# SOCIETY

By MARGUERITE GLEESON

The Associated Charities enat the armory March 29 promises on the San Francisco Journal. to be one of the largest benefits given for sometime. The work of the association is the united efforts of every fraternal, civic lightful dinner party Yellow and religious organization in the decorations were effect vely used city, to relieve the needy.

The patrons and pitrouesses Mrs. Ben W. Olcott, Mr. and Mrs. George Halvorsen, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Bush, Judge and Mrs. Geo. H. Burnett, Dr. and Mrs. Carl Gracg Doney, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Griffith, Dr. and Mrs. W.lliam H. Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shields, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lee Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. August Huckenstein.

Miss Elizabeth Levy, violinist, will appear on the program assisted by local and Portiana talent. Mrs. E. E. Fisher, secretary. of the association, and Dr. Heary Morris, vice president, are committe on finances.

Richard O. Hansen, former Salem newspaperman, and Miss Anne Meagher, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Meager of Bakersfield, Cal., were married yester- March 24. day at the home of the bride's uncle, Dr. R. F. Tomlinson, 2240 Divisadoro street, San Francisco.

They will live in San Francisco. Miss Meagher after graduation from the Santa Bargara high schools attended the University of California. Mr. Hansen was tele-

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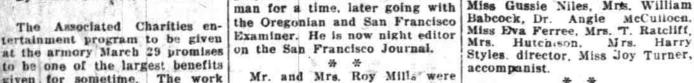
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hosts Thursday evening at a deabout to rooms. Five hundred was played during the after din-Darby.

The guests included Dr. and Mrs. Bliss Daroy, Mr. and Mrs. L. Spaulding.

Mr. and Mrs Roy Burton were last night.

Englewood circle was enterway will entertain the circle on

Honoring Mrs. Lester I. Permine, Mrs. Carle Abrams and Mrs. W. S. Foster were hostesses cluded at the party which was in- home in North Diana. formal in character,

of Alberto Salvi, Italian harpist Mrs. H. J. Morriss. in Portland, had the very great pleasure of talking with the artist allowed her to play a few meas- program Friday night at a meetures on his treasured ten thous- ing of the Salem Heights Improveand dollar harp.

young harpist and praised her short business session was then

served Friday evening with a program in the Knights of Columbus clubs. hall. The affair is in the hands of P. B. Keaney, president of the Friends of Irish Freedom. John R. Murphey, of Portland, will deliver the evening's address.

eral vocal numbers will be featur seof the program. The meeting will be open and all friends to petition for the national sororare being invited by those in ity, Acoth. Mrs. Ida B. Callahon

Eastern Star ladies chorus. which is a new organization in the city made its initial appear- party Tuesday on the occasion of ance last Tuesday night at the Masonic temple, when Mrs. Min- birthday cake was a feature of nie Latson, worthy grand matron of Oregon made her official visit to Chadwick chapter. Much in-terest was manifested over this the slim straight line to the new chorus and it is hoped that Salem people will often have the opportunity of hearing the chorus. Mrs. Harry Styles is the successful director, while Miss Joy Turner is the capable plane accompanist. The following Eastern Star women compose the chorus: Mrs. W. Carlton Smith, Mrs

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graph editor of the Oregon States. Phil Franklin, Mrs. V. E. Kuhn. man for a time, later going with Miss Gussie Niles, Mrs. William Miss Eva Ferree, Mrs. T. Ratcliff, Mrs. Hutcheson, Mrs. Harry Styles, director, Miss Joy Turner, accompanist.

The Friday Evening Five Hundred club was entertained last week by Mr. and Mcs. Fred Busselle. Pussy Willows and daffodils were charmingly used for the affair are: Governor and ner hours, High score went to about the rooms. Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Paul Johnson and W. H. Roy Campbell will be hosts for the club at its next meeting.

High score during the even-Mrs. Grover G. Beilinger, Dr. and ing went to Mrs. J. Schumaker Mrs. Wilson H. Darby, Mr and and Paul Sherman. Low score was given to Mrs. Fred Denoch Elliott Colony, Mr. and Mrs. D. and Mr. Schumaker. invited J. McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. Paul guests for the evening included V. Johnson, Mr. 224 Mrs. Walter Mr. and Mrs. Fred Denhen, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Schumaker.

Miss Bertha Magness of Dayhosts at a series of two card par- ton is the guest of Mrs. J. A. ties, Friday and Saturday evening, | nemington. for the week-end. Bridge was played Friday evening Miss Magness is home on a year's while f've hundreed was enjoyed sick leave from China where she has been for five years as n.issionary. She is well known in Salem, having attended the ireal tained Thursday at the home of high school from which she was Mrs. E. Schram. Mrs. J. E. Gallo- graduated. She has been home since the first of the year.

Mrs Mary Thorpe was honored by her grandson, Frank Graham, at a surprise birthday party last Monday, It was her seventyfifth anniversary, Mr. Graham Friday at a gathering of old has been visiting for several friends of Mrs. Pearmine at Mrs. months with Mrs Thorpe and is Abrams' home. Twelve were in returning in a kew days to his

Those present for the occasion were Mrs. Dora Flory, Mrs. A. Little Mary Jean Porter, who Brown, Mrs. J. Lucas, Mrs. E. A. with her mother, Mrs. W. J. Por- Winner, Mrs. M. Irwin, Mrs. M.

The young people of the Salem following the musicale. He even Heights community presented a ment league. It consisted of musi-He spoke encouragingly to the cal numbers and recitations. A held. A large delegation from this club is going to Silverton St. Patrick's day will be ob- March 16 to a meeting of the County Federation of Marion

Miss Veva Smith of Salem is a member of Lambda Tau, a local club recently organized by ten Musical numbers, including Eastern Star women at Oregon Agricultural college. Elizabeth Settlemeir of Woodburn is another member. The group plans is faculty advisor for the group.

Little Roberta Mills was a dainty hostess at a birthday dinner her ninth birthday. A pretty the table decorations. were played following the dinner

The guests included Elizabeth Lewis, Lois Leedy, Mildred Har ris, Margaret Evans and Ila Mills.

Mrs. William Bell who has been in Southern Californio for the winter months will return to Salem Monday.

Mrs. E. Hofer spent the weekend in Portland as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Allan A.

Mrs. . N. Nicholson spent Friday in Oregon City.

Mrs. J. E. Law is spending a ew days in Portland with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Beveridge. Mrs. A. G. Foor who has made her home at the Marion hotel for

some time is planning to leave

for Albany. She may later take up

her residence in Marshfield. Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Jeulness of Astoria are spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Whit-

#### COMING SOCIAL EVENTS

club will meet for their regular monthly dance at the Elite hall tomorrow night.

The S.B.A. sewing club will be entertained this week by Mrs P. Mrs. C. P. Bishop will entertain

the Thursday club at her home Mrs. A. L. Godfrey will entertain the P.E.O. this week at her

home on Union street. The Merry Go Round club will be entertained this week by Mrs.

Max O. Buren. The Salem Arts league will hold no regular monthly meeting during March since the puppet show given during the last week was offered in place of the regular meeting, according to the officers

of the league.

every day.

Because the society and club pages go to press unusually early Saturday, it is necessary that reports of social affairs and club notices be in the Statesman office Friday evening or early Saturday. No reports will be received in future later than 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon unless by special arrangement in the case of meetings held Saturday af-The society editor is in the office from 1 until 4 o'clock and from 7 until 10

#### **WOMAN TO SIT IN HOUSE OF LORDS**



7ISCOUNTESS RHONDDA, an English peeress in her own right, is the first woman to take her place in the House of Lords. She began her contest for the seat in the House shortly after the death of her father, Lord Rhondda, Food Dictator in Great Britain in 1918. The title Viscountess came to her "by special privilege," Lord Rhondda having no male heir. The Committee of Peers was finally convinced that Viscountess Rhondda had a right to sit in the House of Lords, following her contention that the sex bar had died with the coming of suffrage. The privilege of sitting in the ter, yesterday attended the recital L. Leonhardt, Mrs. A. Goldie, and House was hitherto denied women in England.

### Women's Activities

By MARGUERITE GLEESON

#### Civic Problems Discussed at Women's Club

"Problems of the City Council" was the subject of a talk by John B. Giesey, member of the Salem city council before the Salem Wo- " with Mrs. Gertrude Robinson " men's club yesterday. Mr. Giesey outlined work of the council, urg+ | meeting, 2:30 at Commercial ing the women to take an active club rooms. interest in moral and civic work | a of the city and invited them to | \* Frank L. Purvine. attend the meeting of the council | \* at some future time.

With regard to the public playground, Mr. Giesey said that in . M. Kerschner, 1330 South talking over the auto camp park it wa sthe idea of a number of councilmen to at some future time make it into a public playground: The problem of equipment and maintenance is what prevents Salem from having playgrounds at

the present time, Mr. Giesey says. An open forum was given over women's community building. A building suitable for all meetings | \* P. M. Gregory and conventions in which woeral opinion expressed by the members, according to Mrs. W. E. Anderson, president of the club.

#### Olden Days to be Recalled at Benefit

That those who have pleasant memories of bygone days and dances may to back for a while to that pleasant time and that Salem women may accumulate funds men and maids of 25 years ago will frolic at the armory Wednesday evening. The occasion will be an old time ball and from music to costumes the affair will be as near as possible a duplicate of one of those old time balls.

The sale of tickets is good, according to the tickets committee and every indication is that this benefit affair combining business and pleasure for the women of will be a success. The affair is munity building which the wo-

Everyone is invited to attend regardless of whether costume is modern or not.

#### Fashion Show Is Planned for Near Future

Three new evening classes will be started this week under the direstion of the local branch of the Smith Hughes vocational instruction, according to Mrs. F. E. Barker, who is in charge. A new sewing class will begin Monday evening and will meet twice a week, Monday and Thursday.

Two millinery classes will be started during the week. The beginning class will start Tuesday and the advanced class in millinery will begin Wednesday evening. nitely. The class now meeting in the evening will meet for the last three lessons on Friday evenings. All will entertain the Modern Writers of these classes will meet in the at her home Tuesday ovening.

CLUB CALENDAR

Monday Photographic section Arts league, Gunnel & Robb stu-Women's Republican club.

with Mrs. C. P. Bishop at

\* Modern writers' section, \* Mothers

Etoka club with Mrs. Junior guild, St. Paul's \* church, with Mrs. William \*

Wednesday Twelfth street. South East circle, Mrs. F.

Barquist, 1435 Trade Lucy Anna Lee, Mrs. H. L. Marsters, 1653 Court street. East Central circle, Mrs.

R. R. Jones, 835 D street. Naomi circle, Mrs. E. R. Schramm, 1605 North Twenty-first street. S. B. A. Sewing club, Mrs.

Thursday E. O. with Mrs. A. L. Godfrey, 127 Union street,

Thursday club with Mrs. C. P. Bishop. Friday Women's Union of First

Congregational church, at Saturday

W. R. C. corps meeting.

new headquarters of the Smith-

Hughes work, in the Red Cross

Prospective students are being especially requested by Mrs. Barker not to call up at the Red Cross headquarters for information since they have more than they can attend to now with their own work. Mrs. Barker may be reached at her home, phone 1386W.

The Fashion Show being planned by the classes now taking work will be within a few weeks Mrs. Barker says. Special speakers on nutrition and other prob-Salem and pleasure for the men will be taken up by extension workers from Oregon Agricultural being given as a benefit for the college. The affair will be put or proposed Salem women's com- in the Commercial club rooms where the work done by the difmen's club is accumulating funds ferent classes in sewing and millinery during the winter will be displayed.

> Mrs. W. S. Kinney of Astoria will address the Y.W.C.A. board of directors on the coming national convention of the association in Hot Springs, at their meeting Tuesday. She will be a guest of the board for luncheon following the board meeting.

The Pythian Sisters club will not hold their regular meeting this week. The next meeting will be held on March 28.

The various circles of the First Methodist church are scheduled to meet this week but two are postponed. The West Central circle will meet March 29 instead of this week and the South Central circle has postponed its meeting indefi-

Mrs. Gertrude Robinson Ross

#### Local Woman Writes Plays and Operettas

The lengthts to which ambition may take the earnest worker was treated in the drama presented this week at Willamette university by the public speaking department under the direction of

"The Consuming Flame" was written by Miss Harding hersel! Winifred quite recently and is only one of Booth. several similar productions. Ambition drives the hero-art st on and on to new sacrifices until he has a vision one night of his lat- einsH) est production "Dawn" com'ny from its pedestal and attacking his wife and child. He waker but to realize his folly and decides to think less of ambitions and more of his family.

Miss Minna allrding.

Kleinsorge. "Yankee Sam." an operetta. was written by Miss Harding



Miss Minna L. Harding

more than three years ago. Prof. Ralph Spaulding of New York, wrote the music as he is now writing the music for a musical drama just finished by Miss alfirding. This is called "Bird of

"Co-Partners," a drama in three acts was given by Willamette students last year. Capital and labor are the main themes of the plot of this play which has been considered to have been suc-

Miss Harding has written a number of other short plays and has even found time to write several short stories. This is her second year at Willamette university where she is head of the public speaking department. Miss Harding's home is in Boston where she attended the Greeley school of Elocution and Dramatic Art of which she is a graduate.

"Dutch Pottery" will be taken up by the P.E.O. sisterhood at their meeting this week. Mrs. W. W. Moore is chairman of the program for the day. Current events will be given in answer to roll call. Mrs. A. L. Godfrey will entertain the club at her home on Union

The silver birthday tea which the American War Mothers had planned to have Tuesday has been postponed until the next regular meeting in April. This was done because of illness among the members. The business meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 as was planned before.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday at 2:30 in the studio of Miss Lulu R. Walton.

Plans for the May Festival are rapidly taking form according to members of the committee in charge. More than 90 persons were present for the rehearsal last Tuesday. This did not include a number of Willamette university students who will enter the chorus following the completion of their work on the Freshman Glee.

Hostesses for the visiting members of the chorus have been apopinted. Mrs. Charles K. Spaulding and Miss Cornelia Marvin will be hostesses for the Monmouth chorus while Mrs. Arthur J. Rahn will entertain the Albany members. Several Silverton women were present for the practice last week and it is hoped that others will attend the practice next Tuesday evening.

Soloists for the oratorio will be chosen from among the members of the chorus, according to the music committee. Mrs. William H. Prunk is secretary of the chorus, registering all members.

#### Ben Sheldon Files His Pupils of Mrs. Cameron Presented in Recital

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Reta Rahn

Young.

Webb.

Duet:

and Blanche Heald.

ward Syring.

Woods.

Frances Keene.

Eastman,

Trio: Waltz (Streabog) Neva

Duet: Marche Militaire (Strea-

Duet: Youthful Pride (H. En-

gelman) Charles Drake and Eddie

Duet: Jolly Company (Schles-

Duet: Guard's March (Strea-

bog) Malcolm and allrry Bock. Trio: In The Forest; Irene

Morley, Lela Bray and Murial

Duet Barchetta (Nevin), Eun-

Holiday (Koelling)

ce Knauf and Gertrude Cameron.

Kenneth Bentson and Francis

Two Pianos: Rustic Dance

Von Walm) Olive Morley and So-

phia Stewart, Margaret S'mms

mann) Lillian Schafer and Mrs.

nes Bock and Mrs. Cameron.

Duet: Melody of Love (Engel-

Duet: Nocturne (Bendel) Ag-

Two Pianos: Turkish March

Two pianos: Norwegian Dance

Duet: Qui Vive Galop (Ganz)

Two Pianos: Nocturne (Cha-

Kathleen Booth and Olive Banks.

pin) Ama Kendell and Mrs. Cam-

Grieg) Orla Bell and Mrs. Cam-

Beethoven) Kathleen Booth, Es.

her Towe, Olive Banks and Ed-

nger), Murie: Webb and Ruth

bog), Mable Digerness and Betty

Robenoft, Mildred Nickerson and

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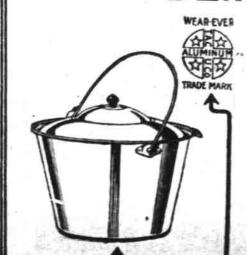
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Mrs. Gertrude Cameron present- state his declaration as a candied her pupils in an ensemble re- date for the Republican nominacital at her studio home on Oak tion for state senator at the primary election May 19 for the

sixth senatorial district, compris-Duet (a) Babillage, (b) Car- ing Jackson county. His slogan will be "Pledged to zonetta (Bachmann), Blanche

vote and work for lower taxes." Mr. Sheldon has been a member Duet: Adonis Galop (Streabog),

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