

# Events in the Social World and News of Varied Club Activities

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## November 4 Will Be McDowell Concert

NOVEMBER 4 will be the date for the first McDowell club concert, according to announcement made by Miss Frances Virginia Melton, president of the organization. This change has been made because of the appearance of Sir Harry Lauder on the original date, October 23.

This concert will be the first presentation of the McDowell club this year. The sponsoring of local artists who are either arrived or are arriving is the chief aim of the club. The participants of the first concert are both Salem citizens. Byron Arnold is a former Salem resident, a graduate of Willamette university and well known here. William Wright is a popular Salem tenor. These two men will make the program for November 4, which will be given at the lovely residence studio of Professor and Mrs. T. S. Roberts. Mr. Arnold is an organist and will be able to give a beautiful program on the Roberts' organ.

The next program will be given near Christmas time in December. At this time the chorus will appear in concert and will be assisted by the interesting young pianist who has been spending the summer in Salem, Miss Adeline Stopp. She is a recent graduate of the National Conservatory of Paris and will present a beautiful program on the harp.

Other interesting programs are in the process of formation. Prof. and Mrs. Forest Gaw will be among those presented in a spring program. The McDowell club is made up of active members who are the members of the chorus, and of associate members who are those who hold tickets. This year the committees working with the club are to be named from the associate members. Mrs. T. S. Roberts is the chairman of the social committee of which all members are not yet appointed. Mrs. Sheldon Sackett is chairman of the program committee. Other appointments are to be made by Miss Melton in the near future.

Officers of the club for this year are: Mrs. Frances Melton, president; Mrs. Sheldon Sackett, vice president; Mrs. F. L. Lillburn, secretary; Mrs. C. L. Sherman, treasurer; Mrs. W. L. Phillips, auditor; and Mrs. Sally Lansing, librarian. Professor Forest Gaw is director, and Miss Ruth Bedford is accompanist.

## Wappin' Wharf Cast Partly Chosen

The try-outs of Wednesday and Thursday of the past week held in the chamber of commerce rooms by Mrs. Otto Paulus, director of the Salem Drama League's play, "Wappin' Wharf," netted a choice of four characters out of the twelve that are needed to cast the play.

Mrs. Paulus has decided to have a third try-out in which she wishes to retry those who have already been present for the other try-outs and not cast for the four parts taken, and for new folk as well. Tuesday night in the auditorium room of the city library between the hours of 7 o'clock and 9 o'clock.

The four folk chosen so far are "The Captain" whose part will be played by J. Lyman Steed; "Patch" who will be played by John H. Barr, new in Salem and who formerly played with the Kansas City little theatre group; Oliver Huston, who will take the part of "The Duke" who is the "running mate" of "Patch" and each of whom furnish much of the humor of the play. Margaret Burroughs will take the part of "Meg" who directs the turns of the play through her "crystal."

The romance of the play is yet to be cast—"Red Joe" and "Betsey." The dashing, interesting looking, "Red Joe," who as a sailor or ultimately proves to be of royal birth, and the tall slim, blond "Betsey" who wins the hearts of every one by her sweet sophistication and who likewise proves to be of royal birth—each of these are yet to be definitely cast. As is "The Captain of the King's Navy," and the four sailors.

One of the best parts is meeting with difficulty. It is the part of "Darlin'" upon whom much depends for the "tone" of the play. "Darlin'" should be large—she may be short and heavy or she may be tall, but she must be heavy. She cannot be slim and willowy for "Darlin'" was not that. Someone has a flare for character acting and has the right appearance will find the part a most excellent opportunity.

Each person who tries out is given private work and no experience is needed. The play is being given to assist those who are interested in the theatre as a means of expression, a chance to work, and therefore anyone interested should feel free to come and try for a part in this highly interesting and humorous play.

## Mrs. Harry Mohr is Kensington Hostess

The Kensington club was the guest of Mrs. Harry Mohr for its regular meeting Thursday. Fall flowers and autumn leaves were used artistically about the guest rooms.

Guests for this social afternoon were Mrs. M. C. Chapman and Mrs. George Alden. Members present were Mrs. T. E. Robert, Mrs. Ott O'Wilson, Mrs. George King, Mrs. Frank Powers, Mrs. N. C. Kaffoury, Mrs. Charles Hinkins, Mrs. L. M. Doughton, and Mrs. Herbert Hauser and Mrs. Mohr.

Mrs. Hauser will be hostess in two weeks.



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MRS. EUGENE R. FLESHER

## Fri Ni Da Club Holds First Dance

Beginning with an attractive dance at Castilian hall Friday night the Fri Ni Da club took up the winter round of happy dance affairs for which all members are well known last winter.

The president this year is Ralph Olson; vice president, Edwin P. Armstrong, and secretary treasurer, Jack A. Johnston. They will meet the third Friday of each month.

Members of the club for this year are Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Adolph, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ash, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burch, Mr. and Mrs. John Brady, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Berger, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Braun, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carson, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Cottew, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Vera Cassebeer, Mr. and Mrs. Leo P. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Day, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Edicott, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fuhrer, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Follis, Mr. and Mrs. Max Plantery, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. James Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Grimm, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hulse, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Heinlein, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Hillman, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Imbahl, Mr. and Mrs. Jack K. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Legg, Mr. and Mrs. Oral Lemmon, Mr. and Mrs. Miles McKay, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Meyers, Dr. and Mrs. Burton A. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Richard McNulty, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Mudd, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Newmeyer, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Paulson, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pritchett, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Peters, M. and Mrs. Reed Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rich, Mr. and Mrs. George Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Meryl Smith, Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Steeves, Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Smith, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Sackett, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmahl, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sherill, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Trotter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wolgamott, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wirth, Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Water, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Woodrow, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wellman, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Perry.

Methodist church Thursday night was one of the most successful and attractive affairs which the church has sponsored for some time. There were at least 300 guests who were greeted at the church door by Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vandervort and Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Ohlting. Miss Margaret Sutherland introduced to the line in which stood Rev. and Mrs. Fred C. Taylor, Rev. and Mrs. T. Temple, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rickell and U. G. Holt. Mrs. Walter Winslow and Mrs. Ronald Glover presided at the serving table which was centered with a delightful arrangement of flowers in pastel shades and about which was arranged tapers in harmonizing shades. During the first hour Mrs. Carl Gregg Doney and Mrs. W. T. Higdon poured and the second hour Mrs. G. H. Alden and Mrs. T. S. Roberts poured. Women of the church assisted about the rooms and with the serving. Mrs. R. L. Farmer was chairman of the refreshment committee. The program presented consisted in several brief addresses of welcome, a response by Dr. Taylor and a group of delightful musical numbers. The program committee was headed by Mrs. Mary Boesch. Mrs. Herbert Ostlund headed the decorating committee which so successfully arranged the special rooms of the church with autumn leaves, flowers in profusion, and furniture for the occasion. Miss Helen Campbell is a week end guest in Corvallis at the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority house of which she is a member. The fall initiation ceremony will be an event of the week end at the Theta house.

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## Today We Present

Mrs. Eugene R. Flesher, a popular young business girl of Salem. Mrs. Flesher, who was formerly Prudence Z. Painter, was a bride of October 9.

Mrs. F. A. Erixon, church and club woman, who is general chairman of the building committee of the council of church women of Salem which organization will hold its first meeting Friday. Mrs. Erixon will also offer her home to the Ecclesia club Monday night for its annual Halloween party.

Master John Carson Barsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barsh of Oakland, California, who with his mother, is a guest at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. John Carson, Sr. Mrs. Barsh is here especially to attend the wedding of her brother, Wallace Carson, and Miss Edith Bragg, November 9. Master John celebrated his third birthday October 11.



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MRS. F. A. ERIXON

## SOCIAL CALENDAR

Monday  
Josephine Albert in recital, solo artists and Salem Civic chorus assisting. Nelson Hall auditorium, 8 o'clock.

Alpha Chi Omega club, Mrs. Robert Shinn, Royal Court apartment.  
Mrs. Charles Hudkins, afternoon tea hostess to Presbyterian women of South Salem, between hours of 2:30 and 5 o'clock.

McDowell club practice, 7:30 o'clock, music hall, Willamette university.

Tuesday  
Business and Professional Women's club, 6:30 dinner, Marion hotel.

Try-out for Salem Drama League, play, city library auditorium, between hours of 7 and 9 o'clock.

Sons of Union veterans, 7:30 o'clock, Woman's clubhouse.

Wednesday  
Presbyterian Ladies' Aid, all day meeting, luncheon at noon. Sewing in church social rooms.

Thursday  
Regular meeting of the Town and Gown club at Lausanne hall.

Friday  
Daughters of Union veterans will meet at Woman's clubhouse, 8 o'clock.  
Elk's Halloween dance, Elk's temple.

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MASTER JOHN CARSON BARSH

## Recent Bride Is Evening Honor Guest

MRS. L. P. CAMPBELL and Mrs. Helen Campbell entertained in compliment of Mrs. Nelson Cranford at the Campbell home on North 16th street Friday night. Mrs. Cranford, now Bertha Orford, was married in Seattle, October 5, and is visiting in Salem. She will leave for Portland today where she and Mr. Cranford will make their home.

Masses of autumn leaves and fall flowers made a delightful background for the bride which was in play during the evening. Honors were won by Mrs. Cranford, Mrs. Naomi Pick and Mrs. Smith.

An informal shower planned for the bride preceded the serving hour.

Mrs. Campbell and Miss Campbell were assisted about the rooms and with the serving by Miss Georgia Spencer.

Friends of Mrs. Cranford asked for this affair were Mrs. Naomi Pick, Mrs. Singleton, Mrs. Evelyn Lody, Miss Margaret Breitenstein, Miss Virginia Knowland, Mrs. Ralph Jackson, Mrs. Harold Hoek, Miss Georgia Spencer, Miss Priscilla Baumgartner, Miss Ariel Howell, Mrs. Linn Cronmiller, Mrs. T. A. Rafferty, Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. N. B. Smith.

Mr. E. A. Kenney was delightfully surprised on the occasion of his birthday by a group of 29 folk from the First Presbyterian church at his home Wednesday night. After a happy social evening Mrs. Kenney was assisted in serving. The guest rooms were attractively decorated with gladioli.

## Bridge Evening Compliments Miss Bragg

MRS. JOHN CAUGHILL JR., and Miss Josephine Baumgartner were hostesses at the Baumgartner home Saturday night in compliment to Miss Edith Bragg with several tables of bridge.

The attractive colors of fall in flowers and autumn leaves were used to make a gay setting for this evening.

Miss Prudence Patterson and Mrs. Rex Adolph assisted Mrs. Caughill and Miss Patterson.

Guest bidden in compliment to Miss Bragg were Mrs. Frank Deckerbach, Jr., Mrs. Milton Steiner, Mrs. Foster Cone, Miss Prudence Patterson, Miss Helen Ramsden, Mrs. T. C. Wood, Mrs. Kenneth Powers, Mrs. Rex Adolph, Miss Catherine Hartley, Miss Pauline Knowland, Miss Leah Ross, Mrs. Walker Buren, Mrs. George Weller, Miss Margaret Breitenstein, Miss Marjorie Christenson, and Miss Mildred Christenson.

## Lester Jones Bridge Party Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jones entertained with bridge at their home Thursday evening with members of their club as guests. Zinnias, marigolds, and salvia were effectively used about the guest rooms.

Honors for the evening of cards went to Mr. and Mrs. B. Wagstaff. At a late hour Mrs. Jones was assisted in serving by Mrs. A. L. Tumbleson, and Mrs. T. Franklin Tipton.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Wagstaff, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brockley, Mr. and Mrs. T. Franklin Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bailey, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tumbleson.

## Church Council Will Meet Friday

Salem Council of Church women, unique organization of which there is not another like it so far as members have been able to determine, will meet for its first meeting Friday at the Jason Lee church at 10 o'clock.

The morning session will be taken up with business. At 12 o'clock there will be a luncheon served by the women of the Jason Lee church.

The afternoon program will include an interesting report by Rev. Nori Sue, pastor of the Japanese church in the Lake Labish section. Rev. Sue is a full time minister there and is paid by the council, which is a group of church women representing most of the churches in Salem, who have organized in this manner to cooperate in matters which are of mutual interest to all churches alike.

In addition to the report of Rev. Sue, the Baptist church women will offer a program of special music, a missionary playlet, and other features which have not yet been announced.

Mrs. Edward Nesson, president of the council, will preside.

WOODBURN—Mrs. Arista Nendel was hostess to a group of her friends Thursday evening in honor of her husband and Miss Mildred Wright, celebrating their birthdays. A three course dinner was served, the Halloween idea being carried out in the decorations and favors.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wolf, Mr. Edward Von Dyke, Miss Mildred Wright, Mr. and Mrs. George Becker and Mr. and Mrs. Arista Nendel.

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