

SOCIETY NOTES

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Dessert Bridge Party Enjoyed Saturday Evening At Home Of Misses Mae Stearns and Mabel Doty

The Misses Mae Stearns and Mabel Doty gave one of their characteristically clever parties Saturday evening at their home, 1910 Oak street. Thirty-two guests accepted the quite original invitations for dessert bridge, the setting of the party being suggestive of spring, with pussy willows being used for decorations about the home and baskets of waxy buttercups centering the eight small tables. Dessert was served at 7:30 by the hostesses assisted by Mrs. J. E. Stearns and Mrs. Ella Doty.

Prizes for bridge which occupied several hours were awarded to Mrs. Avis Ferris for making high score, Miss Edith Darby, fifth and Miss Margaret Carstairs, consolation. Twelve other prizes were awarded for holding various honors and combinations as follows: Miss Blanch Spears, Miss Alta Lillie, Mrs. Bertha Hayes, Miss Amanda Zabel, Miss Gladys Miller, Dr. Lewa Ager, Miss Mildred Pierce, Miss Nellie Mahaffey, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Avis Ferris, Miss Edith Darby and Miss Annetta Johnson.

As everyone moved after each hand, there was opportunity during the evening for each player to "hit in the rogue's gallery" where silhouettes of all the guests and the hostesses were arranged by number, the requirements being to determine the identity of each one. Miss Blanch Herziger being one of the five or six who tied for first place, received a suitable prize.

Cross' device bearer, Norma Smith, the boy, Luana Thompson, the queen; Junior Sams, the Mume; Helen Sandos, the milkmaid; Mae Baum, the blindman; Jean Hendrickson, the ballad singer; Bill Rice, the dreadful headman.

Mrs. N. W. Frees, president of the La Grande city council, and vice president of this district of the state association, paid tribute to the women who founded the association in 1897. A splendid talk was given. Mrs. Frees also spoke of the work of presidents of the local unit.

Miss Myrtle Hoyt reported the success of the hot lunches that have been served for the past two weeks. At present nearly 1070 cups have been served and the luncheons will continue as long as there is a demand.

Miss Hoyt and Mr. McLin tied for the attendance prize and each will keep the St. Nicholas magazine two weeks. Each room had 12 parents present.

The Greenwood P. T. A. will cooperate with the city library in establishing a branch library on the north side of town. Space in the school library room will be offered for which further plans will be announced.

A benefit card party was announced for Tuesday, Feb. 27 in the small ball-room of the Sacajawea Inn. Arrangements are being made for cards and the public is invited.

Mrs. Adam Cyr was elected unit treasurer to replace Mrs. Rousch who recently moved to Pendleton.

A delightful silver tea followed the program. Tea and waters were served at a long table with a centerpiece of red carnations and pussy willows. Mrs. J. W. Ferdinandsen, chairman, was assisted by Mrs. Charles Spivey, Mrs. H. Chadwick and Mrs. J. C. Camp. The silver birthday offering will be sent to the state treasurer of P. T. A.

Missionary Group In Interesting Meet

More than 50 members and guests were entertained at the home of Mrs. J. George Wals when the Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church met in monthly session Friday. Mrs. L. Denham conducted the special prayer service for missionaries.

Mrs. Wals and Mrs. George Richardson, program chairmen, arranged the afternoon's program, the former leading the devotionals and furnishing a talk on the negro. Mrs. Flavia Sherwood assisted with singing.

The negro national anthem was presented by a quartet, Mrs. George Richardson, Mrs. Flavia Sherwood, Mrs. Dick Lindsay and Mrs. Andrew Loney Jr., accompanied by Mrs. Clyde Webb.

Mrs. Denham gave a talk on the advancement of the negro in the home living, education, religion and business.

Mrs. Hal Bohnenkamp sang "Goin' Home" and "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," accompanied by Mrs. Harley Richardson.

Mrs. J. R. Griffith gave some interesting experiences as related by Mrs. McLeary, a missionary with her husband in West Africa.

A clever skit, "Operation and Cooperation," was presented by a group of women with Mrs. M. H. Clegger as the announcer. The scene was a hospital surgical room, and the characters were Dr. Cut, Mrs. Joe Williams, special nurse, Mrs. Lynn Bohnenkamp, patient, Mrs. Flavia Sherwood, Mrs. John Bennett, Mrs. L. A. Kennedy and Mrs. Ed Jasper.

The world day of prayer was announced to be held Feb. 16.

The annual missionary luncheon will be given at the home of Mrs. F. L. Ralston, Feb. 24, with Mrs. Mag Moran as chairman.

Mrs. Wals, assisted by Mrs. Denham and Mrs. Griffith, served refreshments.

Juveniles Enjoy Valentine Party

The neighbors of Woodcraft juveniles enjoyed a valentine party Saturday afternoon following a business meeting at the Odd Fellows hall. Valentines were exchanged by 26 little members and one guest, Lois Rasmussen.

Table prizes were awarded to Harold Skinner, Arlene Patt, Franklin Burnett and Myrtle Rambo. Lee Graham received an award. Refreshments were served by the February committee, Bernard Burnett, Florence Shultz, Nadine Rambo, Charlotte Werner, assisted by Mrs. Frank Flannery, head of the group.

Adult guests were Mrs. Laura Burnett, Mrs. Charles Graham, Mrs. Rambo and Mrs. Clyde Sullivan.

March 10 is the date of the next meeting.

Will Celebrate Admission Day

Oregon's admission to statehood will be celebrated tomorrow at a dinner at which the Francis Brown auxiliary to the Sons and Daughters of the Pioneers and the Union County historical society will entertain at the Odd Fellows hall. Roast chicken and other home cooked delicacies will comprise the menu and the public is invited, for a small fee, to enjoy the meal.

Dunham Wright, the sage of Medical Springs, and one of the county's oldest pioneers, will be the principal speaker of the evening. Other numbers on the program include community singing, a tap dance by the O'Brien twins of Pondosa; readings by Mrs. Lynn Wright, "How Billy Keeps a Secret" and "Secret Society"; selected solos by Alfred Meyers and the address of the evening.

Founders' Day Is Celebrated

Founders' day was celebrated at the Greenwood school Friday afternoon with an impressive program presented before a large audience. "Six Who Pass While the Lentils Boil," a play, was presented as the feature of the afternoon by the eighth grade under the direction of Floyd McLin.

Characters in the play were Margaret Ferdinandsen, prologue; Ethel

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with great ceremony in many parts of the United States, especially at the Mardi Gras in New Orleans, will be observed in La Grande at the annual pancake luncheon to which the public is invited tomorrow from 11 to 2 o'clock at Honan hall. Shrove Tuesday is the last day before Lent which opens on Wednesday with Ash Wednesday.

The pancake luncheon is served every year to celebrate Shrove Tuesday.

Rainbow Girls In Meeting

The Order of Rainbow for Girls gathered at the Masonic hall Saturday evening and, because of basketball tournaments that will be held on their regular meeting nights, no plans for special entertainments are being made at present. However, the next session will be held Feb. 24.

Miss Daphne Bowery, worthy ad-

Camp Fire Girls Hold Meeting

Miss Edna Brown, guardian of the Wetomachick Camp Fire circle, entertained the group at her home recently. Fourteen members were present and after a short business session, refreshments were served.

Study Club Will Meet Tomorrow

The J. H. Ackerman Study club

will meet tomorrow from 2 to 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Glenn Wagner, Sixth and Pennsylvania. Mrs. Lloyd Pierce is beginning a series of studies on the subject "Habit Training."

Mrs. Starmer Complimented

Mrs. Hazel Starmer was complimented on her birthday anniversary Feb. 8 when members of the K. D. club and their husbands entertained at a 6 o'clock potluck dinner at the Starmer home. After dinner the evening was devoted to games and music. Mrs. Starmer received a number of useful gifts.

Legion Auxiliary Meets Wednesday

The American Legion auxiliary will meet Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Sacajawea Inn in monthly business session.

The auxiliary members are entertaining this afternoon at the La Grande hotel at their annual Lincoln day tea.

Benefit Party Is Enjoyed

A large group enjoyed the benefit card party sponsored Friday evening at the Masonic hall by the Eastern Star Social club, at 8 o'clock. During the evening bridge and pinochle were enjoyed interspersed with vocal solos furnished by Mrs. Floyd Sherwood and readings by Mrs. H. C. McClay.

Altar Society To Entertain

St. Mary's Altar society will be entertained Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Mrs. J. B. McLaughlin at her home, 1208 O avenue. Mrs. J. P. Corbett has been named as the assistant hostess.

Social Calendar

- Monday, Feb. 12
- 7:30 Ladies Auxiliary to Old Timers club, Sacajawea Inn.
 - 8:00 Royal Neighbors of America, Odd Fellows hall.
- Tuesday, Feb. 13
- 11:30 Shrove Tuesday pancake luncheon, Honan hall.
 - 1:15 Sorosis club, Mrs. A. T. Hill.
 - 2:00 J. H. Ackerman Study club with Mrs. Glen Wagner, Sixth and Penn.
 - 5:30-7:00 Pioneer public dinner, I. O. O. F. hall.
 - 7:30 Women of the Moose, Odd Fellows hall.
- Wednesday, Feb. 14
- 1:30 Parkdale club, with Mrs. Dollie Dahlstrom.
 - 1:30 Greenwood study club, school library.
 - 2:00 Women's Foreign Missionary society, Methodist church, with Mrs. O. P. Harrison, 1513 Adams Ave.
 - 2:00 Loyal Sisters Aid, with Mrs. Oma Lapham.
 - 2:00 K. D. club, with Mrs. Eula Webb.
 - 2:00 So Ne He club, with Mrs. Erna Fitzgerald.
 - 2:00 Ah Delth club, with Mrs. Will Barclay.
 - 2:30 D. A. R., with Mrs. J. K. Wright.
 - 7:30 A. A. U. W. International relations group, with Miss Helen Moor.
 - 8:00 American Legion auxiliary, Sacajawea Inn.
 - 8:00 Pythian Sisters benefit card party, Odd Fellows hall.
 - 8:00 Eastern Star, Masonic hall.
 - 9:00 P. D. Q. club grill dance, Sacajawea Inn ballroom.
- Thursday, Feb. 15
- 1:15 Hi Lo club, with Mrs. Clyde

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- 2:00 Helomala club, with Mrs. Will McClure.
- 2:00 Diversity club, with Mrs. Weldon Vedder.
- 9:00 Eastern Star Past Matrons, Masonic hall.
- 8:00 Eagles auxiliary card party, Eagles hall.
- 8:00 Bridge club, with Mrs. J. E. Fitzgerald.

Friday, Feb. 16

- 1:15 Lucky Dozen club, with Mrs. W. W. Kinzie.
- 2:00 Neighbors of Woodcraft officers club, with Mrs. Mary Yeake.
- 2:00 Past Noble Grands club, Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F. hall.
- 2:00 L. D. club, with Mrs. Fred H. Kiddle.
- 2:30 World Day of Prayer program, Presbyterian church.

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