

The Neighbors' Prayer.

Chicken possessors, at the earnest solicitation of M. E. Gruber, will you not kindly gather your little flock from the highways and byways of other people's gardens and lawns and clean the sidewalks, and deposit them in their rightful habitations in your own back yard? Thank you.

To the Members of the Tusitala Club

Owing to the illness of Mrs Steinbach and her daughter Muriel Wilcox, the Tusitalas will not meet at Muriel's home on Friday night of this week, as had been arranged. Miss Juanita Thompson will entertain the club at the home of Mrs. Alexander McNeil instead. The business meeting will open at 7:30.

G. A. D. Dinner.

Last Saturday afternoon, the W. R. C. gave a dinner at the old K. P. hall in honor of the birthdays of Comrades Deal and Parazo. The table was beautifully decorated with red, white and blue ribbons. The appetizing birthday cake bore 25 candles. We all went home knowing we had made our old boys happy.

A Member of the W. R. C.

Charles Ray has Fine Picture in "Hay Foot, Stray Foot."

The humorous side of the army training camp, the laughs that go so often with hard work of drill, are shown in "Hay Foot, Stray Foot" which will be shown at the Gem next Wednesday night.

Many a joke has been played on the rookie, many a hearty laugh had at the expense of the "green" soldier who arrived to prepare to fight the Hun. All this bright side of army life is shown to advantage in this new picture that has no battle scenes no tragic moments. It is the lighter side of the great world struggle.

Mr. Ray is supported in this picture, by Doris Lee leading a capable cast which includes William Conklin, Spottiswoode Aitkin and J. P. Lockney.

The Greatest Pain of All.

John Erickson who thought he had rheumatism, has just returned from a month's stay at Hot Lake Sanitarium. The first week his right leg was slit open and several whicocals-jems removed; the second week, he developed tonsillitis and underwent another operation while his adenoids and tonsils were carved out; the third week, he lingered in the valley of the shadow with flu bordering on pneumonia, by the fourth week he found he had lost 24 pounds and much pep. Last Monday, while he was holding a reception on the curbstone in front of the County Bank, a fellow farmer asked, "Well, John, of all the operations and sufferings you went through, which hurt the most?" Erickson gave a weak and wan smile and answered, "The one on my pocket book, I guess."

The Shakespears Club.

Despite the jinx reputed to hover about Friday the 13th, Mrs. B. C. Lamb's entertainment of the members of the Shakespeare Club on that date, proved a success. In addition to reading the second act of "Antony and Cleopatra", the guests enjoyed a guessing game, in which Mrs. John Groat received first honors. The approach of St. Valentine's Day, suggested an attractive mode of decoration. Red hearts were used as place-cards, and long chains of them festooned the living room. An elaborate three-course luncheon was served at a table, beautified by an artistic centerpiece of red carnations and feathery ferns. Madeline Bates, Halton, Haberlach, Shearer, Case and Irwin Harrison were especially invited guests.

"Behind The Scenes" Featuring Mary Pickford.

The inimitable Mary Pickford has a delightful characterization, that of an actress in the Paramount drama of theatrical life "Behind the Scenes" which will be shown at the Gem Theatre next Friday, Feb. 20. "Behind the Scenes" is an absorbing play that contrasts the drama of life with the gleam of the stage. It is human throughout, and depicts the struggle of a little soubrette for theatrical fame, and her great sacrifice for love just when success is within reach.

The humorous elements and serious episodes of the drama are faithfully interpreted by Miss Pickford, and punctuated with her delightful and original methods.

Miss Pickford is supported by an adequate cast.

Double Victory For T. H. S.

Last night a large audience attended the debate at the High School. The following program was rendered.

Music: Vocal Duet—"The Old, Old Love", LaVerna Holden and Violet Glasley.

Debate—Resolved: That the use of the writ of injunction in labor disputes should be prohibited by Federal law.

Affirmative, Tillamook High School, represented by Betty Lantz and Martha Crank.

Negative—Banks Union High School, represented by Miss Dorothy Wilcox and Mr. Gerald Davies.

Rebuttal—Miss Bessie Lantz and Miss Dorothy Wilcox.

Judges, Rev. R. S. Ford, Banks; Sgt. George Hug, McMinnville; Mr. Simpson, Bay City.

Piano duet—"Vienna Forever", Valjean Prah and Lillian Crook.

The decision of the judges was two to one for the affirmative.

Clair Small and Harry Elliott, of the Tillamook negative team appearing at Beaverton last night, scored

another victory for our High School. The decision was unanimous in their favor.

This splendid showing speaks well for the excellent coaching of Mr.loyd Dawson, former star debater of the University of Oregon, whose sharing of his ripe experience with the local boys and girls bids fair to win them leadership of the district, and the subsequent opportunity to compete in the state championship at Eugene.

The Misses Valjean Prah's and Lillian Groat's interpretation of "Vienna Forever" was enthusiastically applauded.

Splendid Snow Scenes Shown in "A Daughter of the Wolf."

Beautiful photography by J. O. Taylor is a distinct feature of the Paramount production starring Lila Lee, in "A Daughter of the Wolf" which will be shown at the Gem Theatre next Monday, February 23. As nearly all the exteriors for the picture were taken up near Truckee, Cal., where a thick coat of snow lay on the ground, the most pleasing effects were obtained.

The snow reflects the light so strongly that it is said that scenes can be taken there even when the sun is entirely hidden by clouds and beautiful photography is obtained. Miss Lila Lee's leading man is Elliott Dexter.

Five Hundred.

Mrs. David Robinson and Mrs. Henry Crenshaw entertained at the former's home at five hundred on Wednesday, February 18th. The prizes of Parfum Djer Kiss and Poudre de Riz were won by Mrs. Webster Holmes and Mrs. David Kurathi. The hostesses are to be complimented on the charming simplicity of their table appointments, enhanced by Mrs. Robinson's truly exquisite napery, china and silver. Miss Dorothy Graham assisted in serving. Covers were laid for Madames Bates, Holmes, Anderson, Lamar, Reichers, Hill, Mason, Condit, Broodhead, Poorman, Gruber, Halton, B. C. Lamb, Koch, Hadley, Kurathi, Leonard, Dyrland, Groat, Carlin and Leslie.

Initial Boxing Contest.

The initial boxing program of the recently appointed boxing commission was held at the American Legion Armory Wednesday night and although it did not prove to be the greatest financial success for a starter was classed by the sporting fans one and all as the best all round bill of boxing bouts ever staged here in the history of the game. Credit for this excellent card goes to Charles Mowery, matchmaker and the boxing commission composed of John Carrol, Dr. L. L. Hoy, Frank Cardiff, William Oothout and E. E. Koch.

The show was replete with sensations which climaxed in the 6 round semi-windup when Jay Houser, the fast coming young Wheeler batter knocked out Jimmy Grady of Seattle in the first round. The boys, who tipped the beams at about 130 pounds had been boxing only 60 seconds when Houser caught Grady with a terrific swing behind the ear and put the Seattle boy into the land of nod. Many thought the blow a fluke and a return match may be arranged.

Al Byers, of Portland and George Eagles fought ten slashing rounds to a draw in the main event. Byers was the cleverer of the two while Eagles did a good deal of the forcing. The bout was marked by much hard hitting on the part of both contestants and was a slam bang affair. Referee McInnis figured that a draw would not hurt either boy although Byers looked to have the edge.

In the first bout of the evening's four round mix, Bud Stengel, of Portland was awarded the decision over Battling Mackie, of Portland. The boys stood toe to toe for four rounds and never faltered.

The next date for a card will be decided at a meeting of the commission this week.

High School Notes.

School has once more become the usual routine of studies. There are twenty five new students this semester making the largest student body in the history of the high school.

Miss May Clark, a graduate of Washington State College, at Pullman, is a new teacher in the high school. She will teach English and History.

The boy's first team versus second Team in a basketball game played at the Armory a week ago Wednesday, the score was sixteen to forty in favor of the first team. The student body had high hopes in the second team. We wish them better luck next time.

Thursday, February 12 a short program was given in honor of Abraham Lincoln's birthday. Rev. Oliver addressed the student body.

Ramona Halton was elected High School editor to take the place of Olive Miner who is not attending school this term. She appointed Cora Oliver as her assistant and "Shingles" Gabriel will furnish the athletic material.

Friday night a thrilling basketball game was played at Bay City between the Bay City girls and the T. H. S. girls. The score was eight to twenty-four in favor of the second team. We wish them better luck next time.

Three rooms of the primary department of the local school were closed the first two days of the present week to allow their thorough fumigation. Mrs. Steinbach with a mild case of influenza, and Mrs. Burge and Mrs. Hoskins were detained at home with colds. It was decided to take no risks, but to have all three rooms fumigated. The school authorities are keeping the school rooms disinfected, closely watching the ventilation, and sending home any who have colds, etc., so that they feel that the danger of spreading contagion in the schools has been reduced to a minimum.

GEM THEATRE PROGRAM

Friday, Feb. 20—"Behind the Scenes", Paramount production, featuring Mary Pickford.

"Burton Holmes Travelogue." Saturday, Feb. 21—"The Lost Princess", William Fox production, featuring Albert Ray and Elinor Fair.

"Pay Your Dues" Lloyd Comedy. Sunday, Feb. 22—"Her Great Chance", Select production featuring Alice Brady.

"William Fox Sunshine Comedy" Monday, Feb. 23—"A Daughter of the Wolf", Paramount production featuring Lila Lee.

One Reel Comedy. Tuesday, Feb. 24—"The White Heather", Paramount-Artaft special production with an all star cast.

"Among Those Present", 2 reel Mack Sennett comedy. Wednesday, Feb. 25—"Hay Foot, Stray Foot", Paramount production, featuring Charles Ray.

"Dray Pictograph." Thursday, Feb. 26—"Please Get Married", Metro screen classics special feature presenting Viola Dana in by far the best and most pleasing comedy-drama that she has ever appeared in. 7 reels of side splitting comedy, so full of fun that you will feel well repaid after seeing it. Your money back if you don't like it.

CITY AND COUNTY WILL BE CLOSED UP TIGHT.

Citizens in all Parts of the County Called Upon to Help in Flu Epidemic.

The State Board of Health, at a special meeting held in Portland, on the 24th day of January, passed emergency rules and regulations which are deemed adequate to cope with the epidemic of so-called Spanish influenza. These regulations are, briefly, to the effect that all persons occupying a position to which other persons are subordinate, and under their control, shall report all cases of influenza occurring among their subordinates and all persons who have suspicious symptoms to the health officer having jurisdiction, and shall refuse to permit such persons to remain at their work so long as such suspicious conditions exist, being responsible for those under their control pending action by the health officer, or other physician.

All persons, whether physicians, practitioners, healers, owners or keepers of rooming houses, hotels, restaurants, boarding houses, dairy farms, superintendent or managers of private or public hospitals or sanatoriums, visiting nurses, heads of schools, teachers in common or Sunday schools, and heads of households are required to placard premises, immediately quarantine all cases of so-called Spanish influenza, and report to the health officer, all circumstances which would reasonably cause one to suppose that a case of influenza might be developing, carefully informing the health officer having jurisdiction over the habitation, or place of employment, or residence of the person infected. Quarantine, in every case, to be strictly maintained until raised by the health officer.

Health officers are required to furnish placards and detail instructions to all other persons within their jurisdiction when quarantine is established by such other person. There is no known preventive inoculation against the so-called Spanish influenza. The adequate enforcement of these regulations will be the best known method of preventing the spread of the epidemic, and the health officer within their respective jurisdiction are charged with the strict enforcement of these measures. While the policy of the State Board of Health is against closure of churches, schools, theatres and other places where public gatherings are held, it does earnestly request the co-operation of the general public in the matter of voluntarily avoiding unnecessary exposure.

David Roberg, State Health Officer

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning worship, 11 a.m. Subject "Robbing God." Evening worship, 7:30 p.m. Subject "Making Red Hearts White." A Washington Birthday pageant representing eight Indian tribes will be given. Everybody always welcome. Allan A. McRea, Minister.

Nazarene Church Services.

Sunday School at 10 a.m. Preaching by Rev. Jones, the Quaker Evangelist at 11 a.m. Peoples meeting at 7 p.m., led by Mrs. King. All welcome. Evening sermon by the pastor at 8 p.m. Special songs. Service of song and prayer on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. A. F. Ingler, Pastor.

Ray and Fair Here in New Picture.

A princess meets a plow boy, and young love breaks down all barriers, in "The Lost Princess," which starring Albert Ray and pretty Elinor Fair, will be shown at the Gem Theatre next Saturday night.

"The Lost Princess" is a William Fox picture, and is described as an unusually sweet romance which begins in Europe and ends in California. It is said to be full of keenly sympathetic touches. These tory deals with conspiracy aimed at the throne and with the love of a princess and an American youth.



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In a great variety of pleasing styles.

Women's Pumps, Oxfords and Shoes at \$7.85 Black Pump, with Louis heel. Turn Sole. Made in black kid at \$7.85. A to E widths.

Black Kid Oxford, with Cuban heel, welt sole and imitation tip. Priced \$7.85. A to E widths.

Women's 9 in. top Black Kid Shoe, with Louis heel, welt sole, lace. Widths A to E. Priced at \$7.85.

Women's Brown Kid Shoes, 8 1/2 in. top, Louis heel, welt sole. Width A. to E. Lace. Price \$7.85.

Women's Shoes in black and brown Kid. Welt soles. 8 1/2 in. top, lace, military heel, widths A to E. Priced \$7.85.

Select Your Spring Suits from these Superb Styles.

Suits in Serges--Tricotines--Velours--Cravenettes and Gabardines--plain tailored models trimmed in Military Braids and button decorations, some are vestee effects--the Skirts are slightly fuller and shorter and the tailoring imparts that individuality that epitomizes the sterling craftsmanship of good tailoring. The prices, \$32.50 to \$98.00. You'll find a splendid assortment of colors.

The Very Latest in Sport Coats.

Jaunty Sport Coats in all the Newest shades, felled and full back effects. The new models show nifty narrow belts that give a peculiar charm to these graceful garments in silvertones--Polo Cloth--Velours Broad Cloth and Novelty Mixtures--a wide range of materials and patterns. Priced \$26.75 to \$65.00.

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French Models in Black Charmeuse Silk--Persian Finish--Elaborately trimmed in jet buttons--Guimpe sleeves and shoulders. An inspiration in French designing, wherein the gifts of a foreign artist are brought to your hands. The few models that were sent for your inspection are a striking illustration of French designers as one would expect to see in the best shops of smart New York. Women who want something different and the very best, will appreciate this showing.--Other models in Tricotone--Tricolettes--Taffetas and Satins.

On the Balcony at Haltom's.

Our New Milliner is on Her Way. Meet Her on Our Balcony Saturday.

Our New Millinery Department with an entirely new showing of Spring Millinery is now being installed for your convenience and for your pleasure--all new styles in Trimmed Hats will be ready for your inspection by Saturday.

An Expert Milliner, Miss Kearney, from Bradshaw Bros., St. Paul, Minnesota, will be in charge here.

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