

SOCIETY

Miss Beatrice Sanders
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A delightful affair of Wednesday afternoon was presided over by Mrs. M. Sanders when she entertained a large number of guests for the neighborhood bridge club. Pink carnations decked the rooms where bridge was the diversion. Mrs. G. M. Junkin won honors for high score. At the close of the afternoon an elaborate lunch was served, with Helen Pugh and Charlotte Solomon assisting in the kitchen. The guests for this occasion were: Misses William Pollak, W. V. Merrill, E. M. Pugh, Albert Senders, Murray Marshall, H. M. Palmer, G. M. Junkin, E. G. Sanders, E. F. Anderson, Haas, Fred Ward, S. N. Smith, Chas. Prochnow, G. W. Wright, Chas. Monson, E. C. Brandeberry, W. A. Barrett, Sheldon (Salem), and Miss Emma Summerfield, Miss Marion Anderson.

Charming in its simplicity was the wedding of Miss Willetta Wright and Mr. Fred O. Doherty, which was solemnized this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wright. Two-fifteen was the time chosen, and only the relatives and a few intimate friends were present. Preceding the wedding a dinner was given at the wedding home with the relatives of both young people as guests.

Miss Wright is a prominent young lady of Albany; attended U. of O. where she was a distinguished student and popular in the social circles, belonging to the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. She was an English teacher in Albany High school, from there moving to a ranch near Drewsey Idaho. She has a host of friends in Albany and always a popular member of her set.

Mr. Doherty is a popular young man of excellent character, employed in the First National bank.

The young couple will leave for Portland on the 3 o'clock Oregon Electric, where they will remain for about two weeks.

The Jolly Acme Bridge club met this week on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Guy Lewelling. As substitutes for absent members were: Mrs. Earl Fisher, Mrs. Grant Montgomery and Mrs. Grant Mittle. The party played bridge thru the afternoon.

The hostess for the Priscilla club this week was Mrs. Percy Kelly, who she pleasantly entertained them on Thursday afternoon. Her guests were Mrs. C. H. Buzaral, Mrs. E. M. Rangan, Mrs. R. R. Wallace, Mrs. W. H. Davis. Needle work took up the afternoon time and refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. E. C. Brandeberry entertained this afternoon for the officers of the Eastern Star, those of last year and the new officers. Sewing was the afternoon diversion after which Mrs. Brandeberry served a lunch.

The Knights of Pythias gave a delightful dancing party Tuesday evening. Installation of officers took place and refreshments were part of the evening's pleasures.

The girls of the Domestic Science classes of Junior High school gave a tea for their mothers on Wednesday afternoon. The guests called from two o'clock until two-thirty. Refreshments were served.

Our Weekly Chat

THE things we strive for are the ones that often elude us. The unexpected happens more frequently than we expected, just as it did to the alchemist who essayed, by mixing various earths, to make a crucible that would endure, and was agreeably surprised to find that he had produced porcelain!

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Hamiltons

ments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Hackleman were pleasantly surprised on Thursday evening of this week, by the members of the Neos Nymphs Club and their husbands. Games, music and dancing filled out the delightful evening which was brought to a close with a dainty lunch.

Guests enjoying the evening were the Messrs. and Mesdames Darwin Carnegie, Homer Dowd, C. B. Essex, Rollin Hackleman, Ed Viereck, Joseph Warner and Glen Willard.

The O. D. O. Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Fred Farlow. A contest was enjoyed during the afternoon and later refreshments served. Mrs. Farlow's guests were Mrs. M. Parker, Mrs. H. C. Conn, Mrs. Pugh, of Jefferson, Mrs. C. Farlow and Miss Gentry.

The Thursday tating club met this week at the home of Mrs. Jack Minton. A pleasant afternoon was passed in fancy work and completed with choice refreshments.

Mrs. McFarland was hostess on Thursday to the Rural Ladies Club. The members present were the Mesdames Pike, Allen, Fisher, Ashton, Mervyl Looney, Virgil Looney, U. G. Smith, Shirley, May Barker, L. W. Shrode, U. Shrode, Ralston, Altermatt and the Mesdames Mildred Allen, Hazel and Lucy Ashton, Nancy Ruston. Mrs. Ruston was an invited guest.

The Gleaners class of the First Presbyterian church met last night at the home of their teacher, Mrs. B. R. Wallace. A pleasant evening was passed and a short business meeting took place.

A jolly party of Monday night was the one at the home of Miss Ruth Livengood where a noodle feed, preceded by a trip to the movies, was enjoyed by the Misses Lucile Snyder, Lee Fortmiller, Janet Dawson, Beatrice Sanders and Ruth Livengood, the Messrs. Louis Schultz, John Tate, Oran Jenkins and Clarence Wiles.

On Thursday evening the Moose Lodge gave an entertainment in the form of a home coming. An elaborate program was given which the High School orchestra featured.

The North Albany Thimble Club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. O. R. Anderson. Sewing was the diversion of the afternoon, followed by a dainty luncheon. Those present were the Mesdames F. R. Dooley, J. L. Bray, E. Goff, E. Blanche Gilbert, J. E. Jones, Roy Kelly, J. G. Medley, Maude Holmes, H. C. Hutchinson, S. B. Penny, C. L. Morey, O. L. Hoadley, J. R. Rainwater, G. E. Tobey, E. L. Tobey and C. B. Wise; Misses Hutchinson, Peacock, Volle and Wise.

A very pleasant social event took place Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry R. Conn, at which time the engagement of their daughter Nita to Laurence Howard was announced. Both parties are well and favorably known in Albany and have the best wishes of a host of friends.

Mr. Howard is now a resident of Loma, Montana, and is in the transfer business at that place. The wedding will take place early in the spring.

Following the announcement, congratulations were extended; they came cards and music, and a good time in general. About midnight a dainty lunch was served, which completed the evening's pleasure. The invited guests were Miss Beatrice Newport, of Willamette; Miss Evelyn Gordon, of Willamette; Miss Louise Newport, Lebanon; Olive Millholland; Miss Bessie Hoover, Miss Hildegard Spillman; Miss Mary and Regina Liska; Miss Leona Zeh; Miss Esther McChesney; Miss Beulah Richards; Miss Velma and Alice Lawrence; Miss Eulalia Cole; Miss Opal Howard; Miss Gladys and Hazel Gilbert; Miss Hazel Cowan, Misses Eva and Edith Burns, Miss Love Burgess, Sheridan; Mrs. Rova Conn, Mrs. Gertrude Essex, Mrs. Helen Howard, Mrs. Frank Howard, Mrs. Anna Howard.

The Thursday Afternoon Study club met this week with Mrs. E. M. Pugh as hostess. The roll call was answered by current events and another feature of the interesting afternoon was an excellent paper on "Mediterranean" by Mrs. C. C. Bryant. Later delicious refreshments were served by Miss Louise Wieder and Mrs. Brandeberry. The invited guests included Mesdames A. C. Schmitt, W. A. Barrett, John Simpson, Cecil Cathey, E. L. Wieder, Henry Conser, H. M. Palmer, G. W. Junkin, F. H. Geselbracht, H. H. Hewitt, W. H. Davis, C. B. Winn, J. M. Hawkins, Bilyen and Myster.

The basement of the Fisher home was the scene of a jolly dancing party on Saturday evening of last week. This gay affair was given by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fisher. A lunch rounded out the evening's pleasure.

Mrs. L. L. Hurst and Miss Louise Wieder entertained the Monday night bridge club this week at the Wieder home. The evening enjoyably spent in bridge, was followed by a choice lunch. Mrs. G. E. Sanders and Mrs. W. A. Barrett substituted for absent members.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Junkin were hosts on Saturday of last week for the Epicurean covey dish club. An elaborate feed was followed by a delightful evening.

On Saturday evening of last week several friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Sanders and spent the evening dancing at their home. The pleasant evening was rounded out with a dainty lunch. Those composing the party were the Messrs. and Mesdames Chas. Monson, William Pollock, E. C. Brandeberry, E. M. Pugh, Earl McIntosh, J. L. White and Mr. Ed. Barrett.

The Leisure Hour Club was elaborately entertained yesterday afternoon when Mrs. W. H. Davis presided as a gracious hostess. An unusually enjoyable afternoon was passed, rounded out with a dainty lunch. A number of complimented guests enjoyed this affair.

A gay little party of the week was the one at the home of Miss Lucile Snyder, Friday night. Dancing was part of the evening's diversion, and at a late hour a delicious lunch was served, adding to the pleasures of the evening. Those enjoying the evening at the Snyder home were the Misses Lee Fortmiller, Corintha Hart, Ruth Livingood, Janet Dawson, Carolyn Wright, Lucile Snyder, M. Evelyn Miller, Nellie Snyder, and the Messrs. Louis Schultz, John Tate, Clarence Wiles, Pete Miller, Raymond Neberlah, Oran Jenkins, C. E. Wold, Clifford.

On Monday evening Miss Clara Morgan was hostess to the T. E. D. E. girls. After a covered dish supper the evening was enjoyed in fancy work.

Miss Elda Pettibone was hostess last night to the Beta Gamma girls when they held a jolly meeting. This occasion was in honor of the birthday of the Misses Velma Anthony, La Verne Hofflich and Elda Pettibone. Later the girls visited the movies.

The New Idea Club met this week on Thursday with Mrs. Nick Landon as hostess. Refreshments completed an enjoyable afternoon.

Mr. A. C. Schmitt was a delightful host on Wednesday evening of this week when he entertained the members of his Bible Study class at an elaborate dinner, given in his home. Eighteen guests gathered around the table and spent an enjoyable social evening later.

On Monday evening the Women of the Woodcraft held installation of officers, resulting as follows: past guardian, Mrs. Schol; guardian neighbor, Mrs. Clarence; advisor, Mrs. Kirk; musician, Mrs. Bees; attendant, Mrs. McChesney, Captain of guards, Mrs. Warford; banker, Mrs. Viereck; clerk, Mrs. Warner; managers, Van Winkle, Rolfe and Chance. Following this a social evening was enjoyed and refreshments served.

Mrs. Frank Verno entertained this week on Thursday for the Hazelwood Social Tating Club. The afternoon was passed in needlework and two beautiful bouquets of mixed flowers were presented to Mrs. W. E. Anderson, the president, and Mrs. H. B. Springer, secretary. Answering to roll call were the Mesdames W. E. Anderson, Harry Wicks, B. B. Morrison, C. E. Powers, Tom Moores, D. B. Spear, M. B. Springer, Frank Verno, McCabean, H. B. Springer, W. H. Howard, W. H. Hopper, J. W. Sweet (Portland), Dora Batterman, Wenatchee, Wash.

The Misses Evelyn Gordon and Beatrice Newport spent the week end in Albany as guests of Miss Nita Conn.

A delightful affair was the ten cent social given Wednesday afternoon by the Ladies of the Industrial Society of the United Presbyterian church. The home of Mrs. M. B. Craft was used for this occasion. Various amusements were provided and enjoyed during the afternoon and light refreshments were served. Between 45 and 50 guests were present.

A military club dance was given last night in the Armory.

The Twilight Club met this week at the home of Miss McCullough and spent a pleasant evening, on Tuesday of this week.

Miss Marion Reeve of Chicago was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin G. Hackleman, (Pauline Stanford) on her way home from a tour of the Northwest. Miss Reeve is a former Chicago friend of the Stanford family.

Mrs. Rollin Gilbert Hackleman accompanied the Girls' Glee Club of Albany College to Portland last week, while there attending a performance of the Imperial Ballet Russe.

ROAD IMPROVEMENT

The House passed Representative Bean's bill authorizing the State Board of Control to issue bonds, if necessary, to match the Federal appropriation of \$1,800,000 for road improvement work in Oregon. The expenditure is to be spread over a period of five years, and the state need bond itself only enough to complete the \$1,800,000 fund if that amount is not available from other sources. The government requires the state to spend dollar for dollar.

TRIBUNE SAYS \$3000 WOULD HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED

Tribune—

Well no. Scio did not sell the fair to Albany at the annual stockholders meeting last Saturday. They considered the offer almost insignificant. They figured to accept the offer, \$5 to take the fair off of their hands. So it was decided to take up the floating debt of \$250 by donation and more than one-half of that sum was subscribed in a few minutes.

A committee was appointed to finish raising the sum required to pay the preliminary expenses to get ready for another fair.

Some fifty or more people were present and the feeling seemed to be unanimous to retain the fair at Scio. Had Albany offered \$3000 net, to be paid to the shareholders, the change would probably have been made.

VETERAN PRINTER DEAD

Brother of Hugh McNeil of Albany Passed Away at Oregon City on Wednesday.

Oregon City, Jan. 18.—John McNeil, veteran printer and newspaperman, died at the home of his brother, James McNeil, at Willamette late yesterday after a long illness.

He was born 53 years ago at Hudson, N. Y. For several years he was employed by the O. S. P. Co. failing health compelled him to quit. Two brothers, James and Hugh McNeil, the latter of Albany, were with him when he died. One sister, Mrs. P. J. Conroy, of New Hampton, Ia., and two other brothers, Daniel E. McNeil, of Manassas, Va., and F. McNeil, of St. Paul, Minn., survive.

THE ENGLISH INSULT

Nothing So Serious in London As To Ask a Man Why He Is Not In The Army.

By J. W. Pegler
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
London, Jan. 19.—Why aren't you in the Army? Next to calling a man a German, that is the favorite insult, amounting to "fighting words," now in use in London. The civilian hasn't much chance of a come-back except with his fists so if he retorts at all it is usually with his right.

The waiter with a little gold or silver strips on his sleeve, meaning that he has been shot or gassed, throws a sneering glance at the civilian diner. The soup is cold and the diner says so.

"The soup isn't cold in the Army," is the waiter's come-back. "Why aren't you there?" As the Conscriptio Act exempts nobody without reason, the civilian has a good legal right to be a civilian. But he can't go into details about his tribunal hearings so he scrapes the waiter's head with a ketchup-bottle. But the civilian usually gets the worst of it regardless of whether he succeeds in punishing his tormentor. Public opinion just naturally drifts against him. It is the same on the street if he accidentally bumps another pedestrian. He may apologize but if resentment isn't appeased the injured party reels off the crowning insult. Americans generally escape because their "accents" excludes them from English army consideration. But once in a while someone makes a mistake as a waltz conductor did with a New York chauffeur.

"Why aren't you in the Army?" demanded the connoisseur after a trivial argument. The New Yorker's reply was made to order. "Sa-ay, listen, Cockney," he said contemptuously. "My army" he laid yours twice and if they have to do it again I'll be with 'em."

MANY SPUDS

Lebanon E. A.:
R. F. Fitzwater, local buyer for McKinley Mitchell of Portland, has done a large business since he began buying the latter part of August. During this time he has shipped 40 cars of potatoes totaling about 20,000 bushels, four cars of onions, 20 cars of grain, consisting of about 37,000 bushels of oats, wheat and vetch. He has paid out to the farmers of the community about \$45,000 for these products. Other local buyers have also been doing a large business, but Mr. Fitzwater has probably done the largest business this season.

BY THE WHOLESALE

President Now Sees Congressmen En Masse, Not Individually.

(By United Press)
Washington, Jan. 19.—The Rooseveltian practice of seeing a maximum number of Congressmen in a minimum space of time, has been adopted by President Wilson. Members of Congress aren't very keen about the new system.

Instead of going in individually and spending from five minutes to half an hour with the President alone, Representatives and Senators now go into the President's office in a group of from three to twenty. Roosevelt adopted this practice when he was President.

The President passes from one to the other disposing of all of them in jig time, as compared with the old system. In addition the President sees his callers now in the afternoon making it even more difficult for Congressmen to get in for they have to leave the floor of the Capitol in order to confer with the Executive. But the President is behind in his work and he has to clear up the callers quickly in order to get to the stack of Government papers piled high on his desk.

JONES BILL

A bill introduced in the house Monday by Representative Walter B. Jones, of Lane county, would make it a misdemeanor for any man to become the father of a child born out of wedlock, and provides also that the father of the child shall contribute to its support.

The penalty provided is a fine of not more than \$2,000 or a jail sentence of not more than a year, or both. The father is held responsible for the support of the child until it is 18 years old, and the measure provides that the child is his lawful heir, and that a lien may be levied against his property for the child's support.

The court is given power, in case the father does not provide, to arrest him and put him to work for the county, paying \$2 a day to the child for his services.

The child is to take the name of the father, even though he may marry another woman than the child's mother.

DEATH OF MRS. RADER

Journal—

Mrs. Josephine Rader died, Tuesday, 12:30 Clackamas street, Tuesday, in her sixty-ninth year, following a long illness. She moved from Newport about two years ago on account of her health. Mrs. Rader was born in Salem, Or. Most of her life was spent in Newport and the Yaquina Bay section. She was the mother of Mrs. Grace King of Siletz, Mrs. R. E. Bilyen of Astoria, Mrs. K. E. Greenwald and Mrs. D. A. Sandlin of Portland. A sister is Mrs. A. R. Smith of Suver, Or. John P. Ingram of Alta, Canada, is an only brother. Mrs. Rader was a member of the Rebeccah Lodge, J. O. O. F., at Newport, and was widely known in that section of the state.

ATTENDED RANNEY FUNERAL

Corvallis Gazette-Times—

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rickard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and Dick Smith were at Albany today to attend the funeral of the late Titus Ranney, an old friend of the Corvallisites.

Misses Kate and Mae Gerhard and their brother Henry Gerhard, were at Albany this afternoon, to attend the funeral of the late Titus Ranney, a former resident of this city. Mr. Ranney was formerly an employee of the late Mr. Gerhard, father of the Corvallisites, and is a life-long acquaintance of the Gerhards.

Mrs. Sherman Wade, of Clem, eastern Oregon, who was called to Albany last week by the serious illness of her father, Titus Ranney, who passed away in that city Tuesday, is in Corvallis to spend a short time visiting with relatives in this city. Mrs. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Whiteside and Miss Belle Ranney motored to Albany this afternoon to attend the funeral services of the late Mr. Ranney, held in that city at 2:30 o'clock.

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COURT HOUSE NOTES

W. R. Bilyen Jr. to D. W. Merrill, Dec. 19, 1916; lot 6 Blk. 101 Monteth's Southern Add Albany; \$10.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Bertha E. Johnston and husband to Valera Garland, Jan. 15, 1917; part of Blk. 2, Wheeler's Add Scio; \$500.
Valera Garland to H. S. Johnston and wife, Jan. 15, 1917; two acres in Sec. 7, Tp. 10, 1 West; \$1200.
H. A. Lake and wife to Wayne Dawson, Jan. 16, 1917; lot 2 Blk. 5, City View Add Albany; \$880.
John Carnegie and wife to D. S. London and wife, Jan. 9, 1917; five acres in Cl. 49, Tp. 11, 3 West; \$10.
Sarah Wallace to Frank S. Morehouse, Jan. 15, 1917; 40 acres in Sec. 18, Tp. 11, 1 East; \$10.

Sheriff's Deed

D. H. Bodine, sheriff, to S. D. Olmstead, Jan. 8, 1917; 118.80 acres in Sec. 18, Tp. 2 E.; \$637.99.

"THE EYE OF THE NIGHT"

A HEART INTEREST STORY

W. H. Thompson Plays Lighthouse Keeper in New Triangle Play at The Globe Sunday.

William H. Thompson, the veteran player who already has made three distinct appearances in Triangle plays, soon will be seen again when he is presented by Thomas H. Ince as the star of a heart interest drama entitled "The Eye of the Night." In this production Thompson plays the part of an aged keeper of a lighthouse in a small village on the coast of England, and his characterization is said to be one of the most impressive of its kind ever seen on the screen.

"The Eye of the Night," which comes to the Globe Sunday, narrates the simple story of a slave's misdeed, of her struggle for existence among the narrow-minded bigots in the town and of her ultimate discovery that the old keeper of the light—the only mortal who forgives her sin and receives her into his care—is her father. It is made powerful by the pathos of its situations and is agreeably relieved by the intermittent touches of quaint comedy.

One of the valuable assets of the play is the surpassing beauty of its scenes. Each was selected with extreme care to depict the homely picturesqueness of the coastal hamlet in which the action of the story takes place and each lent itself readily to beautiful photography. Among the more vivid scenes of the piece are those which show a fierce aerial attack on the village, the war being an important incident in the plot.

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