

**SOCIETY**  
By CAROL S. DIBBLE

A large circle of friends is welcoming the return to Salem of Mrs. G. W. Putnam and her daughter, Miss Margaret Putnam, who arrived Sunday night from Pendleton. They will remain in the city during the coming legislature, Miss Putnam assuming her duties next week as secretary to Senators Roy W. Bitter of Umatilla county.

Both Mrs. Putnam and her daughter are well known in Salem having resided here a number of years, previous to their departure to Pendleton over a year ago. Miss Putnam has been stenographer for a leading grain dealer's company in eastern Oregon. Before going to Pendleton, Miss Putnam held a position in the state house.

At present the Putnams are domiciled at the Marion hotel, but tomorrow they are planning to move into their former home, 1445 Chemeketa street.

Mrs. George Waters returned from Portland Sunday night, having passed the New Year holidays with relatives there.

Club circles of the state are evincing a keen interest in the forthcoming meeting of the board of directors of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs, which will be held in Portland next week, when a number of important matters will come up for decision, including the place for holding the convention next year. Miss Mattie F. Beatty of Salem, a vice president of the state federation will be present at the meeting.

Mrs. Charles H. Castner, president of the Oregon Federation, will preside. Mrs. Castner, who came down from Hood River Saturday to attend the annual meeting of the council of defense in Portland and, in speaking of the broad activities open to the club women the coming year:

"Oregon clubwomen have a wonderful year before them if they will but grasp their opportunities. There are so many big things for us to do along lines of reconstruction."

For the New Year is surely giving promise of being a very busy one for the club women of the state. The work, dropped so suddenly more than a year ago to take up the more vital work of the Red Cross, the war auxiliaries and the many activities attendant upon the women whose men have gone to war, is being resumed. Clubs that suspended during the period of war are reorganizing, courses of study are being taken up where they left off, and plans along other lines of culture, education, civic betterment, social service and many other good things that women's organizations reach are being made.

Mrs. R. E. Pomeroy is spending a few days in Portland at the Multnomah hotel.

Mrs. Richard E. Harbert (Ora E. Constable) who is recovering from an attack of influenza, plans to leave for Riverside, California, shortly where she will join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Constable. Her husband, Sergeant Harbert is stationed at Camp Lewis and will also go to Riverside as soon as he receives his discharge from the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wittenberg of Portland are the guests of relatives in Salem. Mr. Wittenberg is associated with the local Wittenberg King plant.

Coming as a surprise to his relatives was the return of Orton B. Hittiker from England Saturday evening. He was in the 350th aero squadron. An in-

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**CONDOLENCES FROM**  
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France Deeply Shocked.

Paris, Jan. 7.—France is as deeply shocked at the death of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt as though she had lost one of her great statesmen.

"A great friend of France is dead," said the Echo de Paris, but he avel to see the event he so ardently wished—France's victory to which America so gloriously contributed and for which the blood of his own son was shed.

"He was a forerunner of American present greatness," the Journal said. "It was during his presidency that America was brought into being as the great international power which today undertakes to create a society for the future."

Foreign Minister Pichon, writing in the Petit Journal, said: "Our admiration for President Wilson cannot prevent us from rendering just homage to the qualities of his adversary, who, like Wilson, had a great love for France."

"France has no stronger friend in the United States," said the Petit Parisien.

Justernd, ambassador to the United States, gave out the following statement: "Colonel Roosevelt's death will be mourned nowhere more sincerely than in France, whose cause he upheld in her worst crisis, in a way which can never be forgotten."

Lieutenant Colonel Theodore Roosevelt Jr. and Captain Kermit Roosevelt are not in Montabour.

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and we always enjoyed meeting him. He will be missed by many friends in this country to whom he endeared himself by his attractive character and his many talents."

**Seattle's Tribute.**  
Seattle, Jan. 7.—Silent tribute to Theodore Roosevelt will be paid by Seattle tomorrow when in conformance with a proclamation by the mayor, all citizens are expected to halt whatever they are doing and stand at silent attention from 9:45 to 9:50 a. m. during the funeral of former President Roosevelt.

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**C. E. ALBIN NOW**  
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me, G. White on the police force. The petition was ordered placed on file where it will probably stay, as the patrolmen had been selected at the recent caucus.

E. L. Briggs, and H. D. Nelson both presented petitions asking the appointment of janitor for the comfort station at High and State streets. Referred to the building committee.

The North Salem Woman's club presented a petition asking the appointment of Mrs. Myra L. Shank as police matron. As Mrs. Shank had already

mailed down the job, the petition was placed on file.

The governor had his proclamation read calling attention to the reclamation convention in Portland Jan. 9-10. It was placed on file.

The city treasurer and city attorney were ordered to foreclose certificates of delinquency numbers 1 and from 3 to 31 which have been issued for delinquent municipal liens. The Coast Steel and Machinery Co. wrote that it wanted to buy some rolls owned by the city. Referred.

In a petition in which the big bridge is called the Polk county bridge, it was asked that \$5 be allowed for the sweeping of the structure every two weeks. Referred.

Mrs. George D. Peck broke her hip Dec. 2, 1918, from a fall resulting from a bed sidewalk on Chemeketa street. She asked the council to at least appropriate \$100. This was referred.

William P. Lord presented a bill for \$170.20 for his incidental expenses for services as attorney in the case of the Salem Light and Power Co. against the city of Salem. Alderman Wiest wanted to see the itemized list before the account was allowed.

All officers of the Salem fire department and police force were elected, according to the plans as outlined at the caucus last week. Hugh Rogers didn't want the job as city engineer but did want Walter Skelton to have it. Mr. Skelton was elected and Mr. Rogers' name not mentioned. Other appointments including that of Ray Pemberton city physician and Mrs. Myra Shank and that of B. W. Macy, city attorney were officially ratified.

About 20 voters attended the first meeting of the new council.

On the Albany Democrat's list is the name of Philip Swank of Tillamook, who is, in two senses of the word, the Democrat's oldest subscriber. He is 92 years old.

You can't do better than to feather your nest with war savings stamps.

**CLEMENCEAU HOLDS OUT FOR QUADRUPLE ALLIANCE OF POWERS**

Should This Idea Win Favor America Would Have to Return To "Isolation."

By J. T. Mason

New York, Jan. 7.—President Wilson's return to Paris from Italy means opening of final discussions between French statesmen on the one side and American and British on the other concerning the attitude of peace conference toward the organization of the league of nations.

The basic principles of the proceedings of the peace conference will be decided by the debates of the next few days in Paris. This means that the present week may become critical in its influences upon the world's future.

**Challenges Central Powers.**

Premier Clemenceau is holding out for a new quadruple alliance to consist of France, Great Britain, Italy and the United States, which shall in effect challenge the central powers and Russia to a contest for world dominion. Allied statesmen are in some respects inclined to follow France's lead in this matter. The Paris debates, therefore, will find America and Great Britain representing one viewpoint and the Latin countries another.

The Latin cannot win, however, because neither American or British public opinion would sanction a return to the balance of power diplomacy. If France and Italy block the creation of a league of nations, the alternative will be America's retirement from co-operation in the affairs of continental Eu-

**DON'T THROW AWAY YOUR OLD SHOES**

Make Them Wear Like New—As Did This Canadian Officer

A Canadian army officer, William Pemberton, of the famous Princess Pat Regiment, told of the extraordinary wear given him by a pair of army boots twice repaired with Neolin Soles.

"Six months of trench warfare under destructive conditions put the first pair of Neolin Soles out of business," said Lieutenant Pemberton, "but ordinary soles would have gone to pieces in much less time."

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roped and the resumption of her former position described by Englishmen as "one of splendid isolation."

Board of health restrictions at Eugene requiring that alternate rows of seats in theatres and picture houses be roped off to lessen danger of "flu" contagion, has been revoked. Quarantine regulations stand, however.

Isn't it about time for a little more rain?

formal dinner was given in his honor Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hiffiker, at the Forest Fruit ranch south of Salem.

Word has been received from Miss Laura Heist, a former well known Willamette girl, who has been awaiting orders in New York city to go overseas as a reconstruction aide, that she will be kept in this country instead, to do similar reconstruction work among the returned soldiers being treated in the American hospitals.

Miss Heist has just been released from a New York hospital following an attack of influenza. She will be stationed at Camp Devens, Ayer, Massachusetts, one of the best camp hospitals in the country and one that specializes in reconstructive aid to the wounded soldiers. Miss Heist took the reconstruction course given at Reed college last year.

Miss Lina Heist and Miss Lulu Heist, sisters of Miss Laura Heist, will pass the remainder of the winter in Salem at the home of their mother, Mrs. Susanna Heist, 828 North Commercial street, having attended the University of Washington last semester.

Miss Esther Vincent of Hutchinson, Kansas, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vincent and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McKelvin of Salem the past two weeks, left for Los Angeles today where she will pass the spring months as the guest of relatives.

Miss Gertrude East, who was a Portland visitor over the week end, has gone on to Corvallis to resume her work at O. A. C.

A new organization has assumed unique rank among clubbish circles, that of the M. O.'s, a bachelor's club, which held its initial meeting Monday night in its commodious quarters at the Masonic Temple. The nature of the club's activities will be a social one, more or less. B. H. Wagner presided over the program of the evening which proved to be more or less impromptu, embracing a varied entertainment of music and other diverting features. A sumptuous spread served to round out the gastronomic of the affair.

The charter members present were: Clifford Townsend, Warren Brashear, Howard Millard, Kenneth Wilson, Vern Drager, Earl McDonough, Armin Berger, Dewey Hammill, John Fields and Rex Howard.

**ENGLISH LASS WOULD REPLACE HER 'YOUNG MAN' WITH YANKEE**

Letter Was Response For Appeal to Open English Homes To U. S. Soldiers.

London, Dec. 18.—(By Mail.)—Probably the American girls who sent their young men overseas to win the late un-lamented war will breathe a great sigh of relief when all the boys embark for home, for the interest of the girls of England and France in the dashing young chaps from the United States is not entirely platonic.

Recently the International Y. M. C. A. Hospitality league in London sent out an appeal for more homes to be opened to men on leave in England, looking toward the time when conclusion of peace would bring still greater numbers of overseas soldiers to Great Britain who would be released from duty oftener but still unable to go home.

This Letter Was Result.

Among the answers was this letter, which discovers a new field of activity for the Y. M. C. A.

"Pardon me writing to you, but seeing in the Daily Chronicle of today about soldiers coming home on leave. If you know a lonely soldier would you kindly give him my address I have enclosed, for I should like very much to know one, as I regret to say my young man has been killed at the front. Hoping you will do your best for me.

Yours, respectfully,  
P. S.—I shall be very pleased to hear from you if you know. I am 23 and single."

**GOES TO ROSEBURG.**

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pearev arrived here this morning from Salem. Mr. Pearev has just been discharged from the army service at Camp Lewis. He left Roseburg for the service on September 1. Mr. Pearev before leaving for the service was fruit inspector of Douglas county and will resume his former position.—Roseburg Review.

**SPANISH INFLUENZA IS MORE DEADLY THAN WAR**

The appalling ravages of Spanish influenza in this country are perhaps best realized by the statement recently made, that more deaths have resulted in little more than a month from this disease than through out whole eighteen months participation in the battles of the European war.

Our greatest danger now, declare authorities, is the great American tendency to forget easily and to believe the peril is over. Competent authorities claim the coming of cold weather is very apt to bring a return of this disease and there should be no let up throughout the winter months of the following easily observed precautions, remembering that influenza is far easier to prevent than cure.

Influenza is a crowd disease. Avoid crowds as much as possible. Influenza germs spread when ignorant and careless persons sneeze or cough without using a handkerchief. Cover up each cough or sneeze. Do not spit on the floor, sidewalk, in street cars or public places. Avoid the use of common drinking cups and roller towels in public places. Breathe some reliable germicidal and antiseptic air to destroy the germs that do find lodgement in your nose and throat.

Remember, no safer precaution against influenza could be employed in this manner than to get from the nearest drug store a complete Hyomei outfit consisting of a bottle of the pure oil of Hyomei and a little vest pocket hard rubber inhaling device, into which a few drops of the oil are poured. You should carry this inhaler about with you during the day and each half hour or so put it in your mouth and draw deep breaths of its pure, healing germ killing air into the passages of your nose, throat and lungs.

By destroying germs before they actually begin work in your blood, you may make yourself practically immune to infection.

All these suggestions about Spanish influenza are equally true in the prevention of colds, catarrh of nose and throat, bronchitis and even pneumonia. Don't become careless. Do your part. Keep the germs away. You may save yourself a serious illness and the loss of several weeks work. Dan J. Fry.

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**Is Your Back Giving Out?**

Every Picture Tells a Story



THAT "bad back" is probably due to weak kidneys, a trouble that often follows grip, a cold, a fever, worry or overwork. It shows in constant, dull, throbbing backache, or sharp twinges when stooping or lifting. You have headaches, too, dizzy spells, a tired, nervous feeling and irregular kidney action. Don't neglect it—there is danger of dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease! It is usually easy to correct these early troubles, however, and avoid the more serious ailments by giving the kidneys prompt help. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands have saved themselves serious kidney ills by timely use of Doan's.

**Read These Salem Cases:**

**Lee Street**  
J. H. Penton, 1405 Lee Street, says: "On several occasions a cold settled in my back across my kidneys causing pain that extended into my loins. I know that my kidneys were to blame and started using Doan's Kidney Pills. I found them just the thing to rid me of the pain and disorders." (Statement given December 11, 1912.)  
On April 12, 1916, Mr. Penton said: "I have never found a more reliable medicine for backache and kidney disorders than Doan's Kidney Pills. Whenever my kidneys get out of order Doan's soon put them right."

**North Church Street**  
Mrs. Elsie Kouscher, 1263 N. Church St., says: "Several years ago I suffered a great deal with rheumatic pains in my back and more or less through my whole body. I ached all over. My kidneys were congested and irregular and I concluded they were the cause of the trouble. I took Doan's Kidney Pills and they stopped that pain in my back and I have been troubled very little since. Whenever I have noticed my kidneys needed attention, I have used Doan's Kidney Pills for I have found they have always helped me. I couldn't recommend a better remedy."

**State Street**  
P. W. Brown, retired farmer, 1499 State street, says: "Hard work had weakened my kidneys and I often felt the effect in lameness and soreness across the small of my back. Finally my attention was called to Doan's Kidney Pills and I got some. The backache and soreness entirely left me." (Statement given January 31, 1906.)  
On April 11, 1916, Mr. Brown said: "I am ready to confirm any time what I said in my former statement, regarding my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills. I still consider them a medicine of merit and they always do good work when I take them."

**High Street**  
Joseph Wint, retired blacksmith, 668 High street, says: "My back and kidneys bothered me. My kidneys were disordered and my back was weak. Doan's Kidney Pills soon put me right." (Statement given December 12, 1912.)  
On April 11, 1916, Mr. Wint said: "My opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills is just the same today as it was when I gave my first endorsement. I haven't had any kidney trouble now for several years and I give them the credit for bringing such lasting results."

**S. Thirteenth Street**  
Mrs. L. M. Drager 969 S. Thirteenth street, says: "I can conscientiously say Doan's Kidney Pills are a reliable medicine for kidney disorders. I have taken them at different times when I have had a dull, tired feeling across my kidneys and when my kidneys haven't been acting regularly. Doan's have never failed to give me quick relief. It is only once in a great while now that I have to use a kidney medicine."

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