

## THE WEEK IN ASTORIA SOCIETY

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A delightful watch party was given on New Year's Eve by the young people of the Baptist Church and the church parlors. Mrs. Guy R. Osborne and her Sunday school class had the entertainment in charge. Music, songs, recitations and conversation helped the hours to pass swiftly by and the dawning of the New Year came all too soon. This pleasant occasion will be long remembered by all who had the good fortune to be present.

Beaver Lodge No. 35, I. O. O. F., held an installation of officers on Thursday evening. District Deputy Grand Master J. L. Kline, acting as installing officer, Gateway Rebekah Lodge No. 77 had been invited to be present and they responded "en masse." An excellent supper had been prepared by the entertainment committee to which all present did full justice. Covers were laid for 60. Speeches were made by the newly installed officers and the evening was a success. Dancing and games were engaged in and continued until a late hour.

Gateway Rebekah Lodge No. 77, I. O. O. F. held their installation of officers on Friday evening in their lodge rooms. The following officers were installed: Belle Hudson, noble grand; Alma Lawson, vice-grand; Mayme Clinton, secretary; Rose Nordstrom, financial secretary; A. Y. Anderson, treasurer; Betsy Enberg, warden; Magdaline Lauridsen, conductor; Maggie Younce, inside guardian; Lena Smith, outside guardian; J. L. Kline, right supporter noble grand; Clara P. Hobson, left supporter noble grand; Hilma Peterson, right supporter vice grand; Laura Anderson, left supporter vice grand; Lillie Lewis, chaplain.

At the close of the installation exercises a delicious luncheon consisting of sandwiches, cake and coffee was served to the many in attendance. The going officers were the hostesses and hosts for this very pleasant occasion and with music dancing and games the evening's entertainment was concluded.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union held its regular meeting on

Thursday afternoon in the parlors of the Seamen's Institute. Mrs. Fastabend, president, presiding. Only routine business was transacted by the members present.

Miss Essie Perkins and Mr. Clarke C. Chapman were married on Wednesday evening, January 1st, in the parlors of the Methodist Manse. The Rev. C. C. Barick, pastor of that church, officiating. The bride is a sister of Dr. A. D. Perkins, local manager of the Chicago Dental Parlors and the groom is connected with that institute. They will reside on Exchange street.

The members of the Thursday Afternoon Pastime Club were entertained by Mrs. C. Brink at her home in Fifteenth street this week. Mrs. W. E. Tallant winning the prize at cards.

Miss Nellie Utzinger entertained the members of the D. M. C. D. Club at her home on Bond street on Monday of this week with a Christmas party. The decorations for this happy meeting were quite artistic consisting of mistletoe, holly and cedar boughs and a Christmas tree. Every member received some gift appropriate for the holiday season. Many of these occasioning much merriment. The club membership numbers 16 and all were enthusiastic in their enjoyment of this charming event. Miss Thora Larsen, of Altoona, Wash., was the guest of honor on this occasion.

A watch party was given on New Year's Eve by Miss Laura Fastabend in honor of her guest, Miss May Hart, of Bonner's Ferry, Idaho, who has been spending the holidays here.

Miss Mary Gregory who has been spending the holidays at home returned to Portland yesterday to resume her studies.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Finch and the Misses Floretta and Elsie Elmore gave a house party at Seaside on New Year's Day. Their guests for the occasion were Miss Mable Taylor of Flavel and Miss Grace Stokes and Lieutenants Cullom and Keeler of Fort Stevens.

A musical history class is being organized in the city, its object is research and the study of music, it will prove of great benefit to all music lovers and musicians. The members of this class are Mrs. J. E. Higgins, Mrs. Charles A. Abercrombie, Mrs. J. E. Gratke and the Misses Francis Estes, Marriet Wise and Birdie Gunderson.

The regular monthly music lecture and recital given by Prof. Enna and the members of his class will be held next Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. C. S. Gunderson on Fourth street. The subject of the lecture will be "Piano Technique."

Mrs. F. A. Fisher entertained the Thursday Afternoon Euchre Club this week at her beautiful home on Grand avenue and Twelfth street. The ladies holding the high cards were Mrs. Oscar Simington and Mrs. Brooks.

Otto Voss who has been spending the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. George Voss, leaves today for Corvallis, Oregon, where he is attending the State Agricultural College.

Miss Mathilda E. Sjogren and Mr. Adolph B. Rudd were married on Friday afternoon, January 3rd, at the city auditor's office. Judge Olaf Anderson, officiating.

Miss Faye Ball delightfully entertained about 20 young lady friends on Monday afternoon of this week. The Misses Lola Foard and Irene Simington favored their friends with vocal solos and Miss Schisted with piano selections. Cards was the form of amusement for the afternoon and the time passed all too soon. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. A number of those at-

tending were home from college for the holidays.

Under the name of the "Five Orphans" J. W. Lovell, Henry Sieversson, William Houghton, Arthur Berry and Clarence Gaffney gave a very successful masquerade dance in Logan's Hall on New Year's Eve. The hall was crowded with a happy throng bent on enjoying to the limit the last hours of the closing year. Excellent music was furnished by the Pacific Orchestra and the floor was in good condition for dancing. The variety of costuming was bewildering and the masquers took great care to impersonate well the character chosen. The prize for the best sustained lady character was given to Mrs. Walter Howard; best dressed character to Agnes Waldgren, who represented a cowboy girl and best dressed gentleman to Mr. Ed. Harris of Pullman, Wash., as an Indian chief; best sustained characters for gentlemen to Mr. E. A. Blue of Portland as "Millionaire Tramp." After the distribution of the prizes dancing was resumed and kept up until the "we sma" hours.

Captain Ferdinand Westdahl left for San Diego some days ago after a short visit with relatives in Astoria. Capt. Westdahl is going over some coast survey work for the government from San Diego Bay to Puget Sound and will reach the Columbia river about the end of February. Mrs. Westdahl will remain the guest of her mother, Mrs. Van Dusen, and other relatives for some time.

Dr. and Mrs. Millard Wadleigh of Ely, Nevada, who have been visiting with Mrs. Van Dusen, Mrs. Wadleigh's grandmother and other relatives, have returned to their home.

Mrs. William Fritz, nee Allen, of Port Townsend, Wash., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. G. Van Dusen, for several days.

One of the most enjoyable parties of the season was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Smith, of Grays River, Wash., on Thursday evening. It was a New Year party. The rooms were tastefully decorated with ferns, holly and geranium and large bunches of mistletoe adorned the beautifully furnished rooms. Excellent music was furnished by an orchestra of four pieces: cornet, violins and piano, Mr. and Mrs. Green, Miss Emma Ahlberg and Mr. Frank Badger, acting as musicians. After spending some time in playing games a sumptuous supper was served in the dining room. As it is Leap Year, the girls had the privilege of inviting the young men to take supper with them. Those present spent a most enjoyable evening. The list of guests include the following: Misses Ebba Ahlberg, Linda Ahlberg, Julia Lawrence, Bessie Olson, Anna Rice, Mabel Klint, Emma Holden, Anna Brinn, Julia Brinn, Odel Brinn, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Would, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Badger, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Barr, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Green, Laurence Erp, Lizzie Rose; and the Messrs. Paul Spooner, Ed. Rice, Tom Moore, Ernest Strumm, Walter Klint, Frank Sorensen, George Sorensen, Louis Welch, Sam Feazle, Carl Lawrence, Alfred Holden, Henry Holden Gus Sundberg, Arthur Langly, Chester Laughlin, Ernest Meissner, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Smith and sons, Lester and William, of Corvallis and Portland, the Misses Hazel and Estelle Monroe of Astoria, and Mr. I. W. Barr, of Salem.

Messrs. William and Lester Smith came over on the steamer Jordan yesterday from Gray's River where they had been spending the holidays with their parents. They left for Portland this morning where Mr. William Smith will resume his studies at the North Pacific Dental College and Mr. Leslie Smith

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