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Society News

NEW STAR POPULAR.

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popular and so clever that the current number of Photo Play gives her picture and considerable space to exploitation of her talents.

The concert given in the L. D. S. tabernacle Tuesday evening will remain in the public mind a theme of importance for some time to come. Primarily because the musical numbers were of exquisite merit.

Mrs. A. L. Richardson well deserves the flattering criticisms accorded her in Portland and elsewhere and under conditions in which per-

sonal sentiment played no part. She has frequently appeared before La Grande audiences, but on no previous occasion did she so completely meet the expectations of her most enthusiastic friends.

Miss Harriet E. Young, the pianist, is a La Grande reared young lady and has frequently appeared in super-extra entertainments in the past. She had already acquired a reputation before taking a three years' course in the world's musical center, Berlin, all of which time was studiously applied in the mastery of interpretation and execution with the most satisfactory results.

Miss Mercedes Horan is one of the younger vocalists who is rapidly com-

ing to the fore in musical entertainment. Her selections Tuesday evening seemed to have been of that class of composition especially adapted to her vocal range. Her singing is of the kind that will always command appreciative attention.

La Grande has never heard any rendition of music from the queen of instruments, the violin, superior to that furnished by Mrs. Cornelia Barker-Carse. Her reputation as an artist of rare ability has long since been fully established.

A full measure of credit for the success of the concert is also due Mrs. W. W. Berry, accompanist, by reason of the rhythmic accuracy and precision of modulation which was an indispensable aid in rounding out the various numbers.

The surest rule by which to judge the quality of the music of Tuesday evening is the fact that the very large audience was pleased and it was no mock appreciation which impelled re-call after re-call with no particular discrimination as to any one of the four principal performers. There was a manifest feeling that it ended all too soon. Floral tokens of appreciation were in abundance and practically all of La Grande's musical devotees were present.

- The program was:
- (a) 6 Preludes Chopin
 - (b) Scherzo in C Sharp Minor Chopin
 - Miss Harriet E. Young
 - Chanson Provencale E. Dell'
 - Beriot
 - Mrs. A. L. Richardson
 - Andante 2nd Concerto, Ch. De Acqua
 - Mrs. Cornelia Barker-Carse
 - (a) The Lord is My Light Alltsea
 - (b) Préludes Stern
 - Miss Mercedes Horan
 - Lullaby from "Jocelyn," Godard Godard
 - Mrs. A. L. Richardson
 - (Violin Obligato by Mrs. Carse)
 - Scherzo E Flat Minor, Brahms Brahms
 - Miss Harriet E. Young
 - Italian Street Song, from "Naughty Marietta," Victor Herbert
 - Miss Mercedes Horan
 - (a) Meditation, "Thais" Massenet
 - (b) Kulawiak Wieniawski
 - Mrs. Cornelia Barker-Carse
 - Aria from "Mignon" Thomas
 - Mrs. A. L. Richardson
 - Mrs. W. W. Berry, Accompanist

Attention is called by officials to the meeting of the Neighborhood club Tuesday, Dec. 14, at the Club room. The program is: "The Hebrew, a Man Without a Country," Mrs. Vincent Palmer. "The Hebrew in Literature," Mrs. William Miller.

Stories—(a) "The Red Cross Nurse," Mrs. E. E. Bragg. (b) "Daniel Melsa," Mrs. H. R. Hanna. "Rubenstein, the Jewish Composer," Mrs. J. D. Smith.

Vocal Solo—"Voices of the Woods," Miss Ruth Gaskill.

"Tribes of the wandering foot and weary breast
How shall ye flee away and be at rest?
The wild duck hath her nest, the fox his cave
Mankind their country, Israel but the grave."
—Bryan

One of the most successful of the more important social affairs of the season was that at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Mount last evening, when Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Mount and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brooks entertained a large number of friends.

Auction Bridge was the game of the evening and prizes for the highest scores were won by Mrs. J. F. Ernst and Frank B. Mitchell. The Mount home presented a beautiful appearance, being adorned in red and green. Evergreens, poinsettias and cut flowers, used in profusion, created a charming effect. The same color scheme was carried out in the table decorations, and subdued lights with green and red shades completed the decorative scheme. An elaborate luncheon was served, the favors conforming to the general color effect of the decorations of the rooms and tables. Out of town guests were Mrs. Noy Cooper and Mrs. C. R. Webb, of Portland, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Bouvey and Mrs. Dwight Jessee of La Grande.

In the afternoon at the Mount residence, Mrs. Mount and Mrs. Brooks entertained a large company of lady friends, bridge being the diversion, and the honors of the afternoon falling to Mrs. J. A. Hoskins and Mrs. F. S. Baillie. A dainty luncheon was served.—Baker Democrat.

SHOWERS AND WEDDINGS

At the home of Mrs. L. M. Hoyt, 604 Main street Wednesday evening a linen shower was tendered Miss Lucile Switzer, whose engagement to Attorney H. E. Dixon was recently announced, and who is to be one of the city's Christmas brides.

The invited guests were: Misses Ruth Ghormley, Caroline White, Hallie Adler, Cecile Hindman, Fannie Schlapp, Lou Jones, Verna Gilmore, Evalyn Fauss, Janet Jones, Helen McHugh, Jennett Spencer, Cora Boggs, Margaret Mitchell, Gladys Oesterling, and Sarah Smith.

Mrs. Lillie Hall and Sam Parker, both residents of La Grande were united in wedlock Saturday, December 4th, at the home of Mrs. Nora Barbour. Justice of the Peace A. C. Williams officiated. Those present included Miss Ethel Barbour, Mrs. Nora Barbour, Edward Herr and Ben Carney. Miss Barbour served an elaborate wedding dinner to the bride and groom at the conclusion of the functions.

Announcements have been received in La Grande of the marriage of Mr. John Saunders McClure and Mrs. Winifred Mae Sargent on Saturday December 4th at Denver, Colorado.

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the afternoon division of the Kaffee Klatch next Friday.

Mrs. E. T. Andrews was a gracious hostess Thursday to the Lucky Thirteen club. After cards were played, refreshments of a delicious sort were served. Mrs. F. L. Meyers scored the highest at cards. There will be no further sessions of this club until after the Christmas holidays.

The Wednesday Bridge club, afternoon section, met this week with Mrs. T. J. Scroggin. At bridge Mrs. Jay Van Buren scored high and won the prize. Refreshments were served and a generally pleasant afternoon was enjoyed.

Robert (Bobby) Pattison entertained a few friends Wednesday evening at Five Hundred. High scores went to Charlotte Jones and Homer Leffel.

Mrs. Dan Tanner was hostess to the F. A. F. club and a few special guests at her home on Second street, Friday afternoon. Mrs. W. Spencer scored highest and received first prize. Mrs. R. L. Poarch second. A two-course luncheon was served by the hostess assisted by four little maids.

Don't forget the big turkey dinner and bazaar given by the ladies of the Christian church Friday, Dec. 17, at the Y. Dinner 5:30 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. Bazaar all day.—Adv. 12-11-3t

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Mrs. Margaret Anson will entertain

the Pinochle club at its twice-a-month session this week. Honors at cards were won by Mrs. Herman Seigrist and Mrs. A. W. Nelson, high and low respectively. Mrs. Chambers of Portland, a house guest with Mrs. Loyd Scriber, was among the guests present. Elaborate refreshments were served by the hostess.

Last Monday evening a number of U and I members danced at Rex hall, as the third party of the series being given by that club. Although sickness and conflicting affairs kept many away, those who went had a very pleasant evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dunn will entertain the Sans Souci club the coming week. This institution did not convene the present week, due to the big rush of other attractions.

Mrs. George T. Cochran entertained the Thursday Auction club this week and at cards. Mrs. William Allinson scored highest, winning the prize that went with it.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Oliver and Miss Margaret Anson were charming hosts last evening to the Kaffee Klatch at the Oliver home. Flowers were used for decorations, in an artistic way. At cards, Miss Jones won first honors among ladies, and M. B. Donohue took the men's high score prize. Consolation went to Mrs. Adolph Newlin.