

SOCIETY GOSSIP

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preparations occupying all the spare time of the members.

The North Bend Altar Guild has postponed its meeting until the first Thursday in January, and the Trimble Club of North Bend will not meet again until January 27, when Mrs. J. C. Wallace will be hostess.

The Marshfield Progress club will be entertained on January 13 by Mrs. F. G. Horton.

The Auction Bridge Club will meet next in January, but the exact time and place are as yet undecided.

The Jolly Dozen Club will meet with Mrs. Bush of Bunker Hill on January 8.

MASONIC INSTALLATIONS

Doric Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, and Blanco Lodge, A. F. & A. M., will unite in the installation of their newly elected officers next Friday night, Dec. 27, the day being St. John's day in Masonry. Following the installation, a big banquet and social time will be enjoyed. Mrs. J. T. Hall, the newly-elected Worthy Matron of Doric Chapter, has not named all of her appointive officers. The new officers of Blanco lodge are:

Worshipful master—L. A. Whereat.
Senior warden—Carl W. Evertsen.
Junior warden—George Clinckinbeard.

Treasurer—George Winchester.
Secretary—Norris Jensen.

The new appointive officers named by Mr. Whereat are:

Senior deacon—Malr Dano.
Junior deacon—C. H. Curtis.
Senior steward—F. K. Gottlin.
Junior steward—Del Bengston.
Tyler—Chas. Leach.
Marshal—C. E. McKnight.
Chaplain—Rev. R. E. Browning.

MOTHERS AND TEACHERS.

The members of the North Bend Mothers and Teachers' club enjoyed an exceedingly interesting program last Friday afternoon at the Central school building.

The topic for discussion was "habit forming."

Mrs. Maud B. Watkins spoke of habit forming of little children in the home and the remarks were very helpful indeed. The subject was then taken up by Mrs. Lewis of North Bend who gave a very

interesting talk on the habit forming of older children.

Prof. A. G. Raab, superintendent of the North Bend schools, gave a splendid address on the psychological phase of the habit forming of children in the school.

Miss Topping, the Marshfield librarian, talked interestingly of the establishing and maintenance of a public library. About forty attended the meeting and a most enjoyable and helpful time is reported.

PRISCILLA CLUB

The Priscilla Club met Wednesday with Mrs. William Nelson of Bay Park. The afternoon was spent in a general good time after which refreshments were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Henry Olsen, January 15th. Those present at Wednesday's meeting were Mrs. George Rourke, Mrs. William Gale, Mrs. Fred Grinold, Mrs. Knute Erickson, Mrs. Henry Olsen and Miss Mable Mathison.

COOS BAY REUNION.

Mrs. T. S. Minot of San Francisco entertained a number of Coos Bay ladies at dinner this week. Mrs. Minot's guests were: Mrs. J. T. McCormac, Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. S. D. Magnes, Mrs. W. F. Rau and Miss Maude Painter.

LIBRARY BENEFIT.

One of the events of the coming week following closely on the Christmas festivities will be the benefit concert at the Masonic opera house Sunday afternoon, December 29, as a benefit for the Marshfield Public Library. Director R. N. Fenton of the Coos Bay Concert Band is arranging one of the best programs the band has ever rendered and it is expected that the concert will draw an unusually large crowd, the excellent program and the worthy purpose making a combination that should appeal to every one in Marshfield.

PAST WORTHY MATRONS.

A most delightful afternoon was enjoyed by the ladies of the Past Worthy Matrons association, at Mrs. E. S. Bargelt's Friday afternoon, the house being in holiday attire with decorations of red and greens, holly and huckleberry, with the red

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

MONDAY

Christmas exercises at Eastside.

TUESDAY

Dance in Empire.
Christmas tree entertainment at Presbyterian Church.
Christmas tree entertainment at Baptist church.
Christmas program at Christian church.
Christmas tree entertainment at Methodist church.

WEDNESDAY.

Christmas exercises at Swedish Lutheran church.

THURSDAY.

Norwegian Lutheran Christmas entertainment at church.

FRIDAY

Mrs. L. W. Langdon of Bunker Hill entertains at cards. Joint installation exercises of Eastern Star and Blanco Masonic Lodge.
D. Y. B. Club meeting at residence of Mrs. R. R. Harrington.

SATURDAY.

Mrs. L. W. Langdon hostess at a sewing party.

candles and shades blending into a bower of beauty. The same color scheme was carried out at the table, place cards, favors and decorations, and a dainty luncheon served by the hostess. The usual business was attended to and an invitation received from the Blue Lodge of Masons to take charge of the banquet at the joint installation of Blanco Lodge, No. 458, and Doric Chapter, No. 53, Friday evening, December 27, all arrangements being perfected.

The gift exchange caused much amusement.

Those present were: Mrs. E. S. Bargelt, Mrs. F. M. Friedberg, Mrs. F. E. Allen, Mrs. Ora McCarty, Mrs. Geo. Murch, Mrs. C. Marsh, Mrs. E. G. Flanagan, Mrs. F. A. Hazard and Mrs. C. H. Dungan.

GETS NEW HOME.

Ansger Lagerstrom has purchased the A. E. Adelsperger residence property in South Marshfield, the deal being closed yesterday. It is one of the coziest little homes in Marshfield. Mr. Adelsperger will immediately erect a fine new and larger home for himself, which will be completed this winter so that he can give possession to Mr. Lagerstrom and bride about March 1.

TO WED IN SALEM.

Invitations were received here this week for the marriage of Frank L. Grannis and Miss Anetta P. Wilson, which will be solemnized at the home of the bride's uncle, Dr. and Mrs. Fletcher Homan in Salem,

December 29th. Mr. Grannis is one of the Marshfield High school instructors and one of the most prominent young men in Marshfield. The bride-to-be is a niece of President Homan of Willamette University. The marriage marks the culmination of a romance beginning when both were students at Willamette university. The young couple will be at home in Marshfield after January 15.

HONOR MRS. HALL

Last Thursday evening Mrs. Leroy Hall was the guest of honor at a surprise party at her home on South Sixth street. It was a good old-fashioned, neighborly surprise. In honor of Mrs. Hall's birthday, the recipient of the honor being genuinely surprised.

The evening was spent in games and music, after which a bounteous luncheon was enjoyed.

Those present were: Rev. A. F. Bassford, Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Downs, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ayre, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Graef, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Colvin, Mrs. J. C. Doane, Mrs. E. J. Kettinger, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hall, Miss Alice Tickell, Francis and Phyllis Hall and Whitford and Harwood Hall.

PLAN INSTALLATION.

Masot Lodge Degree of Honor and the Coos Bay Lodge of the A. O. U. W. are planning for a big banquet and social time to follow the joint installation of officers, which will be held January 7 at the Odd Fellows hall. The new officers of Masot Lodge are:

Chief of honor—Mrs. Edla M. Rood.

Lady of honor—Mrs. Annie Holland.

Recorder—Mrs. Martha Flanagan.

Chief of ceremonies—Mrs. Hannah Lash.

Financier—D. L. Rood.

Treasurer—Mrs. Dora Cathcart.

Usher—Mrs. Grace Nasle.

Assistant usher—Mrs. Lydia Lang.

Inside watch—Mrs. Alice Sneddon.

Outside watch—Mrs. Lilly Heron.

Mrs. Jeanette Escent will be the installing officer.

MUSIC

The many friends of Frank Wickman will be glad to hear that he is in Berlin studying music under Victor Heinze.

Mr. Wickman will not return to America until 1915—when he will visit the coast, but will return to Germany.

DANCES.

The first dance of the series of dances under the auspices of the W. O. W. was given last Saturday evening at Eagles' hall. This dance was a success in every way. There was a large crowd and the music by the Keyzer orchestra was excellent and everyone had a good time.

Owing to the illness of a number of members, the dance to have been given by the Fortnightly Club at Eagle's Hall Thursday evening was postponed until after the holidays. The date will be announced later.

The Coos Bay Concert Band will give its next dance Christmas night at the Odd Fellows hall.

FAMILY CLUB.

The little Family Bridge Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. L. J. Simpson at her home in North Bend. The ladies spent the afternoon playing bridge and in the evening the husbands joined in the dinner served by the hostess.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Claud Nasburg, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Byler, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Turpen, and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Simpson.

The next meeting of the club will be some time after the New Year.

PARTIES.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Byler of North Bend will entertain Christmas eve with a Christmas tree and dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Simpson will entertain Christmas day a number of their friends at dinner.

DANCES.

The officers of the Steamers Redondo and Nann Smith which were storm bound for a few days in the lower bay, gave a dance at the Arago Hotel in Empire last Monday night.

There was a large crowd, many from North Bend and Marshfield attending and a good time is reported. Among those from Marshfield attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Claud Nasburg, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bachman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Horton, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Cohan, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Turpen, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Painter, Miss Grace Kruse, Miss Florence Alken, Cor-

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Instead of waiting until the holidays are past and winter half gone, we are clearing up our Coat and Suit Stock now. All coats and suits are included and all are marked down one-third or more.

This Pre-Holiday Sale

also includes all Dresses, one lot of Raincoats, two lots of Sweaters and four lots of Corsets. This is a pretty fine saving to pick off at this time of the year.

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nell Lagerstrom, Joe Williams and Mr. Buserud.

Dorve Lodge, No. 26, Sons of Norway, has issued invitations for its first annual social, banquet and ball, which will be given at the Odd Fellows hall, December 28.

CHRISTMAS EXERCISES.

The Sunday school of the Christian church will have a Christmas tree and program in the Sunday school rooms on Christmas eve.

There will be a Christmas tree and dance at S. O. C. hall in Empire, Christmas eve.

The City Hall of Eastside will be the scene of a good old-fashioned Christmas tree next Monday evening, where everybody has a good time.

The young folks of the Swedish Lutheran church will entertain with a Christmas tree and program at the church on Christmas. The little folks are practicing hard and a good program is assured.

The Swedish Lutheran church of North Bend will give an entertainment on the night after Christmas.

INFORMAL.

S. C. Rogers of South Coos River is planning to leave the first of the year on a visit to Southern California. Mrs. Rogers will accompany him.

D. F. Barnard left this week on a business and pleasure trip to Portland and Eugene.

Mrs. Orville Wilson and little daughter of Summer were visiting in Marshfield, the guests of Mrs. D. F. Barnard.

Miss Uma Marsh, who has been the guest of Mrs. Frederick Brown of Gardiner, has returned home.

Miss Phoebe Larsen of Larsen Inlet and Little Marie Rogers spent several days in Marshfield the first of the week.

Mrs. A. H. Stutsma, left for Portland the first of the week.

W. H. Kennedy left on the last Redondo to join his wife, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clyde Lightner, in San Francisco.

Gordon Rasmussen, a student at the Oregon Agricultural College, arrived this week to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Rasmussen.

Miss Gwynedde Tower, who has been making an extended visit to her grandparents, Major and Mrs. Tower, of Empire, left on the Alliance this week and will spend the holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Tower of Eureka.

T. S. Lamberton of Boise, Idaho, will be the guest of J. W. Flanagan

during February. Mr. Lamberton has many acquaintances on the Bay, having been in the real estate business here at one time. Mr. Lamberton is spending the winter in Chicago and other eastern points.

Miss Stella Wicklund, who has just finished a term of school at Ten Mile, is visiting in Empire for a few days with relatives.

George Murch, Jr., returned this week from Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis, to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Murch.

Miss Catherine Dyer of Duane Creek has been the guest of Mrs. Chambers this week at her home on Commercial avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Doble arrived Thursday by train and will spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nasburg.

Miss George returned today from Portland to spend Christmas at the home of her sister, Mrs. Carl W. Evertsen.

Miss Frances Golden returned today from Portland where she has been attending school, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Golden.

Rev. A. F. Bassford leaves tomorrow at midnight for Corvallis via Drail to spend Christmas with his family.

K. V. Kruse and family of North Bend are planning to move into a larger house about a block from their present residence, soon after Christmas.

Miss Mary Booth will arrive overland Tuesday from Spokane to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of her brother in West Marshfield.

Miss Carpenter and the teachers residing in the Painter cottage in West Marshfield are planning to entertain a few friends at Christmas dinner.

Misses Leta Mast and Gretchen Sherwood, who have been attending Oregon university and Misses Belle Thrift and Alta Stanley, who have been attending Oregon Agricultural college at Corvallis, passed through here today en route to their homes at Coquille to spend the holidays.

Mrs. L. F. White, formerly of Marshfield, but now of San Diego, has sent Christmas cards to a number of Marshfield people, extending greetings and expressing the wish that she was back on Coos Bay.

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BAND DANCE Xmas night.

Christmas Remembrances of Diamonds, Watches, Cut Glass Silverware and Jewelry

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Chests of Silverware
Candelabras and Candle Sticks
Ladies' Toilet Sets
Some Splendid Umbrellas
Silver and Gold Mesh Bags
Jeweled Opera Bags
Silver Vanity Cases
Beautiful Salt and Pepper Sets
Rare Cut Glass Pieces



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of All Kinds

Solid Cigarette Cases
Silver Coin Containers
La Valeries and Pendants
Jeweled Hat Pins
Silver Soap Boxes
Smoking and Desk Sets
Necklaces and Chains
Beautiful Watch Fobs
Quaint Little Dresser Clocks
Handsome Finger Rings
Every Description of Pretty Mantle Clocks
A fine choice of all well known Watches
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A visit to our store will help you to decide upon what to give for Christmas — Gifts that will be appreciated.

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