

# Society

BY MOLLIE BUNCORN.

The playground at the Grant school has proven its value already, being daily occupied by scores of children of the northern part of the city. Women of the Parent-Teachers association and of the Thought and Work club have given much of their time and service in entertaining and instructing the children. A program has been arranged for each day of the week during the summer and will remain unaltered with the exception of a few names which will be changed, owing to outings claiming the attention of some who have consented to assist.

Monday afternoon will be in charge of Mrs. O. F. Richardson; on Tuesdays Mrs. D. C. Burton will preside, assisted by Mrs. (Dr.) E. E. Fisher, who will fill an hour with story telling; Wednesday programs will be under the direction of Mrs. Luella A. Walsh and Miss Inez Dennison. Mrs. F. P. Gregory and Miss Euid Elliott, who has had much experience in playground work, will supervise the work for Thursdays, and Mrs. Charles Dick and Mrs. Ebberts will alternate in having jurisdiction on Fridays, Mrs. Fisher interpreting stories and legends for the children's pleasure on Fridays also.

Mrs. O. A. Chappel, a primary teacher at the Grant school, will be stationed at the grounds on Saturdays, Miss Jessie Holemb being asked to assist her on these days.

Various fixtures have been acquired, Professor O. M. Elliott, the newly elected superintendent of the city's schools, who has visited many city playgrounds, stating that the Salem grounds possessed a practical and beneficial collection. His only suggestion was the addition of moving rings, which will be secured shortly, the necessary purchasing amount being readily contributed.

The Thought and Work club is meeting in regular session this afternoon at the school, completing plans for future activities.

Last evening the members and friends of the Salem Mission gathered at the Mission and went in a body to the residence of Dr. and Mrs. D. N. McInturff, 633 Ferry street, occasioning a delightful surprise. The party was met on the porch by Dr. McInturff, who evidently was looking for the people who had made an engagement with him to meet him at his home on "special business," but to his astonishment more people were nearing his home than he was expecting. Even ice cream delivered to his home before the people arrived did not arouse any suspicion on his part, but owing to the fact that their daughter, Mrs. Cosselman, was forewarned of the coming event, the ice cream was safely put in a very convenient place.

A magnificent electric table lamp was presented to Dr. and Mrs. McInturff by Mr. E. F. Rogers, as a token from the people to show how they had enjoyed and appreciated their earnest, faithful and sincere work in the Mission.

After the lamp was presented, the people were entertained with sacred songs and music, and they were served with ice cream and cake by the Misses Charlotte Horning, Helen McInturff, and Edith, Jane and Beatrice Haverson. Following this, splendid music was rendered by Mrs. Cosselman, and songs and readings by Miss Eugenia McInturff, which were enjoyed by all. A little after eleven o'clock all joined in singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," departing for their homes, stating they had enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Rogers, Mrs. P. E. Zinn and grandson, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rickard, Dr. and Mrs. D. N. McInturff, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Horning, Mr. and Mrs. A. E.

Warm, Mrs. Amelia Cosselman, Mrs. N. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Thomas, Mrs. Sarah Burdick, Misses Jane Haverson, Evelyn Thomas, Charlotte Horning, Beatrice Haverson, Helen McInturff, Orilla Horning, Rupert, Eugenia McInturff, Edith Haverson, and the Messrs. G. C. Patterson, J. D. Bowman, J. C. Gregory, Lyle Thomas, W. W. Powell, Jr., James Rickard, Paul Rickard, L. J. Carey, A. D. Leach.

The Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian church will hold an out-of-doors meeting next Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Marion Square park. Mrs. S. B. Frost will entertain the ladies. All members and friends are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson, Frank and Pauline Patterson left this morning for Newport to spend a month at their cottage, the "Cherry City." They will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Abbott of Portland.

Mrs. L. K. Page, with Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming and Mrs. E. B. Fleming, are domiciled for the season at the George H. Wilcox flat at Nye Beach. R. B. Fleming accompanied the party to the beach, returning Monday. He expects to join them for week-ends during the season.

The William Flemings arrived at Newport Sunday morning from a walking trip from Astoria, which covered a period of nine days. Writing to friends in Salem, they report a thoroughly enjoyable outing, the beauty of the region through which they traveled more than compensating for the hardships incidental to such a trip.

Mrs. H. L. Clark and daughter, Boreice, are at Newport for a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hill and grandson, Earl Wilcox, arrived in Salem Tuesday evening from Los Angeles, California, having come overland in their auto. With the exception of a few warm days the trip of twelve hundred miles was made very pleasantly in a little less than ten days. They are visiting for a few days with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Laflar, at 1190 South Liberty street before continuing their journey to Vancouver, B. C., where they will visit for a month with their daughter.

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R. H. Crozier, traveling passenger agent, and W. P. Powers, freight agent of the O. E. railroad at ortland, are at the Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Kapell, of Rainier, are guests at the Marion.

J. E. Rothland, of London, Eng., and Albert Kastan, of Berlin, Germany, are at the Marion.

A. Hatten, a prominent boy buyer from Chicago, is at the Marion.

Mrs. V. A. Kelly and Miss Marie Herous, of Portland, are guests at the Bligh.

J. C. Marshall, Guy E. Dyar and C. F. Hull of Portland are at the Bligh. Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Bligh are spending their vacation with Mrs. Carroll Shortridge, of Dolph, Ore. They will probably remain until September.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Webb and family have returned from a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Webb, of Portland, where they have been for a week past.

Z. J. Riggs spent Tuesday in Portland where he went on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barnacle and G. W. Walton, of Victoria, B. C., were guests at the Marion last night. They

## SUIT IS BROUGHT AGAINST NEW HAVEN

Charged It Controls Nine Railroads, 22 Boat Lines, 1500 Miles Trolley Lines—Besides It Is a Wreck.

New York, July 23.—At the direction of President Wilson, Attorney General McReynolds today filed a suit to dissolve the New York, New Haven & Hartford, under the terms of the Sherman anti-trust laws, in the United States court for the southern district of New York. The papers referred to the system as a combination in restraint of trade and a combination.

The New Haven, it was charged, controls nine railroads, 22 boat lines and 1500 miles of trolley systems. It was also declared that the New Haven earns 91 per cent of the gross freight revenue and 95 per cent of the gross passenger revenue of all New England railroads.

The government asks that the contracts and combinations prevailing be declared conspiracies, in restraint of trade. It also asks for a separation of all the system's railroads, steamboat and trolley lines. The court was also asked to declare the acquisition of the Boston and Maine road illegal.

The suit was filed by H. Snowden Marshall, United States district attorney for the southern district of New York, after the papers had been signed by Attorney General McReynolds and several of his assistants.

are late members of the Yellowstone automobile party which passed through here yesterday.

Mrs. James Batchelor, of 1331 Mission street, who has been ill for some weeks, is reported as improving.

Miss Evelyn Gremmels left Monday for a two weeks' vacation trip to the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bernardi, who are on a vacation at the ranch home of friends near Brooks, are expected home Saturday.

R. P. Burton, who was called for jury duty, expects to be released soon and will join his wife on their vacation trip at Monmouth, where Mrs. Mrs. Burton is visiting at the home of her father, President J. H. Ackerman.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Aldridge, who are on their vacation at Cascadia, are expected home Saturday.

T. H. Galway is at Tillamook where he will pass his vacation, returning about August 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Wenderoth are enamping at Nye Beach, where they will remain a week longer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Johnson left Wednesday evening for Solaville. They were accompanied from Turner by Mrs. Kate Smith and will enjoy an outing in the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Marnach and daughter Pauline left this morning for Newport. Mrs. Marnach expects to remain about three weeks while Mr. Marnach will return in a few days.

## DIED.

M'INTIRE—In Independence, July 22, 1914, wife of Ross T. McIntire of Independence, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Metcalf, of Salem, Mrs. Florence Metcalf McIntire, aged 23 years.

The body arrived from Independence at 9 o'clock this morning and is at Rigdon & Richardson's undertaking parlors. Funeral services Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock from First M. E. church.

The casket will not be opened after it leaves the undertaking parlors, but until 10 o'clock friends will be permitted to look upon the face of the loved one for the last time.

SMITH—At a local sanitarium, July 22, 1914, at 7 a. m., W. Buryl Smith, aged 43 years.

Deceased came here with his wife from Rainier some months ago to visit friends. He was a member of the Royal Order of Moose at Rainier. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the local Moose hall, Rev. H. E. Marshall officiating. Interment will be in Odd Fellows' cemetery.

## CAILLAUX TRIAL

(Continued from page one.)

seems to be with the woman who drove me from my home."

And again she and the present Mme. Caillaux exchanged angry looks.

It was the questioning of Judge Alabaud, however, which brought out the really significant part of the former Mme. Caillaux's testimony. The witness had hitherto been referred to as having stolen the "Ton Jo" letter and other communications from the premier to his present wife, which it was said Editor Calmette threatened to publish.

The former Mme. Caillaux's account was quite different. "I little suspected that my husband had a mistress," she said, "until, on his knees, he told me of her and begged my forgiveness."

"He once told me that, the night before, he had come to my bedside intending to kill me. But he repented and, to show his loyalty, he said, gave me a sachet which he told me contained instant documents."

"I opened it and found that it contained his letters to Mme. Claretie, his present wife."

The witness was a slender woman, clad in black. She spoke in a low, sad voice, and seemed weighed down by sorrow.

"I am certain now of an acquittal," remarked Labori, after the witness had left the stand.

In fact, the prediction was freely made that Mme. Caillaux would be acquitted. Many of the spectators said, however, that they did not exactly see how her predecessor's testimony had strengthened her case.

## LIQUOR CAUSED DEATHS.

Tulsa, Okla., July 23.—United States Marshal Holmes Davidson and a deputy, W. R. Plank, were shot dead here today by William Baber, whose home they were trying to enter to look for contraband liquor.

## DUSTY WARRIORS ARE HOME AGAIN

Tired and Hot the Sunbrowned Veterans of Camp and Beach Gladly Sample the Home Cooking.

With the perspiration streaming down their dusty, sunburned faces, members of M company, Third regiment, O. N. G., who have been at the annual encampment of the guards at Gearhart for the past ten days, trooped through Salem's streets yesterday evening at five o'clock headed for the armory where cool citizen clothes awaited. They were tired and hot, especially so because they had left the cool sea-breeze at Gearhart for the hot, sweltering valley. They were glad to get home again but they were also sorry that the encampment was over, for this year's work was the most instructive and the time was spent the most pleasantly of any camp in recent years.

At 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning, first call sounded and immediately there was a hurrying into uniforms and a packing of blanket rolls. Breakfast was ready at five o'clock and then the preparations to break camp began. The work was distributed among the four squads comprising the company. At 5:40 the general, the signal for striking tents, was sounded and the entire tentage of the regiment fell to the ground at once. Rolling of tents, policing of quarters, and waiting until train time occupied the time until 8:30 o'clock. The first section, carrying the valley companies, arrived in Portland about 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon and left for home at 2:20.

**A Theoretical Battle.**  
The ten days period of instruction culminated Tuesday in a brigade, which consisted of three regiments, problem of attack and defense. The battle was merely theoretical and no blank cartridges were used. There were no long and tiresome hikes, the longest was a march from quarters down to the beach last Sunday for the brigade review where acting governor Olcott reviewed the Oregon, Idaho and Twenty-first Infantry troops. There were about 2,500 men in the line and it was one of the most impressive sights of the whole camp. Thousands of people lined the hillside in front of the hotel while moving picture machines recorded the event.

Immediately preceding the review on the beach, the chaplain of the Third regiment conducted church in the open field back of the regimental headquarters. The Twenty-first Infantry, of the regular service, and the Idaho's were invited. It was an impressive service.

Saturday afternoon was half-holiday and the Third regiment held a track and field meet on the beach. A large number of the men went to Seaside, which is about six miles from Gearhart, while others went bathing in the Pacific. Sunburned faces and chapped lips were the most serious casualties of the period.

**The Banner Encampment.**  
It is the unanimous opinion of all old guardsmen that the encampment this year was the most pleasant and profitable able that the Oregon boys have ever had. Drill, which consisted first of company close order drill and then extended order of company, battalion, and regiment, occupied the morning hours from 8 o'clock until 11:30. In the afternoon the men were free to do as they pleased, but a large number watched the movements of the regulars as they solved the problem of attack and defense. The non-commissioned officers were divided into sections and given lectures by regular officers on the duties of their respective positions. The regular army men, both officers and non-commissioned officers, were especially painstaking in giving instruction to the guardsmen and is in contrast to the half-way contempt which the regulars expressed for the militiamen in the past.

**Misted the Enemy.**  
M company took part in all of the problems on the Third battalion. Advancing by platoons, by squads, and by individual men in an endeavor to get as close as possible without exposing to danger was the problem. According to the men crawled on their stomachs and sought every bit of cover possible. In the rear the company and battalion officers controlled the advance by means of signals.

M company took to camp the finest lot of young men it has enrolled in a long time. The boys were well-behaved and gained the reputation of being the best drilled company of national guardsmen in camp. In the parades the company invariably had the best line passing the reviewing stand.

Camp life was full of its humor just the same as at any other time. Taken altogether the past ten days have been the pleasantest the national guard boys have ever spent. And already they are preparing for the trip to Frisco and the Fair is expected that this jaunt to the exposition will far eclipse all other encampments and be a high water mark in the life of the Oregon guards.

## REPORT DECLARED "ABSURD."

Washington, July 23.—Reports were published here today that Attorney General James G. McReynolds, who is 50 years old, is engaged to marry Miss Lucy Burleson, daughter of the postmaster general. Miss Burleson is 21.

Both Attorney General McReynolds and Postmaster General Burleson refused to discuss the report of the latest cabinet engagement. Each declared that it was absurd.

## WOMAN IS INJURED BY AUTO.

Cottage Grove, Ore., July 23.—An accident Wednesday which resulted seriously and nearly ended fatally occurred when Mrs. J. D. Quillen was run down by an automobile belonging to J. E. Redford and driven by his 16-year-old son, Edwin. Mrs. Quillen was accompanied by her little daughter, and in trying to save the child she was caught. She was severely bruised.

## POSTPONES ROCK ISLAND.

Washington, July 23.—Joseph W. Fox, chief counsel for the interstate commerce commission declared today the commission had decided to delay until fall its investigation of the Rock Island railroad.

## NELMS WANTS AID FROM GOVERNMENT

Washington, July 23.—Marshall Nelms of Atlanta appealed today to both the justice and postoffice departments to start a country-wide search for his missing sisters, Mrs. Eloise Dennis and Miss Beatrice Nelms, for whom the police of half a dozen states have been hunting vainly for many days past.

Nelms expressed the opinion that the young women were in the hands of an interstate gang of white slavers, which he thought ought to interest the justice department. In what he believed was an effort to extort money from their mother, Mrs. John Nelms of Atlanta, he charged that the mails had been improperly used, and urged the postoffice department to make an issue of the matter.

Nelms was in San Francisco when his sisters disappeared. One day his mother received a message, ostensibly from Mrs. Dennis, saying the latter had killed her sister in New Orleans and was on her way to kill her brother, after which she intended to commit suicide.

The New Orleans police could not learn that any murder had been committed in their city, but have been investigating ever since. Nelms was given police protection in San Francisco until he left for Atlanta to take up the case.

The Atlanta authorities were of course active. Reports that the missing women had been seen in Alabama and Texas started hunts in these two states. It was believed light might be thrown on the case by an inquiry in Portland, Oregon, and a vigorous investigation was conducted there.

All these exertions developed nothing. Both women are still missing today. Nelms said he was convinced Mrs. Dennis did not write the note her mother received, of if she did so, that it was under compulsion.

## LEWIS WANTS DUNNE.

Washington, July 23.—United States Senator J. Hamilton Lewis of Illinois called at the White House today and urged President Wilson to appoint Governor Edward F. Dunne to the vacancy on the United States supreme bench, caused by the recent death of Justice Lurton.

What prompted Senator Lewis' call was a mystery. A dispatch received from Chicago this afternoon stated that Governor Dunne is not seeking a place on the supreme bench. The president did not commit himself.

## BODIES RECOVERED.

The bodies of Edward M. Childs and Haskell Ewin, who were drowned in Columbia slough near Portland last Sunday, were recovered yesterday by Municipal Graper Brady.

Child's body was taken to Dunning & McEntee's chapel, where funeral services will be held at 10:30 a. m. Thursday. Ewin's body was taken to Finley's chapel.

## JONES PULLS OUT.

Washington, July 23.—President Wilson today withdrew the nomination of Thomas D. Jones as a member of the federal reserve bank board at the request of Jones himself.

## OREGON ELECTRIC'S ESTIMATE OF CROPS.

Portland, Ore., July 23.—The traffic department of the Oregon Electric Railway company has just compiled a recapitulation of crop prospects and harvest along its line, and this report shows, among other interesting features, that the clover seed yield will be practically 100 per cent greater than a year ago. The other crops, including hops, hay, onions, potatoes and other products are reported as follows:

**Albany**—Farmers are cutting small grain, which looks good. The clover crop is all that could be expected. Clover seed, fine; figure on almost 100 per cent increase over last year; probably 30 per cent.

**Cornelius**—Conditions could not be more promising. Haying is over. Woodburn—Outlook for hops this year very good; are in fine condition. Grain is heavy and about to be harvested.

**Beaverton**—Crop conditions above average. Hay and grain are made and apparently will be no loss, except sunburn for the hay. Late potatoes are doing well and average crop is expected. Early potatoes are a fair crop. Onions are better than an average crop; average may be a little short of last year.

**Forest Grove**—Prospects are good. Late wheat and potatoes may be cut a little by hot, dry spell. Hay crop is good. Fruit is doing nicely.

**Wilsonville**—Extreme hot weather the last few days did considerable damage to potatoes and late grain. Junction City—Hay crop is now being harvested. Grain will soon be cut. Both are early on account of favorable weather. All crops are better than average yield.

**Donald**—Crops are looking unusually well. Very little grain is raised except for home consumption. Hops are in best of condition and prospects are for large yield. Very few potatoes are being raised.

**Tualatin**—Crops are doing well. Corn, potatoes and onions need rain. Salem—Prune crop is not good; tonnage light comparatively. Hops are as good as last year, and may be better.

**Orville**—Hop crop looks fine. Waconda—Crops are better than last year. Shipments are expected to be heavier.

**Corvallis**—All crops are good except prunes. Loganberries do not appear worth picking. Favorable harvest weather.

**Orreno**—In spite of the dry spell, crops are looking exceedingly well and there is no complaint. Hops are in good condition and yield will at least equal 1913. Potatoes promise a good yield. If anything is light, it will be oats.

**Tigard**—Farmers are reaping a fine crop of small grain. Weather is dry. Potatoes could stand considerable moisture.

**North Plains**—Preparing for large crop of hay and grain. Wilkesboro—Crops very good, but good rains would help considerably. Long spell of dry weather made harvest two weeks earlier than usual. Wheat

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**Daddy's Bedtime Story**  
The Fairies Give a Big Summer Picnic.

They Dropped a Star Over Every Guest.

THE fairies had had the most marvelous picnic ever given in fairyland only a few days ago, and you may be sure, daddy did not waste much time telling Jack and Evelyn about it.

"They had the best time that they ever had had in their lives. they afterward said," began daddy, "and you know well how much that means, for they are in the habit of always enjoying themselves a great deal."

"In the first place, the picnic was a very large one. It was given in the big pine woods, and, oh, it was so deliciously cool there! It really was so cool that the fairies would run around and play games for all they were worth, so they could appreciate the cool breeze better."

"There were ever and ever so many guests at the picnic. The humming birds were invited with the butterflies, for the fairies wanted all the beautiful creatures they could have. The orioles were there and the bluejays and the robins; also the little red lizards, for, you know, the fairies are very fond of the little lizards and think they are very cunning. Then the elves were asked and, of course, the brownies."

"It was one of the prettiest picnics you can imagine, for with so many lovely creatures playing and dancing under the big, dark pine trees, with just gleams of Mr. Sun peeping through to see the fun—well, it was one of the prettiest sights in the world."

"The fairies began their picnic by swinging, playing tag and hide and go seek before they sat down to their supper, so as to make them very, very hungry, you see."

"Every little creature was given just what was most appealing for his special appetite."

"The fairies, elves and brownies had moss ice cream, which is their favorite kind, with evergreen patties. The birds had little dishes of cool spring water to drink and, of course, little worms to eat. The lizards were allowed to crawl around and pick up anything they chose. The butterflies and humming birds were given honey from the flowers, for the flowers were only too glad to help along."

"Everybody did have such a good time because everybody was thought of and nobody was forgotten about."

"But the most wonderful part of all was when the fairies entertained all their guests with a special dance which they had for the occasion. They dropped a star of silver over every guest, while they danced around in graceful and lovely manner."

"And all the guests picked up the little stars and applauded the fairies."