

Society

FESTIVITY during the last week has centered around the beginning of the new year, and New Year parties have added to the social affairs.

During the coming weeks the social affairs of the winter, coupled with the club activities, will make the winter months busy ones.

Judge and Mrs. George H. Burnett were hosts Sunday evening for more than 75 guests on the occasion of their forty-third wedding anniversary. This is a custom of many years standing with Mr. and Mrs. Burnett, and one which their friends are happy to join them in making a happy occasion.

The rooms of the Burnett home were decorated with bright holiday colors. The dining room was festive with red streamers and a great basket of carnations centered the serving table. Mrs. R. B. Fleming cut tins and Mrs. Percy Cupper poured during the early part of the evening, and Mrs. George Brown and Mrs. Gertrude J. M. Page were in charge later in the evening.

The reception room was prettily decked with green boughs and red blossoms. Here the guests signed the guest book used for the annual open house for the last forty-three years.

Musical numbers were given during the evening by Mrs. Helene Parish Hinges, Mrs. William McCull, Mrs. Percy Cupper, Mrs. Rose Babcock and little Margaret Steiner.

Miss Mildred Apperson of McMinnville is the house guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Robertson at their North Capitol street home.

Mrs. Homer Smith was hostess Friday evening for a birthday dinner party at which covers were laid for 12. The group has held this annual birthday party at the homes of each of the six couples in alternate years, six birthdays within the first 12 days of January being the inspiration for the annual party.

Following the dinner hour the group displayed pictures of themselves taken at childhood birthday parties, and attempted to name those included in the pictures.

Christmas decorations formed a pretty holiday background for the gathering. Those included for the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Durbin, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dancy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meredith, and Dr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith.

Mrs. Frank O. Northrup, prominent Portland club woman, will be in Salem during the coming week and will make her headquarters at the Marion hotel. It is expected that she will be in Salem during the entire session in the interests of the state federation, where she is actively interested.

Rev. W. T. Milliken spoke on the value of education this week before the Parent-Teacher association of the Highland school. The Mothers' club and the association have recently combined forces, and once each month a social meeting will be held in the evening when all of these members may conveniently attend.

Mrs. Walter M. Pierce and her two daughters, Miss Lucille and Miss Lorraine, accompanied Governor-elect Pierce to Salem this week and are guests at the Marion hotel. They will take up their residence at their new home on South Twelfth and Mission streets this week.

Miss Edith Pierce, a freshman at the University of Oregon, has been here during the holiday vacation as the house guest of Miss Margaret Goodin and with Miss Goodin will return to Eugene following the inauguration of Governor Pierce Monday.

A luncheon honoring the two women members of the legislature will be the form of the February meeting of the American Association of University Women, according to plans made yesterday.

A legislative committee was named yesterday to keep in touch with legislation at the coming session of the legislature. Members of the committee are Mrs. F. G. Franklin, Mrs. George H. Alden, Mrs. George Hugg, Mrs. C. A. Downs, Mrs. J. H. Fairchild, and Mrs. H. J. Williston.

Details of three different trials were given by Judge John M. McCourt who addressed the association on "Our Duty to the Criminal."

"Railroading" of criminals was referred to by Judge McCourt who said such a thing was seldom possible and that except in cases of a previous bad record, a judge seldom sentenced a person to the penitentiary unless he was accused of murder or similar grievous crimes.

Paroles were also taken up by Judge McCourt who gave reasons why they were issued. He also took up the treatment of

prisoners and pointed out that punishment came through disapproval of fellow citizens and not entirely, if at all, through imprisonment.

Mrs. Ronald Glover and Mrs. Cecil Hawley were joint hostesses Thursday for the Rapharierian club members at Mrs. Glover's home. Sewing featured the early afternoon hours.

New Year's decorations were featured in the rooms of the Glover home. The table at which the guests were seated for refreshments was centered with a large cupid bearing a Happy New Year banner. Green tapers in crystal sticks further carried out the color scheme. Tiny green favors were attached to little calendars of the meetings for the coming year at each guest place.

The members of the club are: Mrs. Carle Abrams, Mrs. C. E. Bates, Mrs. G. C. Bellinger, Mrs. H. V. Compton, Mrs. E. A. Colony, Mrs. J. C. Evans, Mrs. J. G. Heltzel, Mrs. R. F. Shields, Mrs. Ray Smith, Mrs. Guy O. Smith, Mrs. Frederick H. Thompson, Mrs. Lee Urruh, Mrs. F. L. Utter, Mrs. Elmo S. White, Mrs. Otto Wilson, Mrs. W. C. Winslow, Mrs. A. A. Siewert and hostesses.

One of the pretty New Year parties was that of Miss Neva and Miss Lola Millard, Monday, when they gave a luncheon party for 18 guests. The afternoon was spent with games and dancing.

The guests were Lucille Moore Josephine Bross, Florence Young.

Woman's Community Building Plans To Be Considered Soon

Definite steps for the purchase of property on which to build a woman's community building will be considered Saturday by the Salem Woman's club, according to members of the board of trustees of the building fund.

Members of the club have been working for the last year in a group of eight committees with the object of raising \$100 each for the community building. Two of the committees have fulfilled their pledge, while all but three of the other committees have completed their pledges in part. The year given in which to complete the pledges has not expired and a number of benefits are being planned for the immediate future.

A bridge tea and a dance are two forms of benefit entertainments which will be given during the coming session of the legislature. It is said.

A woman's community building which could be used by all women's organizations of Salem and for state conventions of women's organizations and Sunday school and other conventions, this is the aim of the Women's club in working for the community building.

Corvallis, Ashland and Portland have such buildings, while Dallas and Pendleton are making plans for such a building in the near future. Ashland's new club home has just recently been completed and Portland's was only opened during the last summer.

Corvallis has had the community building, known as the woman's club, for several years, and it is used for community gatherings of all kinds. The club has recently purchased a concert grand piano for the club house.

The eight committees which were named for the year's drive for funds were headed by the following women: Mrs. Alice H. Dodd, Mrs. C. K. Spaulding, Mrs.



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CLUB CALENDAR

Monday
Lausanne Guild, Lausanne hall. Chapter AB of PEO.

Tuesday
YWCA board meeting at association rooms.
Etokta club, with Mrs. E. Schunke, 929 N. Church.

Wednesday
Barbara Fritchie Tent of D. of V.
Foreign Missionary society of First M. E. church with Mrs. J. H. Baker, 545 Court street.
Bus. and Prof. Woman's club.

Thursday
YMCA Auxiliary at YMCA rooms.

Friday
Three-Link club at IOOF hall.

Saturday
Salem Woman's club.
Ladies of GAR.

Fay Spaulding, Frances Hodge, Miriam Lovell, Mabel Marcus, Jennelle Vandervort, Bertha Vincent, Helen Pollock, Edith Brotherton, Charlotte and Eugenia Ziebar, Margaret Stolz, Helen Marcus, Pauline Knowland and Lola and Neva Millard.

Mr. and Mrs. William Teutsch of Lakeview, Oregon, are rejoicing over the birth of a son, January 4. He will be called William Le Roy Jr. Mrs. Teutsch was formerly Miss Freda Spitzbart of Salem.

Mrs. Joseph Halstead and Mrs. George Game, of Jamestown, N. D., are visiting in Salem this week, the guests of Mrs. William Niemeyer. They are on their way to California.

George G. Brown, Mrs. John W. Harbison, Mrs. George Pearce, Mrs. Frank Bowersox, Mrs. Harry Hawkins and Mrs. W. E. Anderson.

An "Olde Tyme" ball was given by the first committee, which cleared more than \$150. Mrs. Spaulding sponsored a series of benefit bridge parties and has completed the quota.

Garden parties were given by Mrs. George G. Brown, Mrs. Harbison gave a series of dancing parties, and Mrs. Pearce gave an entertainment at Waller hall under the direction of Miss Mina Harding. Each of these committees have made about half of their quota.

The three committees which have not taken any action so far are in charge of Mrs. Bowersox, Mrs. Hawkins and Mrs. W. E. Anderson. Since only a few months remain in which the pledges must be kept, a number of benefits are being planned for the next few months.

Mrs. F. W. Schwab and small daughter Patricia Ann, arrived in Salem today for an extended visit at the home of Mrs. Schwab's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Nye.

Two Women Will Participate In Legislative Work This Year



MRS. C. B. SIMMONS (left)
Representative from Multnomah

MRS. W. I. KINNEY (right)
Senator from Clatsop

A woman will sit in each house of the Oregon legislature during the coming session. Mrs. W. I. Kinney of Astoria will be back for her second term in the senate from Clatsop county while Mrs. C. B. Simmons will sit among the representatives from Multnomah county.

Mrs. Kinney, who has hosts of friends in Salem, arrived yesterday and will have her headquarters at the Marion hotel during the coming session.

The woman's jury bill which was passed in the 1921 session of the legislature, was sponsored by Mrs. Kinney, who personally took an active part in the fight for the measure on the floor of the senate.

Mrs. Kinney has served as president of the Astoria Woman's Civic club and as superintendent of the Clatsop chapter of the Red Cross. She was one of the executives of the northwest field of the YMCA and as such visited the local association last spring. She is a graduate of Willamette university.

Mrs. Simmons lived in California before coming to Oregon and was active there in club work as she has been since coming to Oregon. She was vice president of the Federated Woman's clubs of California and has

served as president of the Portland Woman's club and recently has been organizer of the woman's division of the Portland Community chest. For three years Mrs. Simmons served on the national board of the League of Women Voters and was for a time one of the regional directors of the league.

One of the bills which Mrs. Simmons will introduce in the coming session of the legislature is the community property bill. The bill was drawn by George S. Shepherd and is endorsed by the League of Women Voters in Oregon.

The purpose of the bill is said to be that of giving the women of Oregon a share in all the property acquired by their husbands following marriage. Such a law is in force in Washington.

Mrs. C. B. Simmons, representative-elect from Multnomah county, will submit the bill in legislature through the Legislative Alliance, a group of women's organizations.

The League of Women Voters endorsed the bill at a recent meeting and re-elected it to a committee with instructions to confer with an advisory committee of business men, after which the bill is to be presented to the Legislative Alliance.

Mrs. J. B. Little entertained Chapter G of the PEO at her home Thursday afternoon. Plans for the entertainment of Mrs. Mary K. Logan state organizer of the organization, were discussed. Mrs. Logan will be in Salem in the near future on an inspection trip.

Miss Eutena Viola Aufrance will become the bride of Paul Denzel Vales this afternoon at 1:30. Rev. W. T. Milliken officiating. Prof. T. S. Roberts will play the wedding march.

Miss Jewel Steel and Sherman Auman will be the only attendants. The bride will wear a frock

of ivory white satin. Both young people are residents of Salem and will make their future home in

Portland. The wedding service will take place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Dora Aufrance. Mr. Vales is a son of Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Vales.

A buffet luncheon will be served following the wedding. Those serving will include Miss Yvonne Aufrance and Erma Simmons.

Mrs. Harry M. Styles will entertain the AB chapter of the PEO at her home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Glover will be hosts Tuesday for the Yomarco Bible class.

Immigration from a new angle is presented in an unusual article in the January Harper's Magazine.

The authors, Viola I. Paradise and Helen Campbell interestingly answer, after thorough investigation, such questions as: When immigrants turn to the native lands for a visit or for the rest of their lives, what do they take? What dreams and ambitions? What attitude toward the United States? What knowledge of it?

William A. Rogers, the cartoonist, whose first book, "A Word Worth While," was recently published says that it's more fun to draw than it is to write.

"When you write," he explains, "you have to keep thinking, thinking all the time, and there's nothing to see while working, and as Booth Tarkington says, all you have when you get through are some little marks. This writing is a tougher job, altogether. At least, when you finish a cartoon, you can tell whether it's any good or not—perhaps!"

The New Year's dinner at the Jason Lee church was given by the women of the church for the benefit of the church's room at the Old People's home.

The Woman's club chorus will entertain for the Cecelian club of the high school at the home of Prof. T. S. Roberts a week from Monday, January 15.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 6. — Esther Reed chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will have a room in its own name in the D.A.R. chapter house at the University of Washington if action taken at an informal meeting of the local chapter is confirmed at the regular meeting in January. As most of the necessary funds have already been pledged, D.A.R. officers believe it almost certain that favorable action will be taken at the January meeting.

The chapter house at the University of Washington will have nine rooms named for local chap-

ters throughout the state, according to Mrs. William Sherman Walker of Seattle, state D.A.R. regent. Seven of these rooms are already taken, according to Mrs. Walker.

"Washington is the first state to inaugurate a D.A.R. chapter house at its state university," said Mrs. Walker. "But other states have university chapters of the D.A.R. and will no doubt follow the plan adopted in this state."

Over His Head
Admiral Sims said at a Washington tea:

"French, as we all know, is a very difficult language to pronounce. Take Ypres, for instance. Our doughboys called it wipers, but its rightful pronunciation, of course, is Ee-pra.

"A sailor was telling a war story one day.

"We started out from Wipers," he said, but an old lady corrected him.

"Ypres," she pronounced very distinctly.

"Well," resumed the sailor, "as I was sayin', we started out from Wipers—"

"Ypres," said the old lady again.

"We started out," persisted the sailor, "and marched three days from Wipers—"

"Ypres," came once more from the old lady.

"The sailor gave her a frowning look.

"Gee," he said, "you got the hiccups for fair."

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