

SOCIETY NOTES

Miss Bea Duke, Society Editor Telephone Main 500 Until 9:30 a. m.

Program At Neighborhood Music Club Meeting Last Night Delights Crowd

A musical program, the excellence of which was appreciated by a large audience, was arranged and presented by Mrs. Jessie A. Hoskins, of Baker, last night at the La Grande hotel before the Neighborhood Music club.

The Symphony Singers have appeared on several occasions before La Grande audiences. Members of the group are Mesdames T. R. Maxwell, H. N. Ashby, A. K. Parker, D. I. Stoddard, Harvey St. Johns, Lee B. Bouvy, Arnold Gralapp, Walter Bean, Edna Stonebraker, O. S. Moore, J. E. Fitzgerald, Myrtle Russell, Anthony Rauwolf, Lynn Wright and Mrs. Merlin Batley, accompanist. Three numbers were presented last night with Mrs. Russell as the soloist in "The Virgin's Lullaby," by Roy Perry and "The Manger," by Richard Kounitz.

Miss Marcella McCullough, of Baker, was an interesting figure on the program. Miss McCullough has appeared in musical comedy productions in New York City and studied under leading teachers there. She sang "Little Star," by Mousorgsky, "None But the Lonely Heart," by Tschakofsky, and "Over the Steppe," by Gratschannoff; "Masetto Waltz Song," from "Boheme," by Puccini; "One Fine Day," from "Butterfly," also by Puccini.

Miss Ava Steiger accompanied Miss McCullough and also played a group of solo numbers. Miss Steiger is one of Baker's leading pianists. Miss Florence French and Miss Lily Belle Angel played the first movement from the "Concerto in A Minor," by Schumann. Miss Angel is attending the Eastern Oregon Normal school, although she and Miss French both make their homes in Baker.

Eastern Star Club Enjoys Dinner

Sixty-five members of the Eastern Star Social club and their families were present Monday evening at the Masonic hall for the annual family dinner, which this group holds each year just before Christmas. The guests were seated at tables arranged in the form of a hollow square, and decorated with pretty Christmas trees and lighted green and red tapers. Considerable time was spent at the tables by the merry party. The regular business meeting of the club was held later in the evening and was presided over by the president, Mrs. Mae Smith. The committee in charge of the arrangements included Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Jennie Thompson, Mrs. Mary Hale and Mrs. Alfred Cook. The next meeting will be held on Jan. 15 at the home of Mrs. Moore, with Mrs. Head and Mrs. Cummins assisting.

Christmas Party Wednesday Night

The Christmas party for the Sewing club of the Senior class of the First ward M. I. A. will be held Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. E. Fitzgerald.

So-Ne-He Club To Meet Tomorrow

Members of the So-Ne-He club will be entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Grant Swalberg. Each woman attending is asked to bring a gift.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

- Tuesday, Dec. 19
7:00 Neighbors of Woodcraft meeting, Odd Fellows hall, followed by Christmas party at 8.
Wednesday, Dec. 20
12:00 Parkdale club, with Mrs. R. A. Wilkenson.
1:00 Bible Searchers, pot luck luncheon, Presbyterian church.
2:00 So-Ne-He club, with Mrs. Grant Swalberg.
2:00 Baptist Women with Mrs. S. C. Happersett.
2:00 Women's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church, with Mrs. R. F. Tyler.
7:00 L. S. to the B. of L. F. & E. Eagles hall.
7:30 Crystal Rebekah lodge, Odd Fellows hall.
Thursday, Dec. 21
2:00 N. B. B. club, with Mrs. W. E. Denny.
8:00 Bridge club, with Miss Dorothy Kibby.
Friday, Dec. 22
2:00 Past Guardian Neighbors, with Mrs. Lillie Alstott.
Saturday, Dec. 23
8:00 Saturday Evening Bridge club, with Mrs. John Theisen.
8:00 United Spanish War Veterans auxiliary, at the Sacajawea Inn.
Monday, Dec. 25
Merry Christmas.

Missionary Group Meets Tomorrow

When the Baptist Woman's Missionary society meets Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Ray Williams assisted by her mother, Mrs. C. E. Happersett, formerly of La Grande, but now of Portland, will be the joint hostesses. The meeting is called for 2 o'clock. Mrs. Roscoe Clark will present the lesson which will be a study on "India."

Ellen Garity Is Honored

Mrs. James Garity Jr. entertained in honor of her daughter, Ellen, recently on the occasion of her 11th birthday anniversary. Eleven guests were invited for the occasion and the afternoon was spent in playing games, after which refreshments were served. The Yuletide season was the inspiration for the decorations. Those invited were Misses Nedene Garity, Charlotte Price, Sally Doherty, Floy Wetzel, Betty Wagner, Von Cleie Bruce, Betty Smith, Patricia Hall, Betty Snider, Verna Ward, Glens Mae Rogers and the girls of honor. Mrs. Garity was assisted by her sister, Miss Lucille Price.

Make Plans For Christmas Season

Important plans for the Christmas season were made Monday when the Daughters of Union Veterans met at the home of Mrs. Marietta Yeck, at 7:30 o'clock. Gifts will be presented to the Civil war veterans and their widows.

Recently the Daughters of Union Veterans held an all day kensington at the home of Mrs. Lucy Bues, sewing in preparation for the rummage sale which will be held Saturday. Luncheon was served potluck at noon and in the evening a noodle supper was enjoyed by the 14 women present. Mrs. Grace Roland, Mrs. Alma Carroll and Mrs. Edgar Wilcock were guests. The installation of officers will be held at the next meeting on Jan. 3 at Lane chapel. Officers-elect are asked to be present.

Art Research Club in Meeting

The Art Research club studied the city of Perugia Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. H. Cleaver. Mrs. Ira Woodie discussed the early history of the city and Mrs. C. M. Humphreys told of the old gateways and the walls. The Palazzo Publico was described by Mrs. Arthur Wight who also discussed other public buildings. Several artists whose paintings are to be seen in the city also were presented by Mrs. Glen Thompson, who told of the life and paintings of Perugino; Mrs. Fred H. Kiddle, who discussed Pinturicchio; and Mrs. George McDonald, Jiotto. Jan. 8 will be the date of the next meeting at the home of Mrs. C. M. Humphreys when they will continue the study of Perugia.

Wakelita Club Is Entertained

The Wakelita club held a Christmas party Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jack Brandt. After an afternoon of bridge luncheon was served by the hostess and each guest was presented with a gift from a gaily decorated tree.

Three tables were arranged for bridge and the prizes were awarded to Mrs. William McClure and Mrs. A. E. Hug. Mrs. J. J. Broomfield will entertain on Jan. 8.

Department Heads Visit Auxiliary

Mrs. Elizabeth Reed, department president and Miss Myrtle Reed, department secretary of the United Spanish War Veterans auxiliary, and Department Commander Harry Reed, of the veterans, all of Portland, were visitors in La Grande Saturday and attended the meeting of the auxiliary at the Odd Fellows hall. Election of local officers also was held and a program of music was presented by Miss Reed, national musician, and Mrs. Flavia Sherwood, of La Grande. Luncheon was served with the veterans in attendance. Talks were made by the department officers, Commander J. O. Kykendall of Baker, and eight other visitors from Baker. Mrs. Fanny Henry, retiring president, was in charge. Newly elected officers are Mrs. Louisa Conner, president; Mrs. Jessie Nelson, senior vice president; Mrs. Ethel Hanford, junior vice president; Mrs. Alice Turner, chaplain; Martha Bodkins, patriotic instructor; Josephine Sellers, historian; Flavia Sherwood, conductor; Mrs. Beta Conner, assistant conductor; Mary Cook, guard; and Miss Florence Nelson, assistant guard.

JANE GAVIN TO ARRIVE FRIDAY

Miss Jane Gavin, executive secretary of the Oregon State Nurses association, is in Pendleton this week on a tour of the schools of nursing in Eastern Oregon. She expects to arrive in La Grande on Friday and Mrs. Charles Gump, her sister, will accompany her to Portland for the holidays. Mrs. Gump also will visit her brother, J. J. Gavin, in Portland. Tom Johnson of Keweenaw, Ill., left tackle of Creighton university's eleven, played every minute of the Bluejays' eight games this fall.

SARAH E. MORRIS ONE OF EARLIEST OF PIONEERS HERE

Death of Sarah E. Morris, which occurred Monday morning at her home at 1802 East Pennsylvania avenue, removed another of Union county's earliest pioneers from the roll of the living.

She came to the Grande Ronde valley in 1862, with her parents Alpheus and Paulina Jane Terwilliger, direct from Iowa, her birth place, by ox-team and settled near Summerville where she lived until attaining her majority. She was born Dec. 28, 1855 and was seven years of age when she accompanied her pioneer parents on their westward trek across the plains.

In 1883 she married J. C. Morris, of Portland, who was one of the pioneer bridge builders of Oregon, working with the O. R. & N. railroad during the time of its construction. He died 18 years ago at Milton, Ore., and she will be buried beside him Wednesday morning. Her body is at the Snodgrass and Zimmerman mortuary today.

Mrs. Morris was a member of the Union County Pioneers association, and also of the Francis Brown auxiliary, daughters of pioneers. Besides a brother, James W. Terwilliger, she leaves numerous other relatives, and a host of friends who mourn her passing.

Over The Valley Personals

Very Ill—Mrs. Harve Prizell, of Pleasant Grove, was taken to the Hot Lake sanatorium the first of the week very ill of pneumonia.

To California—Mrs. J. A. Holman, of the Grange Hall neighborhood, left Thursday evening for Santa Rosa, Cal., where she will spend the winter at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Weatherford and family. They all plan to drive down to Pasadena for the several days over the holidays to visit relatives.

Improves—Mrs. J. B. Lindsey, who has been quite ill at her home in Grange Hall is reported to be improving. Her son, Ralph Stringham is now ill.

In Valley—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swearingen, formerly of Baker are in the valley to visit until after the holidays at the home of her mother, Mrs. Fries in Pleasant Grove. After the first of the year they plan to go to the Willamette valley.

III—Mrs. Ralph Comstock, of the Mill Creek canyon above Cove, is ill of the rheumatism and neuritis at her home.

Is Elected—Mrs. Harry Nice has been elected director of the Wolf Creek school district to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Clifford Gikison.

From Pendleton—Roland Oliver, of Pendleton, spent a few days last week in the valley looking after business matters. He was accompanied by Mrs. Oliver who spent the time visiting with friends.

Fractures Leg—Bobbie Niederer, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Niederer, of Sanders Springs, had the misfortune to fall and break his left leg while playing with the boys at the Dry Creek school shortly after Thanksgiving. The leg is in a cast and he will have to keep it so for five or six weeks yet, it is reported.

Freed in Fascist Shooting Case



From a trial for murder to matrimony! That was the step Athos Terant, 31-year-old anti-Fascist, was prepared to take when, as you see here, he embraced his fiancée, Tillie Golia, after his acquittal in New York on the charge of fatally shooting a friend at a meeting of the Khaki Shirts of America, a Fascist organization.

Grande Ronde Valley News of Interest

Mrs. M. Williams To Head Wallowa Eastern Stars

WALLOWA (Special)—Jessica chapter O. E. S. held annual election Thursday evening as follows: Margaret Williams, worthy matron; L. B. Williams, worthy patron; Jet McDonald, associate matron; Eula Marvin, associate patron; Patti Hunter, treasurer; Hattie Fisher, conductress; Julia Peffer, associate conductress. The appointive offices are to be filled by the following members: Marie Thompson, Adah; Agatha Martin, Ruth; Rae Searle, Esther; Beale Baird, Martha; Nellie Poole, Electa; Ruth Hayes, organist; Maud Marvin, chaplain; Grace McClaran, marshal; Ora McKinnia, warden; and J. H. Martin, sentinel. The Masonic election will be Thursday.

Leonard Towle In Recent Accident On Mountain Road

COVE (Special)—Leonard Towle had the misfortune to drive over the grade with a load of wood Friday. The accident occurred after dark when Mr. Towle attempted to pass the compressor at the point where the crew is working the Mill Creek canyon road. The road has been impassable for cars since the beginning of the project when a heavy rain softened the new grade. Mr. Towle escaped without injury although the wagon was badly broken.

WALLOWA PERSONALS

Elaine Williams, of Corvallis, arrived Saturday to spend a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Williams. Elvin Wolfe, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wolfe, of Middle Valley, who is a member of the U. S. navy and stationed at San Diego, arrived Tuesday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents.

COVE PERSONALS

Mrs. Nina Gay, her daughter, Barbara, and baby son, are returning to their home near Medford Thursday after spending a month with Mrs. Gay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Peterman. Mrs. Anna McIntire has returned to Pueblo, Colo., after spending the summer in Cove with her son, Jack McIntire. Mrs. McIntire is unable to spend the entire year in Pueblo, where her husband is employed, due to ill health. She made many warm friends during her stay in Cove.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Breshars has received word of the birth of a 6 1/2 pound daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stephens, of Pendleton. The little Miss, who is named Darlene Rae, was born Dec. 9 and is Mrs. Breshars' first great-grandchild. Mrs. Stephens was Eloise Witly before her marriage and she lived in Cove for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mead and family, of Arlington, have arrived to make this their home. Mr. Mead is the new agent at the Union Pacific depot. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hannon, who have been in charge of the work here, temporarily, have left for their home at Huntington. Helen and Paul Mead, former students of the Arlington High school, are two new students in the High school this week.

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UNION PERSONALS

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Union P. T. A. Has Fine Program At Initial Meeting

UNION (Special)—The Union Parents' Teachers association met at the grade school Wednesday afternoon for its monthly program and business session. Mrs. D. E. Richards and her committee arranged the program which included the following numbers: Community singing led by J. W. Baxter Jr., manual training teacher in the high school; a demonstration of a phonetic drill by a group of third grade children conducted by Miss Dorothy Busick; a talk on "The Parents' Responsibility to the School" by Mrs. Oliver Turner; and a talk on "The School For Building Citizenship" during the business session; the association voted to have milk served to the children in the south school at the morning recess, as their community project.

and was invited to put on the initiation work for the convention of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Cook, and Miss Auna Kylio in Portland on Thursday of last week. Paul was graduated from the Union High school and has been employed in Portland for several years.

Word has been received in Union of the wedding of Paul Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Cook, and Miss Auna Kylio in Portland on Thursday of last week. Paul was graduated from the Union High school and has been employed in Portland for several years.

Miss Phyllis Jones, daughter of Roy Jones, and Jason Evans, of the Hot Lake section, were married in Walla Walla Saturday and will make their home at his ranch.

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