SOCIETY NEWS

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Social Activity Resumes With The Passing of Easter

The post-Easter season finds a renewal of social activity in La Grande with a number of luncheons and dinners being given throughout the week. Social events of Tuesday which proved to be of especial interest were the luncheon at which Mrs. John Theelson entertained at her home for the Mitzi club, and the bridge-dinner at which Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ravenscroft were hosts for their dinner club.

Important among the coming events of the week is the luncheon at the La Grande hotel at which Mrs. Will Siegrist will entertain the Alpha club on Thursday, and the afternoon of bridge at the home of Mrs. Harry McKinlay on Friday.

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Dinner and Bridge At the La Grande

A group of 12 were entertained at dinner and bridge last evening at the La Grande hotel by Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ravenscroft. The table was decorated with a centerpiece of spring flowers.

Prizes at bridge were received by Mrs. W. H. Guild, first; R. L. Poarch, second; and Dr. F. L. Ralston, third.

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Richardson will entertain the group in two weeks.

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Mrs. John Theison Entertains Club

Mrs. John Theison entertained at her home yesterday with a one o'clock luncheon and afternoon of cards for the Mitzi club. Thirteen guests, the entire membership, were seated at one large table, for a two-course luncheon, the table having as a centerpiece a large bowl of irezias and sweet peas carrying out a lavender and yellow color scheme.

Bridge was played during the afternoon with Mrs. De Lile Green receiving the prize for high score, and Mrs. L. F. Dunn, consolation.

Mrs. C. R. Eberhard will entertain the group in two weeks at her home.

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Members of Bridge Club Entertained

The M. I. L. club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Barclay at an afternoon of bridge. The house was decorated with flowers to carry out the spring motif which was used by the hostess.

Bridge was the entertainment with Mrs. E. Jacobson receiving the prize for high score. Mrs. Harry Huckstep, of Pendleton, was a guest.

Refreshments were served late in the afternoon by the hostess. Mrs. Ray Goodnough will entertain the group in two weeks.

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Russian Program At Art Club Meet

A program of exceptional interest was presented at a meeting of the Neighborhood Art club yesterday afternoon with Russia the topic for discussion. Mrs. L. Denham reviewed Russia's Far East policy and the Japanese war.

Sketches from the life of Tolstoy, one of the greatest of Russian writers, was presented by Mrs. H. H. Cleaver. Mrs. C. E. Anderson reviewed "Vanka, the Butler, and Page Jean," a Russian comedy; and "A Bad Anecdote," a short story, both of which were presented at the Moscow theatre.

A general discussion of Russian art and literature followed the program.

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Burlesque Circus Featured At Meet

A burlesque one-ring circus with animals, clowns, bareback riders and all that which goes with a circus was presented last night in the basement of the Methodist church for the entertainment of the Young Women's Educational auxiliary. One room was decorated to resemble a circus with balloons, and another was filled with "wild" animals in cages. Mrs. C. L. Gilstrap received the first prize in the guessing contest which was conducted in order to establish the identity of the animals. Second places were awarded Miss Ruth Brown, Miss Alice Klippel and Mrs. R. F. Tyler.

Mrs. Zelma Lyons was ringmaster in the circus and introduced the acts. Four little girls, dressed in ballet costumes, presented an equestrienne act. They were Misses Jean Davies, Gloria Walker, Frances Clark and Gladys Lyons.

Twelve boys from Miss Mildred Hoyt's room in Greenwood school who were in the animal parade were Charles Mattoon and Carl Wheeler, zebra; Elmer Maxwell and Carl Stewart, elephant; Melvin Comstock and Jimmy Comstock, giraffe; Clyde and Franklin Pyle, deer. Miss Frances Clark, dressed as a bear, did a stunt on roller skates. The little bareback rider who presented a dance was Miss Lois Holman, while Miss Dorothy Lee Reynolds was the snake charmer.

The dancing horse was composed of Miss Ruth Byers and Miss Justine Cade, and the little tightrope walker who poised on the rope balancing a brightly colored umbrella was Helen Jean Webb. Ruth Byers and Justine Cade presented a tumbling act; Maxine Peterson, an acrobatic stunt; and Jackie Davies and Jimmy Mills ran a chariot race.

Clowns were Ruth Byers, Justine Cade, Maxine Peterson and Gilbert Byers.

Music for the circus was furnished by Mrs. Julia Metzler playing the piano, and Jack Powell, drums.

The committee in charge of the event consisted of Mrs. May Tarkington, chairman; Mrs. Julia Metzler, Miss Mildred Hoyt, Mrs. Florence Richey, Mrs. Thelma Lyons, Mrs. Edna Forrester and Mrs. Edith Byers.

The next meeting of the group will be a banquet on May 5, and Miss Mabel Morton is chairman for the event.

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Mrs. Bingaman Is Bridge Hostess

The Monday Bridge club was entertained Monday at a one o'clock luncheon by Mrs. Charles Bingaman. The luncheon table was decorated with flowers.

After the luncheon bridge was played with Mrs. W. G. Sawyer receiving the prize for high score, and Mrs. Harris, the guest prize.

Mrs. Sawyer will entertain the group in two weeks with a one o'clock luncheon at the La Grande hotel.

Benefit Card Party At Sacajawea Inn

A benefit card party was enjoyed by a group who gathered last night at the Sacajawea Inn for the affair sponsored by the auxiliary of the United Spanish War Veterans. Bridge and pinochle were played during the evening. Mrs. Lee Hanford received the bridge prize.

Refreshments were served late in the evening. Mrs. May Gump was chairman for the event.

The auxiliary will hold its next regular meeting at the Knights of Pythias hall on April 25 at 7:30.

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Rome The Topic At Chapter Meet

Rome of "The Brave Days of Old" was the topic for study at a meeting of the Delphian chapter held last evening at the Sacajawea Inn. It was with regret that members left the study of the cultured and beauty loving Greeks, to take up that of the militant Romans, they state. Those taking part in the program were Mrs. H. E. Brady, Mrs. Lowell Williamson, Miss Hulda Anderson, Miss Henri Hering, Miss Hilda Anthony, Mrs. E. E. Hurley, Miss Ida McMeekin and Mrs. Beatrice Young.

The chapter will meet again next Tuesday, April 14, at the Sacajawea Inn, with "The Story of Hannibal" for the evening's study.

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Goodwill Club In Session Tuesday

The Goodwill club of the Women's Relief Corps met yesterday for a business and social afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. H. Blystone. Two quilts are being pieced and later will be disposed of for the benefit of the club.

Fourteen were present at the meeting including two visitors, Mrs. Dan Blystone, of Yakima, Wash., and Miss Valerie Harper. The program included a comic reading by Mrs. Laura Braden, a patriotic reading by Mrs. Marietta Yeck, and a group of piano solos by Miss Harper.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, and it was decided that the group will meet with Mrs. Braden, April 21 at 2 o'clock.

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To Discuss Plans For Convention

To discuss plans for the Eastern Oregon convention of the Royal Neighbors of America which is to be held in La Grande next fall, the local Royal Neighbors have called a special business session for next Monday evening at 7:30. They will meet at the Odd Fellows hall.

Considerable interest is being evinced by the Royal Neighbors lodge of La Grande in the forthcoming convention and the honor which has been bestowed on La Grande, they state.

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State Manager Is Guest at Session

The Supreme Forest Woodmen Circle met in special session on Tuesday at 2:30 at the home of Laura Oliver, in honor of Mrs. Rose McCrosky, state manager of Washington, Idaho and Oregon. Mrs. McCrosky gave an instructive talk on the work of the different groves.

The tri-state convention will be held in Seattle in April, and a delegate expects to attend from La Grande. Articles will at that time be sent to the home at Sherman, Texas, and they will be displayed at the convention. Each grove is to send some useful article.

Refreshments were served at the close of the session by the hostess. Mrs. McCroskey left for Portland after the meeting to attend a meeting of the Portland Grove this evening.

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Mrs. Schilling To Entertain Group

Mrs. James Schilling will be hostess for the Lutheran Ladies Aid tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at her home, 1203 U avenue. The afternoon will be spent in transacting business and socially, Mrs. Schilling announced this morning.

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Pendleton Women Will Be Guests

Members of the Pendleton Ladies auxiliary to the Eagles lodge will be the guests of the local auxiliary Thursday evening, at 7:30 at the Eagles hall. An interesting entertainment is being planned, including initiation and balloting on candidates, Mrs. Mabel Thompson states.

A large group of Pendleton women are expected to attend the meeting which is being given in their honor, it is stated.

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Greenwood P. T. A. To Elect Officers

Nomination and election of officers will be held Friday afternoon by the Greenwood Parent Teacher association when it meets at the school at 2:30. All members are urged to be present.

Social Calendar

Wednesday, April 8

6:30 Rotary club and Lions club and their wives, banquet, La Grande hotel.

8:00 Bid 'Em and Lose 'Em club, with Miss Norma Mayger.

8:00 Eastern Star at the Masonic hall.

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Thursday, April 9

10:00 Past Noble Grands club of the Rebekahs, all day meeting, with Mrs. D. J. Kimmell.

12:00 Friendly Corner club, with Mrs. Oren Lovan.

1:00 Alpha club luncheon, Mrs. Will Siegrist at the La Grande hotel.

1:00 Thursday club, with Mrs. W. H. Bohnenkamp Sr.

2:00 Thursday club, with Mrs. O. W. Helvey.

2:00 Poppy club, with Mrs. Otis Palmer.

2:00 Mary Elizabeth club, with Mrs. H. M. Bradshaw.

2:00 Ladies Aid of the Lutheran church, with Mrs. James Schilling.

2:00 Stitch and Chatter club, with Mrs. Miles Fallows.

2:30 Division B. of the Loyal Sisters of the Christian church, with Mrs. Lee Slusher, 1611-12 street.

7:30 Eagles auxiliary entertain Pendleton women, at the Eagles hall.

8:00 U-go I-go club, with Mrs. R. J. Kitchen.

8:00 Triangle club, with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoppel.

8:00 Young married folks class of the Methodist Sunday school, with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hanford.

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Friday, April 10

1:00 Lucky Dozen club, with Mrs. Frank Hansen.

2:00 Presbyterian Missionary society, at the church.

2:00 Bridge club, with Mrs. Harry McKinlay.

2:00 Westway club of the W. B. A., with Mrs. W. C. Howard, 1402 O avenue.

7:30 La Boheme club, business meeting with Miss Genevieve Nelson.

2:30 Greenwood Parent Teacher association, at the school.

6:30 Three D club, with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Noyes.

7:30 La Boheme club, business meeting with Miss Genevieve Wilson.

8:00 Swastika club, with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Green.

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Saturday, April 11

7:30 Rainbow Girls, at the Masonic hall.

8:00 Coterie club, with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Maxam.

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Monday, April 13

2:00 Division C, Loyal Sisters of the Christian church, with Mrs. Elmer Miller.

2:00 E. Z. club, with Mrs. J. P. Morelock.

2:15 Ramblers Art club, with Mrs. Ed. Kiddle, at the Grande Ronde apartments.

2:30 Woodmen Circle, with Mrs. Laura Oliver.

2:30 Mother's Self Culture club, with Mrs. Merlin Batley.

7:30 Neighborhood Music club, at the La Grande hotel.

7:30 Daughters of Union Veterans, at the Moose hall.

7:30 Royal Neighbors of America, at the Odd Fellows hall.

7:30 Gleaner class of the M. I. A., at the home of Miss Barbara Hiatt.

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Tuesday, April 14

2:00 Neighborhood club, at the La Grande hotel

2:00 Home Missionary society of the Methodist church, with Mrs. Lee Hanford.

7:30 Women's Benefit association at the Odd Fellows hall.

7:30 Delphian Chapter, at the Sacajawea Inn.

8:00 Neighbors of Woodcraft, at the K. P. hall.

FLOWERS FOR SMART HATS, LONG TABOO RETURN FOR SPRING IN TRICKY EFFECTS

By Diana Merwin

PARIS (AP) — Dressy hats for the modern maid are as gay with flowers as grandmother's bonnet.

Floral trims, long banished from the hat picture, have come back to their own this spring.

The chapeaux which Miss 1931 will wear for formal afternoon functions and informal evening affairs are bright with blooms, although the flowers generally are sparingly used.

There are close-fitting black caps finished with a band of geranium tinted roses framing the face; there are black skull caps worn tilted to one side with a line of white or green gardenias nestling against the hair, and there are white berets encircled by blue and white hyacinth blooms.

Other close-fitting, cap-like models are covered entirely with small bright flowers and worn with a nose veil.

The hats worn with street ensembles are simpler in effect, but more complicated in design. With these the brim, banished for the last two seasons, returns to indicate spring chic.

Gibson girl sailors with shallow round crowns with stiff brims will be smart with spring tailleurs. Silk ensembles will be accompanied by bicorns, tricorns and chapeaux with intricately draped brims, while dressy afternoon costumes will be worn with hats having brims of Merry Widow proportions.

The new hats, often combining two fabrics and colors, make the two sides of the head entirely different in silhouette. They are worn well back from the forehead on a diagonal line, high on one side, low on the other; covering one ear, revealing the other. In color they match either costume or accessories.

William S. Baer, Famous Surgeon, Dies from Stroke

BALTIMORE, April 8 (AP)—Dr. William S. Baer, 58, internationally known orthopedic seurgeon, died yesterday of the effects of a stroke of paralysis he suffered Sunday.

Dr. Baer was a member of the faculty of Johns Hopkins medical school for 32 years, and his name was connected with a number of medical discoveries.

The most recent was the result of his service in France as chief orthopedic consultant of the American Expeditionary forces. He found that the grub of the blue bottle fly would clear up deep seated infections of the bone that defied all other methods of treatment.

An operation he performed more than 15 years ago was regarded as among the most remarkable in surgery. He broke the jaw bones of a boy in his teens who had been born without joints, chiseled joints and made the child normal.

Circulation Men Choose Officers

WENATCHEE, Wash., April 8 (AP)—Harry H. Cahill, Seattle, was elected president, and Portland, Oregon, was chosen for the 1932 meeting place at the convention of the Pacific Northwest Circulation Managers here yesterday.

E. A. McKeen, Longview, was elected vice-president, and E. P. Hopwood, Portland, secretary-treasurer. The convention closed at noon. The circulation managers were guests of the Wenatchee World at a banquet Monday night.

John Verschueren, Astoria, Ore., and A. J. Hilliker, Calgary, Alberta, were chosen directors.

The following were chosen on commitees: technical subjects, F. Grenfel, Seattle, and George Polley, Ellensburg; program, W. D. Lyness, Tacoma, H. V. Wooten, Edmonton, Alberta, Ben R. Litfin, The Dalles, Ore.; F. E. Henderson, Vancouver, B. C., H. F. Gates, Vancouver, B. C., and Gus Hixson, Salem, Oregon.

Evans Comments on Removal from Post

EUGENE, Ore., April 8 (AP)—David B. Evans of Eugene, member of the state game commission which was swept out of office yesterday by Governor Meier, said, "I am not at all surprised at my removal."

"I a macquainted with Vining and Corrigan (members of the new commission) and I know them to be good men, and I believe the whole commission will serve the sportsmen well," Evans said.

Evans declared he was the last Lane county man in state political posts. His removal leaves the county with no representation in the Meier administration.

View Neon Light And Maybe You'll See Cosmic Rays

BOULDER, Colo. (AP)—Everyone who looks at a neon light may see indirectly the mystifying cosmic rays which Dr. Robert A. Millikan says possibly arise from creation of matter now going on in space.

"Neon" lights are produced by an electric current running through gas, usually neon. Something causes this gas to be a conductor, replacing the familiar filament. This "something" that gives the gas its conducting power probably is cosmic rays, says Dr. James W. Broxon of the physics department of the University of Colorado in a report to the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

The conductivity of the gas is known to be due to ionization, a form of electrification. Broxon says this electrification is duo to cosmic rays striking and breaking up particles of the gas.

WILD FIG MAY YIELD CURE FOR HOOKWORM

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP)—Search for a bookworm remedy in the wild fig tree has been undertaken by Harvard and the Rockefeller Institute.

The curative substance is found in the latex, of milky gum, exuded by several species of this tree. The species are difficult to distinguish from each other, and exact identification is important since the various latices differ in potency.

The Harvard experiment station at Soledad, Cuba, has many species of wild fig and Dr. Benjamin H. Robbins, of Vanderbilt university, has gone there to undertake the study.

ENGLISH AND FRENCH

LEVIS, Que., April 8 (AP)—The English and French of Quebec have been asked by the new governor-general of Canada, the Earl of Bessborough, to live together as unitedly as he himself had done with his "loyal French wife."

Yorktown Fight Will Be Retold With Pageantry

YORKTOWN, Va. (AP)—A four-day program climaxed with an address by President Hoover will mark the sesquicentennial anniversary here of Cornwallis' surrender.

While federal and Virginia commissions are completing details of the official celebration October 16-19, the national park service is arranging to accommodate an expected daily average attendance of 150,000 persons.

For every soldier who fought in the siege of Yorktown in 1781, there will be parking places for two automobiles.

Pershing to Speak

The first day of the program will be designated Virginia day, the second Federation day and the third Religious Liberty day. Gen. John J. Pershing is to speak October 17, Federation day, and later will review the military demonstrations.

The final day, anniversary of the Yorktown victory that resulted in American independence, will be called Surrender day.

There will be a chain of events, worked out in pageant-like formations, marking milestones in the history of the colonies' fight for freedom.

Historic Troops to Parade

A preliminary attraction will be the return of the Continental Legion—its units having originated in the 13 colonies during the days of the Revolution.

From Lexington and Concord to Savannah, troops of these four score units will gather in New York October 14, for another "advance" on Yorktown. They will be brought through Trenton, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Richmond where they will parade in their elaborate uniforms.

Among the more famous of their number are the Connecticut Foot Guards, the Putnam Phalanx, the Massachusetts Ancient and Honorable Artillery, the Richmond Light-Infantry Blues, the Pennsylvania State Fencibles, the Fayetteville Independence Light Infantry, and the Georgia Hussars.

Army Troops to Participate

They will be joined at Yorktown by 3,000 regular army troops, and other thousands of sailors, marines and national guardsmen in a military spectacle.

In the York river under the battlefield bluff there will be squadrons of the United States, French and British fleets, the frigate Constitution, and seaplanes at base.

'ECHO' DEVICE PERFECTED TO FIND DEPTH OF BEDROCK

IOWA CITY, Ia. (AP)—The principle of the depth-finder used to determine the depth of water in the sea has been applied to a machine for finding how deep bedrock lies below the earth's surface.

A device perfected by Austin N. Stanton of this city sets up pressure waves directed at the bedrock, which are finally reflected back to the surface. By determining the length of time and considering characteristics of the terrain it is possible to compute how far below the surface is the bedrock.

BOWLES AND IRMA PLEAD GUILTY IN STATUTORY CASE

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admitted intimate relationship.

The $300 fine is the largest that could have been assessed. Both answered the charge with the one word —"guilty." They were still pale from their 130 days in jail, preliminary to their acquittal.

Lotus L. Langley, district attorney, said the charge to which they pleaded carries a penalty of from one month to six months in jail, or a fine of from $50 to $300.

"If the defendants had placed the state to the expense of a trial," he said, "and had been convicted, I would have demanded the maximum jail penalty as announced by this office after the murder trial. The defendants offered to plead guilty if a money penalty would be recommended."

Principals and Teachers Resign

GRANTS PASS, April 8 (AP)—The resignations of two principals and three members of the faculty of Grants Pass public schools were accepted yesterday by the board of education.

The resignation of H. L. Buhlman, for four years principal of the high school, was accepted. David McDonald Jr., connected with the Ashland State Normal, was elected to the post.

Howard D. Oldham from Newberg was elected to take the place made vacant by the resignation of Harry L. Ingraham, principal of the junior high school.

Alta Cole, Helen Fletcher, and Sarah Parr submitted their resignations and they were accepted.

A petition offered by a group of taxpayers seeking retention of the resigned principals was not acted upon by the board.

Labor Guaranteed 48 Weeks of Work

NEW YORK, April 8 (AP)—The promise given by Proctor and Gamble, soap makers, seven years ago under which employes are guaranteed at least 48 weeks' work a year, has resulted in "increased profits, as well as economic security for the workers," Col. William Cooper Proctor declares in the current "Nation's Business."

"We should have thought of it before," Colonel Proctor is quoted as saying.

Seasonal slumps have been banished under the plan, and the company has experienced "tremendous prosperity in the face of constantly declining business elsewhere," he said.

Hold Funeral for Murdered Minister

NEVADA, Mo., April 8 (AP)—Members of the congregation of the little log church in the white oak clearing at Halley's Bluffs were among the many assembled here yesterday for the funeral of Rev. George Rider, mortally wounded Saturday by the Rev. J. A. Brown, former pastor of the non-denominational place of worship.

The Rev. Martin T. Haw, who was with the evangelist when he died Easter Sunday praying for his assailant, was selected to conduct the service.

A son of the accused man, Clyde M. Brown of Kansas City, said his father had been "queer at times" since he was kicked by a mule twenty-five years ago. He usually had conquered his emotions the son said, by cutting grass or "whittling for hours at a time."

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By Mrs. Alexander George

MENUS FOR A DAY

Breakfast
Chilled Orange Juice
Cooked Wheat Cereal and Cream
Buttered Toast Coffee

Luncheon
Shrimp De Luxe Spiced Pears
Bread Butter
Sugar Cookies Tea

Dinner
Creole Rice Baked Sweet Potatoes
Escalloped Cabbage
Biscuit Honey
Head Lettuce and French Dressing
Fresh Gingerbread Coffee or Tea

Shrimp De Luxe, Serving 6

5 tablespoons butter.
6 tablespoons flour.
3 cups milk.
1 teaspoon salt.
¼ teaspoon paprika.
1½ cups shrimps.
½ cup cooked mushrooms.
3 tablespoons chopped green peppers.
3 tablespoons chopped pimentos.
3 tablespoons chopped, cooked celery.
1 egg, well beaten.
6 pieces hot toast.

Melt butter and add flour. Blend and add milk and cook until creamy sauce forms. Add seasonings, shrimps and mushrooms. Cook one minute. Add egg and cook one minute. Serve at once, poured over toast.

Creole Rice

2 cups boiled rice.
2 cups tomatoes.
¼ cup chopped green peppers.
2 tablespoons chopped onions.
½ cup choped celery.
1 teasoon salt.
¼ teaspoon paprika.
4 tablespoons butter, melted.

Mix ingredients and pour into buttered baking dish. Bake 25 minutes in moderate oven.

Fresh Gingerbread

1-3 cup fat.
1 cup dark brown sugar.
2 eggs.
½ cup molasses.
1 cup water.
2 teaspoons cinnamon.
1 teaspoon cloves.
1 teaspoon nutmeg.
• teaspoon salt.
1 teaspoon ginger.
2½ cups flour.
1 teaspoon soda.
1 teaspoon baking powder.

Cream fat and sugar. Add rest of ingredients and beat vigorously three minutes. Pour into shallow, greased pan. Bake 30 minutes in moderately slow oven.

NEW YORK BUYS LESS MILK

NEW YORK (AP)—Milk consumption in metropolitan New York has decreased 7,000 cans a day as compared with last year. A gain of 3,000 cans a day usually is shown.

The Garden

ROCK GARDENING—A DELIGHTFUL HOBBY FOR THE AMATEUR

This fascinating phase of gardening bids well to become the most popular of gardening hobbies. And well it may, for no form of gardening offers more interesting possibilities for the amateur gardener than rock gardening. First, there is the stimulation and joy of creating something different and unusual, all your own, and second, there is the thrill which comes with the assembling and growing of strange, new plants from all corners of the world.

There are rock gardens of all descriptions. To some a rock garden means only a mixture of rocks and plants without any apparent reason for their being there, but this sort of a development is not a real rock garden. Unless a rock garden can be established along sane lines and be made an actual and important part in the design of the home grounds, it is apt to appear at once out of place and superfluous.

The first essential of a rock garden is that it look natural. This does not mean that some particular spot in nature be copied either in full scale or in miniature. Instead it means the preservation of the spirit of natural scenery in the assembly of materials used in its making. It must seem to thoroughly belong and not an artificial creation.

Locate the rock garden where some spots will be in sun and some in shade. Then you can go in for all types of rock plants and provide them with conditions most conducive to successful growth.

The "lay of the land," so to speak, should influence the design of your rock garden. If you have a woodsy slope with a creek at the bottom you are indeed fortunate. Any slope, in fact, offers possibilities. If your lot is flat and level you will have to ingeniously create slopes, ridges and hollows to provide a reason for the use of outcropping rock.

The simplest rock garden is made by treating a terrace slope with rocks and plants instead of its being left as a grassy area. The rocks may be used to create a stepped wall by placing flat rocks in such a way as to form wide tiers of stepped areas or the slope may be cut away and retained by a rock wall on which the one perpendicular face can be practically covered with rock plants growing in the crevices or sprawling down from the top.

The complete rock garden provides for many different conditions of soil and drainage to grow a multitude of plants. But design must enter into it the same as in a rose garden or any other kind of a flower garden. While there is charm in unusual layouts, orderly arrangement of rocks and planting is most pleasing.

The plan may be anything fancy dictates, but when possible there should be steps and paths worked in. Irregular paths are most interesting, with walks following the valleys.

BYNOPSIS OF THE ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE

The Prudential Insurance Company of America

of Newark, in the state of New Jersey, on the 31st day of December, 1930, made to the insurance commissioner of the state of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Capital.	
Amount of capital stock paid up ..... $	2,000,000.00
Income.	
Total premium income for the year	550,331,189.99
Interest, dividends and rents received during the year..	118,159,265.65
Income from other sources received during the year.	19,027,150.14
Total income ..... $	687,517,605.78
Disbursements.	
Paid for losses, endowments, annuities and surrender values ..... $	245,015,904.20
Dividends paid to policyholders during the year..	82,845,522.70
†Dividends paid on capital stock during the year..	470,000.00
Commissions and salaries paid during the year, including medical fees and fees for inspection of risks	97,537,496.43
Taxes, licenses and fees paid during the year....	13,064,913.62
Amount of all other expenditures	36,283,339.96
Total expenditures ..... $	475,217,176.91
Assets.	
Value of real estate owned (market value) ..... $	42,386,296.96
Value of stocks and bonds owned (market or amortized value.) Bonds have been valued on the amortization basis	1,038,031,335.95
Loans on mortgages and collateral, etc.	1,115,369,917.06
Policy loans	180,255,998.32
Cash in banks, on hand, in transit	19,235,474.68
Net uncollected and deferred premiums	59,085,106.58
Interest and rents due and accrued	37,456,003.34
Total admitted assets	$2,491,770,132.90
Liabilities.	
Net reserves	$2,271,624,930.00
Gross claims for losses unpaid	19,643,757.00
Dividends declared, but not yet due, payable in 1931.	33,451,345.00
Apportioned to the credit of deferred dividend policies payable after 1931	19,967,243.31
All other liabilities	78,785,732.93
*Total liabilities, exclusive of capital stock of....	2,000,000.00
And surplus of	66,297,124.66
Total	$2,423,473,008.24
Business in Oregon for the Year.	
Accident and health premiums received ..... $	3,545.39
Gross premiums received during the year	1,494,912.28
Premiums and dividends returned during the year....	211,486.54
Losses and claims paid during the year, ord.	231,494.46
do ind.	61,593.19

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†Of the $470,000 paid stockholders, $452,246.92 was returned to the company for distribution to the policyholders, on stock purchased by the company and now held by Vivian M. Lewis and James Kerney, trustees for the policyholders.

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