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same subject, and referred feelingly and at length to his admiration for the fair sex. He was vociferously applauded.
Mr. E. W. Smith then sang "In Old Madrid," in an able manner and received a generous measure of applause.
Mr. J. Grant responded briefly to "Our Victors," and was followed by Mr. H. Young, who assured his hearers that during his stay he had enjoyed himself at least as well as any visitor who had ever been entertained by similar organizations of which he was a member.
Mr. Dalgity gave an amusing rendition of "The Little Bunch of Whiskers," and was heartily applauded.
Ex-President Finlayson made a short address and advised the boys to persevere in the course which they had laid out for themselves.
Mr. Murray danced "The Highland Flang," very cleverly and received hoarse applause for his effort.
The next number was a very novel and pleasing one. It was the whistling of a selection from "Il Trovatore," and was handled in a manner that would have done credit to any of the noted artists in that line.
Mr. Swope then sang "Huckleberry Do," and was heartily applauded.
Mr. D. McLean spoke of "The Second Eleven," and predicted that the members of that team would give a good account of themselves the coming season.
This was followed by "The Riverside," by Professor Spencer, who gave an amusing version of that pretty song.
The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" closed a very pleasant evening's entertainment.

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MENT NOTICE.
The Board of Public Works has the honor to advise the property owners of the forty-second street improvement project. The improvement consists in the widening of the street from its present width of 100 feet to a width of 125 feet along an adjacent portion of the west line of said street. The improvement is to be made in the portion of the street bounded by the east line of the alleyway running through blocks 5, and 6, to the center line of Bond street to a width of thirty feet along an adjacent portion of the west line of said street by driving piles and stringers and treating to such width on said side thereof (after placing caps and stringers) and placing substantial railings on the sides of the improvement. That the district of lands and premises upon which a special assessment is to be levied to defray the costs and expenses of said improvement is as follows: Commencing at the Southeast corner of Lot 2, in Block 5, of said part of said city, and running thence in a straight line to the Northwest corner of said lot and thence east on a straight line to the northeast corner of Lot 2, in Block 6, and thence south on a straight line to the southeast corner of said lot 2, and thence west on a straight line to the place of beginning and contains as subject to the assessment, Lots 3 and 4, in said Block 5, and Lots 1 and 2 in said Block 6.

THE SMOKE SOCIAL.
What the A. F. C. Boys Did Tuesday Night to Pass Away the Time.
On account of lack of space the Astorian was unable yesterday to print a full account of the proceedings of the smoke social given Tuesday night. It is given space this morning, however.
The first number was a song by Prof. Spencer, who won a deserved encore by his rendition of "The Hen Cackle." He responded with "The Bowers Girl." Mr. Young responded to "The New Directors" with a few timely remarks. Mr. Bain was next called upon and added materially to the evening's enjoyment with a song entitled "The Keyhole in the Door." For an encore he sang "The Ball of Yarn," and was warmly applauded. On behalf of the re-elected directors Mr. Gibson congratulated the members on the success of the club during the past year and predicted an even greater progress for the future. He assured the members that the newly elected directors would during their term of office, consider their pleasure as well as their duty to advance the interests of the club in every manner that lay in their power. Prof. Spencer was again called upon at this juncture and gave two more songs in his always felicitous style, and with a hearty round of applause. Vice-President Herman Praeger made a brief address and assured the members that it would always be his pleasure to work for the advancement of the club's interests, and since he had learned for himself the enjoyment of the hours spent by the members, he concluded that he could not better occupy some of his leisure hours than a coming to the club's gatherings and participating therein.
Mr. Swope sang "The Prodigal Son," and was warmly applauded for a really clever rendition of one of the best songs ever written.
The newly elected treasurer, Duncan Stuart, when called upon, made an address which was enthusiastically received, assuring those present that he would work for the best interests of the club, and conduct the affairs of his office in such a manner as to merit entire confidence.
C. R. Higgins sang "Hide Away," and for an encore gave "Over the Banister," both of which were rendered in a manner that delighted the audience.
R. E. Carruthers responded to the past, "Our Athletes," and while addressing that among the older members the talent was scarce, showed that among the juveniles there was material enough of a first-class order to regain for Astoria the name she formerly enjoyed as a home for athletes, when her horse team had no rival. He hoped that this year the club would have an athletic team of at least twenty members, and if they did not capture first honors they would at least take second place.
Mr. P. Grant spoke briefly on the subject of training, and while regretting that he was not born a few years later in order that he might participate in the games, assured the members that he would at all times be pleased to give those who desired to train for old or track events the benefit of his own experience.
Treasurer Stuart then recited "The Golden Road," some really clever and original lines written by Mr. Stuart, for the occasion. The recitation was such a success that he was compelled to sing "Near It," which was rendered in the best style, and heartily applauded.
Mr. Dalgity responded to "The Ladies" and on that familiar subject gave his hearers the benefit of his varied experience. His response was in a very happy vein and was well received.
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