

SOCIETY

By ALINE THOMPSON

SOCIETY has planned a number of festivities this week in celebration of Washington's birthday. Tomorrow especially will be replete with Colonial teas, luncheons and dinners, all to honor the "Father of our country."

One of the most delightful patriotic affairs in the calendar for Thursday is the colonial tea for which Mrs. Henry W. Meyers will be hostess for the Daughters of the American Revolution.

A similar affair also will be given the same afternoon by the Women's Relief Corps at the Moose hall.

In the evening a jitsy dance will be given at the armory for the benefit of Company M. O. N. G.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry E. Clay have returned from a short stay in Portland. They went Tuesday and came home this evening.

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Miss Lora Purvine will have as her guest Miss Helen Scott of Newberg. Miss Scott will arrive Friday and will visit in Salem over the week end.

Messages of congratulation are being sent to Mr. and Mrs. John Dubuis of Portland upon the advent of a baby daughter, born Sunday February the eleventh. She will be called Jeannie Spencer Dubuis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dubuis formerly lived in Salem and have only been in Portland for a few months.

The members of the Samedai club enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. W. A. Rutherford, Saturday afternoon at her home on North Church street.

The rooms were prettily adorned with vivid-hued plants and flags and the roll call was responded to with quotations on America. During the afternoon several interesting and appropriate papers were given including "The American Flag," Mrs. Rutherford; "American money," Mrs. B. L. Steeves; and "The Goddess of Liberty," Mrs. A. Vasa.

Later the afternoon was devoted to sewing. The hostess was assisted in the serving by her daughter, Miss Rutherford, and Mrs. Sauder.

The members included in the club are Mrs. Henry Fawk, Mrs. L. L. Steeves, Mrs. Fred A. Legg, Mrs. L. U. Joss, Mrs. E. E. Botsford, Mrs. A. Vasa, Mrs. S. M. Endicott, Mrs. Boier, Mrs. W. A. Rutherford, Mrs. L. M. Sauder, Mrs. Dee Gohlbom, Miss Moore, Miss Hunt, Miss Julia Iverson, Miss Rutherford and Miss Davis.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker on South Commercial street was the scene of a happy surprise party Monday night when 37 friends gathered to bid good bye to the hosts, who soon are leaving Salem to make their home in Dallas.

The evening was pleasantly passed with music and games. Later refreshments were served.

About 75 members of the Order of the Eastern Star gathered at the Masonic Temple last night to participate in a colonial party given by the younger members of the order for Chadwick chapter.

Suggestive of George Washington's birthday the hall was effectively adorned with flags and other patriotic decorations. The hostesses receiving the guests wore charming colonial costumes, and the evening was gaily rounded out with carols and dancing. A feature of the evening was the Virginia reel and minuet by a group of girls.

Miss Ina B. Nichols who has been

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WILL LOCK HORNS OVER TUITION FEES

Board Not Satisfied As To Decision Concerning Actual Cost

Outlining an efficiency plan which will save the city many dollars in the support of the public schools, Superintendent Todd presented a new system of junior high school control to the board at its meeting Monday night. The plan will be put into operation at the beginning of the fall term. According to it the school year will be divided into three periods of 12 weeks each, instead of the customary two 18 week periods. Below is an estimation of the saving which the new plan will effect.

The time for study and recitation in the different classes will be increased 51.5 per cent, in the seventh and eighth grades. The building space will be conserved to such an extent that a sixth grade will be placed in each of the junior high schools of the city. There will be no extra expenditure of money, and there will be no great alteration of the present rooms.

The new plan provides for the elimination of the alternate day program which is now in use, by which pupils do not recite every day in certain subjects, and substitute therefore the establishment of the work on the short course system. It also provides for a re-arrangement of studies in the ninth grade, which will save the duplication of subjects and the consequent expense. The addition of one teacher to the Washington junior high force, and the elimination of one teacher from the entire city force will be the only change in the teaching corps.

By the new system the day will be divided into eight 45 minute periods, which will bring the dismissal of school at 4 p. m.

The other business which was transacted Monday evening concerning the question of the tuition case which was decided by the supreme court some time ago. A warrant was received recently from County Superintendent Smith which paid for all the money allowed by the supreme court with the exception of interest on the bonded indebtedness of the high school. This interest, the school board claims, is money expended and therefore has not been retained by Smith and Shields as their counsel to determine the exact meaning of the supreme court's decision.

Cold Sores and Fever Blisters

are only outward manifestations of the inflammation of the mucous surface that lines the lungs, the stomach and all the digestive tract, but they give you evidence of how sore a membrane may become as a result of inflammation, which is stagnation of the blood, rightly called acute catarrh.

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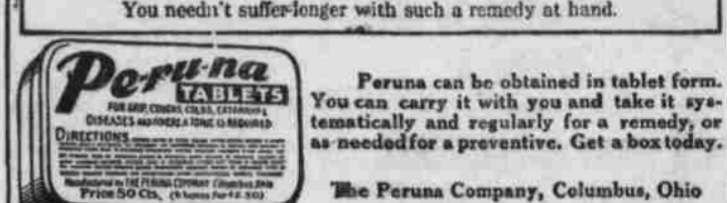
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Oregon is indeed fortunate this year, conditions were ideal for both quality and yield and owing to crop failures in the potato-growing districts of the middle west we have established a market both east and south at the highest prices we have ever obtained.

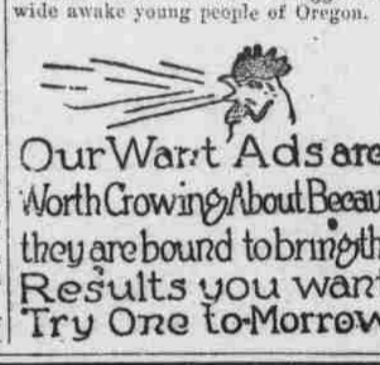
Next year we cannot expect to be so fortunate as to price but by selecting pure seed of standard commercial varieties and paying still more attention to grading we can get a quality that will sell in any market.

Ready for Meeting of Endeavorers

Arrangements are very nearly completed for the big Christian Endeavor convention to be held in Salem Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The young people in the United Brethren, Evangelical, Presbyterian, Congregational and Christian churches have been very active in securing homes for the delegates and providing for their entertainment.

The convention will be called to order promptly at 10 o'clock on Friday morning in the Christian church, the headquarters of the convention. On Friday evening a reception will be given the delegates in the old armory at the city hall. On Saturday afternoon a hundred automobiles will be used in showing the delegates about the city. The Presbyterian, Christian and Congregational churches will serve banquets to the delegates on Saturday evening. On Sunday evening a mass meeting will be held in the armory and the chief speaker will be Dan Poling, an Oregon boy, who by his ability and talent has become the associate president of the Christian Endeavor societies of the world.

The committee in charge of the convention are expecting about 800 delegates. The Commercial club urgently requests all business places to decorate their show windows in red and white, the colors of the society. It is hoped that Salem and its citizens will cordially welcome these hundreds of aggressive wide awake young people of Oregon.



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POTATO BUYERS ON PRESENT SITUATION

Crop Shortage and High Prices Rapidly Depleting Supply

Referring to the potato situation which confronts all buyers and sellers of this crop, Mangis Brothers, potato dealers, of Salem, have this to say:

Reports from all the potato growing states of the middle west as well as Oregon, Washington and Idaho indicate reduced acreage on account of seed shortage and growers should secure seed well before all of the best stock is shipped out of the state. With potatoes selling at the highest prices in history there is a temptation to sell all the best stock and plant the culls, which is certain to result now only in a greatly diminished yield, but in the production of an inferior quality of potatoes.

It is poor economy at any time to

FOOD TRUST MUST

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The most probe is planned to delve deeply into the workings of the packing houses and cold storage corporations. This latter, it was stated authoritatively, will be subjected to "particular scrutiny."

The breadstuffs investigation will seek particularly to uncover alleged combinations of baking interests. The commission believes there have been "illegal agreements" to decrease the size or weight of bread loaves.

Any evidence tending to show combination in restraint of trade, will be immediately turned over to the department of justice for prosecution.

Each of the five divisions will be under the direction of an expert economist, with another already selected of wide economic experience in charge of all.

Cooperating with these six experts and the extensive field force of the commission, a staff of lawyers, to attend to the legal phases, will be appointed if the \$400,000 is appropriated.

Plans Pleasant End for This Old World

Paris, Feb. 21.—A new kind of end of the world has been imagined by Louis Rabourdin, a French scientist.

Sometimes it has been suggested that the world will gradually become cold, so that life will be frozen out. Mr. Rabourdin thinks it possible that the earth might end in an incandescent blaze.

The earth's crust, he says, is very thin at the bottom of the sea, and if it should give way in consequence of volcanic action, the earth might be consumed in flames.

"Suppose," he states, "that, following an extraordinary twisting movement, due to retreat of the central mass, a large mass of the sea bottom should give way, and, falling suddenly, should let in the mass of the ocean's waters upon the incandescent interior matter. The water would be decomposed by the heat, the hydrogen would burn, and it would burn more as it had access to more oxygen.

"The conflagration would then gain gradually in force, accompanied by electric phenomena, and the greater part of the earth's crust would probably be displaced. The earth passing through a critical epoch and returning for the time being to its formative period, would again be nothing but a Globe of fire.

"For the far off worlds that swing in sidereal space this would be the phenomenon of a new star that blazes out all at once, increased in brilliancy, as if it would eclipse the luminous splendor of all its neighbors, and then becomes feebler and feebler, to disappear finally forever in the profound darkness of the limitless distance."

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