

SOCIETY NEWS

Mrs. H. E. Williams Is Hostess At Bridge Luncheon

Mrs. H. E. Williams was hostess to the P. S. club at her home last Saturday at a delightful 1:15 o'clock three-course luncheon.

During the afternoon cards were played at the three tables. Mrs. Jack Hatt won first prize for high score and Mrs. W. D. Warner received second.

Bouquets of yellow pennon, pans and other decorations in keeping with the Thanksgiving motif were used about the room and on the table.

The Friday afternoon Bridge club was entertained at the home of Mrs. W. M. Pore last Friday. Three tables were at play with first prize going to Mrs. Rose Eaton and second to Mrs. Elmer Gray.

Bronze and yellow clematis, mums made attractive decorations.

At the dinner bridge given Thurs-



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day evening by Mr. and Mrs. Chase Bohmskamp and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Press. Arthur Bowen received high score prize for men.

Of interest to La Grande folks is the announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Harriet Casey, formerly of La Grande, and Henry Kuehner, of Portland, who will be married next Saturday morning in the Church of the Madeleine in Portland.

Miss Casey is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Casey who formerly were residents of this city. Her brother, William Casey, is an employee of the La Grande National bank of this city.

Miss Casey's attendant at the wedding will be her sister, Miss Dorothy Casey. Nicholas Long will be best man and Edward Casey, Horner Jackson and Lloyd Left will be ushers.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Crough entertained at a dinner for eight last night at their home in the Grande Round apartments. Two tables of bridge were at play during the evening. Christmas cards were used as decorations.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. James Crough, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hill, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Paddock and the host and hostess.

Iris Camp Takes Part In Meeting

Iris Camp, Royal Neighbors of America, of La Grande, was well represented in numbers and on the program at the one-day seventh district convention held in Baker last Thursday in which camps from Pendleton, Ontario, Freewater, La Grande, Baker and Halfway participated.

The work was exemplified by Iris camp with Stella Weeks, secretary, and her efficient degree staff. They initiated a group of 20 candidates at the evening session of the convention.

Mayme Johnson in behalf of Iris camp, gave a response to the address of welcome by the Baker camp.

The convention is to be held next year at Freewater.

The convention included sessions in the morning, afternoon and evening. A banquet was an event of 6 o'clock Thursday evening.

Those who attended from La Grande were: Mayme Johnson, Bertha White, Pola Webb, Gladys Lilly, Oveda Hacker, Ireta Roy-

dan, Stella Week, Sarah Young, Lillian Troutman, Mabel Giesman, Bessie McManis, Velma Waburn, Oris Thompson, Alta Waburn, Resha Hart, Ivy Felling, Ella Trill, Gladys Hart, Tresey Snyder, Mary Hule, Iva Mumford, Tresey Snyder, Lillian Shoemaker, Effie Young, Maudie Whitely, Claudia Snyder, Minnie Barnett and Julia Siler.

The Ladies society to the R. of L. P. and E. will be hostesses to members of the Brotherhood of P. and E. tomorrow evening at the Knights of Pythias hall at 8 o'clock at a Thanksgiving dinner, which is an annual affair.

Mrs. Fred Williams, Mrs. Barford Davis and Mrs. Ed Lyons are in charge of the dinner and Mrs. Jack Coleman, Mrs. Jack Hatt and Mrs. Raymond Swan will have charge of the program.

All members of the Brotherhood are invited to attend.

Announcements

The Brotherhood of American Youths will meet with Mrs. Katie Heckford at 1915 East Pennsylvania avenue tonight for a social evening.

The annual Thanksgiving dinner given by the Ladies society to the R. of L. P. and E. will be tomorrow evening at the Knights of Pythias hall. All members of the Brotherhood of local P. and E. are invited to attend.

MENUS

By Sister Mary.
BREAKFAST — Orange juice, cereal cooked with raisins, cream, popovers, honey, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON — Cream of celery soup, soup wafers, whole wheat and jelly sandwiches, caramel custard, grape juice.
DINNER — Hungarian goulash, baked Hubbard squash, endive salad, lemon pie, milk, coffee.
Since potatoes and tomatoes are included in the "vegetable," only one additional vegetable is necessary in the menu. Crisp endive served with plain French dressing and old-fashioned lemon meringue pie bring this meal into perfect balance as to calories, vitamins and flavors.

Soup Wafers.
Two cups pastry flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon sugar, 1/2 teaspoon baking powder, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 eggs, cream.
Mix and sift flour, salt, sugar and baking powder. Sift mixture three or four times. Rub in butter with tips of fingers working until thoroughly blended. Beat eggs until light and cut into dry ingredients. Add cream if necessary, making a stiff dough. Put onto a floured rolling board and roll into a very thin sheet, not more than one-eighth inch thick. Cut into two-inch squares. Prick each with a fork, making a star in the center. Place on an oiled and floured baking sheet and bake 10 to 15 minutes in a moderately hot oven. The wafers should brown delicately while baking.

Two-California Singers Winners

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 19 (AP)—Two California singers, Miss Dora Irene Kilgore, Oakland soprano and Donald Navis, tenor of Pasadena, will represent the glories of western states December 16 at New York in the finals of the National Radio-Audition contest.

The two were the emphatic choice of the radio audiences of the western states as well as that of the judges. The listeners' vote counted 69 per cent and the vote of the board of judges, composed of two persons from each of the states, counted 40 per cent. Miss Kilgore, who was announced as number 49 in the San Francisco contest, sang the "Cano Nome" Aria from Rigoletto. She is a student of the University of California, Davis. Navis, a student at Whitier college who was announced as number 36, sang in French an aria from "Manon Lescaut."

At New York Opera Opening



Glittering jewels, gorgeous gowns, silk toppers and the social register opened the forty-fourth regular season of the Metropolitan Opera in New York. Here are two of the opera patrons as they arrived for the performance of "L'Amore dei Tre Re." Mrs. Edward K. Hutton, left, wore a velvet coat elaborately trimmed in white fox; her daughter, Miss Eleanor Hutton, an ermine coat.

Bridge Pointers

By Milton C. Work

(Mr. Work's articles on Mondays are written for the Bridge novice.)

There is one point in connection with the bidding in both Auction and Contract Bridge that is not fully understood; and that is that there is a difference in valuing a hand, depending whether the contract is to be a trump or No Trump.

When deciding whether the hand has sufficient strength to bid No Trump, an Ace is counted as 4, a King as 3, a Queen as 2, and a Jack as 1. Any hand that counts 12 on that basis and has three aces stopped justifies a bid of No Trump at Auction Bridge; at Contract Bridge a count of 12 is required.

A stopped suit is one which, if it be bid initially by the adversary, cannot be run because the bidding hand, being led up to, surely will take at least one trick in it and stop the running of it.

When determining whether or not to bid one of a suit, the 4-3-2-1 point is not used; the basis of a suit-bid is quick tricks. A five-card suit headed by one of the three top honors and containing a lower honor should be bid with any hand that possesses two quick tricks or the equivalent. A quick trick is King and Queen of the same suit or an Ace. Two Kings are the equivalent of one quick trick, so is a Queen with an Ace in one suit and a King in another (so that Ace-Queen-X in Hearts and King-X-X in Clubs would together be the equal of TWO quick tricks). An Ace, in one suit and a King in another would not be the equivalent of two quick tricks, but an Ace and two Kings in other suits would be.

Two quick tricks that justify a suit-bid may both be in the suit named, or one in that suit and one in another, or both in other suits (provided the suit named is not weaker than Queen-Ten-X-X-X). A four-card suit may be bid provided it has two of the three top honors, and is part of a hand containing three quick tricks or the equivalent.

Next Monday we will give a few examples of hands which should and should not be bid initially. (Copyright, John T. Dill Co.)

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NORTH POWDER PERSONALS

By Ethel Forsstrom (Observer Correspondent)

NORTH POWDER, Ore. (Special)—The high school will give a play and dance Friday, Nov. 23, at the Auditorium, with music furnished by the Revolvers.

Ray Hobbs and Clark Carnes returned Sunday from Portland. Clark has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Coles, at Eugene, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson and daughter, Doris, returned from Portland after attending the stock show. Mrs. Wilson is under the doctor's care in Portland.

Heriman Peters injured his ankle last Monday. While running a cow his horse slipped and fell.

Jean Forsstrom spent Friday night visiting her aunt, Edna Moore, in the country.

An old-time dance was given at Davis hall Thursday evening, with a large crowd in attendance.

Mr. Lamplin, James Wilson, Carl Garrison, Al Johnson and Mr. Kraus left for Corvallis Friday noon to attend the football game Satur-

day between O. S. C. and U. of O. The party went in Mr. Lamplin's car.

Ernie Ebert returned from La Grande Friday after visiting with his parents for a few days.

W. F. Titus, of Tolocast, transacted business in North Powder Friday.

A number of North Powder residents attended the Elks carnival Friday night at Baker. They reported a very good time.

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Friends Church Is Organized At Perry Recently

By Mrs. Mary B. Kall (Observer Correspondent)

PERRY, Ore., (Special)—At a recent meeting of the Perry community, a Friends Church was organized. Formerly all meetings were held at the community hall, but now the church furniture is moved to the store building on Middle Flat and future meetings will be held there.

Milton Smith was a business visitor in town one day last week. The Misses Lillie Scott and Lora rate Smith are spending this week at their homes here on account of high school being dismissed in town this week.

J. L. Ballou and family were recent visitors at the William Brown home.

Mrs. Molly Braden was a business visitor in La Grande last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Mathson and children recently visited friends and relatives in La Grande. Miss Frances Smith recently left for Pendleton where she has employment for the winter.

Mrs. Mary E. Cox and Mrs. Mary B. Kall were callers at the James Voss home one day the first of the week.

Burt Kall is employed on the high school repairing at present.

Miss Lola Martin, teacher at Hilliard, recently spent the weekend with her mother at Perry.

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Fox were invited visitors last weekend. Miss Gladys Dean spent the last week at the home of her two high school pupils, the Misses Ditty, in the valley. The Misses Ditty are ill of the mumps at present.

Mrs. Guy Tripp and children were recent callers at the Ezra Blaylock home.

Miss Lillie Scott was shopping in town last Thursday.

William Brown made a trip to La Grande last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Diehl was a recent afternoon visitor at the Burt Kall home.

Miss Anna Blaylock was absent from school last Thursday on account of illness.

P-T. LEADER



Mrs. C. F. McPherson, of La Grande, who took an active part during the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers regional convention held at Pendleton Nov. 14, 15 and 16. Mrs. McPherson is district vice president of district No. 5 which includes Baker, Union and Walla Walla counties. Mrs. McPherson with Mrs. M. J. Brown, of Clackamas county, county council president, participated in a memorial exercise honoring the late Mrs. W. J. Hawkins, who was known as the "Congress Mother."

Paul Perisho recently visited his friends Loren and Allen Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith and family were visiting in La Grande one afternoon the latter part of the week.

Miss Lorraine Smith and several high school friends made a trip to Pendleton on Armistice day to witness the football game.

E. Blaylock and brother, who are employed at the Mt. Emily logging camp, were weekend visitors at the home of their families here.

Mrs. Mary B. Kall was a caller at the Joe Smith home one day the first of the week.

Mrs. Whitmore visited Mrs. L. Rogers several days last week.

Mrs. Howard Smith visited school last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Blaylock have purchased a new radio which was installed in their home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Voss have on their guests this week. Mrs. Voss' brother and family, who have just returned from the Mt. Emily logging camp, where they have been employed.

Miss Abbe Marquardt, county health nurse, was visiting at Perry recently in the interests of her work.

Mrs. Loren Harris called upon Mrs. Joe Smith one day last week. Mr. Cox, who is paralyzed, is suffering from influenza and is at present confined to his bed. He is ordinarily able to get about the home with a little help.



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