

# SOCIETY NEWS

## Degree of Honor Installs Officers For Coming Year

Installation of officers of the La Grande Degree of Honor Protective association was held last night at Bagley's hall, with Mrs. Minnie Card, of Baker, acting as installing officer. Mrs. Julia Hilt gave the obligations.

The officers installed were: Elizabeth Wale, past president; Mabel Coleman, president; Edna Owens, first vice president; Pearl Campbell, second vice president; Anna Warner, financial secretary; Mabel Miller, treasurer; Louise Barnett, usher; Elva Moss, assistant usher; Minnie Barnett, inner watch; Anna Smith, outer watch; Olive Kennedy, planist.

Six were named to form the escort staff for the state convention to be held in The Dalles in April. They were: Elathine Herman, Nell Swan, Edyth Doan, Mabel Coleman, Felva Kilgore and Julia Hilt.

After the business of the evening program included the following numbers: Vocal solos, Louise Barnett; readings, Myrna Ward; readings, Edna Owens.

Mrs. Wale was in charge of delicious refreshments served during the evening.

A group of Supreme Forest Woodmen Circle members surprised Daley Newkirk at her home at 2088 East N avenue recently with a birthday party in her honor.

A handkerchief shower was given the honor guest and delightful refreshments were served.

Twenty-two persons were in attendance.

The Supreme Forest Woodmen circle met in regular business session Monday evening. One candidate was initiated. Plans for holding a "white elephant" sale were discussed. The date for the sale will be announced later.

After the initiation and business games were played and refreshments were served.

## Announcements

The Daughters and Sons of Union County Pioneers of La Grande and vicinity, are invited to attend a meeting to be held at the Sien-javen Inn Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The meeting of the Westway club which was to have been held Feb. 1 at the home of Mrs. Clyde Charlton has been postponed indefinitely on account of weather conditions. Announcements will be made later as to when and where it will meet.

## MENUS

By Sister Mary

DINNER

For the "Flu" Patient

- Split pea soup
- Hot malted milk
- Grape juice
- Vanilla ice cream
- Coffee or substitute with cream and sugar.

For the Rest of Us

- Split pea soup
- Lamb chops
- Baked potatoes
- Buttered carrots
- Endive salad
- Grape juice for children
- Vanilla ice cream
- Coffee or substitute

Split Pea Soup (4 Servings)

- 1 cup dried peas
  - 3 quarts cold water
  - 2 one-inch cubes salt pork
  - 1 onion
  - 2 tablespoons butter
  - 2 tablespoons flour
  - 2 cups milk
  - 1-2 teaspoons salt
  - 1-4 teaspoon pepper
- Soak peas several hours in cold water and drain. Add three quarts water, pork and onion. Cook slowly for three or four hours. Rub through a strainer. Make white sauce of butter, flour and

milk. Combine with peas. Season with salt and pepper.

**Egg Nog**

(For Patient Between Meals)

- 1 egg yolk
  - 1-8 teaspoon sugar
  - 1-8 teaspoon salt
  - 1-4 teaspoon vanilla
  - 1-2 cup sold milk
  - 1 egg white
- Beat yolk of egg slightly; add sugar, salt and flavoring. Add milk and mix well. Beat egg white until stiff and fold into other mixture. Serve in a tall glass.

## Clears Path To Bring Sheep To Home Shelter

By Mrs. C. M. Hale

(Observer Correspondent)

IMBIBER, Ore. (Special)—Considerable difficulty was experienced by Cap Tuttle in getting his sheep home after the heavy snow. He had been feeding on the Ed Jasper place and had fed the last of the hay about the time of the severe storm. It was necessary to go ahead of the sheep, scraping away the snow to make a road. The sheep moved very slowly, being bewildered by the storm. It took him two days to get them to the Ted Conkline place.

The Woman's club, which was to have met at the home of Mrs. Lyle Wilson last Wednesday, was postponed on account of sickness and stormy weather. The next meeting of the club will be held Feb. 13 at the home of Mrs. Charlie Cleaver. The subject to be discussed is "Painted Furniture." Mrs. Bessie Westenshaw will be the leader.

E. E. Hurley, of La Grande, was a business visitor here recently. Mr. Hurley has many friends here, as he was principal of the Imbiber school for several years.

Jim Andrews has been confined to his home for several days, suffering from rheumatism in his feet. He is reported to be improving at present.

Ralph Swarnes, whose home is in Elkhill, Mo., visited for a couple of days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Welch. Mr. Swarnes has been visiting for several weeks with relatives near Alice and Imbiber.

Audra and Newton Fuller were visiting at the home of their grandfather, A. Page, the latter part of last week. They returned to their home in Moss, Saturday.

Mrs. Keith Glenn, who has been making her home at Rigard, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Koeniger this week.

Hert Tucker has accepted a position in La Grande with the La Grande Bakery.

Mrs. Leslie Peck, of Baker, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Lede Westenshaw. Mr. Peck, who has been employed at the Skaggs store in Baker, has been transferred to Denver, Colo. Mrs. Peck expects to join her husband as soon as he is located in Denver.

Mrs. Ed Combes, of Summer-ville, took the train Tuesday morning for Elgin, where she will visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bert Sanders.

C. M. Hale will spend the remainder of the week in La Grande serving on the grand jury. While there, he will also visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hale.

George Hardy left Tuesday evening for Portland with a carload of hogs and cattle.

John Morris, who is working in the Imbiber in Wallowa canyon for the Bowman-Hicks Lumber company, was in town Tuesday. He says they have 20 inches of snow where he is located.

## Million School Children Take Hearing Test



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## Head of School for Operatic Singers



Mrs. Oliver Maine (above) heads the operatic school at South Bend, Ind.

## Powder Athlete Sprains His Ankle

By Mrs. Eathel Forsstrom

(Observer Correspondent)

NORTH POWDER, Ore. (Special)—Arthur Correll had the misfortune to sprain his ankle while practicing basketball recently.

Clarence Higgs received word recently from his wife, who is visiting in New Mexico, that their son Clayton, would undergo an operation on his throat.

While cleaning the highway in from the John Looney residence, the snowplow threw some ice and broke three windows.

Isabelle Lyons and Miller Ewen, of Seattle, are visiting their niece, Eathel Forsstrom.

Mrs. Katie Pearson and Mrs. Craig were Baker visitors Monday.

A number of people living in the country who had come into town with their cars, were compelled to stay over night, due to drifted roads. Violet Parker drove to Baker Monday, returning the same day, and reported the highway to be badly drifted in some places.

**TO ERECT MEMORIAL**

COLUMBUS, Ga., Jan. 30 (AP)—A memorial to Noble Leslie Devotie, founder of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, will be erected over this grave here in Linwood cemetery, according to a record filed here yesterday.

## Farm Pointers

Honey, stored in a warm dry place will keep for many months, even years, says H. A. Scullion, bee specialist at the state college. It will not keep well when stored in a cold damp cellar. The cans rust, and if the honey is in the comb, it draws moisture and granulates more quickly than when kept in the pantry or other warm places.

Careful cultivation of narcissus bulbs is aiding in exterminating the narcissus bulb fly in Oregon by destroying the pupae, according to experiment station authorities. Soil examinations for pupae in March save the grower's money as each pupa destroyed saves nearly 100 bulbs as each fly is able to lay 100 eggs and each grub that hatches will destroy one bulb. As the bulbs are worth from 5 cents to \$1.00 each, the loss one fly produces may amount to considerable money.

During the pruning season in Oregon apple growers are likely to find areas of bark punctured with many fine holes, says the experiment station. This injury is done by the bronze apple tree weevil. The areas are best cut out and destroyed and the wound painted with creosote, 1 pint, and 2 pints coal tar.

To destroy insects in small amounts of grain or similar products, the material is put in a

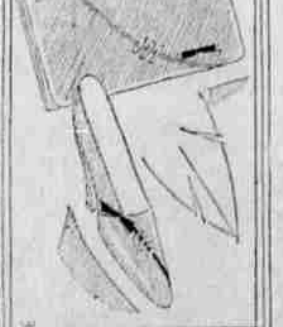
shallow baking pan and placed in the oven for one hour, says the experiment station. The temperature is regulated by placing a pan of water in the oven. Water is kept close to the boiling point without letting it boil. This treatment destroys the germination of the seed and the rising quality of flour. For seed intended for planting, the temperature is kept between 120 and 145 degrees F.

**COUNTRESS OF LAUDERDALE DIES**

**PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 30 (AP)**—The countess of Lauderdale died here today at her winter home, "Villa Azura."

She was the former Gwendoline Vaughan-Williams of England, and was a leader of the foreign contingent in Palm Beach society. She arrived here for the season with her husband, the Earl of Lauderdale, on December 1 from their home at Thirlestane castle, Berwickshire, Scotland.

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### HOTEL DESTROYED

SALISBURY, Md., Jan. 30 (AP)—The Peninsula hotel here was destroyed by fire last night.

The 33 guests escaped, although some were forced to flee in night clothing by fire escapes and rope ladders. Owners of the building estimated the loss at about \$150,000.

Outstanding in the day's news is the advertisement in the Clinton (Mass.) Daily Item of a "Scotch Concert and Ball," at which the entertainment was to be given by "a singer with two voices."

### IRENE DANCED TOO WELL

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 30 (AP)—A distinguished looking pair of visitors to a public hall started to dance. They were so good, particularly the lady, that they attracted attention. Then came protests from 15 other couples. These were marathons and the competition was too much for their tired feet. The visitors courteously retired to the sidelines and watched. They were Frederick McLaughlin, of Chicago and Mrs. McLaughlin, the former Irene Castle.

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