

MISS WILCOX IS HOSTESS AT DANCE

Gathering at Waverly Country Club Among Most Brilliant of Season.

CHRISTMAS IS SUGGESTED

Ballroom Profusion of Poinsettias, Holly and Mistletoe—Several Variations of Popular Tango Indulged In.

Gay and festive was the dance given by Miss Claire Wilcox, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore B. Wilcox, last night, at the Waverly Country Club. It was one of the prettiest and smartest affairs of the week.

Among those who enjoyed the charming event were Mr. and Mrs. John C. Ainsworth, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Ladd, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Kollock, Mr. and Mrs. Erskine Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scott Brooke, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. L. Allen Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. L. McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Gay Lombard, Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, Mrs. Washburn, Mrs. Florence Minott, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Honeymay, Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Talbot, Mr. and Mrs. Landon R. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Hawley Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott R. Corbett, Mr. and Mrs. George Kirkham Smith, Miss Shanna Cumming, Miss Lora Cumming, Miss Madeline MacMaster, Misses Diana and Violet Erskine, Miss Dorothy Huber, Miss Katherine Holbrook, Miss Katherine Hart, Miss Jean Morrison, Miss Evelyn Carey, Miss Hazel Dolph, Miss Margery Hoffman, Miss Margaret Hewitt, Miss Sally Hart, Miss Grace Honeyman, Miss Mildred Honeyman, Miss Mary Robertson, Miss Clara Wedler, Miss Isabella Gault, Miss Claire Houghton, Miss Jean Brownlie, Miss Mary Brownlie, Captain Howland, of Vancouver, British Columbia, Harry Burnett, Frederick Behrendt, Spencer Biddle, James Colburn, H. K. B. Davis, Philip Fry, Frederick Foster, Alan Green, Dwight Fullerton, Charles Holbrook, Lester Hodson, William Howe, Charles Hindman, Richard Jones, Kurt Koehler, Andrew Kerr, Frederick Macleay, Egbert Merceus, Lieutenant Philip Fleming, A. D. Norris, Harry Reed, Ferdinand Smith, Berkeley Snow, Harold Wells, Irving Webster, William Wheeler, Aubrey Wlatzek, Jordan Zan, William D. Wheelwright, Leland Zeph, Ellis Bragen, Varnel Beach, Max Snow.

The women of Hasall-Street church will give a "silver tea" Friday, December 19, from 2 to 5 P. M. Useful and fancy articles will be for sale. The patronesses are Mrs. Soden, Mrs. Haupt and Miss Boerger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Curtis Simmons left Thursday for St. Louis, Mo., to pass the holidays, the guests of Mr. Simmons' mother. Mrs. Simmons will be heard in concert in the Southern states before she returns.

The La Hoa Club will give a dance on New Year's eve at Multnomah Hotel. The committee in charge are: Miss Marie Chambers, Miss Katherine Gaffney, Miss Anna Dunn, Miss Deborah Griffin, Miss Irene Fitzgerald and Miss Mary F. McCarthy. The patronesses for the occasion are: Mrs. F. Douglas, Mrs. W. A. Eivers, Mrs. J. P. Smyth, Mrs. W. R. Robinson, Mrs. J. J. Mann, Mrs. T. F. Meagher and Mrs. W. P. Lillis.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Weinberg are domiciled in apartments at Highland Court.

Alpha Gamma Chapter of Kappa Alpha Pi was installed on Monday night when the following members were received: Carl Cammings, Kenneth Morrison, Charles Fishman, Baltes Allen, Lloyd Vermillion, Allen Cutler, Wade Crittenden, formerly of Tau Sigma Chapter of Topeka, Kan.; Fred Reed, of University of California; Kenneth Foxson and Ralph Wilcox, now attending Oregon Agricultural College, and Brooks Pendleton, formerly of Gamma Chapter, Everett Wash.

The Irvington Club will give its first Christmas party for children Saturday evening from 8 until 10 o'clock. Santa Claus will be there with a large Christmas tree and a jolly and happy time for the little ones is expected.

Gamma Phi Beta sorority will meet this afternoon at the home of Miss Marguerite Sheehy, 413 East Tenth street, North. All Gamma Phi Betas are invited to attend.

W. A. Proctor, of Portland, is also at the Hotel Astor attending the annual meetings of the Osborne Company, which were held in the Hotel Astor during the past week. Mr. Proctor is the representative for this company in Portland and the Northwest.

Miss Helen Platt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Platt, who has been traveling abroad since last March, will arrive in Portland on Monday.

CLUB WOMEN PLANNING CHRISTMAS FOR POOR

Portland Fruit and Flower Mission Members Arranging to Send Out Baskets—Institute Works to Entertain Several Hundred Children.

WHAT IS NEEDED IN SOME HOMES AND INSTITUTIONS TO MAKE A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Fruit and Flower Mission, Day Nursery, 231 Twelfth street—Clothes, stockings, caps and shoes for children under 7 years. Boys' and Girls' Aid Society—Candy, toys and all accessories for a Christmas tree. Children's mission, and clover, umbrellas and "goodies" for the Christmas dinner. Home for the Aged, Sisters of Mercy—Donations of little gifts suitable for old people, holiday remembrances. Albertina Kerr Nursery—Baby walkers, bolts of outing flannel, caps and coats for infants. Louise Home—Clothing for girls from 14 to 24 years of age. Hills for babies, also articles of food. Unless the latter comes the dinner will be missing at the Home. Parkside Institute—Candy, oranges and Christmas toys. Cash donations. The organization will entertain several hundred. Juvenile Court committee, Miss Valentine Prichard, chairman—Presents and clothing for boys and girls from 4 to 14. Salvation Army—Articles of food, clothing and anything to help the Christmas baskets and dinners.

CLUB WOMEN and members of all charitable societies are busy planning to dispense Christmas cheer for the children of the poor and for various institutions. The members of the Portland Fruit and Flower Mission are planning to send out a large number of generously-stocked baskets and are eager to put with these some bundles of clothing for the children of the day nurseries. Donations of dresses, shoes, underwear or caps will help the workers complete their gifts.

Miss Valentine Prichard and all the workers of the People's Institute are preparing to entertain several hundred children at the institute's trees and are hoping that the funds will permit their giving a red stocking full of Christmas gifts to each one of the youngsters. Albertina Kerr Nursery, Louise Home and the Boys and Girls Aid Society are looking forward to Christmas and the superintendent of these homes are asking the bounty of their friends.

Several of the smaller clubs and sewing societies are making up boxes for the babies in the various homes. At nearly all the meetings being held this week the programmes suggest the Yuletide.

The Daughters of the Confederacy assembled yesterday at the Hotel Portland for a luncheon and programme. Miss Catherine Countiss was the guest of honor. Miss Countiss gave a talk and was made an honorary member of Portland Chapter and was presented with some flowers. The members will attend the matinee at the Orpheum Saturday and will occupy all the boxes, in compliment to the gifted actress from Dixieland. The fourth lecture of the course in modern literature by Dr. C. H. Chapman will be given this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock at the University of Washington Hall. Subject, "Femme Seule," by Breux.

The Little ones at the Baby Home will have a Christmas party on Monday when Miss Elise Cramer and the members of the "Cuddle-Up" chorus, who made a hit in "Jappylund," will decorate the tree and arrange the entertainment.

No detailed report can be given of the disbursements and receipts of "Jappylund" according to P. E. Taylor, secretary of the Baby Home, who is waiting to get returns from several young people who have not yet returned the reports of their tickets to the ticket sellers. Two expense bills remain to be adjusted, which will materially affect the results. The officers of the home feel sure that the net result will reach \$5000.

GOOD THINGS IN MARKETS

THE exhilaration of Christmas is abroad; business is reported "improving—yes, very fair, indeed." Faces are extending horizontally and contracting perpendicularly. The markets are stocked with holiday fare of every variety and of choice selection. Cornish grapes, 35 cents a basket, 20 cents a pound; imported Malaga, 30 cents, and California Red Emperor, 25 cents a pound; bananas, 20 to 30 cents a dozen; persimmons, 25 cents a dozen; the new season's coconuts, 15 cents, and pineapples, 25 to 35 cents each; Florida grapefruit, 10 cents each and two for 25 cents; navel oranges, 60 cents a dozen; sweet navel, 20 to 40 cents; lemons, 40 cents a dozen; navel oranges, all sizes, \$2.50 box; boxes of "Apple Packages" (for Christmas presents), \$1 a box; Winter Banana apples can be had for 25 cents a dozen; Spitzbergers, 40 cents, and Baldwin, 20 cents a dozen; hickory nuts, 15 cents a pound. A specially select Christmas presentation basket of fruit and other dainties is offered at \$5. The imported seasonal dainties are in great array. A selection is all that can be attempted. Glace fruits, from 25 to 35 cents; California pineapples, prunes, apricot and plum—from 75 cents to \$2.50 a box; Melba peaches, in glass jars, at \$1 each; crystallized ginger chips, from Canton, China, at 25 and 50 cents a box; fresh sort dates, 25 cents a box; fancy French prunes in 5, 10 and 25-pound boxes, at 90 cents, \$1.25 and \$1.75 each; crystallized strawberries (the mammoth Donald variety), at \$1.25 a box; California mushrooms and French pickled nuts (for turkey stuffing) wrapped, each in bottles, at 75 cents each; Spanish Malaga layer raisins, in 60-cent boxes and 50-cent packages; California raisins in cases, from 20 to 25 cents; Lattee figs, in neat boxes, ornamented with local views, suitable for gifts, at 90 cents each; "apple blossom" honey in fancy tins, from 20 to 35 cents; 25 cents each. A large variety of German and Japanese ornamental baskets—in which to offer presents—range from 50 cents to \$2.50. Among vegetables, Irish potatoes from Washington, in sacks of 115 pounds, are offered at \$1.50, and, at the same price are Merritt potatoes, grown in Southern Oregon, which have proved very satisfactory, proving white, dry and mealy. Sweet potatoes, six pounds for a quarter; Gough mushrooms, \$1 a pound; cream squash, 10 cents; tomatoes, 20 cents a pound; celery hearts—the local dwarf variety, very attractive—at 25 cents a bunch; cauliflower, 15 cents a head; Brussels sprouts, two pounds for a quarter and a superior variety at 15 cents a pound; California green peas, 20 and 25 cents; eggplant and green sweet peppers, each \$3 cents a pound; dried onions, three pounds for 10 cents; red cabbage, 5 cents a pound; Los Angeles head

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STORY HOURS ANNOUNCED

Children Will Be Entertained at Central and Branch Libraries. The following stories will be told in the Central and branch libraries today: Central Library, 3 P. M., stories for younger children, "The Christmas Tree," "The Coming of the Prince," at 4 o'clock for older boys and girls, "Christmas Story."

Rhine-Street Opening Demanded.

Property owners will undertake to force the opening of Rhine street from East Eighth to East Tenth street through court proceedings. They demand that the property in Riverside Addition was sold with the express understanding that Rhine street was to be opened. Recently, however, notices have been posted in Rhine street from East Eighth to East Tenth streets warning the public not to trespass as it was private property. A meeting

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APPLES DISPLAYED IN EAST

Prize-winning apples from the National Apple Show at Spokane are on exhibition in the O.-W. R. & N. Company's ticket offices in the principal Eastern cities of the country, and are attracting much favorable attention from the consuming public.

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The newspapers of the Eastern cities in which the fruit is displayed have given the exhibits much comment, serving thus to advertise the Northwestern crop. The Union Pacific system, says the Cleveland Leader, "is displaying in various parts of the city some splendid specimens of apples grown along its lines in Oregon, Washington and Idaho," and then goes on to tell about the superior merits of the fruit that caused it to win prizes at the Spokane show.

ALSEA GOATS GO TO TEXAS

Sixty-eight head of registered Angora goats, sold for \$1160, an average of about \$17 per head, were shipped from the Anderson machine. None of the Andersons was badly hurt, and after medical attention in Portland they went to their home in Vancouver, Wash.

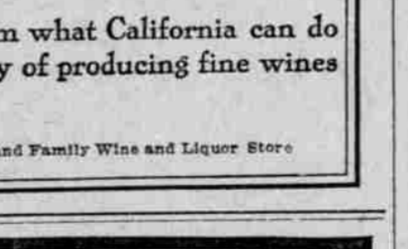


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