

NEWS of SOCIETY

After the organ recital at the Presbyterian church last evening Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Richardson entertained informally at their home, where their guests had the opportunity of meeting Professor Lucian Becker and expressing to him personally their appreciation of his splendid program.

Assisting in the living room were Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Dutton and Mrs. and Mrs. Ray Williams. In the dining room, where refreshments were served from a beautifully appointed table, Mrs. J. A. Tedford presided at the coffee urn, while Mrs. H. A. Zuercher cut tea. Assisting in the serving were Mrs. W. H. Holmquist, Jr., and Mrs. Earl Reynolds.

Prof. Becker was the guest at the Richardson home while in the city. He left this morning.

Chapter I. P. E. O., was charmingly entertained yesterday at the home of Mrs. L. B. Moe, with Mrs. George Curry assisting as hostess. During the business session annual reports were given after which officers were elected and installed for the ensuing year as follows: President, Mrs. Wayne Wade; vice-president, Mrs. A. L. Richardson; secretary, Mrs. Edward Holmes; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Clyde Seitz; treasurer, Mrs. Lee Warnick; and guard, Mrs. Lawrence Dutton. Luncheon was served after which the club adjourned to meet March 20 with Mrs. J. K. Wright and Mrs. Clyde Seitz as hostesses.

The Parent-Teachers' association of Willow school met last evening at the school for the regular meeting. The president, Mrs. Wengie, presided and the following program was given: Recitation, Stella Kubly; Cherry Tree play, Mrs. Young's pupils; recitation, Annette Hanigan; "The Minuet." The minuet was danced by Miss Hanigan and Francis Smith; talk, "Child Moral," Mrs. George Lyman; two piano numbers, Nita Shultz, and two by Jane Shultz.

After refreshments were served the meeting adjourned.

Mrs. Ed. Boylen and Mrs. T. R. Maxwell proved themselves charming hostesses yesterday afternoon and evening when they entertained at cards at the Maxwell home. Singing prevailed in the beautiful decorations of sweet peas and pussy willows. In the afternoon the Island City Card club was entertained at

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THIS attractive frock is of washable silk in shades of gray and blue. It has a long vest front and the stripes are so arranged as to make their own trimming. This exaggerated V effect is very popular now.

Tables of bridge with Mrs. Gilbert Hunter winning high score for the first prize and the second prize going to Mrs. B. Froman. Mrs. R. Selly received the consolation prize. A two course luncheon was served at the close of the play.

In the evening five tables of "500" was entertained with Mrs. C. R. Mackey and Lester Bramwell winning high honors and the consolation prize going to J. M. P. Snyder.

Luncheon was served at an appropriate hour.

After the regular business meeting of the Pythian Sisters last evening at K. of P. hall the evening was spent socially honoring Mrs. A. B. Shannon, who will leave La Grande in the near future. The lodge presented Mrs. Shannon with a gold chain as a token of appreciation for the work she has done for the order. Mrs. J. R. Oiler presented the thimble and Mrs. Shannon made a few appropriate remarks thanking the ladies. Refreshments were served before adjournment.

Mrs. L. E. Standley entertained last evening honoring her husband's birthday anniversary. Four tables of cards were at play with high scores going to Mrs. J. C. Terry and August Erickson. Besides those playing cards several guests were present.

At an appropriate hour a dainty two course luncheon was served by the hostess.

The item appearing in last evening's Observer regarding a party given by Mrs. H. M. Bay was an error, due to misinformation.

Announcements

Social announcements may be printed in this column free of charge. Any announcements pertaining to any functions such as cooked food, parties, etc., will be refused. Announcements to be printed the same day, must be in society editor's hands by 9:00 o'clock. —News editor's note.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes and Mrs. E. L. Holmes will entertain the Wednesday Bridge club Wednesday evening, March 11, at the Hayes home.

Mrs. Chas. Playle will be hostess to the Monday Bridge club Monday afternoon, March 9, at her home at 1719 Second street.

The Young Women's Educational Auxiliary of the Methodist church will hold its monthly meeting Wednesday evening, March 11, at the home of Mrs. Sherwood Williams. The meeting will be in the form of a St. Patrick's party. The committee in charge is headed by Miss Neil Mahaffey.

Science to Study Effects Of Ocean Air On Girl

BERLIN (AP)—An interesting study of the effects of physical training upon women is being conducted on the island of Foehr, in the North Sea.

A group of young women will live on the island from now until May under the auspices of the German High School for Physical Training. They will have six hours of instruction daily in the open air, and regular exercises. Tests and measurements will be made to determine the growth of muscles and bones and the strengthening of the heart and brain by means of this rigorous course of training.

Once there was a cross-eyed man. You had to look at his feet to see which way he was going.

27 YEARS AGO

Daily Morning Observer, March 7, 1898—A. B. Conley has fourteen teams with from 6 to 14 horses in each plowing and seeding.

N. Nelson has purchased four choice building lots in the north part of the city and will erect a dwelling early in the summer.

George South, who has just returned from the Commercial college at Quincy, Illinois, has accepted a position as stenographer in the Cause, Pierce Real Estate office.

Our firemen mean business and have made all arrangements to begin active training next Wednesday evening. The training team will consist of fifteen men. If good men and hard training count La Grande will have the winning team.

Andrew Blockland is now wearing a broad smile, the reason therefor is that he is the father of a bouncing baby boy. Weight 10 pounds.

William Hanton has discovered a large ledge of building stone near his farm on Ladd creek. The sample he brought in with him is hard, of a reddish color, and is capable of receiving a new finish. S. R. Haworth examined it and is of the opinion that it will work quite easy and will be profitable if in sufficient quantity. Mr. Hanton will send a sample to the contractors who are building the government custom house in Portland.

School News

A few members are practicing for a short Latin play, to be given for the Latin club Wednesday night after school. All the conversation is in Latin. Lola Nelson is to have the leading part. A synopsis of the play is: Four small boys are teasing Marcus, a young boy who has been mean in school. The teacher has given him a little verse to write ten times. The boys tell him to write a different one because it will be much more effective. Of course he is not very intelligent and writes it the way the boys tell him. It is some joke on the teacher which Marcus doesn't understand. After he has finished he takes it to the teacher and reads it. Of course the teacher is enraged and gives Marcus a spanking. The other boys are "ticked to death" over this.

An assembly was called at 9 o'clock Friday at which time the Mimir staff explained to the student body the printing of this year's Mimir. Douglas Moe, Sam

Cochran, Velma McCall and Clifford Seitz gave some interesting talks on departments of the Mimir. Mr. Hampton talked on the Mimir and on the spirit which would carry the winning team through the tournament at Union and send them to the tournament at Salem. Miss Bennett explained to the Rooks the coat, cover and different sections of the year book, and urged them to order one as a souvenir of their first school days.

Thursday a senior class meeting was held to talk over graduation and the success of the Mimir.

A pep meeting was held Thursday at 9 o'clock to encourage the students to go to Union to see La Grande win from Enterprise. The pep leader had some trouble in the first yell, but after that the true La Grande spirit seemed to find its way into the hearts of the students, and Clifford Seitz had no more trouble.

An assembly was called by Mr. Hampton on Monday morning for the purpose of explaining the Art contest.

Mrs. E. P. Messman gave an interesting talk on the subject, explaining the rules and prizes. The prizes will be as follows: Ten dollars for the freshmen, fifteen for the sophomores, twenty-five for the juniors and fifty for the seniors.

The high school cafeteria has been running as successfully as usual this winter. It is supervised by Miss Lois Davis and managed by the students. The manager plans menus for one week, orders all the supplies for each day, and outlines the duties of each girl.

The assistant manager figures out the cost of the amount of food served each day, and determines the cost of each article to cover expenses.

During the week of March 5-13 Louise French will be manager, and Marian Lovette the assistant manager.

Alaskan Declares Literature Of Territory Is Not Distinctive

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP)—Although Alaska is a "storehouse of inspiration for distinctive Alaskan literature" there is a demand for writers to "accurately portray the beauty of Alaska and give the world a true picture of the territory," according to R. E. Robertson, a member of the Parent-Teacher Association here.

"I little doubt that if all the government reports and surveys by various companies written on Alaska were dumped down on Alaskan soil it would cover her 599,000 square miles so deep that Mt. McKinley, the highest peak on the North American continent, would be covered," said Mr. Robertson. "And, despite all that has been written about the territory, there is nothing really distinctive about Alaskan literature."

CHURCH NEWS

ZION ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH—M Ave., opposite high school. Bible school at 5:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. Luther League devotion at 6:30 p. m. Lenten services Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.—Wm. F. Holl, pastor.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Sunday school meets at 9:45 a. m. H. A. Fox, superintendent. We invite all who have no church affiliation to meet with us in the study of the Bible. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor on the theme: "The First National Bank of Heaven." Children's sermon theme: "The Sign in the Park." B. Y. P. E. meets at 6:30 p. m. All young people invited. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. M. D. Eubank, medical missionary to China, will be the speaker. Dr. Eubank is a most pleasing speaker. His talk will be a treat for all and we bespeak for him a good hearing. The public is invited.—George Albert Pollard, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH—Ber A. Powell, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. W. A. Egan, Supl. This is a school with a purpose. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. Subject: "The Passion of the Saviour." Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "Christianity and Personality."

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE—The Home of Old Time Religion. Lane Chapel, corner First and Lane. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Evangelistic service at 7:30 p. m. Many have found out where we are, and are coming back. Why not make a start this Sunday and find out for yourself the message we have for people.—J. F. Ransom, pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—The church stands for the higher virtues of life. It directs the energies of life in proper channels. It propagates the good of mankind and produces the forces of life. Withdraw the church forces from the world today and tomorrow we will have civil, industrial, moral and spiritual anarchy. Yet some folks say they are under no obligation to the church. Our services at the church on Sunday begin at 9:45 in the Bible school session. A class for everyone. Men's class, taught by Dr. McPherson invites every man not attending elsewhere to its study. Preaching by the pastor at the eleven o'clock service. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening meeting at 7:30. Our evening meetings are "Worth while meetings." We extend to you a most cordial invitation to everything going on at the church. See the newly

decorated auditorium Sunday.—O. W. Jones, minister.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Tomorrow morning's worship service at 11 o'clock will afford the unique opportunity to all to participate in the dedication of the new pipe organ. Mrs. Berry will play "Songs in the Night" by Lorenz as the dedicatory selection, as well as use the new instrument for all of the musical work. Our quartet will render an anthem: "Fear Not, O Israel" by Spieker and the minister will bring the second message in the Lenten series. As we come to the dedication of this new organ, it is with a sense of real gratitude for the privilege of dedicating it to the glory of God and the welfare of His children. An opportunity for the presentation of children for the rite of baptism in connection with the morning service. We invite all to share with us in our happiness. Our Sunday school at 9:45 with additional equipment in the primary department to help us take care of the increasing numbers. Our Christian Endeavor at 6:15 for all young folks. Our community Bible class at 7:30 with real interest in the study of Romans. May the Lenten ideals of Bible study, prayer, worship, witnessing be a part of your spiritual life these days.—Wm. Crosby Ross, minister.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—"A Cross Service" at the hour of evening worship at 7:30 p. m. with the illumination of an electric cross, great Hymns

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of the Cross and a sermon on the subject of the Cross will be the program in which all present will take some part. Let us note that the service is now held at 7:30 and not at 5 p. m. The pastor will use a related subject in the service of worship at 11:00 a. m. The church school up to the Intermediate department will open at 9:45. The adult classes at 10:00 a. m. The Men's Forum will have Reverend O. W. Jones for the speaker of the day. We have had a wonderful response to the themes and programs during the Vesper season and trust that those interested in the ongoing of the Kingdom as this church is responsible will not lessen their influence and interest that the services are held at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST—Corner of First and Washington. Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject: "Man." Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. (The reading room, now located in West-Jacobson Bldg., Room 3, is open daily except Sunday and legal holidays, from 12 M to 4:30 p. m. daily). All are invited.

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