

SOCIETY

La Grande Neighborhood Club Heads Excellent Discussion By Frank Jasper of Valley

Culminating the year's program on the general theme "Century of Progress," the La Grande Neighborhood Club heard a discussion of "Progress and Life Values" at its meeting yesterday which had been arranged by Mrs. Amanda L. Zabel. Frank Jasper, of the valley, who is considered one of the clearest thinkers on present day questions in the vicinity and who has a very excellent gift of expressing his thoughts considered the question "Resolved, that developments in science and the arts during the past century have resulted in moral, spiritual and cultural advancement."

Mr. Jasper presented the affirmative side but in doing so he brought out indirectly the points that are ordinarily mentioned on the other side of the question. He accredited the progress made in the last century to science, or more broadly speaking, the scientific attitude as applied not only to the material world, but to the world of thought and reason. He presented the discussion in three distinct parts, explaining the advancement in thought in the last century due to science; the moral, the religious and the cultural. He quoted freely from authorities indicating conditions in these three fields a hundred years ago as contrasted with conditions today. It is Mr. Jasper's belief, as he expressed it, that civilization has made so great progress in the last century that an optimistic outlook is warranted.

Preceding Mr. Jasper's discussion, Mrs. E. O. N. girls' sextette, directed by Miss Jennie Peterson presented two very beautiful selections. These were sung by the local club members—the Misses Beverly and Barbara Guye, Donna Cook, Dorothy Hill, Ellen Cochran and Ruth Murchison have contributed to many programs recently and they are always warmly received, according to reports. At the business meeting, over which Mrs. R. P. Tyler presided, Mrs. L. L. Richardson, chairman of the scholarship loan committee announced the benefit concert to be given by Jack Dennis, April 30 and Miss Helen Moore spoke of the benefit for the girls at the Eastern Oregon Normal school have derived from the fund. Mrs. Tyler and Mrs. Loney were named as delegates to the biennial convention of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs to be held at Roseburg, May 7 to 10, and Mrs. J. W. Knowles and Mrs. J. J. Broughton were made alternates. In two weeks the annual meeting of the organization will complete the year's work.

Young People In Get-Together

Like other organizations of young people in La Grande who had planned out-of-door sunrise meetings for Sunday morning the Christian Endeavorers of the First Christian church, including both the senior and high school groups, held their meeting in the church basement and reports are to the effect that it was a successful meeting having a decided social tone as well as being of great inspiration. Thirty young people were present for the early breakfast and for the devotional service of which Miss Marion Draper had charge.

Amerigo Vespucci Is Study Subject

As a part of the year's program on early discoveries in America, Mrs. J. C. Wright presented a discussion of "Amerigo Vespucci" when the Ramblers were entertained Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jean Birle. Mrs. Wright presented a history of the Italian navigator and his contemporaries which was exceedingly interesting. Tea was served by the hostess, Mrs. H. A. Connett, of Portland, who is spending a few days in La Grande, was a guest of honor.

Miss Patsy Jesse Is Given Party

A group of young friends were guests Monday evening of Miss Patsy Jesse at her home, 801 Spring avenue. A dessert bridge, during the hours following there were two tables or bridge, at which Miss Patricia Leonard made the high score. Miss Mary Ellen Stoddard won the prize in anagrams.

Monday Bridge Club at Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Larson were host and hostess to the members of the Monday Bridge club Monday evening. Dinner was served in the main dining room of the La Grande hotel, where, following the dinner, five tables of guests spent a most enjoyable evening at bridge.

Union Couple Is Married Here

The marriage of Mrs. Sylvia Hatt and Clarence O. Robison, both of Union, was an event of Easter Sunday morning. Rev. Paul de P. Morinore reading the service in the presence of only the immediate families of the parties concerned.

Presbyterian Home Department to Meet

The Home department of the First Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Stella Ingle at her home, 1507 Second street.

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Nine Students Are Honored

Sigma Alpha Chi, women's scholastic honorary, held initiatory ceremonies Tuesday evening at the home of their adviser, Miss Amanda L. Zabel, for seven candidates who met the scholastic requirements during the winter quarter—Gladya Hutton, Keating; Kay Sheldon, Toledo; Barbara Coolidge, Jean Williams, Grace Scully, of La Grande; Ethel Conklin, Union; Opal Wiscour, Freewater, and June Whitaker, Pilot Rock. As is customary with the group the ceremonies took place before the fireplace and were in charge of Miss Barbara Ester, Pilot Rock, president, assisted by other members who are: Verna Bickford, Ruth Gebel, Gladys Owen, Arline Conrad, Virginia Westzel and Dora Swauger, of La Grande; Beverly and Barbara Guye, and Elma Dunham, Pendleton; Mrs. Rhel Maxon, Ontario; Betty Tensen, Nyssa and Frances DuPuis, Weston.

Mrs. Broomfield Is Club Hostess

The Wakelita Bridge club which meets each Monday afternoon was entertained this week by Mrs. J. J. Broomfield, 1512 Oak street. Mrs. Gilbert Barron was a guest during the afternoon which was devoted to cards and at which Mrs. Jack Brandt received first prize and Mrs. Clyde Hoppel, second. Mrs. Broomfield served a lunch late in the afternoon.

Mrs. Clyde Charlton will be the next hostess on Monday, April 9.

M. E. Church South Group to Meet

The Ladies Missionary society of the Methodist Church South will hold their regular monthly business meeting Thursday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock in the basement of the church. Members of the organization are urged to be present.

Estelle Lyel Is Hostess

There was a splendid attendance of the Queen Esther girls of the Methodist church at the meeting Monday evening with Miss Estelle Lyel at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. T. E. Pierson, on N avenue. A potluck dinner was followed by a short business meeting over which Miss Lois Jean Davis presided.

Festival of Nations Is Presented

The final program meeting of the Young Women's Educational auxiliary was held last evening in the group's rooms at the Methodist church. A program based on international relations given under the direction of the co-chairmen, Misses Arla Lawrence and Mabel Doty was one of the most colorful of the year, with contributions from the various nations and young women in gay costumes offering a program of folk dances under Miss Margery Horton, director of physical education at E. O. N.

Detailed features were as follows: Prologue, Miss Mabel Doty. The Negro: sermon, Lewis Pinson; poetry, Emil Geiss; dance, "Topsy" Miss Azalea Bennett. Jewish: Exposition, Burke Inlow. A Japanese Love Song, Miss Ruth Gebel.

"Festival of the Nations," the dancers being Azalea Bennett, Emma Christensen, Arlene Conrad, Barbara Etter, Barbara and Beverly Guye, Madeline and Vivian Gallagher, Sara Sherman, Dora Swauger, Bonnie Ruth Thomson and Rowena Wilkes, with Donna Cook accompanist.

Hungarian Dance, Csebogar, Dutch Dance, Dutch couples, Irish Dance, Irish long dance, German Dance, Hansel and Gretel, Czechoslovakian Dance, Kaca, Russian Dance, Komarinskai, American Dance, Sicilian Circle.

Members of the committee—Mrs. Will Adler, Mrs. W. P. Ballard, Mrs. E. D. Draper, Miss Doty, Mrs. L. A. Kennedy, Miss Lawrence, Miss Margaret Taylor, Miss Mary Taylor, Mrs. Loren Tucker and Mrs. Ernest Walden served refreshments in keeping with the idea of the evening.

At a business meeting presided over by Mrs. Adler, it was announced that the annual banquet would be held early in May and tickets would be on sale at the library.

P. N. G. Club To Meet Friday

It is announced today that the Past Noble Grand club will meet at the home of Mrs. F. A. Engel, 1311 O avenue, Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. All past noble grands are invited.

Fruitdale P. T. A. At Bowery's

The April meeting of the Fruitdale Parent Teacher association will be held Friday evening, April 6, at the home of Mrs. John Bowery in Island City.

Mr., Mrs. Quinn Entertain Club

A very lovely evening party with members of the Bridge dinner club as guests and with Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Quinn as host and hostess took

place last evening at the La Grande hotel. The dinner was served in the main dining room, where the long table was attractive with decorations of yellow daffodils and yellow tapers in crystal sticks. Bridge in the gold room followed, there having been four tables for the game. Mrs. Chester Thompson made the high score for the ladies, Charles Graham, for the men and Mrs. B. E. Williamson made low. Dr. C. L. Gilstrap received the guest prize, he and Mrs. Gilstrap having been guests for the affair.

A.A.U.W. Luncheon To Be Saturday

The regular monthly luncheon meeting of the La Grande branch of the American Association of University Women will be an event of Saturday, April 7, the luncheon to be at the Sacajawea Inn at 12:30 o'clock. The program will be under the supervision of the Fellowship committee of which Mrs. H. G. Avery is chairman. There will also be election of officers. Reservations should be made with Mrs. Robert Eakin or Mrs. Avery.

Bobby Bradshaw Is Five Years Old

In honor of Bobby Bradshaw's fifth birthday anniversary, Mrs. G. W. Bradshaw and daughter, Katharine, 1607 Adams avenue, entertained the following little folks Monday afternoon—Loretta Knight, Mary Buckner, Leroy Buckner, Clifford Knight, Marilyn Chandler, Billy Pat, Allene Patti, Alfred Alcott and Junior Bradshaw. There was an Easter egg hunt and other games that children like to play. Bobby received many nice gifts. The two hostesses served during the afternoon.

Willow P.T.A. Meet Postponed a Week

The meeting of the Willow Parent Teacher association announced originally for Friday afternoon, April 6, has been postponed for one week on account of the vacation this week in the public school system.

Boys Class Are Guests at Picnic

Miss Grace Snook entertained the members of her Sunday school class of junior boys of the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon at River-

side park. Games were played during the afternoon, after which Miss Snook served a picnic lunch.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 4
5:30 Standard Bearers, M. E. church.
7:30 Literature study group A. A. U. W., with Miss Kate L. Houx.
7:30 L. A. to the B. of R. T. Eagles hall.

Thursday, April 5
2:00 Diversity club, with Mrs. George Cooper.
2:30 Ladies Missionary society, M. E. Church South, at the church.
3:00 Home department, Presbyterian church, with Mrs. Stella Ingle, 1507 2nd St.
6:30 Annual supper, M. E. church choir, with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Knauts.

Friday, April 6
2:00 Pythian Sisters convention, Odd Fellows hall.
2:30 Past Noble Grands, Mrs. F. A. Engel.
2:00 Convention of Pythian Sisters of Eastern Oregon opens at I. O. O. F. hall.
6:30 Girls Missionary circle, with Lucinda Bishop.
7:30 Fruitdale P. T. A. at Miss J. M. Brownings.

Saturday, April 7
12:30 American Association of University Women, Sacajawea Inn.

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"DEAR MOTHER" CARD IS HELD

The post office employees are at a loss today as to where to deliver a card, the reverse side of which is completely blank, and is addressed thus: "La Grande, Ore., Dear Mother, BE home soon Bill." Anyone having any clue as to the identity of "Dear Mother" is asked to notify Postmaster R. B. Huron or any of his staff.

On being conducted downstairs by the officials of the train, it was found that the remainder of the trip was to be in the form of a sight-seeing tour. Various games were played culminating in a visit to Salem, advertising the coming state Christian Endeavor convention at the Capitol City April 19 to 22 inclusive. Following the games, refreshments were served by the committee in charge and the event was closed, as is the custom, with a song and repeating of the Mizpah benediction. Members of the committee arranging the event were Betty Martin, Mildred Stoddard, Grace Helen Bohne, and Bill Eakin, Donald Jasper and Frederick Bingham.

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Over The Valley Personals

Countrywomen's Club—
The meeting of the Countrywomen's club will be held this week on the first Friday instead of the second Friday in the month and the hostess will be Mrs. Orin Anson.

At Home—
Miss Josephine Fisher, who attends the La Grande High school, is spending the vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Fisher, in the Frosty district.

With Grandparents—
Little Miss Marie Cleaver is staying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Watson, at Imbler. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chick Cleaver, have moved to Meacham where Mr. Cleaver has employment on the highway.

Have Easter Breakfast—
Members of the Lower Cove Christian Endeavor society, together with the members of their families enjoyed an Easter breakfast at the Lower Cove school Sunday. Mrs. Margaret Elmer had charge of the affair which was attended by 40 people of the neighborhood. Dr. McPherson of La Grande, had charge of the devotional meeting and Mrs. George Gray told the Easter story.

Elect Teachers—
Miss Ruth Conner, of Union, and Miss Gladys Billings, of Imbler, have been elected to teach the two-room school at Pleasant Grove for next year. This is one of the large schools of the valley.

Remodelling—
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fuller in the Valeria district has been undergoing a course of remodelling and repairs which is adding much to the convenience of the home. A bed room and dining room have been thrown together making a large, light and comfortable living room, while the former living room has been converted into a bedroom. A new bathroom, built-ins in the pantry and other conveniences have been added.

Children Entertained—
An Easter egg hunt and a wicker roast was arranged for the children of the Hillard school last Thursday by Mrs. Fred Rees and Mrs. Royal Conley at the Five Points camp. The eggs had been hid in the most inconceivable places and the young folks had great sport searching them out. Jane Rees found the most eggs while Roy Foster and Edward Hillard tied for second place. Then there was a special egg hunt and John Gray received the prize for finding it. There were other games also and the refreshments. The children of the Hillard school were taken to La Grande Monday to see the special train.

Special Program—
A review of "A Lantern in Her Hand" Bessie Streeter Aldrich's book will be the feature of the program when the Imbler P. T. A. meets Friday evening at Wade hall. The review will be given by Miss Mabel Doty and her talk will be supplemented by the dramatization of a number of the scenes in the book. There will also be old-time music by an orchestra made up of residents of the Imbler community. The public is

Invited to attend the meeting for which there is no admission fee.

Imbler Aid—
Mrs. J. A. Gaskill will be the hostess to the Imbler Ladies Aid society Thursday afternoon at her home. The meeting is called for two o'clock.

Elected—
Miss Madeline Fraser has been elected to teach the Frosty school next year. Miss Fraser is substituting at present for Miss Ethel Hansen at Starkey.

Priscilla Club—
Mrs. Roy Redmon, of Imbler, entertained the members of the Priscilla club at their last meeting with a nice representation of the clubbers present for an afternoon of sewing together. The hostess served.

FOODS CONTAINING IRON
If the doctor prescribes more iron in your diet, you'll find it in these foods: lettuce, spinach, roast beef, milk, oatmeal, rice, prunes, eggs, celery, cabbage, turnips, apples and cereals.

AT THE LIBERTY
Built for laughter, yet combining a measure of heart-stirring pathos with its comedy, "The Show-Off," starring Spencer Tracy, with Madge Evans in the leading supporting role, will be the attraction at the Liberty theatre starting today. The story deals with the tribulations that beset a chronic boaster. Here of the play, Spencer Tracy all but breaks his arm in patting himself on the back.

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