NEWS of SOCIETY

Mrs. Dixon Entertains Alpha Club Members

Luncheon was served at 1:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon when Mrs. H. E. Dixon was hostess to the Alpha club at her home on Second street. Luncheon was served at two tables, which were prettily decorated in a red and yellow color scheme. Red roses and snapdragons served as a centerpiece and were arranged about the other rooms of the home. Little ladies, suggestive of spring, were used as favors.

Five tables of bridge were arranged after luncheon. Mrs. H. M. Ray received high score among the club members and Mrs. Norman Frees won the guest prize.

Mrs. Clyde Kiddle will be the next hostess to the club at her home at Island City.

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Piano Students In Recital

A large crowd attended the program at the library auditorium last evening when Miss Hilda Anthony presented fourteen grade and high school students in piano recital. Nine of the children played one number each and were well received by those present. They were: Virginia Shaw, Margaret Dixon, George Stoddard, Sylvia Hodgin, Lucile Thompson, Maravene Kiddle, Barbara Coolidge, Helen Sargent and Russell Nelson.

Edwin Kirby, Mildred Standley, Adolph Siegrist, Clark Ruckman each played groups of two numbers very nicely and Jean Williams closed the evening's program with a group of three selections.

Assisting the piano students was Miss Bertha Berger, soprano, who rendered two solo numbers sweetly. Her selections were: "Retreat" by La Forge and "Daffodil Gold" by Hodgenson. Miss Mildred Lovett, piano accompanist, was also excellent.

Two large baskets of blue and yellow iris decorated the stage forming a delightful setting for the program.

This is the last student recital to be given by Miss Anthony this year. After this week she will discontinue lessons until September 1. She will leave Saturday night for Chicago where she will spend the summer studying.

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Dinner Compliments Mr. and Mrs. Davis

Complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davis, who have been spending their honeymoon in La Grande with Mr. Davis's sister, Mrs. W. C. Crews, Mr. and Mrs. Audmer Playle entertained at dinner last evening at six o'colck at their home on Fourth street. Covers were laid for six—Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Crews and Mr. and Mrs. Playle. A lovely bouquet of sweetpeas served as a centerpiece.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis were married at Salem, Oregon last Saturday and since then have been guests at the Crews home here. Mrs. Davis was formerly Miss Gene Rowland, of Salem. They left this morning en route to Salem and from there will go to Albany, where they expect to make their future home.

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J. B. Club Meets At Douhan Home

Bouquets of garden flowers in yellow and white were used to decorate the home of Mrs. Carl Douhan yesterday afternoon when she entertained the members of the J. B. club. The same pretty color scheme was carried out in the dainty luncheon served at the close of the afternoon.

Bridge was the principal diversion with Mrs. William Wilson winning high score and Mrs. Ambrose Wright the consolation prize.

Mrs. E. H. Boylen will entertain the club two weeks from yesterday.

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Cove Club Entertains La Grande Women

Twenty-five members of the Parkdale club went to Cove Tuesday afternoon of this week, where they were entertained by the women of the Cove Civic club. The guests met at the Cove library at about 2:30 o'clock and from there were taken to the grove, where the Cove cherry festival is held. A program was given by members of the Cove club, and luncheon served.

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Recital to Be Held Tomorrow

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock Miss Mildred Lovett will present a group of beginners in piano recital at the library auditorium. Five children will take part in the program and will be assisted by three violin students of Florence Lynch Miller — Margaret Pollard, Sam Ashby and Seville Pratt. Each music student will explain their selection by a story or poem. The public is invited to attend.

Following is the program to be given:

Daffodils ..... Livsey
Robin's Message ..... Livsey
Jeanne French
Song of the Sea Shell ..... Krogmann
George Denny
Jack Denny
Humpty Dumpty ..... Wright
Hickory Dickory Dock ..... Wright
Village Blacksmith ..... Grosse
Geraldine Last
Alla Turca ..... Schmidt
Sam Ashby
My Dolly Dear ..... Erb
Othel Wittenberg
Katy-did ..... Erb
Key of D ..... Gardner
George Denny
Evening Song ..... Barnett
Gavotte in G ..... Roberts
Margaret Pollard
Hark the Band ..... Erb
Key of B Flat ..... Gardner
Jack Denny
Water Lilly ..... Ducelle
Jeanne French
Othel Wittenberg
Sarabande ..... Bohn
Seville Pratt
Petite Carnival ..... Streabbog
Little Prince ..... Krogmann
George Denny
Jack Denny
Othel Wittenberg
Dolly's Lullaby ..... Livsey
Varsovennie ..... Rogers
Jeanne French

Announcements

Social announcements may be printed in this column free of charge. Any announcements pertaining to any functions such as cooked food sales, 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.

There will be a special meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen this evening at Eagles hall. Mrs. Mary Connell, vice grand president, of Denver, Colo., will be in attendance. All members are asked to bring handkerchiefs for a shower for the visiting officer.

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All members of Oliver P. Morton Relief Corps No. 37 and all G. A. R.'s are requested to meet at the K. P. hall Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. From the hall they will go to the Presbyterian church to hear the Memorial day address to be given by the Rev. W. C. Ross.

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All Royal Neighbors wishing to go to Baker June 12 for the district convention are asked to notify the recorder so reservations can be made. No reservations will be made after June 4.

Minerva Says---

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"PIONEER HISTORY OF UNION COUNTY"

(Continued From Page 1.)

gon. The name La Grande was given by Henry Dause, a Frenchman, who called it La Grande Vallee, meaning the grand valley.

The hotel in La Grande was owned and operated by P. A. Mehaffy, and later by Frank Dick. J. K. Remig owned the blacksmith shop. There was also a meat market and brewery. Before the brewery was built, the land was used as a camping ground by the pioneers because a stream on it furnished water. There was a mill in the canyon now known as Mill canyon, worked and owned by Mr. Wilkinson. The furniture store was owned by H. E. Huntington and the carpenter was Sam Sauder. Mr. Sauder made all of the furniture which was not shipped in. Messers. E. S. and J. T. McCommes edited the first newspaper, Cage Baker was the first lawyer and Doctor Biggers, the first doctor. A small millinery shop was kept by Nettie Akley, a drug store by Ferninand Newlin and a harness shop by Mac Hirder. This was the largest business section in the Grande Ronde valley.

The homes in La Grande were some of the first in the surrounding country, which were not built on the community style. Among the first to build homes in La Grande were the Leasys, Hardings, Grandys, Prebstels, Rhinearsons, Snoggrasses and a few others.

I was then told about the lack of conveniences. The people used candles and some only lighted pine knots for lighting purposes. They had a very poor telephone system which was installed in the hotel and over which it was very difficult to hear. The streets and roads were only wagon tracks and in the country during wet weather sometimes only a quarter of a mile a day was made by the stages.

In the early eighties, came the railroad. This was the beginning of the new town. Uncle Joe Palmer gave the site for the present town. Gradually the population moved down to the railroad. The Bower sisters built the first house in that district. The hotel was the Blue Mountain house and stood where the Eagles' hall is now located. Mr. Snodgrass owned the Gazette, which stood where the Blue Mountain creamery now stands. The first store which followed the railroad was owned by Mr. Wildy and the first restaurant by Will Ford. Ben Grandy was elected the first mayor, and Mr. C. H. Finn, of Portland, was the second.

In 1872, the county seat contest began. Union and La Grande wanted the county seat. It was after much trouble, finally located at La Grande. This contest had more bitterness than any other political contest in Oregon.

The Indians never molested the inhabitants except in the year 1878. They had for many years come to this valley to fix their camas and dry their fish, but they had always come peacefully. In 1878, they began bothering the people by killing sheep. The inhabitants becoming alarmed planned in case of an atack to ring the Methodist church bell so as to warn the women and children in time for them to reach the fort, which was the Blue Mountain university. This was never necessary although the Indians were evidently unfriendly with the whites at this time because Mr. Coggons is resident of La Grande, was slain by them. Mr. Coggons was the owner of the Pelican station and of many of the stages. In spite of this the Indians were really never very hostile and a real "war-whoop" was never heard in the Grande Ronde valley. There were other small towns and trading posts in Union county.

Other Towns

Island City. Here Mr. Cavinees had the first water rights in Union county. He owned with Mr. Goodnough and Mr. Holmes the mill, bank and store.

Cove was first called Forest Cove, but was changed because it was often confused with Forest Grove. The orchard was put in by Mr. Gears.

Hot Lake was homesteaded by Fitzgerald and Neward. Mr. Fitzgerald died a short time after it was taken and Mr. Neward kept it alone for a time. Travellers were always welcome while he was there. During the winter he would drive them in and give them a bowl of what he called oyster soup. It was made up of a preparation of hot water from the lake with a little salt and pepper.

"Stumptown"

Perry was originally known as Stumptown. It was owned first by individuals. Later when it was in Mr. Stubley and Mr. Smith's hands, it received the name of Perry.

Union was on the stage line and it was a thriving town at this time, but it never grew as La Grande did.

Thus from a valley settled only by Indians, a thriving community sprang up.

There are now in Union county only a few remaining of the pioneers who helped to build it to what it is now.

When we are enjoying some conveniences of the present day, is it through carelessness or through thoughtlessness that we never think of the hardships and the sufferings of the brave men and women who made them possible for us? It seems fitting we should engrave in history the story of these wondrous deeds of heroism and sacrifice that the coming generations may have an ideal to look up to.

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Dinner — Roast veal, creamed macaroni, green beans with onions, ham and spinach salad, orange Spanish cream, whole wheat bread, milk, coffee.

The ham and spinach salad use up the left-overs from the preceding dinner.

Vegetable timbales provide a delectable way to use up bits of left-over vegetables. The vegetables are added to a thick white sauce and eggs and then baked in individual molds surrounded by hot water.

Green Beans with Onion

One quart green beans, 3 medium sized onions, 4 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 1 teaspoon celery seed, salt and papper, 4 tablespoons stock or gravy.

"Head and tail" beans and cut in diamond shaped pieces. Cook in boiling water until tender. Drain if necessary and add 2 tablespoons butter, lemon juice, salt and celery seed. Combine with onions finely chopped and cooked until tender in remaining butter and stock. Be sure the mixture is very hot before serving.

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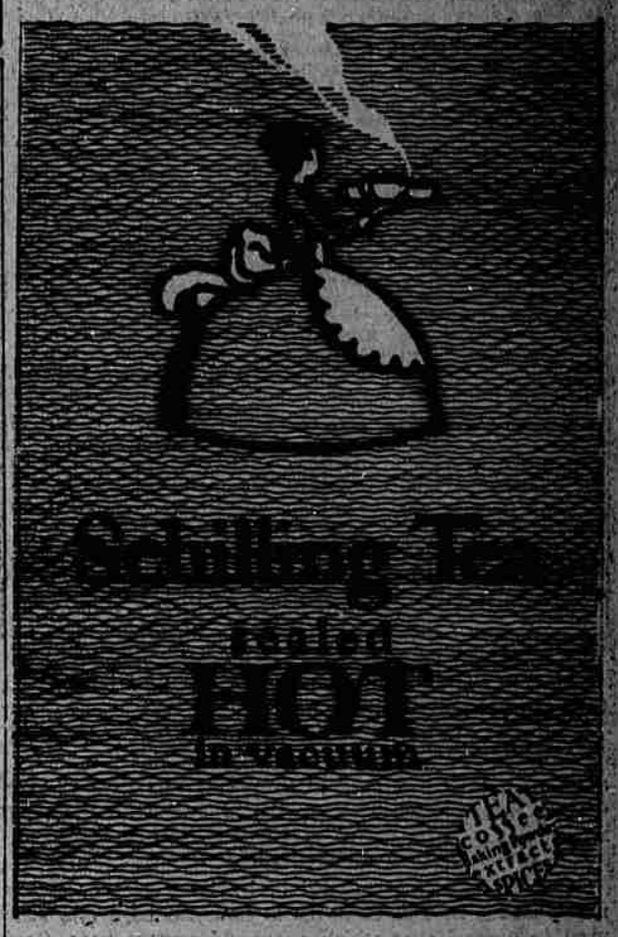

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