

# NEWS of SOCIETY

## Party Compliments

**Irs. Bollons**  
Complimenting Mrs. William Bollons, who will leave La Grande soon to make her home in Portland, Mrs. T. Andrews entertained at an attractive bridge-luncheon Wednesday afternoon at her home on Emmavilla avenue. Luncheon was served at two prettily appointed tables at 1:15 o'clock with covers laid for twenty. The tables were decorated in a lovely color theme of green, gold and white, and in these colors made an effective centerpiece.

Four tables of bridge followed luncheon with Mrs. J. F. O'Connell winning high score. Mrs. A. Bowen received the consolation prize and Mrs. Bollons, guest of honor, was presented with the guest rice.

## Dinner Honors

**Irs. Ballard**  
In honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. B. Ballard, Mrs. John Stoddard entertained at a dinner party Wednesday evening at her home on North street. Covers were laid for Mrs. George Stoddard, Mrs. Ballard, Ralph and Bobby Stoddard, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ingle and Mr. and Mrs. John Stoddard. The centerpiece was a lovely bouquet of daffodils and sweet peas.

Mrs. Ballard has been visiting in La Grande for the past ten days at the home of her mother, Mrs. George Stoddard. She was formerly Miss Jeanette Stoddard of this city and has many friends here. He left yesterday morning for her home at Salt Lake City, Utah.

## Carnation Club

**Lost to 100 Guests**  
The Carnation club of the Degree of Honor entertained 100 guests at a bridge Wednesday evening at Eagles hall. Symbols of St. Patrick's day were attractively carried out in the decorations of the hall. Refreshments were served at an appropriate hour.

During the refreshment hour Mrs. Harold Leman gave several high selections on the piano. Mrs. Linn Card, state vice president, was introduced to the guests and gave an interesting talk, explaining the value of an organization such as the degree of honor and also complimented the members of La Grande lodge No. 103 on the work they are doing—both social and fraternal.

The Carnation club is just newly organized and as this is the first attempt at a social affair of this kind, Mrs. Card assured the members of their ability to entertain.

During the evening's play at cards Mrs. Harry Gilmore and Miss Nilda Engela won high scores among the ladies. A. V. Sanford and C. E. Wale received the gentlemen's prizes.

## Preparing For Easter Monday Dance

A glimpse into the past will be given those attending the old-time dance and entertainment at Zuber hall Easter Monday, April 5. Great interest is being shown in the old-time fiddlers' contest and such old-time strains as "The Money Musk" and "The Blue Danube" will be heard. A prize of ten dollars will be given the winner.

In keeping with the character of the dance an old-fashioned piece of work quilt is to be given away. A five-dollar prize awaits the couple best demonstrating the grace and charm of the waltz. A search

## General Aid Society

**Meets at Hanford Home**  
Members of the General Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church had an interesting meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lee Hanford. Thirty ladies were present and took part in the business session presided over by Mrs. Sherwood Williams, president of the society. The committee in charge of the "canshing chain" luncheons gave a very favorable report and it was decided to continue the luncheons until December 1, giving all members an opportunity to entertain.

A social hour followed the business meeting during which time Mrs. A. W. Lottel gave a humorous reading. Miss Mabel Doty also gave a reading. Luncheon was served by the members of the first division before adjournment.

## Bridge Club Members

**Entertained**  
Mrs. Herbert Pattison won high score among the ladies present and Verne Almsworth the gentlemen's prize last evening when Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Nowland entertained the members of the Swastika Bridge club. Mrs. T. H. Maxwell received the guest prize. The home was cleverly decorated in a green color scheme, in keeping with St. Patrick's day. After the games a two-course luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Purry will entertain the club at its next meeting April 1.

## Lucky Thirteen Club

**Meets with Mrs. Sawyer**  
Mrs. W. G. Sawyer entertained the members of the Lucky Thirteen club at luncheon at 1:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Green, honoring St. Patrick's day, predominated in the decorations of the luncheon table and the living room where three tables of bridge were formed following luncheon. Lovely bouquets of green carnations and yellow daffodils were used.

Mrs. F. L. Lilly received high score among the club members at bridge and Mrs. F. L. Babston won the guest prize.

## Mrs. Hill Entertains

**At Bridge Party**  
Lovely bouquets of spring flowers were used to decorate the Hill home Wednesday evening when Mrs. Henry T. Hill was hostess to the members of the Wednesday Evening Bridge club. Mrs. Turner Oliver won high score during the evening's play, after which a two-course luncheon was served by the hostess.

## Children Guests

**At Birthday Party**  
Honoring the fourth birthday anniversary of her little son, Dickie, Mrs. William L. Allen entertained ten children at a party yesterday afternoon. Various games were enjoyed by the children until about 4 o'clock when they were seated at a luncheon table and refreshments were served. A feature of the luncheon was a prettily decorated birthday cake with four lighted candles. Favors were given each little guest. After luncheon Dickie was presented with many birthday gifts.

The children present were Catherine Avery, David Douglas, Junior Olsen, Buster Cade, Justine Cade, Mary Jane Heasler, Cathleen Williamson, Wayne Williamson, Harold Lockwood, Melba Smith and the honor guest and his little sister, Betty Mae.

## Missionary Society

**Discusses China**  
"China" was the subject Wednesday afternoon when the Missionary society of the Lutheran church met at the home of Mrs. John Lottel. Mrs. L. J. Elbert had charge of the lesson study hour. Preceding the discussion of the topic Mrs. Ferilnaud Jensen, president of the society, presided over a short business session.

The April meeting of the society will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Hansen.

## Union Picture Library

**Formally Opened**  
Union's picture library was formally opened yesterday afternoon when the women's club of Union met at the home of Mrs. John Dohbin, with a large attendance. Miss Caldwell, chairman of the picture library promoted by the club, was present and showed several of the pictures included in the library. The pictures are similar to those in the La Grande library with the story of the picture on the back of each.

Mrs. E. P. Mossman, chairman of the art division of the state federation of women's clubs who started the idea of picture libraries in Oregon, was present and gave an interesting address on "Art in the Home."

During the social hour the coming convention of the state federation of women's clubs here was enthusiastically discussed by the members of the Union club. Several ladies who were present when the state federation was organized in Portland and also present for the state convention in La Grande eighteen years ago, recalled those meetings and expressed how enthusiastically they were looking

## Swiss Club Meets

**At Fitzgerald Home**  
Members of the Swiss club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. M. Fitzgerald, 1411 X avenue. Needlework was the diversion of the afternoon after which the hostess served refreshments.

This club was recently organized here. The members are Mrs. C. Hildebrandt, Mrs. L. E. Evans, Mrs. Fritz Hoffman, Mrs. August Hoffman, Mrs. Orin Lovin, Mrs. Walter Swartz and Mrs. W. M. Fitzgerald.

Perry (Special)—The Perry relief society gave a party Wednesday afternoon in the community

## N. O. W. in Social Session

Twenty members of the Neighbors of Woodcraft lodge met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Clyde Sullivan, captain of the lodge drill team. During the business session plans were made for a cooked food sale to raise money for the drill team.

A social hour was observed and refreshments served before adjournment.

## Women Compliment Their Husbands

Mrs. Glenn Salling and Mrs. Lonnie Lilly entertained at a surprise party Tuesday night honoring the birthday anniversaries of their husbands, the birthday of one being March 16 and the other March 17. Sixteen friends were present and a delightful evening was spent at games, following the serving of luncheon, a feature of which was a birthday cake.

## 12,000 Women Pay Tribute To Workers

NEW YORK, Mar. 19. (AP)—Forty-nine of the most distinguished business and professional women of the United States have been elected honorary members of the American Women's association as a tribute to their ability.

Madison Square Garden, its scoreboards covered with the yellow and blue of the women's association, and a speakers' platform in place of a ring, last night echoed to the applause of 12,000 women, gathered to honor the "woman who works."

Mary Pickford, breaking her silence on a public platform for the first time since she played the role of "The Good Little Devil," classified herself as a business woman.

An interesting program was given consisting of a duet number by Mrs. David Johnson and Mrs. C. C. Johnson, a piano solo by Mrs. G. H. Ballantine, a duet by Mrs. T. Hansen and Mrs. H. B. Larsen and addresses by Mrs. Guy Trippe and Mrs. E. H. Turner.

After the program the remainder of the afternoon was spent at games and visiting. Delicious refreshments were served at an appropriate hour.



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Doug Praised Women.  
Mr. Fairbanks was prevailed upon to speak and paid tribute to all women, calling them "incorruptible except when it comes to telling their ages."

Madame Schumann-Holk sang "The Star Spangled Banner," her applause rivalling that accorded Miss Pickford.

The women honored represented every state in the country and the District of Columbia. Twenty-five were present in person and the rest represented by proxy.

Among the women honored are doctors, lawyers, writers, educators, a governor, a mayor, an industrial engineer, a racing stable owner, a postmistress, a justice of the peace, a sheep rancher, and a civil service commissioner.

Speaking on "From The Cave to the Ballot Box," Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, suffragette leader, declared that the "women's lot was happy before the day of the cave, in the garden of Eden, where Adam is pictured as strong, but not too strong." The cave brought on all the trouble, she said. "Psychologists who say women like to be dragged around by the hair are wrong—women only did then what women had always done, pretended to like what they couldn't help." Since then women have gradually worked themselves out of the hair-dragging stage of the happy possibilities of today, she said.

parting of the ways in their week-old venture as stage producer of the countless play "Ashes of Love," Carroll who put on the play here last Monday said in New York last night that he had said his interest in it to the countess because she insisted on an immediate presentation of it on Broadway. At the same time announcement credited to the countess was made here that she had asked Carroll to close down the show tomorrow and cancel its New York engagement and that he "said he would think it over."

"ASHES OF LOVE" PRODUCERS PART; MAY CLOSE SHOW

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