



Y. W. C. A. Members Occupied With Plans For Biennial Convention

(Special)—Even the Y. W. C. A. is adopting the phraseology of "Ask Me Another." It is broadcasting by correspondence intelligence tests as preparation for its biennial convention held next April in Sacramento, Cal. Mrs. George B. Ford, as chairman of the pre-convention committee, explains that since delegates do not come instructed, it is important that they come well informed for intelligent voting and discussion. Late this month a list of nine tests and detailed suggestions for their use in associations throughout the United States will be sent out. Each of the nearly 2000 delegates expected will be invited to assemble with their fellow members to find out their ratings. "The best preparation for the convention is to take account of our knowledge on national, international and local topics," said Mrs. Ford yesterday. "It is suggested that we try these tests until every one of us is so well informed that we can say fearlessly, 'Ask Me Another.'"

Questions of foreign policies of our government and the promotion of peace as well as other national and international issues will come before the delegates. The intelligence test questions vary from "What is a convention?" to "How can an association take effective action on a public question?"

The convention will be conducted on the discussion method, daily breaking up into 20 to 30 groups. "Thus, everyone will have a chance to say her say and to pour into the common treasury her experiences and thoughts," Mrs. Ford concluded.

Rainbow Girls Offer Program at Meeting of Chadwick Chapter, Eastern Star
The Rainbow girls, under the direction of Mrs. David Wright, gave a very interesting program at the meeting of Chadwick Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Tuesday evening in the Masonic temple.

The program included: a vocal solo by Miss Billy Cupper, a reading by Miss Virginia Page; numbers by the musical trio composed of Miss Marjorie Tweed, Miss Allison Tweed, and Miss Lena Medler; readings by Miss Evelyn Cummings, and a dance given by Miss Elizabeth Waters.

The following members of the chapter were selected as an advisory board for Chadwick Assembly, No. 3, Order of Rainbow for Girls: Mrs. David Wright, Miss Leila Johnson, Mrs. Rose Babcock, Mrs. Mabel Minto, Mrs. Jessie Darby, Mrs. W. C. Kantner, Miss Cousie Niles, Ralph Thompson, Percy Cupper, Rev. H. D. Chambers, and Rev. Martin F. Ferrey.

A social hour followed the program. Refreshments were served in the dining room. Baskets of red carnations, Oregon grape and pussywillows centered the long tables.

The committee in charge of the affair included: Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Anderson, Mrs. Ida Olsen, Mrs. Helen Lafky, Mrs. Kittle Lawrence, Mrs. Babel Lockwood, Mrs. Edna Rowe, Mrs. Rose Woodry, Mrs. Vera McElhaney, Mrs. Crystal Matthews, Ethel C. Milgard, Caroline Nerod, Elma Pearce, and Stannis Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Batterman Honored on Silver Wedding Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Batterman were pleasantly surprised last Sunday evening when the congregations of Christ Lutheran church entertained in their honor, the occasion being their silver wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Batterman were escorted from their home by Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Heine, and the members of the church council and their wives.

As they entered the church parlors where the affair was given, Miss Gertrude Oehler played the "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin. Rev. Heine spoke briefly on a subject appropriate to the occasion.

Mrs. Pemberton Hostess at Meeting of Etikota Club

Mrs. J. Ray Pemberton was hostess at the meeting of the Etikota Club Tuesday afternoon in her home on South Commercial street. Miss Elizabeth Baker, secretary of the local branch of the Young Women's Christian Association, gave a very interesting talk on her Y. W. C. A. work. A benefit scholarship loan fund was held following the program.

Those present were Miss Baker and Mrs. Moriarity, special guests for the afternoon, and the following club members: Mrs. Roy Burton, Mrs. William Bratz, Mrs. Eric Butler, Mrs. C. W. Elgin, Mrs. H. W. Elgin, Mrs. Richard Erickson, Mrs. P. E. Graber, Mrs. S. B. Gillette, Mrs. Alfred J. Vick, Mrs. F. M. Toothacre, Mrs. Emma Minton, Mrs. Claude Ellison, Mrs. E. C. Van Slyke, Miss Gertrude Eakin, and the hostess, Mrs. J. Ray Pemberton.

The club will be entertained February second at the home of Mrs. Alice Fisher, 515 Market street.

Cantata Will Be Presented at Leslie Junior High School

The students of Leslie Junior High School will present a program Wednesday evening, January 25th, at eight o'clock in the school auditorium. The cantata, "Childhood of Hiawatha" given by the seventh grade students in costume, will be the feature of the evening's entertainment. Orchestra selections by the Leslie Junior High School orchestra; tenello solos by Glenn Brown; a chorus number, "On the Nile," sung by the eighth and ninth grade students, and a dance by Miss Echo Baldere will be included in the program.

Miss Gretchen Kreamer, music director of the Salem public schools, will direct the performance. Mrs. Nell Dooge and Miss Doris McCallister will be the accompanists.

Attractive Dinner Party on Event of the Social Season

An event of the winter was the attractive dinner party for which Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kozar and Mr. and Mrs. William Everett Anderson were hosts Monday evening at the Gray Belle. The affair was planned in observance of the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Kozar and Mrs. Anderson.

The long dining table arranged in the Chinese room was centered with a very lovely combination of jonquills, acasia, and pink carnations. Favors marked covers for Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee Steiner, Mr. and Mrs. John Coughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gillingham, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Olinger, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Baker, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Daney, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Meyers, George G. Brown, Dr. W. B. Morse, Miss Sara Wrenn, Mr. Frank Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. William Everett Anderson, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kozar.

Several hours of dancing in the Anderson home on Court street followed the dinner.

January Meeting of State Music Teachers' Association

The January meetings of the Salem branch of the State Music Teachers' Association will be held Tuesday evening, January 24th, at eight-fifteen o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. P. Frizzell on North Summer street.

Miss Frances Virginia Melton and Mrs. Walter Denton will be assistant hostesses.

Mrs. Clifford Moore, of Portland state president of the association, will be a special guest.

Guests in Salem From the South

Mr. and Mrs. James Minton have as their guests for several weeks, Mrs. Minton's mother, Mrs. W. I. Reed, and her sister, Miss Josephine Reed, of Santa Barbara, California.

Mrs. Mary K. Logan of Tualatin formerly state president of the Sisterhood, will be a special guest and will speak briefly. Miss Iva Clair Love will give musical numbers.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday
Benefit Bridge Tea. W. B. A. Fraternal Temple. 2:30-5:00 o'clock.

Faculty Women's club. Mrs. S. B. Laughlin, 1605 Court street hostess.

Chapter G. P. E. O. Mrs. E. J. Huffman, 1675 Saginaw street hostess.

Benefit Card Party. W. B. A. Ladies' of the Dakota club. Mrs. J. Burton Cray, 1689 B. street hostess. All-day Luncheon served at noon.

Liberty Woman's club. Mrs. William Zosel, hostess. 2 o'clock.

Rehearsal of Salem McDowell Club Chorus. Concert Hall, Nelson Building. 7:30 o'clock.

Bridge tea. sponsored by American Legion Auxiliary. Mrs. Paul Burris' home. 1270 N. Summer street telephone, 1478M.

Auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church. Mrs. Joseph Baumgartner, 280 North Winter street, hostess. 2:30 o'clock.

Reception for new members of Salem Woman's club. Woman's club-house, North Cottage street.

Woman's Alliance, Unitarian church. Emerson Room. 2:30 o'clock.

Fri-Ni-Da Club. Dance. Castilian Hall. 9:00 o'clock.

Y. M. C. A. program. Presented by Salem Burns Club. 8 o'clock.

Saturday
District Meeting, Business and Professional Women's clubs. Hotel Marion.

A. A. U. W. Luncheon at the Gray Belle. 12:30 o'clock. Reservations, Mrs. W. W. Baum, telephone 2202.

Sunday
W. F. M. S. Thank Offering Service. First M. E. church. 11:00 o'clock.

Film at First Congregational church. "It Must Be Love." 7:15 o'clock.

Lecture, Knight Memorial church. Dr. Fred Clark, "Companionate Marriage versus Christian Marriage." 7:30 o'clock.

Burns' Club Will Present Program at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday Evening

Scotch people in English-speaking countries throughout the world and in India, Germany, South Africa, and New Zealand are paying homage to Robert Burns whose birthday anniversary is celebrated this month.

The Burns Club of Salem was organized thirty years ago. The charter members include: John Bayne, Peter H. D. Arcy, Daniel J. Fry, Fred Steusloff, John Carson, John Minto, and William McGilchrist, Sr.

Mr. McGilchrist has served as president of the club for more than twenty-five years. One of the earliest meetings that he recalls was held in John Bayne's law office with each member present reviewing a part of the poet's works.

The Salem Burns club is one of the largest clubs in the city and each year it presents a program near the date of the poet's birth.

The program this year will be given at the Y. M. C. A. Friday evening at eight o'clock.

Among those who will take part are Lyman McDonald, Mrs. W. J. Linfoot, Mrs. Gordon McGilchrist, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutcheon, John Charge, Andrew Duncan, and Mr. Thompson. Mrs. Roberts Zinn will be the accompanist.

Fri-Ni-Da Club Dance Will Be An Event of Friday
The regular dance of the Fri-Ni-Da club will be an event of tomorrow evening in Castilian Hall.

The committee in charge of the affair includes: Dr. and Mrs. Laban Steeves, Dr. and Mrs. Carl Emmons, Dr. and Mrs. August Glutsch, Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Power and Dr. and Mrs. Armin Berger.

Mrs. Buchner Entertains With One o'clock Luncheon

Mrs. Walter F. Buchner entertained the members of her bridge club and several additional guests one afternoon recently in her home on Court street with an attractive one o'clock luncheon.

Covers were placed at the luncheon table, centered with pink cyclamen, fern, and pink tapers, for Mrs. L. J. Kearns of Portland, Mrs. Alice Hoff, Mrs. Iva Bushey, Mrs. W. I. Needham, Mrs. A. E. Laflar, Mrs. Carl Charlton, all special guests; and the following club members: Mrs. C. E. Cone, Mrs. C. E. Cashatt, Mrs. E. M. Hoffnell, Mrs. G. W. Laflar, Mrs. A. T. Wain, and the hostess, Mrs. Buchner.

Bridge was the diversion of the afternoon. Mrs. G. W. Laflar won high score honors. Mrs. L. J. Kearns received a guest prize.

Series of Bible Studies Given at First Methodist Church

A series of Bible studies are being given by Rev. Fred C. Taylor, pastor of the First Methodist church, at the regular mid-week church services held each Thursday evening.

The general theme of the services is "Things Pertaining to the Kingdom." This week Dr. Taylor will speak on "Things that Defile a Man," or a study of the problem of sin.

The series extends over a period of twelve weeks and is based on the teachings of Jesus as found in the Bible.

W. F. M. S. Thank-Offering Service Will Be Held Sunday Evening

The annual Thank-Offering service of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will be held Sunday morning in place of the regular morning services.

Miss Laura Heist, who is on a furlough from her missionary work in India, will be the speaker.

Mrs. M. C. Findley is president of the local auxiliary.

Salem Girls Appointed on Staff of O. S. C. Yearbook

Two of the six young women recently appointed on the staff of the Beaver, annual yearbook publication of Oregon State College, are from Salem. They are: Miss Anne Weiner, Miss Madge Coppock, Miss Irma Hoech, Miss Gretchen Schmidt, Miss May Hanigan, Miss Elmer Hartwell, and Miss Virginia Jones. Miss Coppock is a Junior in commerce and Miss Virginia Jones is a freshman in home economics.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Barr Have Week-End Guests

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Barr had as their guests for the past week-end Lawrence Barr of Portland, Miss Barbara Albrich of Mt. Angel, and Mr. and Mrs. John Albrich and their sons, Robert, Herman, and Lewis, all of Portland.

Reception at Salem Woman's Club-house Will Honor New Members

The new members of the Salem Woman's Club will be honored at the informal reception which will be held Friday afternoon at the club-house on North Cottage street.

Mrs. Charles Stricklin is chairman of the decorating committee; Mrs. Karl Becke is chairman of the tea committee; and Mrs. Harry Love will arrange the musical program.

Recent Guest in Salem

Mrs. E. E. Burch had as her guest for several days recently her mother, Mrs. Margaret Wagner of McMinnville.

ATTEND CONFERENCE

THREE FROM TURNER HIGH AT EUGENE MEETING
TURNER, Jan. 18.—(Special) Cecel Martin and Lillian Peterson, students at the Turner high school, and Miss Lucille Pearson, English teacher, attended the high school student body officers and editors conference at Eugene last week.

Carl Duncan is a frequent caller at the home of his brother, John Duncan, in Salem. John Duncan is seriously ill. His son Lloyd and Lloyd's wife arrived Sunday from Los Angeles.

Earl Bear spent Sunday in Portland with friends.

The Turner Dairy association is preparing for its annual meeting and "family feed" January 28. Outside speakers will be present and the public is cordially invited to the afternoon program. Governor Patterson has accepted a place on the program.

Joy Baker is the new president of the Turner Telephone company. Extensive repairs are being made on the lines since the silver thaw of a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Hattie Lyle of Portland spent Sunday with Mrs. G. A. G. Moore.

Members and friends of the Epworth League numbering nearly 40, held a social at the home of C. A. Bear Saturday evening, the occasion being the birthday of Kenneth Bear.

The Christian church choir met at the home of Mrs. Sloan Saturday evening for its regular weekly practice.

John Watson went to Portland Saturday for his automobile, which he had left there during the New Year's storm.

Rev. Groves was involved in an accident which barely escaped being serious, last week near the asylum farm when a wheel of his automobile parted company with the rest of the machine with its four passengers, while traveling at a fair speed.

Miss Eleanor Moore of Salem spent Monday night with her grandparents.

Albert Given was a Salem visitor Monday afternoon.

LECTURES AT W. U.

C. M. RIPLEY TO SPEAK HERE ONLY ONCE TODAY
Engineer of the General Electric Co., and a nationally known author and lecturer was scheduled to give an illustrated lecture on



C. M. Ripley

the "Romance of Power" before a joint meeting of the Salem Realty board and Salem Ad club, and at the Willamette university on Thursday. Upon advice of his physician, he has been forced to cancel one of his dates for Salem.

It has been decided to have Mr. Ripley give his one lecture in Salem at 10:30 a. m. in Waller hall at Willamette university.

Mr. Ripley's talks deals with a very interesting subject and is illustrated with about a hundred colored pictures taken from an airplane while touring Europe. He has been appearing before large and appreciative organizations all over the United States and Canada, including the Portland Chamber of Commerce and other large Portland organizations, and it is regrettable that Mr. Ripley's health is such that he has found it necessary to cancel one of his Salem engagements.

Dean Erickson has stated that a limited number of people in addition to university faculty and students can be accommodated at Waller hall, and will be very welcome.

Many Pennies Still Put Into Circulation, Word

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—The humble penny, despite the high cost of almost everything, still remains a medium of exchange not to be scoffed at.

The General Vending company today announced that in 1927 a total of 3,500,000,000 of the copper cents passed through their vending machines in payment for chewing gum, candy and many other small

parcels which may be purchased for the least of Uncle Sam's coins. The treasury department recently estimated that the current circulation of one cent pieces is about 4,721,287,900.

"PIE SOCIAL" PLAN

SALVATION ARMY ARRANGES SPECIAL EVENTS
The local Salvation Army is planning a week-end of special events for the public, the first of which will be a "pie social" and "something different" program, to be held Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock.

The pies will come from various homes in the city and will be sold for whatever they will bring, at the conclusion of the evening's program. Coffee will also be served at this time. Interest is being centered in "pies" promised by some male individuals, whose experience in the culinary art may be said to be somewhat limited.

Sunday specials will be Adjutant and Mrs. Ronald Eberhart, state secretaries for young people's work, who will conduct services at 2:30 and 8:00 p. m. Mrs. Eberhart, said to be one of the Army's most talented vocalists in the west, will sing on both occasions. The Eberharts will also have charge of the army's regular service at the state penitentiary earlier in the day. The public has a cordial invitation to all meetings, except the latter.

Clarion Annual Picture Receipts Sold This Week

The sale of Clarion annual picture receipts began yesterday and will continue until February 20. Ten students chosen from the three classes will handle the sale. They have been divided into two squads. The losing squad will entertain the winners at a banquet.

Students on Captain Gerold Simpson's squad are Homer Smith, Julia Creech, Roy Madden and Leila Catton.

On Captain Boals' squad are David Eyre, Myrtle Murphy, Richard Wilson, and Lois Wilkes.

David Eyre is leading the ticket sellers at present, Robert Boals and Leila Catton are tied for second place.

Girls' League at High Accepts Constitution

The constitution for the newly formed Girls' league at Salem high school was formally adopted at a meeting of the group yesterday afternoon. Lucille Cummings, president of the organization, was in charge of the meeting and reported on the state meeting at University of Oregon at which she was a delegate.

Dean Mabel Robertson is faculty advisor for the league.

Tombstone Carvers Enter Higher Ranks At Meeting

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 18.—(AP)—The word "tombstone" was banned by the Ontario Association of Memorial Craftsmen meeting here. "Tombstone carvers" are to be known as "memorial craftsmen."

General Markets

PRODUCE
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Butterfat steady. 47c standard; 48c track; 50c 54c job Portland.
Poultry steady; heavy hens 22@24c; light 19@20c; springs 20@21c; broilers 23@25c; pekin white ducks 30c; colored nominal; turkeys alive 25@27c.
Onions, market underprice weaker; quotations steady; local \$1.80@2.00; potatoes quiet, 75c@1.25 sack.

LIVESTOCK
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Cattle steady; receipts 40 including 14 through; calves 15, all through; bulls 30c higher; other classes steady.
Hogs, yearlings excepted beef good \$6.75@7.50; ditto common and medium \$6.00@7.75.
Sheep steady; receipts 15.

PORTLAND GRAIN
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Wheat bids: BHB hard white Jan. Feb. March \$1.42; hard white, blue stem, March \$1.35; Federation, soft white, and western white all \$1.24; hard winter, northern spring all \$1.24; western red all \$1.23 3/4.
Oats, No. 2 W F and ditto gray Jan. March \$0.90.
Barley, No. 2, B. W. all \$3.90.
Corn, No. 2 F. Y. shipment all \$0.75; ditto No. 3 all \$0.50.
Millrun, standard all \$10.

HAY
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Hay buying prices: Eastern Oregon timothy \$20.50@21.00; ditto valley \$18.00; prairie timothy \$18.00@18.50; oat hay \$14.00@15.00; straw \$9 per ton. Selling prices \$2 a ton more.

DAIRY
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Dairy Exchange, net prices:
Butter, extra 40c; standards 45c; prima firsts 44c; ditto 42c; medium extra 38c; medium firsts 37c; under-sized 28c.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES
PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 18.—(AP)—Lettuce holdings are increasing on the track and the local market is very weak. Best Imperial valley stock is moving at \$3.75 to \$4.75. Car of Arizona lettuce arrived today. Local cabbage is plentiful at \$2.00 per cwt, but it is expected that California stocks will be coming soon. Apples continue firm with a few large extra fancy, delicious topping the market at \$4.25. The onion market continues sluggish.

CHICAGO GRAIN
CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Grain prices went lower all around today owing a good deal to increased country offerings of corn. Chicago and Kansas City and Omaha are selling at 10c to 15c in evidence of prospective enlarged receipts. Closing quotations here on corn were weak, 5 1/8 to 7 1/2c not lower. Wheat finished easy 1/4 to 3/8c down and oats 1/8 to 3/8c off.

Salem Markets

Table with market prices for various goods like wheat, corn, flour, etc.

The Statesman's \$6,000.00 Prize Campaign

—The Oregon Statesman invites you to own one of those fine motor cars. They will be given away in its new big prize event just starting. Given Away! The offer is open to all men and women, boys and girls, except regular adult employees of the Statesman and it does not matter what part of the Statesman territory you live in. All you are asked to do it this: Get your friends and acquaintances to subscribe to the Oregon Statesman. Every subscription you turn in will entitle you to thousands of votes. If you have the highest number of votes at the close of this event, March 20th, the Statesman will present you with a beautiful \$1343.00 Oakland Sport Sedan. If you have the second highest number of votes, your reward will be a Chrysler "52" two-door Sedan, fully equipped, \$970.00. There are also two Ford Phaetons in addition to other prizes. Forty-two prizes in all, and commissions, totalling over \$6000.00 in all. Wouldn't it be great to own one of them without the cost of a cent? These automobiles must be won. They will be won by people just like you, by folks you know. Why not be one of them? There are other handsome prizes too and cash commission for the rest. You are sure to profit in this campaign. Everybody wins!

—Votes—nothing but votes—will win these automobiles and other awards. There is not one cent of cost to you in trying for a prize. The way to enter this campaign is easy. First, send in the nomination blank below now good for 50,000 free votes. Then get your first subscription. On this subscription you will be awarded 75,000 free votes for promptness. The campaign lasts only a few short weeks. Your spare time will do. Send in your nomination today and complete information and supplies will be sent free, by mail.

FREE --Everyone Wins Something-- FREE

Nomination coupon form for the Statesman Automobile Contest. Includes fields for Name, Address, Town, R.F.D., Box, and Nomination details.