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3 Shows—3:15—7:30—9:15

# Society

One of the social features of the coming week that is attracting much attention is the Union County Ad Club luncheon to be given in honor of the ladies, Tuesday at 6:30. The Women of Woodcraft are preparing a delectable luncheon featuring such choice things as roast chicken with dressing, scalloped Grande Ronde potatoes, Union cheese, Hot Lake lettuce with La Grande-made dressing, Women of Woodcraft bread and hot biscuits from Grande Ronde flour served with Blue Mountain butter and La Grande-made syrup; home-grown and home-canned corn, and a big portion of strawberry short cake for each guest. The luncheon will be served at 6:30, the place having been changed from the Eagles' Hall to the Methodist church basement. Elmer Stoddard, chairman of the pep committee, will have charge of the group singing and C. E. Short, president of the club, will preside. A short program of business and probably one short address will make up the program. Reservations so far made indicate that 100 couples will be in attendance. This feature was prepared because the Ad Club at no time in the last few years has had a complimentary luncheon for the wives and sweethearts of the members.  
Monday evening is the time limit for plate reservations, which can be made at Union County Ad Club headquarters.

The Presbyterian Sunday school will observe Children's Day Sunday, June 11. The following splendid program has been arranged under the direction of Misses Isabelle Miller, Margaret Anson, Genevieve Hanna, Eva Perryman and Beth Hesse:  
Song, by school; recitation, "A Recipe," Verna Ward; duet, "God is Love," Edward Buchanan and Cameron Miller; recitation, "A Problem Solved," J. D. Lynch; duet, "Trusting in the Savior," Genevieve Hanna and Beth Hesse; recitation, "Tit for Tat," Evelyn Smith; song, "Bells in Shady Dells," solo by Isabelle Miller and chorus by school; address, Rev. Ross; musical tableau, "Child Samuel," John Miller; Naaman's wife, Beth Hesse; Maid, Miriam Hanna; Little Boy with Loaves and Fishes, William Miller; Lois, Maurine Moore; Eunice, Vera Beatty; Timothy, Robert Eakin; quartet for tableau, Isabelle Miller, Eva Perryman, Stewart Bennett and C. E. Anderson; recitation, "If," Donald Pouch.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Anderson, formerly of La Grande but now of Portland, Oregon, at 1165 Hathorn Ave., on June 2nd, in celebration of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Silver and rose decorations beautified the rooms, while flowers in profusion and silver-ware of butterflies added to the charm. The wedding march was played by Miss Lucille Pauling, and Dr. Shinn, with much mirth, retied the knot so well tied twenty-five years ago. Misses Grace Banforth, Lucille Pauling and Rowena Stephenson gave vocal selections in a very pleasing manner. A. J. Warren, of La Grande, father of Mrs. Anderson, gave several comic readings, which were greatly enjoyed. Miss Marjorie Brown wore a costume over one hundred years old, and gave quaint old fashioned readings in a very charming manner. Much amusement was afforded by the original rhymes sent in by J. Everett Dotson, now of Eugene, which vividly portrayed the courtship days and wedded life of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson up to the present time. They received many beautiful and useful gifts of silver, and all present expressed the wish to be present at their Golden Wedding. Silvered souvenir plates marked the covers, which were laid for forty. Those present were: Mrs. E. D. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrison, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Shinn, M. and Mrs. H. W. Brice, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. MacDowell, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cox, Mrs. Laura Dotson, Mrs. Isabel Pauling, Mrs. Robinson, Misses Edith Jones, Grace Banforth, Lucille Pauling, Pauline Pauling, Goldie Stephenson, Rowena Stephenson, Marjorie Brown, Greta McShain, Sylvia Parks, Dora Duffett and William Anderson and Lloyd Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Haggy were host and hostess to fifty of their friends Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. J. C. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Sturtevant, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. B. Oldenburg, Mr. and Mrs. S. Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. Len Stilwell, Mr. and Mrs. Ther, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. I. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Shafer, Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm, Mrs. Zepha Struck, Mrs. Lusk of North Powder, Mrs. H. Stein, Messrs. Lloyd Chandler, Mick Eckler, Francis Carbine, Frank Carpenter, Grant Chandler. At twelve o'clock a sumptuous luncheon was served. A lovely time was enjoyed by all present.

A delightful party was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. Will Pearce, in honor of Miss Edna Kelly of San Francisco. Three tables were set for bridge, the high honors being awarded to Miss Louise O'Connell. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Pearce. Those invited for the evening were the Misses Edna Kelly, Minna Ash, Dorothy Meyers, Mabel Osterling, Irene O'Connell, Wilma Osterling, Lena Robertson and the Mesdames Paul Massee, Charles Bingner and the hostess.  
Miss Kelly will spend about a month in La Grande visiting with her Aunt, Mrs. J. A. McKenna.

Mrs. O. E. Moran, Mrs. George Hopkins and Miss Young were hostesses to the Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church at the home of Mrs. Moran, Friday afternoon. The attendance for the meeting was exceptionally fine. Mrs. Cleaver gave a very interesting talk on the islands of the Pacific. Mrs. Hunter was to talk on the West Indies, but on account of the weather was unable to motor to town. A luncheon was served by the ladies who charmingly acted as hostesses.  
Mrs. Crouse, accompanied by the Misses Edith Pierce, Dorothy Crouse and Edris Maguire motored to Union Friday night. The young girls took a dancing part in "The Shiek," a catchy sketch in the Moose Minstrel, which has been playing at the Cozy Theatre the three nights of the Stock Show. The solo dancing part was taken by Miss Crouse, who starred the hit of the evening in her two dances, "Dance Oriental" and "Petite Coquette."

Mrs. A. L. Richardson gives a very fine report of the Woman's State Federation Convention at Tillamook, which she attended recently. The keynote for the convention was "Education." There were two hundred delegates present, the largest attendance there has ever been. Those attending the meetings were privileged to hear the thoughts and ideas given by some of the better educated men and women of the country and to enjoy and appreciate the music. Among the more prominent lecturers were Prof. Eric W. Allen, Dean of the School of Journalism at the University of Oregon, who spoke on "Helping the Press to Help the Club," Mrs. Sadie Orr Dunbar, who had charge of the Public Welfare Department, Dr. Estella Werner, chief medical instructor in Portland schools; Dean Fox, dean of women at the University of Oregon; Dr. Irvine, editor of the Oregon Daily Journal; Dr. Edward Sisson, professor at Reed College, and Ann Sherman Moore, a noted Oregon author.  
The music Thursday evening was furnished by the Oregon Locum Club, of Oregon Agricultural College. They presented in recital, Mr. Stewart Wendell Tulley, baritone; Mr. Trudson, violinist; V. W. Sheppard, pianist; and Mrs. Robert Barr Reed, of Portland, who is a splendid dramatic reader.  
Mrs. Ida Callahan, president of the Federation, presided over the meetings.

On Friday evening, the older girls of the Island City Epworth League gave a delightful shower in honor of Miss Leta Kiddle, Miss Wylhel Wade and Miss Iela Bryant acting as hostesses in the home of Mrs. C. H. Bidwell.  
At eight thirty the twenty guests were ushered into the dining room, where suitable refreshments were served. The table was made attractive by an artistic arrangement of many tinted sweet peas and a woody lake in which the rainbow overhead was beautifully reflected. Miss Blanche Clark, in her glowing manner, acted as toastmistress with clever responses by the Misses Bouton Smith, Estelle Whisler, and Hilho Bouton on "The Rainbow." The Pot

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Mrs. E. E. Braigg and Mrs. A. L. Richardson will be joint hostesses to the Kaffe Klatsch Friday, June 10, at the home of Mrs. Richardson.  
Original invitations have been sent out by Mrs. Ernest Watkins and Mrs. Faeley for a tea to be given June 10, in honor of Miss Leta Kiddle.  
Dr. and Mrs. Landis and Mr. and Mrs. Putnam will entertain at a dinner party at the Union Hotel on Wednesday evening.  
The Catholic Ladies will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. P. Thielson, Wednesday, June 14.  
Mr. A. L. Richardson will entertain the Lucky Thirteen Club at her home Thursday afternoon, June 15.  
Mrs. Kiddle and Mrs. L. M. Hoyt are to entertain next Tuesday afternoon.

Lydia Thompson Tuesday night.  
The Promise school closed Wednesday, June 7. A large dinner was given by the people and everyone had a fine time.  
Mrs. Earl Haney and children came in Thursday to visit her parents, J. W. Garpe and family.  
Mrs. Oscar Davis and daughter, of Enterprise, are visiting in Promise this week.  
Lola and Myra Gorbett visited with Lydia Thompson Sunday night.  
Charley Horner and wife were over from Powwaka last week.  
Ethel and Lillian Carper visited at J. K. Carper's Sunday.  
Misses Hazel Kenworthy and Lora Carpe revisited with Miss Myrtle Lyon.

### Iowa School District

IOWA DISTRICT, June 10.—Mr. Hibbert, of Union, Mrs. Salisbury and Mr. Dierks called at the Posey home Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Salisbury and children made a short business trip to Leland City Tuesday morning.  
Gladye Posey spent Monday evening with Mrs. Williams and children.  
Mr. Posey and son, Lester, called in La Grande on business Thursday.  
William Pullen is spending a few days on the range with Hugh Hulce.  
Read George Fager's Adv. on Page Three. 6-10-11

### Opossums in New Zealand

Opossums, which were introduced into New Zealand from Australia many years ago, have increased until they have become a pest in the fruit-growing regions. Nevertheless, their value for fur outweighs any damage they do. It is therefore proposed to give them every chance to breed in the forested regions.

### Promise News Items

(Special to The Observer)  
PROMISE, June 10.—Miss Stella Smith and Udeous Paulson were married at the home of the bride's parents June 1 at three o'clock p. m. They started for McMinnville, Ore., about four o'clock.  
Rev. G. F. Potter preached at the Promise school house Sunday.  
Mrs. W. I. Sansar returned to her home in Walla Walla Friday.  
Mrs. W. P. Bennett of California joined her husband in Promise Thursday. They will make their home in Promise.  
Miss Emeline McDonald was a passenger on the Promise stage Wednesday and Thursday.  
Ethel and Lillian Carper visited with

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