

Society

"Rather dull" expresses fairly explicitly the social calendar of the week. The routine club life is waning—several are on the verge of resting for the summer and some have already done so. On the whole the week was much more quiet than the one preceding when all circles and all ages had a busy week of it.

Mrs. L. Givens very pleasantly entertained the Eastern Star social club on Tuesday afternoon. Cards were won by Mrs. J. C. Gulling, an invited guest, and Miss Grace Perrine. This is the first time this year that the

Eastern Star has met at the homes of its members for the social hour, and there are to be several in the future. The next gathering will be at the home of Mrs. Grace Molitor with Mrs. Molitor and Mrs. Vincent Palmer as hostesses.

The Billikin club which has had many very pleasant meetings this year, is contemplating shutting up shop for the summer months. Probably only one more afternoon will be arranged for the members and then the club will commence a holiday lasting through the summer months.

The Pinochle club will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Snodgrass next evening, and after that meeting, the club adjourns sine die. Like many other card clubs, it rings down the curtain during the summer months and rings up again in the fall.

At the George Carpy home on M avenue Wednesday afternoon of this week, Mrs. George Carpy and Mrs. Stella Ingle entertained a number of ladies in honor of Mrs. A. T. Hill who leaves the latter part of the week for Portland to spend some time with friends and relatives in the Rose city. The home was beautifully decorated, sweet peas being the foundation of the decorative scheme. The "feature" in the afternoon's entertainment was the historical art contest, each lady drawing a description of an assigned subject. Mrs. Bruce Dennis' picture "The Pendleton Round Up," received attention. During the course of the afternoon cooling refreshments were served to the assembled guests.

The ladies present were: Mesdames A. T. Hill, A. Richardson, J. D. Slater, J. T. Richardson, Ed Wright, F. S. Ivanhoe, J. W. Loughlin, G. H. Currey, F. B. Currey, Jack Oliver, Turner Oliver, O. E. Silverthorne, Vincent Palmer, Geo. Palmer, Chas. Clements, Bruce Dennis, J. T. Williamson, Wm. Miller, Mrs. Kirk, C. H. Finn, Wm. Ash, J. W. Knowles, G. L. Evans, Miss Margaret Anson, Mrs. Stella Ingle, and Mrs. Geo. Carpy.

Mrs. J. C. Gulling entertained the Five Hundred club at her home on Washington Ave., Thursday evening. Mrs. W. H. Bohnenkamp won the honors at cards.

Miss Serena E. Rohan entertained the Omah girls Wednesday afternoon at the Chester Newlin home on Main Ave. Miss Rohan has been very popular throughout her high school course which she completed this spring, and her many friends sent with her their best wishes when she left last evening for her future home in the Middle west.

Mrs. Pearl Hutton-Shrader, of Spokane who will be a guest in this city during chautauqua week is one of America's most prominent sopranos. She has consented to sing for La Granders during her stay here and will be heard at the chautauqua programs. Mrs. Shrader is a soprano of remarkable ability and has been given flattering press notices by some of the biggest papers in the northwest. In an interview with Madame Gadski, the noted opera star, Mme. Gadski was enthusiastic over Mrs. Shrader's singing, thrilling at her thrills and

PERSONALS.

Attorney W. L. Patterson returned to his home in Baker this morning.

Attorney Jno. L. Rand of Baker left for home last evening after attending circuit court here in the interests of the E. O. Light & Power Co.

Serena Rohan left last evening for Omaha where she will make her future home with her sister, Mrs. Rohan has been a member of the La Grande high school for the past four years, having graduated this spring in the class of '13.

Aneta Worth returned last evening from Seattle where she has been attending the University of Washington during the past school year.

have been taking in the rose show in tors in La Grande for a few days. Mr. Perry is manager of the branch store of the Golden Rule company and while in the city is attending to matters relative to his business.

Wm. Adair and E. E. Lewis who Stackland Brothers, that strawberry Portland for the past week, returned home this morning.

F. S. Bramwell made a business trip to Pendleton this morning.

J. D. Casey the Meacham lumberman is in the city today.

C. S. Williams returned to his home in Imbler today.

L. H. Russell returned home from Portland on this morning's train.

There will be services in the Christian church on the new location Sunday.

runs and pronouncing her voice a magnificent colorature, adding:

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One of the principal society events of the week occurred on Wednesday evening, when Mesdames Richardson and Loughlin were hostesses at the former's residence to a shower given in honor of Miss Marion Cowell who departs this evening to make her home in the east. About 30 of Miss Cowell's friends enjoyed the delightful time in a pleasing and informal way. The color scheme which was carried out even in the refreshments, was yellow and white, giving a most artistic and charming setting to the entertainment of the evening. A beautiful gold and white basket draped with gold streamers hung in the center of the reception room from which the guest of honor was showered with

many delicate and valuable pieces of linen. Mrs. Richardson favored the guesses with a couple of solos making a pleasing ending for a very enjoyable time to all present. Miss Cowell, who has so efficiently supervised the La Grande public library for the past year, has made many close friends during her residence here, all of whom greatly regret her departure.

Ross G. Houghton of La Grande, to Miss Lucy Workman of Wallowa, Ore. Mr. Houghton is a prosperous young carpenter who has lately moved here from Wallowa. The bride is the daughter of Jacob L. Workman, a blacksmith of Wallowa. The happy young couple will make their future home in La Grande.

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