

SOCIETY

By Ruth Lenore Fisher

WITH Easter comes the dawn of a new life in the social world of Salem; and the quiet of the Lenten season which has prevailed for the past weeks will soon be forgotten in the gaieties which will fill the hours of the coming weeks. Two prominent engagements have been whispered among the very few in the younger set and several dancing parties are being planned for the near future.

The "Awakening of Spring" the pageant which will be given at the Grand Opera house the last of the month will occupy the time of many of the matrons as well as the youngsters who will participate. The pupils of Mrs. R. L. White's dancing class will be presented in this and its proceeds will go to furnish a children's ward in the new hospital.

The scene is laid in an Italian garden which will be beautiful with its white balustrade with pots of tulips and spring flowers. The first is to represent a severe storm and little fairies will personify the rain-drops, rainbow, storm, etc. Miss Mona Schom will be the storm fairy, Miss Dorothy Livesley the raindrops, Miss Janet Plimpton the rainbow and Miss Myrtle Shipp will represent the fairy who clears away the storm. Just after the storm the fairy queen who is a charming little maid will step out of a huge rose.

Governor and Mrs. Ben W. Olcott are entertaining over Easter Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Oswald West, Miss Helen West and Miss Jean West of Portland who will motor to Salem this morning. The Wests have a host of friends in this city

who are always happy over their presence in Salem.

Mrs. George Pendle was hostess for an April fool dinner Thursday evening held in a crystal hotel. Daffodils held in the perfectly appointed table. Clever April-fool favors and place cards with candles added to the attractiveness of the arrangements. Those who enjoyed Mrs. Pendle's hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rahn, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Sawyer of Eugene, and F. E. Miller.

Mrs. William Brown entertained Thursday afternoon with one of the delightfully informal club meetings of the week when she was hostess to the members of the Piety Hill club, at her State street home. Mrs. R. P. Boise was a guest of the club for the afternoon at the tea hour. Mrs. Boise and Mrs. F. W. Spencer assisted. Mrs. Brown. The club members present were Mesdames Grace Eoff, E. C. Cross, J. H. Walker, F. W. Spencer, Cooke Patton, E. T. Barnes, C. H. Robertson, T. B. Kay, C. I. Lewis, John Scott, John Albert, C. K. Spaulding and the hostess.

A party of prominent Salem folk, the men all being Rotarians, left last night for Portland where they joined a party of Portland Rotarians leaving for Victoria, B. C., to attend the convention of the 22 districts of the International Rotary. The party left Portland at midnight last night and will arrive in Victoria at noon today.

About 125 will go from Portland. Clayton Williams of Everett, Wash., is the district governor and will preside. The three days of the convention will be one round of dances, dinners, luncheons and other social events.

Those going from Salem were Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Myers, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gile, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Webb, Messrs. C. B. Clancy, Homer Smith, Otto Hartman, J. F. Hutchason and John Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hartley were hosts for one of the beautifully appointed dinners of the week when they had as their guests the members of the Cherry City club at their home Tuesday evening. Easter lilies, hyacinths, tulips and other spring flowers were fashioned into a beautiful centerpiece for the table around which covers were laid for the 16 members of the club. After the dinner the evening was passed with five hundred.

Miss Cornelia Marvin, state librarian, who has recently returned from four months traveling in the orient will be the feature of the meeting of the Salem Woman's club which will be held next Saturday afternoon in the rooms at the Commercial club. Mrs. Russell Catlin also who has just recently returned from passing the winter at Phoenix, Ariz., will tell very interestingly of the work in the women's clubs of that city which have been recognized highly in women's clubdom.

Since the afternoon is to be so interesting with the two speakers each member will take a guest. Informal tea will be enjoyed after the meeting.

Mrs. William H. Burghardt, Jr., will begin the new series of meetings of the Bridge Luncheon club at her home Wednesday afternoon. The club will meet only for bridge during this series and next fall resume the luncheons. Instead of meeting every fortnight as has also been the custom the matrons will assemble every week to pass the afternoon at cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Lampert entertained last night at their home.

Ben Lombard Park, with a beautifully arranged dinner, the day being their third wedding anniversary. The appointments were in yellow and were artistically perfect. Plates were laid for 12. Later the guests enjoyed dancing in the roof garden.

The Salem chapter of War Mothers will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Commercial club rooms for the regular meeting of the chapter. So that the War mothers' meetings will not interfere with other club meetings the date for the regular meeting has been changed to the first Tuesday afternoon in each month. Mrs. John Carson, the Salem War mother especially asks for a large attendance of the War mothers so that plans may be made for the bazaar and county fair which they are planning to raise money for the memorial to the ex-service men. She urges that each suggest ideas as to the material and articles for this event.

Honoring Mrs. Lloyd Mott, who left Thursday night for Honolulu, Mrs. Walter Spaulding entertained with a prettily appointed dinner party at her home on Court street. Mrs. Spaulding's guests included Mrs. Mott, Mr. and Mrs. Paul V. Johnson and Oliver Myers. After dinner the party attended the Monday Night Dancing club party which was held in Moose hall.

Miss Lucille De Witt and her brother O. De Witt, arrived last night from Portland to spend Easter with their mother, Mrs. Anna K. De Witt, at her Oak street home.

Mrs. Aila Strong has gone to Portland to spend Easter as the guest of friends in that city.

Allan Carson left yesterday for Eugene to resume his studies at the University of Oregon after passing his spring vacation with his mother, Mrs. John Carson. Wallace Carson will return the first of the week.

The Senior Standard Bearers society of the First Methodist church had a very pleasing evening at the home of Mrs. A. A. Lee Monday. The lesson was in charge of Mrs. E. L. Utter, Mrs. Lee, Miss Marion Roberts and Miss Edna Newberry. After the lesson and social hour, light refreshments were served by Mrs. Utter and Miss Lavina Anderson. Mrs. Frank Brown will entertain the society at the next meeting and will tell of her experiences in China.

Mrs. E. T. Buselle and Mrs. C. J. Green Friday night entertained a company of the senior students of Salem high school at the attractive Green home in Fairmont Heights. The rooms were adorned with a profusion of yellow and white spring flowers. Cards and dancing were the entertainment and in the dainty refreshments that were served at the close of the evening yellow and white were used. Mrs. F. L. Waters assisted Mrs. Buselle and Mrs. Green during the evening. The guests numbered 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark E. Elliott and small daughter Grace have gone to Portland to spend Easter Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Short.

Miss Florence Bayne returned to her home in Portland Friday afternoon after spending a fortnight's visit in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bayne.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bohnstedt are entertaining the Live Wire class of the Leslie Methodist Sunday school this morning at their home for an Easter breakfast, which will follow a 7 o'clock communion service at the church. Plans are being made for about 100 guests.

Mrs. Al Steiner entertained the members of the afternoon Bridge club at her country home recently at a prettily appointed luncheon which was carried out in the yellow and white color scheme. A bowl of daffodils formed the centerpiece for the table around which covers were placed for 12. Besides the club members Mrs. Steiner had Mrs. W. I. Staley, Mrs. H. S. Poisal and Miss Nellie Taylor. Miss Taylor assisted Mrs. Steiner in serving. Later in the afternoon Mrs. Steiner enjoyed with Mrs. R. B. Goodwin receiving the award for high scoring.

Charles Robertson will return to Eugene tomorrow to resume his studies in the University of Oregon, after passing his spring vacation in Salem with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Robertson.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Darby entertained with informal party at their North Winter street home Wednesday evening. Five hundred was the diversion and this was followed by a midnight supper. Those who made up the tables were Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Bowersox, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Bliss L. Darby, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Bates and the hosts.

Mrs. Cecil Hawley entertained the members of the Raphmetherian club at her Oak street home Thursday afternoon. At the tea hour Mrs. Hawley was assisted by Mrs. F. H. Reeves. The club members present included Mrs. Charles Bates, Mrs. F. L. Utter, Mrs. Fred H. Thompson, Mrs. W. C. Evans, Mrs. G. C. Bellinger, Mrs. Carl Abrahams, Mrs. Ronald Glover, Mrs. F. H. Reeves, Mrs. James G. Heltzel and Mrs. Hawley. Mrs. Guy Smith will entertain the club at the next meeting.

Mrs. Charles Wilson entertained the children of her Sunday school

class and their mothers for a very happy Easter party Thursday afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock in the school room in the church. The room was prettily adorned with spring flowers. Small tables were arranged for the little folk to play games on and at the close of the afternoon light refreshments were served.

Mrs. Wilson was assisted by Mrs. T. S. Anderson, Mrs. Otto J. Wilson, Mrs. Orton L. Fish and Miss Vesta Sonne.

The little tots and their mothers who were present were: Lucy Klein, Perry Buren, Mary Houser, Reid Houser, Mary Filsinger, Grace McLeod, Otto J. Wilson, Virginia Marvin, Helen Pruvine, Merritt Rabe, Margaret M. Smart, Wayne Sheldon, Josephine McGilchrist, Mesdames Max Buren, E. J. Pinsinger, H. A. Klein, W. I. McLeod, Otto Wilson, Craig Marvin, Ellis Purvine, John Rabe, J. P. Smart, L. S. Sheldon, and William McGilchrist, Jr.

The members of the Epworth league of the First Methodist church will hold an Easter sunrise service this morning at 7 o'clock in the church. Mrs. E. N. Bowen will lead the service.

Mrs. Joseph Schultz of the river road returned Tuesday from Knoxville, Tenn., and Ashland, N. C., where she has been visiting with relatives and friends for three months.

Mrs. Gale Church and small daughter Gail Ellis have returned from a few days visit with relatives in Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoxie left Thursday night for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will make their home in the future. Both are well known in the younger set and will be missed from social activities.

Mrs. William McGilchrist, Sr., entertained the members of the P. E. O. sisterhood at her South Commercial street home Thursday afternoon for the regular meeting of the society. April fool day games and jokes were enjoyed during the afternoon and at the lunch hour. The hostess was assisted by her daughter, Miss Ethel McGilchrist.

Mrs. A. H. Head of Boise, Idaho, was a guest of the club for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Durbin, Dr. and Mrs. Mark Skiff, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gouley and Frank Durbin, Jr. motored to McMinnville Tuesday to attend the wedding of Mrs. Gouley's niece, Miss Arlene Delschneider, to Curtis Shipley of Portland, which was a fashionable event of that city. The ceremony was in the First Methodist church and a reception followed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Delschneider.

Dean Frances M. Richards of the Willamette university returned on Thursday from Spokane where she attended a conference of the deans of women of the colleges of the Pacific northwest.

Miss Lois Geddes has gone to spend Easter with her parents, Miss Velma Chanten, also a university student, is spending Easter with her parents in Ashland.

Miss Bernice Knuts and Miss Evelyn Gordon are passing Easter at the home of Miss Gordon's parents in Portland.

Miss Sibyl Smith, Miss Grace Collins, Miss Mildred Garrett, Miss Faerie Wallace and Miss Mary Findley are in Corvallis over the week-end attending a conference of college Y. W. C. A. organizations.

Mrs. R. M. Hofer and Mrs. H. B. McQuire of Los Angeles, who has been her house guest, left Thursday for Vancouver, B. C., planning to be gone about 10 days visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. William McGilchrist, Jr., left Friday afternoon for Portland where they joined Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Findley to go to Astoria for a large initiation of Shriners in that city. They will return tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mills will motor to Dayton this morning to pass the day with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Spaulding have been entertaining during the week, as their house guest Curtis Brock of Newberg.

A group of violin and piano pupils of Miss Joy Turner held a private recital recently in the studio home of Miss Turner at 355 North Capitol street. All the pieces were well given with fine technique and expression and were all memorized. Mrs. Turner will present her pupils in a large public recital in one of the churches in the near future. Those who took part in the program were Gordon Bennett, Maud Engstrom, Helen Ramsden, George Stoner, Grace Stevens, Charles Hagemann, Marvin Roth, Robert Ramsden, Vera Carlson, Harold Rupert, Lois Sharpe, Ross Harris, Grace Chandler, E. A. Aegerter, Gerald Kubin, Claudine Gerth, Frances McKenney, Gertrude Riesbeck, Edmond Hisekorn, Eckley McCrow, Madeline Giesy, Edith Walker, Kenneth Morris and Louise Sharp.

A wedding that came as a surprise to their many friends was that of Miss Grace M. Howe and Dr. Charles George, which occurred at the home of Dr. George's father, W. P. George, on State street. Dr. R. N. Avison of the First Methodist church read the service at 3:30 o'clock with the relatives and a few close friends as guests. Immediately after the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. George left for Portland for a short wedding trip, and upon their return will

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Mrs. George is prominent in the younger set and for a number of years has been employed in the Salem Bank of Commerce. Dr. George served overseas and only a few months ago returned. Both are former students in Salem high school and have a wide circle of friends.

Miss Marion Adams of Boston arrived in Salem this week and will be here for several weeks conducting classes in connection with the home service department of the Red Cross. The classes are designed to teach the women to keep the families well, but in case of illness in the home to know the proper method of feeding and care of the patient, and to carry out the orders of the doctor.

The women of the city are taking an active interest in these classes. A group of Willamette university students has organized a class and others are working to organize other classes which will be held in the morning, afternoon and evening, each class meeting twice a week.

Miss Adams plans to start the classes tomorrow. Each class must have 15 members at least.

Mrs. W. C. Kerron of Portland has been a prominent visitor in Salem this week, being the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. E. Lee Steiner. Mrs. Kerron has been the motif for a number of informal affairs given by the matrons.

The regular meeting of Chadwick chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Tuesday evening in the Masonic temple. The evening program and social hour will be in the nature of celebrating the 25th anniversary of the Salem chapter. A number of musical numbers and readings have been arranged for the entertainment by the committee in charge.

Miss Doris Churchill is among the charming members of the younger set who will return to Eugene tonight after passing the spring vacation in Salem with her father, J. A. Churchill, and her sister, Miss Marie Churchill. Miss Marjory Kay will return tomorrow, having spent Easter Sunday in Portland with relatives.

Mrs. Warren Powers and small son John Perry of Seattle, who have been visiting with Mrs. Powers' father, Dr. J. N. Smith, will leave today for their home. Dr. Smith left last night for San Diego to join Mrs. Smith and their daughter Lois, and to pass a few weeks with them in the south.

To compliment Mrs. W. C. Kerron of Portland, a prominent Salem visitor in this city, Mrs. Charles Ramp entertained with a line party Friday afternoon, her guests being Mrs. Ramp, Mrs. R. E. Lee Steiner, Mrs. H. H. Olinger, Mrs. Edwin L. Baker and Mrs. John Caughell. After the matinee Mrs. Ramp took her guests to her home for tea.

Miss Mildred Roberts, the winsome little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Roberts, celebrated her 9th birthday Thursday afternoon by in-

fitting about 20 of her friends to her home for an after-school party. Small tables were prettily appointed with yellow spring blossoms, forming a centerpiece, and with little bunnies as favors. Dainty little Easter place cards marked covers for the guests.

Mrs. R. Monroe Gilbert returned Friday from Portland where she spent the week attending the art exhibit of Oregon artists which was on display in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Bennett and small son Pearson leave tonight for Pendleton, Mrs. Bennett and son to remain for a fortnight's visit with Mrs. Bennett's sister while her husband goes to Vale.

Mrs. Sol Levy and daughter Miss Elizabeth Levy were in Portland this week visiting friends.

Professor and Mrs. John R. Sites motored to Portland yesterday to meet their son, Armin L. Sites of Pocatello, Idaho, who will come to Salem to spend a few days with his relatives.

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