

Society

By ROZELLA BUNCH

Mrs. King Bartlett Elected President of American Legion Auxiliary

Mrs. King Bartlett was elected president of the American Legion Auxiliary at the meeting held Monday evening. Other officers are: first vice-president, Mrs. Earl Burch, second vice-president, Mrs. H. R. White; chaplain, Mrs. Frank Jirak, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. R. E. DeGuire; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. B. C. Lueallen; historian, Mrs. Allan Cleveland.

Members of the executive committee are: Mrs. Jesse George, Mrs. Elma Libbey, and Mrs. Stanley Ostrander. It was decided by the auxiliary to enter a float in the Armistice Day parade. Mrs. Victor MacKenzie is chairman of the committee in charge.

Other committee chairman for the observance of Armistice Day are Mrs. Earl Burch, Mrs. Earl Paulsen, and Mrs. Stanley Ostrander. Short talks were given by Mrs. A. C. Bishop and Major Simpson.

The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be held November 14. Officers will be installed at this time. The Past president of the Silverton auxiliary will be the installing officer.

Parent Teachers Convention in Session at LaGrande
President J. S. Landers of Monmouth Normal School will be one of the principal speakers at the twenty-second annual convention of the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers, the sessions of which began yesterday and will continue Friday evening.

Preparation of exhibitors, committee meetings and the pre-convention meeting of the board of managers occupied the afternoon of Tuesday and the session opened formally last evening. The program for the convention follows:

Wednesday Morning
7:30—Presidents' breakfast.
8:00—Presidents' conference.
10:00—Call to order. Invocation, Rev. J. George Wals. Announcements. Presentation of program from executive committee, Mrs. Bruce R. Keester, chairman, Ontario. Report of state officers, corresponding secretary, treasurer, historian, vice-president. Report of auditing committee, Mr. Conde J. Ham, Report of budget committee, Mrs. W. T. Brice, chairman, Portland. Report of credentials committee, Fraternal greetings.

Wednesday Afternoon
1:30—Call to order. Reading of proposed revisions to by-laws. Reports of district vice presidents, Department of organization, Reports of district vice presidents, Department of organization. Report, Mrs. Eric W. Allen, director, Eugene. Discussion, problems in organization and extension. Department of health. Report, Mrs. C. V. Jonnasson. Address, Mrs. Sadie Orr-Dunbar. Discussion. Report of the national convention, Mrs. O. C. Sayles. Complimentary tea by the La Grande Neighborhood club, Mrs. Sherwood Williams, president.
6:00—Banquet. Theme, "Our Hopes and Our Memories." Americanization: Salute to the flag, led by Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls. Address, "Useful Citizenship," Mrs. Gordon McCracken, state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Address "The Legion's Citizenship Program," Judge Hugh E. Brady, commander of the La Grande post of the American Legion.

Thursday Morning
8:00—Conference.
11:00—Business session. Accredited delegates will be seated in center of the auditorium. Invocation, Rev. Oliver Riley, Episcopal church. Reading of the minutes. Action on proposed amendments. Election of officers. Report of special committees. Service shop. Magazine.

Thursday Afternoon
1:30—Call to order and reading of minutes, Department of education. Report, Mrs. J. P. Riley, director, Milwaukee. Address, H. M. Broadbent, "Latest Possibilities of the Parent-Teacher Association." Address, Mrs. Emma Bryant, "Rural Schools." Discussion, 4-H clubs, T. D. Kirkpatrick. Community singing. Children's reading, Miss Jessie Millard. Report, Mrs. Bruce R. Keester, director. Discussion. School exhibit at the high school auditorium. Reception to the teacher delegates, hosts, teachers of La Grande.
6:00—Publicity dinner, Mrs. E. D. Towler, chairman.
8:00—Address, Dr. J. S. Landers, president of Monmouth Normal school, "Shall We Teach Our Youth to Realize Their Spiritual Heritage?" Address, "Making America Safe for Youth and Youth Safe for America," Judge I. M. Schanep, Pendleton.

Friday Morning
8:00—Conference.
9:00—Call to order. Invocation, Rev. Henry W. Parker, Methodist church. Report of resolutions committee. Department of home service. Report, Address, Miss Mozelle Hair, University of Oregon. Discussion. Report of conferences. Unfinished business. Adjournment. Post convention board meeting.

Miss Sally Wilson and Arthur L. DeLay Married
The wedding of Miss Sally Bernice Wilson and Arthur L. DeLay of Los Angeles, California was solemnized at three o'clock Monday afternoon at the Unitarian Church. Rev. Martin Ferrey read the service. Only immediate relatives of the bridal couple were present.

The bride wore an afternoon gown of lavender georgette with a corsage of Cecil Brunner roses. She was unattended. After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. DeLay will go to Los Angeles to make their home.

Town and Gown Club Will Meet
The first fall meeting of the Town and Gown Club will be held Thursday afternoon at Lausanne Hall. Mrs. C. P. Bishop, Mrs. Carl Gregg Doney, and Mrs. C. E. Richards are the hostesses. Professor James T. Matthews will speak of his recent trip to Australia.

The Town and Gown Club meets the fourth Thursday in each month in Lausanne Hall.

Alexander Brailowsky Will Appear in Concert Tomorrow Evening
When Alexander Brailowsky, brilliant Polish successor to Paderewski, appears in Salem at the Elsinore Theater Thursday evening, October 27th, he will play the same program which recently thrilled one of the largest audiences ever assembled for any concert in Rio de Janeiro, South America.

The concert in Salem is the fourth to be played in the United States since Brailowsky's triumphal tour of South America where he played fifty-eight concert programs. In Rio de Janeiro he played ten different concerts.

The concert tomorrow evening will begin at eight fifteen.

Recent Guests in Salem
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Martin of Marcola have been guests in Salem for the past few days of Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carter, and of Mr. Martin's mother, Mrs. Avis Martin.

Ilhaee Country Club Sponsoring Formal Dance
The Ilhaee Country Club is sponsoring a formal Halloween dance next Saturday evening, October 29, at the club-house. A number of features have been planned for the evening's entertainment.

Removal Sale
We are closing out at reduced prices the De Bevoise, Formfit and Treo lines of girdles, corselettes, brassieres.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

Wednesday
Fairview Community Club. Community Hall. 8 o'clock.
Sweet Briar Club. Mrs. James Imah, Wallace Road.
Oregon recital. Professor T. S. Roberts. Robert's home, 505 N. Summer St. Benefit of Salem Arts League.

Elk's Club Dance. Elk's Club, State Street.
Daughters of Veterans. Woman's Club-house. 8 o'clock.
General Aid Society, Jason Lee Church. Church parlors. 2:30 o'clock.

Thursday
Benefit Bridge Tea. Woman's Club house. Playing will begin at 2:30 o'clock.
Costume Party. United Artisans. Fraternal Temple. 7:45 o'clock.

Friday
Town and Gown Club. Lausanne Club.
Kensington Club. Mrs. George M. King, 1820 Fairmount Avenue.
Alexander Brailowsky, in Concert. Elsinore Theater. 8:15 o'clock.

Saturday
Formal Halloween Dance. Ilhaee Country Club.
Monday
McDowell Club Concert. Miss Ruth Bedford, pianist. Concert Hall, Nelson Building. 8 o'clock.

Meeting of New Comer's Club Will Be Held Tomorrow Evening
Plans have been completed for the get-acquainted meeting to be held at the Salem Army Thursday evening, October 27th, beginning at seven thirty o'clock Charles R. Archerd will preside.

The meeting will open with music by the Salem High School Band, followed by an address of welcome by Mayor T. A. Livesley. Short addresses will be given by Daniel J. Fry, Sr., president of the First National Bank; U. Scott Page, president of the Salem Chamber of Commerce; and C. F. Gillette, president of the New Comer's Club. Music by the American Legion Drum Corps will complete the first part of the evening's program.

Week-end Guest in Salem
Miss Wilma Coursey spent the past week-end in Salem as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Coursey. Miss Coursey is a student at Oregon State College at Corvallis.

In Portland For the Week
Mrs. James Garrison is visiting in Portland this week. She is the guest of her niece, Miss Luella Schirman.

Miss Riel a Guest in Salem
Mrs. Paul Cowgill has as her guest for several days, Miss Virginia B. Riel of Port Rupert, B. C.

Hallowe'en Costume Party Given by Chapter AB, P. E. O.

A Hallowe'en Costume Party was given Monday evening by the members of Chapter AB of the PEO Sisterhood at the home of Mrs. Mildred F. Flagg.

Each member appeared in a costume and a mask. Some of them were lovely, some hideous, but all clever.

Each guest was provided with a card and pencil and a guessing contest was held to discover who could recognize the greatest number of the guests. Dr. Mary C. Rowland, who wore an owl costume of brown, won the prize.

Mrs. Mollie Hill Styles and Miss Grace Osborn were dressed as Pierrot and Pierrette. Mrs. Styles gave several vocal solos, and Miss Osborn, a feature dance.

Miss Grace Elizabeth Smith, president of the group, read a "creepy" ghost poem which produced the required cold chills and Hallowe'en atmosphere. Miss Smith, as a Romany girl, wore dozens of strands of beads and a brilliantly colored headress.

Hallowe'en refreshments were served late in the evening. Those present were Mrs. Besse L. Barrett, Mrs. Ruth Fargo, Mrs. Iva Howard Kirk, Mrs. Mary Reeves, Miss Grace Osborn, Miss L. May Raush, Mrs. Gertrude R. Smith, Miss Grace Elizabeth Smith, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Smith, Mrs. Mollie Hill Styles, and the hostess Mrs. Flagg.

Salem Arts League Will Be Entertained at Roberts Home
Professor T. S. Roberts, prominent organist of Salem, will give his first concert on the pipe organ which has recently been installed in the Roberts home, at 505 North Summer Street, this evening, beginning at eight o'clock.

The affair is given for the members of the Salem Arts League who are permitted to bring one guest. General members of the league as well as section members are invited. The concert is not open to the public because of lack of space in the Roberts' concert hall.

Mrs. Genevieve, soprano soloist, will also appear on the evening's program.

Benefit Bridge Tea Will Be Given at Woman's Club-House Tomorrow

The first benefit bridge tea of the fall season will be given tomorrow afternoon at the Woman's Club-house on North Cottage Street. The institutions department of the Salem Woman's Club is sponsoring the affair.

Forty tables have already been reserved for the afternoon. Additional reservations may be made with Mrs. C. E. Stricklin, Mrs. G. L. Forge, or Mrs. S. M. Endicott.

All women of the city who play cards are invited to attend and those who do not play are invited to come at the tea hour.

Playing will begin at two o'clock.

Mrs. Ross Bidwell Entertains With Luncheon
Mrs. Ross Bidwell entertained the members of the "L'Heur Gate" Club, recently organized in Salem, at a one o'clock luncheon Monday afternoon at the Elk's Club.

Covers were placed at the luncheon table, decorated with Hallowe'en novelties, for the following club members: Mrs. A. C. Nelson, Mrs. E. E. Ling, Mrs. Willard H. Wirtz, Mrs. Vincent N. Diaz, Mrs. H. A. Gueffroy, Mrs. Guy Irwin, Mrs. Paul H. Hauser, Mrs. Bert Flack, Mrs. Fred W. Lange, Mrs. F. L. Utter, Mrs. George L. Forge, Mrs. C. V. McKelvey, Mrs. Fred Williams, and the hostess, Mrs. Bidwell. Mrs. Harold Brown was an additional guest.

Bridge was the diversion of the afternoon. Mrs. Forge won the high score prize.

Mrs. Bert Black will be hostess at the next meeting of the club which will be held November 7.

Motor to Seattle
Mr. and Mrs. C. Wetzel and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Struble motored to Seattle where they were guests during the past week-end.

Opening Concert of Salem McDowell Club Will Be Given October 31
The opening concert of the Salem McDowell Club will be given next Monday evening, October 31, in the concert hall in the Nelson Building by Miss Ruth Bedford, popular young pianist who has recently returned from two year's study in the east.

Attend Concert in Portland
Miss Gretchen Kraemer, Miss Lena Belle Tartar, and Miss Elizabeth Levy motored to Portland Monday evening to attend the concert given by Lawrence Tibbett at the public auditorium.

Salem Group Spends Week-end at Neskowin
Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dancy spent the past week-end in the Griffith summer home at Neskowin.

State Board Meeting of American War Mothers

The State Board meeting of American War Mothers will be held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, this afternoon, beginning at one thirty o'clock.

Plans for the state convention which will be held some time in November will be made at this time.

Mrs. Mark Skiff is president of the Salem chapter of War Mothers. Mrs. Florence Garver of Portland is state president.

Spend Week-end at Albany
Mrs. J. M. Mills and Mrs. Avis Martin motored to Albany last Sunday where they were guests at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Cox.

Mrs. King Will Entertain Kensington Club
Mrs. George M. King will entertain the Kensington Club Thursday afternoon in her home, 1820 Fairmount Avenue.

Return From the Beach
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Durbin have returned to Salem after spending several days in their beach cottage at Neskowin.

Concert at Turner Church Appreciated; Many Attend
TURNER, Oct. 25.—(Special.)—Mrs. Duncan Lewis of Nevada is visiting friends in Turner.

Turner high school football team met defeat at the hands of the Parrish Junior high school team Friday.

George Naderman and family were at the W. A. Martin home Sunday.

Miss Doris Barnett, who has been on a three months tour in the east, returned home Sunday. The rest of the party, which included I. L. Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Heath, will arrive in a few days.

Mrs. C. A. Bear returned home Friday from St. Helens, after spending three days at the state W. C. T. U. convention.

The sacred concert given at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday, was appreciated by a large audience.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bear visited with Turner friends Sunday.

Earl Bear spent Saturday and Sunday in Portland.

S. A. Riches finished filling his silo Thursday.

New Fruit for Florida
RUSKIN, Fla.—Previously unable to grow apples, Florida appears to have solved the problem with a cross between a quince and an apple. Apple plants were grafted to quince settings several years ago by a farmer here, and while the resulting tree resembles that of a pear, the fruit is a bright red apple.

MAY SETTLE TITLES

OWNERSHIP OF LANDS IN LAKE BEDS ISSUE
Settlement of titles to approximately 50,000 acres of lands located in the beds of Malheur Lake, Silver Lake and Euwana Lake, will be attempted by L. A. Liljeqvist, assistant attorney general, under an order issued by the state land board at a meeting held in the executive department Tuesday.

The state claims title to these lands under the federal swamp act which was enacted in 1862. The government is opposing the claim fund.

In event the state is successful in acquiring title to these lands they would be sold or leased to the benefit of the common school of the state, and alleged ownership of the lands under the so-called bird refuge proclamation issued by ex-President Roosevelt.

Because of the government immunity from being sued, legislature, at its last session adopted a resolution urging congress to authorize the proposed litigation. It was argued that a suit would determine for a time the title to the lands in controversy. The resolution is pending in congress, and probably will be considered at its next session.

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