

# Society and Clubs

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**Rehearsals Indicate Splendid Production**

Rehearsals of "The Rose Dawn," which have been under way for the past week, indicate a splendid production in preparation for public eyes on December 19. Many local folk are devoting much time to the presentation as participants or sponsors for the show, which will be staged under auspices of the Business and Professional Women's club at the Holly theater.

In the cast are several people known to all who have followed amateur theatricals here. Much dancing, singing and elaborate costumes will add beauty to the general theme of the play, which is particularly pleasing in times such as these.

Miss Eleanor McCaffrey is directing the production, in which will appear 90 people.

There will be music by Beatrice Morehouse Bolger and by Sebastian Apollo.

**Pocahontas Entertain With Dancing Party**

Members of the Degree of Pocahontas were hostesses at another dancing party of the winter series last Friday evening. Music was furnished by Dickey's orchestra. A novelty dance number, much enjoyed, was arranged by the committee, composed of Norma Martin, Esther Doms, Zelpha Armstrong, Maudie Abbott and Bill Milnes, who are also making plans for the Christmas program and tree to be held Friday evening, December 22.

Refreshments were served in the banquet hall by the committee composed of Lena Guenther, Evelyn Stagg and Mattie Luman.

Next Friday the Wagonah club will sponsor a card party at the F. O. R. M. hall on Apple street, and an invitation is extended the public.

**Baroness Leaves Thursday To Sail for Vienna**

Mr. and Mrs. George Francis Barron, recently of the University of Oregon, whose marriage was an event of last month in Portland, will be leaving Ashland Thursday for Sacramento, where they will be guests of Mr. Barron's mother, Mrs. Homer W. Barron, and his sister, Mrs. Paul McCracken, before sailing for Vienna on December 20.

The two have been much entertained while visiting relatives in Ashland and their trip abroad will be followed with much interest by many Medford friends, especially in music circles.

Mr. Barron returned to Eugene Tuesday to finish his examination for master of fine arts degree, coming back again to Ashland. Both he and Mrs. Barron will study music in Vienna.

**Charity Ball Plans Demand Much Interest**

Christmas is drawing nearer day by day and plans for the many events to grace the holidays are demanding more and more time of their sponsors. Leading among them is the charity ball to be given by the Catholic Charities club at the Pythian hall December 28. It promises to be the most festive occasion of the Yuletide. Numerous committees are working on the plans and the names appearing in the committee lists assure a very pleasant evening.

**Mrs. Brewer, Hostess At Pre-Holiday Luncheon**

Among the hostesses of the week, taking advantage of Christmas' approach by doing a bit of pre-holiday entertaining is Mrs. C. M. Brewer. She invited friends to her home in St. Louis Heights yesterday for luncheon and bridge and will entertain again Saturday.

Covers were arranged for 12 yesterday and there will be 16 guests Saturday.

**St. Marks Guild Plans Luncheon**

St. Marks Guild of the Episcopal church will meet for cafeteria luncheon Friday at the guild hall at 1 o'clock. Hostesses will be Mrs. M. M. Herman and Mrs. Hal Platt. The luncheon will be followed by a business session, and an invitation is extended all women of the church.

**Daughters of the American Revolution are completing plans here for their Christmas party to be held at the home of Mrs. C. C. Murray Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.**

P. E. O. Group Meets This Evening

Chapter AA, P. E. O. will meet this evening with Mrs. C. D. Thompson. Mrs. Britta Williams and Mrs. C. W. Wakefield will be assistant hostesses.

**Notice.**

Late appropriate presents for Christmas. Initial and personal stationery, printed or lithographed cards for men or women, with or without leather card cases, six lead pencils and ruler in leather case with coin pocket, name printed in gold on each pencil and case, all for \$1.00. Commercial Printing Dept. Mail Tribune, 28 N. Grape St.

**Christmas Display of DIAMONDS Saturday, Dec. 16**

An unusual offer for one day only. City, County and School warrants taken at par on the purchase of diamonds Saturday at

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Your Favorite Jeweler Since 1918

**Elks' Charity Dance SAT. NITE, Dec. 16 ELKS' TEMPLE**

For Elks and Their Friends. \$1.00 a Couple

**Spencer Alexander Entertained Here**

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Alexander and small son, Bobbie, who have been guests from Portland for several days of the F. J. Sternman, left this morning by motor for San Francisco, accompanied by Mrs. Harold Reichstein, to visit Mrs. Russell Patterson in the bay city.

Following a short stay in the south they will return to Medford accompanied by the Pattersons and young son, all to be guests at the Newman home for Christmas.

Considerable entertaining was arranged here for the Alexanders early in the week. Mrs. Reichstein was hostess at a bridge party Tuesday afternoon setting her sister, the former Marion Newman, and at dinner Tuesday evening for the pleasure of the Pattersons. Mrs. Ted Gebauer entertained at dinner in their honor last evening.

**Baptist Women to Meet**

Mrs. James Campbell

An invitation is extended all women of the Baptist church to an informal reception at the home of Mrs. M. E. Coe, 611 West Eighth street, tomorrow afternoon to meet Mrs. James Campbell, missionary, recently returned from China.

The guests will meet first at the home of Dr. Cawson, 26 South Laurel street, then continue to the Coe home at 3 o'clock.

**Girl Scout Leaders To Meet Tonight**

A meeting of all Girl Scout leaders has been called for this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Colony club. Instruction will be given by Mrs. M. J. Littlefield, Girl Scout camp advisor.

Another meeting has been called for Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the court house auditorium.

**Mrs. Nyswander Hostess At Luncheon Today**

Miss Dorothy Nyswander entertained at luncheon and bridge at her apartment today, using the colorful Christmas motif in decorations at the informal affair. Covers were arranged for Mrs. Frank Perl, Miss Kathryn Sweeney, Mrs. Ted Gebauer and the hostess.

**Mrs. Gough Entertain and Cowgirl Entertain**

Among hostesses of the week were Mesdames Ralph Gough and Harry Prentice, who entertained at bridge yesterday at the Prentice home on South Newtown.

There were three tables of contract in play.

**Drummonds Entertain Guests at Dinner**

Dr. and Mrs. C. I. Drummond were hosts at dinner Tuesday evening, entertaining Judge and Mrs. Earl B. Day, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ulrich and Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Durno.

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3-Cell Complete

**Cotton—19c**  
1-lb. Hospital

**Colonial Dame—79c**  
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**Bon Kora—79c**  
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**Vicks Nose Drops—33c**  
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**Zerbats Cold Caps—29c**  
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**Antiseptic Solution—43c**  
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**Epsom Salts—23c**  
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**Hair Brushes—29c**  
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**Ovaltine—69c**  
\$1.00 Size

**Takara Powder—59c**  
75c Size

**Eno Fruit Salts—89c**  
\$1.25 Size

**"Frank" Pipes—39c**  
\$1.00 Value

**"Genuine" Aspirin—29c**  
100 Tablets

**Perfume Atomizers—19c**  
35c Value

## ELKS CHRISTMAS PARTY TONIGHT TO HELP NEEDY

Elk lodge members from all parts of the county will gather at the temple tonight to participate in efforts that have always proved successful in providing funds for Christmas boxes of foodstuffs destined to gladden the hearts of many homes in need of those simple necessities during the holiday.

A feed will be spread for hungry lodgesmen, starting at 7 o'clock, and a brief lodge session will be conducted by the officers, after which the annual Christmas tree festivities will start in the basement.

Exalted Ruler J. F. Flegel urges all members to take part in the festive, the importance of which can be best realized when boxes are delivered to needy homes providing Christmas feasts where there were only bare boards before.

Assuring the success of one of the important features of the evening, P. C. Bigham is the chairman of the refreshment committee, assisted by John White, The Dunford, Nick Young, I. F. Anders, Paul Jennings, Eugene Orr and Albert C. Wilson. The tables will be groaning under the loads of eats and, of course, there will be beer to quench the thirst of the dry.

Other committees named by Exalted Ruler Flegel are:

Relief—H. N. Butler, Lewis Ulrich, T. E. Daniels, chairman; Nick Young, George Eads, Harry Marx, J. T. Davis, O. M. Selaby, J. D. Bell, E. H. Slight, Wm. Hammett, A. B. Cunningham and H. L. Arms.

Chairs—Roy Pruitt, Fred Wahl, Ward Benney, Treve Lumsden, Scott V. Davis and Robert C. Hart.

Distributing Committee—Miles Cantrall, Applegate; Paul Godward, Jacksonville; Dewey Hill, Prospect; W. C. Clements, Eagle Point; Ernest Rostel, Central Point; Andrew Hearn, Phoenix; H. D. Reed, Gold Hill.

Purchasing Committee—Leon Hawkins and Ralph Koozer.

Solicitors—O. O. Alenderfer, chairman; C. C. Lemmon, W. W. Allen, W. M. Ciemenzon, A. S. Rosenbaum, W. A. Gates, Eimer Hull, Clarence Pankey, Roland Hubbard, R. E. Stearns, Donald DeVore, Ernest L. Barnes and Michael Beck.

Selling Committee—Jerry Jerome, Raymond Rcter; assistants, Robert Norris, Don R. Newbury, Herbert Grey, Diamond Flynn, Everett Brayton, Fletcher Fish, Stan Sherwood, Ray Wright, Walter Olmscheid, Chas. Campbell, Burr L. Lagson, Earl York, Cole Holmes and John P. Moffatt.

Preparations have been entirely completed for the evening, which promises to be without a single dull moment, beginning with the opening of the night events at 7 p. m.

## A Post-Repeal Gown



Even wearing apparel is affected by repeal. Here the newest style note—streamlining—is exemplified. The new tear-drop decolletage also is a feature of the frock, made of black crepe appliqued with fuchsia satin. (Associated Press Photo)

## ALLEN'S AUNT NOT GLIMPSED BY MAN WHO BUILT HOUSE

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 14.—(AP)—The strange story of how he constructed an ocean view mansion for the late Miss Margaret A. Keith, wealthy spinster, who ended her life last April, without ever seeing the woman, was related to a jury in superior court by the contractor, Nicholas Burns, of Beverly Hills.

The testimony of Burns was given in an effort to show that Miss Keith was of unsound mind when she left her estate to her nephew, Albert C. Allen, Jr., of Central Point, Ore., rancher. The will is being contested by Mrs. Mary Allen Towle, niece of Miss Keith, and Mrs. Etta Keith Ekridge, sister of the decedent.

"I never met Miss Keith," testified Burns, "but I received more than 100 letters and notes and talked to her once over the telephone concerning plans for the home and the swimming pool."

Miss Keith, so attorneys for the plaintiffs claim, in addition to keeping herself from sight, went outside only at night and had her meals delivered at her door.

The hearing was delayed today by illness of a juror.

## ENGINEERS EXAM SLATED JAN. 5TH

State board of engineering examiners of Oregon will conduct an examination for registration of professional engineers at its offices, 631-632 Railway Exchange building, January 5 beginning at 9 a. m. Examinations will be available in the following branches of professional engineering: civil, mechanical, electrical, mining, logging and chemical.

The fee to take the examination is \$10. Application blanks to take the examination may be obtained upon request by addressing A. B. Carter, Secretary, 632 Railway Exchange building, Portland.

## AAA Payroll Over Seven Million Is Senator's Charge

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—(AP)—Senator Dickinson (R., Ia.), declaring "the public should know these facts," today handed to newspapers a statement that the payroll of the agricultural adjustment administration was \$7,118,740 annually, less the 15 per cent pay cut.

Dickinson said his computation was made from official figures reported to him by the adjustment administration, but that it did not include per diem workers. He said the total number of employees on the regular payroll was reported as 3704.

Heating costs can be reduced. For complete heating service call Art Schmidt, 418-1692.

Broken windows glazed by Trowbridge Cabinet Works.

## Meteorological Report

December 14, 1933.

Forecasts.

Medford and vicinity: Cloudy tonight and Friday. Not much change in temperature.

Oregon: Generally cloudy tonight and Friday. Occasional light rain in north and west central portion. Slightly cooler east portion tonight.

Local Data.

Temperature a year ago today: Highest, 44; lowest, 13.

Total monthly precipitation, 1.39 inches.

Deficiency for the month .09 inch. Total precipitation since September 1, 1933, 2.96 inches.

Deficiency for the season, 2.96 inches.

Relative humidity at 5 p. m. yesterday, 82 per cent; 5 a. m. today, 78 per cent.

Tomorrow: Sunrise, 7:32 a. m. Sunset, 4:41 p. m.

Observations Taken at 5 A. M. 120th Meridian Time

City	Temp	Wind	Humidity	Clouds
Boston	26	14	40	Snow
Cheyenne	36	34	Clear	
Chicago	30	26	Cloudy	
Eureka	32	44	30	Clear
Helena	32	26	40	Cloudy
Los Angeles	60	50	54	Clear
MEDFORD	53	38	10	Cloudy
New Orleans	78	64	Clear	
New York	32	20	13	Clear
Omaha	34	24	Cloudy	
Phoenix	72	48	Clear	
Portland	50	42	12	P. Cdy.
Reno	40	32	Clear	
Roseburg	52	40	38	P. Cdy.
Salt Lake	34	34	10	Cloudy
San Francisco	58	50	30	P. Cdy.
Seattle	52	42	06	Clear
Spokane	48	34	40	Rain
Walla Walla	56	42	30	Cloudy
Washington, D. C.	32	28	08	P. Cdy.

## BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION PUTS TWO IN BASTILE

"Happy birthday to you." Is the song officers should be singing to A. G. Giering of San Francisco, housed in the city jail yesterday afternoon, for he reached his 39th anniversary Wednesday. And that was the start of his trouble. He was celebrating the event on an independent stage with Albert VanValen of Venezuela, when the two were thrown off in the Siskiyou for allegedly disorderly conduct.

A state police officer was standing by and the celebrators were brought to Medford, where charges will be filed against them today. They were en route to Seattle.

## DWINDLING DOLLAR BRINGS GANNA HOME

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—(AP)—Mrs. Ganna Walska, former wife of Harold McCormick, arrived here today and said the depreciated dollar abroad is responsible for her re-establishing a home in America.

Six weeks ago she came here from Paris to supervise repairs on her Park avenue home. While they were under way she returned to France and made arrangements for closing her Paris home.

## BANCAMERICA DECLARES SPECIAL \$3 DIVIDEND

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—(AP)—Dividends of Bancamerica-Biatar Corp. declared a special dividend of \$3 payable Dec. 30 to stock of record December 18. The dividend, the board said, is a distribution of funds in excess of working capital requirements under present conditions.

Phone 342. We will haul away your refuse. City Sanitary Service.

## CLERKS WILL PAY NRA ASSESSMENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—(AP)—Every employe of a retail establishment will contribute 25 cents a year under new regulations prescribed by NRA for financing the retail code authority.

Local authorities may make additional assessments, but no worker is to give more than \$1 annually toward expense of code authorities, national and local.

Retailers will be given new NRA insignia as rapidly as they execute assessment forms and pay their assessments. The insignia will carry the blue eagle, the words, "We do our part" and the name of the division of the trade in which the individual retailer is engaged.



Notice.

Ladies, get the new contract bridge score cards, with instructions printed thereon, 10c for 25, at Commercial Printing Dept. Mail Tribune, 28 North Grape.

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Word has just come that Frigidaire prices will be increased on January 1st. This makes Frigidaire—for-Christmas even a bigger "buy". Come in and hear about our Special Christmas Purchase Plan—Save money!

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