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SOCIETY.

The Good Fellowship league met last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Thornton. Refreshments were served and a delightful social evening was enjoyed by all.

Eastern Star Social.

The Eastern Star met last night. Two candidates, Miss Bertha Berger and Mrs. Lula Berger were initiated, after which the members and invited friends were served with ice cream, cake and coffee. The hall was beautifully decorated with spring flowers.

Reception.

Rev. and Mrs. Upton H. Gibbs gave an informal reception last night to Bishop Paddock. The rooms were beautifully decorated with calla lilies and cherry blossoms.

During the evening the members of the parish and others called. Light refreshments were served and all present reported a delightful evening.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. John Theisen entertained at luncheon in honor of her sister, Miss Vesta Potter's ninth birthday. The rooms were decorated in apple and cherry blossoms and lighted by candles. Those present were:

Misses Lottie Jones, Marlon Smith, Dorothy Myers, Virginia Rush, Bessie Allinson, Fredricka Schilke, Eunice Bolton, Ruth Ackles, Avice Vanack, Vesta Potter.

Violinist Here.

Quite a crowd collected at the Huelat music store this morning to listen to the violinist, Prof. Herman of Boise. Mr. Herman gave selections from all the famous operas and is a violinist of no small talent.

The violin he plays is more than 100 years old and it would be hard

to find its equal for depth and sweetness of tone.

Mr. Herman, and Mr. Bruce, the latter pianist at the Electric theater, will give a concert at Hot Lake this evening.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. W. H. Rush gave a luncheon this afternoon in honor of her little daughter, Elizabeth's fifth birthday. The rooms were beautifully decorated in red and white. Those present were:

Mrs. R. W. Logan, Miss Marjorie Logan, Mrs. L. W. Damon, Miss Janice Damon, Mrs. M. E. Hall, Misses Constance and Gwendolyn Hall, Mrs. C. A. Vurpillat, Miss May Fan Vurpillat, Mrs. T. J. Scroggin, Miss Adeline Scroggin, Mrs. O. E. Didton, Howell Didton, Mrs. Riley, Mildred Riley, Mrs. J. M. Berry, Elizabeth Rush.

An Oversight.

In the rush of the closing hours of composition yesterday afternoon one page of copy of the comment on the entertainment given by the Lyle Tuesday Musical was lost. Several pictures and the musical program, which was of unusual merit, failed to get in print. The musical numbers were as follows:

1. Piano trio—Air from the "Magic Flute" Misses Hilda Anthony, Runa Bacon, Sarah Smith.
2. Vocal solo—"Whisper and I Shall Hear," . . . Mrs. J. F. Corbett Accompanied by Miss Corbett.
3. Piano solo—Liszt transcription of Schubert's "Am Meer," Miss Jean McDonald.
4. Quartet—Selected—Cochran, Cochran, Cleaver and Williams.
5. Vocal duet—Folksong (Mendelssohn) Miss Jean McDonald, Mrs. E. C. Moore.
6. Piano duet—"Prince and Peasant," Suppe Mrs. M. K. Hall, Mrs. Charles Vurpillat.
7. Vocal solo—"If I Were a Rose," Mrs. A. L. Richardson

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PEARE HEADS REPUBLICANS

Pursuant to the call issued by retiring County Chairman C. E. Cochran of the county central republican committee, committeemen elected at the recent primaries met at the Cochran & Cochran office today and transacted much business, in fact, are still at work at press time.

J. H. Peare, committeeman from the third ward of this city, heads the central committee for Union county to succeed C. E. Cochran. J. A. Mattott is secretary.

Aside from the election of officers, there was another matter of much importance to the county to be discussed and action taken on, and that was the method of electing state delegates.

While not certain, it appears that the committee will be instructed to break up tonight, go home, each to his precinct, and get the consensus of opinion in his respective district. Then, at a nearby date, the committeemen will meet again and, actuated by the general wishes of the republicans throughout the county, will either call a convention, name a primary date, or select the delegates themselves.

District Committeemen.

Retiring Chairman C. E. Cochran was selected as the state committeeman and D. Barnes of Elgin, as the congressional committeeman.

Gored by Cow.

This morning while A. E. Huff was fastening his cow in the milking frame the animal threw her head, striking him with her horn in the side of the head. The horn penetrated the cheek and entered the ear cavity, inflicting a very painful injury. Mr. Huff considers himself very fortunate that the accident did not prove more serious.

Friday Night Prayer Meetings.

The western division of the cottage prayer meeting series will be held at the homes of Mrs. H. J. Hockenberry and Mrs. Souders, promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

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READY FOR BIG MEET.

Whitman College Anticipates Very Successful Event Next Week.

Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash., April 23.—(Special.)—Several more high schools have accepted the invitation of Whitman college to the tri-state interscholastic track meet and declamation contest in Walla Walla on April 30 and May 1. The list now numbers 21 high schools and includes all the large schools of the inland empire except Colfax, which was the only one to decline Whitman's invitation to enter the meet. The following are the 21 high schools which have promised to send representatives: Pomeroy, Spokane, Prosser, Ritzville, North Yakima, Ellensburg, Roslyn, Garfield, Oakesdale, Palouse, Lewiston, La Grande, Boise, Baker City, Island City, Pendleton, The Dalles, Walla Walla, Waitsburg, Prineville, Fossil. Such a list of schools assures a splendid meet, and a much larger one than that of last year.

Six representatives from each school will have their entire railroad expenses paid by the college and entertainment provided during their stay in Walla Walla.

The railroad has granted an open rate to all of one and one-third fare for the round trip. This means that in addition to the 150 athletes who come there will be several hundred supporters.

Whitman has an ideal track for the meet, and it has never been in such good condition as it will be for this meet. The distance races will be run on the quarter-mile oval, and the dashes and hurdles on the 230-yard straightaway, capable of accommodating 10 runners abreast. The capacity of the bleachers and grandstands more than 2000.

The college has provided an attractive souvenir for each contestant, different and finer than those given in years. No thought or expense is being spared to make this meet large better, and more to be remembered than any other ever given in the northwest.

BAD BILLS CIRCULATING.

Counterfeiters Busy in Different Parts of the Country.

Counterfeiters in several parts of the country have been busy during the winter and recently efforts of the work have just appeared in the market. Notification of three new spurious notes have been received by the treasury department officials in Portland.

One of them is a \$20 gold certificate and while it is a good representation of the original issue by Uncle Sam, the color is a little off, the counterfeit not being particular regarding the ink, the result being that the new bill is the shade of a nice rip-emon instead of the orange shade of the genuine bill.

This new bill turned up in New York. It is remarkably well done, the counterfeit having paid particular attention to nearly all the minor details except the color. The bill was done by means of photo etched plates afterward given impressions on two sheets of paper with silk threads between.

Another of the recent bills first was discovered in southeastern Missouri and was evidently the work of farm boys who tired of following the plot and doing chores about the old home, had decided to get rich quick and live with ease without working. Uncle Sam will attend to the question of meals and beds for the young men if they are caught.

This note is a particularly crude affair of the national bank note of the \$10 denomination. It is also the result of photo etched plates and the ink being rough and carelessly handled. It is a poor imitation. Another note which has recently appeared is that of a silver certificate of the Indian head variety.

IMBLER ITEMS.

Imbler, April 22.—(Special.)—Harry Rule shipped two carloads of fat cattle from here yesterday.

Fred Hamilton was a business visitor yesterday.

C. R. Hibberd has purchased 35 head of horses from Mr. Schofield.

Robert Lloyd has a new soda fountain.

B. F. Webb went to Alice today.

A. Riggs has purchased a large sprayer for his 15-acre orchard.

Neighbor, going to La Grande next week? No, I will wait for Market day. Miss May Sommers went to Elgin today.

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LA GRANDE TO GAIN PUBLICITY

(Continued from page 1.)

Organization Committee.
The committee of 10 follows:
John Collier, A. S. Geddes, F. L. Meyers, J. W. Scriber, S. R. Haworth, Turner Oliver, F. Kilpatrick, F. G. Taylor, George Stoddard and Mac Wood.

Those who will solicit for further subscriptions to carry on the boost movement are Mac Wood, F. L. Meyers, J. W. Scriber and George Stoddard.

Before adjourning the meeting passed a resolution thanking Mr. Richardson for his conscientious efforts at promulgating the desirable movement.

A Thousand Dollars' Worth of Good.

A. H. Thurnes, a well known coal operator of Buffalo, O., writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel and stones with excruciating pain. I got no relief from medicine until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick dust like fine stones and now I have no pain across my kidneys and I feel like a new man. It has done me \$1000 worth of good." A. T. Hill.

SEARCHING FOR BODY

Although a searching party of 40 men have been searching the Grande Ronde river from Hilgard on down toward La Grande, for the body of Dick Batters, the lumberman who last evening fell from the Perry Lumber company's logging train, no trace of the drowned man has been found.

Batters, an old-time logger, was riding in the engine with the engineer, and while passing Hilgard the latter heard his companion fall. He called for help and the rest of the crew came to his aid, but without avail. Batters had fallen into the river, which is swift and high at this season of the year. Careful search was later made but it is presumed the strong current quickly carried the unfortunate man down the stream.

Today the entire crew came down from the camps and formed a searching party which for a time, was under the leadership of Sheriff Childers. All day the river was dragged, but without avail. Batters is about 50 years of age, and unmarried. He has been employed as a logger with the Perry company for several months past.

Robbers Get \$10,000.

Hot Springs, April 23.—A sensational robbery occurred this morning when four masked men forced a gambling house of the Indian club, lined up all in the place and took out \$10,000 and escaped.

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