

Social and Personal

MR. AND MRS. THEODORE B. WILCOX and their daughter, Miss Claire Wilcox, received at the Waverly Country club last evening at a dancing party, which they gave for the pleasure of their house guest, Miss Marion Davison, of Dayton, Ohio. The affair was one of the prettiest dancing parties of the season. Over 100 guests enjoyed their hospitality. Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox, Miss Claire and Miss Davison received their guests in the lounge room of the club. All about them was a profusion of delicate pink carnations and the most charming chrysanthemums combined with ferns and anemones. The mantle was banked with graceful branches of the California pepper tree, and about the room were potted palms and clusters of the tall Passiflora ferns.

Mrs. Wilcox was attired in a modish gown of light blue tulle, fashioned with draped skirt and flouncings of silver lace.

Miss Wilcox wore a charming dancing gown of electric blue velvet combined with white lace.

Miss Davison was becomingly gowned in white satin with trimming of chiffon and silver lace.

Decorations throughout the clubhouse were elaborate. The halls were a garden of palms and potted ferns and plants and the ballroom was decked with eucalyptus houghs, Passiflora ferns and baskets of the pepper tree branches, their clusters of rose-red berries drooping in graceful effect from the baskets suspended from the ceiling.

Supper was served at small tables in the dining room, and here the decorations brought a promise of spring, with primrose and jonquils arranged in pretty little baskets on each table.

Dinner Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Wheelwright were dinner hosts last evening when they entertained for the pleasure of John Barrett. Circling the table which was gayly decked with a pretty combination of pink primroses and yellow daffodils were Mr. and Mrs. Theodore B. Wilcox, Dr. and Mrs. Holt C. Wilson, Mrs. Henrietta Falling, Miss Mary Falling, Mr. Barrett, Hugh Hume and the hostess. Mrs. Wheelwright and her guests attended the Wilcox dance at the Country club.

Exchange to Give Charity Ball.

To raise funds for their philanthropic work, the Woman's Exchange is planning a charity ball for Monday evening, January 25, at the Multnomah hotel. Mrs. Leon Hirsch, president of the exchange, has appointed Mrs. E. C. Shevlin, head of the reception committee, and Miss Olive Hume, chairman of the press work. A list of prominent women, who will assist at this splendid affair, will be announced later.

Multnomah Ball.

Another of their enjoyable formal dances will be given tomorrow evening at the Multnomah club. This is the first party of the new year and bids fair to be one of the most popular of the delightful series which they are giving this year.

At Scadding House.

Miss Josephine Foulkes has arranged an interesting program of old time songs and popular musical numbers which will be given this evening at Scadding house, Third and Glisan streets.

D. of C. to Meet.

A program will be given Friday evening at the parlors of the Portland hotel by the Daughters of the Confederacy honoring General Robert E. Lee. Musical numbers will be given beginning at 8 o'clock notable among which will be songs by Dr. Emmerson, of the Ad club quartet, who is a great nephew of General Lee, and a chorus of the members of the D. of C. will sing "Dixie." A reception will follow the program after which Dr. Carter Helm Jones, pastor of the First Baptist church of Seattle, will deliver an address on General Lee. All southerners are cordially invited.

Rowing Club Dance.

The directors of the Portland Rowing club have announced the club's third annual formal ball for Thursday evening, January 28, in the assembly room of the Hotel Multnomah. A committee composed of Edward C. Sammons, Arthur A. Allen, Joseph Riesch, Frederick R. Newell, Rudolph F. Moynier and Herbert G. Chickering, has been appointed to arrange for the party. Mrs. Joseph N. Teal, Mrs. R. W. Willbur, Mrs. Herbert E. Judge, Mrs. William J. Patton, Mrs. E. E. Stowell, Mrs. Herbert G. Chickering and Mrs. Amandus A. Pfander will act as patronesses. The annual formal club parties have thus far been very successful, and among athletic club parties, are second only to the Multnomah club.

Spokane Visitor Honored.

Mrs. T. R. Moore of Spokane was the guest of honor at a pretty afternoon party given at the home of Mrs. J. A. Frudhomme, 924 East Hoyt street, Monday. The time was taken up with needlework, music and games. Mrs. Thompson, Miss Thompson and Mrs.

Informal Dancing Party.

Misses Bella and Lila Brandon were hostesses at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. Brandon in Floral avenue last Saturday evening. Dancing was enjoyed, after which a buffet supper was served. The guests numbered about 30.

To Wed in Los Angeles.

Mrs. J. M. Giesy announces the engagement of her sister, Miss Edith Shannon, to Earl Edmund Mayo. The wedding will take place in Los Angeles in the spring.

FRATERNAL NOTES

Modern Woodmen of America District Deputy Is Very Active.

Campaign Was Successful.

Bert Noble, the district deputy of the Modern Woodmen of America, who has just closed a most successful campaign at Astoria, is now stirring up fraternal work in Salem. He secured 126 new members in Astoria in 60 days, including the mayor and ex-mayor and several of the most prominent city officials.

Band Is Organized.

The camp of the Modern Woodmen of America in Astoria has a band of 24, with a new outfit of musical instruments and accessories. With the band they propose to make a social organization second to none in that city this season.

Will Dedicate New Hall.

The Knights of Pythias of North Plains are expecting to dedicate their new castle hall at North Plains some time this month, depending upon the time set by the grand officers.

Joint Installation Planned.

Thursday evening, January 14, Mount Hood circle and Astra circle, Women of Woodcraft, hold a joint installation of fraternal work in Salem. He secured 126 new members in Astoria in 60 days, including the mayor and ex-mayor and several of the most prominent city officials.

United Artisans Dance.

The Cadets of the Oregon assembly, United Artisans, give a dance tomorrow evening at Scadding-Hirsch hall.

Junior Moose Will Meet.

The Junior Moose are expecting to hold a session next Tuesday evening for the special benefit of their parents and friends.

Installation of Officers.

C. A. Williams, department adjutant, will install the officers of the G. A. R. and Corps at Woodlawn next Friday at noon.

General Andrews Will Speak.

General Thomas M. Andrews is scheduled for an address at the meeting of the Lincoln-Garfield post Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the court-house. The meeting will be open to all.

Campaign for Members.

Last Monday evening Eureka council, Knights and Ladies of Security, decided to start a booster campaign for membership, and put A. T. Moulton at the head of the campaign committee, with instructions to pick his own coworkers.

Invited to Address Lodge.

L. T. Thomas, state manager of the Knights and Ladies of Security, has been invited to address Eureka council next Monday evening, January 19, on the subject "The Advantages of Fraternal Protection."

Installation Next Week.

Ellison encampment and Golden Rule encampment, I. O. O. F., hold joint installation ceremonies on Wednesday evening, January 21, east side hall.

Attendance Was Large.

Tualatin Odd Fellows and Rebekahs turned out in goodly numbers last Monday evening to hear H. S. Westbrook, grand warden, and E. E. Sharor, grand secretary, discourse on fraternity.

Woodmen at Banks.

W. J. Simmons, state deputy for the Modern Woodmen of America, was in Banks last evening installing officers of that flourishing camp.

Joint Installation Held.

The installation of the officers of the Rose City camp, Modern Woodmen of America, and of Oregon Rose camp, Royal Neighbors, was a joint affair at Scadding-Hirsch hall last Monday evening. J. W. Simmons, deputy head

consul for Oregon, installed the following officers of the camp: S. Richenback, venerable counselor; J. E. Vollmar, past consul; Roy E. Kelly, advisor; C. W. Meadows, banker; J. J. Darlington, clerk; J. J. Gotthardt, trustee; A. L. Carpenter, escort; Edmund Graham, watchman; H. J. Eberhardt, secretary; Laura M. Frederickson, state deputy for the Royal Neighbors, installed the following officers for Oregon Rose: Jennie Hollis, oracle; Sadie Rose, grand secretary; Nellie McDonald, chancellor; Nellie Lee, receiver; Fannie Smock, recorder; Norma Meeve, inner sentinel; Laura Childs, outer sentinel; Mary Vallant, manager.

Jobs Have Been Secured.

The Woodmen of the World have maintained an employment bureau for several weeks, and have secured 27 jobs. When Peter Rabbit saw in the snow near the great rock, deep in the Green Forest, the tracks of Reddy Fox, such is Reddy's mood when he sees the snow running in great fright, Peter's common sense told him that this was no place for him to stay. If there was something there to frighten Reddy like that, the sooner he, Peter, got away the better.

Fargo to Visit Forest Grove.

The G. A. R. and Relief Corps of Forest Grove will receive Department Commander H. S. Fargo Thursday. There will be a dinner served and joint installation of officers.

Clan Macleay Celebration.

Clan Macleay, Order of Scottish Clans, is preparing to celebrate the birthday of Robert Burns at the Masonic Temple, Monday evening, January 25. The profits will go to the British Red Cross fund.

Monthly Meeting Tomorrow.

Marguerite Camp Coteries will hold its regular monthly meeting at the residence of Mrs. C. C. Hood, 1247 East Main street, tomorrow at 1 p. m. All residents and surrounding Royal Neighbors are cordially invited to attend.

Duty Now Has Assembly.

H. S. Hudson, supreme master of the United Artisans, has received word from R. N. Moffatt, special deputy, that a new assembly of the United Artisans has been established at Doty, Wash., with 34 charter members assured.

Will Be Absent Three Weeks.

J. M. Dickson, grand recorder of the A. O. U. W., is visiting lodges in eastern Oregon. He expects to be away at least three weeks.

Alberta Camp to Install.

Alberta camp, Modern Woodmen of America, will install officers and Williams avenue at Russell and Williams avenue.

Ladies of Macabees Install.

The Ladies of the Macabees, Queen Elizabeth Five No. 24, installed officers last evening at I. O. O. F. hall, East Sixth and Alder. A pleasant evening was passed.

Moose Will Elect Secretary.

The Local Order of Moose this evening will elect a secretary. There are five candidates, and considerable interest is taken in the outcome.

Occasion Is Dedication of New Hall Built by Miners; Citizens Brave Snowstorm to Attend.

Sumpter, Or., Jan. 13.—The management and the employes of the Columbia mine and the general public participated in the dedicatory program at the new hall of the Columbia Mine Amusement club on the night of January 8, a dance being one of the features of the occasion. Thirty-six persons from Sumpter and vicinity made the trip to the mine through a blinding snowstorm in a hayrack drawn by six horses, and citizens of the entire mountain district braved the

storm for the sake of participating in the affair.

Holiday decorations beautified the new, commodious hall, and the mine's large boarding house, where dinner for royalty, was served in approved style. An orchestra from Baker furnished music for the dance.

The hall was built by and is owned principally by employes of the Columbia mine. The hall proper is 30x60 feet, with a stage 12x18 feet, and equipped with the necessary cloak and ante-rooms. The floor is maple, ideal for dancing. The stage can be elevated against the wall so that the entire floor space is available for dancing.

Since natural gas was discovered in Cleveland several months ago, more than 100 successful wells have been sunk within the city limits.

AMERICAN FASHIONS



A striking original coat in beige corduroy.

By Lillian E. Young.

If you prefer a long coat—smart and well made—rather than a coat-and-skirt suit for street wear, the illustrated model will surely find favor in your eyes. The design is very original and yet retains the general lines and essential features prescribed for the season.

It is made of beige corduroy—a very good color for general wear—and trimmed with bands of natural beaver and braiding of the corduroy. Except for the square over-hanging tabs that extend to the hip line at either side, the coat may be described as a plain, long-waisted model fastening from neck to hem a little to the left side. The top is cut separate from the skirt, but joined to it at the waist line under a broad belt of beaver.

The spaces in back and front, between the overhanging side sections, are gathered as a trifle while the skirt portion is gathered all round.

Each corner of the extensions is trimmed with a fanciful beaver, but it is only through the two in front that the tasseled cord is threaded. Of course, this has to be arranged so that the central knotted strand of cord hooks in place just back of one corner.

The same arrangement is repeated in the collar with finer braiding and braid and smaller tassels. Plain beige corduroy is used for the collar and cuffs, folded over bands of beaver in an interesting new manner.

A better design for a really distinct garment could hardly be found.

"Bootlegger" Is Indicted.

Hood River, Or., Jan. 13.—With a large number of equity cases on the court docket continued until next term of court, the Hood River circuit court adjourned last night. William Nicholas, who refused the city's offer of \$475 for a strip of land desired for street purposes, was allowed \$553 by a jury yesterday. One indictment was returned by the grand jury against a "bootlegger" at Cascade Locks.

Little Stories for Bedtime

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Peter Rabbit's Nose Tells Him Something.

It's very, very curious. It's very, very curious. Some other folks can be. Take Peter Rabbit, for instance. One would think that after all the scrapes Peter's curiosity has got him into he would have learned a lesson never to be forgotten. But sometimes it seems as if some people never could learn. When Peter Rabbit saw in the snow near the great rock, deep in the Green Forest, the tracks of Reddy Fox, such is Reddy's mood when he sees the snow running in great fright, Peter's common sense told him that this was no place for him to stay. If there was something there to frighten Reddy like that, the sooner he, Peter, got away the better.

But Peter's curiosity whispered that he ought, he really ought to find out what it was that had frightened Reddy so. The idea of running away when he couldn't see anything to run from! "What was it? What could have given Reddy such a fright?" whispered Curiosity. "Never mind. Get away from here, and find out afterward, if you can," whispered Common Sense. "If there really is anything to be afraid of you ought to know what it is, so as to warn others," whispered Curiosity. "Nothing of the kind. Let others find out for themselves," whispered Common Sense. "But I want to know," said Peter, "resident and surrounding Royal Neighbors are cordially invited to attend."

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