

SOCIETY NEWS

Earl Stoddard Complimented At Bridge-Luncheon

During Mrs. Earl Stoddard, of Oak City, Mrs. Norman W. and Mrs. Walter H. Bester, luncheon at an attractive luncheon at the Seaside Hotel, Friday. Luncheon was given by Mrs. L. K. Kinsel and Mrs. B. Appleby made special mention of the Seaside Hotel. Luncheon was given by Mrs. L. K. Kinsel and Mrs. B. Appleby made special mention of the Seaside Hotel.

Their teacher-advisor, Mrs. R. L. Putnam, at her home on Hemlock street. The class, made up of those who intend to be life work records in the ministry or mission fields, is studying the "History of the Gospel" reading Matthew, Mark, Luke and John and studying particularly the life of Christ. A brief business meeting closed the last evening's session, which was well attended.

For the pleasure of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Gale, of Ogden, Utah, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Mosby entertained at a delightful party last evening at their home on Spring avenue. "Bunco" was the chief diversion of the noisy evening and four tables of the game were at play. Mrs. H. W. Toots was the women's prize and J. P. Caldwell the men's. Mr. and Mrs. Gale received the guest prize. Music was enjoyed during the evening and later a two-course luncheon was served at the summer tables. Bouquets of summer flowers.

Swimming Party Honors Visitors

Mrs. J. J. Quintland, of Vancouver, and Mrs. Arthur Mulholland, of Marshfield, were honor guests at a jolly picnic and swimming party that was given by a number of friends at Pines Cove last evening. Mrs. Quintland, who is a former La Grande resident, has been visiting here for the last week or so with her father at Cove and her brother, Albert Wardell, of Island City. Mrs. Mulholland is also the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wardell.

Following a picnic in the pool a fried chicken picnic supper was spread at one of the tables at the Pines Cove park. Those who enjoyed the pleasant evening were Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rockman, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Beamwell, George Cooper, Frank George, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wardell and children, Mrs. Ed Royen, and the two hour guests, Mrs. Quintland and Mrs. Mulholland and her daughter, Lois. Mrs. Mulholland has been here for more than a week and during that time has made a side trip to Baker for a several days' visit.

A very pleasant afternoon took place at the community rooms of the First Presbyterian church yesterday when Mrs. A. S. Anderson and Mrs. L. S. Bullis were hostesses to the home department. Nineteen members and friends enjoyed the meeting, which was especially in seeing and visiting. Mrs. Anderson, the president, was in charge of a business meeting in the first part of the afternoon and Mrs. H. P. Lewis led in the devotionals. Miss Grace Grubel played several piano numbers. At the close of the afternoon refreshments were served by the two hostesses.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Social Hanson entertained her primary class of Blue Bird Girls at her home Wednesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent with games and at the close of the afternoon refreshments were served by the hostess.

Set Dates For Wallowa County Four-Day Fair

WALLOWA, Ore., Aug. 2.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the County Fair association held last Friday evening, the week beginning Monday, September 24, was selected as the date for the coming fair. It was decided to have four days program in accordance with the custom established several years ago. The fair will be advertised as a five-day fair but the first day will be devoted to preparation and on that day there will be no program. It will be required that all exhibits be in place by Tuesday evening, September 25, as judging will begin on Wednesday morning. The judging, as usual, will be done by representatives of Oregon Agricultural College.

Port Commission's Rights Are Defined

MAIRSFIELD, Ore., Aug. 2 (AP)—The right of the port commission to sell a public owned dock was denied in a decision today by Circuit Judge J. T. Brand, of Marshfield. Brand decided for the plaintiffs in a suit brought by George E. Dix and A. H. and Fred Powers, large timber holders on the Steers river in Curry county, against the port and port commissioners of Port Orford. The suit was brought to enjoin the sale of the only dock there to C. E. Inman, promoter, who plans development of Port Orford.

Virtually all citizens of the port district had petitioned for sale of the dock.

MENUS

By Sister Mary
BREAKFAST—Blackberries, cereal, cream, omelet, pop-overs, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON—Open tomato sandwiches, gooseberry tapioca pudding, milk, tea.

DINNER—Stuffed cutlets, hearts, potatoes in parsley butter, stewed onions, head lettuce with Thousand Island dressing, sliced peaches, chocolate layer cake, milk, coffee.
Wash hearts thoroughly and let stand in very cold salt water for an hour. Then remove any muscular portions and stuff with any well-seasoned stuffing. Bake two and one-half hours, basting frequently. Fat should be added since heat is lacking in fat. If a fireless cooker is used allow about four hours for cooking and add 1/2 cup water.

Gooseberry Tapioca Pudding—One-half cup pearl tapioca, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 cup boiling water, 2 cups gooseberries, 1 cup sugar, cream.

Soak tapioca in slightly salted water over night. Drain and put in double boiler with water and salt. Cook over hot water until tapioca has absorbed all the water. Add sugar and gooseberries and cook until berries are tender and broken and tapioca is transparent. Turn into individual molds and chill. Serve with sugar and cream.

Remove "tops" and "tails" from berries before washing them. Take care not to break the skins of the fruit when working with them.
Quick cooking tapioca can be used in place of pearl. The quick cooking variety needs no soaking. Use one-third as much minute tapioca as pearl.

PONDOSA PERSONALS

PONDOSA, Ore., (Special)—Mrs. Fred Christensen has had as her guests for a week, her mother, Mrs. William M. Cox, three sisters and a brother, also her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Burgon, all of Salt Lake City. They left for their home Monday.

Mrs. N. A. Mattie, of Portland, arrived Sunday for a visit with her niece, Mrs. Henry Maxfield. She returned to her home Thursday. Harmon Orton, nephew of Mrs. Maxfield, of Union, has also been visiting here.

Mrs. W. W. Stalker and daughter, Mrs. Marian, of Halfway, have been visiting here at the J. W. Smith home. While here, they all enjoyed a visit at Camp Elbe on Catherine creek. Mrs. Guy Kennedy, editor of the Pines Valley Herald, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Frank Whitten is driving a new touring car purchased in Baker Saturday. Betty Jean, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Metcalf, has been ill of late.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Thomas, of Cove, spent Friday and Saturday with their nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Peffer. They were accompanied by Mrs. Thomas' brother and wife from St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. Fred Raymond and her mother, Mrs. Abbot, of Huntington, visited from Saturday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Raymond.

Mrs. Z. G. Eardly and Mrs. Mary Curtis, of Salt Lake City, and Mrs. Portree and nephew, Harvey Sullivan, of Astoria, Ore., spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers.

Mrs. Oscar Berger of La Grande and her daughter, Mrs. Frank VanderAbe, of San Francisco, Cal., are spending several days at Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ferguson's summer home. "Shady Nook." Mrs. Berger and Mrs. Huganess are sisters.

Graveling of the highway was completed Wednesday, which gives a good highway from Baker to Medical Springs.

Have Louie, of Crainmont, Idaho, is spending two weeks vacation at Medical Springs.

A house is being built in Gary, Ind., without a bit of wood in it anywhere. All solving the problem of the graining midnight stain.

Bridge Pointers

By Milton C. Work

CONTRACT BRIDGE

Our Contract articles today and tomorrow will be devoted to the interpretation of certain laws concerning which there seems to be some doubt. It may be mentioned incidentally that the laws mentioned to are those adopted by The White Club (New York) with the approval of the American Whist League, the American Auction Bridge League, the Knickerbocker Whist Club and practically every other influential card club in the country. These laws became effective September 15th, 1927; they are universally followed in this country and are quite generally used abroad.

The first disputed law to be considered concerns doubled contracts. Take as an illustration a live score and a contract of two Spades doubled and made. It has been argued that, as it takes four Spades to make game from a "five" score, and Declarer has bid for only two, he cannot make game. The answer is that it does not take four-odd to go game at doubled Spades, but that two-odd will do it. The case cited is an example of "doubling them out" (an expression common in Auction Bridge) used to apply to the case in which a Declarer goes game because he has been

doubled, when he would not have done so undoubled. There evidently is confusion between a contract made with the help of a double, and one made with the help of a revoke penalty (referred to tomorrow).

On the disputed point regarding doubling, the following extracts from laws 26 (a) and 26 (b) should be clear to anyone who has taken the trouble to read them: (26-a) "If Declarer makes his contract, his side scores in their contract score, the value, normal, doubled or redoubled, of the Made Contract."

(26-b) "Doubling doubles the normal value of the tricks of the Made Contract."
"Made Contract" is defined in the laws as the number of tricks won by Declarer after he has won six tricks up to and including the number of tricks named in his contract.

The plain basis, however, cannot be obtained by aid of a double; "to score the premium, the slam must be contracted for. The slam value is not changed by doubling or redoubling" (Law 53-b).

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ROOSTER HATCHES A FAMILY
LAKE CITY, Fla.—Every body, including father, works in Mrs. W. C. Pennington's poultry house. Her husband rooster set for a week alongside a setting hen, Mrs. Pennington gave him six eggs and he has hatched a family of four new chicks because he has been

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PARIS ADDS TO MUSEUM
PARIS—The seventeenth century Hotel de Lamoignon has been bought by the city for \$1,600,000 to give the Carnavalet Museum more space.

RECORD-PROBE BILL
HAYANA—The city government has received a \$40,000 telephone bill, which has been accruing for two years. It is taking two weeks to audit the items.

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Frouddale Lawton Blackberries for canning. The season is most over.

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Veal ground for meat loaf, 22c

Announcements

Families of the Baptist church are going to the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Starr, five miles out of Island City this evening for a "midnight picnic." They are to meet between 6 and 6:30 o'clock, and transportation will be provided for those who do not have cars.

OLDEST BISHOP ACTIVE
JACKSON, Tenn.—Bishop Isaac Lewis, 98, of the United Methodist church, claims to be the oldest bishop of any denomination. Once a slave, he still addresses his congregation regularly.

BEARDLESS BARBER
PORTLAND, Me.—Tony Brind is only 14, but he has been a barber for a year and a half. He took up the trade after school hours.

Quarrelsome-ness on the part of children should be cured by removal of the underlying causes. The frequent "picking on" the other fellow, that troubles by its appearance, has a link of reason in one type of such quarrelsome-ness seen in the sick, undernourished, overfed, or underfed child. The cure for this is to remove him to his own room, out on a balcony, but because he is so small. When he wants it, a can of milk and crackers should be provided. When he is rested and nourished he is sure to emerge his normal self again.

The national shooting gun bill for 1927 was \$25,000,000. The figure must be greatly short. The figure must be greatly short. The figure must be greatly short.



TWO ATTRACTIVE PARASOLS for hot summer days are of heavy linen. The upper is white with a modernistic painted border in red, green, yellow and purple. The lower one is made of two squares of yellow linen embroidered with darker yellow dots.

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EXTRA Saturday and Monday SPECIALS

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SALAD OIL Cottonseed in Bulk 39c Quart	Peet's Granulated Large Package Washing Machine Soap 39c Pkg. 3 For \$1.10	Toilet Tissue Finest Tissue, 1000 Sheet Rolls 3 For 19c 73c Dozen	Matches Large Size Full Six Box Carton 17c Carton 3 For 49c
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