

SOCIETY, CHURCH AND LODGE NOTES

With health conditions assuming a more natural aspect, Emmett Social life is undergoing an awakening from its long period of hibernation. Churches and lodges are resuming their various activities with accelerated vigor, and social gatherings take on a new attraction. A busy week is new in progress, with promise of many functions for next week.

The Freshman class of the High school enjoyed its first party of the year last Friday evening, when about 35 young people gathered at Rebekah hall for an evening of fun and frolic. The hall was decorated in colors and symbols suitable to a valentine party, hearts and arrows of red and ropes of red crepe paper carrying out the scheme. The youngsters spent a jolly evening with music and games, and not the least of the pleasure was a delightful lunch which followed. Miss Stovel and Mr. Wise chaperoned the party.

"Let her forget" the swift and silent passing of the year, Mr. J. E. Creswell was pleasantly reminded of the arrival of his 45th mile stone, last Friday evening by a most delightful surprise in the form of a 7 o'clock dinner, enjoyed by about twenty guests. The two tables at which the dinner was served were gaily decorated with valentine motifs, the center of the honor guest's table being a beautiful birthday cake bearing hearts and red lettering suggestive of the date. The after dinner hours were spent with visiting and cards. The guests were the Messrs. and Mesdames Kirk Landers, Eli Lanktree, F. G. Carpenter, W. S. Brown, M. Gilbride, Ed Strohbehn of Falk, Ben Strohbehn of Payette, and Mrs. Solterback of New Plymouth.

Probably one of the most brilliant affairs Emmett society folks have enjoyed for several years was the delightful Valentine ball given by the Shrine Club of Emmett Friday evening to about three hundred friends. Liberty Theatre, the scene of the festivities, was appropriately decorated with the national colors, while red hearts and arrows suspended from ceiling and lights throughout the hall added the valentine suggestion to the gay surroundings. On the stage the mystic symbols of the order were displayed, with a life size camel, the production of the skilled designing of Robert Burlingame, as the central figure. Here an excellent six-piece orchestra was seated and their ever popular music lured many to indulge in the pleasures of the dance who have not been so tempted in many years. It was a party for both young and old alike—those not caring to dance enjoying the gaiety of the occasion and visiting the while. The Alfalfa quartet, ever ready to contribute to the demands of their admirers, gave two of their popular numbers, while to further add to the pleasure of the guests, punch was served all during the evening.

The ladies were charmingly gowned and many of the men, in full dress, the Shriners wearing the jaunty fez, symbolic of the order, lent a touch of grace and dignity well fitting the occasion. Several out-of-town guests participated, among them being Mr. and Mrs. Henry Banks from Banks, L. C. Ferguson of Boise, F. W. Faul of Horseshoe Bend, and Miss Taylor of San Diego, who is a guest of her cousins, the VanDeusen brothers. Several auto loads of Shriners from Boise had planned to attend, but the condition of the roads prevented.

The Shriners are receiving congratulations on every hand upon the success of their venture and are being urged by their delighted guests to make it a habit. The gallant hosts of the evening were: George Huebener, B. B. Davis, Robert Burlingame, J. E. VanDeusen, Lewis Obermeyer, Harry Worthman, V. T. Craig, Will Obermeyer, W. L. Powell, Frank Knox, John McConnell, E. L. Holverson, F. A. DeClark, E. K. Hayes, C. A. Thomas, Walter Grafton, Henry Obermeyer, James L. Steward, J. B. Middleton and Lieut. Col. B. O. Clark, now overseas.

St. Mary's Guild meets with Mrs. Bilderback Feb. 27. Saturday, Feb. 22, St. Mary's Guild will hold a cooked food sale at Haley-Miles Drug Store, at 2:30 o'clock.

The W. C. T. U. held a Frances Willard Memorial tea on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. E. Bird.

The affair was open to guests, and a good attendance enjoyed the afternoon's program, with a social hour and buffet luncheon. A silver offering was received, which goes toward the Frances Willard Memorial fund. Following is the program: Scripture—Psalm 146, by leader, Mrs. R. E. Shaw. Prayer—Rev. Adams. Music—Hymn, "America." Roll call—States that have ratified the federal prohibition amendment. Remarks—Rev. Finley. Music—Duet, Mrs. Gunther and Mrs. Barnes. The Blessedness of Receiving, Mrs. Lockett and Mrs. Sheets. Music—Rev. Adams. Americanization the imperative need of the hour, Mrs. Finley. An appeal for knowledge from foreign people—Mrs. Munday and Mrs. Bever. The Francis Willard Memorial Fund—how used in 1918, Mrs. Pattison. Music—Duet, Mrs. Newcomer and Miss Rundstrom. Benediction—Rev. Lathrop. During the social hour Miss Shaver sang a beautiful solo, and instrumental selections were given by Miss Brown, Mrs. Zackman and Miss Catherine Davis.

The Central Division of the M. E. Ladies' Aid was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John McConnell, with Mrs. Goodwin, Mrs. Ivie and Mrs. Kinzer as joint hostesses. Being the first meeting since the raising of the flu ban, the ladies expressed great enthusiasm for the renewing of the work, and a pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by the 27 guests. Refreshments were served late in the afternoon.

Mrs. F. G. Carpenter was hostess to the Sans Souci Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon, being the first meeting for several months. During the period of necessity for war work, this club adopted a pleasant and profitable method of meeting, the hostess serving luncheon at 1 o'clock, after which the guests repaired to the Red Cross rooms and gave the afternoon to sewing and surgical dressings. Now, however, the regular order is resumed and the usual delightful time was enjoyed, three tables of Auction being played, followed by a tempting lunch.

Emmett Rebekah Lodge, No. 32, will hold its annual roll call the evening of March 4. Further announcement next week.

The marriage of Miss Mel Smithson and Mr. Albert White occurred yesterday in Mountain Home. The bride is the only daughter of our D. E. Smithson and was born in Emmett and spent her girlhood days here. The last few years she had taken up nursing and held the responsible position of head night nurse in a Salt Lake hospital. She is a charming young lady and gifted as a musician. Her many Emmett friends will extend their best wishes.

EMMETT NEWS

For good bread use Fleischman's yeast, at Reilly's.

G. E. Brown was down from the Montour ditch camp Monday.

Attorney D. A. Dunning of Boise was here last week on legal business.

Kenneth Jensen from Sweet spent a few days in Emmett the forepart of the week.

Lloyd Cox, proprietor of the Montour garage, was in Emmett the past week on business.

C. W. Hill of Buhl spent a few days looking over real estate conditions hereabouts last week.

Mrs. Harry Worthman went to Pocatello the first of the week to visit her sister, whose husband recently died.

Miss Estella Fisher arrived Saturday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Emard. She is Mrs. Emard's sister.

Miss Mary Gamage, who came over from her school work at Boise for the Shriners' party Friday, returned to her duties Sunday.

Life insurance was never needed more than at this time. See F. R. Chapin and secure a good policy in Mutual Life of N. Y. Don't delay.

Leroy Myers has gone to Cascade to work.

I buy Liberty bonds. W. F. Sinclair.

Both Emmett banks will be closed on Saturday, Washington's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Smith were Emmett visitors from Cascade Tuesday.

S. J. Rees was called to Ontario this week by the serious illness of his mother.

W. F. Sinclair went to Boise yesterday to attend the state stockmen's meeting.

M. E. Lewis is here from Moscow looking after his ranch interests on the bench.

A. O. Hogan, car inspector of the O. S. L., and E. M. Sparks were in Emmett Thursday.

James Dechambeau came over from Rupert to look after real estate interests on the bench.

W. S. Stuart of New Plymouth was in Emmett Tuesday, going on to Boise to attend the stockmen's convention.

F. Shoul, who recently purchased the Leroy Myers ranch on the South Slope, is here arranging to move his household goods.

Don't forget. What? Washington tea. When? Feb. 22 at 2:30 p. m. Where? Mrs. Bullock's. All ladies cordially invited.

Mrs. L. M. Ormsby, general secretary of the Idaho Sunday school association, was on Emmett visitor Friday from Boise.

Harry Carmichael, who was absent from his desk at the court house several days with a slight relapse from flu, is again at his duties.

Should you be taken away, how about your loved ones? Don't delay protecting them. See F. R. Chapin of Mutual Life Insurance Co. of N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vahlberg and little son departed Monday for their new home in Texas, where they will be employed on a large ranch owned by Mrs. Vahlberg's two uncles.

Fred Brown, a former resident of Emmett but now located at Payette, was in town early in the week en route to Seattle. Mr. Brown is in the employ of a coast firm selling rubber fire hose.

Mr. and Mrs. Overstreet, of Osborne, Mo. who were here in the interest of the Hunter estate, departed Monday for Portland and other coast points en route to California, whence they will return home.

Dr. and Mrs. R. N. Cummings and Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Dean motored to Boise Saturday to hear the Band that Went Over the Top. They report a novel entertainment. The party remained until Monday evening.

Lactic acid found in pure Butter-milk is known as a destroyer of disease germs. Many convalescents practically live on Butter-milk. Received daily for sale by Mutual Creamery Co., Belle Boren, Agent.

The Libolt family, who have been living in Mrs. Amelia DeClark's house at the corner of Johns avenue and First street, have returned to their ranch home in Kansas to look after their interests, but hope to return to Idaho at a future date.

L. C. Ferguson, who was a week-end guest of Dr. and Mrs. Ia Wood, left Monday. Mr. Ferguson and Dr. Wood, while not acquainted previous to their meeting last year, discovered that they had been raised in the same locality and had many mutual friends.

Edward E. Morton, of the Soldiers' home, better known as "Mickey," for many years an Emmett resident, received word from the bureau of risk insurance, Washington, D. C., that he would receive \$10,000 insurance as the beneficiary of William Morton, his son, whose death occurred in line of duty in France Oct. 3.

Emmett friends have lately received word from Harry Panning, who was here a year or more previous to his entering army service, stating that he and Frank Kiesling and Walter Greene are now at Clear Lake, Wash., employed in the construction of a mill. All three men were here during the construction of the Emmett mill.

Nearly one-half of the young men of military age, men in the very prime of life, proved physically unfit to serve in the army, the provost marshal general reports. The bulk of those unfit for army service must be under a handicap in the Nation's industrial life. A baseball club with three men of the nine physically unfit to play the game wouldn't get very far. A nation cannot afford to cut down its productive capacity by permitting its men to be only 70 per cent efficient. A very large proportion of the physical defects could be got rid of if they should be taken in hand early in life. Tuberculosis was one of the chief sources of physical unfitness in the army, and tuberculosis is a preventable disease. Bad teeth, bad eyes, and other defects could be corrected if taken in time.

Dr. Judd, dentist, Bank of Emmett building.

FOR SALE—Furnished house at First and Johns ave. Mrs. A. DeClark.

Mrs. George Rinker went to Nyssa last Monday on professional business.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Burdge on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. Munson came over from Boise Saturday for a visit with old time friends.

Charlie Gamage informs us that he has 120 soldiers' pictures on display in his gallery.

I will buy your fat hogs. Notify me by phone if you have any to sell. Sollie Callender.

Charlie Goodsell was down from Cascade several days this week to visit home folks.

Perry Oxley is over from Boise to work at the grading and levelling in the Riverside addition.

Miss Hazel Stilson has resumed her position as saleslady in the Golden Rule after a month's rest.

F. A. Cox of Sutherland, Neb. was in Emmett this week. He is an old time acquaintance of William Thornington.

County Agent A. L. Berry went to Moscow Monday to attend a meeting of the extension bureau. He expects to be gone all week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tappan, who came over from Boise upon receiving news of the death of his father, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barringer, who were here visiting their father and sister over Sunday, returned to Boise the first of the week.

I am in the market for cattle and hogs. Expect to ship a car of hogs on Friday. Those having fat hogs to sell notify me by phone. Sollie Callender.

There were 800,000 deaths from influenza-pneumonia in the United States during the year 1918. The world figures for the disease was six million.

Butler Morris, a bench farmer, is expected home today from a three weeks' visit to his old home in Doniphan county. His sister and her husband will accompany him.

Mrs. Rosalie Crosthwaite and Mrs. Helen Marty of Portland arrived last Thursday for a fortnight's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bullock. Mrs. Crosthwaite is a sister of Mrs. Bullock. The ladies expect to remain until next Monday.

Forest Rangers J. W. Kimball from Garden Valley and Frank Miller from High valley were in Emmett Tuesday and Wednesday to attend the stockmen's meeting and other matters connected with their duties in the forest.

B. C. Davidson, who has been very ill with influenza in Seattle for a month past, arrived home Friday. He is still quite weak and will be confined to his home for several weeks. He lost 25 pounds during his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoistad, who recently sold their residence on Second street to Richard Sutton, will give possession March 1 and will move into one of Mike Gibrade's houses on Third street.

Mrs. M. B. Carter of Boise, whose husband is working with his brother-in-law, C. Whitman in the plumbing business, came over Tuesday to join the family in celebrating Mr. Carter's birthday.

F. C. Horn, one of the noted engineers of Idaho, and for a number of years consulting engineer of the Canyon canal, died at his home in Boise Sunday morning following a stroke of paralysis.

W. H. Appel and C. M. Park returned last week from Parma, where they had been engaged for several weeks in erecting a farm house on Mr. Appel's ranch there, Mr. Parks being the carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Coulter of Cascade departed Tuesday for their new home at Enterprise, Ore. Mrs. Coulter and the children have spent the past two weeks visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Polly, and were joined by Mr. Coulter to continue the journey.

Frank Berry, who a few weeks ago underwent an operation for cataract over one eye, has made a remarkable recovery and feels quite certain of the restoration of sight to the affected member, and the subsequent strengthening of the other. Naturally, Mr. Berry and his friends are elated over the success of the operation.

Lee Tappan arrived from New York Tuesday in response to a message informing him of the death of his father and will remain until Tuesday of next week. Lee is a student in a seminary in New York and is taking special training in social service work. During the war he left his school work to join the army, but was not permitted to go to France.

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G. M. Paulsen was over from Wilbur Saturday.

B. K. Prestel of Boise visited his brother, Dr. H. H. Prestel yesterday.

Miss Estelle Fisher of Spokane, Wash. is guest of her sister Mrs. Emard in Riverside addition.

Sollie Callender went to Cascade last week and bought a carload of oats, which he shipped to Emmett.

Mesdames W. E. Pence, A. L. Pence and George Nesbitt spent a few hours in Emmett Tuesday enroute to Boise.

A local committee has received requests from Y. W. C. A. headquarters at Boise for the instituting of a drive for funds to meet the various needs of this great organization. Gem county's quota is but \$65, and the committee anticipates no difficulty in covering this amount. Mrs. F. G. Carpenter has been appointed as county chairman.

P. W. Wharton, the Ola merchant was an Emmett visitor Friday and Saturday.

J. Jackson, who has been feeding a bunch of cattle for Jas Steward, expects to leave Friday for Weiser to reside.

Mrs. G. A. Warden went to Boise Saturday for a few days' visit with friends, returning home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ray Lyman is here from Berkeley, Calif., to spend a few weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jackson.

School Warrant Call
Notice is hereby given that I will pay all warrants of Emmett Independent School District No. 9 of Emmettville upon presentation at my office in covering this amount. Mrs. F. G. Carpenter has been appointed as county chairman.
E. K. HAYES, Treasurer.

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