

# Salem Society News

By AUDRED BUNCH — Phone 106

**Music Section to Give Open Meeting**  
The music section of the Salem Arts League will give an open meeting on Thursday, May 6, at 8:30 o'clock in the Unitarian church. The program will be as follows:  
Vocal solos: Nancy Thielsen, Piano solo: Louise Townsend, Violin: Mrs. C. A. Kella  
Contralto solo: (a) Fruhlingslied, Coenen (b) Sappho Ode, Brahms  
Mrs. Martin Fernehelina, Piano, Mrs. Gerie Smith.  
Vocal solo: Genevieve Howard  
Symphonic poem, composed by Dr. R. W. Hans Seitz, by trio  
Cello—Professor Seitz,  
Violin—Ruthyn Turney,  
Music—Mrs. Turney.

**Better Homes Week Closes Today**  
A splendid observance of Better Homes week in Salem will close today, for both homes and gardens. The two demonstration houses, one on Stewart street and the other on South High, will be open for the last time both this afternoon and evening.

Three Salem gardens, including those at the H. J. Clement home; the F. G. Deckebach home, and at the Walter J. Kirk home, will also be open this afternoon and evening.  
Hostesses at the demonstration houses will be: (a) On Stewart street: Mrs. E. M. Höhnell, Mrs. Grant Bonelli, Mrs. Roy Burton, Mrs. W. E. Crews, Mrs. Guy O. Smith, Mrs. George Wilson and Miss Leora Carver; and at the house on South High, Mrs. Walter Pennington, Mrs. S. M. Knidcott and Miss Phillips.

**Chemeketa Chapter to Elect Officers**  
Chemeketa chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ora Potter for the May meeting. Officers for the new year will be elected at this time, and committee reports heard.

**Pringle-Pleasant Point Club**  
A very pleasant day was spent at the John Shaffer home Thursday when Mrs. Shaffer entertained the Pringle-Pleasant Point Social Club members and a number of special guests. Club members in the group were Mesdames Riee Dräger, L. W. Potter, E. G. Clark, C. T. Jones, Homer Harrison, L. Mosher, J. S. S. F. Yates, P. K. Clark, H. Walmsby, T. J. Clark, D. Vanderhilt, Mary Clark W. M. Cochran, William Grabenhorst, E. S. Coates, Miss Grace Robertson and the hostess. Visitors were Mrs. Harvey Shaffer, Miss Marie Shaffer, Miss Lucille Mosher, Mary Alice Jones, Waldo Clark and Roberta Ann Grabenhorst. A dinner was served at noon.

Mrs. F. R. Clark will be hostess to the club on May 13.  
**Guests in San Francisco**  
Dr. and Mrs. L. O. Clement and son Norris are spending the week in San Francisco. They plan to return to Salem by Monday.  
**Dinner Today at the Armory**  
Barbara Fritchie tent, Daughters of Veterans, will sponsor a dinner promptly at noon today in honor of GAR members and their wives and mothers. A fine menu has been prepared and an excellent program will follow.  
**Book and Trunk Club**  
This club and trunk club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Brown for a delightful meeting. The subject of wild birds was the topic for the afternoon. Topics, giving some of the best known characteristics of birds of this lo-

cality, were passed among the members. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Ferguson sang a duet appropriate to the topic considered. Articles telling of the migration of birds and how they build their nests to withstand the difficulties of the seasons were read by Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Gohler. A piano solo, "The Skylark," was played by Mr. Ferguson.  
Mrs. Trott assisted Mrs. Brown in serving the luncheon.  
Those present were Mrs. Lacey, Mrs. Gelber, Mrs. Hathaway, Mrs. Beamer, Mrs. Pattison, Mrs. Trott, Mrs. Schwartz, Mrs. St. Pierre, Mrs. Charles Adams, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Ferguson and the hostess, Mrs. Brown.  
At the next meeting of the club the group will meet at the home of Mrs. Beamer, with Mrs. St. Pierre and Mrs. Schwartz in charge of the program.

**Leslie Can-Do's Hold Porch Party**  
The Leslie Can-Do's Sunday school class had a most enjoyable porch party on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. E. Greenwood, assisted by Mrs. M. J. Faulkner and Mrs. Edward Hornsberger. It was in the nature of a kidding party. There was a large number present and it was a happy occasion. This is a growing, enthusiastic class of young married people of Leslie M. E. church. The hostesses served an elaborate and lovely luncheon.

**Royal Neighbors' Convention on Monday**  
The district convention of the Royal Neighbors will be held in Salem on Monday, May 3. Members of the society from many outlying communities will gather for the sessions which will take place at Silverton, Dallas, Scotts Mills, Falls City, Saver, Woodburn, Chemawa, Albany and Corvallis.  
Ritualistic work will be exemplified. A banquet will be served at 6:30 o'clock. Features of the sessions will be fancy drills, addresses, with prizes for the best drills. All Royal Neighbors are expected to be in attendance.

**Picnic Supper at J. P. Smart Home**  
The country home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smart was the scene of a delightful picnic Thursday evening when a group of friends motored out at the supper hour, with filled baskets, surprising their hosts.

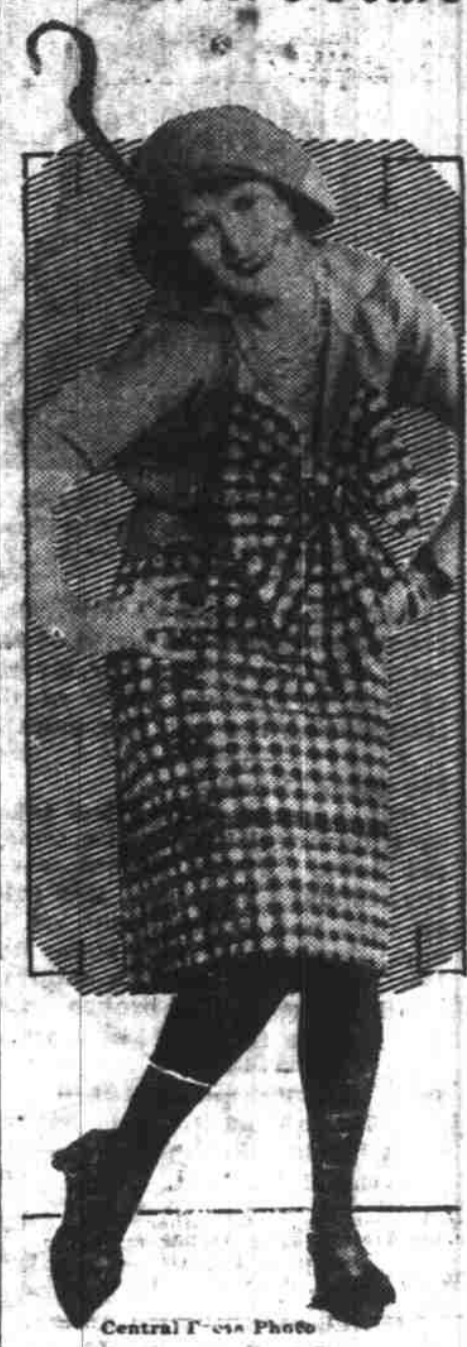
An informal musical program was enjoyed. Mr. Smart, popular soloist, pleased with several Scotch songs.  
Those in the group were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smart, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henderson, E. A. Rhoten, W. C. Coanar, Mrs. Lillian Cadwell, Mrs. A. M. Knapp, Miss Nina Marshall, Miss Clara Heater, Miss Helen Meyer, Miss Lucille McClellan, Miss Ethel Starkey, Miss Leone Ferguson, Miss Susan Martin, Margaret Smart and Jimmy Smart.

**Guest at Blatchford Home**  
Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin Blatchford are entertaining as their home guest for the Willamette university May day week-end their daughter, Mrs. Clarence J. Gillette (Lorlei Blatchford) of Portland.

**Miss Jillson to Speak at Church**  
Miss Jeannie L. Jillson of Quaker ancestry, well educated, with a command of Turkish, Armenian, Greek, French, German and English, went out to Turkey in 1909 to take charge of the girls' school at Brusa, Turkey. During the World war Miss Jillson was pressed into the Red Cross service both in Constantinople and Brusa, and in 1915 was decorated by the sultan for having established weaving among the refugee women. This work is still being carried on under her supervision.  
At the port of Mudania, in 1922, 4,000 refugees owed their lives directly to her prompt action. She is one of the few really celebrated workers now carrying on in Turkey. Her Turkish school is unique and is a result of rare tact and skillful management. A man of high rank speaks of her work in Brusa as the most valuable missionary work being done in that whole section. Because of her resourcefulness, vision and sagacity her advice is sought and accepted by people of influence and power.  
She will deliver her message Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the First Congregational church, Center and Liberty streets.

**Miss Schreiber Announces Engagement**  
Friends of Miss Edna Schreiber will be interested in the announcement of her engagement to Mr. Marion Cokram last night—May Day eve—at the Alpha Phi Alpha sorority house. Miss Nora Pehrson, Miss Alberta Koons and Miss Ruby Deik were the hostesses for the event.  
The color scheme carried out was that of lavender and gold. A time-tempting held streamers which were attached to the place cards, and the small basket favors which were the cards of announcement. The announcement was disclosed after the first toast. Miss Schreiber displayed the pictures of the betrothed couple.

## Norma Retiring? Not for 3 Years



Report that Norma Talmadge is going to retire is true, but premature. It won't take place until the expiration of her present contract three years hence. This is how she looks in "Kiki," her newest release.

## LIVING and LOVING

"When I was child I spake as a child; but when I became a man I put away childish things."  
We've always supposed such a procedure on the part of the man and the woman of average intelligence to be so much a matter of course that we've given little, if any, thought to this candid admission of the Apostle to the Corinthians. But now there comes one who speaks with authority to confound our confidence, declaring that all men and women, and in particular those of the genus American, do not run true to the logical forms thus set down in the Good Book.

Dr. Joseph Collins, writing in a recent issue of Harper's Magazine, calls Americans childish and makes diagnosis of what he calls adult-infantilism, our national malady.  
"One of the most conspicuous traits to illustrate the extent to which we are adult-infants is that there is everywhere a lack of moderation of measure," writes Dr. Collins. "We Americans take things in their extreme; we push a situation to the point where it can no longer hold, but has to give way under the pressure we inflict upon it. We drink to excess or we are total abstainers; we talk continuously or we are mute, we are ardent churchgoers or we maintain that religion has lost contact with the living reality from which it derives validity and truth."

Dr. Collins does not mince matters in his charge against us. But, speaking in the vernacular, "Ain't it the truth?"  
Take any subject under the sun—prohibition, the League of Nations, fundamentalism! Do many of us meet on a middle ground in calm, unprejudiced discussion, admitting the good of this, granting the evil of that; blending opinion, acquiring perspective, developing constructive thought and action? Or are we recklessly, rabidly either "for" or "agin" it?

**Social Calendar Today**  
Chemeketa chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Election of officers.  
Cooked food sale. Ladies of the Scandinavian church. Twentieth century grocery, corner State and Commercial streets.  
Cooked food sale. Woman's Benefit association. S. P. ticket office.  
Cooked food sale. Memorial church. Eppley's store.  
Order of Rainbow. Regular meeting. Masonic temple, 7:30 o'clock.

**Sunday**  
First day of National Music Week. Yeoper service.  
Sacred concert. Knight Memorial church, 8 o'clock.  
**Monday**  
Pre-school child study class. Mrs. C. A. Downs, 7:45 o'clock. Sponsorship of AAUW.  
Salem Men's chorus. Oregon theater in conjunction with film, "Desert Gold."  
Royal Neighbors' district convention. Fraternal temple, 10 a. m.

Miss Schreiber is a member of the graduating class of 1925 and was president of the Alpha Phi Alpha. She was also prominent while on the campus in YWCA activities.  
Mr. Cokram is a graduate of Oregon Agricultural college and a popular fraternity man.  
Both Miss Schreiber and Mr. Cokram have been instructors in the high school at Drain the past year.

**Church College in Furore Over "Smut" Charges**  
A "Better Music Week" sacred concert will be given in the First Methodist church on Sunday evening by the chorus choir, directed by Prof. E. W. Hobson. Prof. T. S. Roberts will have charge of the organ and Miss Louise Findley will preside at the piano. Rev. F. C. Taylor, the pastor, will deliver a special sermon on "The Ministry of Music." The following program of numbers will be given:  
There is a Green Hill Far Aways. Incidental solo. R. D. Barton.  
Hosanna. Roland Craven.  
Kammenoi Ostrow. Rubenstein.  
Mr. Roberts and Miss Findley Honor in Arms. (From Sampson). Handel.  
Lloyd Thompson.  
The Conqueror. Coombs.  
Mr. Craven and Mr. Barton.  
Gloria. Mozart.  
The Chorus.

**Rainbow Girls to Elect Officers**  
Members of the Order of Rainbow for girls will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the Masonic temple for the regular meeting. Election of officers will take place at this time, with a social time following.

**Mothers and Daughters Banquet**  
The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Jason Lee Methodist church entertained members of the standard Bearer society at a mother and daughter banquet on Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock. The tables, effectively decorated with Scotch broom, were arranged to form a large and comfortable room for the evening. Mrs. W. P. Min-

## Elopers "Fired," Students Protest

speed are the slogans of our country, and these compensate for ideals, for art, for true greatness!" continues Dr. Collins.  
We are sure there are countless exceptions to this rule which Dr. Collins overlooked. But we admit there is enough evidence to cause him to believe the rule general.  
In a perfectly good model, scarcely used for a car just a little larger do you? We are acquainted with that woman who "sells off" the most howl suite that she may refresh her dining room more fashionably, than any other woman in the Woman's Club about to gather at her home for the meeting. So are you acquainted with her?

To quote again from Dr. Collins: "It is not astonishing that such a man and such a woman should belong to a nation which becomes much wrought up when it discovers it cannot have the largest airship in the world, or which prides itself on having the biggest city, the tallest buildings, the longest bridges and the fastest automobiles in the world."  
"Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's wife!"  
"Thou shalt not kill!"  
Is there a directly traceable connection between these two laws of the prophets? If a man break the first commandment is it within possibility that, in time and at the breaking point, he may shatter the other also?  
Criminologists, psychologists, sociologists—all of these only too well read in the tales of tragedy and crime—say yes; that violence need not follow in the wake of lust, but very occasionally it does.  
And now comes one well authorized by years of experience to speak on just such matters, who declares that by no means is it always desire for another's mate that stirs the heart to hatred, but the possibly less unholy, but quite as human and exactly as illegal, desire to free one's self of one's own mate when living with this mate has become intolerable. Through the pages of a magazine, Clarence Darrow, famous criminal lawyer, recently made public his opinion:  
"One of the chief causes of murder lies in the emotions that arise between husbands and wives who cannot live a tolerable life together, and who, either on account of expense or custom or fear cannot be divorced. . . . The relations of husband and wife are so intimate that homicide is easy. It comes through poison, shooting and brute force in almost any direction."  
Somehow this statement strikes us most unpleasantly. How horrible to think of the possibility of some apparently tolerant husband turning into an Othello to loose the tie that binds him!

Murder! A word whose very mention strikes chill to the marrow. Yet it must be admitted that it is not an uncommon crime in this enlightened day and generation. And it is a crime for which, once committed, there is no cure. But there is a prevention for such passion in extremis, and this prevention, according to Mr. Darrow, is simple enough. It is this, in so many words—that when a man and his wife fail to find a single thing in common that will help them to form a basis for decent and harmonious living together, then let them agree to disagree if they must, but to disagree apart, and let the law add them to this same and safe and sensible separation.

We may or may not agree with Mr. Darrow's solution of the marriage evil, easier divorce, but we are interested to learn that the reason for his urging greater clemency toward those who have failed in marriage and easier laws to sever marital bonds is not because he has any wish to see the family life of America undermined, but because, on the contrary, he believes that such methods would strengthen marriage as an institution.  
How? Well, by relieving a "suppressed desire" for freedom that Mr. Darrow evidently believes rankles in the complex of many a married person. As Mr. Darrow expresses it:—"After all, a large part of human trouble is psychological. Many married people no doubt dislike the failure and the inharmonious due not alone to specific maladjustment but to the thought that a relationship which is often burdensome must endure forever without thought of relief."  
Very likely the very fact that, if necessary, a divorce could be easily obtained would serve to keep such types together on the principle that when folks know they can have a thing if they want it they don't want it!



Northwestern University students are protesting action of officials of the institution in expelling Richard Howell, champion swimmer, and Elizabeth Ann Fletcher, following their elopement. Howell, captain of the university swimming team, intends to make an attempt to swim the English channel in the Spring.

and annual radio banquet of Wehfoot, Prospect and Portland camps of Woodmen of the World.  
7:15-8:00—KFVY (212), Portland. Auto roads and music.  
11:30-1:30—KHBR (207), Portland. Special program.

**ENTERTAINMENT**  
6:00—KMTK (238), Hollywood. 6, program; 7, De Lano ensemble; 8, KMTK concert orchestra.  
6:00—KFI (407), Los Angeles. 6, night-ly doings; 8:30, vest pocket program; 6:45, radioatorial period; 7, program presented by the Louisa Kios Trio; 8, classic hour, arranged by Robert Hudd; 9, Yasabel Bowen, Lash Wellington; 10, radio club, featuring prominent radio favorites; 11:00—KFI midnight frolic.  
6:30—KPO (4288), San Francisco. 6:30, orchestra; 7:20, program; 8:12, dance orchestra.  
6:30—KHZ (405), Los Angeles. 6:30, children's program; 7:15-7:45, Boy Scout band; 8:10, de luxe program.  
6:30—KXK (337), Los Angeles. 6:30, orchestra; 7, program; 7:30, feature program; 10, orchestra; 11-2 KXK Hollywood night.  
6:30—KFWB (252), Hollywood. 6:30, 7:30, string orchestra; 8, program; 10-11, frolic.  
7:00—KPN (233), Long Beach. 7, studio program; 7:30, municipal band concert; 9, KPON frolic; 10-11, music.  
7:00—KOVW (250), Walla Walla. 7:30, reports; 8:12, dance music.  
7:00—KFOA (454), Seattle. 7, music; 8, program; 9:30-11, Lido Serezhders; 8:10—RGO (261), Oakland. 8:10, special musical, featuring solos and quartet; 9:45, serial, "A Step on the Stairs"; 10-12, dance music.  
8:30—KJR (384), Seattle. 8:30-10, studio program.

## LIONS PLAN TRIPS FOR DEBATE TEAM

Delegates to Annual Convention at Corvallis Named at Lunch

Six delegates from Lions club to attend the annual convention at Corvallis were named at Friday's meeting, at which plans for entertainment of eastern debaters while here were announced.

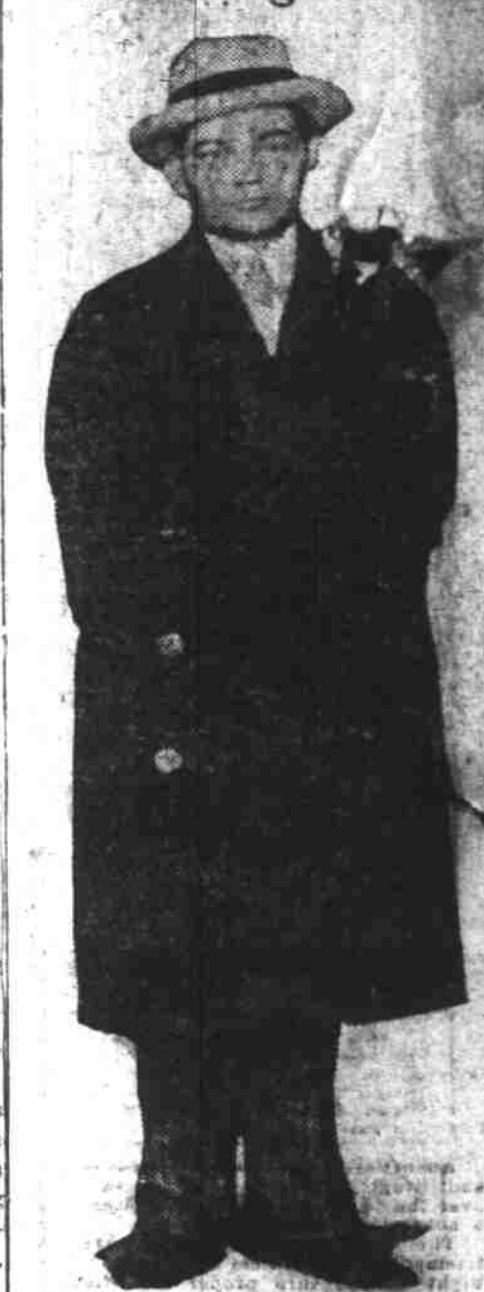
Delegates to the convention are: Lloyd Reynolds, Mr. Sherwin, J. H. Willitt, Ross Miles, Mark McCallister and Newell Williams. Alternates are Otto Hillman, C. F. Gleese and Lew Lunsford.

Debaters from Salem, Mass., will be taken on Wednesday to Toledo, where they will have a trout dinner and inspect the mill, going to Newport later. Thursday morning they will go to OAC, and the University of Oregon, returning in time for dinner with the Kiwanis club that night. Saturday they will be taken to Portland, met by a delegation and escorted up the Columbia highway and over the Mt. Hood loop to the snowline.

Stanley Lanson, for Kiwanis club, accepted the Lions challenge to three games of baseball, Lions volunteering for practice before Pope, Barham, Nelson, Grabenhorst, Powers, Fitzgerald, Graef, Kietzing, Bates, George, Rathbun, Gray, Williams, Ketchum, Douglas and Lanson. Date for the games has not yet been set. E. J. Donnell was taken into membership. The Salem Lions club stands second in the United States in the attendance contest staged by the International club.

**HEAT RECORD SET**  
SPOKANE, April 30.—(AP).—High temperature records for Spokane up to May 25 of any year since the establishment of the weather bureau here 26 years ago were shattered today when the mercury went to 90 degrees.

## Crime Duke Seeks To Aid 'Tiger Girl'



Richard Reese "Whitemore," the "candy kid," who led a million dollar crime ring of 10 men that considered murder a part of its routine work, is offering to make a complete confession to New York police if they will release his wife, "The Tiger Girl." She is held for complicity in a series of robberies.

A man took home a booklet on Esperanto, and during a meal a guest regaled the party with extracts pronounced according to the instructions supplied. At last there came a strange-sounding word, evidently pronounced with great difficulty.

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Methodist circles in Kansas are in a furore over the arrest of nine students in Baker University, Methodist supported school at Baldwin, on the charge of publishing and circulating an allegedly scurrilous and libelous pamphlet, "The Red." Thomas printer, top and bottom of the sheet are

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"It's perfectly beautiful!" exclaimed the visitor, looking raptly out to sea. But, oh, my dear, what do you do for provisions, stores, shopping? You are miles away!"

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DINNER CONCERT  
8:00-9:00—KGW (431), Portland.  
9:00-1:00—KFVY (212), Portland.  
MUSIC  
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