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METHOD IN THIS MADNESS

As an unengaged maiden of Cottage Grove will you permit me space in your valuable paper to make a suggestion for the protection of some of us marriageable girls. Why would not it be wise to have an engagement badge, and let the city council adopt an ordinance enforcing its usage. Our bachelor aldermen, I believe, would introduce and champion such a measure. My reasons for this are many. Lots of young men bestow their attentions mistakenly because they do not know, and cannot know without an expression from the young lady herself, that the solitaire diamond no longer serves its historic purpose. Most modern girls are lavishly provided with diamonds and they cannot keep the third finger of the left hand immune to all but engagement. And neither does the air and actions of the engaged girl serve for detection, for although the capture of a man will cause a look of triumph to be permanently engraved upon the maiden's face, such has been the influence of modern independence that the girl who isn't engaged feels as fine about it as though she were. She does not miss anything.

With this view of the situation I suggest the badge. The fortunate

young woman should be made to wear it at all times. It might be a white ribbon such as that used by the W. C. T. U. with the word "engaged" or "promised" printed in letters of gold in order that the young man who runs, or loiters, may read and know the truth. It may be said that any maiden has a historic right to keep her secret if she chooses, and also that the unengaged could, with malicious intent, wear the badge also, even if she had to go to Recorder VanDenberg with a convincing tale to secure it. But truth crushed to earth will rise again, and when once this deception was discovered it would place her in a class by herself in the community. I hold that there are not more than enough young men to go around, and when a young woman makes a catch, betrothes herself she should be willing to let go of all others.

If the Sentinel thinks favorable of this idea I would be pleased to have the above published, and I should also like to hear from others, both engaged and unengaged on the subject. It is one of vital importance to many of us girls, and while this may be ridiculed it is no laughing matter.

—Unengaged Girl, in Cottage Grove Leader.

WOODBURN SOCIAL AND LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Marsh and daughters, Ethel and Mabel, and Mr. Joe Freshner were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. J. Byers.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Durant left Saturday for their farm home near Silverton, where they will reside indefinitely. Their many friends in Woodburn regret their departure, but hope it will only be for a short time.

C. O. Boynton had a paralytic stroke of the brain Sunday. He is resting quite easy at this writing, and some hope is entertained for his recovery.

Mrs. Bert Byers left Wednesday to join her husband at Huntington, Ore., where he has employment as section boss on the O. R. & N.

Ed. Tyler and family, former residents of near Salem, have returned to their home in this city, after several months' absence, Mr. Tyler having been employed as station agent at McGowan, Wash.

Woodburn is booming once more, thanks to the electric road that should ere this be hailed with joy in our city, but has been detained by the non-arrival of steel to finish the track. Another month will find the beautiful city of Woodburn connected with her sister cities, and we hope the results will be profitable to all.

The Royal Neighbors are surely building up an order to be proud of. Last Thursday, at their regular meeting, they initiated seven new members, or rather obligated them, as they did not have time for initiatory work. As the marshal was conducting the candidates the M. W. As filed in in a body, with a most magnificent feast, consisting of roast pig, sweet spuds, buns, pies, pickles, cake, in fact every good thing imaginable. The table was laid for 40 guests. This was twice filled. The M. W. As really know how to serve well. After supper the crowd had a most enjoyable time playing games, the most popular being progressive whist.

George Bonney is converting the building known as the Beach building, two doors south of the Woodburn bank, into a neat and comfortable rooming house. It will be as neat as paper and paint can make it, with all the furniture new and good one-made bedding. This will be open for business by the middle of December.

B. P. O. E. EXERCISES SUNDAY

The Salem lodge of the B. P. O. E., No. 336, will hold its annual memorial exercises in the opera house next Sunday, December 5, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. The program for the occasion follows:

Order of Service.

"Marcha Funebre," Chopin; Elks' orchestra.

Opening ritualistic exercises, Salem Lodge No. 36, B. P. O. E.

Roll call of our absent brothers—Secretary of the Lodge.

"War March," from "Athalia," Opening ode; air "Auld Lang Syne." Audience requested to join.

Great Ruler of the universe, All-seeing and benign, Look down upon and bless our work, And be all glory Thine! Oh, hear our prayers for the honored dead,

While bearing in our minds The memories graven on each heart For "Auld Lang Syne."

Invocation—Rev. Paul S. Bandy, Solo, "A Dream of Paradise," Gray—Mrs. Jennies Snyder Warren.

Address—Bro. P. H. D'Arcy, P. E. R.

"Romance of a Rose," O'Connor—Elks' orchestra.

Eulogy—Bro. E. D. Ressler, Solo, "My Redeemer and My Lord," Dudley Buck—Miss Lucille Ragsdale.

Reading—"Thanatopsis," Bryant—Mrs. Sara Brown Savage.

Closing ritualistic exercises—Salem Lodge No. 36, B. P. O. E.

Doxology; audience will please rise and join.

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow! Praise Him, all creatures here below! Praise Him, above, ye heav'nly host! Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost!

Benediction—Rev. Paul S. Bandy, "The Friar," Bohnein—Elks' orchestra.

The dead for whom the service is held are: Charles S. Vivian, founder of the order, March 20, 1880; E. M. Wood, A. Bencke, C. Hemphill, F. S. Dearborn, E. P. Parkhurst, S. L. Hayden, F. H. Campbell, W. G. Westcott, F. C. Perrine, A. C. Law-

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rence, J. H. Townsend, G. P. Hughes, J. C. Brown, E. C. Young, Charles A. Mattison, J. W. Bollen, D. V. Vaughn, Tilmon Ford, W. L. West, Charles Scholl.

The following comprise the memorial committee, having charge of the services: Al. H. Steiner, Chas. L. McNary, George L. Rose, D. R. Yantis, Charles Kurth.

INDEPENDENCE FRATERNAL AND LOCAL

Miss Grace Wallace spent Thanksgiving at her home in Independence, and returned to Corvallis Monday, where she is attending school.

Ed. Wallace has been in Independence since the football game at Eugene, where he was laid out by a kick in the back of the head.

Miss Ruby Earhart was here also spending Thanksgiving, returning to Corvallis Monday.

Miss Bertha Bohanan spent Thanksgiving with her parents in Independence, returning to her work at Corvallis Monday.

Mrs. Hubbard is home again, after spending some time in Eastern Oregon visiting the Rebekah lodges.

The dance given by Curry Eldridge and Roy DeArmond Thanksgiving was enjoyed immensely by all. The strangers here remarked about what good music our Independence orchestra rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, of Corvallis, spent Thanksgiving with Jess Whiteaker.

Mrs. George Whiteaker and Mrs. Eldridge went to Portland Thursday, returning home Sunday.

Novell Eldridge is laid up for a few days on account of his ankle, which he got hurt in the game between Independence and Portland.

L. Krebs missed his Thanksgiving dinner in Portland, but he saved his 200 goats with the steamer Oregon.

After the high water the Willamette valley suffers very little. Some of the hop growers and farmers lost quite a lot of trellis, some live stock, and the roads were washed out, but not nearly what we had estimated, when we had so much water around us.

Pineus has his hops on dry land again, after being under water four or five days, but he says even to the middle of the bales he can squeeze the water out of them. Skinner worked day and night, but only got 24 bales on this side of the river. They were so heavy and hard to handle, bringing them in rowboats to his launch. But they are now hauling them to be dried. There were about 300 bales under water.

Miss Erma Brown had a chicken supper ready for eight girls after a skating party Saturday night. After skating hard they were all ready for a good, hearty feed. They were Miss Bertha Bentley, Cordis Gouch, Margaret Hodge, Katie Dinsmore, Babe Damon, Clara Earhart, Grace Wallace.

A Thrilling Rescue.

How Bert R. Lean, of Cheney, Wash., was saved from a frightful death is a story to thrill the world. "A hard cold," he writes, "brought on a desperate lung trouble that baffled an expert doctor here. Then I paid \$10 to \$15 a visit to a lung specialist in Spokane, who did not help me. Then I went to California, but without benefit. At last I used Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me and now I am as well as ever." For Lung Trouble, Bronchitis, Coughs and Colds, Asthma, Croup and Whooping Cough it's supreme. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by J. C. Perry.

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"But why are they taking it off?"

"A good many of the people in that car have been occupying seats all the way out. They are being sent in here so they, too, will have a chance to stand up. The company doesn't want to show any partiality."

—Chicago Record-Herald.

Women Who Are Envid.

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