

Social and Club News

PARTY IS GIVEN

As the second of a series of parties, little Miss Mary Schaefer daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Schaefer, entertained this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moorhouse. The afternoon was spent in games and later refreshments were served.

The guest list included Jane Kavanaugh, Wayne Estes, Harold Temple, Amy Elizabeth Aldrich, Donald Temple, Hilda May Hobart, Linda Beck, Lucile Beck, Erma Beck, Jane Trombley, Cyrus Sturgis, Julie Vaughan, Shirley Thompson, Ray Woodyard, DeWald Rohman, Charles Rohman, Janet LaFontaine and Robt Jones.

LEAVE FOR PORTLAND

Mrs. N. J. Gilliam, daughter Miss Grace Gilliam of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Lovelidge of Weston, left today for Portland to attend the reunion of the Robbins family of which Mrs. Gilliam and Mrs. Lovelidge are members. Miss Gilliam will after spending a short time in Portland, go to southern California to spend the month of August.

LEAVE FOR PORTLAND

A motor party consisting of Dale Slusher, Miss Vera Temple, Miss Irene Shea and Miss Margaret Slusher left today for Portland. Miss Shea and Miss Slusher are returning to their homes in Portland after visiting in Pendleton. Miss Temple will go from Portland to Seaside where she will be the guest of Miss Margaret Phelps.

RETURN FROM PORTLAND

Mrs. E. O. Parker and little niece, Janet LaFontaine, returned yesterday from Portland. Mrs. Parker has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Winn Johnson who was recently operated upon for appendicitis. Mrs. Nona LaFontaine will remain in Portland until Mrs. Johnson is well enough to return to Pendleton.

LEAVE FOR ASOTIN

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Christensen of 112 Turner street, will leave today for Asotin, Washington. Before returning to Pendleton they will visit Lewiston, Idaho and Long Beach, California. While in Asotin they will be the guests of Mrs. Christensen's sister, Mrs. J. E. Knight.

LEAVE FOR PORTLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harder, formerly of Baker, left today for Portland. Mr. Harder, who is in the banking business, expects to locate in the immediate future in Medford. Mr. Harder joined Mrs. Harder here this morning. She has been visiting Mrs. Lee Moorhouse.

LEAVES FOR SEASIDE

Mrs. J. S. McLeod left today for a visit at Seaside.

TO JOIN MAZAMAS

Miss Sabra Nason will leave tomorrow for Bend, where she will join a party of Mazamas for the Diamond Peak and Crater Lake trip. Miss Nason will be joined at Bend by Miss

Anne Shannon Monroe, author of "Happy Valley" and other books. The trip from Bend to Crescent Lake will be made by auto, and after camping at the lake the party will climb Crescent Peak. Other mountains some of them also thousand feet in height, will be climbed, among them Diamond Peak, Mt. Scott, Mt. Thielsen and Old Bailey. Miss Nason who is county librarian, will be absent from Pendleton for two weeks and while on the trip will visit the library at The Dalles, at Bend and at Medford.

MRS. SCHILKE HERE

Mrs. Dora H. Schilke, prominent Oregon clubwoman, is in Pendleton today from La Grande as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edna Morrison. Mrs. Schilke will leave tonight for Portland to attend the meeting of the State Social Service Commission of which she is a member. Mrs. Schilke is past president of the State Parent Teacher Association.

TWO ARE HONORED

Honoring their cousin, Miss Mary Laatz who is visiting in Pendleton, and Mrs. Glenn Ackerman (Claudine McMonies) Mrs. Emmett Estes and Miss Pauline Mims are hostesses this afternoon for an informal party. Guests are assembled at the home of Mrs. W. P. Matlock on Garden street.

RETURNING FROM BEND

Mr. and Mrs. George Huntington Curry of Baker were here last evening, being on their return from Bend where they had attended the convention of state editorial association. Mr. Curry is editor of the Baker Herald. He is a brother of Mrs. Roy Farley of Pendleton.

GUESTS IN CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Tracey Baker have as their guests today Clarence Porter and John Porter, of Long Creek, who are on their way to Portland where Clarence Porter will receive medical treatment. John Porter is Mrs. Baker's brother-in-law.

LEAVES FOR CANNON BEACH

Mrs. Nancy DeSpain left today for Cannon Beach where she will join her daughters, Mrs. Constance Isaacs and Mrs. C. C. Berkeley. Later Mrs. DeSpain will accompany Mrs. Berkeley to her home in Hay Creek for a visit.

BIRTHDAY TO BE HONORED

Honoring the birthday of her son, Roy Temple, Mrs. Alvin Slusher will be hostess this evening for an informal dinner at her home, 123 Lewis street. It will be a family dinner and the guests will number twelve.

HAMPTONS ARE COMING

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hampton and child will arrive here next Tuesday on their return to La Grande from Monmouth and while here will be guests at the G. M. Rice home.

GUESTS IN PENDLETON

Miss Elizabeth Nolle, formerly of Pendleton, now of Seattle, and Miss Mildred Haas of Pasco, Washington, are guests of Mrs. Joe Murphy today.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Peter Pohl has returned to her home after spending three weeks at St. Anthony's hospital where she underwent a serious operation.

RETURNS TO ATHENA

Mrs. F. B. Boyd returned to her home in Athena today after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. James Sturgis.

HERE FROM ECHO

Mrs. W. J. Wattenburger and daughter, Miss Ina Wattenburger of Echo are Pendleton visitors today.

MRS. NORVALL HERE

Mrs. Edgar Norvall, of Helix, is a Pendleton visitor today.

HARDING FAVORS NOV. 11 FOR CONFERENCE DATE

WASHINGTON, July 28.—(U. P.)—President Harding and Secretary Hughes it is believed are prepared to issue formal invitations to attend the disarmament conference at Washington. Hughes is expected to reach an agreement with the powers immediately as to what date would be best. President Harding is believed to favor armistice day.

30 SACKS OF WHISKEY THROWN OVERBOARD

PORT ANGELES, Wash., July 28.—(U. P.)—Shrilly taunting the government and local officials on the shore, a captain of an unknown sloop threw 30 sacks of whiskey overboard and sailed away in a hail of bullets. Government agents recovered a portion of the booze.

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(Second in a series of suggestions for feeding children between the ages of one year and 18 months.)

- * Feed at regular hours.
- * At this age give 22 ounces of milk in some form during the 24 hours.
- * Give plenty of boiled water between meals.
- * Breadstuffs—Zwieback, whole wheat, graham, bran, oatmeal and white bread may be given alternately that baby does not tire of them. These should be well cooked, and never given until stale or dried out in the oven.
- * A little hot milk may be poured over the bread and fed this way occasionally. Graham crackers are good in case of constipation.
- * Butter may be put on the bread.
- * Fruits—Orange juice is the most valuable fruit. Stewed prunes or stewed apples, tomato juice, baked apple and juice of canned fruits may be given.
- * Fruit should be given between meals not at meal time.
- * Vegetables—Give purees and strained substance of stewed vegetables as spinach, asparagus, carrots, peas, string beans, and potato. Baked potato may be added after 14 months. Do not over cook vegetables that vitamins be destroyed—remove from heat as soon as tender and strain.
- * Cereals—Oatmeal, barley, cream of wheat, farina and Ralston's foods, may be used. These should be cooked thoroughly, at least three hours and made as thick as an apple would like it, serve with milk but no sugar.
- * Other Foods—One egg may be given each day. It may be codded or poached.—E. V. D.

MUSICIANS GIVEN NOTICE
NEW YORK, July 28.—(A. P.)—Musicians of every leading vaudeville and movie theater here have been given two weeks notice of discharge because the directors of the musicians' union refused to discuss the proposal for a 20 per cent wage reduction.

ATHENA CROP

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and plenty of room are provided where several cars with tourists are to be seen every day.

Crops Are Phenomenal
As for the land surrounding Athena, and the land is the maker of the town, it could not improve on an "admission" made by one of the business men here:

"We're in the best wheat producing center in the biggest wheat growing county in the state, and we don't take off our hats to anybody."

It wouldn't be right for me to enter into the merits of this "confession," because there are several other towns in Umatilla county that are in the center of sections that produce a lot of grain, but it is a sure thing that Athena district farmers are producing enormous crops of wheat this season.

On every hand, farmers are busily engaged in harvesting and the yields are very satisfactory.

"It's safe to say that our crops will average 20 per cent more than for any previous year in the county," is the way J. P. Herr expresses his opinion. "The wheat is testing high, too, from 60 to 61 pounds being the rule."

Notwithstanding this high production, farmers will not be able to pay all of their debts this year, the banker stated, because the cost of production has been too high. Harvesting costs are down a little, but up until the time of harvesting costs this year have been about as high as in war times, Mr. Herr stated.

Everybody's Harvesting
A good way to tell the news about this harvesting business in this vicinity is just to say that "everybody's doing it," and call it a job. We visited several places on our trip where work is in progress.

There is the Watts Bros. outfit which is busily engaged in threshing 300 acres. They have more than this in summer fallow this year, but the 300 acre patch is yielding a phenomenal crop according to M. L. Watts.

Homier T. Watts, attorney, has looked up his law office now, and he is having the happiest time of the year out running the combine.

On the Lowell Rogers place near Adams, a big combine is hard at work. Mr. Rogers is one of the biggest operators in the county.

J. C. Holcomb's ranch was one of the first we visited. He is using a combine that is horse drawn, 24 head being used to pull the combine which is driven by a gas motor. The wheat is running between 45 and 50 bushels to the acre, and the machine has a capacity of between 35 and 40 acres a day. Across the road from him can be heard the hum of the Arnold Woods machine.

Kirk Gets Big Yield
One field of 240 acres belonging to Charlie Kirk that extends up to the city limits has averaged a little more than 20 bushels to the acre. Then there is E. A. Dudley and his two sons, Earl and Glenn who have acres and acres that are producing bushels and bushels. The old home place is just outside of Athena here, and other ranches are scattered over the district.

WHEAT TAKES DECLINE IN TODAY'S MARKET

Wheat declined in price today, July grain closing at \$1.27, September at \$1.25 1-2 and December at \$1.27 1-2. Yesterday July wheat closed at \$1.28, September at \$1.27 and December at \$1.29.

Following are the quotations received by Overbeck & Cooke:

	Open	High	Low	Close
July	\$1.25 1/2	\$1.29 1/2	\$1.27	\$1.27
Sept.	1.27 1/2	1.28 1/2	1.25 1/2	1.25 1/2
Dec.	1.29 1/2	1.30 1/2	1.27 1/2	1.27 1/2

Corn

July	65 1/2	66 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Sept.	64 1/2	65	61 1/2	61 1/2
Dec.	64 1/2	65 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2

Wheat—Opened stronger and higher on good buying by commission houses, and lighter receipts than expected here and at other primary points, but the market eased off and closed lower on more favorable reports from the Canadian northwest.

With light export demand, and lower cash prices both southwest and northwest, and Chicago cash declined with futures, and the principal bearish feature was a report that foreign demand was quiet and local exporters had bought wheat from other countries at 8 cents below cost of laying it down, there, and that Germany was 9 cents out of line. Outside business dropped off considerable and was a disappointment to those who figured that interest had revived. Some further declines may be noted but we think advantage should be taken on all breaks for immediate purchases.

Chicago Cash Markets.
No. 1, \$1.28 1-2; No. 2, \$1.27 1-2; No. 3, \$1.27 1-2; No. 4, \$1.27 1-2; No. 5, \$1.27 1-2; No. 6, \$1.27 1-2; No. 7, \$1.27 1-2; No. 8, \$1.27 1-2; No. 9, \$1.27 1-2; No. 10, \$1.27 1-2; No. 11, \$1.27 1-2; No. 12, \$1.27 1-2.

Seattle Cash.
No. 1 hard white, \$1.15; No. 2 hard white, \$1.14; No. 3 hard white, \$1.13; No. 4 hard white, \$1.12; No. 5 hard white, \$1.11; No. 6 hard white, \$1.10; No. 7 hard white, \$1.09; No. 8 hard white, \$1.08; No. 9 hard white, \$1.07; No. 10 hard white, \$1.06; No. 11 hard white, \$1.05; No. 12 hard white, \$1.04.

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CIGARETTE SMOKING IS DIRECT CAUSE OF JUVENILE DELINQUENCY, COURT OFFICIALS STATE IN QUESTIONNAIRES

WASHINGTON, July 28.—(U. P.)—Health and to cause abnormal viewpoints and moods, and thus lead directly to crime in the opinion of some judges, while others say that the use of cigarettes by minors is an effect of idleness and truancy rather than a cause.

Lack of parental control is blamed in some quarters for the prevalence of cigarette smoking among delinquents.

An unexpected number of the court officials, however, the board stated, refer to "demoralizing motion pictures as a crime cause, some speak strongly in regard to bad conditions usually obtaining at pool rooms and a great many refer to the divorce evil, and the increasing lack of interest by parents in the home as a direct cause of the breakdown of moral character in children."

Questionnaires were mailed to judges of juvenile courts, and answers received by the board indicate that a large percentage of the officers who deal with juvenile crimes are convinced that cigarette smoking is a direct cause of delinquency.

Others call attention to the bad effects of the use of cigarettes on school work, with resultant truancy, idleness and bad associations and crime.

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