

# SOCIETY NEWS

## Members of Clio Club Entertained At Stoddard Home

Members of the Clio club were entertained at an attractive buffet dinner last evening, Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard being host and hostess at their home on O avenue. Most of the members of the season's gown flowers were effectively arranged about the room. After supper at 7 o'clock the remainder of the evening was spent at six tables of bridge.

Mrs. Norman Fries made high score among the women members of the men's club prize was won by Mr. Fries. W. C. Perkins received the guest prize.

A large class of new members was initiated last evening when the Westway club, the social auxiliary to the Woman's Benefit association, met at the home of Mrs. Carr, 1310 N. avenue.

The rooms were prettily decorated with bouquets of the season's gown flowers. The evening was not in a sociable following the dinner session.

Before adjournment refreshments were served by the hostess.

**LOVE (Special)**—Mrs. Boss Felder, of Astoria, assistant grand patron of the Order of the Eastern Star, made an official visit to the chapter Thursday evening, Oct. 29.

## Reception Honors Riveria Teachers

A large crowd of interested parents and friends of the children of Riveria school gathered at La Grande last evening, when the two pipe and organ groups of the school, which Miss Myrtle Hoyt and Mrs. Marie Anderson are guardians, led by the Sacajawea group, which Mrs. Leo H. Ames is guardian, entertained at a reception in honor of the teachers of the school.

A program was given by the pipe and organ groups during the early part of the evening, which opened with the singing of "America." This was followed by a piano solo by Miss Richards, a reading by Miss Samuelsen, a piano solo by Marie Floberg, a dialog by Lulu Horn, Emma Shirley, Helen Ross and Margaret Day; a piano by Edna Towery, songs by Edna and Dorothy Pidecock and Edna and Edna Neukirchner; piano by Valeria Harper and Barbara Pidecock and a song by Elizabeth Dahl.

After the program Chester Gilchrist, principal of the school, addressed the teachers. The meeting was then turned into an informal reception, when those present were given an opportunity to talk with the teachers. During this hour campfire girls served refreshments.

The first meeting of the Fruit-land Parent-Teacher association in your was held yesterday afternoon at the school house. Present at the business session, Lynn Sgub, a pupil of the school, sang "September."

During the business meeting Mrs. H. H. H. district vice president of the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers, gave a report of her trip to the national convention, which was held in Oakland, Cal.

## High School Girls Enjoy Playlet, Dance

The first program given by the organized Girl Students of the school this year took place yesterday afternoon when the Trail street committee, of which Miss Helen Ritchey is chairman, gave a playlet entitled, "How the West was Won."

The play was given as the conclusion of a study of early Oregon history and pioneer days in La Grande by the Trail Seekers, and is taken from a poem written by Mrs. Edith Huntington, of Walla Walla, Wash., Miss Ritchey writing a portion of the script.

Miss Catherine Huntington was the pioneer and read the lines of the play, which depicted pioneer life in La Grande. Misses Lola Shertson and Ethel Sayre were the trail seekers, and Miss Sayre is also the musician; Miss Mary Vaughn Hendrickson took the part of Mrs. Brown, the first white woman in La Grande, and Misses Cath-

## Circle Bag.



The latest winter purse circles its way to chic. Instead of the usual square or rectangular shape, this blonde suede bag with its geometric gold fastening, is cut round.

Ernie Metcalf and Juanita Shanks were her daughters, Ada and Heather; Miss June Conledge took the part of Johnny Leafy; Miss Dorothy Brown took the part of Bea Leafy; Miss Mabel Berry, the part of Pauline Leafy; Miss Naomi Tidwell, Mr. Brown; Miss Margaret Cuniff, Mrs. Leafy; Miss La Velle Ritchey, Mr. Leafy; Miss Mary Culp, the Indian chief; Misses Ida Neukirchner, Julia Smith, Edith Burnett and Leona Breyer, Indian braves; Miss Isabelle Simmons, Mr. Arnold; Miss Estelle Brown, Mrs. Arnold; and Miss Marjorie Gore, Mr. Green.

In addition to the play there were other numbers, Misses Mary Vaughn Hendrickson and Dorothy Harrison each giving a reading, Miss Bertha Bantz a piano solo and Miss Barbara Hatt a piano solo. Miss Laura Thomas, high school faculty member, sponsored the program.

Following the program the girls went to the gymnasium, where a matinee dance was enjoyed.

## Announcements

The La Grande Parent-Teacher city council will meet Monday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock in the Neighborhood club rooms. Plans concerning the coming convention will be discussed. All members are urged to be present.

## MENUS

**By Sister Mary**  
BREAKFAST — Chilled cantaloupe, browned hash with tomato sauce, corn bread, honey, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON — Scrambled eggs with mushrooms, baked sweet potatoes, peach and white grape salad, crisp toast, milk, tea.

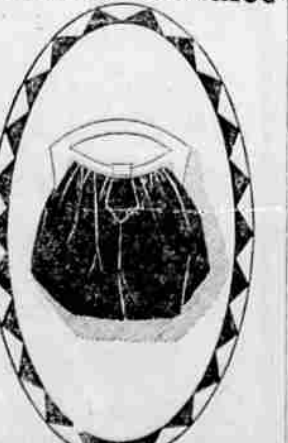
DINNER — Ham and potatoes au gratin, buttered cauliflower, head lettuce with chiffonade dressing, peach bavarian cream, lemon drop cookies, milk, coffee. Finely chopped vegetables are added to a well-seasoned French dressing to make the "dressing chiffonade" for the dinner salad.

This is an excellent idea to keep in mind for an emergency. Open half a green pepper, two or three radishes, one small onion, two stalks of celery and a head of lettuce seem hopeless if unexpected dinner guests arrive. But if the lettuce is cut in quarters and the vegetables are chopped and shredded into French dressing the salad that was planned for two will amply serve four.

**French Bavarian Cream**  
Six peaches, 1 tablespoon granulated gelatin, 2 tablespoons cold water, 1/2 cup boiling water, 1/2 cup sugar, whites of 2 eggs, 1/2 cup whipping cream, 1/2 teaspoon almond extract.

Slice two peaches to garnish mold. Peel fruit and rub through sieve. Add sugar and boiling water to peach pulp and heat to boiling point. Remove from fire and tire in gelatin softened in cold water. Set bowl into a pan of ice water and let stand until beginning to set. Beat about two minutes when mixture is hot. Beat occasionally while cooling. When jelly thickens, fold in whites of eggs beaten until stiff. Add flavoring and cream whipping until firm. Turn into a mold and let stand on ice several hours to chill and become firm. Serve with soft custard made with yolks of eggs.

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## OUT OUR WAY



## Library Chats

New books to be added to the public library Saturday evening, Oct. 1, follow:

Aircraft year book, "1927".  
Amundsen, "The South Pole".  
Ashmun, "Pa; the Head of the Family".  
Atherton, "Immortal Marriage".  
Barrington, "The Thunderer".  
Bartley, "Morning Thunder".  
Barton, "What Can a Man Be?".  
Cheley, "The Job of Being a Dad".  
Clemens, "Why be Nervous?".  
Conrad, "Nostromo".  
Cortler, "Tumbling, Pyramid Building and Stunts for Girls and Women".  
De Kruif, "Microbe Hunters".  
Doyle, "The Case Book".  
"The Girl's Every Day Book".  
Harrow, "The Romance of the Atom".  
Hayward, "The Story of Man's Work".

## Work

Kyne, "They Also Serve".  
McCutcheon, "The Inn of the Hawk and the Raven".  
Markley, "The Hand Plays Dixie".  
Millyay, "The King's Henchman".  
Mott, "Rewards of Reading".  
Norris, "Barber's Rush".  
Oemler, "Holy Lover".  
Ritchie, "Deep Furrows".  
Sadler, "How You Can Keep Happy".  
Sevill, "Names for Children".  
Speyer, "Fiddler's Farewell".  
Stevenson, "The Home Book of Modern Verse".  
Thomas, "A speech and a Story for Every Occasion".  
Westcott, "Grandmothers".

## S. P. BUYS KIAMATH LAND

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1 (AP)—The Southern Pacific company announced late yesterday purchase of approximately seven and one-half acres in Klamath Falls, Ore., by the Southern Pacific and the Great Northern railway for terminal purposes. The railroad later will divide the property so that each will have 229-foot frontage on the south side of Sixth street. The property was acquired from the Big Lakes Lumber company, the W. D. Miller company, the Lorenz company and the Ewuan obaxhild company and the Ewama box company.

There were 5874 arrests for drunkenness in Washington, D. C., in the last fiscal year. Maybe that's why Secretary Lawman thinks prohibition is so hard to enforce in New York state.

We know now what summer was waiting for—the end of the straw-hat season.

A ripe old age is nothing to brag about. Just consider the egg.

There are nine hundred miles of silk fibre in a pound of silk. China's yearly production is 9,000,000 pounds.

With all these shakeups of the prohibition forces you'd think they'd get their drinks mixed now and then.

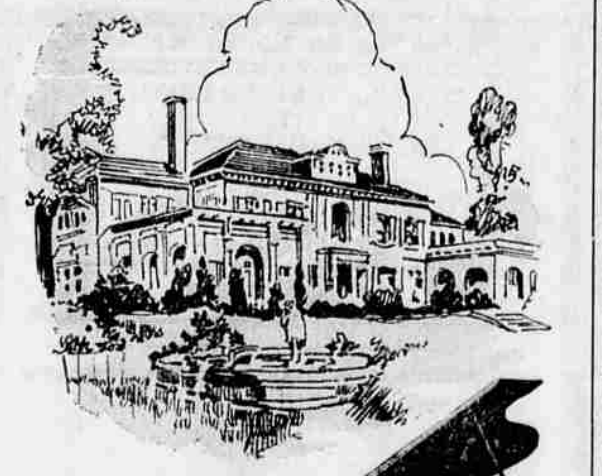
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## By Williams

## HEALTH

### EXPERT PRENATAL CARE IMPORTANT

By C. Jeff Miller, New Orleans, La. Member Gorgas Memorial

From an economic standpoint, if for no other reason, modern civilization no longer tolerates the loss of life for which such preventable diseases as tuberculosis, typhoid, diphtheria and other acute infectious diseases are responsible. On the other hand, it is a curious commentary on our sense of proportion that annually, here in the United States, we permit some twenty thousand women to die in childbirth, at least 50 per cent of them from preventable causes, and that some 25 per cent of our future citizens perish before they ever enter upon life.

Statistics are notoriously unreliable, but it is beyond question that in no other country of the civilized world is it quite so unsafe to bear children as in the United States. The maternal deaths for the same period were relatively greater than the casualties of the World war. The death rate per 100,000 among childbearing women has increased from 13.3 in 1900 to 14.9 in 1921, and the death toll is taken at an average age of less than 30 years.

From the standpoint of the child the situation is even worse, for the fatal death rate is 13 times as high as the maternal. It has been estimated that 100,000 stillbirths occur annually in the United States, and that equally as many babies perish within a month after they are born.

The clue to these appalling figures lies in the fact the majority of American women are not receiving adequate prenatal care. In Baltimore, for instance, where the opportunities for medical attention are unsurpassed, a recent report of the Department of Labor shows that more than 47 per cent of pregnant women receive no prenatal care at all. A recent analysis of the deaths in Massachusetts for a single year shows that 35 per cent of the women who died after labor had no prenatal care at all, and that 60 per cent of the obstetric deaths were from causes which experience has shown can be practically eliminated by the proper sort of prenatal supervision. At the New York Lying-in Hospital the death rate for emergency cases is ten times what it is for cases supervised in their own clinics throughout pregnancy.

The responsibility for these figures must, to a large extent, be borne by the women themselves. In spite of campaigns of education and in spite of unparalleled opportunities for medical treatment, many of them persist in ignoring their condition until some complication develops for which even expert treatment is of no avail. Supervision cannot be given to women who will not apply for it, or who believe that obstetrics is the sort of thing that anybody can handle, forgetting that in no other branch of medicine are more special qualifications necessary.

For the sake of themselves and of their unborn children, women should not view this, their great-

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est function, as a light thing. They should expect and demand for it the most expert treatment that can be secured. Childbearing in itself is not an inherently dangerous thing, but neglected childbearing is and until that realization comes to all women, the death rate for mother and babies is not destined to improve.

A monument is to be erected at Kearney, Mo., honoring Jesse James. A little fund to help along the work should be taken up among the taxicab drivers.

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