

TRIANGULARS GOOD HOSTS

Y. M. C. A. DIRECTORS AND L. B. RHODES ARE GUESTS.

Speeches That Follow Dinner Call for Immediate Campaign Action

L. B. Rhodes, general secretary for the Y. M. C. A. in Oregon, and the directors of the La Grande Y. M. C. A., were guests of honor last evening at a dinner served in the Y. M. C. A. home on Depot street, to the Triangle club. Following the dinner at 6 o'clock, several short speeches dealing with the general Y. M. C. A. condition were heard with enjoyment.

President Bush, of the Triangle club, was the first speaker called by Toastmaster Geo. Currey. Following him were heard E. B. Pickins, John H. Radd, and directors of the Y. M. C. A., including C. J. Black, J. W. Loughlin, Geo. H. Currey, Cr., president of the association, Harry J. Grady, J. T. Williamson, Richard Duignan. I. B. Rhodes was heard with interest by the men in attendance, the telling of the general methods employed in Y. M. C. A. construction work. A tone of optimism prevailed in all the speeches, all pointing out the dire necessity of a "Y" and many urging immediate action along this campaign. The Triangle club staged its dinner well, and a most pleasant evening resulted.

The Y. M. C. A. directors met on Thursday to arrange a campaign.

OPEN BOND BIDS ON SAT.

SCHOOL BOARD SHAPES WORK OF BUILDING.

Plans and Specifications to Be Adopted Within a Week's Time.

Bids, for the sale of bonds for the \$30,000 grade school building to be erected on the North side this spring will be opened next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The school board will meet to open bids at that time and it is believed there will be but little time intervene until the building is under way.

One week from next Friday plans and specifications, advertised for to be examined that date, will be scrutinized and a suitable one adopted. In this way, cash being available and plans adopted, the construction will be under way as soon as the weather permits, allowing completion before school takes up in the fall in order that the congestion in grade schools now prevailing may be eliminated.

RANCHERS USING WRAPPERS.

Butter in Wrappers Demanded By Public Consumer.

That there is a greater demand for ranch butter when it is wrapped in parchment paper with the state seal and guaranteed weight printed thereon, is the belief of many ranchers who find a market for butter in this territory. As evidence of the popularity of using the butter wrapper, the demand on the Observer job departments lately for individual wrappers is quite extensive. Heretofore only the creameries used the wrapper but it is believed it will only be a short time until almost every roll of butter offered for sale will be enclosed in the parchment covering. Among the ranchers who have lately adopted the wrappers are the George Puckett ranch, the Ed Wolf ranch, the Patrick ranch and the Edvelson ranch.

LEAGUE STILL HANGS.

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noon in a pleasant manner visiting friends whom they were acquainted with and making new friends. The Baker contingent returned on the afternoon local.

La Grande people met the visiting delegations with a cheerfulness that was pleasant to see and made them all feel welcome to any part of the city. In fact, everything was open for those who came.

All Visited Commercial Club Secretary Humphreys of the Commercial club, took the visitors to the club rooms and there they enjoyed themselves for some little time. Each member of the party complimented La Grande highly on its club room and the Foley office building was the subject of great admiration.

A visit to the federal building, to the new high school building and to the new roundhouse and railroad shops all proved interesting to those who live in the neighboring county.

Lunch at the Foley At noon the Foley grill was a scene of good fellowship for the visitors were accompanied by La Grande business men and all enjoyed the occasion. It was an event for old friends to meet and new ones to be made. While Baker and La Grande are neighbors in the strictest sense of the term there has not been the exchange of visits in the past that might have been. It was agreed by La Grande people that the Baker business men, by their visit today,

Are You a Cold Sufferer?

Take Dr. King's New Discovery. The best Cough, Cold, Throat and Lung medicine made. Money refunded if it fails to cure you. Do not hesitate—take it at our risk. First dose helps. J. R. Wells, Floydada, Texas, writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery cured my terrible cough and cold. I gained 15 pounds." Buy it at all dealers.

Didn't Know Himself.

An American traveling in Europe engaged a courier. Arriving at an inn in Austria, the man asked his servant to enter his name in accordance with the police regulations of that country. Some time after the man asked the servant if he had complied with his orders.

"Yes, sir," was the reply. "How did you write my name?" asked the master. "Well, sir, I can't pronounce it," answered the servant, "but I copied it from your portmanteau, sir." "Why, my name isn't there. Bring me the book." The register was brought, and, instead of the plain American name of two syllables, the following entry was revealed: "Monsieur Warranted Solid Leather."—Lippincott's.

Why Enunciate?

"What language is the leading lady singing?" "French, isn't it?" "No; I can understand French; and it isn't that." "Italian perhaps." "It sounds more like Spanish or possibly Portuguese." "Yonder is Mr. Flanagan, the famous critic. Let us ask him." They questioned Mr. Flanagan, and he smiled grimly. "The lady is singing in English," he said.—Newark News.

A Difference.

The Sunday school teacher asked his class to give him the definition of a "pilgrim." One little fellow said, "Please, sir, I think a pilgrim is a man who travels a great deal." This did not exactly suit the teacher, so he said, "Well, I travel about quite a little, but I'm not a pilgrim." "Oh, sir, but I mean a good man," eagerly replied the little one.—Harper's Magazine.

Very Brainy.

The Girl—The man I marry must be both brave and brainy. The Man—I think I may claim to be both. The Girl—I'll admit you are brave, for you saved my life when our boat upset the other day. But that wasn't brainy. The Man—Oh, yes, it was. I upset the boat on purpose!—Penny Pictorial.



In Plain Justice To Easter

SEE THAT YOUR NEW EASTER SUIT IS ROYAL TAILORED TO ORDER. THERE MAY BE TIMES

When a ready-made suit will do but certainly for the one great New Clothes Day of the year you want your new suit made to order.

IT COSTS NO MORE—\$20 TO \$35

AND IT GUARANTEES YOU ALL PURE WOOL—A PERFECT FIT OR NO PAY.

GEIBEL'S

have paved the way for a closer relationship between the two cities.

Baseball Was the Subject.

The one ultimate purpose of the visitors was to induce La Grande to join the professional baseball league this season and the trip was made here with that in view. This being true, the national game was the chief topic for discussion and the enthusiasm of the Baker fans was pleasant to witness.

EMIL MADERO LIVES.

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led by recent revolutions. He says that if this is done it will cause thousands of Mexicans to return to their native land.

Life Insurance Row on.

Mexico City, Feb. 26.—The late Francisco Madero was heavily insured by the American life insurance companies and his brothers are demanding payment for the wife. It is learned the companies have planned to ask the state department at Washington to demand an official explanation of Mexico as to the cause of his death with the possible view of collecting an indemnity from the Huerta government.

LUNCHEONS ARE LAUDED

Moscow Man Visiting Here Affirms They Keep Interest High.

Weekly luncheons participated in by all members of the Commercial club who can possibly spend an hour commencing at 12, are the sustaining means of the Moscow Commercial club, according to C. A. Hagen, a packing house proprietor of Moscow, who was in the city yesterday, the guest of his cousin, N. Nelson, of this city. Mr. Hagen was on his way home from Boise and stopped off between trains to visit his relatives here. While in La Grande he visited the Commercial club headquarters. Speaking of the club at his home city, he confided to Secretary C. M. Humphreys that the weekly luncheons at Moscow are very greatly enjoyed. One speech is prepared for, and if a stranger is in the city who can impart any message of interest or entertainment to Moscow's business men, he is drafted into service.

FOR SALE—Jack, 10 years old. Black with white points. 14½ hands high. Call J. B. Vander-muelen, La Grande, Ore. R. F. D. No 1 2-26-6tp

Cleaning Talks

NO. 4

Why do woolen garments get "rotten" and tear easily?

What destroys the strength of the fibre? Bacteria, germs!

Exhalations from the pores of the skin gather in the fibres and furnish a "culture" for bacteria. New substances formed by the fermentation or bacterial action do the damage.

Occasional dry cleaning destroys all bacteria and also immunizes the garment from carrying disease germs.

Let our French Dry Cleaning department serve you.

Your garments will wear much longer. They will be clean, wholesome, sanitary.

Cherry's New Laundry

Geo. Gilbert Manager

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The World Is Enslaved to Tradition

The traditions of the past limit our thinking, the customs of the past regulate our actions. We are the slaves to the past. Are we not alive? Why do we bend under the rod of dead masters? Many customs are good, for they are based upon common sense or efficiency. Many of the great minds of the past have given unto us priceless truths and told us of invaluable principles. We do not wish to discredit what is worthy; but why burden ourselves with their faults. Every act, every thought should be tried in the court of reason, by the judge of wisdom; and prosecuted by the attorney's observation and meditation.

Look, Reason and Act

You have heard of La Grande and Union county's past, you can witness their present; if you will observe the present conditions and tendencies, you can easily foretell its future. Now is the time to buy.

A NICE HOME

6 room house, stone foundation, cellar, city water, wired, close to high school. \$250 cash, balance \$12 per month. Good rich soil. Mr. Renter, look this up.

FOUR ACRE TRACT

Here is a truly snap. Owner sick in sanatorium in east. Must sell. Four acres in Home Investment addition. Cheaper than anything adjoining by 25 per cent. Might sell two acres.

CLOSE SUBURBAN HOMES

This is the time of the year to secure a home to begin the spring. I have several very attractive propositions that I would be pleased to show to interested parties.

HERE IS AN INVESTMENT.

The 60 ft. x 110, just south of Honan Hall. A good 6 room house, bath and toilet. Cement walks paid. Priced with or without the house. Just step around, look the property over, then come to my office and ascertain the price, or better still call. I will be pleased to show it to you. This lot is mighty close in property.

LET US KNOW YOUR WANTS. WE WILL TRY TO SATISFY THEM.

GEO. H. CURREY

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