

Society

Many a good housewife has this week been forced to sidetrack routine habits to keep the pace of society functions. Unusually many pleasant little parties, and some big ones, have occupied the attention of those who go places. And furthermore, the coming week gives signs of being fully as crammed with social affairs that prove pleasant and worthwhile recreation, as last week.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Herman Siegrist entertained in compliment to Mrs. Lloyd Scriber who leaves tonight or tomorrow for Portland to live. The afternoon affair was attended by over a dozen warm friends of Mrs. Scriber, and sewing and other forms of art were followed out during the afternoon topped off with refreshments. Those who Mrs. Siegrist entertained for Mrs. Scriber included: Miss Marie Penington, Mrs. W. R. Rinehart, Miss Irene Murphy, Mrs. Frank Bay, Mrs. H. M. Bay, Mrs. A. W. Nelson, Mrs. J. G. Snodgrass, Mrs. A. C. Bacon, Mrs. Ivy Long Culp of Portland, Mrs. Richard Duigan, Mrs. Ruth Jackson and Mrs. Norman Desilet.

Miss Edna Wissler of Pendleton was given delightful social consideration Wednesday when Miss Irene Murphy entertained for her at the Murphy home. Miss Wissler, who formerly lived in La Grande and has a large circle of friends here still, has returned to her home after being a guest for several days with Miss Murphy and other friends. After an afternoon of informal pleasantries and needlecraft, the guests were served refreshments. Those present besides Miss Wissler were: Miss Iva Head, Miss Marie Penington, Mrs. Myrton Kiddle

It is a pleasure to announce that Miss Maud Goodwin of Oakland, Cal. has consented to give a concert for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. the entire proceeds to go to that worthy object. This will give those who have not heard Miss Goodwin sing an opportunity to do so and those who have had the pleasure will enjoy even

more, hearing her again. The concert will be given next Tuesday evening January 26, in the Methodist church.

Prof. G. H. Armstrong will give a selection on the pipe organ and Prof. David Haines will accompany Miss Goodwin on the violin in two of her songs.

Following is the program:

Will niemand singen Dvorak
 Si mes vers aient des ailes Hindach
 Le Nil (with violin) Hahn
 Aria from the Huguenots Leroux
 Serenade Meyerbeer
 Mr. G. H. Armstrong
 The Green is on the Grass Again Willby
 I Am Thy Harp Woodman
 Thy Beaming Eyes MacDowell
 A Plaint Brown
 The Conspirators Engel
 Since You Went Away (By request) Johnson
 Roses in June (with violin) German

of Island City, Mrs. Frank Bay, Mrs. Lloyd Scriber, Mrs. Herman Siegrist, Mrs. A. W. Nelson, Mrs. H. M. Bay, Mrs. George Huntington Currey, Mrs. Richard Duigan, Mrs. W. R. Rinehart and Mrs. Ivy Long Culp of Portland and Mrs. Norman Desilet.

All the people that Zuber hall could hold comfortably were out last evening to attend the "Dutch Treat" social arranged by the ladies of the Catholic church. Five Hundred was played during the larger portion of the evening, and as a final chapter an hour was set aside for dancing. The ladies served sandwiches, coffee and cake, and while refreshments were being served music was supplied. The evening was entirely informal, but of extreme pleasure to all concerned. While cards held the boards, the affair could readily be classed as the biggest card party of the year, barring perhaps the recent Five Hundred party given by these same ladies in Elks auditorium. Honors at five hundred were awarded to six people, these being as follows: Ladies—Mrs. Gene Moore Ivanhoe, first; Mrs. Safford, second; and Mrs. Amon, third. Gentlemen—Mr. Froman, first; Mr. Shepperd, second; and Mr. Braze, third.

The "Dutch Treat" was a fine treat, and reflects credit upon those who so successfully managed it. Patronage was indeed flattering, too.

The program at the Neighborhood club last Tuesday afternoon was more like entertainment than a serious study hour. The business was rapidly dispatched and the program for the afternoon taken up. The first number was a vocal solo by Mrs. T. J. Scrogins, always a La Grande favorite. She sang the exquisite shepherd song (by Hayden) "My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair," and for an encore gave Kate Vannah's "Lullaby." Both these numbers were beautifully rendered and with great delicacy of expression. Mrs. Geo. S. Birnie ably accompanied her.

The paper on China read by Mrs. A. E. Ivanhoe in her pleasing manner was written for the occasion by her son Forrest who is chief yeoman to the admiral of the Asiatic fleet and is now in China. It was a bright, breezy account of his impressions and experiences in that old new country,

given in his own original style which was refreshing to all who heard it. The reading of the paper was interspersed with groups of songs by Miss Maud Goodwin of Oakland, California, who is a guest of Mrs. Ivanhoe. This came as a delightful surprise to those present for it was not known that Miss Goodwin would present such a splendid and varied program.

Her first group was "Lift up Thine Eyes" by Logan, and "Tale of the Vienna Woods" by Strauss, sung in Italian. For an encore she sang "Daddy's Sweetheart" by Lisa Heilmann. Her second group was "A Plaint" by Brown and "Down in the Forest" by Ronald. Her last song was "Since You Went Away" by Johnson. Miss Goodwin's voice is a brilliant soprano of strong, clear quality and she sings with a vigor and perfect control. She has won many friends in La Grande during the short time she has been here, quite as much by her simple unaffected graciousness and charm as by her beautiful singing. Mrs. W. W. Berry was a skilful and sympathetic accompanist.

Music lovers will greet with pleasure the announcement that the Hollowell Concert Co. is to return to La Grande. Several years ago this company gave a concert in La Grande, remembered long after their departure, and the Elks' lodge has closed a contract with the company to return for an engagement on the night of February 5th. The contract calls for an unusually heavy guarantee—the company is worth it—and because of this the members are going to exert themselves to get out a good crowd. The concert will be given in the lodge auditorium and the public is to get the benefit of the company's coming. A dancing party, with the same troupe supplying the music, will follow the concert and to this, too, the public is to be invited. The concert proper is to be two hours long.

An appeal was made to the Neighborhood club by the Y. M. C. A. management to raise the funds necessary to complete the furnishing of the kitchen in the new building and ways and means were discussed at the last meeting. It was finally voted to tax every member fifty cents instead of going through with the hard work of

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Monday afternoon and Tuesday night Mrs. H. C. Grady of Portland, who has been a guest for a few days with old-time neighbors was the guest of honor at two delightful functions given in her honor. Monday afternoon Mrs. P. A. McDonald entertained at cards for her, and Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Bohnenkamp entertained at a house dancing party for Mrs. Grady.

Monday afternoon guests for five tables played five hundred. Mrs. Grady was presented with a handsome guest prize and Mrs. J. F. Ravenscroft won the high score. Those present included; Mesdames H. C. Grady, of Portland; W. H. Bohnenkamp, E. Polak, W. R. Jones, J. C. Gulling, F. L. Meyers, Robert Pattison, M. B. Donohue, J. F. Ravenscroft, P. A. Robinson, Frank W. Pattison, Chas. Dunn, J. E. Reynolds, L. F. Dunn, Parsons, L. M. Hoyt, L. Given, C. T. Bacon, Vincent Palmer and C. H. Finn.

Tuesday evening about 15 couples were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bohnenkamp in Mrs. Grady's honor. Dancing was indulged in, in the Bohnenkamp gymnasium.

Firemen, that is, members of the volunteer fire department, acted the host stunt Monday evening at Rex hall to a queen's taste. The attendance was flattering and the enjoyment of the evening first class. The firemen realized a tidy sum on the venture which will be put in the coffers of the institution to further the interest of La Grande fire foes. A first-class time was reported by everyone present. Many who could not attend, or don't dance, purchased tickets anyway to help matters along.

Mrs. J. G. Holm, 603 M avenue entertained Friday afternoon with a progressive tea. Those who participated in the very novel affair, were: Mesdames Emahiser, Alquist, Tuckey, Vinacke, Lumper, F. C. Smith, Winters, Kenzie, Trill, Patton, Payton, Turner, Boylin, Harvy, Mason, Herron, Carr, Perry, Wright, Fred Smith and Thornton. Suitable games were played during the afternoon.

The Aid society of the Presbyterian church gave a silver tea at the Manse Wednesday afternoon. Almost 50 ladies were present, to enjoy the sociability thus afforded. Mrs. J. D. Lynch poured coffee and Mrs. C. H. Upton served ices. Miss Anson and Miss Short helped in the dining room. Mrs. A. L. Richardson sang a group of songs which added to the enjoyment of the afternoon.

Mrs. George Baker of South La Grande entertained the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Presbyterian church Friday afternoon. The cold weather did not seem to affect the attendance as there was a goodly number present to listen to the interesting program that had been prepared. Mrs. Baker served dainty refreshments after the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Siegrist gave their splendid new home an introduction to society Tuesday evening in entertaining the Pinochle club and a few special guests. Honors at cards went to Mrs. H. M. Bay among the club members and to Miss Marie Penington among the guests.

Invitations are out for a dancing party to be given by Misses Sarah Smith, Gladys Oesterling and Hallie Adler at Honan hall Monday night.

Friday evening Proprietor Robertson, manager of Rex hall gave an invitation dancing party at his emp-

rium. Good music, a good audience and pleasant evening were the characteristics of the occasion. Many responded to the invitation.

Mrs. J. P. Graham, a prominent musical leader of the city returned last evening from Portland and McMinville, where she has been since the holidays. At Portland she stud-

ed voice under Emogene Brodie.

The afternoon division of the Kaffe Klatch met yesterday with Mrs. P. S. Robinson. The evening section meets next week with Mr. and Mrs. George Cochran and Mr. and Mrs. Franc Wilhelm as host and hostess.

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