

SOCIETY NEWS

Social Activities Center in Dinners

Thanksgiving Day in East or West, South or North, for the American people, is perhaps most rightly named family day of the year. It is the day when people like to be at their own hearthstones and to ponder just a bit on their lives, family and fortunes.

Social activities in La Grande during Thanksgiving week have been quiet, with functions centering about dinners and family get-togethers. The best of the celebrations have been saved for Thanksgiving day proper.

An enjoyable program was a feature of the social evening which followed the Degree of Honor lodge session Tuesday night. Louise Barnett and Mrs. Gladys Hough sang a group of duets and Billie Helen Miller, three years old, gave a dance. Mrs. Edna Owen and Mrs. R. G. Coleman entertained with a clever one-act play.

After the program refreshments were served by Mrs. Edith Dean, Mrs. Julia Hiatt and Mrs. Mabel Miller.

At the lodge session when Mrs. C. E. Wate, president, presided, plans were made for a Christmas party to be held the night of Dec. 18.

Mrs. H. K. O'Brien Hostess to Club

A very interesting meeting of the Mothers' Self Culture club was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. K. O'Brien. The topic for the discussion was "Self Control as a Basis of Right Conduct." Mrs. Otis Palmer had charge of



A NEW BLACK UMBRELLA is piped with white leather and has a handle of black wood studded with silver nail heads.

The program. Mrs. John S. Hodgson read a letter from Dr. Forster which discussed "Thomsonism, the Great Need of American Life," and "New Methods are Not Always 'True Methods'."

The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. Lester Stoddard.

The Neighbors of Woodcraft met in regular session Tuesday evening at the Knights of Pythias hall.

Plans were made for a Christmas tree and dinner to be held the week before Christmas. The members also voted on two applications.

Announcements

A party will be held for the Intermediate Christian society of the Presbyterian church at the home of Miss Kathryn Moran at 303 Third street at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening. All members and friends are invited.

MENUS

By Sister Mary
BREAKFAST—Grapes, cereal, cream, tomato salad, eye toast, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON—Baked rice and mushrooms, hearts of lettuce with French dressing, whole wheat bread, apple fritters, milk, tea.
DINNER—Roast veal, scalloped potatoes, tomatoes with cream sauce, endive with cheese dressing, steamed carrot pudding with lemon sauce, milk, coffee.

Be sure to choose a quick cooking apple for apple fritters. And keep in mind that the slices of fruit should be cut very thin. Otherwise the fruit will be underdone. The temperature of deep fat used for cooking fritters should be about 350 degrees Fahrenheit when the dough is dropped in and maintained at a temperature of 340 degrees F. while cooking. Allow eight minutes for cooking.

Scalloped Potatoes
 Four cups thinly sliced peeled potatoes, 1 small onion, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 tablespoon flour, 2 cups milk.
 Work flour and butter together until perfectly blended. Peel onion and put in the center of buttered baking dish. Cover with a layer of potatoes. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and dot with bits of butter and flour mixture. Add another layer of potatoes, seasoning and butter. Pour over milk and cover baking dish. Bake one hour in a moderate oven. Remove cover for last fifteen minutes of baking if necessary to brown top. Only enough onion is used to give an intriguing flavor to the dish. (Copyright, 1928, NEA Service, Inc.)

A prisoner in Cleveland got mad at a judge and killed his cell mate in revenge. A person can't be safe even in jail these days.



OFFICE CAT

By Junius

THANKSGIVING DAY

In 1861 the Pilgrims observed Thanksgiving day for the first time as a day to thank the Lord for the blessings of the preceding 12 months. It is still a day of thanksgiving but there are other things that enter into the picture too.

For instance, there is little Willie, whose appetite caused him to surmount more turkey than any other member of the family. But



It wasn't his appetite that caused that bitter dose of medicine the morning after!

Then there's the sad, sad story of the family that left the turkey in the window to cool off. But it TRAMPED off!

Here's another thing to be thankful for: folks are not considered poor any longer unless they are so poor a reduction in the price of an automobile does not interest them.

Cambridge (Ill.) Chronicle—In the evening 44 ladies and gentlemen were entertained at progressive 500. Mrs. Edward Noble was the first prize winner, she talking every game played.

Now we ask you, is that news? She: "Why, your heart sounds like a drum beating." He: "Yes, that's the call to arms." Another thing about men is that they thought the girls were just as good looking when they wore starched shirts and stiff collars as now.

MRS. STEWART DIES
 OAKLAND, Nov. 29 (AP)—Mrs. Frances Stewart, wife of Calvin Stewart, wealthy Humboldt and Mendocino county lumberman, died here. Her home was in Petrolia, Mendocino county. The widow, two daughters and four sons survive her.

WHAT GOES PREFER
 NEW YORK, Nov. 29 (AP)—A lively bunch of cubs, as they describe themselves, have written to the papers asking that girls attend a ball in a hotel before the battleship Arkansas goes on a cruise. Their preferences are: 1, volleyball; 2, brunettes; 3, blondes.

More than 50,000 deer hunters stormed the Michigan woods this year. Will men ever cease to war upon one another?

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



Thanksgiving



By BRUCE CATTON

POWER and glory,
 Greatness and gold;
 That is our story,
 Proudly retold.
 Let every stepple
 Boast with its bell;
 We are the people—
 We have done well.

Every Thanksgiving
 Heighten our pride;
 All people living
 Embrace our stride.
 We are the wealthy
 Kings of the earth,
 Substant and healthy,
 Knowing our worth.

So we sing, loudly,
 In our own praise,
 Surveying proudly
 All of our days.
 Yet, all around us
 Shadowy hosts
 Rise to confound us—
 Pioneer ghosts!

Theirs was the weeping,
 Theirs was the pain;
 Ours is the reaping,
 Ours is the gain;
 This is the morrow
 Longed-for of old,
 Won by their sorrow,
 Hunger and cold.

God of Compassion,
 Seated on high,
 Help us re-fashion
 Our haughty cry.
 Let us be humble,
 Let us be just,
 Lest we should stumble
 Down to the dust.

For busy cities and peaceful plains,
 For shining towers and golden hoard,
 For dead men's losses and live men's gains—
 Accept our humble thanks, Oh Lord.

Temperature Of Moon Slumps In Time Of Eclipse

PASADENA, Cal., Nov. 29 (AP)—The moon in the moon must have abandoned his asbestos tuxedo for red flannels and a fur overcoat when the earth turned off its solar heater at the beginning of the lunar eclipse Tuesday night.

Dr. Eldson Pettit, Mount Wilson observatory astronomer, jabbed a decorative thermometer under the tongue of the moon in the moon three times a minute during the two hour eclipse, taking his temperature 269 times.

Before mother earth interposed her form between the sun's rays and the moon, the latter's pale face was perspiring under a temperature of about 225 degrees

NORTH POWDER PERSONALS

By Ethel Furstrom
 (Observer Correspondent)
 NORTH POWDER, Ore., (Special)—Mrs. Ellen Mann, of Baker, was looking after interests here Monday.

Violet Parker and Louise Dodson were Baker visitors Monday

water. During the total eclipse, Dr. Pettit said, this temperature dropped about 414 degrees to 186 degrees below zero—close to the coldness of liquid air.

Other astronomers of Mount Wilson, studied the modification of the solar spectrum during the eclipse. Alfred H. Joy, using the 100 inch instrument, the largest reflecting telescope in the world, was nearer the moon for all practical purposes than any other human being.

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afternoon. Clyde Dodson purchased some cattle on Lower Powder from Mr. Morrissey.

C. E. Murchinson will leave this week for Eugene to spend the winter with his family.

Mary Christian and family have moved into the house formerly occupied by the Cate family, across from the Walk garage.

William Glass was a La Grande visitor Tuesday.

Dr. Irvine transacted business in Baker Tuesday.

NEW PLANS SHOWN

CHICAGO, Nov. 29 (AP)—What the well-equipped aviator will fly in next year is arriving here this week for exhibition at the international aeronautical exposition from Dec. 1 to 9.

More than 25 of the 80 types of aircraft to be displayed already have arrived.

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