

### George Washington's Hatchet What Has It To Do With This Store?

A great deal, we believe! In fact, this store has learned many lessons from the life of Washington. First, truth—truth in our merchandising, truth in our advertising; and fortitude—the sort he exhibited at Valley Forge. That, taken over into our store life, has meant looking forward, not back, even in the face of the difficult times of recent years. It has made for progress in our business and a building for better times. Leadership—and that has fostered in us a desire to be better, though not necessarily bigger, and to serve our patrons as completely as possible.

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## Society

Monday evening, February 12, the La Grande Country club was the scene of a glowing dancing party when Dr. and Mrs. George E. Vanders and Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Binger were hosts and hostesses to about one hundred and eighty of their friends.

The Valentine spirit prevailed in the spacious rooms where hundreds of bright red hearts mingled with cupid and lights cast a warm red glow, making the guests quite forgetful of the frost and snow without. The dining room was very attractive. A large basket of red carnations formed the centerpiece of the table, and burning candles at each end further added to the cheerfulness of the room.

Songs occupied the evening, and they were indeed well rendered and enjoyed. "Saved by Grace," Fannie Crosby, sung by Mrs. Ray Fuller and Miss Rohrer; "Rescue the Perishing," sung by Raymond O. Williams; "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," Wesley, sung by Mrs. Ira Aldrich and Sherwood Williams; "Oh, For a Thousand Tongues to Sing," Wesley, by Mrs. Ray Fuller; "Crossing the Bar," Tennyson, by Paul Knautz; "Ninety and Nine," by Sherwood Williams; "Lead Kindly Light," by Mrs. Nelson, the Rev. Mr. Quigley and Mrs. Sherwood Williams; "I Think When I Read the Sweet Story of Old," pantomime by Jean Williams; "Sextette from Lucia," by Claude Cooper, Mrs. F. S. Lyon, Mrs. Ira Aldrich, Mrs. A. W. Nelson, Miss Rohrer and Rev. Quigley. The evening closed by all singing the "Star Spangled Banner" by Key.

An evening of rollicking fun and laughter was spent at the Country club Friday when the Misses Marian Ann and Jane Stange entertained about forty of their friends at a Valentine masquerade party. The guests all came in costume, the girls' dresses being decorated with dainty hearts in keeping with the spirit of Valentine's day, while the boys were attired representing characters. Rodolph Valentino was present, as was several Spanish robbers and many characters equally as clever.



For "500," high honors going to Mrs. Art Jones, second to Mrs. W. A. Wallace.

On the evening of February the sixteenth the Epworth League of the Island City church entertained the community with a Valentine's Party.

The ladies of the W. R. C. at their noon luncheon February 17, had a program in honor of Washington and Lincoln's birthdays which was a solo by the Rev. Mr. Jones;

The last of a series of twelve dancing lessons under the direction of P. J. Fewers, was successfully closed Monday night when the members of the dancing class invited their friends to the Country club and a most enjoyable evening was spent in dancing after which refreshments were served.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the home of L. V. Chausse, 1801 Adams avenue, at 8 o'clock this evening.

Mrs. A. V. Andrews and Mrs. W. W. Berry will entertain the Kefee Klatch Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Andrews.

The Ladies Society of the B. of L. F. & E. and their families enjoyed a very pleasant evening Saturday, February 17th.

Mrs. L. W. Weeks entertained a few friends at her home Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Art Jones of Walla Walla, who is here visiting friends.

The afternoon was spent in play.

The club rooms were beautifully decorated in a myriad of hearts and cupid which formed a striking background for this clever affair.

The evening from seven-thirty to eleven was spent in dancing, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Powers being present to assist.

ST. LOUIS BUSINESS INCREASES (By Associated Press) ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 21.—The volume of business transacted here in 1922 was \$1,324,792,000 or 10.4 per cent more than for 1921, according to an announcement by the St. Louis chamber of commerce. The largest items were: Boots and shoes, \$190,000,000; dry goods, \$122,000,000; groceries, \$120,750,000 and lumber, \$110,000,000.

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One of the most interesting and best attended meetings of the Young Women's Educational Auxiliary has yet held was enjoyed Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Sherwood Williams, assisted by Mrs. Cora Harding Scott, Mrs. A. W. Nelson and Mrs. F. S. Lyon.

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