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THE BURNS SOCIETY CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

Largest Gathering, and Most Successful Celebration
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In common with all patriotic Scotchmen throughout the world, the Robert Burns Society of this county met last evening in commemoration of the one hundred and forty-seventh anniversary of Robert Burns, their greatest poet. Few men have won such lasting fame and few are so near to the hearts of the people as Burns, whose immortal songs are sung and loved by the people as they were a hundred and more years ago.

The Elk's hall was beautifully decorated with evergreens and a large banner was displayed upon which was lettered so all could read "Scotch Welcome. Guide Mile Faillde. A hundred thousand welcome."

By eight o'clock there were two hundred or more of the clans and friends assembled and one of the best programs in the history of the association was rendered, notwithstanding the fact that it was rendered by citizens of our own county, in contradistinction to former customs when the principal address has been made by speakers from other parts of the state.

During the interim since the last gathering, two of the members, who were also honored pioneers of Grande Ronde Valley and who were large factors in the history making period of this county, were called home to their Creator. We refer to John Morrison and Mrs. McDonald, and as will be noted by looking over the program that T. A. Rinehart was assigned to deliver these eulogies which he did with credit.

The banquet which followed the literary entertainment was in keeping with the well-known hospitality of the Scotch and notwithstanding there were many in excess of the anticipation, there was more than plenty for all.

Another feature out of the ordinary, which showed originality on the part of the program committee was that the toasts were responded to by the ladies. Mrs. Jessie L. Cavanaugh responded the "Year that Wa"; Mrs. F. S. Ivanhoe, "Mothers"; and Mrs. M. F. Davis of Union, "Burn's Songs." The ladies acquitted themselves with such credit that it is not expected that throughout the ages as this society meets annually will the men ever have an opportunity to respond to a toast again, with the possible exception of Mr. Rinehart, who as an afterthought was jumped up on the spur of a moment to respond to "The Ladies." He always has liked the ladies and just having about concluded a sumptuous feast and sur-

rounded by beves of the beautiful and cultured, he did his best and that is saying a great deal.

After the tables had been cleared, an hour or more was devoted to social intercourse, and friends, old and new, became thoroughly acquainted and it was after two o'clock in the morning before the closing song Auld Lang Syne was sung by all joining hands around the hall.

We give below the program as rendered and are sorry that space forbids a more extended mention.

Call to order at 8 o'clock sharp.
Invocation..... Rev. E. B. Hays
Opening remarks by the president..... Turner Oliver

Scottish overture..... Messrs. Chas. Cochran and Robert Eakin, Jr.

Short address, "Burns the Reformer"..... Rev. McKinley

Quartette "Blue Bells of Scotland"..... Miss Mabel Williams, Mesdames Neill Stevens and Forrest

Recitation, selected..... Naomi Williamson
Song, "My Ain Kind Dearie O"..... Mr. Stanley Edwards

Eulogy to deceased members..... Mr. T. A. Rinehart

Piano solo "Robin Adair"..... Miss Annie Tullis

Recitation, "The Soldier's Return"..... Mr. A. M. Paul

Song, "Loch Lomond"..... Miss Mertie Aldrich

Short address, "A Glimpse of Scotland and the Shrine of Burns"..... Prof. Martin

Piano solo, "Kelvin Grove" and "The Campbells are Comin"..... Miss Gertrude Ralston

Short address, "Burn's Sweethearts"..... Mr. F. S. Ivanhoe

Song, selected..... Miss Robbenia Paul

Quartette, "Annie Laurie"..... Miss Mabel Williams, Mesdames Neill, Stevens and Forrest

Ten minutes for business meeting.

Banquet and Toasts.

A social hour of visiting.

Closing song, "Auld Lang Syne"..... Every body.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The following officers were elected for 1906.

Turner Oliver, pres; Wm. Grant, sec. and treas. Vice presidents, Mrs. Nels Schoonover, Union; C. D. Huffman, Island City; D. McDonald, Alice; F. S. Ivanhoe, La Grande; Jm. McRae, Summerville; Mrs. Jno. McDonald, Wallowa; John Shaw, North Powder; Wm. Muir, Starkley and Camp Carson; Dr. McNaughton, Elgin; Musical Director, Mrs. Clara Lyle.

RETURNS FROM FAIR VIEW

Pastor W. H. Gibson returned last evening from an outing of two weeks spent in revival work with the Mt. Pleasant Baptist church in the Fair View district. The meetings were greatly blessed, the church revived and 11 new members added. The work went on despite almost continuous snowfall and about three feet of snow.

The Fair View district is notable for its morality and religious interests. But possibly the most notable fact is its abounding young life. Children flourish. Twenty-three babies under 3 years old were regular attendants upon the revival meetings, and strange to say were orderly and attentive.

The leader in the religious life of the community is Mr. Joseph Scott, who with his large family settled around him, is ready for every good work.

Mr. Gibson will fill his pulpit tomorrow.

TO THINK ABOUT

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An old time saying, "It takes a rogue to catch a rogue," applies to internal drugging. The rogue is seldom, if ever caught and the sufferer is burdened with two rogues instead of one to hamper nature in recovery.

N. E. Imhaus, the well known Baker City mining man, came down last night and is in the city today on business.

JOINT INSTALLATION

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. are holding a joint installation this afternoon. The ladies of the corps provided an elaborate banquet and this will be a day long to be remembered by the members of both orders.

AMUSEMENTS

THE TAMING OF THE SHREW

It was the Shakespearean play that monopolized the interest of the evening by reason of its really admirable presentation. Not only is Mr. Hanford complete master of Petruchio and Miss Drafnah a charming and individual Katherine, the shrew, but everyone of the more prominent parts was well played, and the performance proceeded with a spirit and eclat that was something of a revelation to playgoers.

Mr. Hanford has every reason to feel proud of his success. His impersonation is presented with confidence and a finish that distinctly identifies him with the role. As an interpretation it stands out clearly in conception and definition. It is marked by strong nervous force and general elation of spirits, and presented with a poise that denotes the artist whose mere technical skill has been gained in a school of standardart.

Miss Drafnah fairly shared the honors with the star. She distinguished nicely between the shrewish temper of Kate and the tenderness of the woman when her spirit is subdued, presenting the character with an intelligent grasp of its salient traits and charming her audience by her grace and refinement.—Washington (D. C.) Post.

The Taming of the Shrew will be Mr. Hanford's play at Steward's opera house on Saturday, Feb. 3.

TO-NIGHT

The Grace Johnson Company will again please the La Grande theater-going public at Steward's opera house. This company has pleased the people each evening for the past week, and to-night's bill is an exceptionally strong one.

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