

Society

By MOLLY BRUNK

The week-end holds nothing of so much interest as the meeting of the Salem Woman's club which is to be held in the auditorium of the Commercial club tomorrow afternoon, and which will mark the twentieth anniversary of the club. The business meeting which begins at half past two o'clock will feature nomination of officers for the coming

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The Salem Woman's club has a distinctive and worthwhile record of achievement, its existence being justified by the Salem Public Library and the Young Woman's Christian Association.

Members of the Piety Hill club will be entertained this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Charles K. Spaulding, Mrs. Spaulding and Mrs. E. C. Cross serving jointly as hostesses.
The announcement of the marriage of Miss Toro Mortenson and Lucian Newcomer of Colton, Cal., is of much interest. The wedding took place in Albany last Saturday afternoon, at the Presbyterian parsonage, Rev. D. B. Poling, officiating. The couple came to Salem Tuesday, where Mrs. Newcomer, who is an instructor in the Englewood school, will finish the term. In the meantime Mr. Newcomer will make an extended business visit to San Francisco.

The bride has always been very popular in school and younger social circles. She is a graduate of the Salem high school, of the class of '18. She is also a former student at the University of Oregon, and is a member of the Tri Delta sorority.

Mr. Newcomer is a senior in the department of mining engineering at Oregon Agricultural college and he is a Kappa Sigma man.

News comes of the birth of a baby son to Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hayes of Portland, the new arrival being welcomed the first of the week. Mrs. Hayes is remembered as Miss Mary Barriek, a well-known former Salem girl.

Mrs. W. A. Robbins of Portland came up to spend the mid-week at the guest of Mrs. Lowell Tweedale.

Mrs. A. M. Crawford, a prominent former Salem matron is spending the week in Salem as the guest of her son James Crawford.

Mrs. C. A. Vibbert and Mrs. L. A. Williamson were gracious hostesses Wednesday night, entertaining on the occasion members of the La Arca club, and the following additionally: Mrs. Harry Holt, Mrs. Paul Walker, Miss Florence Blake and Miss Gusie Niles.
Five hundred filled the hours, six tables being arranged for the players. The successful contestants for honors were Miss Florence Blake and Miss Joy Turner. The players were surrounded by a simple decorative background of daffodils.
Miss Stains Anderson will entertain club members when they assemble again in a fortnight.

Well, it is to be revived; one of the most popular institutions of pre-war times!
Of course I refer to the rather famous chicken-pie suppers that the women of the First Congregational church have given once each year, beginning at far back as the oldest church member can remember and which were discontinued only because the conservation of war times and the employment of church women in war relief work directed attention elsewhere. But the war is now a thing of the past, and the dinners are to be renewed, beginning with the one tomorrow night, which will be served in the church parlors at 6 o'clock. Time was when one had to be on hand early in order to be seated, and it

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is rather likely that history will be repeated on this occasion.
The parlors will be open all day, however, with the feminine portion of the church conducting the yearly utility sale, where everything that one can use in the home will be found. These sales which have always accompanied the dinners, were the one church institution that was not discontinued during the war, for then the money was utilized for much needed war relief work.

Mrs. C. E. Farsman of Seattle, who has been making a visit of several weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Oliver, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark McCallister and their children will motor to Corvallis tomorrow and Corvallis will spend the week-end with Mrs. McCallister's mother, Mrs. Hugh Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Elgin and Mr. and Mrs. Laughhead returned the first of the week from a motor trip to Eugene, where they were the guests of Judge Hewitt.

Miss Emily Anderson of Portland will come up tomorrow to remain over the week-end at the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. J. Scheel.

Miss Jean Ketchum, the house guest of Mrs. B. F. Poind, left for her home in Tacoma the first of the week. Miss Ketchum divided the time with her mother, Mrs. Hayes of Portland, and Corvallis. She is a graduate of O. A. C. in the home economics department, and is at present a teacher in the Tacoma Day school for the deaf.

Following her graduation from the college Miss Ketchum taught cooking at the state school for the deaf in Salem, and she also took a course to fit her for primary work among deaf children.

In speaking of her work Miss Ketchum said:
"The old method of teaching by signs has been discarded. The children learn to talk by lip movement—by vibration in the throat. The voice pitch can be controlled. The guitar is used to see the difference in high and low pitch. Gymnasium work and dancing is learned through vibration through the floor from the piano."

The Three Links club will meet in regular session this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. L. W. Weber. Assistant hostesses will be Mrs. O. Hoppes, Mrs. T. C. Mason, Mrs. George Winchell and Mrs. S. E. Oliver.

The appearance of Mme. Luisa Tetrazzini at the public auditorium, Portland, Monday night, April 11, promises to attract a large number of local music lovers, many of whom have heard her previously.

Mme. Frances Alda who came to the Heilig last night was a big drawing card. She too, has a large number of local admirers, gained through her appearance here a number of years ago, when she was presented on the Musical Artists' course, under the management of Miss Minnetta Magers.

Arthur A. Fisher, the young son of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Fisher will be a host tomorrow afternoon at the home of the members of the Junior league of the First Methodist church at a party at the home of his parents on Market street.

The Improvement league and Flower society will have its regular meeting in the Commercial club rooms at 8 o'clock Friday night.

The Fortnightly Music club met at the home of Thelma Peed Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected: Thelma Peed, president; Evelyn Poulsen, vice-president; Florence Clutter, secretary. A short program was given; three piano selections by Lucille Anderson, Evelyn Poulsen and Florence Clutter. Impromptu readings by Thelma Peed and Joy Hills. Games were played, after which dainty refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be in the form of a line party.

An interesting meeting of the Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church was held Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Ray L. Farmer, who was assisted during the hours by Mrs. H. H. Vandervort. Forming a pretty floral background for the 45 guests were tall branches of cherry blossoms and spring flowers.

Mrs. E. J. Swafford gave the lesson, using as her topic the work being accomplished by the Home Missionary society, including activities in the south, mountain and negro districts, in Alaska and various other places. Mrs. Charles O. Wilson led the devotional exercises.

The Thimble club of the Women of Woodcraft will assemble for an all-day meeting Saturday at "Davies' Shack" on State street.

Another Half Million Certified for Medford
The state irrigation securities commission yesterday certified \$500,000 more in bonds for the Medford irrigation district of Jackson county. Prior to this \$300,000 has been certified and the entire bond issue is \$1,200,000. J. A. Perry of Medford, one of the directors of the district, conferred with the commission. The project embraces 10,000 acres and construction is now well under way.

Blue Book For 1921-22 Is Now Being Compiled
John W. Cochran, deputy secretary of state, is devoting a portion of his time to compiling the 1921-1922 edition of the Oregon Blue Book, which is published every two years by the office of the secretary of state. The new Blue Book will be off the press about July 1.

MY HEART AND MY HUSBAND

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CHAPTER 22
HOW MADGE SOLVED THE PROBLEM WHICH SORELY TROUBLED MISS HOLCOMBE:

Miss Holcombe, still with my dress over her arm, stepped to the door, through which Mrs. Stockbridge had just gone, and noiselessly slipped the bolt. Then she turned to me, her fine eyes averted.

"There!" she said, "now we can find out what is best to be done. Faith! That woman is like a moral mine-sweeper. I feel like opening the windows."

She acted as she spoke, and the clear, crisp, refreshing air stole in fluttering as it passed the atrocious dressmaking creation which Miss Stockbridge had laid upon the bed.

"Oh, you atrocity!" Miss Holcombe apostrophized the thing with a mocking laugh. "You'll not make your appearance downstairs tonight unless Milly herself repents and wears you. Come, Mrs. Graham, I have a theory that the worst of this stuff can be brushed off and that then we can perhaps rip this part of the drapery, unhem it, and turn it inside out. No"—examining it critically—"it isn't just the same on both sides, but I don't believe it will be noticed so very much, and anything will be better than wearing that other thing."

A Lucky Surprise.
Her face expressed doubt, however, of the practicality of her scheme, and well it might, for the white crepe of my gown was embroidered with gold threads, and the appearance of the turned panel would be distinctly "wrong side." Luckily, however, I had a surprise in reserve.

"We won't have to do that," I said confidently. "When I get through with that dress, if you'll help me, no one can possibly guess it was ever hurt."

She looked at me with twinkling eyes.
"If you can't tell me what you mean this instant!" she said ominously, and I obeyed her.

"Several years ago I tore a filmy gown badly in a theater—my thoughts went back for a swift retrospective moment to that night of the first play Dicky and I saw together after our marriage, and I would have given a good deal for a piece of the goods when I was mending it in the dressing room of the theater. Ever since then—I suppose it's fussy—but I never wear an easily torn gown without having at hand a piece of the goods."

"And you have it here?" her voice was gleeful. The next instant it shadowed. "If it was in your dress case something happened to it," she affirmed soberly. "Milly'd never overlook a bet like that."

"But it isn't in the dress case," I returned. "Luck evidently was with me this morning. I forgot to put it in the case. At the last minute I remembered it and tucked a length of the goods in my opera bag." I took my opera bag as I spoke, opened it, and drew out a long filmy piece of the delicately embroidered stuff of which my gown was made.

Miss Holcombe Explains.
"What colossal luck!" Alice Holcombe breathed. "It will be

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the simplest thing possible to make another panel just like this and put it in. Here's the time we put one over on little Milly. But we mustn't let her get the slightest inkling of what we're doing, and while she's perfectly satisfied that you're doomed to wear her gown, yet she won't be able to resist the temptation to come back to check a bit. I have it. Slip off your suit and get into this atrocious gown where, I'll rip that stained panel from your gown and hang the gown back in the closet. It will be easy to hide the small panels if she comes, and I'll also take a few slashes in her old dress, pretending to fix it for you. It will serve her right as well as mislead her if she comes in."

"What do you suppose she'll do in this particular thing for?" I asked, when I had invested myself with the salmon-pink atrociously unattractive appearance. I gave a little shudder at what Dicky would have thought if he had seen me enter the dining-room in that particular guise.

"Milly's no fool," she said. "Ken wouldn't let her wear this thing, which represents her general taste in dress, and I happen to know that the white lace gown she speaks of looks like a very poor country cousin beside this beauty. She has just sense enough to realize how the two gowns would look if contrasted, also that that thing you have on while it wouldn't be so bad with her sallow face and dark hair, would be mighty unbecoming to you. Now let me slash that a bit."

She was on her knees beside

me when a peremptory knock sounded on the door.
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