

SOCIETY NEWS

Mrs. L. I. Busey Is Hostess To Society Members

Members of the Westminster society of the First Presbyterian church met last night at the home of Mrs. L. I. Busey. A short business session was held early in the evening, after which the society members spent the remainder of the meeting doing over-sewing.

A sociable was enjoyed before adjournment, when the hostess served refreshments.

The Art Research class met for regular study yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. H. Claycomb. Two interesting reports were given during the afternoon, one by Mrs. C. M. Humphreys on "Greek Artists," and the other concerning the picture "The Feast of St. Nicholas" by Jan Steen, which was given by Mrs. H. J. Ritter.

Mrs. E. A. McEachran, principal of Central school, gave a report of the Oregon State Teachers' association meeting, which she attended last week, yesterday afternoon when the City Council of the Parent-Teacher associations met in regular session at the Neighborhood club rooms.

The regular routine of business occupied the short business meeting, which was presided over by the president, Mrs. C. E. McPherson.

Russell Ralston Married Jan. 1

Word has been received here of the marriage of Russell Ralston, brother of Dr. F. L. Ralston of this city, and Miss Grace Uhlen, at Los Angeles, Cal., on New Year's day.

Russell Ralston is well known in La Grande, having attended the public schools here, graduating from the local high school with the class of 1914. After finishing her education here he graduated from the University of Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralston plan to make San Francisco their home.

Oliver P. Morton Relief Corps No. 37 held public installation of officers yesterday afternoon at the Knights of Pythias hall, with Mrs. Rebecca Koehrsperger acting as installing officer.

Mrs. Laura Braden was re-elected as president of the corps; Mrs. Laura Davis, senior vice; Mrs. Eva Smith, junior vice; Mrs. Effie Stang, secretary; Mrs. Eleanor Carr, treasurer; Mrs. Ella Smith, chaplain; Mrs. Anna Roesch, conductor; Mrs. Amy DeLooney, guard; Mrs. Rebecca Koehrsperger, organist; Mrs. Mattie Golden, press correspondent; Mrs. Ella Gates, musician; Mrs. Ella Ryan, organist.

Minerva Says—

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After the installation Mrs. Kochensparger, installing officer, was presented with a set of book ends by the corps members.

Plans were made for the next regular dinner, which will be Saturday, Jan. 15. Members of the committee in charge are: Mesdames Effie Stang, Ella Smith, Eva Smith, Lorena Smith and Nellie Smith.

On Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock the annual meeting of St. Peter's Episcopal guild will be held at Honan hall and officers for the new year will be elected. Reports of committees during the past year will be heard and new committees appointed.

The retiring officers, Mrs. H. A. Zurbick, president; Mrs. E. Marks, secretary; and Mrs. E. L. Holmes, treasurer, will be the hostesses.

Entertains Club At Knight Home

UNION (Special).—Mrs. Bert Knight was hostess to the members of the Carman club and a few guests at her home in North Union at a 1:15 o'clock luncheon Thursday afternoon.

The table was decorated with evergreen and various colored lights. Places were marked for 12. While a three-course luncheon was being served, Mrs. Justina Spencer, of La Grande, who spent the Christmas vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Knight, sang several solos, accompanying herself at the piano.

After luncheon the afternoon was spent visiting. Mrs. George Baird read a story from the American magazine entitled "Dad and Will Find Out What It Means to Be Rich."

Those present besides the club members were Mrs. W. M. DeWinn, Mrs. Leonard Davis, Mrs. Dora Myers, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Viola Parker and Mrs. W. O. Haggerty.

UNION (Special).—Mrs. P. M. Little entertained the members of the Lucky Thirteen club Thursday evening at the Union hotel at a 6:30 o'clock dinner.

Covers were laid for 16 around a table decorated with red carnations. A four-course dinner was served.

Afterwards the guests were taken to the Little home in North Union, where bridge was played at four tables for the remainder of the evening. Mrs. L. Z. Terrell made high score among the club members and Mrs. Kerr received the guest prize. The consolation prize went to Mrs. T. F. Terrill.

Announcements

The Young Women's Educational auxiliary will meet at 8 o'clock this evening in the Neighborhood club rooms. Miss Mable Doty is program leader and the subject is "New Voices."

Mrs. H. V. Nelson will be hostess to the Baptist Women's society Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock when an aid meeting will be held.

The Ladies auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will meet this evening at Eagles' hall. All members are urged to be there.

The Mission study class of the Presbyterian Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. L. I. Busey, 1201 O avenue Thursday afternoon at 7:30 o'clock.



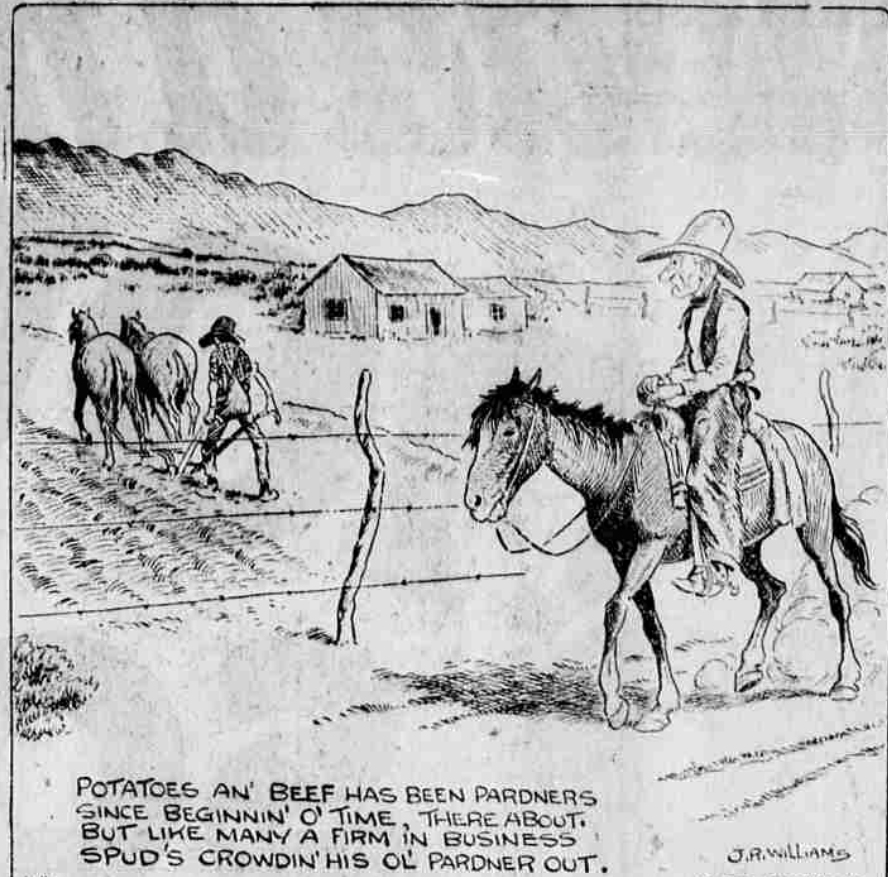
"It Tastes Like H-O"

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OUT OUR WAY



POTATOES AN' BEEF HAS BEEN PARTNERS SINCE BEGINNIN' O' TIME. THERE ABOUT BUT LIKE MANY A FIRM IN BUSINESS SPUD'S CROWDIN' HIS OL' PARTNER OUT.

Spring Straws Reach London During Winter

By the Associated Press

The spring straw hats reached London before the winter snows. The new model straws maintain the vogue of the high crown, but hard lines are eliminated by the clever use of fancy effects in straw and the addition of taffeta and ribbon. Brims are more pronounced whether they droop prettily over the face or turn up turban fashion. A novelty in straw is the beehive shape with black satin ribbons.

The milliners in popularizing straws are also introducing more colors. Some are in rose pink, swathed in taffeta, others in orange colored straw and interwoven colors.

Feathers in Hats

Feather trimmed hats are beginning to conquer the fancy of well-dressed Parisiennes. A saucy cigarette cocked at just the right angle subdues the hard lines of the severe black felt. Ostentatious plumes, however, find little favor.

Another tendency observed is to make the brim of one color and the crown of another, matching the colors of the dress.

Curling The Hair

The new style in hair dressing for elderly British women is to have their hair curled like a bar-brier's wig. If the hair is gray it makes it all the more effective. Worn with pearls and a black velvet frock, the style is attractive.

The Loyal Women's class of the Christian Sunday school will meet at the church tomorrow evening for a business meeting. All members are urged to be there. The meeting will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

The Riverside Ladies' aid will meet with Mrs. G. E. Lupton, 1019 Benton street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

MENUS

By Sister Mary

BREAKFAST—Stewed dried peaches, cereal, thin cream, poached eggs and spinach on toast, crisp whole wheat toast, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON—Scalloped onions and macaroni, rye bread, hearts of celery, lemon snow, crisp cookies, milk, tea.

DINNER—Baked fish with egg sauce, boiled potatoes in parsley butter, jellied tomato salad, jam cream pie, bean rolls, milk, coffee.

The dinner dessert is quite unusual and most delicious. Any kind of jam or marmalade can be used, although apricot, raspberry, strawberry and peach are particularly good.

Jam Cream Pie

Two eggs, 1 1/2 cups milk, 3 tablespoons sugar, 1 teaspoon flour, few grains salt, jam, 1/2 cup whipping cream, 1 tablespoon powdered sugar, 2 drops vanilla.

Line a pie dish with plain pastry. Chill thoroughly. Beat eggs slightly. Mix and sift sugar, flour and salt and stir into eggs. Add milk, slowly stirring until sugar is dissolved. Pour into pastry and bake until firm. The oven should be hot when pie is first put in, and the heat reduced after ten minutes. When custard is done, remove from oven and let cool. Spread with a thick layer of jam and cover with cream whipped until firm and sweetened with sugar. Flavor slightly with vanilla.

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TOASTS H. H. H.

LONDON—A toast to the Prince of Wales by Viscount Byng at a banquet "Dumme Sirs, we love you for yourself."

AT THE THEATERS

"Isle of Hope" At Sherrys Tonight

A story of great adventure on the high seas, and the hunt for a treasure trove buried by a pirate's old ancestor on a desert island in the South Pacific makes "The Isle of Hope," the latest starring vehicle for the agile Richard Talmadge a picture of peculiar interest and continuous excitement. The production will be seen locally at the Sherry theater today.

A fire on shipboard, a mutiny, and the sinking of the vessel in which the erratic but lovable young hero embarks on his mission (without parental permission, by the way) are only the beginning of a series of hectic incidents when he reaches the island. Here he discovers a beautiful girl bathing in a forest pool, and follows her to an old castle where she has lived during all the years of her shipwreck. The fact that the notorious skipper and crew have made their way to the island complicates matters with plenty of fighting, in which Talmadge pulls some entirely new acrobatic wallops. Jack Nelson directed the picture, which was written for the star by James Bell Smith.

"Desert's Toll" An Unusual Love Story

Effective love stories have been staged and sermoneed with all sorts of settings, of course. Love seems to thrive in any location and under any conditions. And that's what makes the world go 'round, they tell us.

But there is something particularly interesting about a love story laid in Nature's own back yard—amidst the towering peaks and sandy wastes of the unexplored west.

That's one reason for the immense popularity of "The Desert's Toll," the thrilling love tale being unfolded today and Wednesday at the Star theater, and in which Francis McDonald is starred. The cast also includes Kathleen Key and Tom Santachi. With that triangle, any story would prove absorbing, but "The Desert's Toll" is more than that.

The comedy showing is "What! You Have?"

Among other things we never could understand would be a blue Sunday in Orange, N. J.

Mary Pickford's New Film Is Praised

Rolling Mary Pickford is back again!

The famous little star, whose screen masterpieces have delighted millions throughout the world, has produced another great picture—which has been called her greatest—it opened at the Arcade theater

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SEEK FOR LIFE ON VENUS' FACE

Infra-Red Photographic Apparatus May Pierce Heavy Clouds

CHICAGO, Jan. 4 (AP)—An attack on the heretofore impenetrable clouds of Venus, the earth's twin, is to be made from Yerkes observatory with an infra-red photographic apparatus.

The dense vapor masses surrounding the planet have made it impossible to penetrate to the actual surface of Venus, but the Yerkes staff of the University of Chicago at Williams Bay, Wis., is optimistic over chances of success with the infra-red filter which last summer yielded some excellent views of Mars.

While these clouds have baffled scientists, Professor E. H. Frost, director of the observatory, attaches much importance to them in connection with any theory of the possibility of life on the planet.

Life May Exist

Life is much more likely to exist on Venus than on Mars, in Professor Frost's opinion. "Venus is near the sun," he continued, "and if it were not for the heavy clouds the heat would be unbearable."

"Conditions in our own atmosphere will be shown again today and Wednesday."

Mary's newest picture is "Sparrows." It deals with the adventures of a band of youngsters on a baby farm. While there is a little message in the picture, as there is in all good pictures, "Sparrows" first of all is entertainment and the sort of entertainment that Mary Pickford fans like.

Mary is cast as "Mamma Mollie," the little girl who mothers the forlorn children on the baby farm. She plots them through many adventures providing much laughter, many thrills and not a few tears.

The locale of "Sparrows" is in a swampy country of a southern state. Here on an island farm the little scraps of humanity are kept by a cruel keeper and his wife. How they finally overcome the obstacle placed in their path and find their way to a happier life makes up a story as thrilling and as interesting as can be imagined.

Plenty of comedy lightens the more dramatic sequences and there is action from the opening scenes to the final fade out.

Miss Pickford is supported by a splendid cast including one of the most remarkable bands of little children ever assembled in a picture.

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PUTMAN'S

France Displays "Touring Planes"

PARIS, Jan. 4 (AP)—Little two-seater airplanes, just the thing for a trip out to the golf course or to a week-end rendezvous, are on sale in France for less than \$3,000, at recent exchange rates.

Two of these "touring planes," as the French call them, were displayed at the Aeronautic Show.

"So far orders are few and far between," said the salesman, "but we expect to get enough to justify mass production. Then we will have low-priced air flyers."

140,000 A YEAR

BRUSSELS.—Crown Prince Leopold and Bride Astrid of Sweden must struggle along on a paltry 140,000 a year. Plans to give them more have been declared unconstitutional.

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