

# SOCIETY NEWS

## Bridge Club Is Entertained by Mrs. G. H. Fogle

Mrs. Grant H. Fogle was hostess to the members of the Friday afternoon Bridge club yesterday afternoon at the Union hotel with luncheon at 1:15 o'clock.

Covers were laid for 17 around large tables decorated in the Hallowe'en color scheme, black and orange. Bouquets of chrysanthemums in a deep orange shade were in the center of the table and little mint baskets were orange and black with place cards in the same colors.

Four tables of bridge were set up in the living room after luncheon. Chrysanthemums in the same color were used for decorations. Card table coverings and place cards were orange and black.

Mrs. Sam Harris won high score among the club members at bridge and Mrs. Charles Wale received second prize. The guest prize went to Mrs. Dwight W. Jesse.

With members of the Island City Bridge club as their guests, Mrs. I. A. Snyder and Mrs. L. M. Hoyt entertained last evening at the Snyder home on Oak street.

It was the first meeting of the bridge club since a four-month lull during the summer months. Social tables were at play. Mrs. August Mosler won high score among women and Elmo Clegg received the men's prize.

Many bouquets of autumn flowers were arranged about the room, a Hallowe'en color scheme of orange and black predominating in the other decorations.

After the card games a two-course luncheon was enjoyed by those present.

Mr. William Mitchell and Mrs. Herbert Wardell will entertain the club members at their next meeting two weeks from last night, at the home of Mrs. Mitchell at Island City.

Members of the N. B. B. club were entertained Thursday afternoon when Mrs. Nellie Spencer was hostess at her home on Tenth street. Three tables of bridge were at play. Mrs. H. W. Ribbey, in high score. Mrs. Mat Coakley received second prize.

Bouquets of purple asters were used to decorate the rooms. A two-course luncheon followed the card games.

The club will meet again next week with Mrs. E. C. Coughenow as hostess.

## P-T. Association Hears Addresses

The Riveria Parent-Teacher association spent an interesting afternoon yesterday at the school with Mrs. George M. Pierce, president, presiding over the short business session, when the athletic committee reported that it had \$15 on hand for the Riveria football players.

The membership drive chairman, Mrs. Clyde Davis and Mrs. J. Towery, also reported. Mrs. Davis reported 43 new members and Mrs. Towery 109. The winning team in the drive will be entertained by the losing side at a future meeting.

During the program hour, Mrs. Cooper sang, accompanied by Mrs. Ralph Clark at the piano; Mrs. Camp, second grade teacher, gave a reading and R. B. Huron discussed the armory bill to be voted upon at the election next month. Mrs. Ralph Clark played a piano number and the seventh grade students sang. Ernest Tuferson and Edna Towery each played piano solos. C. R. Eberhard, chairman of the school board, closed the program with a talk on the proposed normal school for Eastern Oregon.

Mrs. Pierce, president of the association, was appointed a delegate to represent the Riveria Parent-Teacher association at the state convention to be held at Salem in November.

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## Minerva Says—

Last year there were six new shoe stores started in Oregon and Washington, selling Tweedle shoes for women exclusively. Towns as follows: Spokane, Seattle, Aberdeen, Tacoma, Eugene and Salem. These stores are working from two to seven salesmen in each store. If Tweedle makes of shoes were not good, how do they run these stores as they do. Latest patterns, good fitters and good wear at moderate prices. We have shoes priced from \$3.95 to \$6.95 for ladies' and big girls' sizes. Arch-Aid and Red Cross Shoes, \$10.00.

## The BOOTERY

High Style, Medium Price

## THOR WASHERS Reduced

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La Grande Electric Co. 1412 Adams Ave. "Everything Electrical"



Many people ask us the question—What is the secret method of your advertising? because they see great crowds of people gathering at our place of business and within the last thirty days we have taken in almost \$10,000 in spot cash out of a country that some people think is hard-up. We have no secret method neither do we shoot with a saved off shot gun just at random. We buy material that we know the people need then we put a price on it on the low margin profit plan that draws the trade for many miles. Strong personality will not take the money from the customers and put it in the sellers pocket. There must be something in the quality of the merchandise and also the reasonableness of price. We have a good selection of chicken house window sash that you can have some small ones for 75c each. Then we have some large 2 ft. by 1 ft. that you can have for \$1.45 each. Most everybody knows that this is headquarters for all kinds of paint material. I will be safe in saying that we have sold scores of gallons of even red wagon paint. Blacksmith farmers and truck men buy lots of this red wagon paint. The price is \$2.75 per gallon. Why wouldn't they? We have a lot more doors that are good. They are \$2.90 each. Four inch wall paint brush for \$1.10. Orders are coming in for Rock Spring coal—\$11.70 per ton delivered. I am too busy to say more.

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"The Poor Man's Friend"  
Near Foundry, Phone Main 248  
No Sunday Business.

## Serpent Stick



And now the snake-skin cane. It will be quite popular with well dressed men as it blends so well with the new fall fashions.

Songnetaha chapter of campfire girls were present Thursday afternoon when the regular weekly meeting was held in the domestic science department of the school building.

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## Announcements

Social announcements may be printed in this column free of charge. Any announcements pertaining to any function 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.

The second regular meeting of the La Grande Neighborhood club this year will be Tuesday afternoon in the club rooms in the library building. A music program will be given. "Women Composers of America" being the subject. Mrs. H. N. Ashby is chairman of the program committee.

John S. Hodgkin will address the Marytha Bible class Sunday morning during the regular Sunday school session at 10 o'clock. All members are urged to be there.

The Art Research class will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. Westenhaver, 608 N. avenue.

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## OFFICE CAT

The negro collector in a church was seen taking 50 cents from the collection plate.

Minister: Why Rastus, I never did think you would steal.

Rastus: Steal? Lawdy no, boss. That's my half dollar—I done started de collection wid dat for de last 10 years.

A Mexican and an American who work on the night shift of a Kansas salt plant ate their mid-night lunch together. On several occasions the Mexican had rabbit meat in his pail, and he shared his supply generously with his comrade.

One night the American asked: "Where do you get rabbits, Jose? I can't find any."

"My wife, she get 'um," Jose replied. "She say ever' night they come 'round the house and make noise. She shoot 'm."

"Noise? Rabbits don't make noise."

"Sure," Jose asserted, positively. "Go meow, meow."

**BROTHERS IN THE BOND**

Her lips were like two roses. Her eyes were blue and teasing. The kind I can't resist.

Her hair was gold and curly. (But there's a point to note). She was my brother's sweetheart. And I was just the goat!

Reginald, 19 years old, against the wishes of his parents, married a young woman of the church. Just after the ceremony, in telling a friend how to break the

news to his father and mother, he said: "Tell them first I am dead; then gently work up to the climax."

## ALPHABETICAL TELEPHONE CONVERSATION

L. O. that you L.N?  
ES, it's L.  
How R U?  
O, I M O' K, J.  
G, that's good.  
Y, do U ask?  
I thought U and I could take a ride in my SX.  
O I M Dighted.  
Can U take T with me this evening?  
Sure thing, that L.B.E.Z. for me.  
C U at seven.  
L.L.B. ready.

Heaven bless us! Just a little while ago we were horrified by September morn.

"Does your wife take to bridge?"  
"She takes to it more than she brings back."

## DWARF A MOTHER

MONTREAL, Que.—Mrs. Philippe Nicol, who is 38 inches tall and weighs 100 pounds, at 39, is the happy mother of a 2½ pound boy, her first child. Her husband is two inches taller and 10 pounds heavier than she. They were married 20 years ago. On the stage they are known as "Count and Countess."

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