

WOMEN'S INTEREST

NEWS of SOCIETY

Loan Fund Program Successful

Loan Fund Day for the Neighborhood club was truly a Red Letter day, every event being an absolute success and those on the committee with Mrs. Donald Pague as chairman, appreciate the co-operation of everyone to make this important affair one of success.

Many ladies attended the meeting for Kennington, but a large number also attended for the various games of cards, there being thirteen tables of bridge at play with high honors going to Mrs. W. C. Jones, second prize to Mrs. Ward Fowler. "500" was played at three tables with high honors going to Mrs. Boylen. A great many people attended to learn the principles of Mah Jongg, and eight tables of this new popular game were at play with Mrs. Kearns having winning high honors, the second prize going to Mrs. G. L. Larison and Mrs. Rosecoe Nell winning the consolation prize.

During the supper hour which started at 5:30 o'clock approximately two hundred and fifty people were served with a delicious famale supper. Dancing also took place at this time with music furnished by Mrs. Ed. Holmes, Miss Mae Stearns, Ray Dunbar and Marilyn Mayger.

At the close of one of the most enjoyable affairs in the history of the Neighborhood club everyone expressed their congratulations to the committee and pronounced having a very pleasant time and a delightful supper.

Mrs. William Ash will entertain the Lucky Thirteen club tomorrow afternoon.

The Monday Bridge club met at the beautiful country home of Mrs. P. A. McDonald Monday afternoon and enjoyed cards. Three tables were at play and Mrs. P. L. Meyers secured the prize for the high score. Mrs. E. R. Ring with low score was awarded the consolation prize. An exquisite two-course luncheon was served.

The Clio club will meet Thursday evening, January 31, with Mrs. R. J. Green as hostess.

The Past Chiefs of the Pythian Sister lodge will entertain the new officers of the lodge at a hard time party Friday evening, at the K. of P. hall. All members are urged to be present.

The J. R. Carl club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Perry Caldwell as hostess.

Mrs. Clyde Kiddle will be hostess to the Alpha club tomorrow afternoon at her home in Island City.

The La Grande Business Women will hold a banquet at the Sommer hotel banquet room Thursday evening, January 14.

Flannel



It is seldom fashion is so reasonable and so attractive as in the case of this flannel frock. The skirt is box-pleated and the long-waisted blouse effect joins the skirt with a narrow hip band.

remains extremely popular today. One attempt to camouflage it into a larger appearance involves a big, fluffy ostrich plume fastened on the right side of the cape and hanging half way to the waist.

Black, White, Gold Costume.
London. — A remarkable three-piece costume shown here today is in black, white and gold. The skirt is black velvet. Over this, extending nearly to the knees, is a peasant blouse of white velvet embroidered in gold. The long black velvet cape is trimmed with white fox.

French Sailors Suffocated.
By Failures Intended for Rates HAVRE (AP). — The danger of fuming the holds of ships to exterminate rats without first sealing the whole ship of passengers and crew had been brought strongly to the attention of the French government as a result of the recent suffocation of several members of the crew of the Caroline.

The report to the government points out that, despite all possible precautions, it is impossible effectively to fumigate one hold without allowing the deadly fumes to seep through to other parts of the ship. Stricter regulations for "dis-ratting" ships are expected soon to be put into effect.

Vienna to Build on Large Scale VIENNA (AP). — The increasing congestion in housing has led Vienna to extend its building plans and instead of 5,000 lodgings it will construct 7,000 during the year.

Fashion Notes

Tan Covert Cloth.
New York. — Tan covert cloth is here again, to be made up into the smart tailored suits which spring demands. Other materials that will be in favor are twill and oxford suitings. Navy is as smart as black.

Little Hat Still Reigns.
Paris. — The very little hat re-

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ELGIN MAN IS IN HOSPITAL

William Peck Severely Injured by Fall From Hay Mow; Leg Fractured.

ELGIN (Special). — A very painful accident occurred to William Peck, an aged man who lives alone in his home about twelve miles northwest of Elgin. While feeding his stock recently he fell from the hay mow, a distance of about sixteen feet, breaking one leg above and below the knee.

In this condition he managed to drag himself to the house and set out a lantern as a signal of distress. A neighbor, Howard Good, saw the lantern and went to investigate, then drove to Elgin for a doctor. After giving all attention possible that night, Dr. Brocius thought it best to take the injured man to the hospital at La Grande. Mr. Good brought Mr. Peck by auto to Elgin and from here Dr. Brocius took him to the Grande Ronde hospital.

Word has been received by the local Knights of Pythias order of the death of Floyd McCully, at Walla Walla. He had been a member of the local lodge for several years and made his home here until a few years ago. He was about thirty years of age and had been in failing health for a number of years. His funeral was held at Walla Walla. This week under the direction of Columbia lodge of the Knights of Pythias.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Waldron returned this week from Portland and other places in Valley points. They have been away since Christmas time visiting relatives. Mrs. Waldron will be remembered as Miss Winifred Zwickel.

Arthur Halgarth came back from Portland to attend the funeral of J. W. Leighton. They had been firm friends for a number of years. Mr. Halgarth at various times assisted in Mr. Leighton's hardware store, during his attacks of illness.

Joshua J. Witty has been visiting relatives in Elgin and vicinity the past week. His home is now in Jerome, Idaho, though he has lived in Elgin before moving there. Quinlan and Darin Witty are his brothers.

Mrs. Edith Knowles, of Eugene, Mrs. Emma Armon, and Ned Leighton, of Portland and Waldo Harris, of Koko, Washington, were here to attend the funeral of the late J. W. Leighton. While here they were guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Brownell.

H. H. Weatherston has two teams with sleds, hauling away apples, which are thrown in the city rubbish heap. The first day's hauling disposed of about 2,000 boxes. Farmers about here are

urged to come and get the apples for feed for the stock, but no many are availing themselves of the opportunity. The apples are so tainted with the smoke of the fire as to be unfit for human consumption.

The new owners of the Elgin telephone company are going over the stock here, putting poles, lines and phones in condition to give the best service possible.

Earl Richardson made a business trip to La Grande Saturday. He and Mrs. Brocius and Mrs. Williams drove to La Grande on a business trip last Friday.

Dave Scott, of Joseph, drove over last week for a few days visit with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scott. During the past week, all of the Scott's sons and daughters have spent some time with them, making a reunion that has not been possible for several years.

The ladies Aid of the Methodist Church raised sixteen dollars at their food sale held Saturday. The money is to help pay for the plumbing and bathroom fixtures added to the parsonage last year.

The last reports from Louise Hall, who underwent an operation at the Grande Ronde hospital last week, are that her condition is entirely satisfactory. Owing to the seriousness of the operation it will be some time before she can leave the hospital, but all her friends are rejoicing at her good progress thus far. Mrs. Hall will remain with her for a few weeks yet.

Mrs. Merritt has been confined to her home by illness for the past several days.

Mrs. Kate Conley is spending some time in La Grande this week attending to business matters there.

Charles Phil McKinnis went to Imbler Monday to spend several days at work there.

Ed. Elmer, of Cove, was in Elgin Monday looking for a sawmill, which he wanted to buy for his own use. He was accompanied by Mr. Paige of Imbler.

Miss Georgia Scott is spending several days with her grand parents in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Halbrook, Harold Howard and Carl Halbrook drove down from La Grande Wednesday evening to attend the party at Hernal Hug's.

A neighborhood dancing party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hazelwood, of the Flat. Everyone spent an enjoyable evening.

The meeting held Thursday evening at the City Hall in the interests of the Wheat Growers was quite well attended. In addition to several talks by local men, the object of the meeting were forely brought out by A. R. Hunter and County Agent H. G. Avery.

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KIDNEY'S Minneapolis, Minn.

is reported in town. Homer Morris and D. E. Montgomery came up Sunday from the lumber camps.

P. A. Fager of Palmer Junction was a visitor in Elgin Monday.

Mrs. Vaughn gave a party for her little daughter last Friday evening at which a number of the tiny tots of the neighborhood gathered for an evening of fun.

Mrs. E. C. Gettings is recovering from her recent severe illness.

MODERN SHOES OUST OLD SATIN TYPES IN CHINA

PEKING (AP). — The encroachment of western civilization has revolutionized the shoe-making industry in Peking, according to the Chinese Economic Bulletin. When official shoes made of satin were in vogue among the well-to-do, and the poorer classes wore shoes made out of cotton cloth, the business was prosperous; but now the old-style shoes have been discarded for foreign style leather shoes which are imported, or made by another class of artisans from Shanghai or other treaty ports. For this reason Peking shoe-makers are engaged almost entirely in making cheap footwear for the poorer classes.

Another industry affected is baking. Owing to a liking for foreign-style pastry, the business of Chinese bakeries is falling off. Bread is being used more and more. A few years ago, it is said, there were in Peking more than 100 bakeries turning out Chinese food, whereas today there are only 127.

Medicine shops, although showing a decreased turnover, are less seriously affected because of the enormous profit to which the business tends itself.

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