

## Society and Clubs

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One of the nicest parties of this season or any season was last Sunday afternoon when the Paulson family held open house. Though over a hundred friends of John E. Paulson, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mauney and Miss Margaret Paulson called during the afternoon, at no time did the comfortably spacious home become crowded. Mr. Paulson and Fred Hudson, each wearing a capacious apron, did miraculous things to and with Tom and Jerry better. They turned out delectable concoctions that would stir envy in the heart of a professional mixmaster. Great bowls of delicious punch, made by Guy Mauney, were conveniently placed for those people whose tastes do not run to Tom and Jerry's.

Margaret Paulson, attractive in a bright red frock of the same shade she had used in decorating the basement playroom, was a gracious hostess to the guests who drifted down to inspect the playroom and remain to lounge in its comfortable chairs. Mrs. Mauney, who received the guests, wore a very good-looking black velvet tea gown. All the guests looked splendid.

During the afternoon, Bob Feller, of Marshfield, provided an unexpected treat, when he consented to play the piano. An accomplished pianist, he played several solos which brought all conversation to a halt while everyone admired his skill and technique. Then he drifted into soft, pleasant melodies which formed a gay tonal background for conversation.

The whole party was a great success. Proof of its success could be found in listening to many of the guests as they said: "I must give a party like this."

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jeub on Thursday evening entertained officers of the Eastern Star who had worked with Mrs. Jeub while she was Worthy Matron. The group had dinner at the hotel before going to the Jeub home, where bridge and Chinese checkers provided entertainment.

Prizewinners at the games were Mrs. Maud Woodyard, Chinese checkers champion; Mrs. Stanley Ayers, high score at bridge; Mrs. Don McCune, second bridge prize, and Mr. Ralph Taylor, men's high bridge score.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor, Mesdames Gladys Gano, William Ulett, H. W. Pierce, Bert Folsom, Stanley Ayers, H. R. Godard, Cliff Yarbrough, R. F. Milne, Don McCune, B. W. Dunn, Maud Woodyard, Miss Bess Maury, Mr. Clarence Osika and the host and hostess.

Mrs. F. H. McKibben, who has a knack for assembling attractive party decorations, gave one of this season's prettiest parties Thursday afternoon for members of the Ace of Clubs. The luncheon table had a beautiful centerpiece of red tapers and holly. Interesting little Santa Claus figures made of red apples and marshmallows made gay favors at each place. Cake, with Christmas decorations and strawberries and ice cream were the refreshments that were as good to look at as they were to taste.

After the gift exchange, everyone vied for pinocle honors. The prizewinners were Mrs. Ben Leatherwood, first prize; Mrs. A. A. Kyle, second; Mrs. Orville Hughes, third prize; Miss Fern Kane, door prize, and Mrs. Alton Clausen, travelling prize.

Club members present were Mesdames Ernest Whereat, A. A. Kyle, Orville Hughes, Ben Leatherwood, Charles Mansell, Lawrence Hatcher, A. L. Powrie, of Myrtle Point, Dulcie Donaldson and the hostess, Mrs. McKibben. Guests were Mesdames Alton Clausen, Stanley McKibben and the Misses Fern Kane and Grace McKibben.

Candlelight, a gay Christmas tree, attractively arranged greens all combined to make a nice setting for the Christmas party Friday evening when Mrs. Arlin Elliott entertained members of her card club for dessert

and bridge. Unique Christmas ball place cards and tallies were made by Mrs. Elliott. Mrs. John Norton held high score and Mrs. Harold Dey low score at bridge. Members of the club exchanged ten cent gifts. Members present were Mesdames John Norton, Harold Dey, Tom Stevens, Craig Perrott, Harold Stevens, Dennis Wagner and a guest, Mrs. Wm. Barrow.

Ellen Braxton, president of the Business and Professional Women's club, earned distinction recently when she received the highest rating on an examination given by the State Board of Health.

According to Dr. William Levin, director of the hygienic laboratory at the State Board of Health, fifty blood samples were sent to each of the approved laboratories in the state as well as to the Veneral Research division of the U. S. Public Health Service and Dr. R. L. Kahn's laboratory at the University of Michigan. Each laboratory ran the Kahn test on each blood sample. Miss Braxton made correct reports on each of the 15 samples of healthy blood. Of the 35 samples of diseased blood, Miss Braxton made perfect analyses on 31 1/2.

Her record is especially noteworthy in that her findings were more nearly correct than those of the Kahn laboratory, where the test originated.

Maxine Whereat gave an "Aloha" party Thursday evening for Barbara Berrows, who left Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents at Bremerton. Each guest brought Barbara a present to take on her trip. The girls spent the evening playing the piano, singing and playing games. They enjoyed refreshments during the evening. Those present were Martha Berg, Junita Culberston, Pat Berg, Barbara Berrows and the hostess, Maxine Whereat.

The Women's Division of Christian Service of Pioneer Methodist church held its tea and Christmas program Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Harold Ziegler and Mrs. Elton Savage were co-chairmen, who arranged the splendid program, which included Christmas carols, sung by the entire membership, a vocal solo, "Luther's Cradle Hymn," by Joan Peart, and the Christmas gift exchange. Mrs. Henry Ellis led the devotions, which opened the meeting.

Members of the hostess committee, Mrs. H. L. Graybeal, Mrs. Gladys Gano, Mrs. G. A. Gray, Mrs. Clarion Gourmley and Mrs. M. O. Hawkins, prepared attractive trays, decorated with holly, from which refreshments were served.

Those present were Mesdames Elizabeth Oden, Frank Schram, Jas. McGuffin, James Richmond, Birdie Skeels, Elton Savage, Harold Ziegler, Frank Leslie, Henry Ellis, Emily Hersey, Leland Peart, Miranda Way, Ernest Purvance, William Ireland, Orville Newton, B. A. Davis, George Gray, R. E. Boober, O. B. Rogers, Howard Graybeal, A. J. Nussel, O. B. Harriman, B. W. Dunn, C. C. McCurdy, Clarion Gourmley, George Taylor, S. F. Stevens, W. P. Laws, Fred Houston, Lee Peterson, Julius Ruble, Noble Chowning, Jack Hultin, and several guests, who were Mesdames H. J. Jensen, Raymond Oden, James Hersey and George Hartley.

Mrs. Henry Belloni gave a beautiful Christmas party Friday evening for members of the Tsau-An-So club. After a pleasant evening, which had for its high point, the Christmas gift exchange, refreshments were served. Christmas salads, carrying lighted candles, fancy cookies and candies were but part of the good things to eat. Members present were Mesdames Ernest Johnson, Minnie Leach, Robert Waggoner, Aurora Willard, Mollie Weesh, J. W. McGuffin, Mae Enaele, Guy Terry, Jack Leach and daughter, Fern, Ernest Embree, William Jones, East Schroeder, E. E. Benham, A. L. Burch, C. E. Martindale, George Burr, Alfred Tallon, of Dallas, and the hostess, Mrs. Henry Belloni.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Larson celebrated their wedding anniversary Friday evening by giving a Christmas party for friends and employees of the City Motors. After a gift exchange, Mrs. Larson, who has an unusual ability for directing games, introduced some novel and amusing games. Prizes were won by Kathleen Collier and Dorothy Coffey. Clifford Howard won a door prize.

Quantities of appetizing delicacies were set out for a buffet lunch late in the evening. The Larson home was attractively decorated for the party. Guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Clovis Church, A. A. Allard, Fred Middendorff, Clifford Howard, Frank Prosser, Walter Wardrip, T. B. Currie, H. Young, Ilo Heaton, Dale Ohlsen, of Myrtle Point, the Misses Kathleen Collier, Jane Braut, Patricia Peart, Dorothy Coffey and Messrs. Ellis Carlson, Dan Steinmetz, Quinton Aydelotte, Jimmie Glenn and Gordon MacKerrow.

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