

# SOCIETY NEWS

## Camp Fire Girls Give Program At Meeting of Club

"Wo-he-lo for aye, Wo-he-lo for work, Wo-he-lo for health, Wo-he-lo for love," run the words of a song which Camp Fire girls sing when they begin their meetings. Another thing they do is to repeat the camp fire law which says, "Seek beauty, give service, pursue knowledge, be trustworthy, hold on to health, glorify work and be happy."

These expressions of Camp Fire girls interspersed with a program of demonstration, talks and method were all part of the delightful afternoon in which a group of La Grande Camp Fire girls took part yesterday when the Neighborhood club met at the La Grande hotel.

"When the Neighborhood club adopted the Camp Fire girls' organization as a junior department two years ago, it gave an impetus to the movement which caused it to grow from one Camp Fire group to the present 19 with a total membership of 150 girls," stated Mrs. W. T. Phyl, who was chairman of the program yesterday which met with congratulatory response from the members of the club for its excellence.

"The club has no right to take

the credit for the junior organization unless it assumes some of the responsibility. Camp Fire needs more than moral support," Mrs. Phyl continued.

There are three things which the Camp Fire organization in this city should have," she asserted, enumerating them as, a half-time executive, a place to meet, and a budget sufficient to finance these activities including the expense of a summer camp."

Mrs. Phyl is state chairman of Junior membership of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs, chairman of the girls' work committee of the La Grande club, and secretary-at-large of the Camp Fire girls' organization. She pointed out that the young girl of today has problems which are both different from and similar to those of boys and the problem has been to find an organization which will meet the girls' needs—furnish guidance and at the same time allow for the freedom which is the characteristic of the modern age.

"We believe that the organization of the Camp Fire girls comes as near as any to solving this problem."

The first program number given by the girls was an original skit, which contrasted the "flapper" and the Camp Fire girl types. A first aid demonstration and a Norwegian folk dance were other numbers. The closing part of the entertainment was a firelighting ceremony which began with the soft singing of the "Walking Song" by the girls as they filed in, dressed in the regulation costume of middie and skirts, with their leader wearing the ceremonial gown, "Burn Fire, Burn," "Mummy Moon," with the singing of "Now the Day is Over," closed the beautiful demonstration which is a climax to Camp Fire achievement. Edna Brown, fire maker, acted as guard.

The girls who took part in the program were: Pauline Lafrentier, Barbara Coolidge, Jean McKennon, Lydia Mae Hollister, Margaret Dixon, Doris Duncan, Marian Glinsey, Marjorie and Helen Montgomery, Esther Bloomer, Clarice Taylor, Jean Devine, Dorothy Wall, Nadine Attebery, Maxine Mattson, Janet Bingham, Lillian Rothwell, Edna Brown and Cornelia Daly.

At the business meeting of the club at which Mrs. E. L. Meyers, president, presided, preceding the program, it was voted that an invitation be extended to the club of Baker to be guests at the next meeting of the Neighborhood club in two weeks.

The Togheesse Camp Fire girls met at the home of Mrs. George Lockwood last night for a business meeting and program. Eva Kube told a folk tale and Laveda Mil-

ling entertained with two piano solos.

The girls spent part of the evening working on handkerchiefs on which they painted in all designs.

Those present were: Georganna Lockwood, Lorene Robertson, Wanda Kaufford, Dorothy Boeber, and the guardian, Miss Williamson.

The next meeting will be held next Tuesday with Mrs. Earl Houch and will be in form of a ceremonial.

One candidate was initiated at the Ladies' auxiliary to the R. of R. T. meeting held last night with 29 members in attendance.

The social hour which followed was in charge of Mrs. Stella Denby and her committee. A luncheon was served.

The White Rose club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. Arnett Mar. 13 for an old-fashioned party. Mrs. Charles Stoop will be assistant hostess.

## Y. W. E. A. Meets In Enjoyable Session With Mrs. Clark

When the members of the Young Woman's Educational Auxiliary shall have completed their year's trip around the world, and sit back to go over again in their minds the wonderful trip which they have had, there will, in all probability, be no part of their experience which will stand out more prominently or be more happily recalled than the visit to the "Land of the Midnight Sun."

That was the part of the trip which was given last evening through music and verbal description at the home of Mrs. Renwick Clark, 2084 Oak street, and which so keenly delighted the members of the auxiliary present. The Clark home was beautiful with its profusion of flowers, sweet peas, carnations and lovely potted plants. The guests were received by Mrs. Clark and later greeted by members of the committee in the costumes worn by the women of the Scandinavian countries, Mrs. Zela Tucker, chairman, Mrs. Ruth Clark, Mrs. Doris Griffin, Mrs. Ernie Stang, Viola Benham, Frances Cherry and Thelma Kbert.

The program of the evening was given by Rev. Leif Awee, who not only is but one generation removed from Scandinavia, but has also lived the greater part of his life among people of that extraction and in the year 1922 spent several months visiting in that particular section of Europe. His talk was interspersed with some exceptionally beautiful musical numbers. The first of these were two instrumental selections offered by Mrs. Florence Lynch Miller's ensemble consisting of Mrs. Farnam, Mrs. Playle, Mrs. Hickmore and Mrs. Miller, with Mrs. George Hirale at the piano. They played first Grieg's "Waterman Song" and second his "Morning Mood" both having been preceded by a short explanation by Mr. Awee. Mrs. Ruth Clark in a piano number, skilfully interpreted, gave "Awee's Death." On the pianoforte were played two orchestration, "Anetra's Dance" and "In the Hall of the Mountain King." Mrs. Leif Russell, in a bridal costume which was actually worn by a Norwegian bride of two years ago, seated at a spinning wheel, gave the concluding musical number when she sang, "Solving's Song." She was accompanied by Mrs. Ashby at the piano. The instrumental numbers were all from the Peer Gynt suite by Grieg.

In his descriptions, Mr. Awee gave his hearers a vivid picture of the three countries, Denmark, Sweden and Norway but dwelt particularly on the last named country, the largest of the three and covering an area equal to the combined areas of California, Delaware and Maryland. He spoke of the "Land of the Midnight Sun" as being one of the most picturesque countries in all the world, having the most mountains of any country in Europe save Spain. Its people are sturdy and independent and are described as being tall and slender, fair-haired and blue-eyed. The occupations are lumbering, agriculture, and stock-raising in the eastern part and fishing and shipping in the western. For its size, Norway has the largest merchant marine in the world, Rev. Awee stated.

Going from a description of the country itself, Mr. Awee turned the attention of his hearers to a study of the music and poetry of Norway and finally went into a careful and intensely interesting

review of Henrik Ibsen's Peer Gynt and it was at this point that the musical selections were offered.

Following the program the committee served a typical Norwegian lunch, consisting of Tuna fish salad with pickles and rye bread sandwiches, Norwegian pastries and coffee. The pastries were delicious and were made especially for the occasion by Mrs. Arnett.

There will be two more events in the auxiliary year for 1928-1929. At the next meeting the members will visit the British Isles and the concluding meeting will be "Home-ward Bound" which will be the annual banquet to be held in May.

The Home department of the Presbyterian church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Harrison on Second street with 35 members and several visitors in attendance.

Mrs. W. H. Pickens lead the devotional. Following the regular business meeting the women sewed on quilt blocks.

A two-course luncheon was served. Mrs. Rynearson and Mrs. Buell were assistant hostesses.

To follow the social quietude which has settled over this city during the Lenten season an important social event which was planned yesterday will mark the beginning of spring activities in La Grande. The springing affair will be a benefit card party to be given under the auspices of the Sons and Daughters of Union County Pioneers, Monday, April 1.

The Sons and Daughters met yesterday afternoon and at that time made plans for the occasion.

Mrs. Julius Hoesch, was appointed chairman of the card committee. Mrs. E. W. Williamson, chairman of the Kensington and Mrs. Harriet McDonald, chairman of the program. The appointments were made by A. R. Hunter, president of the organization.

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## Bridge Luncheon At Sacajawea Inn

A 1 o'clock luncheon was held yesterday afternoon at the Sacajawea Inn when members of the Helonah club met. A basket of red carnations formed the pretty centerpiece which was carried out in a color scheme of red and white.

After the luncheon the women went into the card room for an afternoon of bridge at three tables. High score prize was received by Mrs. Walafer Lane and second went to Mrs. Perry.

The club will meet next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Walter Lane.

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## Airmail Planes Set New Record

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 6 (AP)—Airmail that left San Francisco yesterday by the Boeing route was deposited in Chicago 12 hours and 43 minutes later, constituting a new record. It was announced today by W. G. Herron, vice president in charge of traffic. The previous record was slightly more than 18 hours.

The planes carrying the mail averaged 165.4 miles per hour over the 1943 mile route.

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## MENUS

By Sister Mary  
BREAKFAST—Orange juice, cereal cooked with raisins, cream, crisp broiled bacon, cornmeal pancakes, strap, toast for children, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON—Scalloped oyster plant, celery and apple salad, baked custard, milk, tea.  
DINNER—Baked bluefish, scalloped sweet potatoes and pineapple, pepper and cottage cheese salad, steamed cherry pudding, milk, coffee.

When a salad is served to small children be sure that the material is very finely shredded and use a simple dressing of olive oil and lemon juice. Olive oil is an excellent food for children since it is an easily digested fat. In our endeavor to keep too rich foods from children there is danger of giving them a diet rather lacking in fat.

Scalloped Oyster Plant  
Two bunches oyster plant (salted), 3 hard cooked eggs, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 1/2 tablespoons flour, 1 cup milk, 1/2 cup vegetable stock, 1/2 cup bread crumbs, 2 tablespoons grated cheese, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper.

Cut off tops from oyster plant. Scrape and drop immediately into cold water to which 2 tablespoons vinegar has been added. Cut in slices one-half inch thick, keeping vegetable in acidulated water until all are ready to use. Steam 20 minutes. Melt butter and brown slices of oyster plant quickly, first on one side and then on the other. Arrange in a baking dish and alternate layers with eggs cut in slices. Stir flour into butter remaining in pan after sauteing oysters. When perfectly blended, slowly add liquid ingredients, stirring constantly. Bring to the boiling point and pour over vegetable in baking dish. Cover with crumbs and cheese and bake until cheese melts and top is brown. Serve from baking dish.

SUGAR WAS ONCE TAXED AS LUXURY  
Considered a Delicacy Only Rich Could Afford

A well-known food authority recently pointed out that sugar was once considered "an exotic tropical luxury." As a luxury, sugar was subject to taxation on the theory that it would be used by the wealthy classes that could afford to be taxed.

Sugar is now so cheap in price, the food authority went on to show that it is used by everyone. As a matter of fact, as another scientist recently pointed out, there is now no fuel for the human body as cheap as sugar. "Sugar is one of the cleanest, purest, most wholesome foods," he said. "There is nothing that gives nutrition so cheaply."

The ideal way to use sugar is as a flavorer of all those varied, healthful foods we should eat in order to be strong and well. All children and adults should drink milk each day, and a little sugar and flavoring can be used to make delicious milk-shakes. Modern health authorities affirm that all of vegetables, fresh and canned, raw and cooked. It is inadvisable to try to force the members of your family to eat fruits, vegetables and meats unenjoyably prepared.

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