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PRIZE CONCERTS BY THE WESTON BAND

The first anniversary of the Weston Concert Band will be fittingly observed with a pleasing concert at the opera house next Friday evening, March 9, to which the public is cordially invited. Tickets will be on sale at all business houses in town. It is hoped that the people of Weston and vicinity will come forth and by their presence encourage the band boys, who have made commendable progress, to still better efforts. The first milestone is now being passed, and our people should awake to a realization of the fact that while the band will eventually prove a great asset to the town, as well as a source of pride and gratification, it cannot go forward without a certain degree of support. Evidences are not lacking that this support will be forthcoming, and that the anniversary concert will be greeted—as it should be—with a crowded house. The program follows:

PART ONE

March—Lake Front Park
Vandercook
Overture—Invincible
King
Cornet Solo—The Rosary
Lee
Harvey Lundell and Band.
Intermezzo—Red Feather
Mann
Waltz—Moonlight
Knight-Logan
March—Park Theatre
Moquin
Trombone Glee—Smoke Up, Honey!
Derville

PART TWO

March—Washington Grays
Grafulla
Overture—Sky Pilot
Laurens
Cornet Trio—Summer Days
Abt
Waltz—Missouri
Knight-Logan
Quartet—from Opera Ernani
Lundell-Verdi
March—Stars and Stripes Forever
Souza

The above will be the first of a series of four concerts to be given at suitable intervals by the band—the price of a ticket for the entire series to be one dollar. Tickets will be offered for sale on the street and in all the stores. Children accompanied by their parents will be admitted free. Single admittance is 35 cents.

In order to add interest and novelty to these musical events, prizes will be given away at each concert.

to lucky ones in the audience. Each person attending will receive a number entitling him—or her—to a chance in the drawing.

Says the Pendleton Bulldogger:

"As a result of the visit of Doc Lytle Umatilla county has a quarantine on her east end."

Atrocious! One could almost wish that the Umatilla would go on a bellevea tear and that the county would get her seat wet.

UPLAND NEWS NOTES

Weston Uplands, March 1.—While running near a wire fence Chester Ferguson fell upon the wire and cut his lip. The wound proved more serious than was at first supposed, and he is now in St. Anthony's hospital at Pendleton with Dr. Parker in attendance. He is reported to be improving.

John Stolp has returned to the uplands and is preparing to ship his work stock and household goods to the Nez Perce country, where he intends to engage in farming.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hyatt left Thursday for their home at Colfax, Wash.

Elmer and Jess Ferguson made a business trip to Elgin this week.

Ben Lee visited relatives in La Grande this week. Mrs. Lee has been visiting relatives in Athena and Pendleton.

Dolf Thompson of Gibbon is spending a few days with relatives here.

Saturday night Mrs. Martha Ferguson gave a social at her home, the guests of honor being Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lee, who have just returned from Rochester, Minn. More than fifty guests were present, and all declared themselves well entertained. Dainty refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schneider entertained a number of friends Wednesday night in honor of their niece, Mrs. Cecil Hyatt. Those present were: Will Hall and family, Charles May and family, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Dolf Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. English, Mrs. Tom Fisher and daughter, Roy Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hyatt. A good time was enjoyed by all, and an appetizing luncheon was served.

"SOME WEDDING" AT THE SMITH MANSION

February 28 being the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith, the ladies of the Saturday Afternoon Club with their husbands, and also the Weston band, gave them a genuine surprise at their home.

While the bridegroom was sauntering around the DeMoss furniture store, making it miserable for the people who were to meet there previous to assembling at the Smith residence, the band sounded the bugle call and played a rousing serenade.

The bride was very much surprised upon coming home from choir practice to find the house full of guests.

After the happy couple had been taken in hand and properly apprised a mock ceremony was performed.

Forming in the hall upstairs, the procession marched to the strains of the "Mississippi Bubble" down the stairs and through the parlors twice, that the audience might see that "the candidates were properly prepared and in due form." At the head of the parade came Mrs. J. H. Williams and Mrs. Frank Graham, the flower girls, bearing the ring (a doughnut) in a painted cabbage head.

Then came the bride, escorted on the arm of S. A. Barnes, who gave her away. Mrs. J. W. Porter as page followed, carrying the voluminous folds of the wedding veil (some discarded lace curtains.) Mesdames William MacKenzie and Wilbur Woods officiated as bridesmaids and their husbands as best men.

The impressive ring ceremony was performed by Frank Graham in language wholly original and full of pep and humor to the sound of soft music on the piano and with the entire bridal party chewing gum. After the solemn vows had been spoken, Mrs. Geo. R. Carmichael favored the audience with two appropriate songs.

Congratulations were then in order, followed by a luncheon and the cutting of the bridal cake—with which the guests had many difficulties. With appropriate remarks in behalf of the company and others,

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BENEFIT PLAY FOR LOCAL BAND—MILTON TALENT

A company of Milton talent directed by Miss Blondell Richey, the well known dramatic reader, will present "His Uncle From Japan," a laughable farce comedy, at Weston opera house next Monday evening, March 5, for the benefit of the Weston band.

Admittance is 25 cents for children and 35 cents for grownups. "A thousand laughs for 35 cents—can you beat it?" is the query propounded by the bills.

This comedy was played to capacity houses both at Milton and Umatilla, and met with high favor. The local band boys appreciate the neighborly kindness of the Milton players in putting it on here for the benefit of their organization.

Music will be furnished for the entertainment by the Weston Concert Band.

W. C. T. U. HOLD RECEPTION

Tuesday afternoon, February 27, the ladies of the W. C. T. U. held a reception for the new members at the home of Mrs. W. H. Gould. A large number were present, and a very interesting business session was held, after which a good program was given.

Songs were sung by the union, and a story was read by Mrs. W. B. Smith concerning the influence of Lincoln's statue. The constitution was read by Mrs. Frank Price. Parts of the addresses given at the national convention at Indianapolis by Mrs. Sigumoto of Japan and Frances Willard Wang of China were read by Mrs. Henrietta Kenard. A reading by Mrs. Frank Snider closed the exercises.

The new members then signed the constitution and stood in line to be greeted by those present, after which a social time was enjoyed by all and a most delicious banquet was served by the Misses Zella Gould and Bertha Walden, assisted by Mrs. Ed. Tucker. The next meeting will be held March 13 at the home of Mrs. Alice Price, and every member is expected to be present. New program cards for the year will then be given out.

CELIBACY—CONFESSORIAL MASS—PURGATORY

Do you know what is substituted for marriage among priests, and why? It may concern you very vitally. Are you informed with regard to what takes place in the Confessorial, and the nature of the questions asked? If you have a wife or daughter, or the welfare of other men's at heart, you should understand. Have you acquainted yourself with the dogma of the Mass, and the reason for its invention? Are the facts concerning Purgatory and what it means to the United States familiar to you? This will be the subject of the Sunday evening discourse at the United Brethren church March 4th.

AN HONEST OPINION—Morning service, 11 a. m.

All are cordially invited. A special invitation is extended to Catholics in the evening. No one will be abused. Come, let us reason together.

F. A. PHELPS, Pastor.

Dr. Watts presented the bride and groom with a leather rocker as a token of the auspicious occasion, and the recipients responded in a most appreciative manner.

Leak Laid to Reporters.

Washington.—A unanimous report saying that no one except two Washington newspapermen, J. Fred Essary and W. W. Price, were responsible for whatever "leak" there was on President Wilson's peace note was presented to the house by Chairman Henry, of the rules committee.

American Sailors' Cheered by French.

Bordeaux.—"Vive l'Amerique" and "Vive Wilson" were shouted by thousands of persons when Captain Tucker and the crew of the American steamer Orleans stepped off the gangplank of the vessel at the end of a voyage made in defiance of Germany.

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