

NEWS OF SOCIETY

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first concert and ball of the season at the Armory last night, which was highly enjoyed by all who attended. The programme consisted of nine selections, which were splendidly rendered.

Hon. H. B. and Mrs. Miller, and Miss Whittle Miller left Wednesday for San Francisco, where they will take a steamer for Hong Kong. From there they will proceed to Niu Chwang, where Mr. Miller represents this Government in the capacity of Consul.

The members of the Degree of Honor held a very pleasant social meeting at the Masonic Hall last evening. After the regular business of the order was transacted, a lunch was served in the refreshment room, followed by an hour at high five and other games.

An informal farewell reception to Rev. and Mrs. Mac H. Wallace was held Thursday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wheeler. The affair was under the auspices of the ladies of the Congregational Church, and a large number of the members and friends of the church were present. Rev. and Mrs. Wallace expect to leave December 1 for their new home in Detroit, Mich.

Baker City.

The Knights of Pythias gave a dance in the Elks' Hall Monday evening. It was one of the regular series of dances.

Miss Nellie Gray, Postmistress of Canyon City, enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Misener, of this city.

The White Swan Band gave a concert and ball at the Armory Thanksgiving evening, that was the social event of the week.

The ladies of Esther Chapter, No. 11, Order of the Eastern Star, entertained their friends at Masonic Temple Monday evening, with a delightful informal social gathering. The programme consisted of music and literary recitations, which many enjoyed a game of high five in the parlors.

William Andrew Bessler and Miss Pearl Bessler were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bessler, Wednesday evening, at 5 o'clock. Rev. Father Desmarais, of the Catholic Church, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Bessler will make their future home in this city.

A very pretty home wedding was celebrated Wednesday evening at the home of the bride, on which occasion Louis J. Lewis and Miss Jessie May were united in marriage. Rev. J. R. N. Bell, of the Presbyterian Church, officiating. An elegant wedding supper was served immediately after the ceremony. The decorations were carnations and white lilies. Norman Stoddard acted as best man and Miss Katharine Young as bridesmaid. After the ceremony the bride and groom, with their parents, will start housekeeping in their own home in this city.

The newspaper fraternity of this city enjoyed a Thanksgiving banquet at the close of a very busy day. The guests of the Morning Democrat were, The Democrat boys, assisted by Mr. Boyd and Miss Cowgill prepared a turkey feast, with all the necessary accompaniments, which was served in the refreshment room of the Democrat Building at midnight. Including the members of the Democrat staff, about 20 people gathered around the festive table. While the guests were unique, there was nothing wanting in the way of good things to eat. No Thanksgiving feast in the city was more bounteously provided.

The Dalles.

Mrs. J. M. Patterson has returned from a visit to relatives in Salem.

Miss Melvia Dawson returned to her home in Heppner on Wednesday last.

Mrs. A. M. Drake, of Bend, Crook County, is the guest of Mrs. M. V. Lang.

Judge and Mrs. John Chilton, of Watson, have been visiting friends in this city for several days past.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bolton, of Antelope, spent Thanksgiving in The Dalles, the guests of Mrs. Gilmore.

Mrs. George Thompson, of Silverville, has returned to her home after several days' visit with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Mays, of Portland, with their son and daughter, spent Thanksgiving with relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moody, accompanied by their daughter, have returned from a few days' stay with relatives in Salem.

Captain and Mrs. Charles Alden, of Portland, spent Thanksgiving in this city with Mrs. Alden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford S. Cowles, of Meridian Park, St. Paul, Minn., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Isabel Crawford Cowles, to Mr. Frank McConville, of this city. The wedding will take place early in January.

Mr. Theodore H. Liebe, son of Judge G. A. Liebe, of this city, was married on Wednesday evening last to Miss Winona Gray, of this city. The ceremony was performed at the Liebe residence, on Third street, Rev. D. V. Poling officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Liebe left after the ceremony for a wedding journey to Astoria and the Sound cities.

Oregon City.

Miss Frances Myers spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Forest Grove.

Miss Hazel Bickers, of Portland, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Beale last Thursday.

The Daughters of the King will give an entertainment in Woodman Hall, next Saturday evening.

Miss Rebecca C. Smith and Miss Myrtle Shouketter visited their parents at Salem during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Gertrude Moores and Merrill Moores are home from the Oregon Agricultural College for the Thanksgiving holidays.

H. Leighton Kelly, of the United States Fish Commission, left for Spokane last Monday morning, after a few days' visit with his parents in this city.

The Dickens Club will entertain over 100 people next Thursday evening, at the residence of Mrs. Theodore W. Clark, Sixth and Monroe streets. The invitations were issued this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Caulfield entertained a large number of the young friends of their daughters, Misses Edna and Clara, last night, in Williamette Hall. The evening was spent in dancing and the affair was very enjoyable.

Asland.

Mrs. A. E. Kinney, of Redding, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Max Franchi has gone to Pueblo, Colo., to visit her husband.

E. J. Farlow and family, have gone to San Jose to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kentner have gone to Oakland, Cal., to spend the holidays.

Dr. J. S. Parnon returned from a two weeks' visit at San Francisco, during the week.

Robert Williams and Miss S. E. Williams of New York, are visiting at the home of Mrs. C. E. Reid for the winter.

George N. Anderson, of this city, and Miss Emma Coleman, of Phoenix, were married at high noon, Tuesday, at the parsonage of the Congregational Church, Eugene, by the Rev. Maxey Wallace, after which they left for Portland and Puget Sound on their bridal trip. They will return and begin housekeeping in Asland. The groom is a well-known business man, and the bride is one of the successful teachers of Jackson County.

Pendleton.

Mrs. J. F. Robinson has returned from a visit in Portland.

Miss Jessie Hartman is visiting her brother, Ernest Hartman, in Portland.

Mrs. Ruby Ford entertained a few friends at dinner on Thanksgiving day. On Thanksgiving day the immediate relatives of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Johnson enjoyed a dinner at the Jackson home, on Johnson street.

Mrs. C. J. Ferguson and Mrs. Warner visited friends in Walla Walla last week.

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Reading Club Monday evening at her residence on Irving avenue.

Captain Frank S. Baker, of Company B, O. N. G., and Mrs. Baker, of Vancouver, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Baker this week.

The Wabash Club entertained a large number of their friends with a dance Wednesday evening, in Hanthorn's Hall. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and a good time was had by all who attended.

Shaniko.

A. E. Hammond, chief engineer of the Columbia Southern Railway Company, spent Thanksgiving day in Portland with his wife.

Miss Jessie Creighton, stenographer at the Oregon state insane asylum at Salem, spent a few days of her vacation in Shaniko, visiting relatives.

Mrs. C. E. Lytle and two children, of Portland, spent Thanksgiving day in Shaniko.

Forest Grove.

A. T. Thompson visited his mother, Mrs. Sarah E. Hayes Sunday.

Professor H. D. Smith, of Pacific University, is visiting in Tacoma.

Dr. Alanson Hinman, of Ashland, is visiting the family of Hon. A. Hinman.

Mrs. LeVina Watt and daughter, Miss Carrie, are visiting relatives at Amity.

Hon. David Smith and wife are visiting the family of Milton W. Smith at Portland.

Neel J. Sorenson, of Sumpter, and wife are visiting the family of Hon. W. H. H. Myers.

Mrs. Nellie E. Vincent, of Gales Creek, is visiting Professor William Fletcher, of Pacific University.

Private J. E. Brown and Private J. N. Burns, of the Twenty-sixth Artillery, Vancouver Barracks, Vancouver, Wash., visited the home of Mrs. Sarah E. Hayes the past ten days.

Twenty-five members from the Knights of Pythias and Rathbone Sisters' Lodges of Hillsboro attended the new lodge of Rathbone Sisters instituted at this place last Monday night, and exemplified to the new lodge the workings of the lodge.

Union City.

Mrs. C. F. Hurlbut visited in Eugene first of the week.

Miss Coleman, of Eugene, in the guest of Colonel F. W. Folsom and family.

Miss Emma Love went to Southern Oregon, Thursday night, for a few weeks' visit.

The M. E. Church at Riverview was dedicated last Sunday. A large crowd was present.

Hon. J. H. Butler and wife, of Dallas, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. A. R. Martin, and family, Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Bertha Bateman returned to her home at Grant's Pass, Thursday, after a brief visit with her parents in this city.

Laurel Home Circle initiated 16 candidates last Monday evening. After the initiatory work a brief musical and literary programme was rendered and refreshments were served, and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Grant's Pass.

Mrs. E. W. Kuykendall, of Wolf Creek, visited relatives and friends in Grant's Pass this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crow took Monday's train for Portland, where they have spent the week on a pleasure trip.

Consul H. B. Miller, of Eugene, spent a couple of days in Grant's Pass this week, visiting old friends and attending to the business of his fruit interests.

M. C. Ament went to Portland the first of the week to meet Mrs. Ament, who has just returned from an extended visit with relatives and friends in Chicago.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church gave a dinner social in the parlors of the church Wednesday evening. A brief though enjoyable programme was rendered and refreshments served. It was an enjoyable evening for all who attended.

Hillsboro.

Dr. C. D. Brown and wife spent Thanksgiving in the city.

Mrs. Louise Humphreys is visiting at Heppner this week.

Miss Maude Hembree, of McMinnville, was this week the guest of Miss Stella Boscow.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Blaser have returned from their visit to relatives at Winesburg, O.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. James have arrived home from California. They were married at Los Angeles this month. Miss James was formerly Miss Genevieve Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stewart, of Trail, B. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart, of Portland, and Jesse Stewart, of North Tahoma, were in Hillsboro this week.

Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson, of Philomath, are visiting relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. G. N. Cherrington arrived home Tuesday from a two month's visit in California.

Mr. and Mrs. U. W. Beeman left this week for Pendleton, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Mary C. Wilson will leave in a few days on a visit to her former home in Missouri. Her daughter, Miss Nannie, will accompany her.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Hoberg, of McMinnville, Frank Hoberg, of Portland; Mrs. Nelson, of Newberg, and Mrs. Byron Millspaugh, of Lebanon, spent Thanksgiving at the home of Professor D. M. Metzger, in this city.

Albany.

Fred Weatherford is the guest of Portland friends.

Miss Theresa Baumgart is visiting friends in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breckenridge, of Portland, are in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hopkins are the guests of Salem friends.

Miss Nettie Merrill, of Portland, is a guest at the home of H. F. Merrill.

Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Bridgeford, of Olympia, Wash., are visiting friends in Albany.

Miss Lois Coshaw, of Salem, who has been the guest of Miss Gertrude O'Brien, has returned home.

Roseburg.

Miss Esther Simmons is visiting in Corvallis.

Mrs. Simon Lane and daughter, Mrs. Douglas Waite, are visiting relatives in Drain.

Mrs. E. Barton, of Junction City, is visiting her daughter here. Mrs. Luther Moore.

Mrs. Simon Caro and children returned Wednesday from an extended visit with relatives in San Francisco.

George H. Churchill, of Santa Paula, Cal., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Edith Collins, and his son, Frank, here.

Heppner.

Miss Myrtle Bryant has gone to Albany to spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Gertrude Bishop, left Saturday morning for her home in Bakerfield, Cal.

Mrs. W. R. Irwin gave a charming Thanksgiving dinner to a number of young friends.

Miss Melvia Dawson returned home from The Dalles, Friday evening, where she has been for several months.

Astoria.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Callender, of Knappa, visited friends and relatives here this week.

Mrs. William Ross has gone to Palo Alto, Cal., to be with her daughter, who is ill there.

Mrs. W. O. Wilkinson entertained a number of her friends with a tea Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. R. Thomson entertained the

Walla Walla.

A very pretty reception was given Wednesday afternoon from 4 till 6 o'clock by the young ladies of St. Paul's School. The invitations read: "Miss Praderie at

home Wednesday afternoon," and the young ladies were dressed in colonial costumes. The school parlors were decorated with asparagus. Tea was served.

The first party given by the X. T. U. Club took place Wednesday evening in Armory Hall. About 300 people were present. The hall was handsomely decorated in pink and white bunting. Long strings of Chinese lanterns artistically arranged also added beauty to the scene. Eighteen dances were arranged on the programme. Punch was served in one of the corners of the hall, and in the others charming cozy corners were arranged.

Mr. Robert Emmet Lynch and Miss Sarah Hambleton Richardson, two popular society people of this city