

YOUNG MRS. FITCH...

Graduate Secretary Retains Youthful Sparkle

By RUTH GREEN

Mrs. Clara Lynn Fitch, for 20 years associated in various capacities with the business personnel of the University, has not grown old with her years; her zest for living and her sense of humor is as gay and young as any held by the college students with whom she deals every day in her work as graduate secretary.

She began her work with the University as chief clerk in the registrar's office back in 1919 under Carlton Spencer, who was registrar at that time.

"When I started to work there, Mr. Spencer handed me a copy of the University catalog and told me to memorize it. Thereafter, I spent most of my spare time doing just

that," Mrs. Fitch said. Evidently that study and her years of experience have stood her in good stead, for there is scarcely a member of the University staff she cannot welcome with a greeting coming from long years of friendship.

"Seek and Sock"

Mrs. Fitch types with the hunt-and-peck method, but she does it so dexterously that she puts to shame many of her colleagues who employ the touch system. Her chief irritant is to strike an "I" or an "l" when she intended it to be an "o." "It's so darned hard to erase them so you can strike over," she chuckled.

She is associated with various organizations in Eugene, among

COMEDY...

Guild Theater's 'Tovarich' to Run Six Days in April

Comedy to Feature McNeil, Parsons, Lakefish in Fencing

"Tovarich" will be presented locally by the Guild Hall players April 10, 11, 12, 17, 18, and 19. Mrs. Otilie T. Seybolt, head of the drama department, announced Tuesday. The performance will be given on two weekends because the majority of the cast will appear in all six.

Many interests of the drama department are involved in this play's production. These include the Guild Hall players, former Guild Hall players, representatives of the technique of acting class, and Mr. Horace Robinson's stage design and workshop classes, who are working on the setting. Also several people from other drama classes will serve as prompters.

Rehearsals are being lightened this week so the actors may concentrate on final examinations. Parker McNeil, who takes a leading part in the comedy, has fully recovered from the measles and is now attending practices. Jerry Lakefish, Jim Parsons, and Parker McNeil are busy perfecting their fencing technique, as they engage in a bout at the conclusion of the first act.

them the Very Little Theater. A year ago she won recognition with her portrayal of a minor character in their presentation of "The Dunkard."

Special periods in history claim most of Mrs. Fitch's reading interests, and she usually chooses a country each year about which she reads as much as possible during the winter months.

"I'm in China"

"When someone asks me to do something extra that I don't want to do or can't do, I just tell them that it's impossible because I'm spending the winter in Spain, or Chile, or wherever I happen to be reading at that time. This year I'm in Egypt." Her eyes twinkled with merriment.

Orphan Finds Relative Pioneer Has Kinsman

By HELEN ANGEL

The pioneer mother isn't just a lonesome statue any more. She has relatives.

For Ken Sawyer, University freshman, claims her as "something like a fourth cousin," and the antique violin which he plays belonged to the statue model's father.

"Mother" Brown, the lady whose figure is cast in bronze for Oregon's most historic statue in the center of the campus, was just a little girl when the Bonner party came west in 1846. Ken explains. Her father owned a Stradivarius violin which they had to leave at the base of Mt. Hood wrapped in a blanket.

Same Model

The old-fashioned, worn violin that Ken plays is that same model. "I got it from my aunt for graduation from high school," he explained as he fondled it with music-loving hands, "and it came down to her from my grandfather." "Burt Brown Barker, who you know is vice-president of the University, is a descendant of the pioneer mother too," the Bend freshman went on, "and he believes the reason our family instead of his now has the violin is that a different branch of the clan picked it up later at the foot of the mountain."

New Neck

The century-old Stradivarius model has a section of new wood in the neck that was put there two years ago to give it more utility in the modern sense. "The old violins all had short necks," Ken pointed out, "and you could only play them in one position."

Ken religiously got in touch with his family and searched early Oregon history to get the facts straight on the relationships and the story of the early experiences. But the dark-haired violin player finally decided that there is a scarcity of Oregon historical facts. "Everyone in the family has written something on the violin, I think," Ken declared in a futile tone, "and there seem to be at least 10 different versions."

Reshuffle

Probably the nearest to accuracy is that the violin lay in its quilt wrappings for two years, then this "other branch of the family" came back and picked it up and took it to the Salem country.

Ken isn't certain about its value, but is sure he wouldn't give up the

instrument for the world. "My grandfather had an offer of \$1000 for it as an antique once," he remarked, "and the highest offer he could ever get for it as a violin was \$100."

TO THE RACES...

Arcadia's Track Sports Fashions

Tourist Will See He-Man' Clothes On Favorite Stars

By MAURICE SALOMON

Have you ever visited California's most picturesque race track? The million dollar Santa Anita course is situated in Arcadia. You will not only see America's finest thoroughbreds in action, but you will also witness a southern California fashion show. Your favorite actors come decked out in the newest and most unique clothes imaginable. Each one has his own particular style of dress.

Bing Crosby is a typical example of this dress. The crooner is always seen with a Panama and pipe, a Hawaiian style shirt, with a pair of gabardine or bedford cords. Bing wears the brown and white sports shoe.

"He-Men"

The man about town in southern California usually wears loud sports coats with padded shoulders to portray the "he" man appearance. Another favorite is the wearing of a loud colored neckerchief with an open sport shirt and pack- et. The men have gone in for imported cashmere sweaters, the style the women just love to stroke.

Bleige or corn seem to be favorite colors. Green is still the most popular color for all around wear. Everything seems to be green but the shoes.

Morris, Moll Talk To Roseburg Group

Victor P. Morris, dean of the school of business administration, and E. G. Moll, associate professor of English, will both speak at Roseburg Saturday to a meeting of the Douglas County Teachers' association.

"Meeting the Present Challenge to Democratic Institutions" is Dean Morris' topic while Professor Moll will speak on "Teacher Training in Australia as Seen by an American."

Dean Morris will also talk next Wednesday at a noon meeting in Portland to the foreign policy forum. His talk will be a "Survey of the International Scene."

He crosses the Columbia river after his Wednesday noon speech to address the teachers' association at Vancouver, Washington, on "The Future Organization for Peace," later in the day.

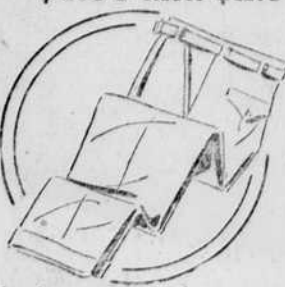
HAVE A HEART

There's never been a closed season on the heart motif—coeds love it the year around. The freshest example is a silver metal bracelet, two hands clasped in love. From the wrist of one, on another tiny bracelet, hangs the heart.

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IN STYLE...

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Twelve-Page Paper Features Special Style Show Section

The Oregon Daily Emerald's 12-page issue this morning, the largest since the daily became an 8-column paper, celebrates the spring opening in downtown Eugene tonight. More than 4000 copies were distributed.

Jean Crites, senior in journalism, was director of features, layout, and advertising for the special style section.

The University band is also cooperating in the opening by marching in a parade which will start at 7:45 tonight. Most of the entries will be supplied by the Eugene Automobile Dealers' association, and the Eugene high school band will participate, too.

The parade will start at the corner of Tenth and High streets,

moving north on High to East Broadway, west on Broadway to Olive, north on Olive to Sixth avenue, east on Sixth to Willamette, and south on Willamette to disband at Thirteenth.

Windows of all Eugene stores will be unveiled at 8, and blue ribbon prizes will be awarded to the best windows in each division.

The annual spring opening is sponsored by the retail merchants division of the Eugene Chamber of Commerce, under the direction of Harry Gordon.

Indian fashions are flourishing. A bracelet and necklace of silver metal and fake turquoise is making history.

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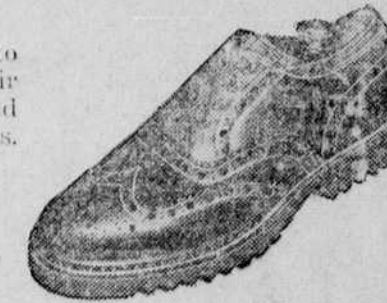
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