

SOCIETY NEWS

Washington Day Program Given By Eastern Star

One of the most interesting programs in the observance of George Washington's birthday anniversary was last night when Hope chapter, Order of the Eastern Star met.

Mrs. John S. Hodgkin, worthy matron, presided, and several guests of note were introduced by Mrs. Charles Graham, conductress, and Mrs. E. E. Healy, associate conductress.

The guests were General George Washington, who was represented by J. S. Hodgkin, and Martha Washington, Mrs. Stella Logie; Nellie Curtis, Mrs. Walter Blokland, and Abbie Adams, Miss Mildred Hoyt; Thomas Jefferson, C. H. Eberhart and Mrs. Jefferson, Mrs. Cook; Alexander Hamilton, E. R. Ringo, and Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Roy Ferguson; Benjamin Franklin, George Hiram, and Mrs. Franklin, Mrs. Birnie; Marquis de Lafayette, Walter Blokland, and John Paul Jones, E. A. McEachern; Betsy Ross, Mrs. Frank Robinson, and Molly Pitcher, Mrs. Evelyn Hearnshaw; General Nathaniel Green, George Cochran and Mrs. Green, Mrs. G. N. Turkington; John Adams, C. M. Humphreys, and Mrs. Adams, Mrs. H. P. Tyler; Patrick Henry, J. J. Daugherty, and Paul Harvey, Clint Van Fleet; Uncle Sam, Harold Tall, and Columbia, Mrs. E. W. Ely.

Each of those taking part were dressed according to the character represented.

An old-fashioned dance was given by Misses Jane Stange and Gilda Ashby, accompanied by Miss Lois Nelson at the piano.

Robert S. Eakin gave a talk on the life of George Washington.

The officers of the chapter were hosts and hostesses, and following the program they served refreshments.

During the regular lodge session, which preceded the program, two candidates were initiated, Mrs. Lee Hanford and Cora Harding Scott.

The meeting last night was the first one since the beginning of an attendance contest, one team in the contest consisting of the members whose names begin with the letters from A to L, and the other team consisting of those from L to the end of the alphabet. Miss Pauline Lederic is captain of the first team and Mrs. Charles Noyes the second.

Last night the first team had 43 members in attendance and the second 37.

The contest will close the last meeting in May, when the losing team will banquet the winners.

Members of the Yeoman lodge met Monday evening at Eagles hall to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the lodge.

The annual roll call was followed by dinner at 7 o'clock, after which the remainder of the evening was spent at cards and dancing.

B. P. O. Elks' Ball And Supper Held

Each year for about 14 years the La Grande B. P. O. Elks lodge has entertained at a ball and banquet on George Washington's birthday, and members of the lodge and their friends look forward to the event from year to year.

This year's ball, which took place Tuesday evening at the Elks' temple, was the usual success.

The hall was effectively decorated in the Elks' colors, purple and white, paper festoons in these colors hanging from the ceiling. This was added to with a number of floor lamps arranged in just the right places.

Lindsay's orchestra furnished music for the dancers, and during the evening punch was served by Miss Lillian Sims and Miss Margaret Baker.

The 11 o'clock toast, when Elks all over the country are remembered, was given by T. J. Serogin, a past exalted ruler of the La Grande lodge.

Instead of the banquet a buffet supper was served this year, which was arranged by The Tiffin. Ice cream was in the Elks' colors and the pastries were initiated with B. P. O. E.

A large birthday cake in purple and white was also a part of the supper.

About 50 couples were in attendance.

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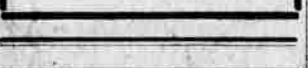
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The BOOTERY

We carry ladies silk hose, \$1.00 and \$1.50

Baker Couple Married Here

Miss Amanda Carlson and Harold Gardiner, both of Baker, were married here last night at about 6 o'clock at the parsonage of the First Methodist Episcopal church, the Rev. H. W. Parker performing the ring ceremony.

Immediately following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner left for Portland, where they will remain for about a week after which they will return to Baker to make their home.

He has been shipping clerk for the White Pine Lumber company in Baker for a number of years.

Spring Shoe



A patent leather shoe for spring has an interesting strap of lizard, scalloped at the edges.

OUT OUR WAY



HEROES ARE MADE - NOT BORN

By Williams

Announcements

The Monday Musical chorus will meet for rehearsal this evening at 7:15 o'clock in the Neighborhood club rooms.

The Central Parent-Teacher association will meet in the Neighborhood club rooms promptly at 2:45 o'clock Friday afternoon, Feb. 25. Assembly singing will be led by Mrs. Sherwood Williams and a duet will be given by the pupils of Miss Imogen Russell's room of the Central school. There will be special observance of child welfare and founders' day with an anniversary cake and candle lighting ceremonies as special features. A talk will be given by Dr. J. L. Ingles on "Child Welfare." Refreshments will be served.

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CLUB WOMAN WORKS FOR STAGE PRESENCE

Shooing away the bugaboo of stage fright for club women is the job of Pearl L'Heureux of Wichita, Kans., herself an active member of the Business and Professional Women's club. She accomplishes her aim through the medium of home talent shows and by using club programs on which members give skits, talks and solos. A person will disclose to Miss L'Heureux some latent talent and thereafter she will not take "no" for an answer and before long that person will be applauded for stage efforts. For two years Miss L'Heureux has been producing home talent shows among clubs of the Middle West. "I constantly have been surprised at the lack of confidence before audiences of women who are real successes in their own jobs," she said. "There is no reason why a business woman should not get up in public and present a subject well."

MENUS

By Sister Mary

BREAKFAST—Stewed rhubarb, crisp braided bacon, soft cooked eggs, spider corn bread, strup, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON — Baked oysters, olive and pimento sandwiches, radishes, coconut rice pudding, milk, tea.

Dinner—Ham baked in grape juice, potatoes au gratin, steamed spinach, pineapple and cabbage salad, graham bread, lemon sponge pie, milk, coffee.

For the average family one slice of ham cut about 1 1/2 inches thick will be quite enough. Parboil in clear water before seasoning and

COCONUT RICE PUDDING

Three tablespoons rice, 2 cups milk, 1 egg, 1/2 cup chopped dates, 1 cup shredded coconut, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Cook rice in boiling water, until tender. Drain and pour a quart of boiling water through cooked rice. Beat egg until very light, gradually beating in sugar, salt and milk. Add remaining ingredients and turn into a well-buttered baking dish. Bake about 40 minutes in a moderately slow oven. Serve warm or cold with plain or whipped cream.

Whipped cream always "glorifies" a dessert and is just as easily digested as plain cream. In whipping, cream doubles in bulk, so less is needed.

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YOUNG GIRL ARTIST WINS COVETED HONOR

France has a new "girl wonder" in the field of art in Claudie-Fredérique Kerthale, who, at the age of 15, has been granted the almost unprecedented honor of exhibiting two of her sculptures in the famous Salon des Independents. Animal sculpture is Claudie's favorite field and the zoo her source of inspiration. Despite her youth she has visited the museums of many countries and studied for two years in Italy under Frederica Palgizio Gilestone. French critics have acclaimed her work as that of authentic genius.

Maryland, my Maryland, is in the throes of legislation to protect green crabs and sponge crabs. And all this time we'd thought all the sponges had moved to Ontario.

HEALTH

RUPTURES, OFTEN EXPLOITED BY QUACKS, ARE CURABLE WHEN TREATED EARLY

By Bertram M. Bernheim, M. D., Baltimore

Member Gorman Memorial Inst.

To the layman the word rupture is synonymous with truss, and suggests some horrible condition that should not be spoken of except in secret. There are two factors responsible for this sad state of affairs: first, the usual rupture advertisement paints a horrible picture of knives and a bloody affair with weeks of suffering and an unsuccessful operation. Second, the most common rupture is that which occurs in the groin and is therefore close to the sexual organs. This gives rise to a false sense of modesty.

Consequently, many frightened individuals do not even consult a physician but are willing to go through the prime years of life wearing an ill-fitting, irritating, belt-like affair, so-called trusses, which irritates the skin and presses on the underlying structures to such an extent that there is a formation of dense scar tissue.

Or they consult the quacks who advertise miraculous cures of ruptures without the use of trusses, without medicine, without operation—painless, guaranteed one hundred per cent successes, free from all danger and absolutely no loss of time from work.

In the case of the truss, the abdominal wall is in time so weakened by its pressure that the rupture is no longer held back, the patient is incapacitated and finally seeks the advice of a surgeon.

With the faker or quack it is still worse. These men inject boiling water or melted paraffin into the tissues around the rupture in the hope that scar tissue will thereby be thrown down and thus effect a cure. The only trouble is that the injected material causes such a reaction that in

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most cases the condition is made worse than it ever was, and it has been known to cause death.

Even when no actual harm has been done, the abdominal muscles are so injured that it is only a question of time before these patients, too, are forced to see a surgeon. And most of the so-called cures were in cases where there never was a rupture.

What would have been a comparatively safe, and curative operation now carries with it a certain element of danger and difficulty. The patient is usually fifty or sixty years old, his hernia is so large that he cannot walk with comfort, he may have bronchitis, high blood pressure, or other conditions incident to old age, and his abdominal muscles are weak and scarred. For these reasons the operation is more serious than it should be and less likely to result in a cure.

Others wait until the rupture becomes strangulated, an eventuality that can happen from infancy to old age, and operation is then done—not to cure the rupture but to save the patient's life.

There is perhaps no cleaner or more beautiful operation in surgery than the repair of a hernia when done at the proper time. The danger is practically negligible. The percentage of cure in competent hands is from 85 per cent to 97 per cent, and the hospitalization is only a matter of twelve to fourteen days.

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COOKING HINTS

Cranberry Rolly Polly

3 cups flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons PANCRUST

3/4 cup milk
1/4 cup pulverized sugar
1/4 cup cold cranberry sauce (sweetened)
Crested nutmeg

MIX FLOUR, salt and baking powder; sift. Cut in PANCRUST with a knife and gradually add milk. Roll out to thickness of 1/2 inch. Spread with cranberry sauce; sprinkle with sugar and nutmeg. Roll up like jelly roll and put in well greased pan. Bake in moderate oven, basting several times with syrup made from 1/2 cup brown sugar and 2 1/2 cup water. Serve with hot syrup or hard, butter sauce.

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We will be open for business at our new location next Monday morning, Feb. 28th, with the most modern, complete food store in La Grande.

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