

# SOCIETY NEWS

## Artistic Program Given Tuesday By Neighborhood Club

"Perhaps the most artistic program given by the La Grande neighborhood club" has been used frequently today in speaking of the artistic program and songs given last evening under the very capable direction of Mrs. A. L. Richardson, with the assistance of prominent La Grande musicians. The program was presented at the ball room of the La Grande hotel. The stage with its spotlights, rich rugs, and subdued lights made an almost perfect setting for this program of exquisite and inspiring music. The members have all been described by critics of the city as having been outstanding. It seems that all were a good voice, all gave their numbers in a way that was finished and beautiful.

This was true of the soloists, Mrs. W. H. Bohnenkamp, Mrs. A. L. Richardson, Mrs. Ray Fuller, E. B. Fowler and E. E. Hurley. They appeared with selections from various operas "Ernani," "La Favorita," "Nadeshda" and "Martha." To give any adequate idea of their interpretations of the various numbers last evening is rather impossible. They were never in better form and it is literally true that they outdid themselves.

In their rendition of the song cycle "A Day in Venice" by Ethelbert Nevin, four poems of Frederick Martens, set to music of Nevin, and arranged for women's voices by the thirty members of the choir, skilfully directed by Mrs. Richardson, displayed a very certain precision and accuracy, sung with a unanimity which was especially good, made the crescendos and decrescendos very effective, their fortissimos pronounced. Of the 30 members of this choir, 15 of them have trained voices and their work last evening was most pleasing. They followed the careful and skilful direction of Mrs. Richardson perfectly.

The work of the quartet, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Bohnenkamp, Mr. Hurley and Mr. Fowler, in giving glimpses from the opera "Martha"

was one of the outstanding parts of the entire program. Mrs. Harley Richardson was the accompanist during the evening and to her skilful interpretation of the music is due much of the credit for the outstanding success of last evening's program.

A pretty little dance given in the midst of the evening by the Misses Jane Slange and Sally Siegrist was thoroughly appreciated.

The Unadmitted Camp Five girls gave a program and tea for their mothers Sunday afternoon at the home of Genevieve Spaeth. Each of the girls contributed to the program offered. Mrs. B. L. Smith of Enterprise was a guest.

Mrs. H. E. Inlow was honored at a most delightful party yesterday at the country home of Mrs. Lowell Stockman. The affair was most informal, intimate friends of Mrs. Inlow being invited. A charming feature was the making of a "memory book" for the honoree, the guests supplying snapshots of themselves and their families, and these being made into a book for Mrs. Inlow, who is leaving Pendleton to reside in La Grande—Pendleton East Oregonian.

## Bridge Club Meets At Rosenbaum Home

Cards were at play at three tables last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Rosenbaum, which was attractively decorated with spring flowers. Members of the La Petite Bridge club were guests and high score honors were made by Mrs. Ralph Webb and Nolan Skiff. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Pries received consolation awards.

Following a delicious two-course luncheon, members discussed plans for a no-host dinner bridge to be held in the near future. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Webb.

## Royal Neighbors Planning Dinner

At the regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors of America held

Monday evening in the Odd Fellows temple plans were made for a joint pot luck dinner with the Modern Woodmen of America which will be an event of Monday evening, May 27. The "grab bag" held Monday evening provided considerable fun and also replenished the flower fund considerably.

## So-Ne-He-Club In Enjoyable Meeting

Sixteen members and two visitors were present yesterday afternoon when Mrs. Earl Roberts assisted by Mrs. Robert Chaudler entertained the members of the So-Ne-He club at the home of Mrs. Roberts. Potted plants and cut flowers made a very pretty setting for the afternoon party. During the business meeting, plans were discussed for the summer picnic which this group has each year. With contests and social visiting the afternoon was happily spent. The two hostesses served some delectable refreshments. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday May 28, with Mrs. F. L. Shopher and Mrs. F. A. Young as the hostesses.

## Music Recital Is Given By Academy

The recital given last evening in the ball room at the Sacred Heart academy was enjoyed by about 400 people and their enthusiastic applause was attested to their enjoyment of the program offered. The stage in the ball room was very beautiful with its numerous baskets of the pretty spring flowers, and palms.

Thirty six young people appeared on the program and in each instance they displayed the most careful training, the technique and expression being especially good. Those appearing in the individual numbers were, Patricia Leonard, Mary Doherty, Cornelia Daly, Barbara Guye, Beverly Guye, Patrick Kennedy, Ethel Donohue, Sylvia Turn, Clara Norris, Judith Siegrist, Virginia McWilliams, Dorothy Wall, Theresa Curran, Burnette Chausse, Agnes Smith and Helen Newlin.

The orchestra should have special mention, as this was the first public appearance of several of the younger children. Their work was very good.

The program of this group was: First violins: Virginia McWilliams, Agnes Smith, Patrick Kennedy, Mary Doherty, Wayne Gooderham, Burnette Chausse, Marion Chausse, Clara Norris, Dorothy Wall, Joseph Folk, Georgia Daniels, Myron Ledgerwood.

Second violin: Troy Becker, Elizabeth Donohue, Harriet Becker, Lyndon Ledgerwood, Dorothy Campbell, Jack McNellan, Annette Turn, Ernest Stitzinger.

Mandolins: Theresa Curran, Jack Galvin.

Steel guitars: Agnes Kinney, Opal Nobles.

Drums: Vincent Newlin.

French Horn: William Caldwell.

Cornet: Paul Newlin.

Saxophone: Luther Folk.

Clarinet: Boyd Jackson.

Piano: Barbara and Beverly Guye.

Accompanist: Clara Norris.

## Good Will Club Is Entertained

The Good Will club of the Women's Relief Corps met at the home of Mrs. Frances Kennedy, 1310 X avenue yesterday afternoon, and an enjoyable afternoon was spent by all present. There were a number of interesting contests in

which Mrs. Laura Braden won the first prize and Mrs. B. W. Carr, the second prize. At the close of these the hostess served some refreshments.

## Mrs. Andrews Is Hostess to Club

The Bon Ton club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Haskell Andrews on Main street. Seven members were present and a delightful afternoon is reported. Mrs. Andrews' refreshments served late in the afternoon were delicious.

## Miss Browning And Claire Smith Wed

A wedding of much interest both here and at the Cove took place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Browning, 1433 Madison street, when their daughter, Miss Claire, was united in marriage to Claire Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith of Cove. The bride wore an afternoon frock of blue with white trimmings and carried an arm bouquet of sweet peas. She was attended as maid of honor by Miss Melissa Holman, who wore a pretty frock of liberty blue with white trimmings and carried an arm bouquet of sweet peas. She was attended as maid of honor by Miss Melissa Holman, who wore a pretty frock of liberty blue with white trimmings and carried an arm bouquet of sweet peas. She was attended as maid of honor by Miss Melissa Holman, who wore a pretty frock of liberty blue with white trimmings and carried an arm bouquet of sweet peas.

A wedding feast was served after the ceremony, which was witnessed by only the intimate friends of the contracting parties. The couple went to Cove late in the afternoon and will make their home there, being at present at the home of the groom's parents.—Cove correspondent.

## Pinocle Party Planned by W. B. A.

Last evening the W. B. A. met in regular session at the Odd Fellows hall. Routine business occupied the major part of the evening and plans were laid for a pinocle party to be given on Tuesday evening, May 28.

## Bridge Luncheon At Ralston Home

Following a color combination of blue and gold, Mrs. F. L. Ralston

## THEATERS

### "Captain Ramper" Has Unusual Theme

"The Strange Case of Captain Ramper," the first production of the Deru Company of Berlin, a foreign producing unit of First National Pictures, Inc., will have its first local showing at the Star theater today. The film brings to motion picture audiences one of the most unusual themes ever portrayed on the screen—the reversion of a man to a primitive beast. It is adapted from the stage play by Max Mohr.

The principal role is assumed by Paul Wegener, Germany's leading screen artist, who will be remembered for his remarkable portrayal in "The Golem." The only feminine part is played by Mary Johnson, young Swedish star. Max Reichmann, who directed the picture, is said to rise with it to the highest rank among German film directors.

used lilies of the valley, forget-me-nots and yellow tulips most tastily and effectively yesterday about her home, when she had for her guests a group of 28 ladies at a bridge luncheon. For making the high score, Mrs. Charles Reynolds won the first prize, Mrs. H. E. Dixon, the second and Mrs. Herman Siegrist the consolation. Guests from out of the city were Mrs. David Stoddard of Baker and Mrs. R. J. Campbell of Enterprise.

## Announcements

The American Legion Auxiliary drill team will meet at the high school gym at 7:30 o'clock sharp on Thursday night.

The Art department of the Neighborhood club will meet with Mrs. Thompson in Fruitdale, Friday afternoon at two o'clock promptly. Miss Margaret Anson will be the leader and the subject in "Art on Land and Sea." This is a social meeting and each lady is asked to bring a guest. There will also be election of officers.

The Past Matrons club will meet this evening with Mrs. Margaret Wells, 2005 Third street.

## Vitaphone Success Now Playing At The Arcade

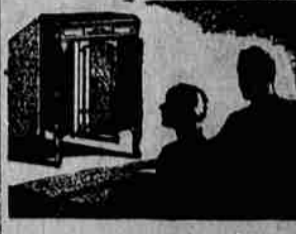
Local theatergoers are expressing their hearty approval of "Women They Talk About," the Warner Bros. Vitaphone picture, now showing at the Arcade Theater.

The theme is woman in politics, with Cupid somewhere in the offing. Irene Rich is featured as the woman candidate for mayor against a former lover who is running for re-election. Audrey Ferris is featured as the daughter of the lady candidate, and the clandestine sweetheart of the mayor's truck-driving son, played by William Collier Jr. Other in the all-star cast are Claude Gillingwater, Anders Randolf, Jack Santoro and John Miljan. The story is by Anthony Coldway. Robert Lord wrote the scenario and Lloyd Bacon directed.

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