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Society

Charming in every detail was the tea given Thursday afternoon by Mrs. W. S. Parker, honoring her niece, Miss Ruth Clark, of Georgetown, Illinois, who is her house guest. The spacious rooms of the Parker home were rich in a profusion of vari-colored plants. Little Ruth Parker greeted the guests at the door and Mrs. R. L. Parker, Mrs. Chas. Playle and Mrs. Delille Green assisted about the rooms. The tea table was presided over by Mrs. H. P. Grove and Mrs. A. T. Hill, who poured, and by Mrs. J. K. Wright and Mrs. J. T. Richardson, who cut the ices. The Misses Flavia Ritter, Edith Pierce and Eleanor Cleaver served the guests. Between fifty and sixty guests called during the afternoon. The out-of-town guests were Miss Dennis, of Portland, Miss Eakin, of Salem, and Mrs. Vehrs, of Elgin.

Miss Blanch Clark entertained in a most delightful manner on Thursday of last week honoring Mrs. Newton Clark and daughter, Dorothy Jane, of Omaha, Nebraska. The afternoon was spent by the ladies in renewing old acquaintances and forming new. The children enjoyed a picnic in the spacious yard. The house was decorated with autumn flowers. In the dining room baskets of yellow and orange flowers formed the centerpiece on the tables and the decorations of the place cards. The same colors were carried out in the delicious refreshments and also in the gowns of the young ladies who served. A unique feature was a table at which the grandmothers found their places. Those present were Mrs. Newton Clark and children, Mrs. Robert Eakin, and sons, Mrs. Holman and daughter, Mrs. Weatherly and grandchildren of Pasadena, Calif., Mrs. Wilbur Zarbrink and children, Mrs. Albert Hunter and grandson, Mrs. H. H. Cleaver, Mrs. Taylor and daughter, Miss Eleanor Warner of Susanville, Calif., Miss Imogene Russell, Miss Minnie Holman, Mrs. Wagner, grandmother of the hostess and Mrs. Robert Clark. Those assisting the hostess were the Misses Constance and Eleanor Cleaver and Phyllis Seranton.

Invitations are out and some have been received by La Grande people for the graduation exercises of St. Francis Academy at Baker. The exercises will be held on Sunday evening, September 3rd, at 7:30 o'clock in the cathedral. Rather strange it is that the entire class, which is composed of three young ladies, come from La Grande. Miss Margaret Adelaide Kelly is a daughter of the late Richard Kelly, Miss Lavina Marie Walgamoot resides here and her parents have been citizens of La Grande for some time, and Miss Elizabeth Irene Swart is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swart. Miss Kelly and Miss Swart were born in La Grande. The class flower is the tea rose and the class motto is "Not for Ourselves Alone," while the colors are silver and rose. Several relatives and friends of the girls from this city expect to attend the event in Baker.

Lola Pierson entertained a number of her friends honoring Constance Cleaver's seventeenth birthday Friday night. A delicious noodle supper was served, after which a very enjoyable evening was spent in dancing and a social time. Those invited were the Misses Constance Cleaver, Vivian Keltner and Elvora Keltner, of Eugene, Anne Lyman of Wallawa, Mildred Webb, Audri Harer, Phyllis Seranton and Lola Pierson. There were two unique features of the evening, one a very artistic Indian dance by Vivian Keltner, and the other a reading by Elvora Keltner.

Wednesday afternoon the four divisions of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist church met in the parlors of the church and held their annual election of officers, the following officers being elected: Mrs. Geo. W. Baur, president; Mrs. L. S. Hanford, first vice-president; Mrs. Geo. Brunson, second vice-president; Mrs. Ora Gardner, secretary, and Mrs. Sherwood Williams, treasurer. A social hour was enjoyed by the ladies. The discussion had charge of the afternoon and served most delicious refreshments.

A surprise party was given in honor of Isabelle Miller at her home at 441 Penn avenue, Wednesday evening. The party was in honor of Miss Miller's 16th birthday. The evening was spent in dancing and games. The girls present were the Misses Dorothy Caldwell, Lucille Black, Irma Lyman, Ruth Beagwell, Lorraine Pierce, (Portland, Ore.), Mildred Clark, (Merced, Calif.), Lillian Simms and Etta Belle Kitchin. Delicious refreshments were served later in the evening.

Loren Stearns entertained a few of his friends at a theatre party Thursday evening and after a sport motor trip to Hot Lake the young people spent a delightful evening at the Stearns home on Sixth street dancing. Those in the party who helped celebrate in honor of Loren Stearns' birthday were the Misses Aris Maguire, Jean Stearns, Edris Maguire and the Messrs. Arthur and Richard Golden, of Boise, and Stewart Bennett and Loren Stearns.

A quiet but impressive wedding took place at the Presbyterian Manor Friday when Leonard E. Garrison and Miss Estell M. Georgan, both young people of North Powder, were united in marriage by Rev. William Crosby. Mrs. Mr. Garrison is cashier in the bank at North Powder. Mr. and Mrs. Garrison will make their home in that town.

Fred Klob and Miss Ella Bay were quietly married at the Baptist parsonage at ten o'clock Thursday morning by the Rev. A. R. Sisson. The ring ceremony was used. Miss Bay is from Summerville and Mr. Klob is a La Grande boy and is employed on the railroad. The young couple will make their home in La Grande.

Miss Helen Anderson and Miss Catherine Moran left last evening for Columbia City, where they will attend the high school convention of the Christian Endeavor Society, which will begin Monday, August 28, and last until September 4. Monday, Miss Anderson and Miss Moran will be joined by Helen Mohr and Fern Kelly, both young people of La Grande.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Golden and sons, Arthur and Richard, of Boise, who have been on an extensive motor trip through Tacoma, Ranier Park and on the coast, stopped in La Grande on their return home to visit with friends. While in this city they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stearns.

Miss Wilma Oestering proved herself a charming hostess Friday evening when she entertained in honor of Mrs. Ellsworth Riecks and Mrs. J. F. Cramer. There were nine tables of bridge with Mrs. Gilbert Hunter receiving high honors. At a late hour delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Desilet are leaving soon for Portland to make their future home. During the past week Mrs. Desilet has been entertained by a number of her close friends. Friday evening Mrs. L. Scriber and Mrs. J. G. Snodgrass delightfully entertained in her honor.

Mrs. C. P. Newlin acted as charming hostess to the Thursday Auction Bridge Club, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. M. B. Donahue won high honors. A delicious luncheon of combination salad, dainty sandwiches, pineapple sherbet, cake and coffee were served by the hostess.

A wedding took place at the Savoy Hotel last Saturday when Benjamin F. Murray of Baker and Mattie Pearl Gibbons, formerly of Union, were united in marriage. Rev. A. E. Sisson of the Baptist church officiated. The impressive ring ceremony was used.

Miss Cressa Wells and Miss Viola Benham returned recently from an extensive trip on the coast. They spent a most enjoyable two weeks visiting at coast resorts and in Portland.

Mrs. Edna Conklin and little daughter, Clarice, of Cove, arrived in La Grande yesterday to spend a short time visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stearns.

Miss Eleanor Warner, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. H. Cleaver, for the past month, left for her home in Susanville, Calif., on Thursday.

Mrs. Catherine Cleaver, mother of H. H. Cleaver, is spending the week at Imbler visiting with her son, Chas. Cleaver.

Arrest Made In Portland Fraud Case

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clation of the crime charged. "Good God!" he exclaimed, "If we're going to have crooked elections—Why—a crime of this sort is a stain on the very heart of American institutions."

"I promise immediate and swift prosecution. "If the voter, in casting his ballot, has not the assurance of an honest vote, he will lose faith in the integrity of his government and his impaired faith will mean the downfall of the republic."

"The crime is little short of treason. It is an offense not against good government, but against the life of the nation."

The maximum penalty for conviction on the charge under which Erick is held is five years in the state penitentiary. The minimum is a fine of \$100.

Klan Ticket Favored. It is understood that many other discrepancies in the counting of ballots, but to a lesser degree, were found by the grand jury.

In fact, it was rumored, there were irregularities in every cast when a so-called Ku Klux Klan candidate was pitted against an anti-Klan candidate. In each instance, votes were thrown to the Klan candidate and taken away from his opponent or opponents, it was reported.

It was said that Emerick read about 95 per cent of the ballots cast in the precinct. The remaining 5 per cent of the ballots were said to have been read by Holman and Mrs. Holman. Holman was unable to work through the entire right of the counting, as he was suffering from an injury, and Mrs. Holman, who was a substitute member of the board, worked in his place for a time. She read only a few ballots, it was said.

Dr. Verne Johnson will be at his office about Aug. 28th. Phone Main 96, 8-26-22.

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to take back the men with "seniority rights unimpaired."

It seemed evident that had all of the 148 railroads offered as the 24 did the strike might have been settled, but the union representatives were unwilling to effect a settlement that would not include all the strikers.

The 26 roads included the New York Central lines, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, the Chicago, Rock Island

& Pacific and the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, with the exception of the first named, large western trunk lines.

"We can and will fight for our terms and for a nationwide settlement," was the comment of Mr. Jewell. Daniel L. Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio, who has been a leader in the move for separate settlement, said afterwards that the executives had offered concessions of a substantial sort to the strikers, but these concessions, would in no way have "sacrificed the rights or privileges of the loyal men now employed on the properties represented."

David Williams, secretary of the shopmen in the Metropolitan district of New York, welcomed the outcome of the negotiations, saying he had not expected anything to come of them, and declaring that now the strike could be pressed.

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