



# Society

For the pleasure of Miss Verva Hammond, a bride of the New Year, Miss Dora Smock gave a charming linen shower at her home on North Central, Friday evening. Miss Smock was gracefully assisted by Miss Vera Hammond. The house was beautifully decorated with red hearts, evergreens and chrysanthemums. Music and games filled the evening. Miss Hammond was seated in an archway, under a basket of ferns and flowers and when a ribbon was pulled, the contents, rice, flower petals and dainty packages, fell around her.

A dainty three course supper was served by three young ladies, Allison O'Brien, Ercle Stewart and Marie Hammond. The favors were tiny lace trimmed handkerchiefs in ribbon covered boxes, decorated with hearts. Those present were the Misses Hammond, Isaacs, Randall, and Hansen, Opal Daley, Vera Hammond, Armstrong, Wortman, Gore, Holloway, Smock, Allison O'Brien, Marie Hammond and Ercle Stewart.

The Revelers, a club organized among the younger Medford social set, whose series of parties last winter was probably as successful as any ever held in this city, have reorganized for the coming season and will give their first party next Wednesday evening, December 3rd, at the Natatorium.

Following the custom of last year, the first part of the evening will be given over to original entertainments and "stunts" followed by dancing. Each party of the series is to be in charge of a captain and a keen rivalry has developed among them as to which shall conduct the most original and entertaining diversion. Ben Sheldon is captain for the first party to be given next Wednesday. He promises a surprise that will set a pace for the other parties. "They have fleet steeds that follow" quotes Mr. Ben and his committee of assistants, and the club members are awaiting with keen interest the developments promised them.

The C. W. B. M. held its last regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Everett Eads on South Orange street, there were fourteen in attendance. The meeting was opened by scripture reading followed by prayer by Brother Boyle.

Mrs. Erdman gave a very interesting paper on the topic, "America for New America." Brother Putnam responded with a fine address. Mrs. Quisenberry gave a vocal solo which was much appreciated by all. Mrs. Hanley gave an instructive paper on "Caring for girls who arrive from foreign lands." This was well responded to by Brother Boyle.

The meeting was then turned over to the president for the business session.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Will Weisser on South Oakdale, Wednesday, December 3rd. Mrs. Everett Eads will lead the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Nye were delightful hosts Thanksgiving day, at their home on East Main where they observed an old time celebration of the day. The house was prettily decorated, suitable for the occasion. Covers were laid for 21.

Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Nye's hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Luke, Mr. and Mrs. Watt, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Merrick, Misses Ruth Merrick, Mildred Smith of Portland, Helen Watt, Nye, Mildred Nye, Park of Pittsburg, Pa., Dr. Page, Messrs. W. H. Watt, Walter Merrick, S. A. Nye, Jr. and Col. Peake, of Valley City, North Dakota.

The members of the Revelers club will attend the dance at the Hospital Bazaar this evening. There will be a good orchestra beginning at 8:30 o'clock and all will endeavor to make the last evening of the Bazaar a great success. Mr. Ben Sheldon will be in charge of the dance.

Miss Miriam L. Doyle left for San Francisco and Southern California Saturday morning, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Clinton J. Peyton.

Miss Ina Cochran, who is attending the University of Oregon is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents.

Mrs. A. C. Allen has returned from a trip to San Francisco.

Miss Gladys Peart and Miss Margaret and Mr. Henry Soutter gave a dancing party to a large number of their friends at St. Mark's hall Thanksgiving evening. For this occasion the hall was artistically decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and laurel. The host and hostesses were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Edward Soutter, Miss Evelyn Soutter and Mrs. A. F. Stennett. Miss Evelyn Soutter also presided over the punch bowl during the evening. The invited guests were the following: Misses Francis York, Lucile York, Gladys Wilson, Lucile Messner, Joan Anderson, Louise Daddsman, Carolyn Andrews, Vera Merriman, Alleen Irene Smith, Helen Purucker, Grace Perl, Ethel Guthrie, Lenore Vance, Purkeylie, Babe Cochran, Josephine Root, Hazel Antle, Jean Budge, Ruth Warner, Esther Warner, Vera Olmstead, Marie Gates, Katherine Soutter, Nellie Campbell, Alene Allen, Francis Kenney, Phyllis Tidale, Marie Effert, Ethel Effert, Vivian Childers; Messrs. Nolo Lindley, Charles Ray, Don Hader, Francis Bennett, Lloyd Williamson, George Gates, Horace Bromley, Ralph Pierce, William Vawter, Don Newberry, Frank Ray, John Demmer, Robert Strang, Earl Hubbard, James Vance, Robert Pelouze, Ward Barnett, Turner Daws, Luther Deuel, Ralph Bacon, Harold Cochran, Theodore Fish, Luther Tidale, Dolph Phipps, Herbert Alford, Carder Brandon, Milton Scheuchard, Ralph Norris, Clinton Purkeylie, Jay Gore, Robert Kinley-side.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual sale Friday and Saturday, Dec. 5 and 6, in the store room formerly occupied by Ahrens, in St. Mark's block.

The ladies have many more beautiful things than they have ever had before—the handcraft booth will have some unusually handsome articles; there will be different booths containing articles for 50 cents, 25 cents and 25 cents. In the kitchen booth besides useful articles for the kitchen will be found a variety of home cooking. In the children's booth will be found clothing for children up to six years of age.

Tea and wafers will be served free both afternoons and there will be a musical program in the evening, after which coffee will be served free. Every one is asked to attend.

A luncheon will be given by the Junior class of the Domestic Science department of the high school Tuesday of next week.

Baked beans, brown bread, pumpkin pie and coffee will be served and tables will be set for fifty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. P. Andrews had as their dinner guests Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Hutchison, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay of Central Point, Miss Fern Hutchison and Mr. McCurdy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Howard entertained Thanksgiving day at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Angle, Mr. and Mrs. Gaddis and son, Mr. and Mrs. Platt and son, and Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Howard and family.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the chapel, when they will finish the work being done for the Fair. A full attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Garnett entertained Thursday at Thanksgiving dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Ben Garnett and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bratney and daughter.

The Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Watt, on Jackson street, at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. E. V. Coffin left Wednesday for Chicago where she will visit her children, Miss Inez and Roswell Coffin, who are studying music there. She will be away about six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Quayle entertained at dinner Thursday. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Brackenried, Mrs. Goff and Mr. Myron Root.

Dr. and Mrs. French had as their Thanksgiving guests Mr. and Mrs. Delroy Getchell and Mr. Richard Wilson.

Miss Inez Gresham of Red Bluff, Cal., is the guest of Medford friends.

Mrs. Wm. Budge entertained the Tuesday luncheon club this week.

Mr. E. B. Hanley returned from the north Thursday morning.

Russell H. Swank and Ethel May Smith were united in marriage by Rev. W. F. Shields at the Presbyterian manse Tuesday, November 25. Mr. Swank has taught in the Gold Hill schools and also in the high school of Astoria, and his bride is one of the beautiful young girls of the Rogue river valley. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith, formerly lived in Medford, but now reside near Tolo. Mr. and Mrs. Swank will live in the valley.

About twenty neighbors gave Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sullenger a surprise last night in the nature of a "house warming" party. Mr. Sullenger has just completed and moved into a handsome bungalow on Vancouver street and the surprise party was for the purpose of wishing them happiness and prosperity in their elegant new home. Cards and refreshments were indulged in until midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bellinger entertained on Thanksgiving day with an elaborate turkey dinner. The house was decorated with lavender chrysanthemums. The invited guests were: Mrs. Caroline Bellinger, Mr. and Mrs. Will Weisser and daughter, Francis, Mr. Clarence Sutter, Master Leland Willits of Lakeview, Ore., Master Ralph Bellinger.

Charles W. Austin and Mary E. Wilson were united in marriage by the Rev. W. F. Shields at the Presbyterian manse, Saturday, November 22. Mr. and Mrs. Austin are from Butte Falls, where they will make their home. Their many friends in Medford, where they are well known, wish for them rich blessings in their new life and home.

A box social was held Tuesday night by the students of the high school to raise funds for the girls' basketball team. Boxes containing supper were auctioned off, one box bringing \$6.99. Over \$60 was raised from the biddings. A musical program concluded the evening's entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur A. Jones of Ross Lane gave a dinner on Thanksgiving day when the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rose, Mrs. B. A. Jones, Misses Catherine O'Connell, Maud Newbury, Sybil Fish, Messrs. Donald Newbury and Carl Newbury.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Griffin and family have returned to Medford and living three years in the Willamette valley.

Mrs. Edwin S. Janney left Wednesday for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will spend the winter with her sister.

Mrs. Emma Hibbard has returned to her home in Colfax, Cal., after a visit with her son, Mr. Joe Hibbard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Booth returned this week to their home in Washington after a month's visit in Medford.

Mrs. Gardner Bullis leaves Sunday for Los Angeles, to attend the wedding of her brother.

Mr. C. M. English returned on Wednesday from several months stay in North Dakota.

The Wednesday Study club will hold their regular meeting Wednesday of next week.

Mrs. Paul Janney leaves Saturday for San Francisco, where she will join her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Bissel entertained Mr. and Mrs. Zimmer and family Thanksgiving day.

Miss Vivian Greer of Ashland is spending the week-end with Miss Irene Smith.

Mrs. W. E. Merrill is spending a few days at her ranch on Central Point road.

Miss Aletha Emerick entertained the Girls' Bridge club Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Catherine King of Gold Hill spent several days in Medford this week.

Mrs. John Butler is spending the week-end with her parents at Iahu ranch.

Mrs. Helen Gale and children will return next week from a trip to Portland.

The Ben Hur lodge gave another of their popular dances Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Patterson entertained at dinner Thanksgiving evening. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hamill, Mr. and Mrs. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Griffis, Mr. and Mrs. McCormack, Mr. and Mrs. Conro Fiero, Miss Harvey, Slater Johnson and Don Clark.

The annual Thanksgiving golf tournament and shoot was held at the Golf and Country club Thursday. Mr. Stanton Griffis winning the first and Mr. John Orth the last event. Luncheon was served at the club house and a Thanksgiving dinner was served in the evening.

Mrs. Meridith Bailey is expected to arrive Saturday for a visit in Medford. While here she will be the guest of Mrs. McCormack, Mrs. Fiero and Mrs. Dunbar Carpenter.

Mrs. D. M. Pratt of Elmira, N. Y., who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Hopkins, was called home Tuesday by the sudden death of her husband.

Cora Huston, Ruby Ahl and Jack Slorah visited a few hours in Central Point on their way to Rogue River Thanksgiving.

Mrs. P. J. O'Gara will return to Medford next week from North Dakota, where she was called by the illness of her mother.

Mrs. H. C. Moore has returned to her home in Nebraska after a visit with her daughter, Miss Mary Moore.

The regular meeting of St. Mark's guild will take place next Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the Guild hall.

Miss Harvey, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Phil Hamill, returned Friday to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mulkey spent Thanksgiving with relatives in the Willamette valley.

Miss Nell Storm and Miss Fay Pankey spent Thanksgiving with friends at Rogue River.

Mr. Wm. Alford and family left this week for St. Louis where they will reside.

Mr. Harry Coffeen of Yreka spent Thanksgiving Day with his parents in Medford.

Mrs. G. Dennis is spending Thanksgiving with relatives at Klamath Falls.

## WOMEN'S CLUB NOTES

Musical Department—Mrs. E. M. Andrews, chairman. Monday, December 1, at 3:00 p. m., Page Theater, public invited.

Social Hygiene Department—Dr. Myrtle Lockwood, chairman. Tuesday, December 2, 3:00 p. m., Library Building. Lecture by Prof. Sweater. Public invited.

Wednesday Study Club—Mrs. E. B. Pickett, president. Wednesday, December 3, 2:30 p. m., Library Building.

The regular meeting of the Greater Medford club was held on Monday last in the club rooms at the library building. During the business session a motion was made and carried that the club join the I.F.R.T. District Federation of Southern Oregon Women's clubs. An amendment was proposed, to be voted upon at the next general meeting of the club, that article IV, section 1 of the by-laws, be amended to read: "There shall be an initiation fee of one dollar and an annual fee of one dollar and twenty-five cents." This addition fee of twenty-five cents is to cover the general, state and district federation dues. It was decided to sell the Red Cross stamps this year as usual. They have arrived and will be put on sale in a week or so.

The program for the afternoon was in the hands of the Civic department. The chairman, Mrs. J. F. Reddy, being unable to be present, Mrs. A. A. Bird briefly outlined the work and plans of the department, after which Mr. Porter J. Neff was introduced. He gave a most interesting talk on what he said was a most stupid subject, "The City Charter." He closed his talk with a most timely (timely because of the approaching city elections) suggestion that city government depends, primarily, neither upon the charter, nor form, but upon the efficiency, of those whom we elect to manage our municipal affairs for us, and that demands interest and knowledge on the part of the voters. Let us all get busy and aid our city council by giving it the most able men our city has to offer.

The Social Hygiene department of the Greater Medford club will hold its first public meeting on Tuesday, December 2, at 3 o'clock, in the library building. Mr. A. R. Sweetzer, professor of botany at the university, will be present and

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The Anna Held All Star Varieties Jubilee, which comes to the Page Thursday, Dec. 4, is believed by John Cort, its producer, to be the epitome and climax of fine light entertainment as it is now expressed and demanded of the American stage. Beauty visualized and heard, a prime essential is supplied to the ultimate limit; great music, not great with the oppressive traditions of other days and races, but great with the crowding needs of America, of here and now; great dancing, dancing that is demonstrated racial expression

of young America, as witnessed in the syncopated measures of the Tango, the Turkey Trot, the Hesitating Waltz and the folk-steps of the young states; humor that is wholesome, clean, irresistible; mimicry that is definitely gracious; physical efficiency as bestowed upon the greatest acrobats of the Orient; the human voice in the latest and most perfect eloquence of appeal—these are the salient features of the advanced American vaudeville of which Anna Held's Varieties Jubilee is offered as the best example.

will address the meeting, his subject being "The Mystery of Life." This meeting is open to the general public and will be of especial interest to mothers.

Have you finished it yet? Your Christmas shopping? If not, get busy! Do it early in the month and early in the day. The Christmas season is a time of joy and happiness. We can add to the sum total of both of these by not overworking ourselves or others by leaving everything till the last moment. So plan your Christmas preparations that no one will in anyway regret this holy day because of you.

Page theater for this meeting. This will give everybody an opportunity to hear the excellent program that has been arranged. The fee is 25 cents for non-members, the proceeds to be applied to the fund for the purchase of a piano by the Greater Medford club. The general public is invited and that means men as well as women. Monday's program consists solely of Russian and Polish music, the numbers selected setting forth the national characteristics. "Poland's Dirge," sung by Miss Brown, contains the history and despair of a melancholy, heartbroken and persecuted race.

Program	
Sixth Dance Suite.....	Tchakopp
1—Polish Dance.....	
2—Circassian Dance.....	
3—Sevillana Dance.....	
Orchestra—Mr. Howell, Director.	
The Orchestra—Talk by Mr. Howell	
On the mountains and in the Dale.....	Urnlauft
Trilo—Mrs. Thieroff, Mrs. Lamar, Miss Brown.	
Russian Folk Dance.....	Miss Grace Wilson
Polichinelle op. 3 No. 4.....	Raschmanloff
Piano Solo—Miss Trueblood.	
Poland's Dirge.....	Chopin
Vocal Solo—Miss Grace Brown.	
Mermads (trio).....	Dvorak
Arrangement of Humoresque.	
Mrs. Thieroff, Mrs. Lamar, Miss Brown.	
Etude op. 10, No. 12.....	Chopin
Piano Solo—Miss Trueblood.	
Spring (trio).....	Saar
Mrs. Thieroff, Mrs. Lamar, Miss Brown.	
Jean D'arc.....	Tcharkowsky
Vocal Solo—Miss Brown.	
Two Slavonic Dances.....	Dvorak
Orchestra.	

The great strike of longshoremen in New Zealand has collapsed.

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The musical department of the Greater Medford club has been doing some very splendid work. Several musical critics from other cities who have heard our programs have been enthusiastic about the excellence of talent shown. At the November meeting the assembly room in the library building was found to be too small for the audience. The acoustics are also very poor and, realizing that the public are becoming intensely interested in the musicals, Mrs. Wm. Isaacs, who has charge of the program for Monday afternoon, December 1st, secured the use of the

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