SOCIETY

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Perhaps one of the jolliest and most unique affairs ever given in Albany, was the dinner given in honor of Mr. W. H. Hornibrook, the newly appointed minister to Siam and Mrs. Hornibrook at the Hotel Albany, with the men of the Monday Luncheon club as hosts on Wednesday. A large basket of pink carnations centered the long dining table and the place cards, in keeping with the subject of the evening, were red tigers for the ladies and elephants for the men. Dr. W. H. Davis, on behalf of the club, presented Mr. Hornibrook with a gold knife, on which was inscribed "Where did you get it, From the Monday Round Table Club," on one side and his initials, W. H. H., on the other side, attached to a gold watch chain. Mr. H. M. Crooks was toastmaster for the occasion, and needless to say, he kept "things on the move." Many good jokes were played, which caused a great deal of merriment and laughter during dinner. Those present were Mesdames and Messrs. W. H. Hornibrook, J. L. White, Joseph H. Ralstotn, C. E. Sox, H. M. Crooks, P. A. Young, Leroy Wood, W. H. Davis, G. A. Flood, H. W. Barker, Mesdames Anna Hunt, E. D. Cusick, Miss Zona Haight, Messrs. W. A. Barrett, Neil Bain, Owen Beam, D. O. Woodworth, and Dan Johnston. After dinner a special program was given in their honor at the Globe theater.

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Mrs. W. H. Rhodes was hostess for a few of her friends on Wednesday, at her home on West Fourth street. Each lady was given a paper heart with one of the guests names written on it and a magazine. They had to make pictures, by cutting heads and dresses out of the book, which they thought would look like the lady whose name was on the heart. Some were very clever and caused much merriment and laughter. The hostess was assisted in serving a dainty repast by Miss Volena Smith. The invited guests were: Mesdames C. E. Sox, R. C. Hunt, H. M. Crooks, Hans Flo, W. H. Davis, C. B. Winn, O. D. Austin, J. V. Pipe, C. H. Wieder, A. R. McCoy, A. C. Schmitt, D. S. Smith, G. L. Thompson, Max Monteith, David Froman, W. H. Lee, H. A. Stearns, L. H. Fish and F. H. Pfeiffer.

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Mrs. Byers of 505 E. Fifth street entertained the members of the Kensington club on Thursday. The ladies brought their fancy-work and passed a social time together. Pink carnations centered the dining table from which a dainty luncheon was served. Those present were: Mesdames W. F. Jones, C. E. Clifford, McDonald, J. F. Lan, F. E. Beauchamp, Russell Wilson and Byers.

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The young ladies of the domestic science department of the Albany high school, served an elaborate five course dinner to the members of the Albany Retail Merchants' association on Tuesday evening at the high school. The long tables were artistically decorated for the occasion with jonquils, violets and yellow and purple nut cups. Covers were laid for forty-five men. The high school orchestra furnished the music during the evening.

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The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church met with Mrs. W. F. Jones on Wednesday. Mrs. O. A. Archibald was the leader of the afternoon and the subject was "Indians." Several papers were read and Mrs. Lan favored the guests with several selections, after which refreshments were served.

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The Rural Ladies' Club met with Mrs. Virgil Looney on Thursday. Sewing was the pastime of the afternoon, brought to a close by the hostess serving a dainty repast. Those present were: Mesdames Will Looney, Allen, Altermatt, Barber, Long, McFarland, Shivley, Virgil Looney and Miss Norah Ashton.

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Mrs. W. H. Rhodes of West Fourth street entertained for the members of the Twentieth Century club on Friday. The ladies served during the afternoon and at the close a dainty collation was served. Mrs. S. E. Watson was an honored guest.

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Misses Emma and Clara Buckner were hostesses for the ladies of their card club on Friday at their home 731 Hill street. "500" was the game played at three tables, during the afternoon, followed by choice refreshments.

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The Albany College Literary Society installed their officers for the coming year on Wednesday at the college. The latter part of the evening was passed at Whitney's Sweet Shop, where refreshments were served.

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The Philathea class, composed of young ladies of the Baptist church, gave a ten cent social in the church on Wednesday. The evening was passed in a musical program, followed by a social hour and choice refreshments.

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Misses Alice Holbrook and Dorothy Lee left Friday for Brownsville to pass the week end with Miss Beatrice Holbrook.

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A large crowd attended the "chicken pie supper" at the United Presbyterian church on Wednesday.

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Mrs. T. Tellefson of Sunrise was hostess for the members of the S. S. S. club on Thursday. The ladies brought their sewing and passed a few hours together in a social way, followed by dainty refreshments.

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Mrs. Kenton Merrill entertained the Alpha Omega Girls at a "covered dish supper" on Thursday. After supper the young ladies passed a few hours playing cards.

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The Shakespeare Study club met with Mrs. W. H. Holman on Thursday. The subject of the afternoon was "Art." Mrs. Katz read an interesting paper on "French Art and Art Galleries," followed by character sketches on "Rose Bonhem," by Mrs. Bodine; "Corot," by Mrs. F. M. French and "Millet," by Mrs. W. F. Garrett. It was a very instructive and interesting meeting.

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The members of the H. D. W. club met with Mrs. F. C. Pate on Thursday. Sewing was the diversion of the afternoon, followed by choice refreshments. The complimented guests were: Mesdames Stites, Williams, Cooper (Salem), and O. D. Austin.

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Mesdames J. K. Haight, Charles Burggraf and A. Austin were hostesses for the Pythian Sisters in the temple parlors on Tuesday. The ladies sewed, during the afternoon and a dainty repast was served in the dining room, which was prettily decorated with pussy willows and ferns. Mrs. D. H. Leech was an honored guest.

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Tonight at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Riggs, the "covered dish club" will give a supper, after which the guests will play cards.

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A social was given in the First Presbyterian church last evening. Games and music were the diversion of the evening and refreshments served.

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Mrs. French was hostess to the 1914 club last Thursday. The ladies brought their fancy work and the afternoon was pleasantly spent with tatting and crocheting. The hostess later served dainty refreshments. Those present were Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Franklin, Mrs. Morss, Mrs. Churchill, Mrs. Hess, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Carmack, Mrs. Boucher, and Mrs. Henshaw and Mrs. French.

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Mrs. J. J. Collins was a charming hostess on Thursday, when she entertained some of the Elks' ladies at cards. "500" was the game played and the guests made up six tables. After lodge the husbands of the ladies were invited to the Collins home for a buffet luncheon. The invited guests were Messers. and Mesdames A. W. Bowersox, W. C. Tweedale, A. J. Hodges, Myers, A. Stark, Rockey Willis, William Eagles, W. A. Cox, Walton Worrell, Fred Ward, W. H. Barker, Walter Parker, C. H. Wieder, L. H. Fish, O. D. Austin, W. H. Davis, M. B. Craft, George Taylor, William Merrill, Grant Pirtle, Charles Burggraf, Mrs. C. W. Sears, Mr. George Cline, Misses Pearl Craft, Blanche Hammel, and Alzina Parker. Miss Hammel rendered several musical selections during the evening, after which she and Miss Parker assisted the hostess in serving.

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Mr. Henry Fish was the inspiration for a surprise party on Friday by several of his school friends. Games and music were the diversions of the evening, followed by a dainty collation. Those present were: Misses Carolyn Wright, Beatrice Sanders, Inez Lemke, Hazel Hockesmith, Corintha Hart, Ruth Fisher, Lee Fortmiller, Enlah Hand, Nellie and Lucile Snyder, Margaret Gibson, Abbie Anderson, Gertrude Swank Edna Taylor, Janet Dawson, Messers Henry Fish, Charles Fortmiller, Carleton Logan, Orrin Jenkins, David Wieder, Merril Ohling, Fred Aldrich, John Tate, Lee Hulburt, Clarance Wiles, Lee Anderson, Gilmore Hector, Lyle Bain, Earl Duncan, and Merle Briggs.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Austin were hosts for the members of the Lafalot club on Monday. "500" was the game played at nine tables and at the close of the evening, a dainty collation was served. The complimented guests were: Messers and Mesdames F. M. French, W. H. Hornibrook, J. K. Haight, Veal, Charles Monson, J. T. Wentworth, Walton Worrell, Hugh Fisher, and Mrs. Hand. Mrs. L. H. Fish scored high for the ladies and Mr. J. L. White for the gentlemen. The hostess was assisted in serving a dainty repast by Misses Marceil Austin and Natheil Donaca.

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Among the Albany people w[illegible] went down to Salem Friday evenin[illegible] to hear Madam Gluck were: Mr. an[illegible] Mrs. F. M. Powell, Mesdames W. H. Hornibrook, G. A. Flood, C. E. Es[illegible]

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AT THE CHURCHES

United Presbyterian—W. P. White, pastor. The seventh sermon on "Christ's Love Letters to the Church," will be preached tomorrow morning at 10:30, instead of in the evening. We will unite with the other churches in the Union meeting at the M. E. church at 7:30. The subject of the sermon tomorrow morning will be: "The Church at Laodicea." Monday night Bible class from 7:30 to 8:30. All are invited.

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Christian Science.—Corner 4th and Ferry streets. Sunday services 11 a. m. Subject of lesson sermon: "Soul" Sunday school at 10 and 11 a. m. Wednesday meeting at 8. All are welcome.

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Evangelical Church. — East First and Pine streets. Ezra Maurer, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. At 11 a. m. Rev. C. L. Schuster of Corvallis will preach and conduct communion service. Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m. At 7:30 p. m. a union service of the churches in the East End of the city will be held at the church. Rev. Miles B. Fisher of San Francisco will deliver an address upon the subject "The Gravity of the Present Situation in Morals and Religion."

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Church of Christ (Christian church) —M. Howard Fagan, pastor. 10:30 a. m. communion and preaching. Sermon "The Divine Name." 11:45 a. m. Bible school. F. J. Watson, superintendent. 6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Topic: "The Solid Foundation." 7:30 p. m. Union services of all churches at the Methodist church. During the morning church service, Mrs. Frank Powell, accompanied by Mr. Charles South on the violin will sing "Grass and Roses," by Bartlett, as an offertory solo. The Bible school averages 230 attendance and is growing rapidly, especially the young married people's class to which all young married people of the city are cordially invited to join. Special musical features during each Bible school. Rev. Fagan will be with us tomorrow and it is no doubt with regret he leaves his new additioin to his family even for one day.

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First Methodist.—D. H. Leech, pastor. Morning church service at 10:30. The pastor will preach the sermon. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Good music and classes for all. The Epworth League meets at 6:30 p. m. At 7:30 there will be a union service under the auspices of the Sunday School Council of the Northwest. Dr. J. D. Springston will deliver the address. The public including visitors and strangers welcome to all the services.

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Grace Presbyterian.—Rev. F. L. Frazer, pastor. 10 a. m. Bible school. 11 a. m. Morning worship. Subject of sermon: "The Battle on Mount Carmel." Fourth in the series of sermon stories on the Prophet Elijah. Communion of the Lord's Supper and reception of new members. Y. P. service 6:30. Young people invited. A helpful meetin. No evening service as we join in the Union service at Evangelical church at 7:30.

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Baptist Church — Rev. Geo. H. Young, pastor. Regular services at the usual hours. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. sharp. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. No evening service as we join in the Union services at the Methodist church. Those not attendin[illegible] vices elsewhere are [illegible] meet [illegible]

[illegible] ices [illegible] will [illegible] will [illegible] for [illegible] r- [illegible] k [illegible] t- [illegible] will be held on [illegible]nesday, February 17 in observance of the opening of Lent. The ashes will be blessed and imposed at 9 a. m. and will again be conferred at the evening service at 7:30. Lenten services will be held on Wednesday, Friday and Sunday evenings during the entire season of Lent. The subjects being the Eucharist for Wednesday evening and the Ten Commandments for Sunday evenings.

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First Presbyterian Church.—Rev. F. H. Geselbracht, minister. 10:15 meeting of the session to receive members. 10:30 morning service. Sermon by Rev. A. M. Williams, educational secretary. To my Junior congregation, by the minister: Asking and Receiving. 11:45 S. S. Orchestra and classes for all. 6:30 C. E. Junior and Senior societies. 7:30 Union rally service in the First Methodist church. D. J. Springston, educational director, will preach. "Where a man's treasure is, there is his heart also."

TIMBER DISTRUCTION BY ANT MAY BE STOPPED

Washington, Feb. 13.—The ravages of the white ant which because of its insidious work in timber and wood structures is one of the most destructive insects of North America, can be limited by comparatively simple measures, according to the etomologists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. This pest known scientifically as the termite attacks bridge timbers, wells, silos, telegraph poles, bean poles, mine props, fence posts, and railroad ties, and the sudden crumbling of wharves, caving in of mines, and the settling in of floors are sometimes directly due to its hidden borings. Such large cities as New York, Cleveland, St. Louis, and Washington have known such serious depredations, and damage occasionally occurs as far north as Massachussets and Michigan. Throughout the Southern States the termites' ravages are even more general.

Some of the recommendations of the department's etomologists for dealing with this pest are as follows:

Forest products in contact with the ground should be impregnated with coal-tar creosote, which is a permanent preventative against attack by our native termites. Coal-tar creosote has many properties which would recommend its use in this respect, for it is also a fungicide, and, being soluble to water, will not leach out in wet locations. These requirements furnish objections to many chemicals that otherwise are very effective insecticides.

The various methods of superficially treating timber, as by charring, by brushing, or by dipping with various chemical preservatives, among which are creosotes, carbolineums, etc., have proven to be temporarily effective, in preventing attack, if the work is thoroughly done. If not thoroughly done, termites enter through the untreated or imperfectly treated portions, especially through weathering checks, and knots. Where the bases of poles, mine props, etc., are left untreated termites enter the timber far below, and, avoiding the treated portions, come up through the interior. Charred timber is effective against termite attack for a period of less than a year, although it is not seriously damaged at the end of one year. It will readily be seen that neither brushing nor spraying the exterior after placement, as is sometimes practiced, is effective in keeping out termites, since the portion that sets in the ground could not be treated, and it is usually at this point that termites attack occurs.

Before treating timber with chemical preservatives, especially where the brush method is employed, it is essential that the timber be thoroughly seasoned, otherwise penetration by the preservative will be retarded.

Many patented wood preservatives, advertised as effective against wood borers, often merely contain simple preservatives, as for instance, linseed oil, to which a slight odor of oil of citronella has been imparted, or contain simple poisons. For timber to be set in the ground, brush coatings with linseed oil are not effective against termites.

Impregnation with chlorinated naphthalene may prove effective against termites as a preservative for woodwork, in interior finish, where it is important that the preservative should not "sweat" out, or stain the wood. Treated wood blocks buried in the ground with termite-infested logs were not attacked after a test of nearly six months. Impregnation with paraffin wax was not effective in the bureau of etomology's experiments. If the wood is not in contact with the ground, impregnation treatment with bichloride of mercury and zinc chloride are effective. The mercury and zinc in this form are both soluble in water.

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Advertisement for Sewer Construction.

Sealed bids will be received by the council of the City of Albany, Oregon, until 7:00 o'clock p. m. February 24, 1915, for the constructioin of an eight inch lateral sewer beginning at the manhole in the Oak street trunk sewer between Front and Water streets and running westerly across Oak street, through the center of Block 9, across Sherman street, through the center of Block 2, to within 40 feet of the east line of Main street, all in Hackleman's Third Addition to the City of Albany, Oregon.

Said sewer construction to be made in accordance with the charter and ordinances of the City of Albany and the plans, specifications and estimates of the City Engineer on file in the office of the Recorder, where plans may be seen and specifications and estimates obtained.

Bids will be opened at 7:30 o'clock p. m., February 24, 1915.

No proposal or bid will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check payable to the city of Albany in an amount equal to five per cent of the aggregate bid to be forfeited as fixed and liquidated damages in case the bidder neglects or refuses to enter into a contract and provide an approved bond in the sum of $250.00 for the faithful performance of the work within ten days after notification of awarding of contract to such bidder.

All bids must be made with a view of completing the constructioin of said sewer prior to the 1st day of April, 1915, under a liquidated penalty of $2.50 for each day of delay beyond that period.

All bids should be addressed to "Recorder of the City of Albany" marked "Proposal for the construction of lateral sewer commencing at manhole in the Oak Street Trunk Sewer between Front and Water Streets and running Westerly to within 40 feet of the east line of Main street."

By order of the council.
F. E. VAN TASSEL,
Recorder of the City of Albany.
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Sealed bids will be received by the council of the City of Albany, Oregon, until 7:00 o'clock p. m., February 24, 1915, for the construction of an eight inch lateral sewer beginning at the manhole in the Oak Street sewer where said sewer crosses Santiam Road in Albany, Oregon, and running thence southeasterly on the same angle as said Santiam Road a distance of 815 feet.

Said sewer construction to be made in accordance with the charter and ordinances of the City of Albany and the amended plans, specifications and estimates of the City Engineer on file in the office of the Recorder, where the plans may be seen and specifications and estimates obtained.

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