

Woman's World

MAXINE NURMI, Woman's Editor

County Historical Society Plans For Christmas Dinner

Union County Historical Society met in the Sacajawea small ballroom for one of the most interesting of its many programs. Bernadine Hug, Sr., president, called the business meeting to order, and after receiving routine reports, she announced that a number of historical papers were now in preparation, many of which will be read at future meetings of the society.

A general discussion of the great need of a county museum followed, and many of those present stated that they had items of great historical interest which they would like to place in a depository where they would be fireproof and secure.

Plans were also made for the annual Christmas dinner on Dec. 14. Charley Hamann, general chairman, announced his committees.

The program opened with a half-hour of entertainment by Otto Weigel, accompanied by Mrs. Della Shrock on the piano. He played a variety of old-time tunes on a variety of instruments, including the violin, banjo, flexitone, song whistle, musical saw and a home-made instrument built on an ordinary broom. He led the audience in a number of choruses.

Mrs. Lyran Hill recited the old Thanksgiving poem "Over The River and Through The Woods," and Mary Ellen Hardy gave three accordion numbers.

Mrs. Shrock urged the society to send representatives to the city commission meetings, and described the plan of the Neighborhood Club to secure more co-operation



4-H HOMEMAKERS—The Mt. Glenn Homemakers 4-H club recently held a baked goods sale in La Grande. The club members met the day before and baked the items themselves. Shown here are Ruth Hoxie, left, junior leader president; and Joanne Speckhart, 4-H club president, sacking some of the candy offered at the sale. Funds raised help support the club for the year. (Observer Photo)

RNA Members Hold Dinner Honoring Special Birthdays

Members of the Royal Neighbors of America attended a birthday dinner at the Odd Fellows temple Monday evening.

Tables were decorated with a fall centerpiece in the birthday table, purple tapers in holders of white angels, surrounded with gourds and small squashes. Other tables were decorated with gourds and white tapers also frosted leaves.

Honored guests were Rebah Hu, Bessie McManus, Mary Aas, Laura Bond, Annette Hoadley, Kate Ta'bot, Evelyn Hagey, Maude Holman, Neva King, Wilma Payne, Mary DeVoe, Aileen Taal, Reta Gaertner, Beulah Taal, Lucille Courtney, Edna O'Neil, and Clara Lennell.

The dinner was under the chairmanship of Gladys Lester, assisted by Esther Hofmann, Nell Montgomery, Gertrude Fisk, Matilda Tsiatos, Fannie McFarland, Olga Peterson, Edna Coats, Mamie Douglas, Evelyn Borine, Hazel Case, Pearl Swen and Mattie Smith.

Following dinner, all adjourned to the lodge hall, where lodge was called to order by Kate Talbot, orator.

During a beautiful candlelight ceremony, Lillian Hadden and Verona Miller were initiated into the order.

During the order of business, it was voted to donate to the TB drive, and to show pictures of cancer at the February meeting.

Grace Houser was reported gaining slowly from a fall, received when she was hit by a car in town a couple of weeks ago.

The next meeting, Dec. 14, was voted to be a juvenile party at the hall at 6:30 followed by the adult party at 8 p.m., in which there will be an exchange of 50 cent gifts, and election of officers.

Aviator captains, Annette Hoadley and Wilma Payne's teams, tied in attendance, with Matilda Tsiatos's team having gained the most points for insurance.

Maymie Grieves and Mary Lou Grieves of Huron were out of town members present.

Evelyn Borine received an special gift. The degree team in arch formal exemplified the retiring march, under the direction of Bessie McManus, captain.

Holiday Party Set By Society

Union County Historical Society will hold their annual Christmas party and turkey dinner, Monday at 6:30 p.m. in the Sacajawea small ballroom.

The dinner will be a planned potluck, those who have not been asked to bring specific items will please bring a salad or dessert. Those attending are to bring their own table service.

A collection will be taken to cover the cost of the turkey and other expenses of the dinner.

There is a planned Christmas program and exchange of gifts not to exceed 50 cents. All members and guests are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Nichols of North Powder left by plane for a week's vacation at Bal Harbour, Fla. They are guests of the J. I. Case Company. While there they will be staying at the Hotel Americana.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cass spent 10 days visiting in Seattle and Bellingham, Wash., with relatives and friends. They also attended the wedding of Esther Cass' niece, Esther Reynolds. She married William Booth of Seattle. The newlyweds left by plane for a honeymoon in Hawaii.

Celebrating birthdays today are Darrell Lanning, Elgin; Mrs. Alta Bickford and Mrs. Ollie Zimmerman, La Grande.

CHURCHES

Elgin Seventh Day Adventist Church
Rev. Fred Wagoner
Sabbath school 9:30 a.m. Morning worship 11 a.m.

Cove Seventh Day Adventist Church
Pastor Edward C. Harms
Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Morning worship 11 a.m.

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LOCAL EVENTS

Odd Fellows Lodge 16, La Grande, will meet Friday at 8 p.m. in their hall.

Grande Ronde Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution has cancelled its December meeting.

Union Pacific Old Timers Club 47 and auxiliary will meet Friday at 7:30 p.m. in McAllister hall. Installation of officers and Christmas party. Gift exchange not to exceed 75 cents.

Blue Mt. Gem Club will hold installation, Sunday at 3 p.m. in the Farm Bureau hall at Island City. Potluck at 1:30 p.m. Christmas party, bring own table service and gift rock.

The Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Kepp, of the St. Peter's Episcopal Church, who were recently married in the Ascension Chapel of Cove, will be honored at a reception, Sunday from 2 until 5 p.m. The event will be held in the local Parish hall. Committee in charge, invites all their friends to call at this time.

Riverside Hobby House will hold their bazaar and tea sale, Saturday in the IOOF hall basement. It will open at 9:30 a.m. with aprons, Christmas decorations, pillow slips, candy, small gifts and many other items, offered for sale.

Zion Lutheran Church Christmas program practice will be held in the church, Saturday at 10 a.m. This is beginners through grade six.

Club Members Plan Holiday Luncheon

La Grande Country Club members held a potluck luncheon Wednesday. A Christmas party was planned for the women with a gift exchange of \$1. This will be held Dec. 16, beginning with a social hour at 11:30 a.m. followed by a luncheon at 12:30. Reservations should be made at the clubhouse not later than Dec. 14.

Mrs. James Bush of Ashland, was a guest of Mrs. Fred Kiddie. Afternoon bridge winners were Mrs. Ed McCause, Mrs. James Bush and Mrs. Treve Lumsden.

Gladys V. Hays, 66 Dies In Hospital

Mrs. Gladys Vera Hays, 66, an Elgin housewife, died in a local hospital, Thursday, following an extended illness.

Funeral services will be held in the Daniels Funeral Home, Saturday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Wallace Hastings will officiate. Burial to be in the Summerville cemetery.

Mrs. Hays was born in Miles City, Mont., Sept. 23, 1893, and had been a resident of Union County for 25 years.

Survivors are the widower, George Hays, Elgin; three sons, Henry C. Hays, Milton Freewater, Leonard and Benjie Hays, Elgin; four daughters, Mrs. Ada Craig, Summerville, Mrs. Vera Duffloch, Athena, Mrs. Beryl Thacker, Milton Freewater, and Mrs. Wanda Doud, Elgin; two brothers, Ben Ostrander, Seattle, and Val Ostrander, Issaquah, Wash.; one sister, Mrs. Betty Ackey, Issaquah, Wash.; 26 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

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Auxiliary Plans Christmas Dinner

Auxiliary 305 of the Local Lumber and Sawmill Workers 2851 met Dec. 3, at the IOOF hall. Fifteen members attended.

Plans were completed for the Christmas dinner to be held at the IOOF hall Dec. 13, at 1 p.m. Dinner will be for the auxiliary members and families only.

Further plans were discussed for a membership drive to begin in January and continue until March. The losing team will provide a potluck dinner for the winning team.

The subject of having a dinner for a forthcoming Safety Convention was broached and met with enthusiastic approval.

Prizes were awarded to Gloria Spears, Velma Pearson and Lorraine Twidwell.

Next meeting will be Jan. 21, 1960.

Christmas Party Planned By Club

Parkdale Club met recently in the home of Mrs. Clarence Veach with Mrs. Pearl Lloyd, president, presiding over the afternoon session.

Plans were made for a Christmas meeting to be held in the home of Mrs. Eva Shafer, Dec. 16. There will be a 50 cent gift exchange.

The afternoon was spent visiting and playing games. Winners were Pearl Lloyd, first; Fay Howell, second, and Eva Greiner, low.

The hostess served refreshments at the close of the afternoon.

Elgin Firemen Plan Christmas Party

ELGIN (Special)—The Firemen Auxiliary met recently in the home of Mrs. Benjamin Hays. Plans were made to hold their annual Christmas party in the VFW hall, Dec. 12, with a potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m. Meetings will be held the second Tuesday of each month.

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ANN LANDERS Former Wife Makes Miserable Living For Present Family

Dear Ann: I married a divorced man. His former wife is making my life miserable.

First, I am not jealous, I'm sure my husband no longer cares for her. The trouble is she recently launched a campaign to get in good with my in-laws and is succeeding.

Whenever we go to my mother-in-law's home she is there. She has hugged up my sister-in-law and gets herself invited to dinners at her place. My husband's brother's wife includes her in family parties as if she is still a member.

Last week she had the nerve to call me and ask how Ed and I were getting to his cousin's funeral. She wanted a ride. I told Ed and he was furious. He phoned her back and suggested she hire a taxi.

Twice since our marriage she has had Ed in court trying to get more alimony. We don't want to be in this woman's company, yet she is likely to turn up at any family affair. What do you suggest?—*Sylvia.*

Dear Sylvia: If your husband's family are such insensitive clods that they don't know better, they should be told by him. He ought to explain to her no desire to dictate with whom they should socialize, but please exclude the two of you when his former wife is invited.

Dear Ann Landers: There is quite a lot of flap around our campus about cramming for exams "the easy way." Several kids say they've had good results with the night-time tape recorder process. I'm sure you've heard of this advanced method of learning—playing a tape recorder during sleep. The theory, of course, is that the subconscious mind picks up the information.

In this age of scientific progress with so much to learn in school, we students are looking for anything that will make the learning

Dear Living: If the house would turn your friends against you they aren't worth much. Invite people over and make no apologies.

Confidential to Sharpie: You write so well—when are you going to learn to read? I was not born in Russia. Look again, please.

Dear Ann Landers: You ought to be tatted and feathered. The idea, advising expectant mothers not to marry? After I read that advice I got my bifocals out to make sure my eyes hadn't played tricks on me.

Romantic love is just a lot of nonsense anyway. No matter what people get married for, the romance doesn't last beyond a few months at best. As one wit put it "Marriage is the Keeley cure for the intoxication known as love." So, they might as well get married to give a child a legal name. It's a better reason than most.—*X-Pert Sal.*

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