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MURPHY

Chas. Shoup has left for Salt Lake City, where he will make his future home.

A. H. Carson has been making several business trips to the Illinois valley the past two weeks.

Hays Bros. have finished filling their silo.

Geo. Kellogg is moving to Grants Pass with his family for the winter.

Plans are being made for an all-day meeting, with basket dinner at noon, at the Grange hall, on the 20th. There are to be some excellent speakers. A general invitation is given to every one to come with well filled baskets and enjoy a pleasant and profitable day.

Lester Darnelle has returned from the hills and reports a fresh fall of snow up at Holcomb camp.

Mrs. Jimmy McPadden and children, who have been visiting in northern California for some time, have returned home.

A democratic rally at Murphy Friday night and a republican one at Williams Saturday night are making times interesting in this valley.

"That girl made \$10,000 in letters." "She doesn't look like she can write." "Neither can she. She got it from the letters in her bunch of promiscuous." - Baltimore American

"I see you play Hamlet," remarked the notice.

"I do," admitted York Ham.

"Nearly always," Louisville Courier Journal

"Did you meet any nice men while you were away?"

"Yes, mother; lots of them."

"Lots of them? There aren't that many in the whole world." - Detroit Free Press

"How do you keep moths out of clothing?" asked the girl with a needle and thread.

"Why?" replied the girl with a story book. "I didn't know they wore any." - Washington Star

Wife-I don't understand how you men can spend whole evenings at the club.

Hub-Then you talk an awful lot about something you don't understand.

The average American, statistics say, eats eighty and one-half pounds of beef, seven and one-half pounds of veal, seventy eight pounds of pork and lard and six and one-half pounds of mutton and lamb every year.

Social

An enjoyable evening was spent by the guests of the ladies of the St. Luke's guild at the Friday night dance given in the Waldorf hall last week.

This marked the first of a series of dances which the guild expects to give during the winter season.

Punch was served throughout the hours.

The committee in charge was comprised of Mesdames N. F. Macduff, Roemer, and C. W. Baker.

Venison Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Crouch informally entertained a number of friends at a Sunday noon dinner October first.

The party comprised Mr. and Mrs. Cash Hendricks, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crouch, Ted Crouch, Caroline and Florence Crouch, host and hostess, and daughter, Ramona.

Ernest Crouch having met success with the gun, venison was the principal dish of the menu, which was completed with sweet potatoes, gravy, salad, apple pie, coconut cream cake, Yorkshire pudding, nuts and fruit.

During the evening music and good time visit lead the diversion.

Card Party

The ladies of St. Luke's guild pleasantly entertained about thirty guests at cards in the guild hall Monday afternoon of last week.

Bridge and five hundred were the games played. Sherbet, cake and coffee were served. From the nice little sum realized the party was termed a financial success.

Miss Shelly Honored Guest

Miss Blanche Shelly was honored guest on Monday, October 2, at the evening birthday party given by Mrs. John Summers at the Summers home on Orchard avenue.

Guests of the evening were the Misses Bertha Ketchum, Helena Herman, Vivian Isham, Olive Courtney, Lorene Courney, Ina Akin, Elizabeth Summers and Master Johnnie Summers.

Music was a part of the entertainment. Riddles and stories also occupied much time. Impromptu readings by Mrs. Summers and Miss Shelly were much enjoyed by all.

Later in the evening the guests were taken to the dining room, where they soon found seats round the table daintily laden with a birthday luncheon, predominant with the birthday cake.

Shower for Miss Newell

Autumn leaves of gorgeous hue, effectively combined with beautiful bouquets of roses and carnations, were used in decoration of the J. H. Williams home on East B street, where the Misses Lida Fifeid, Minnie Reymers, and Mesdames R. F. Adams, W. D. Fry and A. W. Moon were hostesses to a number of friends on the evening of October 5 at the shower given in honor of Miss Kate Newell.

The evening festivities commenced when the honored guest was placed with her many presents on an imaginary auto and with the ringing of a bell was drawn to the center of the room, where the gifts were opened before the assembled guests.

Linen, cooking utensils and a great deal of silver were among the many beautiful and useful presents given. A victrola was a pleasing feature of the evening entertainment. During the evening each guest wrote a favorite recipe on cards, which were given to Miss Newell for file and later use. Strawberry ice cream, in a banana crescent, was garnished with nuts and served with devils' food, angel cake and coffee.

Those favored were the Misses Julia Callahan, Ethelyn Bartlett, Minnie Tufts, Minnie Ireland, Margaret Smith, Hazel Williams, from Long Beach, Leah Slover, Fay Stinebaugh, Florence Smith, Flora Schmidt, Anna Schmidt, Edna Robinson, Edythe Robinson, Verna McCann, and the Mesdames George Parker, Amos Williams, J. T. Wilson, N. E. Townsend, K. Williams, George Riddle, Mary Van Dyke, Albert Williams, H. C. Kinney, from Pomona, Cal., G. P. Jester, J. T. Fry, W. H. Flanagan, Omas, E. Rehkopf, E. C. Dixon, Amos Smith, C. H. Woodward, Harry Schmidt, Ed Bywater, A. C. Goettsche, Paul Blanchard, Ernest Lister, Grace Lyons, Lola Allen, A. G. Clarke, of Glendale, Thomas Galvin, A. H. Denison, W. E. Deag, J. D. Stinebaugh, H. L. Truax, R. G. Smith, Dora Cleveland, F. H. Ingram, Roscoe Bratton, A. R. Cleveland, Sam Neas, Ralph Davis, Balpe, of Ashland, Bacher, C. H. Sampson, J. A. Slover, Eclun Pollock, J. D. Fry, George Calhoun, E. L. Moon from Bray, Cal.

Cecil E. Weston, Herbert Smith, Eva Coe, Harry Newell, Willard Wilson, Sarah Newell, T. W. Williams, from Long Beach, Joseph Wolke, Herman Horning, H. C. Bobbles, A. K. Cass, Samuel Stinebaugh, C. H. Eismann, Lloyd Harvey from Glendale, F. A. Williams, Clyde Martin, Jim Tufts, Mary Dullibop and Mary Browne.

Fifth Graders Club

Eight girls, members of the fifth grade of the East school, have formed a Teeny Weenie club, which meets every Thursday afternoon after school at the home of one of its members.

Last week Little Miss Eleanor Coughle was hostess to her club friends at the Coughle home at 310 D street.

Among the games and amusements the most instructive, as well as entertaining, was an animal cookie hunt. The cookies were hid in every nook and corner, and when the hunt was over a lively discussion of the animals represented, their habits, characteristics, etc., filled the time until watermelon was served.

Those of the club are Irene Braeger, Gladys Shinn, Marianne Heath, Arieta Myers, Dorothy Fallin, Arda Isham, and Eleanor Coughle.

Birthdays Commemorated

Between the hours two to five on the afternoon of September 30 the little Misses Echo and Elsie Pardee entertained a number of friends at the Pardee home on North Seventh street.

The entertainment was a commemoration of the sixth and eighth birthdays of the small hostesses and was given on Saturday, the 30th, because the birth dates, September 20th and 29th, each fell on a school day.

Out-of-door games filled the hours until Mrs. S. M. Pardee, mother of the honored girls, served those present with ice cream and cookies.

The guests were Arieta Myers, Mabel and Catherine Bellew, Francis and Katherine Wylie, Brona Hughes, Dorothy Bellew, Olive Balsam, Evelyn Bradford, Agnes and Marguerite Bellew, Ruth and Ada Gentry.

Tuesday Evening Musicals

The M. E. church parlors on Sixth and B streets were well filled with the attendance which gathered on the evening of October 3 to enjoy the musicals given by ladies of the church aid.

Mr. Ferguson, who appeared in the program, was accompanied by Miss Winifred Flanagan. To his first number, "When Irish Eyes are Smiling," he encored with "Memories." "She's the Daughter of Mother Macbree" was followed by "Annie Laurie," in the true Scotch brogue. The last number was given upon request and was especially pleasing to his hearers.

Three recitations by the Misses Emily Morgan and Bertha Calhoun displayed the excellent training which the girls are receiving from their instructor, Mrs. S. H. Baker. Both girls came back with encores. Miss Morgan's numbers were "So Was I" and "The Kitchen Clock," while Miss Calhoun gave "Mamie's Lullaby" and "The Christmas Orphans."

Mrs. Bert Barnes, in her portrayal, "One Fleeting Hour," sang in her usual pleasing manner. She was accompanied by Mrs. George C. Sabin at the piano and her son, Donald, on the violin.

Leonard and Norman Kendall did remarkably well in the several instrumental numbers given as piano duets and solos. The technique of both boys was very good and the selections given brought to light the excellent training from a conscientious teacher who has earned a place in the musical activities of the community.

Much praise is due the ladies for the excellence of the entire program and from a financial standpoint the evening entertainment has proved a pleasing success.

Sunshine Club Meeting


The Sunshine club met at the home of Mrs. Hull, on D street, Thursday afternoon, in honor of her 50th birthday. Those present were Mesdames J. D. Thorpe, Thomas Gilmore, Marvin Jordan, Lacey, Silas Kasdorff, Win. Fallin, J. M. Tetherow, W. H. Taylor, J. A. Smith and Master Bruce Smith.

Anatomically.

"I've been pondering over a very singular thing."

"What is it?"

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The naturalist and explorer, John Muir, was a curiously simple man—as simple in his tastes and appetites as in his views of life and conduct. On his trips through the Sierras he never carried a gun and never killed game, nor did he catch fish.

He lived almost exclusively on plain dry bread. "There is no waste in it," he used to say. "Every particle is of value. I also take along a small package of tea and a little tin cup in a stout canvas bag. I can sustain my strength on this diet for months at a time. I occasionally run across some wild berries or an edible root to chew on, but they are not important."

At dinners to which he was invited Mr. Muir would usually barely taste of soup or fruit, never touch meat or any fancy dessert, talk while others ate and nibble away between times at a slice of bread without butter.

Once while visiting Pasadena he was one of a party starting out to get supper, after which it was proposed to spend the evening in the rooms of one of the company. As they walked along the street they passed a bakery, and Mr. Muir stopped. "Why, friends, look here!" he said. "That is good looking bread. Why go any farther? Let's buy a couple of loaves and take them to the room with us." And he was quite earnest.

Once a friend took him to luncheon at a famous restaurant in San Francisco. As they took seats at a table Mr. Muir was engaged in some discussion in which he was so absorbed that he was oblivious to everything else. His friend could not interrupt him and so the talk bowed on until the time approached for closing the restaurant. The head waiter told the host that he must give his order with out further delay. Taking advantage of the interruption, the friend suggested to Mr. Muir that he should give his order. He seemed startled. "I have all I wish," he exclaimed. "Order for yourself." For an hour as he talked he had been chewing bits of bread.

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"Proper posture and carriage, with shoulders square, chest arched, head erect and body well stretched from the waist up, will of their own account contribute much toward relieving our people of the many petty and not a few of the serious ills from which they

are now suffering. They are the foundation of robust health and should be insisted upon in children from the very beginning until they become a habit and as such will displace the disease breeding, slouchy habit now so prevalent among people of all ages and stations."—World's Work.

Acts of the Apostles.

The weight of testimony is in favor of St. Luke as the author of the Acts of the Apostles, though some respectable critics claim that the authorship is quite unknown. There are no sure data for determining the date of the Acts. Various dates have been ascribed. Some think that it was written about the year 50, while others hold that it could not have been written before the second century, about A. D. 125.—New York American.

Where Eve is Buried.

Jeddah is a most important town for the entire human race, apart from being the principal landing place for pilgrims to the holy cities. Close beside the city is buried no less a personage than Eve. The reputed mother of mankind, like a good Moslemah, lies with her feet toward Mecca. Her grave has gradually grown and is now of huge dimensions.—Westminster Gazette.

Just Indorse the Check.

When you see 2023, 1734, 12603, 8894 xylf, wed-ast, med-ast and kindred expressions hitched to the tail of a newspaper article, it is a sign that the editor's motives in running the article were entirely mercenary and he may or may not indorse the sentiments expressed therein.—Emporia Gazette.

Some Observers.

"I'm very glad you never married, amnie."

"Why, my dear?"

"Cos if you had a man to look after like my ma you wouldn't have half so much time to be good to me."—Detroit Free Press.

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