of the United States may be published in the Democrat before the polls open. This announcement is made by the National Association of Rexall Druggists whose members, numbering over 8,000, are now taking a straw vote. Over 2,500,000 people (nearly all walks of life and covering every state and Territory in the Union. By special arrangement with Fred Dawson, a member of the Rexall Association in Albany, the results of the Straw Vote will be published in this newspaper.

The fact that the members of the Druggists' association operate stores in towns and cities, ranging in population from 100 to 6,000,000 and scattered all over the country, and that they serve a public comprising all classes, agricultural, industrial, commercial and professional, gives to this poll a representative character.

This Straw Vote is the largest ever taken and the first of its kind to be conducted by a national commercial organization, but the drug men have perfected a system for receiving and recording the ballots, that is equalled in scope only by that of the national government. From their headquarters in Boston—the United Drug Company—the 8,000 members of the Rexall Druggists' Association are supplied with the returns. These results are mailed or telegraphed to Boston at the close of business each day. At the Association Headquarters the ballots are tabulated, and the final vote will be placed in the hands of the 8,000 Rexall Druggists before Election Day for simultaneous publication in the Rexall Stores, and in the leading newspapers of every city and town in the United States. Watch this Newspaper for Later Returns. (Paid adv.)

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She has something in common with so many other characters of history and literature, yet she is so distinctly different from any other.

"Kate represents to my mind," said Miss Pearson, "a combination of Carmen, Cleopatra, the Girl of the Golden West, and Cigarette. She is a woman of energy and courage, absolutely fearless; she is a woman of kindness and virtue, without a spark of real evil in her heart."

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Pirtle-Wieder Co. to Edith R. Branderberry, Nov. 30th, 1915. Lands in Pirtle Home Tracts, \$10.

J. I. Banks and wife to Joseph A. Smith, Oct. 16th, 1916. Lands in claim

49, Tp. 12, 2 west, \$10.

Mrs. Rowena H. Jensen to J. O. LaPerle, Aug. 9, 1916. Lands in Sec. 17, Tp. 13, 7 E. \$10.

Lillian McDonald and husband to Maude Inez Thompson, Oct. 2nd, 1916. Lands in Tp. 12, S. R. 3 west, \$10.

Hattie A. Cruson and hus. to F. D.

Cornett and wife. Oct. 4th, 1916. Lands in Sec. 3, Tp. 11, 3 west, \$10.

Percy A. Young, trustee, to Annie E. Boag, Oct. 21, 1916. Lands in Sec. 28, Tp. 10, 2 west, \$10.

C. L. Knapp and wife to L. A. Simons, Sept. 6th, 1916. Lands in Seminary Add. Town of Sodaville, \$1.

F. M. Elstun and wife to John W. Potter, Sept. 26, 1916. Lands in Sec. 36 Tp. 9, 2 east, \$125.

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