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The Week In **Astoria Society**

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The third annual dance given a week ago at Deep River, Wash. was a very successful affair. About 200 people were present and joined in the festivities. The steamer General Washington carried her full quota of Astoria passengers on pleasure bent and all going from here speak in the highest terms of the kindness and hospitality extended by their Washington neighbors. The hall was prettily decorated with ropes and bunches of evergreen and many Chinese laterns swinging from the ceiling. Very good music was furnished by the orchestra and every one had a good time. At midnight a sumptious supper was served and dancing continued until the we sma' hours, the Astoria contingency arriving home at broad daylight.

Miss Nean West, of Salem, is the guest of Miss Nellie Utzinger arriving in Astoria in time to attend the nesday. Valentine ball on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Walter Morden and little daughter Ivah, of Ilwaco, are sojourning in Astoria. Mrs. Morden is taking osteopathic treatment from Dr. Rhoda Hicks.

The members of the Redmen's Lodge held very impressive initiation on last Tuesday evening. The time exercises in their hall on Exchange street on Monday night. Over 100 cussion. visitors from neighboring lodges were At the close of the business meeting Portland the coming week to commay reach several hundred thousand Chicago Auditorium Association are a sumptuous banquet was served and plete the musical course term of five dollars. The towns of Soso and Service as the transfer of the dollars. spent in being sociable, the festivities lasting until nearly morning.

On Thursday Miss Minnie Delia gave a very pleasant children's afternoon Valentine party at the home of Mrs. M. Delia in honor of little Miss Annie Siverts who was her guest. About 20 little folks were present and and the children spent a very enjoyable afternoon. Mrs. Gallic and Mrs. Delia ably seconded Miss Minnie's efforts in entertaining the little

Mr. William Ambrose Barker, son of Wm. H .Barker (formerly of Astoria) and nephew of Mr Fred Barker, manager of the A. Booth cannery, graduated from West Point Military Academy on Friday, standing seventh in a class of 109.

At 7 o'clock Wednesday morning, February 12th, in St. Mary's Church, occurred the marriage of Miss Hildagard Brunold and Mr. J. L. Moore. The Rev. Father Waters performed the impressive ceremony which united the lives of these young people and parted after having spent a most enused the solemn occasion to deliver a sermon on the beauty and importance of the step in life being taken

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by the contracting parties. Only the immediate families of the happy couple and a few invited friends witnessed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Moore left on the 8:20 train for a trip through California and on their return will make their future home in

Miss Rose O. West, daughter of Hon. and Mrs. Josiah West, of West's son, of Seaside, were united in marriage by the Rev.. Seymour Short in the parlors of the rectory of the Episcopal Church on Tuesday, February 11th. The newly married pair left for Seaside, on the evening train and will make their home in that city.

The Liberty Bell Social Club gave another of their popular dances on Saturday evening in Logan's Hall There was a good attendance and all enjoyed themselves heartily. Excellent music was furnished by a five piece orchestra and dancing continued until midnight.

Mrs. Robert Dunham, of Portland, was the over-Sunday guest of Mrs. Belle Huden and Mrs. Fernald this

Miss Anna Grass, of Portland, and Mr. Patrick Lawlor, of Seaside, were out of town guests in attendance at the Moore-Brunold wedding Wed-

The missionary society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet with Mrs. Aubry Garner on next Tuesday

The members of the class in musical Research, met with Mrs. J. E. Gratke at her home on Duane street was spent in attentive study and dis-

the remainder of the evening was months at St. Helens Hall. While ice were partly wrecked by the same there she will take part in a Greig memorial concert which will probably be the last recital given at the hall before Easter.

D.r J. M. Holt was tendered a very delightful surprise party at his residence on Grand avenue on last Monday night, by Mrs. Holt and joined in the fun. Games were played about 30 friends. The occasion being his birthday anniversary. The rooms were artistically decorated with American flags and evergreens. When Dr. Holt returned from his office in the evening he found the house all dark but on opening the front door Mrs. Holt turned on the lights and the doctor was very much surprise dto find a house full of guests awaiting his coming. Five hundred was played, the score cards used were very unique being hand-painted ones, showing the American flag with a picture of Dr. Holt in his fatigue uniform beneath. During the evening dainty refreshments were served. Some excellent musical selections were rendered and after felicitating the doctor with good wishes for many happy returns of his birthday, the guests dejoyable evening.

> Last Saturday evening a dance was given in the Redmen's Hall at Hammond by the Maccabee Lodge members of that place. Those attending report a pleasant time.

The Native Daughters of Oregon met on Monday afternoon with Mrs Clyde Fulton.

The preparations for a dance to be given on next Saturday evening, February 22nd, in Logan's Hall, by the members of the Astoria football team have been completed and those contemplating attending expect an enjoyable time.

Mrs. L. A. Mansur entertained at an informal dinner Wednesday in honor of Miss Hislop who is visiting with Mrs. G. H. Ohler.



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Miss Maud Van Dusen will go to of the country. Those who have been out in this storm's trail state the loss tornado and it is reported that another small town, Epps, was badly

> Owing to swollen streams, washed out bridges, and fallen wires, few definite reports have come from these places. At Service it is known that a small daughtre of Isaac Holloway was killed and it is reported that a man and woman and two children also were killed.

MRS. JOS. G. COLEMAN ILL.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15 .- Over-work in managing the streets of Paris charity festival in the fall of 1906, is believed to be the under lying cause of the illness of Mrs. Jos. G. Coleman, society leader and one of the city's best known charitable workers who is a patient at the Augista hospital. Her malady is largely a complication of heart and nervous trouble.

GAS FUMES KILLS THREE.

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THEATRICAL COMPANIES.

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Until the opening of the current season it had been the custom of the railroad to allow special rates to theatrical companies entour but the recent rulings of the commission forced the roads to abandon this custom. It is argued that the railroads themselves are willing to return to the-old

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