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Society

Ramsey-Murphy Nuptials.

Two well known and popular members of La Grande's younger set were married Wednesday evening of this week at the home of the bride's mother, when Miss Irene Murphy, only daughter of Mrs. Thomas N. Murphy, 202 Main street, was united in marriage to Charles O. Ramsey formerly of this city, but more recently of Boise. The impressive ring ceremony of the Catholic faith was performed by Reverend Father P. J. Driscoll of Our Lady of the Valley church. A few life-long friends of the family attended.

It was exactly eight o'clock in the evening when Mrs. Ruth Bush Jackson struck the first chord of Mendelssohn's wedding march, and the bride and her attendant, Mrs. Lloyd Scriber, and two forewomen, commenced to descend the stairs to the reception hall where

the groom, attended by Mr. Lloyd Scriber, and the pastor, met them. The bride's path of approach was strewn with flowers from the dainty hands of Little Judith Snodgrass. Equally daintily, came Little Lohs Mariam Snodgrass as ring bearer, carrying the jewel in a large white chrysanthemum.

The party assembled, the solemn words were then said.

The bride was strikingly handsome in a traveling costume of blue velvet, and wore a smart picture hat of blue velvet charmingly trimmed in gold. She carried a shower bouquet of pink roses. Mrs. Scriber, the bride's attendant, was handsomely gowned in dark blue broadcloth. She carried a corsage bouquet of pink roses.

The flower girl and ring bearer wore pink and white.

Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party was served a two-course luncheon, which, though in thorough accord with a Hoover age, was especially delicious and dainty. Punch was served.

The Murphy home was extremely beautiful. E. E. Kirtley, well known decorator, spent many hours in an artistic arrangement of pink rose buds in the reception hall and living room. Numerous baskets of rich carnations enhanced the decoration scheme. In the dining room autumnal leaves were used in excellent arrangement and with profusion, while the table centerpiece was a large bouquet of rich, deep-red roses.

For a brief period after the wedding a few very intimate friends were received in the home, a rigid adherence to the influenza regulations against large gatherings being the rule of the evening. Because of this the reception list was exceedingly small.

Departing on the early train the bridal couple is now visiting in Portland, Puget Sound points and Spokane, and will return to their future home in Boise within a month or six weeks.

It is a generously large circle of friends and acquaintances that bespeak best wishes on the two. Miss Irene had lived in La Grande since she was a babe of 13 months, and during her school days, and since then, has become an unusually popular girl, a young lady that always reflected her splendid home environments—a girl with culture and charm. For many years, Mr. Ramsey was a leader in his set, popular in his clubs and prominent in business.

A fine array of gifts was showered upon Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey, each bearing auto testimony to

the esteem in which both were held in La Grande.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Braun arrived here a few days ago from Columbus, Nebraska, to visit Mrs. Braun's aunt's, Mrs. Matilda Anthony and Miss Bertha Berger. Many years ago, Mrs. Braun was one of the indispensable people in the printing business in La Grande and some of the files of the newspapers of this city show her ability as a printer.

Mrs. Matilda Anthony entertained relatives at a family dinner in honor of her niece, Miss Bertha Berger, Monday evening.

Mrs. Henry Lyons gave an evening of pleasure to a very few play mates of her son, Henry Lyons Jr., last night. Halloween novelties were a part of the event and good things to eat was also a feature.

Popular Couple Wed.

A most beautiful home wedding was solemnized on Oct. 19, at the C. L. Mackey home, 2001, Second Street, when Miss Mayda Marie Becker became the bride of Frank H. Bussard, Rev. Mr. Hawk, of the Methodist Episcopal church officiating.

The rooms were most artistically decorated, festoons of autumn leaves and yellow chrysanthemums carrying out the subdued color scheme.

Mrs. Ralph Culp presided at the piano, rendering the beautiful Mendelssohn wedding march, to the strains of which the couple marched to the altar. The vocal selection "A Perfect Day" was also rendered during the ceremony.

The bride was gowned in white shadow lace over silk and wore a tulle veil clasped by a band of rosebuds and pearls. She carried a shower of bride's roses. She was attended by her cousin, Mable Oswald, who wore blue satin and carried a basket of roses.

The groom was attended by Harold Taal.

The bride, one of La Grande's most popular and accomplished young ladies, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Pecker, of Sumnerville, Mr. Bussard, the son of Martin Bussard, one of Albany's oldest and most honored residents.

A dainty four course luncheon was served to a few intimate friends and the near relatives present, after which the bridal party started for a trip through Portland and other coast cities. They will be at home to their friends, November 1st, at 1300 O Ave., La Grande.

A very quiet wedding took place in St. Peter's church on Saturday evening, October 19th at 8 o'clock when Miss Margaret Grogan of Oakland, was united in marriage to Mr. Harry Haese, of Columbia city, Oregon. Rev. Charles H. Powell of Cove officiated. The couple left immediately for a short trip through

WITH THE COLORS

Homer V. Leffel, formerly an employee of the J. C. Penney store, writes under date of September 18 as follows:

"Your letter of — caught me a few days ago well inside the German lines which the Huns had left only a few hours before. In fact, I am writing this in a German layout. The Huns throw shells in this place every night, and a bed in a dugout is a prize when the shells are dropping.

"Our unit has certainly been very fortunate thus far. We have been in some tight places, but have always come out alright.

"I really expected this drive to be the worst. When we were sneaking up to the front, I could imagine us working in the woods with the shrapnel tearing the leaves off the trees. When we moved up just where our artillery was at work and there was no come back I didn't know what to think. Then came the word that the infantry was advancing and the Huns were on the run. Then the prisoners began to come back and saw we were crossing the lines of trenches and on into captured territory. There was absolutely nothing doing in our line as the casualties were almost nothing. You can imagine how we felt after the hard fighting we went through on the Marne and other places.

"Hill came over to our camp several times while we were in the S. O. S. before this trip up. He has a very good place and seemed to be very well satisfied.

"Everybody is thinking more or less about the end of all this, but I really expect to wear four service stripes before it is over. The Huns are strong but they can be licked, but it's up to the old U.S. A. to do it.

"I must put out my lights as the Hun planes are coming over for their night work. They are the worst of all, because you can't figure out where they are. I have had some very exciting experiences with them."

Economy.

Waiter (to persevering Scot)—"You seem to have a difficulty of getting all that soup up with your spoon, sir! Shall I bring you a bit of blotting paper?"—Answers, London.

the state before making their home in Columbia city.

Mrs. Haese is a sister of Mrs. T. W. King.

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An Announcement by the U. S. Fuel Administration

The Fuel Administration issues the following:

"The United States Fuel Administration, in connection with the manufacturers and dealers in incandescent electric lamps, has worked out a detailed plan for eliminating the inefficient types.

"The lamp manufacturers, at a meeting held in Washington, August 28, voluntarily agreed to abandon the manufacture of certain types of the inefficient carbon filament lamp in accordance with the program which practically calls for the discontinuance of their manufacture and sale.

"There are still a few isolated cases where the carbon lamp is required, such as on battleships, where excessive vibration or shock calls for a lamp of the sturdy type. But with few exceptions, and these are confined to essentially war industries, the program is expected to gradually eliminate the carbon lamp in favor of the more efficient tungsten lamp.

"The importance of this radical step may be judged from the fact that the program as formally adopted at the meeting will mean the saving of more than 1,000,000 tons of coal a year."

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Vaudeville Performers Work In Shipyard. have appeared in the Pantages circuit due to the influenza. theater this week are working as telephone operators and shipyard men during the closing of their Better Wrappers.