

Society

As the happy culmination of a short romance, came the wedding of Miss Pauline Dell Newton and Chauncey Earl Bunting, junior member of the architect firm of Bloch & Bunting of this city, last Wednesday evening at the Methodist church. A group of guests of a hundred or more warm friends of the bride and groom who are both popular young people of the city, witnessed the ceremony. The church presented a pretty appearance, with a color note of white and green prevailing and great bouquets of white Shasta daisies and white roses banking the back of the altar at which the nuptials were said. The ushers were May Neill and Helen Currey. At a few minutes to 8 o'clock in the evening Miss Olive Massee sang "Because" and just at eight Roy Tibbles, a music teacher of Baker, who taught the bride her extensive knowledge of music played the wedding march. Miss Alaidene Scroggin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Scroggin, was the flower girl, and lead the bride and her bridesmaid up the aisle to the altar stringing roses from the door to the altar, where the bridal procession was met by Rev. E. B. Fyke, D. D., pastor of the Methodist church, and where he pronounced the simple ring ceremony of the Methodist creed. The bride was attended by Miss Hazel Thiesen and the groom by Chas. Reynolds.

The bride wore a gown of Cream Charmeuse built upon the new drapery lines and trimmed in satin and lace, and carried a shower of roses. Miss Thiesen's gown was of pale yellow chiffon over satin and she wore a large picture hat and carried a shower bouquet of white sweet peas.

After the ceremony the guests repaired to the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mattie Newton, on Washington avenue and there an informal reception was tendered the guests.

At the reception Mrs. H. M. Bay and Mrs. Roy Tibbles, of Baker, served the ices while Miss Helen Currey, Miss May Neill and Miss Olive Massee served punch. During the informal evening a number of friends of the bride and groom dropped in to wish them a happy future. At a late hour a crowd of friends accompanied the happy couple to the train and sent them on their journey with well wishes for a happy future. They will return tomorrow to make their future home in this city.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ellis, 803 Jefferson street, was the scene of a very pretty wedding last Tuesday morning, July 15th, at eleven o'clock, when their sister, Miss Gertrude Ponting was married to Judge Colney Jean Tidball, both of Laramie, Wyoming. Mr. Tidball is judge of the second judicial court of Albany county, Wyoming, while Miss Ponting was connected with the University of Wyoming.

They are spending their honeymoon in Oregon and will return to Rawlins, Wyoming by August 1st, where Judge Tidball will hold court. After court has convened they will return to Laramie where the groom has built a beautiful new bungalow for his bride. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis was decorated in pink and white, the color scheme being carried throughout. The living room was a mass of Burbank daisies, roses and ferns. The dining room was done in pink roses and ferns.

To the strains of Lohengren's wedding march, played by Miss Runa Bacon, the bride entered leaning on the arm of her brother, Dr. C. H. Ponting, followed by the groom and best man. They stood beneath an archway

of bridal wreath and banks of ferns and Burbank daisies, furnished the background. The bride wore a gown of Brussels net with real Bebe Irish trimming over white satin. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. Guy Ellis, of this city acted as best man and little Marguerite Ellis and Gladys Tanner, gowned in pink and white, acted as little flower girls.

The Rev. Upton H. Gibbs, of the Episcopal church performed the ceremony which was followed by a delicious six course luncheon for the bridal party and guests. Among the out-of-town guests were Dr. C. H. Ponting and George Ponting, both of Washington, and Miss Bessie Pardo, of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

La Grande has never seen a dancing party so unique and so universally popular, if the 240 people in attendance are to be taken as authority, as the dance given by the ladies of the old park commission at Riverside pavilion Thursday evening. Nature was kind, very kind, in fact, and had the hostesses waited for 10 years they could not have found a more propitious occasion from a climate viewpoint. A balmy moon beamed down on 120 couples who danced and visited and ate ice cream and drank lemonade with informality and great delight. The floor was exceptionally smooth—some worried at the possibility of dancing on a cement floor, but the preparations had been complete and careful. Few board floors could be better. Cool evening breezes sang through the tree-tops and fanned the dancers with river cold ozone as they swept through the open pavilion. The pavilion is to have another dance in it soon for those who went Thursday night, are desirous of having another opportunity to go for no summer dancing party could be staged in a cooler, more delightful setting than was that last Thursday evening.

Convinced that social functions can be very successfully staged at the pavilion at Riverside park, the directors of the Grande Ronde chautauqua are thinking of holding the annual meeting of the membership ticket holders at the park. This is one plan advanced, and another is to hold the meeting in town and definite selection will be made soon. On such a night as Thursday when the first big dancing party was held at the park, no more pleasant gathering ground could be imagined or a more delightful walk undertaken than to go to the park and back in an evening. If the meeting is held at the park a marshmallow roast at the fire place will be one of the features of entertainment.

A reception was held Tuesday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram F. Rock, who were married on July 15th, at the residence of C. J. Black. The following guests were present: The Messrs and Mesdames John Bennet, James Brown, Willard Moss, Louis Perry, Bernard Snow, Guy Lyons, Joseph Leak, Sidney Stearns, Mrs. Rose Williams, Mrs. Pearl Cooper, and the Misses Alice Snow, Sadie Snow, Sallie Lamb, Delbert, Delia and Amisy Strong, Lula and Blanche Clegg; the Messrs. Ben Eberhart, Fred Wyman, Jay Conley, S. W. Andrews and Jas. Wade. Many valuable presents were received by the bride and groom. At a late hour refreshments were served the assembled guests.

Monday afternoon of this week Miss Helen Currey entertained a number of young ladies in honor of her cousins the Misses Carrol and Gladys Currey, who left for California this week. The assembly of misses were entertained during the afternoon at sewing on the spacious porch of the Currey home on Fourth and Main, decorated for the occasion in green and white. Cooling refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Miss Alice Hill and Miss Inez Knowles. Besides the guests of honor and the hostess there were present: Helen and Lucile Pierce, Wilma Osterling, Helen McDonald, Bessie Allison, Lenora Hughey, Marjorie Snook,

Collier, Gladys Miller, Alice Hill and Inez Knowles.

An unique and informal dancing party was given by Miss Grace Pickens at the park on Wednesday evening of this week. The guests danced until tired then outdoor games were played and finally a "weinnie roast" was indulged in. Miss Pickens' guests were: the Misses Alice Hill, Charlotte Jones, Bessie and Genevieve Stoddard, Nita Hunter, Ethel Wright, Vera Joel and Nellie Pickens. The Messrs. Lyle Kiddle, Gilbert Hunter, Milton Stoddard, Harley Richardson, Lynn Bonenkamp, Lee Reynolds and Bert Pickens.

Miss Nita Hunter gave a 1 o'clock luncheon, in honor of Miss Elsa Clark of Chicago, who has been visiting relatives here, at the Albert Hunter home in Island City Tuesday afternoon, of this week. A number of young ladies went from this city in cars. Beside the guest of honor, Miss Clark, there were present Miss Inez Knowles, Miss Helen Currey, Miss Alice Hill, Miss Lillian McDonald and her guest, Miss McLeod; Miss Blanche Clark, Miss Nora Arbuckle, Miss Netta Kiddle, Miss Letta Kiddle, Miss Ethel Wright, Miss Mary Murdock.

This evening at Honan hall the E. B. D. boys, a club of popular young men will give their 15th dancing party. Throughout two seasons the boys have given successful dances and the organization has proven a most popular one. This evening a large number of young people will attend, it being the first one given since the college students arrived home, and a general reunion of old time school mates will be one of the pleasures of the evening.

Mrs. Chas. Disqua entertained the Happy Hour club yesterday afternoon at a very delightful afternoon social function, at her home, 1606 1-2 Adams. The guests were served cooling refreshments, and sewing and informal entertainment occupied their attention. This club believes that the height of the summer is as good and suitable a period for social affairs as any other season and many very enjoyable parties have been staged by the members of the Happy Hour club, the guests were:

Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Close, Mrs. Bonnell, Mrs. C. G. Green, Mrs. Blood, Mrs. Happerset, Mrs. Heisner, Mrs. Williams, Mr. J. E. Clark, Miss Jessie Green, Miss Lena McReynolds, Miss Elizabeth Bonnell.

A party of popular young ladies of La Grande left for Cove yesterday to be employed at the Stackland ranch during cherry fair season. The ladies were taken over by Chris Stackland and will enjoy a camping outing while there. They were Miss Hattie McMurray, Miss Faye Milligan, Miss Mata Groupe, Miss Ina Winn and the Misses Fee, Mrs. Blanch Kelly, who is visiting with friends in South La Grande accompanied the party as the chaperone, and will remain until after the cherry fair when she will return to her home in Union.

A large number of local and visiting Elks enjoyed a crawfish feed at the club room on Thursday night. This was another of the charming parties given at the club rooms by the Elks, which have proven so popular on the social side of the lodge. All those present enjoyed the "little red bugs" to the fullest extent of their capacity.

Logan Marlin of this city, and Miss Mabel Galloway of Union, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents in Union last Thursday evening. They will make their home in La Grande, Mr. Marlin being in the employ of the O. W. R. & N. at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kinne entertained a number of their young friends at their home in South La Grande on Thursday of this week. A very pleasant evening was spent by those in attendance as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kinne. At a late hour refreshments were served by the hostess and the guests left for their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Conkey, and Mrs. Grace Molitor entertained the evening session of the Kaffee Klatch

Chester P. Newlin won the ladies' honors and Franc Wilhelm the gentlemen's.

Mrs. M. E. Donahue entertained the Five Hundred club at Auction bridge on Thursday afternoon and honors at cards went to Mrs. Jay Van Buren.

The meeting of the evening section of the Kaffee Klatch last evening at the Conkey home was the last to be held this season. During the warm summer months this club disbands and does not begin meeting again until early in the fall.

WEED REPRIEVE ENDS.

City and County Property Owners Are Generally Responding.

By Monday morning the peace pact between Street Superintendent Stacey and delinquent owners of weedy plots in the city will come to an abrupt end, and unless weeds are mowed down before Monday morning several arrests are said to be certain. On the whole, the citizens have responded to the orders to clean noxious weeds away with excellent results but some are said to be delinquent still. Then days reprieve was granted and that period ends Monday morning.

In the county the war on weeds has been very successful and a spirit of co-operation between farmers and officials seems to exist, in fact the farmers realize full well that it is to their own interest to do so. Road Supervisor Campbell reports that in his district the response from farmers is exceptionally good.

Big Circus Coming.

Rice Bros. colossal shows, menagerie and hippodrome will be in La Grande this season.

This is the show that is conquering new fields and making new friends. The management has been selected with such care and utter disregard to expense that it ranks as the Menagerie "DeLux". This is the show of features. No act finds a place in the performance until it has demonstrated

NUMBER 43 WINS.

Special Accountant Finds Winner of Weekly Contest Is 43.

The standing of contestants in the auto contest today, is:

1	750,660
2	8,979,888
3	278,249
4	44,698,562
5	244,010
6	2,110,050
7	235,005
8	237,525
9	291,225
10	347,750
11	235,525
12	4,749,445
13	1,983,625
14	5,393,230
15	1,662,625
16	3,876,885
17	243,525
18	246,250
19	255,330
20	1,877,000
21	2,164,085
22	242,525
23	245,350
24	289,575
25	2,112,585
26	244,250
27	237,750
28	235,275
29	1,209,722
30	248,250
31	243,765
32	241,310
33	262,215
34	235,150
35	238,575
36	235,175
37	237,000
38	235,035
39	529,350
40	235,100
41	237,265
42	235,430
43	51,332,632
44	235,100
45	237,000
46	235,125
47	235,150
48	235,050
49	242,200
50	236,470
51	377,615
52	235,910
53	236,350
54	280,500
55	235,525
56	236,025
57	236,825
58	240,000
59	237,550
60	3,303,985
61	235,875
62	243,750
63	235,125
64	236,750
65	235,625
66	235,975
67	625,205
68	375,400
69	258,060
70	235,000
71	2,383,090
72	303,010
73	281,025

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MOOSE TO BAKER.

Branchline Club Will Not Go to Enterprise as Scheduled to

The Moose ball players will go to Baker tomorrow where they meet a semi pro team. The Moose were scheduled to visit Enterprise the second successive time, but for various reasons the opportunity to go to Baker at less expense, was accepted. Wallowa and Elgin play tomorrow again.

JEFFERSON PROJECT STARTS.

Sewer Laid Today and Pavers to Start Work Immediately.

Street improvement activity has shifted to Jefferson avenue today and behind a crew of men laying sewer, today started the preliminary work of paving that thoroughfare. The city engineering department has placed grade stakes for curbs and street excavation today and the Warren people will be on the job in full force by the opening of next week.

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