

# WOMEN'S PAGE

## SOCIETY

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All Contributions to this Page—Society, Women's Clubs, and Personal—Should Be Telephoned to the Society Editor by Friday of Each Week.

The holidays over, the younger folk returning to school this week and visitors, who have added to the pleasure and gaiety of entertaining the past fortnight, find a quietness has noticeably seized the society until the time when the mid-season events will again fill the calendar with delightful affairs.

January will soon be speeding through its second week and the coming one will bring the resumption of club and social organization meetings again after a suspension through the holidays.

The Woman's Club will meet again on Tuesday, the regular fortnightly meeting, which would have been on the date of New Year's day, being postponed until January 8. Another club meeting of interest for that date is that of the Rosaura Club, Daughters of the Nile in the evening at the home of Mrs. Nathan Fullerton. For later in the month is scheduled the meeting of the Umpqua Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, the date being on January 14.

### Dinner Party New Year's Eve Enjoyable Affair

Quite an enjoyable affair planned as one of the last events before the arrival of the new year was the 8:30 o'clock dinner party at the Rose hotel for the personnel on December 31.

The main dining room was reserved for the occasion and was attractive with holiday colors, red carnations and red tapers at each table carrying out the motif.

The list included Mrs. Edith Hanks, Mrs. Ida James, Mrs. Ruth Colvert, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. McDowell, Miss Julia Barab, Miss Rose Burvik, Miss Angelina Babus, Hugh Willis, Pete Summerhatter, John Robertson, J. G. Morris, Harold Readman.

### Social Club Entertains With Dinner Wednesday

One of the most enjoyable affairs among social club groups for the week was the one o'clock dinner of the Roseburg Art and Embroidery Club on Wednesday at the Knights of Pythias hall.

The tables were attractively appointed and after the dinner hour the members of the club exchanged gifts, the Christmas meeting, at which the program was to have been held, being postponed until this month. Election of officers was also held.

Enjoying the affair were the following members: Mrs. Henry Soyler, Mrs. James Byrd, Mrs. Ella Palm, Mrs. Carl Palm, Mrs. A. H. Perrin, Mrs. Walter Stubbfield, Mrs. L. W. Ingold, Mrs. Holl Stoughton, Mrs. Wm. Carlson, Mrs. Alice Rhodes, Mrs. Virginia Campbell, Mrs. Blowers, Mrs. Chas. Hoffmeister, Mrs. A. M. Neal, Mrs. Earl Decker, Mrs. G. E. Cox, Mrs. Pauline Hoffmeister, and guests, Mrs. W. I. Hummel, and Mrs. Claude Palm.

### Group of 25 Frolics at Watch Party

A watch party planned for New Year's eve which came in one of the pleasant affairs on that date was that at which the Senior Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church entertained at the church social rooms.

There were 25 in attendance at the affair. A variety of amusing games formed the diversion and contests, too, were enjoyed. Later in the evening refreshments were served.

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### Fashion Plaque



THE "COCKTAIL JACKET" has gained the recognition of a very popular vogue this season. This one of bronze sequin accompanies a brown velvet frock.

### News Retired General's Marriage of Interest to Friends Here

Much interest is attached to the recent announcement of the marriage of Major-General Ulysses Grant MacAlexander and Mrs. Grace Palmer Craig of San Francisco. The bridegroom has a wide circle of friends in Roseburg, particularly among the ex-officers and his marriage comes as a surprise.

The ceremony took place on December 5 in Babylon in the Panama Canal zone. Following a short stay in the south General and Mrs. MacAlexander came from Panama to San Francisco and sailed from that port on their wedding trip to the Hawaiian Islands. They plan to spend some time in Honolulu and after April will be at home at Newport where General MacAlexander has a residence.

A noted lecturer and psychoanalyst, Mrs. MacAlexander is widely known in California for her attainments in circles of psychology. She has lectured in San Francisco and other cities in the state and in 1927, while in Europe, was appointed by the Pacific foreign trade and travel exposition a commissioner in France, England, Australia and Switzerland.

General MacAlexander was guested at a dinner and meeting of the Umpqua Chapter of the Reserve Officers Association, having many acquaintances among the reserve officers. He was affectionately known to his officers and soldiers during the recent war as "Rock of the Marne," a title which has adhered through the years. He won this title as one of the bravest officers encountered by the German army and with the men of the 25th Infantry stood off the final great offensive made by the Germans on the western front during the war. Before the late war General MacAlexander was for several years commandant of the R. O. T. C. at the Oregon State College.

Retiring from army activity a few years ago, he has been making his home at Newport.

Considerable entertaining of an informal nature has been done the past two weeks for Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sether of San Francisco former members of the Modford high school faculty. A no-hostess dinner at the Hotel Modford, and bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Jerome, West Main street, have been followed by a number of dinner parties at private homes. Mr. and Mrs. Sether have been home guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Charles Post 1021 West Ninth street. They expect to leave for their home next Saturday—Modford News.

### Dinner Party Honors Visitor New Year's Day

On New Year's day Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Poole of Days Creek, entertained 22 relatives and friends at dinner in honor of Mrs. Poole's brother, William Tiedman, whom she had not seen for 25 years.

Mr. Tiedman is chief engineer on the steamship Victoria, operating between Seattle and Nome, Alaska, and with his family is now on a vacation.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Tiedman, their son, Karl, and grandson, Joe Bix, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Poole, Mr. and Mrs. Ira B. Poole and daughter, Dortha Poole, Leslie Poole, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Poole and daughter, M. and Mrs. H. A. Shiers and children, Mrs. and Mrs. Henry Bigham, Fred Bigham, Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen, Miss Asperin Hamilton.

The guest of honor had many interesting experiences during the year he has labored the sea to sell. Music entertained the guests during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Campbell and family were welcomed home on their return this week after spending the holidays at northern points. They visited in Redding, Wash., and in Everett and Portland.

### Mr. and Mrs. Micelli Entertain Friends at Buffet Supper

Quite a delightful occasion arranged as one of the affairs entertaining about New Year's eve was the buffet supper on Monday night at which Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Micelli entertained a few close friends.

White carnations were used in the appointments and in the living room, where the evening was spent informally, red carnations added charming color.

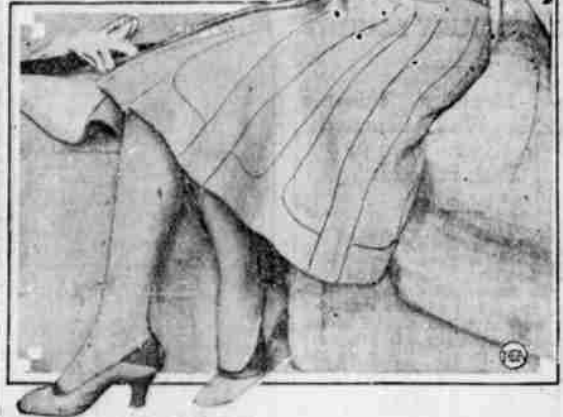
The list included Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Turner, Mrs. Annie Russell.

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## THE GORED SKIRT FLARES INTO CHIC

The gored skirt makes its chic appearance in the chicest of the chicest, the charmingly frock of a Maison Marton traveling ensemble. Each gore is emphasized by an outside seamline. The beige coat is cut full, is reversible and can be very gay with its green and beige striped inside worn outside.



### Mr. and Mrs. Malden Hosts to Group at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Malden were hosts for a dinner party of attractive appointments at their home on Watson street Tuesday at 6 o'clock, having a few close friends.

About the table, which was centered with a bowl of lovely sweet peas, were seated Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Wharton, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Fullerton, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilder, Carlton Wilder and Mr. and Mrs. Malden.

### Group Entertains at Dinner and Watch Party

The members of the Woman's Society of the Glida Baptist church entertained their husbands and families at the church on New Year's eve at a dinner and watch party. The hall was transformed with greenery, Oregon grape being used in profusion.

Following the dinner hour, which was at 8 o'clock the group enjoyed the time informally until the arrival of the new year.

### Family Group at Long Home New Year's

One of the affairs of New Year's day having pleasure for a large group was the dinner party at which Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Long entertained for a group of town folk at their country home at Umpqua.

Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. W. Feat, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Trozelle, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pickett, Miss Marguerite Pest, Miss Violet Long, Joe Post, Louis Post, Andrew Fisher, Stanley Long, Roy Long and John Trozelle and the hosts.

### Luncheon Is Club Event on Wednesday

Included among interesting club events for the week was the one o'clock luncheon on Wednesday when Mrs. G. S. Jones extended her hospitality to the matrons of the New Idea Club.

The green and red of the season gave the holiday brightness to the table where there were seated the Mesdames E. D. Owen, F. A. Chomick, E. M. Curtis, H. B. Williams, F. A. Stewart, E. P. Ballou, D. G. Clark, N. R. Fisher, Almyra Smith, D. K. Hendrickson and the hostess.

### Younger Maids Have No-Hostess Party

Coming as one of the most delightful holiday affairs for the younger set was the no-hostess party on Saturday when a group of young maids attended the luncheon and supper at Brand's Stand north of the city. Dancing and a musical evening at the home of Miss Maxie Stearns followed.

In the party were the Misses Frances Butler, Shirley Knight, Mildred Winick, Elizabeth Abrams, Marie Stearns of Eugene, Vera Steinhilber, Daphne Hughes and Maxine Stearns.

### Sewing Group Will Have Afternoon Meeting

The sewing society of St. Joseph's church has planned a meeting for next Wednesday afternoon at the Parish hall.

Plans for the new year's activities and other business will be taken up. The group will make arrangements soon to launch another series of card parties which have been such an enjoyable part of the winter season.

## Younger Group From School at Watch Party New Year's

Members of the younger set home from school and college through the holidays frolicked at one of the watch parties which centered about a gay New Year's eve. The affair was given at the summer camp of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Bubar and Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bubar, and bridge and dancing filled the evening hours with pleasure. At the close a supper was served.

The group included the Misses Dorothy Marsters, Frances Butler, Shirley Knight, Vera McClintock, Maxine Moore, Maxine Stearns, Pauline Bubar and Sidney Hoffman, Maynard Bell, Alfred Ellison, Robert Gile, Truman Ryan, Raymond Bell and Percy Webb.

Miss Doris Picketts, former Roseburg maid has been welcomed here this week by friends. She spent a few days in Kinross Falls, also, and is returning home to Salem tomorrow.

### Mr. and Mrs. Marsters Entertain With Cards on New Year's Eve

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Marsters entertained a group of friends at a five hundred party on New Year's eve.

At the conclusion of the game refreshments were served at a daintily appointed table.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sands, Miss Marguerite Horney, Miss Elsa Hill, Glenn Colby, Richard Horney.

Richard Horney spent the holidays visiting at his home in Wilbur. He has returned to Ashland, where he is a student at the Southern Oregon Normal School.

### Mr. and Mrs. Ness Hosts at Dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Zigler

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ness were hosts at dinner on Sunday complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Ben C. Zigler and their family, who left the first of the week to make their home in Portland.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Zigler, Miss Mildred Zigler, Miss Marian Ness, Miss Kathleen Ness, Mr. and Mrs. Ness.

### Badoura Club to Elect New Officers

Badoura Club, Daughters of the Nile, will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Nathan Fullerton on Tuesday evening, January 8.

The club will have election of officers, which was postponed before the new year, and other business and a full attendance of members is desired. A social hour will follow.

### Mr. and Mrs. Miller Entertain 15 at Dinner

On Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller entertained at their Looking Glass home for a number at dinner.

The guest list included Mrs. J. H. McCoy, Mrs. Carrie Morrison of Sutherlin, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Castle of Olympia, Mr. and Mrs. A. Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. Creed Cranfill, The Misses Maybelle Strickland, Betty Lou Strickland, Theima Strickland, Ruth Morrison of Sutherlin, Fred Strickland and Ralph Morrison of Sutherlin.

### Mr. and Mrs. Moore Enroute From South

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Moore (Mable Van Buren) of Portland were in Roseburg for a brief time Thursday on their way home following a holiday trip south. They visited in San Francisco and buy points for about ten days and while there were extensively entertained by friends at several social affairs.

### Mr. and Mrs. Moore Formerly Lived in Roseburg. She will remain here for a few days visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Marsters of Salem have been visitors here for a part of the week as guests at the home of the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Marsters. They will return to the capital city Sunday.

### Social Club Group Meets for Bridge

Mrs. H. C. Church was hostess at bridge this week for two tables, the members of her club, which meets fortnightly being invited.

Miss Clara K. Allen and Mrs. Jack Wharton were additional guests. The club prize was won by Mrs. Willard Johnson.

The hostess served luncheon at the club.

### Miss Margaret Baum, a co-ed at the University of Washington, is to leave Sunday for the north, having spent the holiday season here visiting her mother, Mrs. Arthur Baum, and other relatives.

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## W. C. T. U. Has Topic Discussion at Meeting This Week

The W. C. T. U. enjoyed an unusually fine meeting on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. J. O. Arthur, the president, presided, and Rev. R. W. Achor conducted the devotional. The subject for the day was "Hold fast that which is good and go forward. Hold fast to Christ, and to the church. The best for this world and the next. Then, hold fast to the Volstead act." In discussion, it was said, "It is one of our best laws, and we must keep it. Hold fast against any effort to repeal it or set it aside. Go forward in teaching and training the coming generation. A definite educational program is needed. Fight the narcotic evil and work for world prohibition."

Prayer was offered by Mrs. Betta and Rev. Achor. Mrs. Arthur and Mrs. Utter sang a beautiful duet, "The Savior for Me," with Mrs. Utter at the piano. Reports of directors were given. Work is being carried on along all lines, it was reported and literature will be distributed and flowers given. Christmas nuts, fruit, and money were sent to the Farm Home for the children's Christmas. Bible promises were given by those present, after which silent prayer was offered by all. Mrs. Arthur and Mrs. Utter sang a duet, "The Old Rugged Cross." After the meeting refreshments were served. The next meeting, January 15th, will be in the form of an institute. A victory day program is being prepared and Mrs. Minnie Hulet will be present as a special guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lovall and son of Salem are to arrive here Sunday on their way south to California by motor. From Roseburg they will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Householder of South Pine street and Mrs. Melissa Lovall of Glendale, California.

The latter has been here as the guest of her niece and husband after an extended trip through California, Oregon and Washington. She will return to her home after stopping in San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Householder will go as far as Red Bluff, where they will visit a son, Edw. Householder. Mr. and Mrs. Lovall plan to drive through to Tin Juana.

## GIVE FEET A HAND Proper Placing Lends Grace

Plant your feet right, for grace, says Doris Niles.

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the fifth of a series of six articles on "How to Grow Graceful," written exclusively for NEA Service and the News-Review by Doris Niles, youngest American dancer to head her own ballet organization.

BY DORIS NILES  
For NEA Service

The American girl has beautiful feet, and the surpassing art shown in every variety of American footgear is worthy of her. At no period in the history of dress have girls' feet been more prominent, and consequently requiring greater skill in management. Therefore, the vexed question of what to do gracefully with the hands has now added to it another and more difficult one, graceful use of the feet.

To eliminate any extreme position of the feet in walking, if the habit is abnormal in either toeing in or toeing out, practice the straight foot line. By this I mean to walk along a straight line in the design on a carpet. See that the feet are placed straight and properly on that line and continue so throughout the exercise, made a few minutes at a time in addition, though an attention should be given the straight line principle in general walking. The fault will soon vanish.

I have had to give exercises in this same direction to many applicants for my ballet, who came to me from over-technical masters. This usually results from over-training in the so-called "turn out position," necessary to a certain degree in toe dancing, but a greater fault in interpretative or other forms of dancing. This fault of feet equally the natural beauty of walking or positions of the feet in repose.

I have seen people sit in a brilliant ballroom when the feet and hand positions absolutely marred an otherwise beautiful picture they would have made. Relaxed repose and grace were the things needed. But they were leaning with elbows on knees and with their toes turned in, or some equally ugly position.

It is a strange truth that emotions which may be considered in a person's face find unemotional, perhaps expression in the feet. Self-consciousness, nervousness, timidity may be revealed in hands and feet by twisting and restless movements, though the countenance is calm. Proper pose of the feet in relaxed, graceful position while sitting, and when standing to shift the weight of the body occasionally and easily from one foot to the other, will give a touch of elegance to any figure.

## FOR RUMBLE RIDERS

Now the swanky little "rumble-seat coat" of fur takes its seat in the new high-powered car of fashion. Paris sees a real need for an especial type of sports fur-coat for the girl who sits in the rumble seat. It must be swift, so it does not take up too much room. It must be full, so its wearer can sit in ease without its slipping and letting in the cold. It should have snug cuffs collar and preferably a belt to better retain the body's warmth. Jenny contributes this rumble-seat coat of bronze hued shaven kid, a soft, short fur that is pliable enough to be treated like fabric. A flourish of fur grants fullness. A fur belt holds it snugly to the body and it is cut double-breasted for further comfort. A stock collar and tight inner cuffs gathers there to watch the wind off the neck and arms. It is warmly interlined with kasha in matching shade. So finely is this little garment tailored that it fits almost like a frock with snug shoulders.



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## Four Generations Present at Reunion on New Year's Day

Quite an enjoyable affair coming during the holidays was the family reunion of the children of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Rose of this city and members of their families. Four generations were present for the occasion. The group was entertained on New Year's day at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rose at their home on South Pine street.

The list included Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Rose, Miss Padelford of Oakland, Greenwood and Vivian Rose, Durward Rose, Jr., Owen Rose, Noah Rose, Jr. and the hosts.

## Two Matrons Entertain for Club Group at Luncheon Thursday

Mrs. Fred Bowen and Mrs. Ed Marsters joined in entertaining at a one o'clock luncheon on Thursday. The affair came as one of the larger social club events and was given at the home of Mrs. Bowen.

Bright holiday colors were used in decoration and each table was centered with tall red tapers. An exchange of gifts was held afterward and election of officers took place during the afternoon hour.

The guests for the afternoon were the matrons of the Northside Sunshine Club and an added guest, Mrs. Lane Morley, of Salem. The members were the Mesdames E. P. Ballou, N. R. Fisher, R. E. Harness, Wm. Stack, Walter Kuris, Virgil Bush, Elsie McComas, Lee Goodman, B. S. Nichols, L. W. Ingles, R. P. Chilson, Robert Chilson, J. C. Durland, Geo. Marsters, L. L. Marsters, Clair Pettit and Wm. Fisher.

## Club Group Meets for Bridge at Home of Mrs. A. A. Wilder

Mrs. A. A. Wilder invited the matrons of her bridge club and two additional guests to her home on Wednesday for play.

Two tables were arranged in the attractive room where the matrons joined the afternoon. Mrs. H. H. Stapleton and Mrs. Arthur Itum were club guests and the members present were Mrs. A. G. Sutherland, Mrs. J. A. Harding, Mrs. O. M. Berrie, Mrs. W. F. Chapman, Mrs. Chas. W. Wharton and the hostess.

## Two Matrons Entertain Squaws and Chiefs

A wholly enjoyable club affair of mid-week was the informal evening at which Mrs. R. L. Whipple and Mrs. Chas. Clark entertained the members of the Umpqua Squaws at the home of the former early in the evening, and at which the Chiefs joined the group later.

The rooms were brightened with a motif in keeping with the season. During the early hours the organization elected officers for 1929, re-electing the same women who served the year previous. Mrs. T. H. Ness is president, Mrs. Horace Berg, vice-president, Mrs. H. Clay Parby, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. H. S. French, sergeant-at-arms.

The two groups, numbering 20, played five hundred during the remainder of the time. Honors were held by Mrs. C. S. Heinline and T. H. Ness. Afterward the hostesses served refreshments.

Reports heard from the committees, gave a summary of the year's work, which was very satisfactory.

## Business Session and Program of Club Held Last Eve

The Roseburg Business and Professional Women's Club held an interesting evening meeting on Friday at the Roseburg Woman's Club building and a large number of members were in attendance for the business session and program following.

Plans were discussed to secure a regular meeting building. Later the group was entertained by a story of her trip abroad last summer by Miss Helen Casey, Group singing followed.

Luncheon was served at small tables at the close of the program. In charge were Miss May Baldwin, Mrs. H. C. Stearns and Mrs. Irvia Brun.

## Dinner Party Honors Matron Friday

Mrs. Charles H. Thurston, Jr. entertained on Friday evening with a dinner party of attractive appointments complimenting her mother-in-law, Mrs. C. H. Thurston, Sr. on the occasion of her birthday anniversary.

Following the dinner hour five hundred was played.

## Holiday Wedding Is a Surprise

Coming as a surprise to their many friends was the announcement of the marriage of Miss Vera Meredith of Dillard and Wm. E. Stevenson of Redding, California, during the holidays.

The ceremony was read by Dr. Frank B. Matthews in Roseburg on Christmas eve.

The bride graduated from the local high school in 1927 and last year was a student at the Southern Oregon Normal School. She had been teaching near this city during the winter. Mr. Stevenson is an employee of the Southern Pacific.

## Watch Party Is Enjoyable Affair at W. L. Smith Home

A very enjoyable affair was held at the W. L. Smith home at Glida, when a number of friends gathered there to watch the old year out and greet the new year. Games and music formed the entertainment for the evening. Mrs. Frank Wilson rendered several piano solos which were greatly appreciated and later in the evening delicious refreshments were served.

Those spending the evening were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ege, the Misses Helen Conine, Esther Strohecker, Agnes Blakley, Helen Smith, Norma Hill, Paula Wilson, the Messers Carl Hill, Robert Hill, John Conine, Bradley Smith, Lester Smith, Keith Smith, Roy Conine, Robert Frye, Raymond Wilson, Loren Wilson, Chester Wilson, Bobby Blakley.

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