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Society News

Mrs. James E. Hough, Thursday afternoon charmingly entertained for her niece, Miss Anetta Hough and also Miss Ellen Miller, both of Sumpter, who have been visiting here for some time. After a very pleasant afternoon spent on the lawn, all assembled to the dining room where refreshments were served. Those present were Anetta Hough, Ellen Miller, Gladys Currey, Ruth Jones, Hazel Mohr, Jennie Anderson, of Minnesota, Marjorie Wolgamood, Roma Jacobson, Irene O'Connell, Clara Herrman, Marjorie and Helen Sims, and Lillian Evans. Birdie Widman of Baker and Lucile Wolgamood assisted in the serving.

An exhaustive string of committees covering much of Modern Woodman life in Union county has been appointed to look after the many phases of the big Union county Modern Woodman picnic to be held at Riverside park Labor day. The program begins at 10 o'clock and continues into the night. The feature of the evening's entertainment will be public Woodman initiation which comes as near teaching the lessons of Woodcraft as it is possible to do without disclosing ritualistic secrets. All camps in the county are invited and

are coming in strong numbers. Hence it promises to be much of a social function for Royal Neighbors and their husbands and wives of the Woodmen are to be participants. The committee list follows:

Program—H. E. Dixon; Mrs. Will Landrum; A. W. Nelson.
Finance and Prizes—Mr. Boswinkel, (chairman) Island City; Will Landrum; Mr. Ghorman, North Powder; Sherwood Williams, Imbler.
Dinner—Mrs. William Day, chairman; Mrs. Ira Kenned, Island City; Mr. Gilkinson, North Powder.

Advertising—Fred Currey, chairman; W. Stringham, Imbler; Mr. Gilkinson, North Powder; A. W. Nelson.
Sports—Will Dunn, chairman, C. F. Booher, Island City; Walter Connors, Imbler; Mr. Ghorman, North Powder; Mrs. Bosquet, Island City; Mrs. Will McDonald.

Reception—Mrs. D. J. Kimmell, chairman and 10 Royal Neighbors.
Decorations—Mrs. L. M. Hoyt, Mrs. Booher, Island City; Mrs. William Day.

A pretty little home wedding occurred Wednesday evening at 2110 Oak street, where the groom, Otis Veal, a barber in the Ellis shop, has

knitted up a cozy little house for his bride, Miss Lulu Clegg. Besides relatives and a few intimate friends of the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Keese, Mrs. Stella Parker, Raymond Johnson and Mrs. Alice L. Larson, all of Aberdeen, Washington, Mrs. Keese and Mrs. Parker being sisters of the groom. The couple received many beautiful presents including much cut glass and silverware. They left by auto to the Washington beach where they will spend their honeymoon and will be at home to their friends after September 1.

Tuesday afternoon of this week Mrs. C. E. Duffey entertained a number of young people on the lawn in honor of the 15th birthday of her niece, Miss Birdie Widman, of Baker, who has been visiting here the past two weeks. Before the serving of refreshments she was showered with many pretty and useful presents. Those present were Birdie Widman, Louise O'Connell, Dorothy Casey, Ruth Newton, Lucile Wolgamood, Marcella Berry, Harriet Casey, Lorna Coolidge, Thelma Wyatt, Jayne Mae Harvey and Verda Rae Smith.

After an absence of three weeks Miss Pauline Lederle is back at her tailoring shop. She had a very delightful trip, going to Pendleton to visit her father, from there to Portland to visit Engineer and Mrs. John Gardner, and then to Seattle where she was the guest of Mrs. Tucker, formerly Mrs. Ladd of this city. She made good use of the three weeks' time allotted to the vacation and managed to enjoy each minute of it immensely.

F. Don Hobbs, a brakeman of this city, and Nora Parker, daughter of Mrs. Sam Parker, quietly slipped away to Spokane for the land drawing there and were married July 14th by Justice of the Peace G. W. Stocker of Spokane. The news didn't get out until a few days ago. Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs will live at 703 Main avenue where they will be at home to their many friends.

On Sunday July 30, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Phil Rhinehart of Spokane, Stanley Raymond Carpy of La Grande was married to Dilla Cora Morton, until a few years ago a resident of this city. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Carpy and was for some time employed in the express office here, and the bride is a sister of Mrs. Frank Jolly, both families being well and favorably known here. After visiting the groom's parents in Lewiston, Montana, the young people will make their home in Butte.

Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock Robert L. Young and Miss Magdalene Hansen were married in the Presbyterian manse by G. L. Clark. They were attended by the groom's brother Frank and Miss Sallie Cooper. The couple departed on the special coast excursion at 9:50 the same evening for a short trip after which they will go to housekeeping on North Second street. The groom is a lath contractor at the Palmer mill.

Friday afternoon Mrs. Bruce Dennis entertained at cards in honor of Miss Winnie Dennis of Portland. Mrs. Mount, wife of a Joseph physician was an out of town guest. Four tables of bridge were enjoyed by the guests, Mrs. Wm. Bollons winning first prize and Mrs. F. L. Lilly second.

Friends of Ralph Murchison, brother of Chas. Murchison of this city, have been advised of his marriage to Miss Kupeck of Portland a few days ago. Mr. Murchison is still at the Imperial hotel in Portland where he is greeting old friends and receiving congratulations.

Baby Gene Frazier, the little moving picture star, and her mother, Mrs. Hugh Frazier formerly Miss Vergene Wade of this city, are in Portland visiting the latter's mother Mrs. B. F. Wade and other relatives.

Earl Small and wife, of Eugene, are en route by auto to Detroit, Michigan. They will stop in La Grande a few days to visit Mr. Small's brother George of this city.

Last evening a number of La Grande people went out to Grange hall where they participated in a delightful ice cream social. Blue mountain grange was giving at that place.

The auxiliary to the B. of R. T. held a picnic at the park last Tuesday afternoon, making a very pleasant afternoon of it.

Miss Leone Wade, who has been living in Portland the last two years, leaves about the 25th of this month for Alaska to remain for some time with friends.

Miss Margaret Newlin is spending a few days in Portland.

Mrs. Albert Mount, of Joseph, has returned from a trip to Portland and is the house guest here of Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Bouvy.

To help pass some of the lonely hours while his wife is enjoying herself at the beach, Dick Jones entertained a few of his friends at bridge Thursday evening, Miss Mary Sommer winning high score.

Harvest Party at Summerville
On Saturday evening the Messrs. Otto Ott and Ivan Sutton gave a harvest time party to a number of their friends. Games were played and a general good time indulged in until 11 o'clock when a repast of ice cream and cake was enjoyed by the young folks. Those present were: the Misses Lottie Neidner, Bessie Stoddard, Irene and William Wagner, Irene Ott, Pearl Monroe, Anna Sanderson, Blanch Coombs, and Messrs. John Wagoner, Stuart and William Sanderson, John Stevens, Francis Ott, Wayne Park, Leo Neidner, James Coombs, Earl and Ira Lanman, Ralph McKinnis, Cecil Anderson, and the hosts. The ladies chosen as chape-

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Ladies' Unions	25c, 49c
Ladies' Auto Hoods	49c, 98c
Ladies' Auto Caps	49c, 98c
Ladies' Auto Veils	49c, 98c
Ladies' White Hose	19c, 25c, 49c
Ladies' Black Hose	10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 25c
Ladies' White Slippers	98c
Ladies' White Silk Gloves	49c, 69c
Ladies' Muslin Combinations	49c, 69c, 98c
Ladies' Muslin Corset Covers	19c, 25c, 49c
Girls' Fancy Ribbons	19c, 25c
Girls' Slippers	98c, \$1.15, \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.69

Men's Sport Shirts	49c
Men's Mesh Unions	49c
Men's Porosknit Unions	89c
Men's B. V. D. Unions	89c
Men's Wash Ties	10c
Men's Silk Ties	25c, 45c
Men's Silk Band Shirts	\$1.98
Men's Silk Soft Collar Shirts	98c, \$1.49, \$1.98
Men's Madras Soft Collar Shirts	49c, 98c
Men's Stiff Cuff, Band Shirts	98c
Men's Tennis Slippers	69c
Men's White Slippers	\$1.98
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rons and to make the affair a pleasant one were: Mrs. Amanda Wagoner and Mrs. Mattie Anderson.

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William McMurray Anticipates Big Crowd at Picnic at Gibbon

Explaining that the O-W. has set a new precedent in offering a round-trip rate of one fare to Gibbon for the Employees' picnic, William McMurray, General passenger agent for the O-W. and H. W. Hicks, traveling passenger agent, are in La Grande today and predict a tremendous crowd at Gibbon. "We will furnish all the equipment necessary and we have no reason to think but that the event will draw big," said the general passenger agent, "and many of the company's head officials expect to be present."

The following contests and prizes therefore have been scheduled for the railroad employees' picnic at Gibbon, viz:

- 1—Baseball Game, Fats vs. Leans; Prize, 1 Box Cigars—J. Van Buren.
- 2—Ball Throwing for Ladies: 1st Bar Pin—Seigrist & Co. 2nd pair kid gloves, \$2.00—"Sayres," Pendleton 3rd, \$1.00 Worth "Royal Club Goods"—Oregon Grocery Co.
- 3—Greased Pole Climbing for Boys: Ages 12 to 16 Years: 1st \$1.00 cash. 2nd 50c cash. 3rd 25c cash.
- 4—Apprentice's Race, 100 yards: 1st - Hat—French & Scranton, 2nd pair inside and outside calipers—F. L. Lilly.
- 5—25-yard Race for Girls, 12 to 15 years: 1st camera—Red Cross Drug Co. 2nd Large Box Candy—Young's Confectionery.
- 6—Fat Men's Race: 1st Hat—Ash Bros. 2nd 1 Sack Flour (Best)—Mammoth Grocery.
- 7—Nail Driving Contest (Ladies): 1st 1 pair shoes—N. K. West & Co. 2nd 2 pair silk stockings—E. E. Kirtley. 3rd \$1.00 order Royal Club goods—Oregon Grocery Company.
- 8—Tug of War: 1st 1 box cigars—J. F. O'Connell.
- 9—Stout Women's Race: 1st chafing dish (value \$8.00)—Geo. C. Baer & Co., Pendleton. 2nd Purse (\$4.00)—Tallman Co., Pendleton. 3rd bottle perfumery (\$3.50)—A. C. Koeppe & Bros., Pendleton.
- 10—Pie Eating Contest (Boys): 1st 75c cash. 2nd 50c cash. 3rd 25c cash.
- 11—Egg Race for Ladies: 1st 1 ladies' bathing suit—Golden Rule Co. 2nd 2 pair silk stockings—Hill's Department store. 3rd \$1.00 order Preferred Goods—La Grande Grocery Company.
- 12—Wheelbarrow Race for Fat Men: 1st 1 stick pin—J. H. Peare & Son. 2nd \$1.00 cash. 3rd \$1.00 order Preferred Goods—La Grande Grocery Company.
- 13—Sack Race (Open to All): 1st \$5.00 merchandise order—The Alexander Department Store, Pendleton. 2nd \$2.00 cash. 3rd \$1.00 cash.
- 14—Three-Legged Race for Boys: 1st baseball mit \$1.50—W. H. Bohnenkamp Co. 2nd baseball mit \$1.00—W. H. Bohnenkamp Co.
- 15—100 Yard Dash (Open to All): 1st 1 pair cuff links—George Birtnie, Jeweler. 2nd 1 pocket knife—The Taylor Hardware Co., Pendleton. 3rd merchandise, \$2.50—Jas. T. Brown, Pendleton.
- 16—Shot Put 16-Lb. Hammer: 1st merchandise order \$5.00—Bond Bros., Pendleton.
- 17—High Jump: 1st \$5.00 Merchandise Order—The Peoples Warehouse, Pendleton.
- 18—300-yard Race for Indians Only: 1st \$1.50 cash. 2nd \$1.00 cash.
- 19—Wood-Sawing Contest for Ladies: 1st hand bag, value \$5.00—The Pendleton Drug Co., Pendleton. 2nd \$2.00 cash.
- 20—25-yard Race, Ladies, Free for All: 1st \$5.00 Merchandise Order—

Golden Rule Store, Pendleton. 2nd \$2.50 cash.
Special train leaves Umatilla 7:00 a. m., Rieth 8:30 a. m., Pendleton 8:40 a. b.

Jake Bauer Sells Ranch

Jake Bauer has sold his ranch south of town to H. P. Rowe, who will take possession October 1. The farm has 120 acres, and a large, modern house with every city convenience. It is fully plumbed, has a heating plant, city water and electric lights throughout. Mr. Aowe is now living on Sam Litch's Alder Slope ranch where, by the way, he will soon harvest one of the largest crops ever that farm has yielded.

Mr. Bauer will build a cottage in the south part of town at once, which he will occupy this winter. Next spring he will give his time to farming his Trout creek ranch, but the family will remain in town.—Enterprise Chieftain.

Society Women Stage Dog Show.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 12.—Society women here today are attending the annual dog show of the Rhode Island Kennel club. Many of these women have offered costly prizes for the prize winning pups of various sorts. The show is being held on the lawn at Buckingham House, where the thick foliage bars out prying eyes of the curious hoi polloi. Among the society women who have offered prizes are: Mme. George Bakmeteff, who will give a cup for the best French bulldog; Mrs. R. Livingstone Beekman, a cup for French bulldogs; Mrs. Hugh D. Auchincloss, a cash prize for Old English sheepdogs; Mrs. Arthur Curtis James, a cash prize for coach dogs; Mrs. Michael Van Beuren, a cup for Pekingeses; Mrs. Henry Barton Jacobs, a cup for the same breed; Mrs. W. Watts Sherman, a cash prize for West Highland terriers; Mrs. Richard T. Wilson, a silver trophy for the best brace in the show, any breed, and Miss Helen Brice, a cup for Pekingeses.

Relative of Edgar Allen Poe, Directs Camp.
Chicago, Aug. 12.—"It is the duty of every American man and woman to

do his and her share to make this country safe from invasion." Such was Mrs. Vylla Poe Wilson's message to America today as she prepared to depart to Lake Geneva, Wis., where she will have charge of the Navy League's training camp for girls, which opens Tuesday. Mrs. Wilson is the nearest living relative of Edgar Allen Poe, is a great granddaughter of Lord Admiral William Gordon, known to all students of English history; a granddaughter of Mary Elizabeth Ellicott of Ellicott City, Maryland, the oldest Quaker town in the United States; a daughter of George Poe, a distinguished confederate soldier and a relative of General Poe, of Revolutionary war fame. Mrs. Wilson also is the founder of the Woman's section of the Navy League and of the Section's branch of National Service schools which train girls to take their part in making this country a good, safe place in which to live. "I'm a Quakeress and proud of it," Mrs. Wilson declared. "But I've got some other kind of blood in me—some fighting blood," she added. "I don't know how many battleships we need, or how big an army, or how much ammunition, but I do know that experts along those lines—in whom I put absolute trust—say we haven't got enough. It is therefore the duty of every American to make this country safe, whatever that may mean. Personal preparation is the part American women are to play," Mrs. Wilson, is a little woman with a lot of enthusiasm. When she tells of her military ancestors her eyes snap and it is just possible she is as proud of them as she is of Grandma Ellicott. She also is an author. "I sold my first story on the strength of my name," Mrs. Wilson said, but admitted that now "they are selling on their merit."

Foley Hotel Guests.
M. E. Jerome, The Dalles; M. E. Brennan, Portland; Jas. H. Nichols, Baker; H. J. Van Elsburg, San Francisco; A. A. Criswell, Portland; J. C. Morris, C. D. Thomas, Portland; L. E. McDow, Spokane; W. A. Mead, Seattle; J. C. Brown, Minneapolis; John Erickson, Oregon City; W. E. Myers, Roy Gilmore, Salt Lake; C. W. Goodman, Lostine; Wm. McMurray, H. W. Hicks, Portland.

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