

SOCIETY

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With all of the qualities of a gracious hostess, Miss Flora Mason entertained a number of friends on Monday evening at a New Years tea. Miss Wilma Wagner, a house guest of Miss Mason during the holidays, was the inspiration for this delightful affair. Later in the evening dancing was the gay diversion. The guests invited to spend the evening at Miss Mason's home were the Messrs. and Mesdames H. B. Cusick, P. A. Young, Charles Stewart, Howard Payne of Oakland, Calif., Joseph Ralston, Leroy Wood, W. A. Barrett, Rocky Mason, E. D. Cusick, William Pollak and Mrs. Hunt, Mr. Ed. Barrett, Dr. Ellis, Mr. D. O. Woodworth.

A charming party of the week attended by the jolly younger set, was the one for which the Misses Ruth Ross and Aileen Stevens were hostesses given Monday afternoon at the Hotel Albany. Dancing was the delightful diversion and music was furnished by Mrs. G. M. Jenkin and Miss Arlene Hoer. Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Stevens shaperoned the crowd. After spending the afternoon dancing the guests enjoyed a dinner at the home of Miss Eileen Stevens, given in honor of the Corvallis guests, who were the Misses Margaret Richard, Norma Davis, Lenora Beatty, Sylvia Davis, and John Richard, Roland Davis, J. Beatty, Dorval Bevens, George Petrie, Hugh Taylor. Other guests included the Misses Lantia Smith, Florence Fortmiller, Wilma Jenkin, Elizabeth Eagles, Mary Warner and Fera Reeves (Jefferson) and Hubert Fortmiller, Beverly Taylor, Roy Harris, Henry Wessel, Elwood Anderson, Wayne Schumaker (Jefferson).

The Hotel Albany was the scene of a merry party composed of eight girls, on Monday evening when they enjoyed an elaborate dinner. Later in the evening they visited the movies. The guests upon this occasion were the Misses Mae Tillman, Jessie Paynter, Valena Smith, Clare Tillman, Christine Pipe, Stella Dorgan, Pera Wilkins, Kate Stewart.

A New Years Ball of the season was the delightful one given Monday evening by the Elks. Dancing was enjoyed through the evening and splendid music was furnished to the dancers. At a late hour a delicious lunch was served in the dining room. Red carnations and candles were used in the table decorations. Mrs. V. Merrell, as chairman, Mrs. O. D. Austin, Mrs. J. K. Weatherford, Mrs. William Pfeiffer and Mrs. W. A. Barrett were hostesses. About 150 people enjoyed the evening at this pleasant affair.

An elaborate banquet was given Wednesday evening in the Methodist Church by the D. P. M. girls, entertaining their gentlemen friends. Pink carnations and shaded candles prettily decked the table. Miss Jessie Paynter served as toastmaster and Miss Clara Morgan gave a toast on D. P. M. Mr. Walter Wood, on "Damsels." Mr. Elmer Williamson, on "Pears" and Mrs. C. V. Littler, on "Men."

After the dinner the merry group spent a most enjoyable evening in games, music and many cleverly arranged amusements. The guests at this affair were the Misses Lorena Phelps, Lula Heist, Jessie Paynter.

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Mrs. Francis W. Arnold was a delightful hostess this week when the Thursday Study club met at her home. Roll call was responded to with current events and Miss Katherine Barrett read an interesting paper on Scotland. A lunch, served by the hostess, completed the afternoon pleasures. Complement d'guests were Mrs. Fred Veal, Miss Roberta Veal, Mrs. J. K. Weatherford, Mrs. Mark Weatherford.

The Acme Bridge club was entertained this week on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. H. H. Hewitt. Bridge was the afternoon diversion. Mrs. John Simpson and Mrs. Cecil Cathey were invited guests.

The Pricillias were entertained this week on Thursday with Mrs. A. Austin as hostess. The invited guests spending an enjoyable afternoon at her home were the Mesdames H. M. Palmer, O. D. Austin, D. Bussard, George Taylor. Assisting the hostess in serving were the Misses Winnie Austin, Marion Anderson, and Mrs. Harry Hawkins.

The Senior class of the Albany High School held a party on Friday evening at the home of Miss Ruth Livingston. Music and various games were the diversion through out the enjoyable hours and later a lunch was served.

Green and white, the class colors, were prettily used in the decorations with fir bows, crepe paper and shaded lights. The crowd attended the basket ball game between Halsey and Albany before the party.

A jolly crowd of girls met last night and enjoyed a covered dish feed at the home of Miss Aletha Cummings. Miss Elda Pettibone, who has returned from a trip to California, was the inspiration for this Beta Bamma party. After the feed the girls attended the Albany-Halsey basket ball game. The party was composed of Misses Kamilla Kroschel, Ruth Lockner, Ruth Rawlings, Fay King, Elda Pettibone, Nina Bending, Velma Anthony, Hazel Hall, and Aletha Cummings.

Mrs. C. H. Wieder was the inspiration for a surprise party, given Friday afternoon by a number of her friends. She was also the recipient of a beautiful gift, in honor of her birthday. Guests invited to pass an enjoyable afternoon were the Mesdames E. C. Brandberry, C. L. Munson, E. M. Pugh, Elmer Gipe, G. T. Hockensmith, C. V. Littler, A. J. Hodges, O. D. Austin, S. E. Watson, G. M. Hawkins, George Crowell, M. D. Wells, Mary Bilyeu, W. Pfeiffer, H. W. Barker, Gibson, G. H. Hough, G. W. Wright, L. H. Fish, G. M. Junkin, J. D. Summers, Okey, E. S. Weider, A. C. Jenkins, Z. H. Rudd, A. Stark.

Miss Winnie Austin entertained a few friends Thursday evening at her home. A delicious lunch brought a delightful evening to a close.

The Modern Travelers met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. T. Sox. After roll call was responded to with current events, Mrs. Wilson entertained the guests with "What fairy-like music steals over the sea, sea." Entrancing our senses with charmed melody, and Mrs. J. K. Weatherford and Mrs. Hewitt gave "A Day With Art and Music."

A pleasant social afternoon followed.

On Thursday of this week Mrs. G. H. Fiddaman was hostess to the O. D. O. club. A contest was the main diversion of the afternoon and fancy

work was also enjoyed. At the close of the afternoon dainty refreshments were served. As invited guests Mrs. Fiddaman entertained Mrs. Palka of Salem, Mrs. Mosher and Mrs. Stump of Dallas.

Mrs. Homer Dowd entertained in a delightful manner on Friday afternoon for the Neos Numpke club members. An enjoyable afternoon was passed in games and other diversions and later a choice lunch was served by the hostess.

The Saans Souci club met this week at the home of Mrs. Albert Reise. As complimented guests she entertained Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Barker, and Mrs. Morris Dowd.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Frensh extended their hospitality on Monday evening to the Monday Covered-dish club. For complimented guests they entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tweedale and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Pirtle.

Mrs. Harry Hawkins, Miss Marion Anderson and Miss Louise Weider spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. L. I. Hurst. Bridge was the afternoon diversion and a dainty lunch completed the afternoon.

One of the best dances of the season will be given tonight at the Armory. Preceding the dance the O. A. C. cadet band will give an entertaining concert. Music for the dancers will be furnished by this band and it is expected that an excellent crowd will attend.

The Artcraft club met this week on Tuesday with Mrs. S. E. Watson as hostess. Complimented guests who spent a pleasant afternoon at her home were Mrs. A. Cozer of San Francisco, Mrs. O. D. Austin, Mrs. E. F. Wiles, Mrs. Okey.

Mrs. E. J. Knapp entertained for the New Idea club this week on Thursday. An election was held and the following officers chosen: President, Mrs. John Carnegie; Vice-president, Mrs. C. M. Kendall; secretary-treasurer, Miss Margarette Moulton; reporter, Mrs. C. M. Kendall; flower committee, Mrs. Tower, Mrs. Frank Stuart and Mrs. J. W. Saylor. Refreshments were part of the afternoon an enjoyable afternoon.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Homer Dowd was pleasantly surprised when the members of the S. S. S. club gave a party for her. Several invited guests enjoyed the afternoon. Refreshments were part of the afternoon pleasures.

Mrs. W. G. Hendryx was hostess this week to the Thursday tating club. At a business meeting the following officers were elected, president, Mrs. Fred Hofflich; vice-president, Mrs. Ruth Hendryx, secretary, Mrs. Pearl Hackleman; treasurer, Mrs. Mark Hofflich. Fancy work and refreshments took up the remaining time of the afternoon. Mrs. Crueger of Bremerton, Washington, was complimented guest.

The Dowd families enjoyed New Years dinner on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dowd.

The Margaret Catherine Missionary Circle met in the parlors of the Christian church on Tuesday of last week, with Miss Gertrude Bilyeu as leader. After a short business session a social hour was enjoyed by all present.

On Monday Miss Elizabeth Smith entertained several guests for New Years dinner.

Mrs. J. D. Summers and Mrs. Okey spent a few days in the country as the guests of Mrs. Bray.

Mrs. Myrtle Looney was hostess on Thursday to the Rural Ladies club. The members present included the Mesdames Virgil Looney, Barker, Way, Shirley, Conn, Ashton, Allen, Ralston, U. G. Smith, Fisher, Pike, and the Misses Lucy and Hazel Ashton and the two Misses Jordan who were taken into the club as new members. As complimented guests Mrs. James Conn, Mrs. George Thompson, of Millersberg, Joseph Warner were entertained.

The people of Riverside had a surprise party on Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mansolf, New Year's eve to celebrate the dying of the old year and birth of the new. Between 30 and 40 people were present. Appropriate games were played and about midnight choice refreshments were served. The guests departed at an early hour New Year's day.

The Kill Kare club met this week with Mrs. J. U. Rodgers on Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was passed in the usual pleasant way. In behalf of the club Mrs. H. O. McFerrin, with a few well chosen words, presented Mrs. W. A. Sharp, the former president, with a beautiful cut glass vase. Later in the afternoon a delicious lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Master Lyle Meisner. Invited guests were W. W. Meisner, Mrs. Ed. Holland, Mrs. Addie Price and Mrs. Jesse Dudley.

Albany guests at Salem last week were extensively entertained. Among the Salem hosts for their guests, were Mr. and Mrs. John J. Roberts, whose house-guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cusick, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Young, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Mason.

Mrs. George J. Pearce and her mother, Mrs. E. C. Small entertained with a Kensington, honoring Mrs. Thomas G. Hopkins. The Pearce home was prettily decked in Oregon

grape and Christmas bells.

An "after the dance supper" followed the subscription dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Roberts, given as a compliment to their house-guests.

Thursday saw another charming event, for which Mrs. Robert Chancy Bishop was hostess. Albany visitors were honor guests at this affair. For luncheon the guests of Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Roberts were guests being Miss Isabelle Young, Mrs. Percy Young, Mrs. Rocky Mason, Mrs. Harry B. Cusick and Mrs. Charles Stewart.

Among a profusion of mauve chrysanthemums and pink buds, artistically arranged about the rooms, a number of guests played bridge for the afternoon's diversion, and others came in for lunch.

Mrs. Francis Arnold and Mrs. Willard Marks entertained on Thursday night with a progressive. The first part of the evening was delightfully spent at the home of Mrs. Arnold, and later the guests enjoyed a delicious lunch at the home of Mrs. Marks. Those who were guests for this occasion were the Messrs. and Mesdames H. B. Cusick, D. W. Merrill, Earl Fisher, Jess Martin, John Neeley, Allen Stelmacher, G. E. Riggs, Works Arnold.

Mrs. Howard Jenks was hostess on Wednesday to a charming tea. As guests she invited the Mesdames Clarence Scott, Robe, Robson, Gillett, Ashton, Conn, J. E. Jenks, Morgan, Sharp, H. S. Anderson, Griffith, Jessie Jenks, Sturmer and the Misses Olive Luper, Eva Borus, Nellie Morgan, Hallie Jenks. Mrs. Griffith, Miss Olive Luper and Mrs. Howard Jenks served a dainty collation.

Mrs. George Baker and Miss Myrtle Doffmeyer of Portland are being entertained this week as the house guests of Mrs. H. A. Leininger.

The Kensington Club met on Friday with Mrs. C. E. Clifford. Fancy work took up the afternoon's hours, and a lunch completed them.

One of the jolliest parties of the week was the one given by Mr. L. E. Blain on Wednesday evening, when he entertained the boys of his Sunday school class of the United Presbyterian church. An elaborate turkey dinner was immensely enjoyed by the boys the first part of the evening, and a lively evening followed. Thirteen guests spent the evening at Mr. Blain's house.

Mr. C. B. Winn entertained the employees of the Wells Fargo and the Western Union Telegraph companies to a dinner party at the Hotel Albany on Monday evening.

AT THE CHURCHES

Nazarene—Do not fail to hear J. E. Bates at the Nazarene Tabernacle Sunday at 11 and 7:30, and all next week, services during the week beginning at 7:45. We still find some who do not know where to find us.—well, come to Main and Salem Road and you will see the Electric Sign one block East. Ever yours, A. Walker, pastor.

First Presbyterian Church.—Rev. F.

H Geselbracht, minister, 10:30 morning service. Theme: The Place of Experience in Thinking. To my Junior Congregation: Habits, 11:45 S. S. classes for all, 6:30 Young People's Society, 7:30 evening service. Plain Answers to Religious Questions: The Benefits of Honest Inquiry. "A day in thy courts is better than a thousand."

Church of Christ—D. Loyd Morgan, pastor. Morning service 10:30 a. m. We designate this as "Family Day." All members of the family are requested to sit together. The sermon subject will be, "Thou and All Thy Family." The music will be a feature, the old-time hymns being used. Bible school 11:45 a. m. A place for all. Come and be one of us. The work of the Junior Endeavor will be resumed at 4 p. m. Young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m. All young people are invited. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Subject of discourse, "Starving in the Midst of Plenty." There will be some splendid special music. Come and feel the welcome.

Grace Presbyterian Church—Robert Joseph Diven, minister, 10 a. m. Bible school, 11 a. m. morning sermon, "Man," 3 p. m. Junior Endeavor, 7:30 p. m. evening sermon—"Reasons for Special Services." Rev. A. E. Fitch will arrive for the service Monday evening. Let all get ready for this short session of revival services. Everybody welcome.

Evangelical Church—C. I. Schuster, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. with regular study of lesson, and "Decision Day" service. Morning sermon at 11 a. m. Young People's Alliance at 6:30 p. m., followed by evangelistic services at 7:30 p. m.

Christian Science—Corner Fourth and Ferry streets. Sunday service at 11 a. m. Subject of lesson sermon, "God." Wednesday evening meetings at 8. Sunday school at 10 and 11 a. m. Reading room open from 2 till 4:30 p. m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday in the church parlor. All are welcome.

St. Mary's Church—Rev. Arthur Lane, rector. Rev. Henry Pelletan, assistant. Sunday services at 8 and 10 a. m. Father Henry will preach from the gospel of the day, St. Matthew, ch. 2, the subject being "The Epiphany of Christ." Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. There will be an afternoon service at 4 o'clock. The children of the parish will participate in this service, which will be held at the Christmas crib. The evening service will be omitted.

M. E. Church—Preaching morning and evening at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Dr. S. A. Danford. Services will be held every night through the week.

Sunday school immediately after morning preaching. Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend these services. CHAS. E. GIBSON, pastor.

United Presbyterian Church—W. P. White, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible school at 11:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. The Monday Night Bible Lectures will be for several weeks on the Life of David. While these lectures will be in our regular course through the Bible, they will be interesting to those who have not been following our studies heretofore. A proper understanding of the significance of David's place in the scripture program is the key to much of the Bible that is not understood by the average Bible reader.

RENEWAL TO BEGIN AT W. E. CHURCH SUNDAY

The revival meetings so long anticipated by the membership and friends of the Methodist church will begin tomorrow morning at the Methodist church, at 10:30 o'clock.

Dr. S. A. Danford, the Oregon Conference Evangelist, will be in charge. Dr. Danford is a strong, effective preacher, a man of spiritual power and ability. The prayer meetings for the past week have been marked by an unusual spirit of earnestness. The membership is expecting an old-time revival, such as will move sinners to repentance and uphold the Christian.

All Albany should be interested in these services. While they are to be held in the Methodist church, yet they are for all who wish to see a "Better Albany." Come and help; bring your friends; you will not be disappointed.

THAT CORVALLIS HAMMER

Gazette-Times: The Albany Democrat says "New Years Day a quiet one here." Which is equivalent to saying that New Year's Day in Albany was no different from any other day.

David's throne is yet to be occupied by David's son, the Lord Jesus Christ. We believe that the King will soon be here. The Bible teaches that there will not be peace on earth till He comes. Everything seems to point to the rapid fulfillment of Bible prophecy. No Christian should be a pessimist. "Look up, for your redemption draweth nigh."

Baptist Church—You are welcome at the Bible school, 10 a. m., at the public worship, 11; the B. Y. P. U. 6:30, and evening service 7:30. Sermon subject, "Antiseptic Christians." Evening—"Mental and Divine Healing." G. H. Young, pastor, Allan Banks, S. S. Supt.

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