

SOCIETY

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The Rose City Park Five Hundred club met with Mrs. Carl D. Christensen in Belle Crest Saturday evening. After the games dainty refreshments were served in the dining room which was charmingly decorated with a profusion of Oregon grape and holly, brilliantly tinted autumn leaves and trailing vines. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Frank Schlegel and Mr. Van Emon. The pleasure of the evening was greatly enhanced by several readings and music by the different members present. The members of the club are Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Gwin, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Aukley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schlegel, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Christensen and Mr. and Mrs. Van Emon. The next meeting will be held at the residence of O. W. Taylor on Rose City avenue.

The Tuesday Afternoon club met with Mrs. F. M. Miles, 337 Eugene street. The program concluded the study of Dickens. The quotations given in response to the roll call were selections from any of Dickens' writings. Mrs. A. J. Stiles gave a paper on Dickens' "Characterizations"; Mrs. G. M. Glims spoke of "Present Day Criticisms of Dickens," and Mrs. Henry Berger Jr.

on "Is the Novel, With a Purpose, a Legitimate Form of Art?" A general discussion on the relative merits of Dickens' prominent characteristics followed, in which each spoke of a character impressive to her. Mrs. Miles of Salem, Mrs. Sherman Miles of Portland and Mrs. A. B. Manley, Mrs. G. C. Eschleman and Mrs. Mary Scott Myers were guests of the club. Mrs. L. M. Davis will entertain the club next week at 868 Commercial street; take U car, get off at Shaver street, or any Union avenue car, transferring at Russell street to R-S car.

Last Wednesday evening the New York Society of Oregon celebrated the 125 anniversary of the evacuation of New York by the British, November 25, 1783, in the spacious parlors of the First Congregational church. About 120 former New Yorkers and their friends were present and greatly enjoyed the following program: Instrumental duet, Mrs. Heilyer and Mrs. Kimball; baritone solo, George Stone; reading, Miss Mary-nie Helen Flynn; male quartet, Veterans Quartet; address, Rev. Dr. Luther R. Dyott; vocal solo, Miss Irene Flynn; "An Englishman's View of Evacuation Day," Thomas C. Hague; male quartet, Veterans Quartet; reading, Miss Lottie Ban-

field; vocal solo, Miss Lillian Sablin; address, Daniel J. Hayes; "America," Veterans Quartet and congregation. After the program light refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was passed in talking over events in the old Empire state. The officers of the society are: President, Miss Lida M. O'Brien; first vice president, James P. Failing; second vice president, Mrs. James W. Tift; secretary, Charles C. Fisher; registrar, Dr. Clara Macfarlane; executive committee, Captain W. H. Pope, Mrs. Mary A. Pace, Captain George A. Pease and Mrs. Mary Chapel. The next meeting will be held on the evening of Tuesday, December 15, at the residence of Mrs. James W. Tift, 251 West Park street.

The Philathea girls held their annual business meeting at the home of Mrs. Cora Cavender, Tuesday evening. Miss Lela Barbur and Miss Mabel Jones won first prizes. Miss Dot Houck and Miss Ella Henderson carried off the booby prizes. The Bracco boys broke up the meeting at a late hour. Those present were the Misses Ella Henderson, Dora Henderson, Gladys Morgan, Leona Flopper, Mabel Jones, Dot Houck, Grace Walker, Amy Stanwood, Alma Walker, Lela Barbur, Cora Hansen, Mary Hall and Mrs. Cora Cavender and Miss Irene Mathias.

A birthday surprise party was given Miss Lela Sprague at her home, Sacramento and Union avenue, last Saturday evening. The parlors were beautifully decorated in green and pink. Those present were the Misses Lela Barbur, Hazel Sprague, Edna Morley, Mary Fow-

ler, Lela Sprague, Vera Barbur, Edward Gaynor, William Jansan, John Naylor, Harry Haddley, Robert Hufschmidt, George Murry and Earl Guilde.

An excellent musical and literary entertainment was given Wednesday by the Western Academy of Music and Education for the benefit of the Central Christian church. The church was filled to its capacity and a handsome sum realized. Those taking part in the program were: J. Hitchcock, Miss Lillian Datesman, Miss Grace La Follette, Miss Francesca Elias, Miss Evelyn Ge Bott, Mrs. Rose Dunford, Miss Myrtle Toosa, Miss M. M. Bode, Western Academy mandolin and guitar club; Mordant A. Goodnough, Mrs. McAllister.

The members of the La Gale Douzaine 500 club enjoyed a delightful evening at the home of Miss Isabel Gilbaugh, Wednesday, November 18. Miss Era Strickler made the highest score. Those present were the Misses Edith Bern, Bertha Brehaut, Laura Van Horn, Lenta Stahley, Ruby Gilbaugh, Persis Billings, Era Strickler, Ethel Stiles, Lilla Winters and Isabel Gilbaugh, Mrs. D. L. Rich and Mrs. S. H. Soule.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Melton entertained Wednesday evening in honor of R. H. Goewey, who leaves for San Francisco shortly. The evening was enjoyably spent with cards and music. Refreshments were served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. Scanton, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Clem, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bowen, Mrs. T. P. Window, Mrs. F. Riggs, Miss

Laura Garretson, R. H. Goewey, C. A. Gregory, A. M. Arnold and P. Diets.

Oregon Council No. 84, United Commercial Travelers of America, gave another dancing party at Ringler's hall last Friday night, and those who were present are loud in their praises of Mr. Gilbert, chairman, and the peddlers generally, for they say this was the most delightful party of the season. Stiles' orchestra furnished the music.

The spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cook, 1509 Belmont street, was thrown open to the entertainment of the Wednesday Five Hundred club, November 18. Prizes were won by Mrs. L. B. Smith and C. M. Kiggins. The next meeting of the club will be with Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Smith, 614 Fourth street, December 2.

At the regular meeting of the Woman's club Friday, W. A. Montgomery, baritone, gave the solo and Mrs. Mark Gill played the accompaniment. Dr. Jonah Wise talked on good citizenship and Dr. Cottel spoke briefly in an effort to interest the women in his "pure milk ordinance." Mrs. G. H. Palmer was the chairman of the day.

WEDDINGS

Albert M. Klein and Miss Otie Kame of Grants Pass were married in the reception room of the White Temple on

Wednesday by Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher. Only a few intimate friends and relatives were present.

Andrew Francis Jaksha and Miss Catherine Elizabeth Hanko were united in marriage at the St. Francis church.

Thanksgiving day. Afterwards a dinner and entertainment were enjoyed with their relatives and friends as guests and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Jaksha left on their wedding tour. On their return they will reside at Piedmont.

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The Portland girls who are active in the first chartered sorority, Gamma Phi Beta, at the University of Oregon. Following is the entire list of members: Liela Straub Stafford, Eugene, Or.; Mary Gray, Grace Gray, Jean Gray, Vivian Holmes, Constance Covell, Edith Woodcock, Jessie Hurley, Ruth Duniway, Gertrude Holmes, Ruth Hansen, Blanche Huston, Helen Beach, Pearl McKenna, Javina Stanfield, Portland; Edna Canfield, Nieta Harding and Clara Canfield, Oregon City; Gladys Farrar, Salem; Mary Steiver, Fossil; Mary Howard, Washington, D. C.; Pearl Wilbur, Union; Jennie Perry and Josephine Cameron, Pendleton; Helen McKenney, Bertha McKenney, Irma Clifford, Baker City; Sara Reed Hammond, Gold Hill. The Portland alumnae Gamma Phi Betas are: Mrs. Charles Clarke, Mrs. George Norman West, Reta Daniels, Lucille Daniels of Vancouver; Beulah Bridges, Alice Benson, Margaret Higgins Stoke, Winifred Higgins, Melola Ward, Caroline Benson.

CHRISTMAS OFFERINGS

We have a thousand and one exquisite novelties and furniture pieces which are appropriate for holiday remembrances, such as china closets, easy rockers, leather chairs, bookcases, clocks, fancy lamps, writing desks, etc. We will be glad to send any one of these to your home, or you may select what you please and we'll hold it until you instruct us to deliver it.

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