

TO WISH FOR YOU A HAPPY NEW YEAR

and to extend a hearty "THANK YOU" to our patrons who have traded with us in the past year. Many new people have purchased here and we believe will continue with us. 1916 has been a good year, but from the natural growth of our business we expect 1917 to be better still.

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1917

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SOCIETY

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A pleasant dancing party was given Thursday evening at the home of Miss Flora Mason for Miss Carolyn Cannon of Portland, who is spending the holidays in this city. A choice collation was served to the guests before departing. Enjoying this were the Misses Mae Ballack, Carolyn Wright, Anna and Janet Dawson, Ruth Livingston, Corintha Hart, Carolyn Cannon and Messers. Lyle Bass, Lynn McCreedy, Ed Tracy, Oran Jenkins, Fred Aldrich, Lee Hulbert and John Tate.

Among the jolly social events of the week the covered dish feed given by the members of the needle craft club to their husbands, was one of Wednesday evening. Mrs. William Pank was hostess on this occasion. Lavender and green was the color scheme effectively used and potted plants were the table decorations. An elaborate six course supper was served and later games and music filled out the evening time with merriment. A Christmas tree and distribution of gifts was the chief diversion of the evening.

Mrs. J. M. French was hostess on Thursday evening to the Monday night Bridge club. Those who spent the evening in bridge at her home were the Misses Marion Anderson,

Zona Haight, Winnie Austin, Louise Weider, and Mrs. G. E. Riggs, and as complimented guests, Miss Gertie Taylor, and Miss Cook, from North Dakota. A dainty collation completed the enjoyable evening.

The Beta Gammas spent Tuesday afternoon of this week at the home of Miss Ruth Rawlings. The afternoon was spent in making candy and having a general good time. Miss Grace Young was an invited guest. On Wednesday Miss Kamilla Kroschel was hostess to the club girls at whose home they passed an enjoyable afternoon.

Miss Beulah DeLancey delightfully entertained a number of friends at a party Friday night, in honor of her guest Miss Thelma Hoeft. Candy making, cards and games were enjoyed during the evening by the merry crowd and at a late hour dainty refreshments were served.

On Friday evening of last week the Beta Gamma girls had a Christmas tree at the home of Miss Laverne Hofflich. A jolly evening was passed by the girls and Christmas gifts were exchanged.

A delightful party was given on Thursday afternoon when Miss Helen Pugh entertained a number of her friends for the pleasure of Miss Dorothy Brant of Salem, who is visiting in Albany. A merry time was spent with games and music until a delicious lunch was served. The invited guests were, Doris Dowlin, Salome Cusick, Marion White, Olive Barker, Wilma

Junkin, Leila Watson, Margaret, Cathy, Florence Fortmiller, Ruth Davis, Ruth Nebergall, Anna Katherine Barrett, Elizabeth Beam, and Barbara Pfeiffer.

On Wednesday evening St. John's day was celebrated by the St. John's Lodge of the Masons. An entertaining program was enjoyed, consisting of the following numbers, selection from Wilson's orchestra; Invocation, Dr. F. H. Gesebracht; vocal solo Miss Hazel Hockensmith; reading, Miss Orah Harkness; Harp solo, Davis Leininger; vocal solo, Mrs. Chas. Essex; monologue, Judge L. L. Swan; address, Judge P. R. Kelly; Vocal solo Mrs. Rahn of Salem. Wilson's orchestra played during the evening and light refreshments were served.

Carried out in a charming manner was the delightful little party given by the Lady Macabees on Thursday evening. Choice refreshments were served in the dining room, cafeteria style. After lunch a pleasant evening was passed and dancing and cards were the enjoyable diversion, while excellent music was played through the evening. After an enjoyable time the guests departed at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Palmer entertained a large number of guests for dinner Christmas day, they were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Palmer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Junkin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Palmer and family, Miss Lewis, Mrs. Mulich and daughter (Portland), Jay Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Palmer, making 17. A Christmas tree was enjoyed during the remaining part of the afternoon.

Mrs. J. O. Huntly entertained with a dinner party on Monday evening. Holly and Christmas decorations were used in the rooms and on the table. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson and daughter Edna, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Huntly and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fuller and Lena, Ruby, and Kenneth Fuller, Miss Mary Huntley. Games were played during the remainder of the evening.

Miss May Lewis is in Portland spending the week with friends in that city.

One of the most striking of Christmas dinners was that of the Archibald clan at the home of one of them, Mrs. Smith Cox, on East First street, where altogether there were 28 present enjoying the day, with one of the finest turkey dinners ever attacked. The occasion was the calling together of the children of the late J. M. Archibald and their families. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Smith Cox, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Archibald, and all their children, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carnegie and child Oris A. Carnegie; Stanford, Harold, Clinton, Raymond, Royal and Clyde Archibald, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Buckner, Mr. and Mrs. Claire Haight, Miss Alwilda Archibald, Miss Arlie Archibald (Portland), Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cox and three children.

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LIBELED WASHINGTON

And Will Go to Jail for Four Months for Slandering the Father of His Country

Olympia, Wash., Dec. 29.—The State Supreme Court today upheld the conviction of Paul Haffer, of Tacoma, who was convicted in the Pierce county superior court for criminal libel because he published an article defamatory of George Washington, accusing him of drunkenness and other irregularities.

The Supreme Court ruled that publication of articles tending to hold the memory of deceased persons up to ridicule, contempt and obloquy constitutes libel, and that it is not necessary to show that relatives and friends of the deceased person were injured by the attacks.

Haffer was sentenced to four months in the Pierce county jail and must now serve his term.

To Harisburg—

Mrs. W. S. McFadden went to Harrisburg today and will remain in that place indefinitely. She goes to be with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Burke McFadden, for a time. Mrs. Burke McFadden is to undergo an operation within the next week and Mrs. McFadden will remain with her daughter-in-law until she is

on the road to recovery.—Corvallis G. T.

Miss Cushman Here—

Miss Lela Cushman, who is teaching school near Roseburg, spent the night at the home of Mrs. Stetter, in this city, while on her way to Eugene for a visit before returning to Roseburg. She had been to Brownsville, called there by the illness and death of her sister.

From Lebanon—

Miss Carrie Berry, of Lebanon, who has been spending the week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Stetter, will return to Lebanon in the morn-

ing and her brother George, who has been at Lebanon, will return to Albany to continue his residence at the home of Mrs. Stetter.

NOT ALL FOOTBALL

Tournaments of Roses At Pasadena Monday, The First Of January (By United Press)

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 30.—The Tournament of Roses, Pasadena's beautiful and unique midwinter fete, will be the big attraction New Year's day and thousands from every state in the union are here, clad in summery garments, and enjoying a floral festival possible only in Sunny Southern Cal-

ifornia at this season.

The floral parade at 10:30 Monday will find thousands at points of vantage along the line of march for the procession of beautiful splendor. Roses, violets, carnations, geraniums, all products of Southern California's outdoor winter—will be massed and banded in every conceivable form in scores of floats; myriads of blossoms will be showered upon the spectators by pretty girls in filmy costumes, and school children, marching clubs, bands and other organizations will add their share to this midwinter festival of flowers.

In the evening, a grand ball, attended by the social leaders of the Pacific Coast and the East, will bring the glorious day to a joyous close.

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