

Society

Rapid decline in affairs social is the rule and every week of late has seen one or more prominent social clubs sing down the curtains for the summer vacation. There are only two or three clubs in activity at the present time and some of them will probably "lay low" during the Summer season.

One of the biggest drawing cards in a social way that looms before society folks is the possibility of a big house warming at the park pavilion Saturday evening prior to the opening of chautauqua. As the campers in almost every case are aiming to be located by Saturday, it will be a great social feature for them to be able to attend the housewarming. The fire place will be fired up, the place flooded with light, and a reception and ball arranged. The entire proposition is being considered but the final word has not been said. It is to be held at all, one of the greatest social functions yet held in connection with park festivities as it will mark the close of years of hard effort. The pavilion floor will be used for dancing, and all those who have been advised of the probability of such an affair have exhibited great interest. The park board has the matter under consideration and will announce definitely in a day or two.

Members of the Kaffe Klatch enjoyed a very delightful occasion Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George T. Cochran and Mr. and Mrs. Franc Wilhelm as the host and hostess. The party was held at the Cochran home Washington and First, and was largely attended by the members. Portland roses, conspicuous in the rose show were used in beautiful decorations. The luncheon was up to the perfection of Kaffe Klatch refreshments, and the function was indeed pleasant in every way. Mrs. M. B. Donohue won honors for the ladies and William Miller was high score for gentlemen. The club will resume its pleasant activities with the beginning of fall.

The party was held on Thursday evening which date was the 12th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Cochran's wedding day. The centerpiece at the luncheon table was a huge basket of sweet peas, similar in every way to the decoration that prevailed at the wedding feast. A few special guests were in attendance, and the party was one of the foremost of importance in the week.

The Kaffe Klatch contemplates drawing its social season to a close soon.

On June tenth the marriage of Mr. Paul Pollman and Miss Mary Littig of Baker was consummated at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Littig in East Baker. Immediately the young couple left for an extended honeymoon during which they will visit the groom's mother in Kansas. The sterling worth of each of these contracting parties make their marriage a happy event not only to themselves but their numerous friends over Eastern Oregon. Mr. Pollman is one of Baker's prominent young business men and is associated with the Baker Loan and Trust company. The bride is a charming girl popular upon her own merit, and The Observer joins in wishing happiness which will surely follow the wedlock of two splendid people.

Don F. Myers, the Imbler miller, is to be married tomorrow, quietly, at

Imbler to Ester Keefe Wilson, daughter of Mrs. Parilla Keefer. Mr. and Mrs. Myers will leave Monday for Portland on a wedding journey and will be at home in Imbler after July first. The groom was for many years a resident of La Grande and Island City and his innumerable friends and the many friends of the bride in this city as well, will join in a shower of best wishes to the couple. The wedding is to be a very quiet affair with only intimate friends and relatives in attendance.

With a pleasant party at the Jay Van Buren residence with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Snodgrass as host and hostess, the Pinochle club held its last gathering for the spring Tuesday evening. It will not reconvene until the fall, having twice a month sessions during the winter and spring months. Honors at pinochle went to Mrs. A. W. Nelson.

La Grande friends of Miss Allie E. Stephens, formerly a resident of La Grande, have been advised of her marriage June 14th at Portland. She is now Mrs. Louis Henry Keating and will be at home after August first at 1010 Savor street, Portland. Miss Stephens was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stephens, formerly of La Grande, where Mr. Stephens was a railroad engineer for many years.

The Loyal Sisters of the Christian church met with Mrs. T. E. French, 1805 Third street, Wednesday afternoon, June 18th. About 20 ladies were present, although the weather was threatening. They enjoyed the afternoon and at the social hour, lovely refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. M. F. Davis returned home Monday after a stay of several months at Washington, Boston and other Eastern cities. Mrs. Davis was a representative to the Woman's National Congress and had some further work for the National W. R. C.—Union Scout.

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After a residence of more than two years in La Grande during which time he has become thoroughly acquainted with the people of the city and valley, K. Dyal announced today that on July 1st he would open a furniture store in the building formerly occupied by the Fam-Us King cigar factory at No. 106 Fir street.

Mr. Dyal will deal in new and secondhand furniture and will sell on easy payments. While most of his stock will be new goods he will also handle some secondhand goods. He will buy and sell locally and do a general furniture business.

The firm will be known as "Dyal's" and he expects to add to his opening stock as the business grows to demand it.

"Some Strawberries" Is Verdict.

George McDew, who owns a tract on the Cove road a short distance from Union, this week left at the Republican office two sample boxes of Dunlap strawberries that are the largest we have seen, the berries measuring from four to four and a half inches around. Mr. McDew has plenty of this kind, and inclines to the belief that this is the greatest strawberry country on earth.—Union Republican.

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Miss Charlotte Jones and Mr. Gilbert Hunter entertained the Junior Five Hundred club Friday evening at the Hunter home at Island City.

The guests went in automobiles and were delightfully entertained by the young host and hostess. The favors were won by the Misses Vera Joel and Nita Hunter. Delicious refreshments were served, the tables being decorated with beautiful June roses. The members of the club present were Misses Vera Joel, Nellie and Grace Pickens and Charlotta Jones; Messrs. Lynne Bohnenkamp, Myrton Westening and Gilbert Hunter. Visitors: Misses Naomi Kirkley, Nita Hunter; Messrs. Ellis Williamson, Hugh Kiddle and James Irwin.

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NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received up to 7:30 o'clock p. m. of July 15, 1913, by the District School Board of School District No. One, (La Grande) Union County, Oregon, for furnishing said district with:

- 63 No. 6 single school desks.
- 63 No. 5 single school desks.
- 126 No. 4 single school desks.
- 84 No. 3 single school desks.
- 9 No. 6 single rears.
- 9 No. 5 single rears.
- 18 No. 4 single rears.
- 12 No. 3 single rears.
- 8 Teachers' desks.

All of said furniture to be delivered F. O. B. car La Grande, Oregon on or before August 25, 1913. Bids to be left with school clerk. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to change above numbers.

By order of District School Board.
ARTHUR C. WILLIAMS,
6-21 to 7-3 School Clerk

Supt. Smith Resigns.
A. G. Smith, who served as superintendent of Elgin's schools during the past year and who was re-elected for

DEERING FATE GLOOMY.

Evidence to Indicate He Killed His Uncle is Being Found.

Lewiston, Ida., June 21.—Strong evidence connecting James Deering with the killing of his uncle, George Deering, is indicated by activity of Sheriff Elmers. He is still in jail at Grangeville, where he was taken after discovery of the body of his uncle at a ranch. Estrangement between the two led officers to make the arrest.

GENERAL STOESSEL ILL.

Health and Wealth Gone and Now His Speech Has Left Him Invalid.

Moscow, June 21.—Physically and financially wrecked, General Stoessel defender of Port Arthur, is reported on the verge of death. For some time he was partly paralyzed and lately lost power of speech. His country estate and man soivanoisdshrdtaoinn estate and mansion was sold to pay debts and he is now sheltered by an officer who served as his adjutant in the Russo-Japanese war.

BULGARIANS SHOW FIGHT.

Have Vast Armies Massed on Frontiers to Attack Greeks.

Vienna, June 21.—A dispatch from Athens says Bulgaria has 200,000 troops massed for Servians on the frontier and another force of 70,000 at Macedonia prepared to attack the Greeks. Despite Russia's attempt to secure peace, Bulgaria demands territorial boundaries be considered intolerable by Greece and Servia.

FRENCH CONVINCED NATIVES

French Flags Fly Over Wellis Islands in North-Tonga Group

Melbourne, June 21.—A French flag waves over Wellis islands in the North Tonga group, according to dispatches here. It says French agents induced the native chiefs to petition France for straight annexation instead of the protectorate previously existing.

DANCELAND CHANGES HANDS

C. P. Ferrin Buys the Amusement Place Today.

C. P. Ferrin has taken over the Danceland Amusement Pavilion and will run it in the future. The building is undergoing some important improvements and when finished it will be a very modern structure. The regular Thursday and Saturday night dances will be continued, along with special events which will be announced as they are slated. Mr. Ferrin is very well liked through the community and will doubtless make a splendid success of this enterprise.

Drugs that you know are right

Every item that leaves our store is guaranteed. This guarantee is as broad as a customer may wish to interpret it. On our part it means that we insure absolute satisfaction.

If a customer is not satisfied in every particular we want to know it, because he is entitled to entire satisfaction.

We are ready to take back goods, refund money or do anything else necessary to show that our guarantee is a valid one and that it represents a straightforward policy that we enforce in every department of our business.

SOUND IS PROSPEROUS.

Local Banker Finds Optimism Prevalent Throughout Northwest.

After a pleasure-business trip all through the Willamette valley and to Seattle, F. L. Meyers, cashier of the La Grande National is home confi-

\$15.00 GIVEN IN CASH PRIZES

EVERY BUSINESS HAS A SERVICE TO PERFORM AND THEIR SUCCESS DEPENDS ON THE VALUE OF SAID SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY.

WHEN WE TAKE A SUIT OF CLOTHES OR OTHER GARMENTS (THAT IN SOME CASES COULD NOT BE USED) AND BY CLEANING, REPAIRING AND PRESSING THE GARMENT IS MADE AS GOOD AS NEW, SO YOU SEE WE SAVE THE PARTY SOME HARD EARNED DOLLARS.

EACH WEEK WE WILL GIVE AN ACCOUNT OF THE AMOUNT OF WORK DONE SO THE CONTESTANTS WILL HAVE A BASIS TO WORK ON

First Prize of \$10.00 Cash
Second Prize of \$5.00 Cash
Awarded September 1st, 1913

THREE LADIES WILL JUDGE AND AWARD THE PRIZES ON THE FOLLOWING MERITS: FIRST THE PRESENT AND FUTURE POSSIBILITIES OF THE BUSINESS.

SECONDLY: THE APPRECIATIVENESS BY PEOPLE HAVING WORK DONE.

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Tailoring, Hat Blocking, Cleaning, Pressing

den that confidence in business is the prevalent note throughout the Northwest. Seattle is building up, and the business interests have deep-rooted confidence in the future with the result that business is thriving and brisk over the whole area.

Mr. Meyers was gone about two weeks.

Big Alliance Talked.

Cleveland, June 21.—Thousands of Germans of Cleveland tomorrow will participate in one of the greatest celebrations the German-American Alliance has ever held in this city. The

occasion will be the one hundredth anniversary of the war of liberation of 1813 against Napoleon the Great as well as the one hundredth anniversary of the great musician and composer Richard Wagner. One of the features of the celebration will be the great chorus program. One cast chorus of all the German societies in Cleveland will sing German and American national songs on a platform at the base of the oGethe-Schiller monument in Wade park. Many prominent Germans from surrounding cities are expected to attend.

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