

Days in Society

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ment committee. With these ladies in charge a delightful evening is assured.

Grand Guardian Honor Guest at Dinner Party

Quite an attractive affair for Thursday evening was the dinner party arranged in courtesy to Mrs. Lydia G. Crampton, grand guardian of Job's Daughters, who has been a visitor in the city since Wednesday. While here Mrs. Crampton has been entertained as the guest of Mrs. Donald Helliwell and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Strawn.

Catholic Daughters Plan Large Event for Next Week

Anticipation and interest centers about the card party planned for the coming week by the Catholic Daughters of America. The event is to be on the evening of January 26 at 8 o'clock in St. Joseph's Parish hall.

POETS' CORNER

Signed Contributions for This Department May Be Sent to the Society Editor of The News-Review, and Will Be Used as Space is Available.

REMINISCENCES OF ROSEBURG

Old timers, who are in this town who've raced this country up and down Turn back with me to 1906 And on that date your memory fix. 'Twas then the streets were filled with mud And horses' feet fell with a thud. No cars came honking madly by No airplanes caught the wandering eye.

Hard Times Party Is Unique Affair Enjoyed by Club Women on Thursday

Each wearing an appropriate costume for the occasion, the members of the Garden Valley Women's Club gathered at the home of Mrs. George C. Bailey on Thursday afternoon for a hard times party, a delightful and unique variation to their regular meetings.

A prize for the best costume was given Miss Edna Niday. Following the regular business session of the club, the guests enjoyed an informal hour of games, among them what was called "An Automobile Race," in which sides were chosen and the guests held an amusing contest. Each side was equipped with mechanics and chauffeurs and the game afforded all the thrills and misfortunes of a real auto trip.

Bridge-Tea Is Lovely Event Honoring Visitor

The bridge-tea given by Mrs. George A. Bradburn at the Merwin Place on Friday afternoon complimenting Mrs. Lydia G. Crampton of Portland was a lovely event marking the latter part of the week. Bidden for the occasion were the mothers of the girls who are members of Bethel Number 8

of Roseburg's Job's Daughters, the members of the council, and additional guests.

At four o'clock the girls of the Bethel assisted in the rooms and in serving.

Much Anticipated Club Party Is Large Event of Friday Evening

One of the most ambitious entertainments for the season and quite the largest and most delightful of the past fortnight in which interest was manifested all week was the card party and program sponsored by the Roseburg Business and Professional Women's Club at the Knights of Pythias Hall on Friday evening.

Mrs. S. L. Kidder was in charge of cards and thirty-nine tables of bridge and five hundred were in play during the evening. The entertainment, entitled "The Seven Ages of the Business Girl," was planned under the direction of Mrs. E. V. Stanford and the committee assisting her was Miss Helen Casey and Miss Josephine McElhinny.

The program preceding the card party consisted of orchestra selections, which were greatly appreciated by those attending, and the play in which was represented by the players. The seven ages and characters of the play were as follows: First age, Cribbage, Miss Verus Houser. Song, "Mighty Lak' a Rose," by Miss Hazel Goodwin.

From Camas Valley—

Miss Mildred Gosley and Miss Esther King of Camas Valley spent Friday and today visiting and shopping in this city.

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Green Matthews, Deer Creek resident, was a visitor in this city yesterday afternoon and was attending to business affairs.

Suffered Stroke—

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From State College—

Bernard Young, senior at the O. A. C. arrived here last evening to spend the week-end visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Young.

Gone to Portland—

Nathan Fullerton, proprietor of the Rexall drug store, went to Portland yesterday afternoon to spend a few days on business. He expects to return here Tuesday.

I. O. O. F. Officer Here—

W. E. Wadsworth, department commander of the Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F. is spending a few days here attending to business matters. His home is at Harrisburg.

Visitors Left for North—

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Farr of Oregon City left yesterday for their home after spending the week past in this city visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. H. R. Nerbas.

Arrested on Assault Charge—

Herschel Champ, resident of Alexander's Addition, was arrested here yesterday afternoon on a charge of assault and battery on a young boy. He will appear before the justice court this afternoon to enter a plea.

LOCAL NEWS

From Peol—

L. Englen of Peol spent yesterday afternoon here visiting with friends and attending to business interests.

Visitor Friday—

George Solomon, Umpqua rancher, was a Roseburg visitor on Friday and was attending to business interests.

Left for Coast—

Miss Blanche Lahey of this city left this noon for Marshfield, where she plans to locate permanently.

Business Visitor—

F. L. Thomas, resident of Drex, was here Friday and today looking after business affairs and visiting.

Is Recovering From Illness—

Mrs. Laurel R. King is making a splendid recovery from a recent serious illness, it is reported by her friends.

Myrtle Creek Man Visitor—

L. W. Sanderson, Myrtle Creek resident, spent Friday and today in this city visiting with friends and trading.

Business Visitor—

G. Anderson, resident of Melrose, was in this city yesterday afternoon attending to business affairs and trading.

Returned From Eugene—

Miss Velma Goff returned here yesterday afternoon from Eugene where she has been since last Monday on business.

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in Friday—

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Back From Portland—

County Clerk Ira B. Riddle has returned from Portland, where he attended a state meeting of county clerks this week.

Legion Officials Here—

George Love, Commander of the American Legion Department of Oregon; Carl Moser, State adjutant; and Floyd Cook, prominent legionaire of Medford, arrived in Roseburg last night, enroute north after holding a series of meetings in southern Oregon. Tonight they will hold a mass meeting of veterans in Cottage Grove. The legion officials spent the night here and conferred with a number of the local post members. They were greatly pleased with the action of Medford Post in voting to hold the 1928 convention here, and predict that thousands of veterans will pass through Roseburg during the summer enroute to the meeting.

I. B. RIDDLE WILL SEEK REELECTION AS COUNTY CLERK

County Clerk Ira B. Riddle today announced himself definitely a candidate for re-election on the republican ticket. While Mr. Riddle has previously announced his intention to run again, his formal announcement was not made until today. He has served two terms in this office in a very efficient manner. Prior to taking over the duties of county clerk he was justice of the peace for Deer Creek precinct and also served for a number of years as court reporter.

ARMED GANGSTERS ROB ATHLETIC CLUB

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 28.—Ten men, believed to be Chicago gangsters, who boasted of being armed with machine guns, held up members of the Wisconsin Athletic club, shortly after midnight, slugged one man, cut telephone wires and escaped with currency and jewelry worth \$2,000.

AUXILIARY RAILROAD ORDER MEETS

Members of Ladies Auxiliary No. 494, B. of R. T., of Roseburg, attended a very successful meeting at Eugene on January 26. Completion of business affairs was followed by a banquet. Transportation for the trip was provided through the courtesy of Superintendent E. L. King, of the Southern Pacific company, with whom cooperation was given by Chief Dispatcher J. I. Love, and Assistant Superintendent Graham, of Eugene; J. W. Wright, ticket clerk; J. E. Clark, station agent, and Operator Osburn of Roseburg. Auxiliary members who made the trip in Eugene are: Mrs. J. B. Stephenson, Mrs. H. Harris, Mrs. E. Mrs. C. H. Thurston, Mrs. H. West, Mrs. L. Daudell, Mrs. F. Reed, Mrs. E. Melner, Mrs. C. Walker, Mrs. V. Ferry, Mrs. H. Hess, Mrs. P. Brand, Mrs. D. Allison, Mrs. H. Allison and Mrs. L. Damon.

Ripe Grapes Picked in Jan.—

Harry Davis, Dillard rancher, was a business visitor in Roseburg this morning. Mr. Davis reported that he picked ripe grapes from his grapes at Friday. The weather, characteristic of the Umpqua valley in mid-winter is evidenced by this ripe fruit.

Minnesota Folk Visited—

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gore of Wadena, Minnesota, stopped here last night as guests of the Umpqua hotel. Mr. Gore is an old friend of J. A. Harding, manager of the hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Gore have been visiting with their daughter in Portland and this week-end have returned from a trip to the coast.

On Way to Honolulu—

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Middleton of Cottage Grove and Mr. and Mrs. William Lameroux of Aberdeen, Washington, were visitors in this city as guests of the Umpqua hotel. Mr. Middleton is one of the owners of the mills at Cottage Grove and Mr. Lameroux is a prominent banker of the Washington city. The party is enroute to Honolulu.

Judd Returns Home—

J. M. Judd, proprietor of the Judd Furniture company, has returned from a trip to San Francisco, where he attended the annual meeting of the Furniture Men's Exchange and Market. This is a gathering in which furniture dealers from all parts of the coast come together to obtain information on new styles, designs, sales plans and other trade information. Mr. Judd states that displays of furniture were made by over 500 factories, the showing being one of the most wonderful ever known on the coast. Mr. Judd placed orders for a large amount of furniture and home conveniences of the latest style and design and will soon have some of these articles on display at his store.

Sport Slants

Babe Just Playing

To Miss "Old Barney"

Age Wins Pennants

BY ALAN J. GOULD, Associated Press Sports Editor. NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Babe Ruth seems to have grown a bit careless about adhering to his program of conditioning for the coming season.

In spite of the glowing reports of the Yankee slugger's condition, his ardor for golf and duck hunting, it develops that the big fellow has neglected the gymnasium training that he credited with putting him back on his feet after his famous 1925 collapse, and also with putting him in shape for his record 1927 home run campaign.

Babe, down close to normal playing weight, may consider his activities with the shot gun and billicek enough to keep in condition but his trainer, Artie McGeever, is a bit skeptical.

Several weeks ago the babe proclaimed to all within hearing that he was about to knuckle down to hard work for several weeks, taking systematic exercise designed to send him south in top trim.

"Even last year I got off a 'little slow,'" the babe explained, "I hit only four" homers in April. I'm not going to overlook any bats this season. Put it down that I'll be in shape to start off at a faster clip."

But the bambino hasn't knuckled down to any rigorous work of the sort he stuck to last winter. He pool-poos any suggestion that he needs much of it or that he is growing careless, but baseball players along forty second street in beginning to shake their head and wonder whether it was a good idea, after all, when the Yanks signed Babe to a three year contract.

With Babe assured his \$70,000 for 1928 and 1929, the experts see the possibility of the big hitter losing some of his incentive and yielding to a desire to take life and his baseball easier.

On the other hand those familiar with Babe's impulses realize there is nothing dearer to the Babe's heart than his home runs. No youth seeing his first big league game got any more thrill out of it than Ruth did when he slipped No. 60 out of the park last September.

"Boy, I got a kick out of that," said the Babe.

So it is likely that no great harm need be stirred up now over what Ruth will or will not do this season. He will, as he puts it himself, very likely be in there "smackin' 'em."

Youth may now have the call in the Washington club's reorganization, as Clark Griffith proclaims, but the fact remains that age won two pennants for the Senators.

Even with Tris Speaker cut adrift the Washington lineup isn't composed of exactly of the up and coming type.

Judges Harris, Blagoe, Rice, Goslin, Ruel, Zachary, Marberry and others all are veterans of the 1924-

25 championship outfit while such additions as George Sisler haven't brought the age average down. The absence of Walter Johnson from the pitching staff will make the biggest difference in the appearance of the Senators. After 20 years it won't seem like the same club without "Old Barney" taking his regular or occasional turn on the mound or counseling in the team's strategy.

Johnson's keen knowledge of tactics, as well as his ability to get along with the players, should give him a running start in his first managerial venture with the Newark Internationals.

"We will look up to Johnson," Ducky Harris once said of the great pitcher. "There isn't a player on the club who hasn't real affection for Barney."

Harris was the manager, but his admiration for Johnson was the same as that of the small boy on the sand lots.

It has been an off season of baseball. A year or even a few months

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LIBERTY



MOVIES

ANTLERS THEATRE

From Lunch Wagon to Society—Fun at the Antlers

Colleen Moore has added a new profession to her already long list of accomplishments.

She can now "deal dishes of the arm" with the best of waitresses. Three weeks before the camera in a lunch wagon in the downtown district of a big city gave her ample training for this sort of job

taken during the filming of "Her Wild Oat," Miss Moore's current picture, which comes to the Antlers Theatre on Sunday.

Marshall Neilan directed it, with Larry Kent, Hallam Cooley, Gwen Lee, Fritz Ridgway and others in the supporting cast.

LIBERTY THEATRE

Florence Vidor "Shrew" in Modernized "Taming"

Shakespeare revealed certain ways of curing a woman of her terrible temper in "The Taming of the Shrew" but Prince Dantarin presents some very original ideas in "Honeymoon Hate," Paramount's latest production starring Florence Vidor. To be shown on the screen at the Liberty Theatre on Sunday.

TEXAS OIL FIRE WAS VERY COSTLY

MCCAMEY, Texas, Jan. 28.—Subsiding within a few hours after it flared up, one of the most spectacular fires in the history of Texas oil fields had passed away today, leaving a record of one dead and five slightly injured and damage at approximately \$100,000.

Starting with a terrific explosion heard for miles, when a spark presumably ignited gas in a 6,000 barrel tank which Fred Hendricks, chemist, was inspecting, fire yesterday destroyed the contents of twelve tanks, filled for the most part with gasoline, on the property of the Humble Oil company here and threatened for a time to sweep the entire refinery.

Hendricks was killed. Early reports indicated many lives had been lost but these were unfounded, investigation revealed.

AMERICAN NURSE FIGHTS OFF WOLVES

MOSUL, Iraq, Jan. 28.—After harrowing experiences in the desert between Mosul and Bagdad during which her automobile broke down on the brink of a precipice and she was attacked by wolves, Miss Alice Carr, Near East relief nurse, who is enroute to Smyrna, arrived here today.

VIENNA, Jan. 28.—Miss Alice Carr, American nurse of the Near East Relief, who was reported missing yesterday between Bagdad and Mosul, enroute to Smyrna, has arrived at Mosul, the Near East Relief director here was notified.

The American nurse, who escaped the dangerous trip from Bagdad to Smyrna alone, was found, after wandering helplessly for three nights, in the desert, by a British officer and Assyrian soldiers.

The men fought off the wolves with rifles, provided Miss Carr with shelter and food and then brought her in an army motor car to Mosul.

Miss Carr carried \$10,000 for Assyrian relief and when she was reported missing yesterday, it was feared that she might have been waylaid by marauding tribesmen or bandits.



Colleen Moore in "Her Wild Oat"—If she ever needs it, as she probably won't. The scenes in question were

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