

SOCIETY NEWS

Parkdale Club Wins Interclub Contest Here

The first interclub art contest held here took place yesterday afternoon at the home of S. E. P. Mossman, on Spring street, when the Parkdale club overcame the challenge made several months ago by the Cove club for a contest of a kind, the Parkdale club won.

Mrs. Lloyd Pierce competed for the Parkdale club and Mrs. A. G. Franklin represented the Cove club. The finished painting the 25 pictures and their artists in a remarkably short time, Mrs. Pierce winning them in thirty and three-thirty seconds and Mrs. Franklin thirty-five and one-fifth seconds.

The Mossman home was crowded with a large delegation from the Parkdale club and Mrs. A. G. Franklin and all of the clubwomen were on tiptoes waiting for the contest. Before the interclub contest all of the women present, mothers, mothers and young students, were given an opportunity to try out for certificates of merit given by the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs art department.

Each woman was required to paint 25 pictures and artist in a half and a half to receive a certificate. A minute and 19 seconds was the longest time required to name the pictures. About 18 women won the certificates of merit, which were presented by Mrs. J. G. Franklin, president of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs, who was assisted by the women highly for excellent work.

After the contest the Parkdale club women served luncheon.

Mrs. J. G. Franklin, president of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs, will address the Neighborhood club Tuesday afternoon.

The regular meeting, which will be held in the Neighborhood club, will be held in the L. O. O. F. dining room. An interesting program is being arranged for this time under general chairmanship of Mrs. S. Brownson. Mrs. L. F. Dunn, chairman of the decorations committee, and Mrs. F. H. Appleton, the program committee.

Auxiliary Dinner To Be Held May 2

One of the coming social events is a large number of the young women of La Grande are looking forward to with interest the annual banquet and installation of officers of the Young Women's Educational auxiliary of the First Methodist Episcopal church, which will be held in the basement of the church at 2 o'clock Monday, May 2.

Miss North Waininger is chairman of the committee which has arranged the banquet. All members of the auxiliary and any friends they may care to invite are welcome. Tickets are now on sale and may be secured from Miss Waininger, who urges everyone to buy their tickets at once in order that the committee may make for the required number of seats about 80 young women. The banquet is expected this year. The banquet will also be the occasion for the installation of officers for the coming year, and an announcement of the next year's program.

Members of the J. J. B. club enjoyed a no-host dinner last evening at the Tiffin covers being set for 12 around a table decorated with the season's cut flowers. After dinner those present went to the home of Mrs. Margaret Loh, where three tables of bridge were enjoyed during the remainder of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilmoride high score at cards and the consolation prize went to Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hamilton.

The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mr. and

Mrs. Al Herman, May 6.

The Westway club of the Woman's Benefit association met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Murchison, with Mrs. Claude Mackey, Mrs. George McVey and Mrs. W. D. McDonald assisting as hostesses.

There was a short business meeting, presided over by the president, after which the remainder of the afternoon was spent visiting.

The hostess committee served a two-course luncheon.

Mrs. Herman Goeckel will be hostess to the club Friday, May 20.

P.-T. Associations Enjoy Programs

The Central Parent-Teacher association met yesterday afternoon in regular session in the Neighborhood club rooms, with a large attendance. Mrs. C. A. Forbush opened the meeting with prayer. He was also the speaker of the afternoon, giving an inspiring talk on "Education for Character."

The pupils from Miss McNeer's room sang three numbers, one being a lullaby by the little girls, in which they carried their dolls. The girls students from Miss Verity's and Mr. Brown's rooms sang three numbers. Little four-year-old Helen McPherson sang a solo and gave a recitation.

During the business meeting reports of committees were heard, among them being a report of the nominating committee. Mrs. Herbert H. Hanna was nominated president of the association for the new year Mrs. C. McCall, vice president, Dr. Margaret Lucie, secretary, and Mrs. E. Markie, treasurer. The officers will be elected at the May meeting of the association.

Several other items of business came up before the meeting, including a discussion relative to sending a delegate to the national convention to be held in Oakland, Cal., May 22.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. E. L. Holmes, chairman for the day, and her committee. Members of the committee were: Mrs. H. A. Zurbick, Mrs. C. S. Moore, Mrs. W. D. Warner, Mrs. Rosecoe Neal, Mrs. F. G. Henning, Mrs. Irving Watson, Mrs. Ioss Eaton, Mrs. Charles Bingham, Mrs. R. F. Tyler, Mrs. W. Vedder and Mrs. Nate Zweifel.

The regular meeting of the Ilveria Parent-Teacher association was held yesterday afternoon at the school, Mrs. G. M. Pierce, president of the association, opening the meeting. After the minutes were read a program was furnished by the school children.

A demonstration of physical exercises was given by Miss Hanson's room, the first grade students sang and a dramatization of "One, Two and Three Eyes" was given by Miss Sturgill's pupils. Kathleen Huff played a piano solo, William Young gave a recitation and Melba Shepherd and Dorothy Pierce presented a skit entitled "A Secret." Miss Ellis' room gave a number entitled "Holland Children," and Ernest Peterson played a piano solo.

During the business session plans were made for a play to be given May 6.

The nominating committee reported, Mrs. G. M. Pierce being nominated president; Mrs. Lewis Wetzel, vice president, and Mrs. Maxine, secretary.

Miss Hansen's room received the picture for having the largest number of parents in attendance.

Royal Neighbors Plan Convention

Plans for the district convention of the Royal Neighbors, to be held here June 4, were completed last evening when the ladies met in regular session at the Knights of Pythias hall. Delegates from Pendleton, Baker, Halfway and Cove will be here during the convention.

About 50 members attended last night's meeting. A sociable, during which time Mrs. Nellie Webb and her committee served refreshments, was enjoyed following the lodge session.

About 25 members of the Neighbors of Woodcraft lodge spent a pleasant afternoon yesterday at the home of Mrs. Christine Duncan on K avenue, when she, with Mrs. Wilhelm, Mrs. Schultz and Mrs. McClain were hostesses to the lodge members.

The afternoon was spent socially, music and games being enjoyed. Before adjournment the hostesses served refreshments.

OUT OUR WAY



HEROES ARE MADE—NOT BORN.

Announcements

The Parkdale club will meet Wednesday afternoon, April 27, at the home of Mrs. Charles Gump, with Mrs. Francis Carline and Mrs. Thomas Stanley assisting as hostesses.

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MENUS

BREAKFAST—Apples, cereal cooked with raisins, cream, crisp broiled bacon, bran muffins, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON—Baked scallops, creamed celery, toasted muffins, stewed rhubarb, ginger cookies, milk, tea.

DINNER—Casserole of smoked halibut, dandelion greens, cottage cheese, dried peach pudding, graham bread, milk, coffee.

A soft-cooked egg should be served to children under school age in place of the casserole of smoked fish suggested in the dinner menu. White fish is considered an ideal food for small children. Smoked fish is not quite so good.

Baked Scallops
One pint scallops, 4 thin strips bacon, 1 egg, cracker crumbs, 1 tablespoon vinegar.

Wash scallops in salt water and drain. Put into sauce pan and add boiling water to more than cover fish. Add vinegar and let stand two minutes. Drain in a colander. Dry between towels. (Paper towels are most convenient.) Season cracker crumbs with salt and pepper, using not more than one-fourth teaspoon salt and one-fourth teaspoon pepper. Roll scallops in crumbs, dip in egg slightly beaten and roll again in crumbs. Arrange close together in a dripping pan and sprinkle with bacon cut in threads. Bake 15 minutes in a hot oven.

If a heat-proof glass platter is available place the scallops on the platter to bake and serve on the same platter.

Start castor beans in pots so you can take them in if the night threatens to be frosty. They nip easily when young.

Now early turnips. They are an excellent midsummer vegetable, although old-time practice limited them strictly to the fall season and wouldn't plant until after the peas were done bearing.

Try a row of cultivated mustard for greens. It is worth growing even if it sounds like a weed. Lots of leaf to it.

Now kohlrabi six inches apart, deepening three or four seed and then pull out all but one to a hill. They do not transplant well, although it is a common practice.

Try some of the new Colness hybrid dahlias. You can have handsome single dahlias to cut grown as annuals. They will bloom in August and September and grow only 18 inches high.

James Buchanan Was Born April 23 Back in 1791

James Buchanan, as fifteenth President of the United States, occupied the white house when the questions of slavery and states rights were dangerously fermenting. His administration, from 1857-1861, saw the prelude to the Civil War.

Buchanan was born April 23, 1791. As a Pennsylvanian he disapproved of slavery, but being a strict constitutionalist and a Democrat, he held to official convictions. He publicly denied the right of secession and refused to treat the South Carolina representatives as foreign delegates. His chief difficulty was an unsympathetic Congress.

The Dred Scott Decision and John Brown's raid on Harper's Ferry so stirred the nation during his administration, that those events somewhat submerged his diplomatic accomplishments of settling the question of British dominion in Central America and by stopping on American ships. The first Atlantic Cable was laid in Buchanan's administration. Before he died, June 1, 1868, Buchanan wrote his own vindication of his administrative policies.

The Garden

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WOMAN PREFERS JUNGLE TO JAZZ

Mrs. Diana Strickland Is Going to Africa to Capture Pygmy Elephant

LONDON, Apr. 23 (AP)—Mrs. Diana Strickland, who prefers the jungle to jazz, is going into the wilds of Africa again with the hope of capturing pygmy elephants.

Mrs. Strickland became an explorer because she tired of the social life of London and "the diners and dances, and the constant striving to wear prettier dresses than the other woman."

"Some people like it, but I prefer the forest and the great outdoors, the camp fires, the rough life and the swamps of the Nile, where there are colossal water snakes, some of them 40 feet long," she said.

Is a Veteran
Mrs. Strickland already has led two expeditions of adventure. Upon returning home she soon found herself being swept along in the social whirl at full speed, so she has begun preparations for a trip across Africa in an automobile, which will take up eight or ten months.

"I cannot explain that longing for the jungle," she said. "When one is there one feels sometimes one would give anything in the world to be back having a cocktail at the Ritz, and when you realize that wish and sit sipping that cocktail you pray for a magic wand to whisk you away right into the heart of the desert again. It is irresistible."

Pygmy Tuskers Rare
"While I am there I hope to try for some pygmy elephants. They are very rare and comparatively few of their tusks are on the market."

Two women companions will accompany her on the next trip.

AWARD OFFERED FOR ORGAN COMPOSITION
NEW YORK—The National Association of Organists, seeking more musical literature for organists, is sponsoring an award of \$1,000 for an original composition by an American or Canadian citizen.

The composition may be in the form of an overture, tone-poem or festival number and must be submitted by December 1. The winning composition will be played here for the first time by the Capitol theater orchestra and organ and also over the radio.

DUCHESS IS FAMED AS SOCIETY PAINTER

LONDON—The Duchess of Buckingham and Chandos, known as the "peacock painter," has completed an exceptionally large number of water colors which are in demand in society circles. The money which comes from the sales of her pictures are donated to charities in which the Duchess is interested. An exhibition held at a West End gallery received much favorable criticism.

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The heritage of a musical background is not a commonplace among modern musicians, but Felix Salmond's parents were both musicians. His father was a noted baritone in London and his mother a professional pianist. Salmond's first lessons were received from a member of the Royal College of Music. Now he is a teacher of the cello in two of the largest American schools, the Juillard Foundation in New York and the Curtis Institute in Philadelphia.

THINKS HE'S GOOD
NEW YORK—Harry S. Page, who at 68 years, takes a gallop across country monocle and all, and has been riding in jumping races for 40 years or so, is confident he is good enough to be a gentleman jockey still. He accepted a mount for a chaso at Belmont park this afternoon. He won a race there four years ago.

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Sisters Five—Who Know Their Tennis



If it's tennis you want to know about, ask any or all of the five Palfrey sisters. What it takes to wield a wicked racket they got nothing else but! Sarah, now (upper right) although only 14, has all but usurped Helen Willis' glory by winning the women's national indoor singles at Chestnut Hill, Mass., and with Mianne, 16 (upper left) annexed the doubles in the same tournament. One of their opponents was sister Les, 18 (center, below), Polly, 20, the eldest (lower left) won the outdoor doubles at Philadelphia three years ago, and Johanne, 12 (lower right) was umpire at the Chestnut Hill matches. Outside of that, they don't know a hell from a net! (NEA Service, Boston Bureau)

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