

## IN MEDFORD'S SOCIAL REALM

The ladies of St. Mark's Episcopal church have been sharing during the hot weather the general social inertia, but delighted their many friends by giving a lawn social Wednesday evening on the adjoining lawns between the B. C. Kentner home and that of Rev. William Lucas, on West Eleventh street. The yards and porches were made inviting and attractive with many Japanese lanterns lighted by electricity, while the dainty tables each bore a vase of choice midsummer roses. Mrs. Lucas, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Carey, Mrs. Kentner and Mrs. Barneburg were on the receiving committee, while Miss Jennie Snedecor, Miss Ethel Hazelrigg, Miss Gladys Heard and other young ladies of the church served. While the affair was a success from a financial point of view, the delightful feeling of informal sociability was the feature which the ladies desired to emphasize.

The installation of officers in Chrysanthemum Circle, No. 84, was held last Tuesday evening in the hall. The meeting was purely business and the last one until September. Following are the officers for the coming year: Installing officer, Mrs. Maud Day; guardian neighbor, Mrs. Maud Day; advisor, Belle Bennett; magician, Martha Brandon; banker, Marion Metcalf; attendant, Josephine Clark; sentinel, Steven Adams; captain of guards, Belle Shearer; musician, Mabel Jones; manager, Jennie Bellinger. Mrs. R. F. Anderson was initiated into the Circle.

Miss Mary Deuel was a charming hostess Thursday afternoon to a number of her girl friends at the beautiful Deuel home on South Oakdale. At 1:30 p. m. the guests were taken to the dining room, where a delicious four-course luncheon was served. The table was decorated with pink and white sweet peas. After this the girls spent the time with various amusements. Among the guests were Misses Alice Streets, Ruth Merriek, Star Marshall, Ida Lee Kentner, Jeannette Osgood, Helen Worrell, Gertrude Treichler, Lucile Marshall, Hazel Euyart, Jones and Phipps.

"The Wild Olive," by the author of "The Inner Shrine," is like its predecessor, one of those perfectly constructed novels that enchain the interest in the first chapter and does not release it until the last, while the subtle play of emotion and the element of mystery in the book breathe life into every character. Two individuals enmeshed in a web of circumstance make a heroic fight for disentanglement, the outcome of which cannot be forecast till near the end. This one of the strongest books on the shelf.

The Methodist Brotherhood met in business session in the parlors of the church Tuesday evening and elected the following officers: President, Ed Brainerd; vice-president, H. V. Meade; secretary, C. W. French. This is one of the most active men's organizations in the city and have devoted their energies to the financial interests of the church, having subscribed \$500 toward the building fund of the church.

Dr. C. R. Ray and family leave today for a month's outing at Newport.

Miss Marion Merrill was chaperone to her class of Presbyterian Sunday school girls on a trip up the beautiful Ashland canyon. They returned on the late motor and were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Estes, who are spending the summer in Ashland. Mr. Estes is a capitalist and has already invested in considerable Rogue River valley land.

Mr. George L. Treichler and daughter, Miss Gertrude, have returned from a six weeks' trip to their old home at Niagara, N. D. While away they visited in Minneapolis and are accompanied home by Mr. Treichler's youngest daughter, Miss Laura. Until the completion of their bungalow in Queen Anne addition they are occupying the W. J. Roberts residence, on Oakdale avenue.

Mr. Ed Redeker of Aberdeen, Wash., is in Medford for a week, the guest of his niece, Mrs. C. M. Kidd. Mr. Redeker, who is traveling for the Marshall-Wells Hardware company, and sees many valleys, says that Rogue River valley is among the most delightful and progressive that he has yet visited.

Miss May Belle Thomas, who is visiting friends in Klamath Falls, Or., was the guest of honor at an elaborate lawn fete given by a friend in that city, the occasion being the young lady's birthday. Miss Thomas, a former resident of the Falls, is very popular and her many friends were glad to meet her again.

Miss Susie Holmes of Ashland, who is teaching in the schools at Douglas, Alaska, is home for her summer vacation and spent Wednesday and Thursday in Medford, the guest of Miss Beulah Warner. Miss Holmes returns to Alaska about the middle of August.

Mrs. R. W. Clancy leaves next week, accompanied by her little daughter, Miss Winifred, for an extended trip through the east and Canada, when she will visit her former home. Dr. Clancy expects to make the trip later and return home with them.

Miss Adele Pickel, who is the summer guest of her brother, Dr. E. B. Pickel, has been principal and superintendent of the high school at Douglas, Alaska, and resumes work in the fall at Cordova, Alaska, 600 miles north of Douglas.

Mrs. A. Tourney of Siskiyou Heights left Thursday for Seattle, where she will open her former home during the summer months. In September she will ship her household furnishings to Medford and make this a permanent home.

Mrs. W. F. Shields entertained the Bible Study club at her home on South Holly street with a slumber party Friday night, and a most tempting breakfast Saturday morning. The girls report "the best time."

Mrs. R. W. Gray came home Wednesday from Coletsin, where for several days she enjoyed the mountain air and the mineral water fresh from the spring.

Miss Bess Kentner is visiting friends at Coletsin.

### Princess Lwoff Parlghy Paints American Men, but Shies at Women.



Princess Lwoff Parlghy is coming to the United States again in October to paint a picture of President Taft. The princess is a Hungarian artist who has painted seven portraits of Emperor William, besides other members of the courts of Europe. For two years she has been making trips to the United States twice a year and has at last decided that hereafter she will paint American men. The princess does not need the money from her art, for she gives the proceeds from her various works to charity. She has engaged seventeen rooms in a New York hotel for next fall at a rental of \$25,000, and here she will spend a like sum in decorating the rooms to her royal taste. Besides being an artist, the princess likes to travel, but she must have her Pullman car painted white inside and out and is only happy when she carries a number of animals with her. The princess has just completed a life size portrait of Joseph H. Choate. She says that American men have more brains than the men of Europe, and she likes to paint a massive brow. But the women of America are sadly lacking, so the princess says, in faces that appeal to the artist.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. English and daughter, Miss Bertha, a '10 graduate of Stanley Hall, are expected home today from a two months' journey through the east and middle west.

The ladies of the Christian church gave a very pleasant lawn social at the church Tuesday evening. Ice cream, orange sherbet and cake were served and a pleasant evening spent by all in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rothermal have returned from a two weeks' trip to Astoria, where they were guests of Mr. Rothermal's mother, Mrs. C. L. Corwin, and his sister, Mrs. Oriin Whitman.

Mrs. Bert Anderson has gone to Los Angeles and Long Beach for a few weeks' recreation.

Archbishop Chambers of Portland is in the city on business connected with the erection of St. Mark's church, and will remain several weeks, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gray.

Rev. W. F. Shields went to Butte Falls Friday by private conveyance, where he will remain over Sunday, preaching in the interests of the recently organized Presbyterian church at that point.

Mr. D. T. Lawton, who teaches a class of about twenty-five young ladies in the Methodist Episcopal church, afforded them a pleasurable excursion to the Phoenix grove one day last week.

Miss Hazel Euyart is down for a few days' stay from her ranch up the Rogue river.

Miss Bess Earhart, who is teaching in the commercial department of the Tacoma public schools, returns this fall to resume her duties, having spent the summer with her mother and sisters at the old Earhart home.

Mr. Ernest Reunison, who drives a Locomobile on the Medford-Crater Lake passenger route, came to town Friday, accompanied by his wife. They will return to the crater the first of this week.

Misses Margaret Bredsvold, Marion Merrill, Kathryn Lanferman and Frances Merrill are week-end guests of the Misses McKay at their country home, south of Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown have been enjoying a visit from Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brown of San Antonio, Tex.

Misses Eva Osborn and Hazel Anthe leave Monday for a few days' stay at Coletsin. They are to be the guests of Ruth and Esther Warner.

The many friends of the C. C. Beekman of Jacksonville are glad to learn that Mr. Beekman's indisposition was slight and that he has recovered his usual health.

Mrs. D. H. Drewery, who for the past few months has been the soloist at the Presbyterian church, will be heard this morning in "Fear Not Ye, O Israel," by Dudley Beck.

Mrs. Alice Lee of Hereford, Tex., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. T. Howard, of this city, has decided to remain until midwinter.

Miss Fuller of New York arrived in Medford last week and is residing with the Misses Austin on East Main street.

Mrs. E. M. Janney of this city expects to leave the coming Wednesday for several weeks' visit in Minneapolis.

Among this week's tourists to Crater Lake from Medford are Mr. and Mrs. Kinney, Mr. E. C. Ireland and Mr. J. D. Heard and family.

Mrs. L. L. Jacobs has returned from the annual convention of the Degree of Honor in Portland, where she was a delegate.

Mrs. Black, who has been the summer guest of Mrs. R. W. Clancy, left Wednesday evening for her home in Winnipeg.

Miss Carrie Poole went to Grants Pass Wednesday evening for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

J. E. Watt, Mrs. Watt and Miss Helen Watt are among those making the auto trip to Crater Lake this week.

Miss Minnie Jackson is spending the week at Coletsin, the guest of Misses Mary and Edna Gore, who are camped there.

Mrs. C. R. Ray and family, driven by Frank Hull, have returned from an auto trip to Prospect and Crater Lake.

Dr. Louis Bundy and family leave the middle of the week for an outing at Butte Falls.

Mr. M. M. Taylor of Jacksonville has been in the city, the guest of Mrs. Thomas Collins.

Miss Patterson of Ashland visited her aunt, Mrs. Kinsman, in Medford Wednesday.

### GRAND TRUNK STRIKE IS NEAR SETTLEMENT

MONTREAL, Que., July 30.—A settlement of the Grand Trunk Pacific strike is believed to be near, judging from the lengthy conferences being held today by Minister of Labor King, President Lee of the Brotherhood of Railway Conductors and President Garretson of the trainmen.

It is understood that the strikers have agreed to make certain concessions.

### IN MEMORIAM.

**Death of Mrs. T. E. Beaulieu.**  
Sad indeed was the death of Mrs. Beaulieu, which occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams, No. 615 South Oakdale avenue, last Sunday morning. For some weeks she had not been feeling well, and thinking perhaps a change would benefit her, she left for a trip to Klamath Falls with Mrs. Williams and was absent two weeks, but during all the time she was away was almost too ill to stand the trip home. However, two days after reaching here, she began to improve and continued so up to the time of her unexpected death.

Mrs. Beaulieu was a native of California, but after the death of her father, which occurred when she was 6 years old, she, with her mother and sister, removed to Portland, where she spent 17 years of her life. She was 27 years and 10 months old at the time of her death. It was at St. Mary's church in Portland seven years ago that she was united in marriage to Theodore E. Beaulieu, who has been to her a loving and devoted husband. He survives her, as does a heart-broken mother, Mrs. Rosa Bice, and a sister, Mrs. Josie Bice Leonard, who are well known here. The remains were taken to Portland Tuesday evening and the funeral held from St. Mary's cathedral Thursday morning, July 28. She was laid to rest in Calvary cemetery.

To know Mrs. Beaulieu was to love her, for she was a woman of noble character and high ideals, a woman of faith, hope and charity, but with her the greatest of all was charity.

To look upon her she was a picture of health, yet she has battled since early childhood against ill health.

Even so, her Creator was kind indeed to her, for he blessed her with a faith that never wavered and a nature which radiated brightness and cheer to all around her. A host of friends both here and in Portland will mourn the loss of a good woman.

ASKS FOR GUARDS FOR CRIPPEN AND COMPANION

MONTREAL, Que., July 30.—So sure is Inspector Dew of Scotland Yard that the couple aboard the steamer Montrose are Dr. Crippen and Mlle. Leneve that he is reported to have cabled to England asking that a man and a woman connected with the police department be sent on the next steamer bound for Canada for the purpose of guarding the suspects on the voyage to England.

BOSS COX SAYS BURTON IS A RUSTY PINHEAD

CINCINNATI, O., July 30.—"Senator Theodore E. Burton is a pinhead, and a rusty one at that," according to George B. Cox, if he is quoted correctly in a morning newspaper here. Cox has just returned from the Republican state convention at Columbus and relieved his mind, according to the newspaper, of his personal opinion of Burton.

"Of all the treacherous men I ever met," Cox is quoted as having said, "Burton is the worst. From my personal knowledge and experience I am warranted in saying he is devoid of principle and does not value truth. He may know the meaning of the word truth, but I doubt it. He's a pinhead, and a rusty one at that."

## Medford's \$500,000 Water System Completed

After many long months of agitation, litigation and hard work, Medford's \$500,000 water system may be said to have been completed. While there are still additional mains in the distributing system to be laid, and some "touching up" to be done on the gravity system, the city is enjoying a water supply that is second to none. That the contractors have done their work well and that the city will soon formally accept the plant, seemed to be the consensus of opinion among the city officials who made a tour of inspection over the line Friday. Those who made the trip were Mayor W. H. Canon, City Attorney P. J. Neff, City Recorder Robert W. Telfer, Councilmen Eifer, Wortman, Emerick and Merriek, City Engineer Foster, Consulting Engineer Roberts, Shirley Baker and Harry H.

Hicks. The party left early in the morning, visited the intake and various points on the line, finishing their inspection of the line at the reservoir.

The system has cost Medford nearly \$500,000—truly an ambitious sum for a city of 9000 souls. However, the future has been carefully safeguarded and out of the revenue will come the interest on the bonds issued to construct the system and the necessary sinking fund with which to take up the bonds when they mature.

**The Distributing System.**  
In the old water system, through which a pumping plant on the banks of Bear creek forced the supply, there was 21,440 feet of distributing mains, a little over four miles. After renovating this system the city

began a year ago last fall the laying of 35,577 feet, or over seven miles of new mains. These mains were large ones and were put out as trunk mains to feed the laterals, a contract for which, to an amount of 43,327 feet, or over eight miles, was let a year ago and has been completed. Thus the city has completed a distributing system containing 103,344 feet of pipe, or nearly 20 miles. Other laterals are being laid which will greatly extend the distributing system of the city, making a total of 25 miles.

This system has cost the city nearly \$200,000 and is being extended as rapidly as possible.

The supply of water to feed this system of mains and laterals is thoroughly equal to its task. It is taken from the Little Butte creek, 23

**Source of Supply.**  
miles from Medford, and brought through a pipeline the entire distance entirely by gravity.

Little Butte creek, the source of supply for the system, finds its source in Fish lake, which is fed by the melting snows "ten thousand summers old" upon the slopes of Mt. McLoughlin. The creek plunges down 13 miles of gorge, falling 2600 feet in that distance. The sides of the canyon through which it tumbles tears its way are lined with giant firs and pines. Then above the Hanley ford it enters into the huge pipeline, which it follows for some 23 miles until it reaches the faucets in the various residences of the city.

This gravity system has cost the city nearly \$300,000. Of this amount

the original contract, which was let to Vincent & Baker, called for \$239,100. In addition to this amount, \$13,000 was set aside as the estimated cost of the engineering expenses. Then also, \$15,000 was paid the Fish Lake Ditch company for a water right. This shows the cost of the gravity system to be some \$282,100, but with the incidental expenses, which included a right of way across the Hanley premises, the building of a telephone line and the like, the cost has come very close to \$300,000, which with the distributing system will make the total cost of Medford's water supply nearly \$500,000.

The income from the present system in Medford will be between \$25,000 and \$30,000 a year. It can easily be figured that the city will break even and will be able to pay

interest and set aside a sinking fund for the retirement of the bonds.

**2700 Gallons a Minute.**  
Medford is now receiving 2700 gallons of pure mountain water a minute through the system, or 4,000,000 gallons a day. In the large reservoir above the city there is at present 2,000,000 gallons as a reserve supply. The water which the city could use in 24 hours would be sufficient to keep 15 five-inch fire nozzles at play under a 100-pound pressure for 24 hours.

It takes the water eight hours to make its way from the intake to the city. There is less than one degree difference in temperature. The average temperature of the water is 58 degrees at the reservoir, or one degree colder than the water in "Hanley's" well on Central avenue.

From a layman's point of view, the work seems to have been well done.

Consulting Engineer W. J. Roberts has been "on the job" continuously since it was undertaken and has seen that the city has got a square deal throughout. He gives the contractors, Vincent & Baker, credit for doing everything in their power for the city, and with not trying to substitute cheap material.

A source of pure water for a city is one of its greatest assets. No city can thrive and be poorly equipped in this direction. Medford has realized this and a water system second to none is the result. And the system was not built for today alone. Ample provision has been made for the future—the supply is adequate for a city of 30,000 people.