

Society and Clubs

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Inspiring Program Heard by Baptist Auxiliary Tuesday

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the First Baptist church held the first meeting of the new year at the Hotel Holland Tuesday with Mrs. M. E. Coe and her committee as hostesses. Mrs. Minnie Bryant led the singing of the opening song with Mrs. W. H. Eaton at the piano. Mrs. Coe read the 91st Psalm, followed by prayer by Mrs. Mary Strickland. This was followed by another song, "Blessed Assurance." Mrs. F. O. Shuman, the president, conducted the business meeting. After the reading of the minutes and reports of the officers she introduced the new chairman of committees. They reported plans well under way for a successful year. The revised constitution was read and will be voted on in June. The program for the year will be ready for distribution the first of the week. The business meeting was closed by prayer by Mrs. B. F. Neff. Bernice Morehouse-Bolger opened the musical program with two violin numbers, "Romance" by Arthur Foot, and "Call of the Plains" by Ruben Goldmark, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Effie Herbert Yeoman. Mrs. M. E. Coe then gave an inspirational talk, "Thought and Character." She said in part: "Henry Ford said, 'Thoughts are common to all.' Every woman is literally what she thinks. Mrs. Sutherland has said, 'If one endures in purity of thought, joy follows him as his own shadow.' We are a growth by law—cause and effect. A noble character should be the result. If we as women of influence could remember thoughts stamp themselves on people, good thoughts—good fruit. 'As a man thinketh' man is made or unmade by himself. 'Concentrate on Good and God.' We are always willing to improve. We are desirous for our auxiliary to go forward, that our church may come into her own. Need we expect less? The higher we lift our thoughts the greater will be our success; the more blessed our achievements. An old lady said, 'Reading maketh a thoughtful woman.' What about your reading? She who lives pure and unselfish will become wise and noble in character and rise into a position of influence and blessedness." Mrs. John R. Knight of Jacksonville sang "Love Is the Wind," by Alexander MacFayden, and "My Love Is a Muleteer" (Spanish song), by Emil Bauer. She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. George Wendt. The committees for the day contributed a conventional design with a dime in the center surrounded by nickles, then alternating pennies and dimes, with a dime in each corner. The autographs of those present each time will be attached to the design. The plan for the year will be for each committee to strive for the best design, the best attendance and the best program.

Sebastian Apollo was to have played one of his wonderful piano solos but was detained. Mrs. John R. Knight sang again "The Night Wind," by Ernest R. Ball, "The Proposal," by Lloyd A. Kellam.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. held a Mothers' day meeting in the Y. W. C. A. parlour on Thursday afternoon with a good attendance of members and guests. The president, Mrs. Minnie Bryant, presided and the devotional service was led by Mrs. J. G. Viall of Phoenix. Mrs. Viall spoke of the great mothers mentioned in the Bible, reading as her lesson the last chapter of Proverbs. Mrs. D. V. Platt was heard in two solos, "Songs My Mother Used to Sing" and "Little Mother of Mine." Mrs. Platt was accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Eaton. Mrs. Bryant read the service dedicating little Miss Sherry Anne Stansberry to the work of the W. C. T. U., Mrs. Littrell offering prayer.

Mrs. E. N. Long introduced Mrs. Troxel who, with her husband, is home on furlough after 28 years in missionary work in China. Mrs. Troxel gave an interesting talk on her work, illustrating with pictures of Chinese pupils and places she had lived. She stated that the Chinese word for "woman" is the same as the word for "mother." She showed one of the tiny shoes worn by the Chinese women and described the binding of their feet, stating that this is gradually being done away with except in the interior provinces.

C. P. Talent spoke briefly on his campaign for sheriff.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Price and her committee.

Graduation Special Permanents

The Past Noble Grande club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Kate Laidley Thursday evening. After the regular business meeting the members were entertained with music, and a mock wedding. The wedding party consisted of the very solemn wedding march played by Carrie Rickert.

Kathrens Daniels carrying a large bouquet was the bride, Evelyn Tice, the handsome bride-groom; Carrie McDaniel, bridesmaid, and Sara Redden, best man; Dorothy Scripser, the ring bearer; Nellie Perl, as witness read the beautiful ring ceremony.

The wedding was followed by a reception at which Kate Laidley was assisted by May Stuart, Elsie Millard and Lottie Howard.

What the Girl Scouts Are Doing

"Strap your pack to your back, with a sandwich for a snack, and we'll take to the woods with a song."

Sung to the familiar tune of the Caisson Song, these words may be heard along any woodland trail during the first days of spring.

"Through the brush, through the brake, when the day is first awake, then the Girl Scouts go hiking along."

The day-hike season is here for Girl Scouts.

A successful hike needs planning in advance, according to the program division at national Girl Scout headquarters, and parents of the girls who are going should know the complete plans for the trip.

"It is wise to give the name, address and telephone number of one member of the troop committee to the parents of the girls," says Miss Miragaret Grimshaw, head of the division, in her recommendations to Girl Scout leaders. "If there is to be any delay in getting home from a day's hiking or camping, then the captain can communicate with this troop member, and parents who may become anxious can learn from her the cause of the delay."

"The secret of a successful outing is to see how little one can take along and still be comfortable," Miss Grimshaw says. "An old camper is known by the simplicity and fitness of his equipment. He has learned how to fashion on the spot many substitutes for 'boughten' things that are considered so necessary in the home. Inexperienced hikers will probably burden themselves with a great deal of unnecessary equipment or an overabundance of food, unless it is suggested to them that they travel as light as possible. If the hands are free and the load light, the trip will be so much more enjoyable."

Other good advice in the Girl Scout program for day hikers is the suggestion that old comfortable clothing be worn. Wool hose, free from holes or darns, are best. Comfortable, well broken-in shoes with broad toes and low heel are suggested in preference to the high-topped heavy walking boot, which is usually stiff, hot and heavy.

A coat, sweater or rain togs should be worn or carried and a bandana or neckerchief is handy to have along. This may be worn as a hat or handkerchief. When the sun is hot and glaring it may be pulled up over the nose to protect the face. Tied to a stick it may be used as a signal flag or it may be converted into a bag in which to carry food or treasures.

"So take your pack and strap it on your back, for the Girl Scouts are hiking along."

D. A. R. Notes

Saturday, May 21, will be held the regular meeting of Crater Lake chapter, D. A. R., at the home of Mrs. J. J. Steiger, 122 Oregon Terrace. Mrs. Steiger will be assisted by Mrs. J. H. Cochran, Mrs. Glenn Taylor, Mrs. A. E. Stratton and Mrs. C. M. McDonald.

The regent, Mrs. J. O. Grey, asks that each officer and committee chairman prepare a written report of the year's work, to be filed with the regent.

A pageant will be presented under the direction of Mrs. R. E. Green and Mrs. W. M. Van Scoyoc. They ask that each member bring a shawl and be prepared to tell its history.

Officers for next year will be elected at this meeting.

Those who have articles for the scrap book or material for the George Washington collection are asked to bring them to this meeting.

Medford Girls Honored at Oregon State
OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis—Two Medford students at Oregon State college were recently installed as officers of Kildar hall, one of the women's dormitories. Doris Bundy, freshman in home economics, was elected secretary. Jean Woodford, also freshman in home economics, was elected treasurer.

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Sleeters Entertain Card Club Thursday
Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Sleeter were hosts Thursday evening to members

of their card club. Dinner was followed by the usual number of bridge games.
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Mrs. Daily To Be Hostess to Class
Mrs. A. H. Daily will be hostess to the Cleaner class meeting at her home, 1128 West 4th street on Tuesday, May 17 at 2:30 p. m. This will

be the first meeting of the new church year.
Girls Named to Head Local League.
Girl's league officers were recently elected by the high school organization.

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