

I NEVER knew a man whose heart responded to the beauty of sun and wind, to the beauty of sky and water and hills.

Who was not at the same time clean and brave, so skillfully does nature purify and cleanse the souls who converse with her.

SOCIETY is not manifesting any very keen interest in social "doings." Outside of the Shriners' ball last evening and the numberless Thanksgiving dinners, nothing of social prominence has taken place of late. Even the regular clubs postponed their meetings until after Thanksgiving day. We seem to have reached a betwixt and between season in our swing around the circle of months. It is a period of transition, and is apparently taken up primarily with plans for the Christmas holidays which are such a few short weeks off.

In every circle, whether it be in town or hamlet, there is always at least one woman with the Madonna instinct. She it is whom one goes to in the hour of discouragement or need, and she never turns an unsympathetic ear.

She never forgets to be courteous and is always alive to the needs of others, frequently anticipating their wants. She neither takes or knowingly gives offense. She is kind to the sick and needy and to those whom she intuitively feels need comfort. Sometimes it is only a flower that she sends, sometimes it is only a simple note, or invitation to dinner, or a brief call over the telephone indicating her interest.

Never is there a sting in her speech.

Is that woman you?

This is a day of honesty, of self-revelations, of honest endeavor to know ourselves, and with this awakening no thinking person can make a quarrel. It is well for us to look our personal responsibilities, our own moral development, in the fact and demand of ourselves that we grow clean and strong morally through knowledge rightly presented and disseminated, and we cannot attain that growth and development while we refuse to recognize the fundamental truths and to call a spade by some other name that has a better sound. We have found we cannot be wise through ignorance and that innocence is neither purity nor strength. With a mental awakening, a clearer vision must come moral purity if we are thoroughly in earnest and are to develop at all.

Honesty of speech, sincerity of effort, the recognition and right knowledge of vital truths, are all wholesome in their effect and build strong minds and clean souls. If they have any value at all, they bring to the soul a sense of right values, of purity and holiness of life. The baring of life's dearest intimacies, however, the discussion of one's personal problems, the stripping of one's inmost soul to the gaze of the world, is not only degrading in its effect, but is decidedly immoral in its character. The woman who falls in a spiritual crisis is possibly a moral weakling, but the woman who is deficient in her sense of values, that she can unweave the inner shrine, is at least un-moral if not immoral. If no worse effect is wrought upon her character she at least becomes morbid and unnatural and thwarts in herself the effect for which her experiences are sent to her.

OFFICERS OF STAR HONOR MRS. HANKS.

MRS. Marion Hanks, worthy matron of the Eastern Star, who retires from office with the closing of 1925, was delightfully surprised by the elective and appointive officers of the Eastern Star at her home on Pine, Tuesday evening. Cards passed the social hours of the evening. The guests presented Mrs. Hanks with a silver engraved electric percolator. Among those who honored Mrs. Hanks were Mrs. H. G. Wortley, Mrs. C. E. Dennis, Mrs. R. E. Wattenburg, Mrs. E. Virgil, Mrs. Mollie Belding, Mrs. W. C. Van Emmon, Mrs. F. Hill Hunter, Mrs. George Walton, Miss Frances Beatty, Mrs. E. H. Balsiger, Mrs. F. W. Betschel, Mrs. Allan Jones, Mr. George Walton and Mr. Allan Jones.

FAMILY DINNER AT THOMAS MARTIN HOME

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Martin on High street was the scene of a family dinner party Thanksgiving day. The immediate relatives including Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson and daughters, Helene and Thirza of Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hoxley and sons Charles Thomas and John Edward of Chiloquin, Mr. John Martin, Mr. Martin Hamby of O. A. C. and Mr. and Mrs. Carey Ramsby, were among those present.

MISS JOYCE BENNETT HOSTESS AT THEATRE PARTY

MISS JOYCE BENNETT, one of the popular young members of the high school set proved herself a most gracious hostess this afternoon when she complimented some thirty of her close friends with a theatre party at the Pine Tree. Following the matinee the guests were taken to the Blue Bird for refreshments. The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Eba Bennett, and Miss Eda Jones. The guests included the Misses Jennie Grover, Martha and Eda Jones, Edna Dunbar, Hilliss McCall, Joy Evans, Ruth Cofer, Lydia Von Berthelsdorf, Thelma Grizzle, Marjorie Peyton, Virginia Beal, Virginia Peyton, Leota Beall, Margaret Cummings, Dorothy Dryder, Marlam West, Venice Moore, Carroll Grey, Mildred Rideout, Zepha Rogers, Loraine Mordoff, Marie Crystal, Marie Otey, Muriel Nichols, Alice Kessler, Mrs. Bennett and the hostess.

DELPHIAN CLUB HOLDS MONTHLY MEETING

The sun room of the hotel White Pelican was the meeting place on Tuesday afternoon of the Delphian club of Klamath Falls, the second meeting of the club since its organization. The study of Egypt was taken up. In keeping with the topic, curios of far away Egypt, were used about the sun room, these being loaned to the club by Mrs. H. W. Bathiany. The afternoon's program was opened with a delightful musical number, "Long Ago in Egypt" rendered by Mrs. Don Zumwalt accompanied by Mrs. J. R. Shaw.

Mrs. H. R. Harrison, first vice-president of the club, presided as courtesy hostess and was assisted by Mrs. W. O. Smith and Mrs. Jackson Kimball.

Tuesday afternoon's program included the following:

1. Five minute pictures of five cities of ancient Egypt:
 - (a) Memphis—Mrs. W. H. Robertson.
 - (b) Heliopolis—Mrs. Claude Davis.
 - (c) Abydos—Mrs. J. M. Bedford.
 - (d) Tanis—Miss Ida Momyer.
 - (e) Ebeses—Mrs. H. E. Getz.
 2. What the Decorator Can Glean from ancient Egypt—Mrs. Rose Soule.
 3. The role of Tutankhamen in history—Mrs. Paul Jackson.
 4. The Tomb of Tutankhamen—Mrs. Russell Austin.
 5. What the Metropolitan Museum is doing in Egypt—Mrs. Oscar Shive.
 6. Supervisor's Summary—Mrs. Don Zumwalt.
- Part II—Under the direction of Mrs. T. C. Campbell, President.
1. Parliamentary Talk—Mrs. Jackson Kimball.
 2. Book Review, Barren Ground, (Ellen Glasgow)—Mrs. Wilbur Jones.
 3. Modern Cultural Arts—Mrs. I. Roberts.
 4. Current Events—Mrs. Hope Weston Kilbourne.
 5. Jones and Mrs. L. Ruconich.

COX-LYNCH NUPITAL THANKSGIVING EVE

FRIENDS of Mrs. Geraldine Lynch and Mr. Henry Cox of Merrill received a pleasant surprise when they came to the home of Mrs. Lynch at 11 o'clock Thanksgiving evening to partake of a turkey dinner, and discovered that the real reason for the gathering was the wedding of the well known and popular Merrill couple. After the guests had assembled the bridal party stepped out from another room and the ring service was being performed by the Rev. Arthur L. Rice of Klamath Falls almost before the astonished guests realized what was happening.

Following the ceremony the couple received the congratulations of their many friends after which all sat down to a sumptuous turkey dinner.

Mr. Cox is a member of the firm of Cox Brothers, extensive grain farmers in the Tule lake region and is widely known in the county as is also his bride. They will visit California for several weeks leaving later in December and returning in time for the opening of spring work on the lake bed.

WEEKLY DINNER DANCES AT HOTEL WHITE PELICAN

WEDNESDAY evening marks the first of a series of weekly dinner dances to be given at the hotel White Pelican. During the winter months society will look forward with much pleasure to these weekly affairs to be given each Wednesday. The White Pelican orchestra, under the direction of Bud Lynch of Portland, will play for the dances which give promise of being outstanding social functions of the winter months.

Mrs. Hope Weston Kilbourne announced today that on Wednesday and Sunday evening of each week, the orchestra will furnish music during the dinner hours.

SHRINERS BALL BRILLIANT AFFAIR

STANDING out in lovely distinction on this week's social calendar was the Shriners' Ball of Friday evening given at the hotel White Pelican, when over two hundred couples enjoyed dancing between the hours of nine and midnight. The ball room was beautifully decorated in the shrine colors combined with autumn decorations symbolic of the harvest time. Special entertainment for the guests included two vaudeville acts from the Pine Tree Theater. The Barney Kropp orchestra furnished the dance music throughout the evening.

During the winter months the Shriners are planning a series of these delightful affairs, the second to be given some time in January.

The various committees in charge of the dance included the following: Entertainment, A. E. Peasley and R. E. Crego; Publicity, W. H. Grubs; Finance, W. C. Van Emmon and Marion Wanks; Tickets, F. Ray Dunn, Harry Prather, Thomas Dellzell and A. L. Leavitt; Decorations, N. G. Wheeler, H. W. Bathiany, E. L. Cramblett and F. Ray Dunn.

AU REVOIR COURTESY HONORS MRS. PHILLIPS

AS AN au revoir courtesy to Mrs. Sarah Phillips who left on Wednesday for Florida where she plans to spend the winter months, Mrs. W. P. McMillan was hostess to a number of the close friends of Mrs. Phillips at a prettily appointed one o'clock luncheon on Tuesday. Centering the luncheon table was a low crystal bowl of Lucille carnations. Covers were laid for Messdames Sarah Phillips, A. M. Worden, John Sargent, W. S. Slough, Bert C. Thomas, A. R. Wilson, R. E. Wattenburg, Rufus Moore, Miss Elizabeth McCurdy and the hostess.

WATTENBURGS ENTERTAIN FRIENDS THANKSGIVING

MR. AND MRS. R. E. WATTENBURG presided over a delightful dinner on Thanksgiving Day at their home on Pine. The dinner table was especially lovely centered with a silver fruit basket filled with Oregon grape and Mountain Ash berries. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hill, Miss Audrey Hill, Mrs. Myrtle Helm and the host and hostess.

PAST NOBLE GRAND CLUB ORGANIZED

AT the home of Mrs. W. L. Sanders on North Ninth, a Past Noble Grand club of the Rebekah lodge was organized on Tuesday afternoon. The club being organized to take an active part in the social life of the order as well as to assist the officers of the lodge in every way possible.

The officers elected for the year were made as follows: Mrs. R. E. Wattenburg, president, Mrs. Jennie Hurn, vice president and Mrs. W. J. Steinmetz, secretary.

Wednesday, January sixth, will be the next meeting of the club at the home of Mrs. W. J. Steinmetz.

HAGERS COMPLIMENT FRIENDS WITH DINNER

MR. AND MRS. CHAS. HAGER of Merrill Road honored a number of their close friends with Thanksgiving dinner. Centering the prettily appointed dinner table was a low Dutch silver tureen. Their guests included Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barnstable and daughter, Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Satterlee and children, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Halloway.

BLAME OF YOUTH HELD AS UNFAIR

MRS. JOHN M. GLENN of New York city speaking in her capacity as president of the National Society of the Church Mission of Help, defended the girls of today before the general convention of the Episcopal Church, which recently met in New Orleans.

"To our workers have come repeatedly the revelation of two facts," she said. "The first is that in spite of the environment in which many young people have grown like weeds with no nurturing, they unwittingly hold within themselves a germ which, when truthfully given the flowers of aspiration to their lives. The second fact is that as the overseas chaplains who were in the trenches found that rough men's masks were withdrawn and they became as tender children in their desire to be reached, so our worker finds young women and mere girls who have been scorched by the fire of a battle against their purity, come forth from that awful ordeal inclined likewise to respond to the help which is tendered them in the name of the Lord."

Speaking for the Girls' Friendly Society, whose aim is to keep the girl from needing the offices of the Church Mission of Help, Miss Florence Newbold declared:

"Many a girl standing at the cross roads, not knowing whether to choose the highway or the low-way or whether to drift with the crowd, the Girls' Friendly Society gives her a definite challenge to high personal standards, offers her friendship in the church with an attractive all round program to engage her interests.

"We are aware of the torrent of criticism poured fourth upon the youth of our country, some of it, justly, much of it unjustly. Youth today is living in a world which the telephone, the motor, the labor saving devices have made different from other generations. We know the freedom, the speed of today. But I would make this clear, for this new age of freedom and speed not youth is to blame, nor the parents of youth, but the social conditions in which youth lives.

"A second point I would emphasize is this: With the youth of today a great deal of vitality, energy is running riot. With its manifestations, the search on the part of youth for a thrill, a new experience we are all familiar. But this energy, this force is for the most part undirected, and so spends itself on trivialities, and "second" instead of first things. Directed, it becomes one of the most potent, and one of the most encouraging movements of our time."

Miss Agnes Hall, a trained worker with college girls, spoke of the new conditions as the youth movement.

"We must realize," she said, "that we cannot separate young women from young men in their social activities. Since we have them in the church as well as in college and people are saying the life of these two groups is interwoven, we cannot divide their interests, any more than we do at home.

"Every young woman is thinking of a vacation. They are asking what is marriage and what does it hold for them. What professions are open to them and which has the greatest financial advantage and which the greatest avenue for service. Home making and homes are these young students. And they are asking what is the church giving us to teach religion to children? One very great interest we must reckon with is the sex problem and it is not the physical aspect that is attracting them so much as the emotional and spiritual.

"They do not ask what does the church teach, but what do you think about religion? What do the sacraments do for you? How do you really worship? And how are we going to answer them? They do not want theory but individual experience."

MISSSES CATTUZZA AND SCOFFIELD HOSTESSES

ONE of the prettiest dinners of Thanksgiving Day was that over which the Misses Louise Cattuzza and Lillian Scoffield presided, at the home of Mrs. W. P. McMillan on Pine Street. Especially lovely was the centerpiece, a basket of russet and yellow chrysanthemums. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Otto Langset, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Richardson, Mr. M. P. Priest and the hostess.

INFORMAL DINNER AT JONES HOME

MR. AND MRS. Wilbur Jones were host and hostess on Thanksgiving day at their home on Second and High with an informal dinner. The center of the dinner table held a crystal bowl with the season's fruits. Covers were laid for Miss Marie Ridings, Mr. Everett Vanderpool, Mr. J. D. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Jones and Wilbur Jones Jr.

COLLEGE LEAGUE VANISHING PARTY TODAY

BECAUSE of her great interest in educational affairs, Mrs. W. S. Slough was chosen as the first hostess at a series of "vanishing parties" being given through southern Oregon for the purpose of securing funds for the building of new students' quarters at the Albany "self-help" college.

During the past few months the need for this building has been brought more and more into realization, with the constant increase in the student body. Mrs. F. I. Fuller, president of the league, who resides in Portland, gave the first party. Each guest contributes one dollar to the building fund. By this always popular method, enough money will be realized to erect a modern dormitory.

This afternoon Mrs. D. N. Clemens and Mrs. Slough had as their guests at the Clemens home Messdames E. S. Veatch, A. M. Collier, A. L. Rice, N. B. Drew, R. E. Geary, A. R. Wilson, L. L. Truax, Roy La Prairie, Burt E. Hawkins and the Misses Mary Walker, Vera Houston and Eloise McPherson.

Their guests will in turn invite six and five other guests to be their guests.

HAPPY HOUR CLUB WITH MRS. O. M. HECTOR

MRS. O. M. HECTOR complimented the members of the Happy Hour club and a few special guests at her home on Ninth and Lincoln on Tuesday afternoon. At this meeting the members voted to discontinue their club meetings until after the Christmas holidays. The next meeting will be with Mrs. George Humphrey. Mrs. R. A. Emmitt was chosen to fill the place as president of the club, the vacancy being caused by the departure of Mrs. S. T. Summers, who is planning to spend the winter in Ashland. A social hour followed the business meeting at the conclusion of which Mrs. Hector served a prettily appointed luncheon. The guests were Mrs. Emmitt North, Mrs. R. C. Groesbeck, Mrs. R. A. Emmitt, Mrs. George Humphrey, Mrs. W. V. Ruconich, Mrs. Jennie Hurn, Mrs. W. D. Cofer, Mrs. W. J. Steinmetz, Mrs. E. Jones and Mrs. L. Ruconich.

TWO O'CLOCK DINNER AT R. W. BROWNE HOME

AT the hour of two o'clock on Thanksgiving day, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Browne presided at a prettily appointed dinner at their home in Hot Springs. The queen of autumn flowers, chrysanthemums, in the tawny russet shades of bronze and yellow were used in decorating the table. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Leo Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Landis, Miss Thelma Short, Elda Houston, Allen Arthur Houston and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Browne.

ANNUAL ELECTION OF OFFICERS IN DECEMBER

MONDAY evening the Business and Professional Women held their regular business meeting which carried out the usual routine of business affairs. Mrs. Gertrude Moore, Mrs. Allan Jones and Mrs. J. M. Glover being named as the nominating committee for the annual election of officers which will be held at the next regular meeting on December 7. This meeting will take place at the hotel White Pelican, with a dinner at six-thirty. Reservations will be made through Miss Jo Upp at the First National bank.

THANKSGIVING DINNER AT FOSTER HOME

ANOTHER lovely dinner of Thanksgiving day was presided over by Mr. and Mrs. James Bishop Foster. The table was especially lovely, decorated with clusters of "baby mums" and bronze cathedral candles were held in crystal sticks. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Darbin, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Eller, Phyllis Foster, Mr. G. Hughes and the host and hostess.

TO MEET WITH MRS. RICE ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON

MRS. R. H. RADCLIFFE will speak on "The Nervous Child" next Thursday afternoon when the child of pre-school age division of the American association of University Women meets with their leader, Mrs. A. L. Rice at her home on Second and Jefferson.

LITERARY SECTION WITH MRS. R. E. GEARY

SATURDAY, December 5, the Literary section of the American Association of University Women will meet at the home of Mrs. R. E. Geary, 237 Cedar. The discussion will take in George Gene Nathan, the critic. The meeting is called for the hour of three o'clock.

A. N. W. CLUB WITH MRS. CARNAHAN

MRS. J. H. CARNAHAN has invited the ladies of the A. N. W. Club to meet with her on Wednesday afternoon at her home on North Sixth.

TRUAX HOME SCENE OF FAMILY DINNER

DR. AND MRS. L. L. Truax presided over a family dinner at their home on Fourth and High on Thanksgiving day. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thomas, Mary Charlene Thomas, Mrs. Sherman Simpson of Columbus, Ohio, and the host and hostess.

The regular meeting of the ladies of St. Mary's Altar society will be held on Tuesday evening, December 1, at Lyceum hall.

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