

GOOD CHEER BIBLE CLASS BANQUET IS HELD AT ASHLAND

ASHLAND, Mar. 7.—"Rejoice in the Lord!" In secular channels this would be deemed a slogan, but in religious circles it is more appropriately termed a motto, and as such reflects the devout sustenance of the "Good Cheer" Bible class of the Presbyterian church, the membership of which includes over thirty women. The teacher is Rev. Wm. Johnson, well known as a nonagenarian in years, but intellectually and spiritually the embodiment of an active and robust faith in good works. This "Good Cheer" class were hostesses last Saturday night at a social evening picnic in the scenic groings and bonfire hospitality. The class is held in the home of the instructor, and even included the men's Bible class, the church elders and trustees and their wives, also adult members of the choir, and a limited number of other personal friends. Pastor Koehler was most felicitous in his pleasing remarks at the banquet table. In describing the term, "good cheer," he said that the initials employed in the name of this model Bible class also implied "good counsel" at the hands of the instructor, and even hinted that logically the "good cheer" in the kitchen domain were "great chatters." Rev. Mr. Johnson's response to hearty expressions of good will were in keeping with the steadfastness with which he has pursued ministerial labors for a period extending over the average generation. This social event was in honor of the fifth anniversary of the institution of the class. Among the earlier members present were Mrs. Mary Dunn, Mrs. Ann Russell, Mrs. Eugenia Atkinson, Mrs. Sarah Walker, Mrs. Anna Hayes, Mrs. Christina Mathes and others. Mrs. Sarah Jane Boslough is president and Mrs. Eugenia Atkinson, secretary-treasurer. Of the original charter list, the passing of Mrs. Martha Gillette is the only death which has occurred in the ranks of the society since its organization in 1916. "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" was sung as a closing benediction to this ideal fraternal reunion, both words and melody possessing added significance, due to the circumstance that the Carpenter and Bessie families, prominent co-workers in all the church's activities, are about to leave Ashland's familiar surroundings for new homes in California.

This is to be a busy week along entertainment, civic, and industrial channels. The social event on a major scale will be the military reception at the armory on Monday evening, March 7. "First Company First" is the slogan of the soldier boys. The big reception—plans having been made to accommodate 1500 people—will be strictly informal and includes inspection, also company, bugler's bayonet and physical drill. Explanation of routine work will also be dwelt upon. There will be a ladies' gallery shoot for prizes, these rewards of merit being of value. A boxing match is in order, not a slugging bout, but a fair and square exhibition of the manly art. The chaplain to the local forces, in behalf of staging this reception feature as a decided hit, reinforces the management's decision in adding this attraction by quoting from Holy Writ, the exact being in connection with Paul's admonition to the Corinthians, "I am a boxer, and I hit hard and straight; not one who beats the air, but I buffet the body." Throughout the evening lecturing guides will escort visitors who desire to inspect the armory's interior equipment and furnishings. A tea dance will be the grand finale, music by the Loveland-dickel orchestra. No admission. Invitations are extended in general, and it is expected the response by way of attendance will be great.

The Chamber of Commerce will choose directors on Tuesday, March 8, the polls to close at 5 p. m. "Vote for Six" is the injunction, a selection to be made from the following dozen names as nominated at the primary: J. H. McGee, F. S. Eagle, A. C. Briggs, Mrs. H. T. Elmuro, H. G. Sanders, Jr., C. A. Edwards, Homer Ellings, H. K. Tomlinson, J. H. Hill, Irv...

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Mrs. Blakey was surrounded in court by friends and relatives, and took a keen interest in the proceedings. It is expected the trial will be concluded today, and in the hands of the jury late today, or early in the morning.

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