

Society

INTERESTING MEETINGS OF WOMEN'S CLUBS.

"The Feast of Seven Tables," a benefit dinner given Wednesday evening at Eller's music home by the ladies of the Methodist church Aid society, was very successful, those concerned feeling well repaid for their efforts. About fifty dollars was realized. The dinner was served progressively, each table having only one course, the color scheme corresponding with the menu. White paper chrysanthemums adorned the table where soup was served; on the brown table, attractive with autumn leaves and pine cones were Boston baked beans, brown bread and meat loaf. Raspberry dessert and waters were served from the poinsettia table and after dinner mints from a pink table with pink chrysanthemums and candles under pink shades. The other tables also showed careful thought in decorations and vases. The aprons and caps of those serving also carried out the color schemes. A vote of thanks is extended to Mr. C. W. Palm for the use of the building, Mr. Palmer for the use of one of his excellent player pianos and to the Eads Bros., for their helpful services.

Wednesday evening of this week the local order of Eastern Star held its annual election of officers following which a banquet and social hour during which a number of selections were played by Mr. Carlton James, violinist and Miss Gray, pianist.

Those elected for the year 1913 are: Mrs. H. P. Hargrave, worthy matron; Mrs. I. L. Hamilton, associate matron; Mr. John F. Lawrence, worthy patron; Mrs. E. W. Witte, secretary; Mrs. Charles Strang, treasurer; Mrs. Elsiehart, conductress; Mrs. J. T. Sumnerville, associate conductress. The points of the Star are to be appointed later by the worthy matron. The committee for Wednesday evening was as follows: Mrs. E. B. Pickett, Miss Fern Hutchison, Miss Helen Watt, Mrs. E. N. Warner, Mrs. David Wood, Mrs. E. W. Witte, Mr. H. U. Lumsden, Dr. F. C. Page, Messrs. and Mesdames Vawter, Wait, Doan, Gregory, Gerig.

Next week will witness the home coming of a large number of college students who will spend the holidays at their respective homes in this city. The on-rush is expected next Friday, the majority planning to return on the same train. Among those expected from the University of Oregon at Eugene are: Misses Mildred Gerig, Clara Winsor and Hazel Rader; Messrs. Jake Ware, Emerson Merrick, Don Rader and Vernon Vawter. From the Oregon Agricultural College are: Misses Mildred Antie and Joan Anderson, Vance Colvig, George and Ned Vilas and Paul MacDonald. Tom Scantlin is expected from the State Agricultural College at Pullman, Wash., and Miss Evelyn and Mr. Harold Carey from the University of Washington at Seattle.

Members of the Poinsett club were present at the home of Mr. J. E. Stewart on Tenth street Friday evening, participating in a surprise party which was unanimously voted the "real thing" in the surprise line. Mr. Will Stewart was the recipient of honors at the affair, his anniversary the occasion. At the conclusion of a social hour, Mr. Stewart was presented with a box of cigars in token of good fellowship. A luncheon including a generous proportion of appetizing "eats" was served by Mrs. J. E. Stewart and Miss Dahl. Guests of Mr. Stewart besides the guest of honor were Messrs. J. W. Keyes, Fred Weeks, R. W. Antie, D. C. McAlpine, Edward Kimbert, Frank Clark and W. M. Arken.

The Chrysanthemum Circle held enjoyable social evening Tuesday of this week. A short program included a number of piano solos by Miss Flora Gray, a group of readings by Miss Reba Dwight and some excellent saxophone solos accompanied by the piano by two musicians from the Isis Theater. A two course banquet was then served, the tables attractive with centerpieces of tiny Christmas trees, bearing fluted ornaments and bon bon. The chairman of the entertainment committee was Mrs. Etta Stevenson, assistants being Mesdames Warner, Wortman, Whipple, Wagner, Townsend and Miss Williams.

Miss Geraldine Miksche was hostess to a number of friends at a thimble party Wednesday afternoon, in compliment to Miss Margaret Bender. A delicious two course luncheon was served.

The Portland Journal contains the following account of the recent Jordan-Boscaw wedding:

One of the prettiest affairs of the week took place on Wednesday evening, when Miss Iva Dorothy Boscaw became the bride of Allison V. Jordan, of Medford, Ore. The marriage and reception took place at the beautiful new home of Dr. and Mrs. Clifford Moore, consists of the bride, at 8 o'clock the bride, gowned in fillet tulle and princess lace, wearing a tulle veil caught with pearl bands, descended the colonial staircase, preceded by two small attendants, Miss Margaret Gundig and Ethel Newton, who bore white satin streamers, forming a passageway for the bride to the bower of ferns, smilax and pink roses, where she was met by the groom. Dr. E. Nelson Allen performed the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. Jordan received congratulations from about 100 friends. Mrs. L. F. Boscaw, mother of the bride, was gowned in imported net over duchess satin, Mrs. E. M. Jordan, mother of the groom, in a cloud of rose color chiffon. Assisting in the dining room, which was beautifully decorated in pink, was Mrs. James H. Avery, Mrs. A. W. Moore, the Misses Sybil Gibson, Stella Lumsden, Leta Williamson and Mamie Russell. Mrs. Walter Gray and Miss Garnet Watson presided over the punch bowl. Miss Stella Boscaw assisted the hostess in dispensing hospitality. The guests were surprised to learn that the beautiful strains of music which floated in from the sun parlor came from an orchestra composed from the young cousins of the bride and conducted by one them, Merle Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Jordan will be at home after December 15, in Medford.

One of the most delightful affairs of the week was the card party of Monday afternoon given at the Hotel Holland by the ladies of the Greater Medford club.

A festive holiday air was attained in the hotel parlors by the artistic use of laurel and holly; miniature Christmas trees adorning the window ledges, while the mantel was graced with a huge bunch of Christmas greens tied with red ribbon.

The seventy ladies present enjoyed bridge, 500 and needlework. At the close of the games, tea and waters were served, the ladies in charge being assisted by the Misses Fern Hutchison, Althea Emerick, Ruth Merrick, Jean Horton, Caroline Andrews, Jeannette Butler, Helen Dahl and Mary Deuel.

The committee in charge of which Mrs. Getchell was chairman, received many congratulations on the success of the party.

Mrs. Getchell was ably assisted by Mesdames G. W. Davidson, C. M. English, E. H. French, Walter McCallum, V. T. Emerick, Helen Hansen, Helen Dale, Scott Davis, Geo. H. Daggett, Ira Dodge, E. B. Davis, P. G. Andrews.

Aside from being pleasant social affairs, these parties serve to stimulate an interest in the Greater Medford club, thus serving a two-fold purpose.

Chrysanthemum Circle, Women of Woodcraft met in regular session Tuesday evening and after the business meeting a social time was enjoyed by the members and friends present. Several musical selections by Miss Flora Gray were appreciated and also the comic recitals by Miss Reba Dwight. Through Neighbor Whipples kindness a pleasant surprise was given by the vaudeville musicians from the Isis. Delicious refreshments consisting of chicken sandwiches, pickles and coffee, cake and ice cream were then served in the banquet hall. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. All present voted the committee, Neighbors Stephenson, Wagner, Whipple, Warner, Wortman and Williams, as royal entertainers.

The Royal Auction Bridge club met with Mrs. C. I. Hutchison this week. Mrs. Knutner will be the next hostess. The time of meeting is promptly at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Miss Beulah Warner is expected home next week to remain for the holidays. Miss Warner is a teacher in the high school at Stockton.

Mrs. H. A. Morgan and little son have returned to Los Angeles after a visit of three months with Mrs. George Osgood.

Miss Mollie Ray of Applegate is a guest of Mrs. Volney Dixon.

One of the social events of last week was the informal tea given Saturday afternoon by the local Pan-Hellenic association of the college women of Medford at the beautiful new Merrick home on east Main. About fifty women representing a large number of colleges spent the afternoon in recalling college tales, singing college songs and making "college judge." The living room and library were decorated with pennants and pillows arranged in five different groups around as many chafing dishes. The dining room, presided over by Mrs. F. W. Streets and Mrs. F. G. Thayer, was decorated in red carnations and red-shaded candles.

During the latter part of the afternoon, plans were made to hold a monthly college luncheon at one of the hotels, December fourteenth being the date set for the first one.

Among those present were: Mesdames Carlin, Davidson, Streets, Merrick, Cass, Thayer, Schmidt, Bennett, Stearns, Warner, Eldon, Sercombe, Arnsperger, Wilson, Cummings, James, Carlow, O'Gara, Torrey, Brown, and Misses Cox, Carpenter, Smith, Herring, Young, Marshall, Florence Marshall, Kentner, Emerick, Santee, Coffin, Merrick, Davidson, Jackson, Ware, Paxon, Horton, Munson, Preichler, Mears, Grigsby, Hutchison, Welch, Carlin.

The Golden Link Sunday school class of the Baptist church very pleasantly surprised Mr. and Mrs. DeArmond, 24 South Laurel street, Monday evening, when the members of the class and their husbands waited in upon them.

A "Pie Social" furnished the evening's amusement. Guessing contests, games, and favors were closely related to "Pi or Pie." The refreshments were pies of all kinds.

Those present were Mesdames: Young, Carlow, DeArmond, Wilson, Dexter, Bond, Evans, Beach, Conwell, Lewis, Montgomery, Cunningham, Hosselt, Stinson, Rowell, Stine, Bennett, Stinson, Beauchamp, Marlon, and Messrs. Young Carlow, DeArmond, Wilson, Dexter, Bond, Evans, Beach, Conwell, Lewis, Hoggsett, Hazney, Marion, Stinson, Stine, Howell and Stinson.

The Washington and Roosevelt Circles of the local Parent-Teachers' association met for a joint social meeting Friday afternoon at St. Mark's hall from 2:30 to 5. All the mothers of the city and any interested were invited and the meeting was enjoyed by all present. The next meeting will be January 10, the subject, "Practical Methods of Cooperation Between Home and School." Following was the program for yesterday afternoon: Selection, High School Orchestra; Vocal Solo, Miss Rose Fielder; Reading, Mrs. Wilson; Vocal Duet, Mrs. W. M. Van Scoyoc, Dr. Howard; Vocal Solo, Miss Gladys Hinman; Selection, High School Orchestra.

The regular meeting of the Pan-Hellenic association took place this afternoon at the home of Miss Lucille Marshall on Oakdale avenue South. Those present discussed and completed plans for the maintenance of a public rest room in the Medford, Furniture and Hardware building, two rooms having been donated by the company for that purpose. The president of the association, Mrs. J. G. Wilson is preparing a list of the college women of the valley and the institutions represented. This will be published in next week's society issue.

An informal luncheon give at the Hotel Holland grill this afternoon by the college women of the valley, it was the initial one of monthly luncheons to be held henceforth, if present plans are realized. The committee in charge for today included Miss Horton, Miss Carpenter and Mrs. Fred Cummings.

The defeated players of the Five Hundred club payed off the scores to the victorious ones Friday evening, entertaining at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. U. Lumsden on South Holly street with an oyster supper followed by a social evening. Guests present included only members of the club.

Mr. W. H. Stewart was guest of honor at a dinner given by Mrs. Stewart in honor of his birthday anniversary Friday evening. Covers were laid for seven.

Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Goffo of the West Poothills spent a short time in Medford this week.

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AS SHE APPEARED DURING THE CIVIL WAR AND AS SHE LOOKS NOW
Mrs. Ella Newsome Trader, who is called "Dixie's Florence Nightingale." Mrs. Trader gave her fortune of \$75,000 to the Confederate cause at the time of the civil war and is now employed in the Pension Office.

The initial party of "The Revelers" occurred Tuesday evening with Mr. Ben Sheldon in charge of the arrangements. The unique form of entertainment, the informality pervading and an atmosphere of genuine merriment were inducive to a delightful evening. Decorations were appropriate to the furnishing of a palace of chance and carried out the illusion in a gratifying manner. Miss Blanche Young and Mr. Frank Farwell received handsome souvenirs as a reward for their successful efforts at the roulette wheel. Doughnuts and elder were served during the evening, the latter part of which was given over to dancing. Among those present were: Mesdames Hafer, Campbell, Gray, Bordwell, Biddle, Leever, Rothermel, Brown, Gale, Schuster, Roberts, Redfield, Johnson; the Misses Merrick, Emyart, Miksche, Dahl, Beck, Bender, Hutchison, Davis, Young, Deuel, Kentner, Hance, Horton and Ida Lee Kentner; and Messrs. Gray, Deuel, McCurdy, Redfield, Johnson, Lindsay, Farrell, Lumsden, Brown, Schuster, Hardwell, Wilkinson, Leever, Biddle, Hance, Sheldon, Foss, Hitchcock, Lee Root, Anderson, Roberts, Reed, Perkins, Huntley, Malcolm Root, Rothermel and Territt.

The ladies who have been active the past week in the sale of the Red Cross stamps are more than satisfied with their work, having sold out by Friday evening. About seventy-five dollars have been made. Mrs. Harmon has sold the greatest number individually, Mrs. Vawter the most in the booth. Next week a number of young ladies will assist in the sales.

The Chrysanthemum Circle was entertained Tuesday night by Mesdames Warner, Wortman, Whipple, Townsend and Stevenson. Those participating on the program were Miss Flora Gray, Miss Dwight, Herbert Lawnsbach, also Mr. and Mrs. McFarland, the musical aviators of the Isis Theater.

Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Hull entertained the East Side Circle of the Christian church Ladies Aid Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. A. H. Soukup of Hedley City, B. C., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Helen Garnett. Mrs. Hedley will remain for the holidays.

Miss Minnie Weaver who has been the guest of Mrs. L. L. Whipple returned to her home in Bozeman, Mont., Wednesday.

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CARNEGIE'S NEPHEW WEDS HIS NURSE



True to their assertion that their marriage was no romance, Mr. and Mrs. William Coleman Carnegie have settled down to live in the matrimonial looking home of the bride's mother in Pittsburg, Mrs. Sarah Lee War Hill, whose husband was a workingman. The bride of "Bill" Carnegie, nephew of Andrew Carnegie and son of the steel man's brother, Thomas Morrison Carnegie, was born in Toronto, Canada. She met her husband as a nurse when he was but several years ago.

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