

Society

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Election of Officers Is Feature of Annual Meeting of War Mothers

The election of officers for the new year by the Salem chapter of the American War Mothers resulted as follows: Mrs. Mark S. Skiff, president; Mrs. C. M. Lockwood, vice president; Mrs. C. W. Beecher, recording secretary; Mrs. A. A. Lee, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. A. Bernardi, treasurer; Mrs. Minnie Baker, parliamentarian; Mrs. J. F. Humphreys, auditor; Mrs. George H. Alden, chaplain; and Mrs. F. N. Toothace, Mrs. Lemuel Hobson, and Mrs. W. P. George, directors. Mrs. Skiff filled the office so successfully last year that she was re-elected to the honor again this year. Mrs. Skiff is the second president of this local civic organization having had Mrs. John A. Carson, charter president, having served for seven consecutive years.

Judge Bean Home Is Scene of Interesting Meeting of Salem Writers

The home of Judge and Mrs. H. J. Bean at 917 Court street was the scene of a particularly enjoyable meeting on Tuesday when Miss Maude Covington was hostess for the Writers' section of the Salem Arts League.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with red carnations, and fern. At the conclusion of a varied program, Mrs. Bean and Miss Covington served a delicious two-course luncheon.

The program of the evening opened with a story, "The Seven Irish," by Charles J. Lisle, the section leader which the audience felt would make not only an excellent novel, or novelette, but also an acceptable screen play.

Contributing in order were Mrs. Ora F. McIntyre, Miss Ruth Lawrence, Mrs. F. G. Franklin, Mrs. Lena M. Lisle, Mrs. Gertrude Robinson Ross, Dr. Mary C. Rowland, Mrs. Ruth Fargo, Miss Renka Swart, Perry Reigelman, Lester McDonald, Miss Sarah Wrenn, and Mrs. Blanche M. Jones.

The most notable contribution on the program was perhaps Miss Wrenn's poignant pioneer "Saga of the Ages," Miss Wrenn a second poem, "In Japan."

The next meeting of the group will be on February 15 at the home of Mrs. W. F. Fargo at 1055 North Church street.

YWCA Finance Campaign Will Open February 15 Under Lead of Miss Savage

Much interest is anticipated in the coming financial campaign for the city Y. W. C. A. at which time the sum of \$7000 will be asked from loyal Salem friends for the support of not only a worthy, but an indispensable institution. The drive will open on Tuesday, February 15, and will continue for four days. Miss Mabel Savage has been chosen as general chairman of the executive committee which will take charge of this important drive.

The personnel of the executive committee includes: Mrs. J. H. Albert, chairman of the initial gift committee; Mrs. Walter L. Spanning, chairman of the teams committee; Mrs. E. E. Ling, chairman of the lists committee; Mrs. E. E. Elliott, chairman of the office group; Miss Nina McNary, chairman of church cooperation; Mrs. Eric Butler, publicity chairman; Mrs. William E. Kirk, president of the Y. W. C. A. board; and Miss Elizabeth Baker, general secretary of the city association.

Dr. Grenfell Distinguished Arctic Explorer Will Speak in Salem Next Tuesday

The lecture to be given on Tuesday night, February 8th, at the Armory at 8:15 by Dr. Wilfred T. Grenfell will be one of the most interesting features of the winter's lecture course. The great service done by Dr. Grenfell for humanity in the northern Atlantic waters has been a subject of the press of the English-speaking world for many years. Now Dr. Grenfell is now giving his vasty human and interesting experiences first hand to audiences over the country who are fortunate enough to have the opportunity to hear his story.

The romance of his life among fishermen in the icy waters of the polar current during the season of open water, and the thousands of miles covered with the famous Eskimo dog teams over the snows of winter, offer unlimited scope for illustration of exceptional human interest.

Dr. Grenfell's lectures for the Grenfell association have attracted hundreds of volunteer workers for his hospital, educational and welfare work, who go north from all parts of the United States and Canada, as well as England, to assist him. They have never failed to thrill audiences who are interested in their fellow-men, especially those who love the men who "go down to the sea in ships."

Mrs. Gile Will Entertain Rappaherian Club

The members of the Rappaherian club will meet this afternoon at Boulder Knoll, the home of Mrs. H. S. Gile.

Mrs. Canse Is Hostess for Wives of Methodist Pastors

An exceedingly interesting tea of late last week was that of Saturday at which Mrs. John Martin Canse was hostess at the Kimball School of Theology. The guests of honor were the wives of the Methodist ministers of the city. The occasion was also the birthday anniversary of Mrs. C. M. Keefer, the guests remembering her with gifts and cards.

Miss Sarah Poor and Miss Lucille Wonderly assisted Mrs. Canse at the tea hour.

Included in the guest group were: Mrs. F. C. Taylor, Mrs. J. Willard De Yoe, Mrs. Thomas A. Acheson, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Muligan, Mrs. A. S. Hisey, Mrs. D. H. Leach, Mrs. Carl Gregg Doney, Mrs. Robert Moulton Gatzke, Mrs. Ernest G. Richards, Mrs. J. O. Hall, Mrs. A. S. Hammond, Mrs. C. M. Keefer, Mrs. J. J. Mickey, Mrs. E. E. Bergman, Mrs. E. E. Gilbert, Mrs. F. L. Wheelwright, Mrs. C. A. Pickering, Mrs. J. F. Cook, Mrs. U. S. Crowder, Mrs. Leavenworth, Mrs. M. B. Paroungian, Mrs. C. H. Bryan, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Green, Mrs. J. W. Beckley, Mrs. Burleigh, Mrs. Gallaher, Mrs. O. E. Heineck, Mrs. Hocking, and the hostess, Mrs. John Martin Canse.

The afternoon was spent in conversation. Of special interest were the stories which the wives of ministers told of the various places in which they had lived, some in extreme pioneer localities.

Birthday Anniversary of Mrs. S. Levy Is Celebrated

Mrs. S. Levy was the inspiration for a delightful afternoon of mugs and cards on Tuesday afternoon when Miss Elizabeth Levy was hostess in honor of her mother's birthday.

Included in the group were: Mrs. E. P. Talkington, Mrs. M. W. Patton, Mrs. Henry Hartman, Mrs. Laura Hubbs, Mrs. Walter A. Dalton, Mrs. Arthur Deale of Tillamook, Mrs. F. L. Blackberry, Mrs. Alice Rutherford, Mrs. A. H. Farrar, Mrs. W. H. Byrd, Mrs. H. S. Bell, Mrs. Lentz Westcott, Westcott, Mrs. Woodington, Mrs. Louis Bechtel, Mrs. Frank Rosenquest, Mrs. T. E. Hargrove, Mrs. S. Levy the honor, guest, and the hostess, Miss Elizabeth Levy.

Girl Reserves Will Care for Small Children

One of the services rendered by the high school Girl Reserves, one of the progressive organizations of the city, is the care of young children on Saturday afternoons in the YWCA rooms. The girls charge a small fee for each hour.

Social Calendar

Today
Chapter G of the PEO Sisterhood. Mrs. W. W. Moore hostess.
Woman's Benefit association. Mrs. Jennie Miller, 351 South 19th street, hostess.
Ladies of the G.A.R. Armory, 2 o'clock.
Court Street Christian church missionary society. Church parlors, 2:30 o'clock.
Rappaherian club. Mrs. H. S. Gile hostess at her home, Bowlder Knoll.

Friday
Silver tea. Auspices of woman's auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church. Mrs. U. G. Shipley, 143 E. Washington street, hostess.
Hal Hibbard auxiliary. Armory.
First Congregational church dinner. Church dining room, 6:15 o'clock. Address by Rev. Frank E. Carlson at 7:30 o'clock.
Women's Alliance of Unitarian church. 1 o'clock luncheon.
Missionary society of First Christian church. Church parlors.

Saturday
Chemeketa chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. W. E. Hansen, 320 North Church street, hostess.
Willamette University Faculty Women's club. Mrs. Florian Von Eschen, hostess.

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Home of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Long Is Scene of Delightful Surprise Shower

The home of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Long was the scene of a delightful surprise on Saturday evening when a group of their friends happily surprised them with a shower in honor of their newly adopted son, John Earl, Jr.

While the wee honor guest slumbered in his basket undisturbed, his parents and a group of forty of their friends enjoyed an extremely pleasant social evening of music, games, dancing and conversation.

A host of lovely gifts were showered upon the parents of John Earl.

At a late hour the group unpacked the well-filled baskets which they had brought and concluded the celebration with a delicious feast.

Those participating in the surprise were: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Swope, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Seelye, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sechles, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Lester, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walrath, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rathbun, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Sample, Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. George O'Shea, Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Parr, Mr. and Mrs. Allan, Mrs. Minnie Baker, Mrs. Mae Mc-

Woman's Alliance Plans 1 o'clock Luncheon

The Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian church will meet on Friday at the church for a 1 o'clock luncheon meeting. Mrs. C. A. Huston and Mrs. Roy Burton will be the hostesses.

February Bride-Elect Announces Betrothal

Of interest in Salem is the announcement of the engagement of Miss Florence Virginia Blake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Blake of Willow Lake Farm, to Mr. John Whitbur Stadlerman of The Dalles.

The announcement party was attended by twelve Salem friends. Both Miss Blake and Mr. Stadlerman are graduates of the University of Oregon. Graduating in '25 she was employed first at the library in The Dalles and later at the state library.

The wedding will be an event of this month.

Ladies of YKK Entertained

The ladies of the YKK class of the First Methodist church met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Oscar Powell, 1085 Marion street. After a delightful afternoon the hostess served a dainty lunch. Valentine favors were used to bear the season's greetings. Those present were: Mrs. Marsters, Mrs. Odum, Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Harry Scott, Mrs. Acton, Mrs. Frugarten, Mrs. Hartwell, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Willas, Mrs. Kietzing, Mrs. George Lewis, Mrs. Haynes and the hostess, Mrs. Powell.

MacDowell Club Plans Support of Portland Symphony Orchestra

Mrs. Phil Newmyer, president of the Salem MacDowell club, in an introductory talk at the last meeting of the club urged the support of the audience present in making the appearance of the Portland Symphony Orchestra at the Elsinore a complete success. Mrs. Newmyer urged the many who are doubtless interested to make reservations for this outstanding event on Monday, February 14, as soon as possible.

Missionary Society of First Christian Church Will Meet

The Missionary society of the First Christian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon

Visitors from Portland

Dr. Mary C. Rowland entertained as her house-guests over the week-end her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Green of Portland.

Circle Meeting Is Postponed

The regular meeting of the West Side circle of the Jason Lee Ladies Aid society scheduled for Friday has been postponed until after the revival meetings.

W. R. C. Will Meet

The members of the Woman's Relief Corps will hold the regular meeting at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon in McCormack Hall.

Thompson Family Returns from Carmel-by-the-Sea

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Hill Thompson will be interested to know that they have returned to Salem after a vacation at Carmel-by-the-Sea. Mrs. Thompson and children, Peggy and David, have been spending the last three months at this beau-

Young People

Through her connection with the rural department of the normal, Mrs. Miller is speaking before many rural communities who are becoming intensely interested in the problems of the rural schools and the solutions offered for many of them by this department.

Valentine Party Planned for Oregon Normal School

OREGON NORMAL SCHOOL, MONMOUTH, February 2.—(Special)—Invitations have been issued for a valentine party to be given Saturday evening in the Monmouth Normal School gym by the Vespertine and Florist societies. Miss Wood and Miss Morris are the faculty advisors for these two groups and under their direction a committee of students are arranging the program and refreshments. Each member is privileged to invite one guest and the men's club has been invited as a body.

Normal Rural Training Instructor to Speak

OREGON NORMAL SCHOOL, MONMOUTH, February 2.—(Special)—Irvine Grange of Junction City has invited Mrs. Inez Miller of the rural training department of the Monmouth normal school to speak before their meeting on Saturday the 5th. Mrs. Miller has been requested to give the same address she gave at Corvallis on the subject of "How to Interest

Cooked Food Sale on Saturday

The ladies of Knight Memorial church will hold a cooked food sale Saturday at Epley's store 19th and State streets.

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