

SOCIETY

ALINE THOMPSON

Of paramount importance on the social calendar for next Thursday and Friday nights is the production of "The Fortune Hunter," at the Grand theatre, which will be given under the auspices of the Social Service Center of the Salem Commercial club for the benefit of the unfortunate of the city.

An interesting feature of this affair will be the cast of all local amateurs.

Although most of the large entertainments this season have been of a philanthropic nature, they have been charmingly varied in their appeal to one's interest.

Both the vigilant directors and the matrons and maids who are beneficiaries of the club's endeavors, are enthusiastically working to make this the largest charity event of the season and from the increasing interest day by day it is evident that many families will be made happy and comfortable.

One of the attractive affairs on tomorrow's calendar is the party for which Mrs. Grant Bonnell will be the charming hostess, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Gannett (Zola Hitchcock) whose wedding was an event of December.

Mrs. Frank Darbin was a luncheon-bridge hostess today at her home on Court street. It was a delightfully informal affair, her guests being the members of the Thursday luncheon-bridge club.

An affair which will attract a large number of the younger contingent is the Stringed Orchestra dancing party this evening at the Moose hall.

The W. C. O. F. held a meeting and installation of officers Tuesday evening at St. Joseph's hall.

Mrs. K. A. Kirk, the deputy high chief ranger of Portland was the installing officer.

Those elected for the ensuing year were: Mrs. Hattie Lane, chief ranger; Miss Olive Metcalf, vice chief ranger; Mrs. J. G. Nadon, treasurer; Miss Wilma Huesteiner, recording secretary; and Mrs. Steininger and Mrs. Julia Thompson, trustees.

After the installation a social evening and a banquet was enjoyed by those present.

Friday afternoon the Woman's Union of the Congregational church will hold a meeting in the church parlors.

A short business session will precede a social tete a tete and refreshments.

The Mountain View parent-teachers' association will hold a regular monthly meeting Friday night at the school house.

A business session will precede the programme which will be filled with a quota of interesting numbers.

B. H. Reed, who has been a missionary in the Rocky Mountains will tell of his personal experience among the Indians, and A. Nicholson, has arranged

ed special musical numbers. All are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eskin (Metta Kittley) of La Grande are being congratulated upon the advent of a son born Sunday, January the twenty-third.

The little fellow will be called Robert Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. Eskin formerly lived in Salem and have many friends here.

Mrs. Mina Griswold, of Portland and Mrs. E. Lazette, of Oakland, California, are the house guests of Mrs. Ella Watt.

Mrs. Charles Hadley, of Roseburg who has been the guest of General and Mrs. William Henry Byars, for several days, returned home this afternoon.

Mrs. Eva Lucas, who has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. E. X. Abrieh on North Winter street, left Sunday for Malton, Washington, where she will pass the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Kay.

Monday evening the Daughters of Isabella held a meeting and installation of officers at the Knights of Columbus hall.

Father Moore was the installing officer and the following members were installed: Grand regent, Mrs. Albert O'Brien; vice grand regent, Mrs. Etta Walsh; prophetess, Mrs. Teresa Page; historian, Mrs. Matilda Nadon; financial secretary, Mrs. Katherine Lynch; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Nathan; monitor, Mrs. Susan Noud; trustees, Mrs. Heenan, Mrs. Frank McArthur, Mrs. Marie Brittenstein; sentinal, Mrs. Evelyn Gremmlis; organist, Mrs. Nettie Davidson; chaplain, Father Moore.

Cards and dancing were enjoyed after the installation and the Knights of Columbus were invited to join in the remainder of the unusually delightful evening.

The ladies in charge of the affair were: Mrs. Joseph Le Bold, Mrs. Jas. Heenan and Mrs. Valentine Nadstank.

Previous to this meeting the Daughters of Isabella have held their gatherings in the St. Joseph's hall; hereafter they will meet at the Knights of Columbus hall.

The parents of the Lincoln school pupils, who are affected by the changing of the grades to the McKinley school, the coming semester, are urged to be present at the special meeting of the school board in the superintendent's office in the high school building tonight at seven-thirty o'clock.

At their home on 201 North Cottage street Mr. and Mrs. D. Bell entertained a group of friends at a pleasurable five hundred party on Wednesday evening.

Three tables were arranged for the guests.

GIVE WOMEN BALLOT.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 27.—The suffrage bill passed the legislature today, thus making Manitoba the first Canadian province to enfranchise women.

How To Get Rid of a Bad Cough

A Home-Made Remedy that Will Do It Quickly, Cheap and Easily Made

If you have a bad cough or chest cold which refuses to yield to ordinary remedies, get from any druggist 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth), pour into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Start taking a teaspoonful every hour or two. In 24 hours you will feel the cough is very nearly so. Even whooping cough is greatly relieved in this way.

The above mixture makes a full pint family supply of the finest cough syrup that money can buy at a cost of only 54 cents. Easily prepared in 5 minutes. Full directions with Pinex.

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COURT HOUSE NEWS

After 10 hours deliberation the jury in the Fred McClard case returned a verdict of guilty late last night. McClard was immediately taken into custody by Sheriff Eech and placed in the county jail to await sentence which will be imposed at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

McClard was convicted of the crime of burning property with the intent to injure the insured at 1745 Court street where he had rented a room on or about March 1, 1915, and the fire occurred March 8. McClard had been visited by another fire a few months before and the circumstances aroused the suspicions of the police who made an investigation. Officer Varney who conducted the investigation and arrested McClard came in for a serious scolding at the hands and tongue of Attorney Guy O. Smith, who defended McClard, but subsequent events showed that the officer had acted entirely within his rights and in the line of duty.

The crime for which he is convicted carries a sentence of from three to five years in the penitentiary. McClard was convicted on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses in 1910 and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary but was paroled by Judge Burnett from the bench.

The jury in the case of E. G. Emmett and Fred Cornell against Calvin S. White reversed the findings of the Woodburn Justice court yesterday afternoon and brought in a verdict for the defendant. The plumbing firm of Emmett and Cornell brought suit to recover \$58.83 alleged due on a contract but White claimed that the work was not properly done and the jury agreed with his contention.

The case against T. Wolfard who was indicted on a charge of aiding a fugitive from justice to escape was dismissed yesterday by Judge Kelly upon motion of District Attorney Ringo on the grounds of insufficiency of evidence. Wolfard's brother, Noel Wolfard, is now serving a sentence in the state pen for criminal assault upon a young girl who resides at Howell prairie.

W. H. Williams, who has been living near Turner, was brought to the city today in custody of the sheriff to be examined as to his sanity. Williams says he is being pursued by enemies who threaten his life.

The suit of J. G. Woddward against the Wilmette Valley Irrigated Land Co. was called in the circuit court today. It is alleged by the plaintiff that he purchased lots 26 and 28 of plat C near Turner in 1913 for \$4,295 and that in addition to the land company furnishing him with water to irrigate the land he were to erect a cannery to take care of the products of the soil. He asserted that he paid \$1000 down for the land and put \$650 in improvements on the place and asks for \$1,650 damages on the ground that the company has failed to fulfill its part of the contract. The company claims that Woodward waived his water right as long as the main supplied his needs and brings in a counter claim for \$170 for rental of the land. W. C. Winslow is attorney for the plaintiff and Carson and Brown for the defense.

After sheriffs and tax collectors in many parts of this state had failed to collect the penalty and interest on delinquent taxes involved in bankruptcy cases it remained for the Marion county tax collectors and Attorney General George G. Bingham to establish the precedent, which they did in the case of the Salem Lumber company. The penalty and interest on real property has always been collected by A. M. Cannon, referee in bankruptcy in this state, has refused to pay penalty and interest on personal property in bankruptcy. In July 1914 Sheriff Eech attached the personal property of the defunct Salem Lumber company upon there were taxes of \$109.56 and the penalty and interest. A. J. Anderson, the trustee acting upon the advice of referee Cannon tendered a check for the amount of the taxes less the penalty which was refused by the sheriff. The Marion county court stood with the sheriff and Judge Bingham filed a brief with Referee Cannon which caused this official to change his mind on the penalty and interest issue and now the precedent is established that will mean considerable money in all parts of the state. Today Cannon informed the trustee in this case that he should pay the taxes on the personal property with the penalty and interest from the date

WILSON SMOKED OUT BY SUFFRAGETTES

Tells Them He Has Not Changed Views—It Is Up To the States

New York, Jan. 27.—President Wilson today told 250 suffragettes that he has not changed his views that the suffrage question ought to be decided by the states, not by congress.

The president's remarks to the women were on his busy schedule. At first 100 of them gathered at the Waldorf and requested an audience by sending him a note, but he replied that he was too busy in preparing speeches.

Thereupon the women held a caucus and sent him a second note, but as in the first instance he refused an audience with them.

By this time, the numbers had swelled to 250, and the leaders had mounted a caucus in the lobby where they fired suffrage speeches at traveling men.

It developed that the congressional union had engaged a room at the hotel, and had determined to lay siege to the president after his failure to obtain an audience with him at Washington.

Finally, they "smoked him out" after three hours efforts, and got his statement that he has made no change in his views.

of delinquency and not from the date of his appointment as trustee. The penalty on the 1913 taxes is \$10.96 and the interest is \$18.63.

A marriage license was issued today to Obad Frogley, a farmer residing on Salem route 8 and Edna Hoffmann of this city.

The Marion county court yesterday accepted the bid of H. Bunting & Son for the construction of the bridge across the Pudding river on the Pratum road east of Salem as this was found to be the low bid. The new bridge will be about 40 feet long with fills which will replace the present structure which is nearly 300 feet long. The estimated totals of the bid follows: H. Bunting & Son, \$2,574.97; R. L. Swart and E. E. Gilliam, \$2,722.50; George Swagle, \$2,737.50; J. A. Jefferson, \$2,956.25; O. L. Skofstad, \$3,129.28; F. A. Erickson, \$3,589.50; L. G. Davis, \$4,426.25; Arena Construction company, \$3,417.50.

George Scott Yeoman who has had been held in the county jail since last fall on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, pleaded guilty in department 1 of the circuit court today to a charge of simple larceny and was sentenced to 30 days in jail. Having been in jail for several months sentence was suspended and he will leave tomorrow for Tacoma where he has secured work.

A marriage license was issued at the county clerk's office today to Paul Weiss, Jr., of Angels Camp, California, and Rosa Smith, of Mt. Angel.

Clarence Phillips, of Scotts Mills, today filed notification of his intention to be a candidate on the Republican ticket for the office of county school superintendent. Mr. Phillips was a candidate against W. F. Smith in 1912.

Attorneys Guy O. Smith and McNary & McNary today filed a motion for a new trial for Fred McClard who was convicted last night on a charge of burning property. The motion sets forth that the grounds were insufficient to justify the verdict.

To Fortify The System Against Grip When grip is prevalent LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE should be taken. This combination of Quinine with other ingredients, destroys germs, acts as a Tonic and Laxative and thus keeps the system in condition to withstand colds, Grip and Influenza. There is only one "BROMO QUININE" E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 25c

The gripe seems to have centered on the Tarpley home, 739 North Liberty street. Both Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Tarpley have been ill several days with a slight attack and also their daughter, Mrs. Henry Lee.

What Is Uric Acid? THE CAUSE OF BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, GRAVEL, AND SUDDEN DEATH.

Ever since the discovery of uric acid in the blood by Scheele, in 1775, and the fact that it had upon the body, scientists and physicians have striven to rid the tissues and the blood of this poison. Because of its overabundance in the system it causes backache, pains here and there, rheumatism, gout, gravel, neuralgia and sciatica. It was Dr. Pierce who discovered a new agent, called "Anuric," which will throw out and completely eradicate this uric acid from the system. "Anuric" has proved to be 37 times more potent than *Uricin*, and consequently you need no longer fear muscular or articular rheumatism or gout, or many other diseases which are dependent on an accumulation of uric acid within the body. Send to Dr. Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., for a pamphlet on "Anuric," or send 10 cents for a trial package of "Anuric Tablets."

If you feel that tired, worn-out feeling, backache, neuralgia, or if your sleep is disturbed by too frequent urination, go to your best drug store and ask for Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets. They are put up in 50-cent packages.

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WALTER A. DENTON IN STELLAR ROLE

Businessman, Philosopher, and Social Service Worker Essays Historic Career

Look at the cast of "The Fortune Hunter," the great American comedy which the Social Service Center of the Salem Commercial club is to put on at the Grand theatre, February 3 and 4, for the benefit of charity, and you will see that it is a veritable constellation of local stars—twenty odd planets of the first magnitude, whose individual and combined shining power is something enormous.

Conspicuous among these brilliant lights is Mr. Walter Denton, businessman, philosopher, social service worker, political reformer, and actor. The capital A in actor is not a typographical error. It is set down (or up) deliberately and with malice aforethought. Mr. Denton modestly denies that he is an exceptional actor, even when he is delivering the most surprisingly exceptional histrionic goods. But that is because he is by nature a very modest man. As a matter of fact this modesty is the only thing that distinguishes Mr. Denton from a professional actor. When it comes to dramatic ability he can give the average amateur idol cards and spades—and in the particular part he plays in "The Fortune Hunter" he can give him more than that. He can give him the ha ha. And he does.

Now in private life as everyone knows, Mr. Denton's particular job is to see that the Meyers' Department Store is properly run. That sort of a role requires a pretty keen and level-headed business man; one who can think out original schemes and put them into effect before anyone else does, and get results. Well, that is exactly the sort of person that Henry Kellogg is—the part played by Walter Denton in "The Fortune Hunter."

Denton is the exact type for Kellogg, temperamentally and physically. Add to this the fact that he is really a master in the art of acting, and you have a combination that you can't beat.

Kellogg in "The Fortune Hunter" is a young business man who is climbing up the financial ladder three rungs at a time. He has a friend (a former classmate at college) who is the exact opposite. This friend, Nat Duncan, is educated, a good fellow, and a gentleman, but in the matter of making a living he is a colossal fizzle. Kellogg proposes a scheme whereby he guarantees that Nat can become a millionaire in one year if he will follow instructions. The theory is that in every small town there is at least one girl who has a fortune. Nat is to pick out his town, live there for one year strictly according to the rules that Kellogg lays down for him, and before the year is up Kellogg guarantees that the heiress will propose to Nat.

Well, the theory works, as far as the theory is concerned. Nat doesn't marry the heiress, but that is no fault of the theory. Kellogg figures all through the play, in one of the very best comedy parts on the modern stage. It isn't often that the Salem public has a chance to see Mr. Denton act, and his hundreds of friends will do doubt take advantage of the opportunity when "The Fortune Hunter" is presented on February 3 and 4.

Four Pianos Sold Yesterday

Many Are Buying Pianos and Player-Pianos

This is without doubt the greatest opportunity to secure one of the world's best Pianos, to secure a piano guaranteed by the manufacturers and by a responsible firm and to secure it for about what the piano costs laid down in Salem.

Shrewd, conservative buyers are the ones who are taking advantage of this sale. The ones who know piano values are the ones who are quick to take advantage of the startling values offered. Only a few days more. Remember Eilers Music House guarantee every instrument as represented or money back. This stock of the Valley Music House must be sold in the next few days and no fooling about it. Pay a little each month, like rent, if you wish. Now would be the time to purchase a Chickering, Kimball, Steger, Decker & Son, Smith and Barnes, or some other fine Piano.

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Polk County Courts May Hold Up Bridge

The report comes to Salem from Dallas that a suit has been filed in Dallas for an injunction restraining the tax collectors from collecting the tax to build the Polk county short of the bridge across the river at this city. It is unlikely, however, that the matter will be long delayed as the entire tax roll will be held up if any part of it is enjoined.

KIDNAPED HER CHILD.

Portland, Or., Jan. 27.—The grand jury today returned an indictment against Mrs. Mollie Bowers for kidnaping her own five year old daughter while the little girl was a ward of the juvenile court.

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50 pairs Men's Storm Rubbers, all sizes 6 to 11; pair

50c

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Mrs. Sarah Godbee Griner (top) and Mrs. Edna Perkins Godbee.

Mrs. Sarah Godbee Griner of Kansas City, Mo., has appealed to the Oregon prison commission and Governor Nat E. Harris to grant a pardon to her mother, Mrs. Edna Perkins Godbee, now serving a life sentence for the murder at Millen, Ga., a few years ago of her divorced husband and Judge Walter S. Godbee, and his young bride, formerly Miss Florence Boyer, of Youngstown, Pa.

County Clerk Gehbar has been particularly insistent that the registrars of voters in the outside precincts of the county secure the exact data relative to the voters and as has found on a register who took him at his word and obeyed instructions to the letter. In one place on the card is a blank to answer the question "where born" and the registrar solemnly asserted "Born in a wagon in 1853."

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