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SOCIETY

By ALINE THOMPSON

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Smith of Portland motored to Salem yesterday to attend the state fair and were the guests of friends.

Miss Janet Gray of Seattle is a guest at the M. L. Jones country home "Lamb Meadows," having arrived early in the week from Portland to attend the state fair. She accompanied the Merrill Bruce Moores, who motored to Salem for an indefinite stay.

Honoring Mrs. George Palmer Put-

nam, a prominent Salem matron, who has just returned from the East, Mrs. Joseph Nathan Teal will be hostess for a tea this afternoon. Mrs. Putnam and little son are house guests of Mrs. Teal this week. Tomorrow Mrs. Teal has asked a number of prominent women to luncheon in honor of Mrs. David Munro, who will leave next week for her home in Dallas, Texas.—Portland Oregonian.

Mrs. Robert Kinney (Althea Moores) of Astoria is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Moores. Mr. Kinney will join Mrs. Kinney for a visit later in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Webb have visited them for the fair, Mr. Webb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Webb of Portland. They arrived Tuesday evening and will visit in Salem the remainder of the week.

Miss Esther Lucas, bride-elect, was the honor guest at an enjoyable surprise shower for which Miss Helen Neugebauer was hostess Saturday evening.

Miss Lucas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lucas of 807 South Commercial street, and her marriage to Clifford Brunk, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Brunk, of Eola, will be an event of next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frickey were hosts for an attractive dinner party Monday evening in compliment to their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wettler and Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Moley and daughter.

WOMAN'S CAMPAIGN WILL START MONDAY

Skirts Will Rustle Until Election Day and Clear Across Continent

New York, Sept. 28.—There will be the rustling of skirts in the presidential campaign after Monday when the woman's campaign train of the Hughes' alliance rolls out on its transcontinental trip.

Following a breakfast for Mrs. Charles E. Hughes, wife of the republican nominee, at the Plaza hotel, there will be a two hour street parade. Men will be allowed to take part in this parade, but it is the only feature of the entire trip in which they will share.

Leaving New York the train is routed through the middle west, touching all of the larger cities, going northward from Chicago to the Pacific coast. Returning from the coast the route lies through the mountain states to the south thence to the Atlantic coast and New York, three days prior to the elections.

Among those who will be on the train and will campaign are Mrs. Nelson O'Shaughnessy, wife of the former charge d'affaires in Mexico, Mary Antin, author and lecturer, Mrs. Rheta Childs Dorr, author and editor, and Dr. Katherine P. Edson of Los Angeles, prominent in civic affairs in California.

Prominent women arranging for the train campaign include Mrs. Arthur Capper, of Topeka, Kan., Miss Anita Furness of St. Paul, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth of Cincinnati and Mrs. Julius Rosenwald of Chicago.

Portland visitors motoring to Salem for the fair yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Dent and small daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. Schuecking, accompanied by Mrs. Schuecking's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Gilbert, and Mrs. Ray Gilbert, motored some Monday from a several days sojourn in Hood River and Mt. Hood lodge.

First steps toward the permanent organization of the university freshmen for mutual protection against the sophomores and for social affairs of the semester were taken this week by members of Willamette's largest freshmen class, that of 1920. Phillip Bartholomew of Washington high school of Portland was elected temporary chairman and Miss Ethel McGilchrist of Salem high received the popular vote for secretary pro tem. These officers together with the Misses Beatrice Walton, Ed Kauch, and Victor Rhyler are to draw up a constitution and report in the near future. Many social affairs are contemplated by the class members including a rousing get-acquainted party as soon as the constitutional rules are adopted.

Judge and Mrs. William T. Galloway have returned from the east, where they have been for the past four weeks. Mr. Galloway went east as grand representative for the Odd Fellows, to attend the meeting of the southern grand lodge in Chattanooga and Mrs. Galloway as representative of the Rebekahs.

During their sojourn in the east the Galloways visited many places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilson of Portland formerly of Salem motored up for the fair Wednesday, returning late the same evening.

Mrs. Joe Peery of Stayton was a state fair visitor yesterday.

Attorney Glen Urub is in Dayton attending to his prairie ranch.

Floyd Brown of Silverton was the guest of Keith White yesterday.

Attorney E. E. Baker is home from a business trip to North Yakima.

Mrs. Fannie Wilson of Portland is visiting at the home of L. Bechtel.

Mr. and Mrs. Steinmeyer of Tillamook were Salem visitors yesterday.

A. A. Urub of Portland is in the city the guest of his brother J. P. Urub.

Mrs. Mabel Skinner of Condon, Oregon is in the city the guest of George Adrby.

R. H. Beals and wife, of Pacific City, Tillamook county, are Salem visitors this week.

Farris Stocker of Orchards, Wash., is working at the telephone exchange at the state fair.

Albert Asbar, a recent graduate of the University of Wisconsin, is here from Corvallis.

J. C. Johnson and family of The Dalles were registered yesterday at the Capital hotel.

John Y. Richardson of Portland deputy state commissioner of insurance, is in Salem this week.

Phil Metsehn, Jr., of the Imperial hotel, Portland, with his family, motored up to the state fair last night.

Mrs. Suitana Skipton returned to Corvallis this morning after a short visit at the home of Fred W. Steusloff.

John G. Marr of Kennewick, Wash., is spending fair week in Salem visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Marr, 145 South Church street.

W. C. Vandarsal and wife of Portland were state fair visitors yesterday. Mr. Vandarsal was a clerk in the office of the secretary of state from 1900 to 1905.

Among other distinguished visitors in Salem today are Fire Marshal Jay Stevens and Captain William Groce of the arson squad, Portland. They came up by motor this morning.

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MRS. JOSEPH LEDUC WAS WOMAN IN CASE

Husband Identifies As Well As Stands by Her—Says Not Her Fault

Philadelphia, Sept. 28.—"She's the squarrest little girl in the world," was the statement in broken tones of Joseph C. Leduc, proprietor of a fashionable Chicago clothing store and expert golfer today, as he sat at the bedside of his wife, finally clearing up the identity of the last principal in Philadelphia's triple hotel tragedy of yesterday.

"Yes, it's my Lilia," said Leduc, as he told relatives that the woman who was shot with J. C. Gravier at the Hotel Walton by Mrs. Harry Belzar, is his wife. She is the daughter, Leduc said, of Phillip Kapps, prominent socially in Cincinnati.

Leduc made it clear that he does not regard his wife a guilty of any wrong, though she was registered at the Walton as the wife of Gravier. He declared the man whom he had regarded as his friend, must have had Mrs. Leduc under the influence of some drug, or held her in his room.

"Will I forgive her?" he countered in response to a question. "There is nothing to forgive. She has been a true, loyal, little woman and I will take her back home as soon as it is safe for her to travel. I love her—love her even more than before. She was lured to the hotel. It was not her fault."

Was Moral Reformer.

As the last link in the strange tragedy through which Gravier fell victim to the very thing he had sought to save others from in his days as a social reformer, and a woman whom he had cast aside sought vengeance, was supplied, drawing new families of position into public gaze, detectives stood with moist eyes outside the door where Leduc and his wife held their brief reunion.

Leduc was in the room for a half hour. Tears streamed down his face as he tried to talk. Leduc arrived here at 9 o'clock today from Chicago. He went directly to the hospital where his wife was taken after being wounded early yesterday when Mrs. Belzar shot her and killed her companion. When detectives finally entered the room, Leduc was sitting beside his wife, holding both of her hands.

"We have been married for fifteen years," said Leduc, as he began the story of his married life. "We first met at a tennis match where I was playing and Lilia was a spectator. For five years we lived in New York."

"It was there I met 'Joey' Gravier. He was different then; a home-loving man. We all became warm friends. My wife and I believed in his sincerity in uplift work. His wife's death drove him to drink two years ago and that drove him to worse. Lilia and I were happy as two doves. We were known as the 'honeymoon couple.'"

Stands by His Wife.

"They can talk. They can say whatever they please about her—but I know that little girl and I will never change my mind about her. She left Chicago September 12. She had planned to return to New York to visit relatives and our old friends. She stopped first at the Claridge hotel and wrote me a letter every day. I have read that Gravier and a woman, supposed to be his wife, stopped in Atlantic City, September 22 and September 24. That was not my Lilia."

"I can't understand how she came to be in the room at the Walton with Gravier. I shall never forgive him, and I know he must have 'put one over on her.' I wish I knew how he came to register her as his wife. She must have been in a stupor from some drug. This rascel evidently held her in that room."

There is now little for the police to do in connection with the tragedy. Gravier and the woman whose love he had cast aside are dead. Mrs. Leduc has a chance for life, though it was believed yesterday death was certain. Not until Leduc arrived today were the authorities positive of the third woman's identity. To the very last she sought to conceal her name.

Mrs. Leduc's Statement.

Mrs. Leduc's statement to Coroner's

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Detective Paul follows:

"It is nature that I registered with J. C. Gravier at the Hotel Walton as his wife. I left New York Tuesday afternoon after visiting my sister and came to Philadelphia to visit my nephew. I received a telephone call from Mr. Gravier asking me to meet him in the evening. I met him at the Walton and he invited me to go to a theatre. I had no baggage with me except a small handbag, as I had planned to remain here only for the day, intending to return to New York the same day. After inviting me to go to the theatre, Mrs. Gravier suggested that I leave my handbag in his room and I agreed to do so. "On our return from the theatre we had something to eat on the roof garden of the hotel and about 1 o'clock I told him it was time for me to go to my nephew's home. I then remembered my handbag in his room. "We stopped at the room to get it. We had barely stepped into the room—just as I was about to pick up the handbag near the dresser a woman jumped out of the closet. She was tall and dark and I don't believe I ever saw her before. She had a revolver in her hand. She said nothing. "She began to shoot. The first shot struck Mr. Gravier in the left side. I tried to rush to the door, but before I could I was shot. That is all I remember."

And now comes another good citizen

who refuses the proffer of the crown, which in this case happens to be that of the office of mayor of Salem. Attorney John Bayne, after thinking it over 24 hours, comes to the conclusion on account of his law practice, which requires all his time, he cannot permit the use of his name as a possible candidate for the office of mayor of Salem. "I consider the office of mayor an important one requiring much time," said Mr. Bayne this morning, "and even if I was elected I could not do the office nor myself justice. My time is entirely taken up with my law practice."

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