

Society News and Club Affairs

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May Day Tea Wednesday Event

One of the most attractive social functions in Willamette university circles is the tea for the May queen. This year the tea will be given at the Delta Phi sorority house of which the May queen, Miss Betty Lewis, is a member. The time has been set for Wednesday afternoon between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock.

Miss Edith Findley will introduce to the line in which will stand the queen, Miss Betty Lewis, her attendants, Miss Evelyn High and Miss Grace Henderson, and Mrs. Paul Edwards, house mother of the Delta Phi. Mrs. John Lewis of Portland, mother of Mrs. Lewis, and Miss Elizabeth Atkinson, president of the sorority.

Portland Garden Club Plans Exhibit

All native Oregon wild flowers which it had been possible to collect will form one of the interesting exhibits at the Portland Garden club's big flower show to be given May 2, 3 and 4 in Laurelhurst park by that organization and the bureau of parks cooperation. Entries have been coming in from all parts of the state; private individuals whose gardens are their hobbies, garden club, commercial growers will exhibit.

One of the features of the evening's entertainment will be the singing of a group of Italian troubadours who will strum their guitars from gondolas on the lake. Grand opera and popular street songs will be rendered by the troupe.

Mrs. E. J. Tucker Honors Mother

Mrs. E. J. Tucker entertained Friday afternoon at her home in South Salem in honor of her mother, Mrs. William Bunkin on her birthday anniversary. After several hours of conversation and

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

Tuesday, April 28
Mrs. Seymour Jones hosts to O. T. club at her suburban home.
B. & P. W. club dinner meeting and election of officers in Silver Grille of Gray Belle. Miss Beatrice Walton to speak.
Mrs. Edwin Thomas, hostess to Salem Woman's Press club, at her home, 1319 North 5th street.
United Circles of First Christian church, potluck dinner, business and social meeting at church building.
Royal Neighbors Sewing club, all-day meeting, clubhouse, 7:30 o'clock.
Tillicum dance, Hazel Green; guest night and last dance of season.
Pythian Sisters, cards and social evening; Fraternal temple; Mrs. L. B. Hixon and Mrs. C. J. Fugh committee in charge.
Hiawatha council hosts for party at Odd Fellows hall, beginning at 8 o'clock. Open to public.
Delta Chi Delphians with Mrs. J. H. Brady in Court apartments; morning meeting.

Wednesday, April 29
County W. C. T. U. convention, all-day meeting in Turner.

Thursday, April 30
Brush College Helpers, Mrs. Ferdinand Singer.

Friday, May 1
Brush College Grange, at Brush college schoolhouse; Buell Grange will present initiation work.

Four Students Will Be Presented

In the fourth recital of the spring series Miss Frances Virchow, music teacher at the Pionero and Thorj department presents Miss Marjory O'Dell, Miss Barbara Barham, Miss Faith Sherburne, and Miss Ruth Schreiber in concert this evening at the school hall. These four students will present a program of unusual variety. The decorations will be rather different for this recital.

Mrs. Harry Harms Complimented

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Pickens and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Taylor were hosts Saturday night for an attractive dinner party in compliment to Mrs. Harry Harms in observation of her birthday. Covers were placed for 18 at a long table prettily centered with a low bowl of spring flowers. Favors, birthday cake, and flowers all carried out the color scheme of yellow and green. Following the dinner hour an informal evening of conversation and music was enjoyed.

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Miss Gladys Humphrey, Miss Clara Uriaub, and Miss Lella Park entertained in compliment to Miss Edna Vogt, whose wedding will be an event of the early spring, Saturday night in the Park home on West Miller street.

Miss Emmons is Complimented

At the Court street home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Emmons, on Saturday evening seven o'clock a dinner was given complimentary to their daughter, Florence E. Emmons, instructor in the high school at Ione, Oregon, and Miss Helen Kafoury of this city.

Delphian Chapter to Elect Officers

Mrs. J. H. Brady will open her home in the Court apartments this morning for the Chi Delta chapter of the Delphians. Officers will be elected for the coming year and other business will be attended to in addition to the regular study hour.

Series of Parties Being Sponsored

Father Keenan of St. Vincent dePaul is sponsoring a series of three card parties. The second of this series will be an event of tonight in St. Joseph's hall. The evening will be spent in playing "500" and an old-fashioned dance will be enjoyed during the latter hours of the evening.

Men's Glee Club Will Give Program

An announcement of unusual interest coming as it does during May, music week festivities, is the concert to be presented by the Willamette Men's Glee club, Friday night, May 1, at the Elsinore theatre.

Informal Evening is Happy Event

A jolly evening of music, readings, dances, speeches and songs was recently enjoyed at the suburban home of the Cromleys in Polk county. The program, which was extensive, was very informal.

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Mrs. S. B. Gillette Heads Club

Past Matrons club elected Mrs. S. B. Gillette president of the group at its recent meeting at the home of Mrs. Ida Godfrey. Other officers elected were Mrs. Paul Hanson, vice-president; Mrs. R. Lee Wood, secretary.

Eastern Star Social Club Will Not Meet

A social afternoon for members of the Chadwick chapter, Order of Eastern Star Social club, had been planned for this afternoon, but it has been postponed because of the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb, a member of the order.

Woodcraft Circles Are Guests

Members of several circles of Neighbors of Woodcraft were the guests Friday night of Silver Bell circle. Dancing was enjoyed during the evening at a late supper was served under the supervision of Mrs. Shaw and her committee.

CARELESS FIRE DEATH TOLL 12

Fire Marshal Averill Lists Cost in Lives, Property, For Last Quarter

The lives of 12 people and serious injury to 29 others and the loss of an aggregate of \$802,457 in 288 fires in the state of Oregon, outside of Portland, was the price of carelessness and thoughtlessness with fire during the first three months of 1931, according to the analysis of fire loss and casualty estimates given out by State Fire Marshal A. H. Averill. Of the deaths, five were innocent children under 10 years of age; two were aged and helpless men over 80, and five were adults between 20 and 70 years. Five of the seriously and fatally burned were children under eight. Five of the deaths and 17 of the injured were due to gasoline explosions and petroleum fires; two deaths, small children, and three injuries were caused by sparks from open fires; nine deaths and one injury, to overheated or defective stoves or chimneys; one injury resulted from an exploding stove, and seven, two firemen, were injured by fire as a contributing cause.

Of the total of \$802,457 in property losses for January, February and March, which is \$292,608 below the aggregate for the corresponding quarter of 1930, city dwellings and contents suffered \$138,842 in 110 fires, and rural properties \$272,350 in 126 fires, of which latter 90 fires destroyed \$125,350 in farm values and 36 fires consumed \$76,970 in rural values, other than farm. Farm fires averaged \$2171 per fire, as compared to \$1235 per city dwelling fire, an increase of \$936 per fire in excess of city losses, and \$15,350 in farm values, \$2138 or 3903 per fire in excess of the city loss average, demonstrating the value of fire protection facilities provided urban properties as compared to rural.

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Amity—The Sisterhood of the Christian Church met at the home of Mrs. Eva Robison Thursday.

A potluck dinner was served, with covers placed for nine. The afternoon was spent in quilting.

TO CROWN BEAUTY THIS SUMMER



Modellers of fashion are again busy creating the perfect headgear for midday for Summer wear. At the left is the large-brimmed hat that has returned to popular favor. This model carries out in beige and brown straw an interesting hat with grosgrain ribbons used as under-brim edgings and bow trimmings. (Right) Grecian in mode, this combination of white silk braided with a wreath of green laurel leaves and a fine mesh veil adds an alluring feminine touch.

REVIVE STREETCAR CASE NEXT MONDAY

Hearing of the case involving streetcar fares in Portland, will be resumed here next Monday, according to announcement by C. M. Thomas, public utilities commissioner. The hearing is being conducted by C. R. Lester, examiner for the department.



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January—Sixteenth, Elmer Arnold, 8, Westfir, nighttown caught from open fireplace.
February—Eighth, Leonard J. Root, 80, The Dalles, overheated stove; Andrew J. Smith, 86, Corvallis, evidently overheated stove or overturned lamp; Marjorie Lois Krebs, 2 1/2, West Salem, clothing caught from brush fire; 18th, Peter J. Troutner, 37, near Forest Grove, applied match to bung hole of gasoline drum which had been empty for many years.
March—Sixth, Alice Groat 24, Billy Groat 5, Jack Groat 2, Baby Groat, Grants Pass, overheated stove; seventh, Andrew Rehm, 69, Douglas county, probably overheated or defective stove; 12th, Annie Baker, 42, and Violet Baker, 37, Lane county, overheated stove or defective flue.

Losses by classification of occupancies shows that seven fires destroyed \$208,650, in wood working plant values, mostly sawmills; industrial plants suffered \$132,925 losses in 36 fires; mercantile establishments, \$131,475 in 24 fires; schools, churches and hospitals, \$16,810 in seven fires, and hotels, restaurants, etc., \$12,675 in eight fires. Of the mercantile losses, \$79,010, or \$30,100 of the industrial losses, an aggregate of \$111,150, were involved in the Eugene fire of March 31.

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Hattebergs to Erect Home at Downs Station

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The basement of the new farm home is now well under way. The house will contain seven rooms. The work is being done by James Hatteberg and O. Batern. They expect to have the place ready for occupancy by early autumn or late summer.

SEMI-FINALS AT TURNER

TURNER, April 27.—Mrs. C. S. Clark, Miss Mabel Tucker, and C. A. Bear, were in Salem Friday evening to attend the directors meeting of the Marion county federation of community clubs which was called to meet at the Spa, by the county president, Dr. O. Riley. The elimination contest for the southern part of the county will be held at Turner, May 15.



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