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## In the Social Realm

The four adult classes of the Methodist Sunday school enjoyed a social at the church last Wednesday evening.

The Saturday night dance at Moose hall was largely attended by out-of-town people. About fifty couples trod the festive measures until the hour of 12.

Mrs. G. F. Billings entertained the ladies of the Methodist church one evening last week. The evening was spent in carding wool. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening spent.

Miss Edith Oslin of Siskiyou Heights entertained a number of her girls friends from Ashland Tuesday evening. The evening was spent in games and music, after which refreshments were served.—Medford Sun.

Miss Mary Young, who has been studying music in Decatur, Ill., returned home Wednesday. Her father surprised her with a dinner party at which the guests were Rev. and Mrs. Douglass, Rev. and Mrs. Van Fossen, Mrs. Hartley and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Wagner entertained a company of relatives and friends at a 7 o'clock dinner on Monday evening. Around the banquet board it developed that March 1 was the birthday anniversary of the hostess. Among the guests present were Mrs. Elizabeth Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCoy and daughter Margaret, Mrs. Case and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Day.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Catherine Mears of Medford to Mr. Frank Alvah Kittredge at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Eliza Jane Mears, 319 South Orange street, Medford, Thursday evening, March 11. The groom is resident engineer on the Pacific highway and the bride a sister of Frederick Mears, a popular musician of Medford. The wedding will be a quiet affair, only immediate friends and relatives being invited.

The Eastern Star meeting and social at Masonic lodge rooms Tuesday evening. A jolly time was enjoyed by a large attendance. A program was rendered consisting of piano solo by Mrs. Cunningham, a vocal solo by Mrs. Wolf accompanied by Mrs. Saunders, and a reading by Miss Nellie Briggs. Following this was an

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old-fashioned spelling match presided over by Mrs. Lamkin as interlocutor. Mrs. W. Everton and Mr. Whited were chosen as leaders and chose their followers in turn. Mr. Whited's side won the match, although the leader went down early in the contest. Refreshments were then enjoyed in the supper room. The next meeting will celebrate the thirty-fifth anniversary of the lodge.

In honor of Mrs. C. A. Milner of Ashland, who is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ernest C. Richards, Mrs. C. V. Fisher was hostess to several friends at her home on Eighth street Friday afternoon.—Klamath Falls Northwestern.

### A Jolly Party.

One of the most delightful parties of the season was given by Mr. and Mrs. Virgil B. Hedgpath Wednesday evening in honor of her brother, Herbert C. Davis, who has just completed his business course at the Polytechnic College.

The evening was spent with music and progressive five hundred until a late hour, after which a bounteous four-course luncheon was served.

The rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion. The host and hostess proved to be such delightful entertainers that the guests hoped to be remembered again in the near future with another such event.

Those in attendance were: Misses Eula Miller, Winifred Hararetta, Fern Beeler, Ida Davis, Gladys Good, Ruth Van Dyke, and Messrs. Herbert Davis, Charlie Porter, Howard Jeter, Ralph Harris, Kenneth Cummings and Frank Davis.

### Birthday Surprise.

A party of friends and schoolmates of James Rouse gave him a pleasant surprise Tuesday night, March 2, the occasion being his 15th birthday. Music and games were indulged in until 10 o'clock, when a delicious luncheon was served, prepared by the girls of the crowd. The boys each brought a birthday gift.

Those present were: Doris Loomis, Ruth Hemfal, Harriet Trask, Marie Decker, Irene Erickson, Bonnie Jennings, Dorothy Jones, Grace Buck, Walter Jones, Louis Jennings, Ward Jennings, Elliott Hadley, Jack Brady, Wyman Stewart, Clyde Young, Dale Young and James Pouse.

### Knights Templar.

The Knights Templar had a big time Wednesday evening, the occasion being the visit of D. B. Grant, right eminent commander of Oregon commandery, Knights Templar. A fine banquet was served.

C. W. Nims, member of the Grand commandery, Knights Templar, went to Grants Pass Tuesday evening to attend the big Templar affair held there in honor of the grand commander.

### Elks' Anniversary.

Two big days for local Elks will come Friday and Saturday, March 19 and 20. On Friday evening all Elks and a few outsiders will enjoy the annual banquet and ball which is one of the big events of the social year. On Saturday evening a number of would-be Elks from northern California and this city will be initiated. Elks from all the southern Oregon towns will be in attendance.

Girls, get new subscribers to the Tidings and turn them in next Friday. 2000 extra votes with each yearly sub. \$2.00 must accompany the order to get the extra votes.

### McClure-Holmes.

Last Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock Miss Mamie C. Holmes and Rowland S. McClure were joined in marriage by Rev. A. R. Blackstone of the Baptist church. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Holmes, on Manzanita street. The wedding March from Lohengrin was played as a duet by Bernice Meyer and Edith Moody, music pupils of the bride. The young couple were wedded in a bower of flowers and greens. The bride was beautiful in a gown of cream messaline with a drape of shadow lace. Twenty-five relatives and immediate friends were present and sat down to a delicious wedding banquet after the ceremony. The couple left on the afternoon train for the north. The bride is well known and popular here, having spent most of her girlhood here. She is a graduate of the department of music at McMinnville College. Mr. McClure is a member of the firm of McClure Bros., bond salesmen of The Dalles, Ore. The newlyweds will be at home at Ione, Ore., after April 1.

### Basketball Teams Entertained.

Homer Barron and James Bowers entertained the girls' and boys' basketball teams with an oyster feed at Butler's confectionery Sunday evening. Oysters raw and oysters stewed, olives, pickles, nuts and candy were brought on until the basketballers could eat no more. The evening ended with three rousing cheers for the hosts.

On Friday evening the basketball teams and others to the number of forty-five were entertained at the home of Robert Spencer on Palm avenue. The affair was in honor of Robert Spencer, who leaves this week for Honolulu, but was also a celebration marking the end of a most successful basketball season. Music and games of all descriptions passed the hours and delicious refreshments were served cafeteria style.

### Entertain at Cards.

The second of the series of three St. Patrick affairs given by Mesdames Blacklock and Brown and Misses Rose and Lily Patterson was held Friday evening in Moose hall. Eighteen tables of five hundred were filled. E. V. Carter won the gentlemen's prize for high score and Mrs. A. C. Briggs the ladies' prize. Hum Pracht went backwards farther than any one else and received the "booby" prize. The St. Patrick idea was carried out in the decorations and table arrangements. Herndon's orchestra rendered several selections while the delicious refreshments were being served in the banquet hall. The third of the series of parties will be held tomorrow evening for those who car for neither dancing nor cards.

### Presbyterian Services.

The members of the Presbyterian church are observing self-denial week, this week. Services will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 7:30 o'clock. On Tuesday evening Rev. W. F. Shields of Medford will speak, on Wednesday Rev. W. L. Douglass, and on Thursday Rev. W. D. Vater of Grants Pass. The public is cordially invited to attend.

### Baptist Social and Meeting.

The members of the Baptist church joined in a very enjoyable gathering at the church rooms last Thursday evening. A banquet was enjoyed in the basement rooms and a much appreciated program rendered. Miss Miriam Gregg, Ashland's talented young reader, delighted her hearers with a reading, the Baraca quartet sang and Earl Rasor rendered a beautiful solo.

### W. C. T. U. Announcement.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the M. E. church Tuesday, June 9, at 2 o'clock sharp. The subject for the first hour will be on the legislative work, and our county work will be explained. All members are requested to be present. The public is cordially invited.

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### East Side Parent-Teachers.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the East Side school met at the school building last Monday evening in one of the best gatherings of the year. There were as many men as women present and the crowd filled the largest room of the building.

A delightful program was rendered, consisting of an instrumental solo by Miss Muir, a reading by Miss Miriam Gregg, a vocal duet by Misses Dunham and Muir, and short talks by Mrs. Bergstrom, Superintendent Briscoe, Professor Milam and Mrs. Gard.

Chief among the topics discussed was that of the removal of the burying ground and the addition of that land to the school yard. Besides being unsanitary, the nearness of the cemetery is a constant source of nervousness, according to the teachers.

Another topic discussed was in regard to the possibility of having a separate building for the manual training and domestic science departments. The department now being use dis overcrowded and the room is needed for other departments. In other cities buildings of this sort are often erected by philanthropic persons and named after the donor. It is hoped that some of Ashland's wealthy men will at some time in the future make such a gift to education here.

After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

### Wednesday Afternoon Club.

The Wednesday Afternoon Club will meet this week in the parlors of the Presbyterian church, the committee on entertainment being Mrs. Charles Gillette, Mrs. L. Schwein and Mrs. George Milner. Members will please notice the time and place and arrange to attend.

### Civic Improvement Club.

The Ladies' Civic Improvement Club will meet at the library tomorrow afternoon (Tuesday) at 2:30 o'clock. All members and friends of the club are urged to be present.

### Episcopal Church.

Archdeacon Chambers of Portland will conduct next Sunday evening's services at Trinity Episcopal church.

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