

# SOCIETY

By ALINE THOMPSON

Mrs. Walter Eakin, who has been the house guest of Mrs. Ada Strong for several days left today for her home in Astoria. She was accompanied as far as Portland by Miss Ellen Thielsen, who will visit friends for a few days.

Mrs. Zedoc J. Riggs, Mrs. William Lytle, Miss Mabel Robertson, Mrs. William H. Burghardt and her mother Mrs. Draper of Oregon City made up a party who went to Monmouth yesterday to visit the state normal school.

The party motored over in Mrs. Riggs' car.

One of the gayest spots in the city this summer will undoubtedly be the new public bathing beach.

It is an enchanting place for a swim and in order to make it attractive for the opening next week the committee in charge and all of those interested, will lead a hand in cleaning up the beach Friday.

During the day a number of matrons and maids will serve lunch to those assisting with the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. Merwin and small son Paul left this morning for a motor trip to Portland where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Groben. Tomorrow Mr. and Mrs. Merwin accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Groben will leave for a sojourn in Astoria and Tillamook.

Mrs. William H. Burghardt, Jr., returned Tuesday from a visit to Oregon City. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. W. Draper, who will be her guest for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stiff accompanied by the Misses Marie and Cora Breitenstein and Harland Denham of Livingston, Montana, motored to New- kowin today for an outing.

Miss Alice Blake and Winston and Larkin Williams who were among the guests at a house party at "Ramble- sides" the country home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Doerfler in the Waldo Hills, have returned home.

Miss Zoe Olmsted and Miss Louanna Brown left the first of the week for a vacation trip to the Sound cities.

Mrs. W. A. Cusick has as her guest at "Oakville" her niece, Mrs. Marie Rider of Roseburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Catlin have returned home from a motor trip to Bend, Oregon.

Mrs. Harry H. Olinger and Mrs. James A. Wilson went to Portland today to attend the swimming and dinner party for which Dr. and Mrs. Jean Cline will be hosts tonight at their attractive summer place near Milwaukie.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parvine have had as their guests, Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Lamb and Truman Northrup of Portland.

Mrs. Dell Warren and daughter Marjorie of McMinnville who have been visiting Mrs. F. A. Manning returned home Wednesday evening.

W. C. Knighton is home from a trip in the eastern part of the state which included a 1200 mile automobile ride.

Among the jewelry novelties is a combination penknife and lead pencil.

## PERSONALS

Adolph Aebi of Suver is in the city. Mrs. T. C. Janda is in the city from Astoria.

W. H. Downing of Shaw was a Salem visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Shuck of Airlie were Salem visitors yesterday.

A. H. Gillets of Chemawa is transacting business in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Rosenberg are in Newport for a ten days vacation.

William J. Frank returned yesterday from a visit of several days at Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilbur Chase left today for Seattle where they will spend a six weeks' vacation.

Night officer Victor of the police department has gone to Newport to spend a vacation of two weeks.

Sergeant Poland is again on the job at the police station, having returned from his vacation trip to eastern Oregon.

C. B. Killough of Franklin, Texas, was in the city yesterday. He is making a tour of the west by the auto route.

J. E. Scott is home from Portland where he attended the three day sessions of the International Realty association.

John H. Scott returned this morning from Portland where he has been attending the meetings of the realty men of Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

## Friday's Program at Epworth League

With the close of the week, the attendance of the Epworth League Institute is increasing. The afternoon sessions have been given to visiting state institutions and attending the tennis contests and other sports, according to the program.

Dr. Hammond, who has had charge of the Christian Citizenship course of the week's study, will deliver the lecture tomorrow evening.

The program complete for Friday is as follows:

- 6:30 to 7:15 a. m.—Morning Watch, Dr. Morgan.
- 7:30 to 8:00 a. m.—Breakfast, Lausanne hall.
- 8:15 to 8:55 a. m.—Bible study, Dr. Lane.
- 9:05 to 9:55 a. m.—Evangelism, Dr. Morgan.
- Stewardship, Rev. Melville T. Wire, Junior League Methods, Miss Robinson.
- 10:00 to 10:40 a. m.—Epworth League Methods, Miss Robinson.
- Junior League Demonstration, 10:50 to 11:30 a. m.—Social Service, Miss Chappell.
- Recreation and Culture, Rev. J. C. Spencer.
- 11:40 to 12:20 a. m.—Citizenship, Dr. Hammond.
- Home Missions, Miss Chappell.
- Foreign Missions, To be supplied.
- 12:30 p. m.—Dinner, Lausanne hall.
- 1:00 to 2:30 p. m.—Quiet hour.
- 2:45 to 5:30 p. m.—Baseball game, 5 innings, Salem district vs. Eugene district, Portland district vs. Klamath Falls district.
- 6:00 p. m.—Supper, Lausanne hall.
- 7:00 to 8:00 p. m.—Social gathering.
- 8:15 p. m.—Lecture, By Dr. Hammond.

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## ENGLAND MAY START TRADE WAR WITH US

Washington, July 20.—The possibility of a trade war with England over her blacklist policy was deprecated by many officials here today. They said for one thing that the Bryn arbitration treaty might prevent the United States from taking any retaliatory measures before a year. By that time the necessity for the blacklist very likely will have ceased. Another difficulty which the government will encounter is that of proving that steamship lines are violating the inter-state commerce commission act in refusing freight of blacklisted firms. In the past the steamship companies always have refused to lay complaint against the British authorities and have claimed there was so much cargo they were justified in not taking that of a doubtful nature. The state department today informally requested Great Britain embassy for further information on the blacklisting of American firms. This action was taken following the embassy's notification that the list of blacklisted firms was correct. The department has not received the official list.

## Christy Mathewson Will Manage Reds

Cincinnati, O., July 20.—A deal was closed at noon today by which Christy Mathewson will become manager of the Cincinnati baseball club. He will take charge. The only thing that can stop the deal going through is for Charles Herzog, present manager, to refuse to come to terms with the New York club, to which he goes. The Reds get Bill McKelchey, third baseman, and Ed Rouch, outfielder in addition to Mathewson. Besides Herzog, Killifer goes to the Giants. It was announced "no strings" are attached to the deal for Mathewson.

## COURT HOUSE NEWS

A suit for a permanent injunction against the state public service commission, filed by the Central Oregon Irrigation company, was called before Judge Galloway in Dept. 2 of the circuit court at four o'clock yesterday afternoon. The court took the matter under advisement.

The names of those composing the naturalization class examined in Judge Galloway's court yesterday: Jacob Schuebel, Frank Alexander Nowak, Jennie Edith Glaeser, Frederick Miller, John Schmidt, Halvor Nere Rindern, Johann Lemuel Larson, Bahne Paulsen, Mike Engelbart, Torkel Kaarbus, William Rott, Joseph Hanssler, Emil Park, Frederick George Curtis, Hyman Sale Steinbock, Henry Tautfest, William Brice Service, John Joseph O'Connor.

At the conclusion of the case of Mercer vs. Germania Fire Insurance company, which is being argued this afternoon, the trial of Frank Marshall charged with a statutory offense will be called.

## Judge Scott Elected President of Society

Judge John H. Scott was elected vice-president for Oregon of the International Realty association at the first session of the real estate men of Oregon, Washington and Idaho held in Portland the first three days of this week.

As vice-president, he becomes a member of the executive board, consisting of the president of the association, a vice-president from each of the three states, Oregon, Washington and Idaho, and three directors from each of the states. The president of every organized local realty board will also be recognized as a member of the executive board.

Mr. Scott says that the object of the association is to elevate the standard of the real estate business and to eliminate the curbstone element not doing a legitimate business. The association will hold annual meetings and the executive committee will meet every 90 days, at the call of the president.

It is probable that a realty board will be formed in Salem at an early date, and will be affiliated with the International Realty association. Members from Salem attending the sessions in Portland are strong in their praise of the Portland real estate men with a ride on the Columbia highway, with a ride on the Columbia highway.

## Lee Issues Warning About Public Schools

"We are at a crisis in regard to the education of our children," said A. A. Lee at the meeting of the Commercial club last evening. "Salem should pay more attention to school affairs and to the election of its school board, as for the next five years, what the board does will have its effect on Salem children for the next generation, especially as to what school buildings are to be erected and how." "Right now we are crowding our children into temporary houses in order to accommodate pupils from outside districts. If these did not come in, we would not have to build. As it is, we will have to build, and the erection of a new school building is a big proposition. The school board of the next few years will erect the buildings your

## TOMORROW IS THE DAY FOR CLEANING BEACH

The Civic department of the Commercial club, all Cherrians and other friends of a public bathing beach are requested to gather on the beach tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock and assist in the general clean up. A few shovels, hoes rakes and other garden utensils will be appreciated. While the men are doing the heavy work, such as raking up brushwood, the patriotic women of the city will be there to encourage them with coffee furnished by Wm. Gahlsdorf and sandwiches. Later a picnic dinner will be served.

Last night, at the Commercial club, Fred E. Mangis who has been active in the work, said that for children, all the advantages of the beach would be free and that meant any one under 15 years of age.

For the older folks, five cents will be the regular fee for using the grounds or beach and that a fee of five cents more will provide for the checking of clothes or valuables.

The opening day will be next week, when the beach will be lighted and entertainment given in the way of swimming races, canoe contests and other features not yet decided on.

The committees having in charge the beach are as follows: General committee from the Civic club: Dr. W. H. Byrd, chairman; Ivan G. McDaniel, H. O. White and Fred E. Mangis.

Special right of way committee: Mayor Harley O. White. Grounds: F. E. Mangis and Ivan G. McDaniel. Buildings: F. B. Southwick. Equipment: H. W. Hatch, Arthur R. Wilson and George M. Post. Opening day: Ivan G. McDaniel, Arthur R. Wilson and H. O. White.

Arthur R. Wilson will be in charge of the beach after opening day. Children will use for the next 25 or 30 years.

Mr. Lee was not present at the Commercial club to make an address on school matters, but as the proposition had been brought up, he was asked to express a few opinions, which he did very reluctantly.

Benjamin Brick, as director of the publicity, tourist and convention department of the Commercial club, has been receiving congratulations today on his financial report for the cherry fair, given to the Commercial club at the monthly meeting last night. The club had voted the sum of \$500 for the fair and of this amount, Mr. Brick found it necessary to use only \$239.42. The cherry fair actually cost \$1159.11, but as the receipts from the queen contest was \$624.44, and from the dance \$216.25, these with other items of receipts brought the total to \$919.69.

By using \$239.42 of the Commercial club appropriation of \$500, accounts were balanced. In other words, Mr. Brick feels that he has saved the club \$660.58.

## Verdict Rendered Against Insurance Co.

A verdict for the plaintiff in full of the amount of the insurance policy was returned in Department No. 1 of the circuit court this afternoon in the case of Mary I. Mercer vs. the Germania Fire insurance company. This case, which was called for hearing yesterday afternoon, contains within it the story of a store and a stock of goods at Macleay, a fire insurance policy and a divorce. It was set forth in the complaint that in April, 1915, A. G. Mercer took out a policy for \$2,700 with the defendant company. The property was destroyed by fire in January of this year, and the insurance company has refused to pay the amount of the policy to the plaintiff on the grounds that her right to it was not clear, she and her husband having been divorced.

Pacific Coast League Standings.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	51	57	.471
San Francisco	58	45	.563
Portland	56	49	.533
Oakland	44	44	.500
Salt Lake	45	49	.475
Oakland	48	69	.355

Yesterday's Results.

At Salt Lake,	At Portland,	At San Francisco,	At Vernon,	At Los Angeles,
4	1	4	1	0

## "IF SHE WANTS"

(Continued From Page One.)

"Can a man be a good soldier and do good work if he's wondering whether his family at home has enough to eat?" I asked General Funston, after leaving the jitney and making my way to his hot office.

The general, whose perspiring head was leaning forward saying earnestly: "Of course not. I permitted 14 men to return home yesterday because their dependents were suffering and I have so many requests for relief on like grounds that it will prove necessary to release several thousand within the next few weeks."

These men are given three and a half cents mileage homeward. Money which has been spent in bringing them to the border, feeding them and outfitting them and then after two weeks sending them back home, isn't wasted. It is our payment for the lesson that in our new army plan we must provide well for the care of soldiers' families if we are going to insist on taking men away from their families into the army.

"What about my family?" is the biggest question in all militia camps along the border.

Many Will Come Home. Washington, July 20.—Militiamen released on the border because they have dependents at home, will be supplanted \$260.58.

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by recruits now being organized by militia officers kept at home for that purpose. This, the war department said today, will take care of the situation created by the necessity to release thousands as told by General Funston in an interview with William G. Shepherd today at San Antonio. Informally, too, army officers here maintain there is little likelihood of trouble with Mexico and say several thousand militiamen could be spared. As for the hardships inflicted on the militiamen: "We can feel little sympathy with men who enlisted in an organization that might have to go to war without anticipating the possibility of tragedy," said one official. "Every man on the border who has dependents will be mustered out of service, however. We will not see any one suffer."



'FATHER, do you suppose we could afford to rent that new cottage next to Grace and Billy?' "Huh! Afford it? Why, our garage cost more than the whole house. Have you gone crazy?" "I don't care what it cost. Grace says it's just like hers and if it is I want to live in it." "Well, for the love of—say! may I ask just what is the matter with this simple, unpretentious, little hundred thousand dollar dwelling?" "You may ask, and it will give me great pleasure to tell you. I haven't a decent floor in the house. My wall paper and hangings are old fashioned. Most of my lighting fixtures are loose or too tight. I don't believe my plumbing is safe. My old gas stove is about as efficient for cooking as a kerosene lamp. And father! The hot water service that Grace has! You know yourself that we don't have hot water before nine any morning. There's never enough for the laundry, and as for getting hot water at night, we might as well be living in a tent. And to think that all Grace has to do to get a cupful or a hundred gallons of steaming hot water is to turn a faucet—any time of day or night!" "How does she do it?" "They have a Ruud Automatic Hot Water Heater connected up directly with the water and gas pipes. She never gives it an instant's thought or attention. It's the same as having hot water piped into your house like gas." "Well, why don't you get one?" "Oh! thank you. I'll telephone in the morning to the Gas Company."

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