

Society News and Club Affairs

OLIVE M. DOAK, Society Editor

Schools Will Take Active Part in 'Music Week'

The spirit of "better music week" will be carried out with enthusiasm by the Salem school system and by special appearances of groups of school students on programs which will be given each day and night of the week which will begin May 3 and continue until May 10.

Miss Gretchen Kremer, superintendent of music in the city school system, announces that each school is preparing special programs, some to be musical and others playlets and informal programs.

The junior high school will have two such programs. The music groups will give a special program at the activity hour Tuesday and the whole school will attend the standard broadcast hour Thursday.

Parrish junior high school band under the direction of Elbert Derry will play before the presentation of the joint church choir program to be given Saturday night at the armory under the direction of E. W. Hobson.

The personnel of the band includes just junior high school students and many of them very young students. Included in the personnel is:

Cornet: Jimmy Meyer, Ernest Meyer, Oliver Glenn, Robert Yeager, Edward Kinnaman, Marguerite Wagner, Quay Wassam, Tommy Ogura.

Clarinet: Rodney Minton, Maurice Mercer, Bob Keldoff, Marian Ross, Harold Jensen, Roger Baker.

Saxophones: Bill De Souza, Frances Roth, Lowell Williams, Ellis Walling, Bob Johnson, Wilbur McDowell, Arthur Clemens, Dale Loveland, Jerome Sheridan.

Trombones: Bert Broer, Loren Benjamin, LeRoy Rickey.

Alto: Ray Drakely.

Baritone: Marial Wassam.

Bass: Cornelius Unruh.

Drums: Norman Sumner, Dean Archart.

May Day Breakfast Will Follow Tradition

One of the memorable traditions of the May day activities in Willamette university is the May day breakfast served by students on the campus. Townspeople as well as students are invited to take advantage of the breakfast, and many Willamette graduates will make a special effort to be back for the "breakfast." In case of rain it will be served in the gymnasium.

Following the breakfast hour, May Day festivities will begin on the campus.

The second of the series of card parties being given by the committee of women from the Business and Professional Women's club and the American Legion auxiliary which is sponsoring the Girl Scout movement in Salem, was held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Elbert Bradford. Mrs. Alton Edwards held high scores for the afternoon.

Miss Frances Virginia Melton is acting as one of the piano judges for contesting students at the sessions of the Oregon Federation of music teachers convention being held in Portland this week. Miss Elma Weller is another Salem teacher who is one of the ensemble piano judges.

Mrs. T. S. Roberts entertained the Kensington club Thursday afternoon and had as special guests Mrs. H. C. Carl, Mrs. Robert Craig, Mrs. A. A. Keene and Mrs. J. T. Whittig.

RICKREALL HIGH'S PLAY IS TONIGHT

RICKREALL April 30.—"An Early Bird" is the title of a farce comedy to be given by students of the Rickreall high school on Friday night, May 1.

Those to take part in the play are Dorothy Middleton, Margaret Edgar, Mildred Robinson, Elizabeth Rowell, Edna McCrow, Elora Hart, Ethel Cass, Frank Hamilton, Ralph Dempsey, Joe Simmons, Dean Allen, Verlin Hamilton, Paul Cass, and Gordon Bihl.

Beginning at 7:30 before the play starts and between acts the grade school will hold a Spring carnival and sale of articles made by the children during manual training and home economics periods.

BURY GERVAIS LAD. GERVAIS, April 30.—Funeral services for Harold Susee, ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Susee, who died Sunday night, were held at nine o'clock Wednesday morning from Sacred Heart church, Rev. H. A. Orth officiating, and burial was at the Catholic cemetery east of town.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, by an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Marion, duly made and entered on the 22d day of April, 1931, was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Brantson B. Miles, Deceased, and that he has duly qualified as such Administrator. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, as required by law, to him in the City of Salem, in Marion County, Oregon, within six months of the date of this notice.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1931. JAS. G. HELTZEL, Administrator of the Estate of Brantson B. Miles, Deceased. Date of First Publication: April 24, 1931. Date of Last Publication: May 22, 1931. A24-M-1-8-15-32

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Friday, May 1

Brush College Grange, at Brush college school-house; Buell Grange will present initiation work, beginning 7:30 o'clock.

Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal, 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. James Walton, 1177 Center street. Salem Heights Woman's club, community hall, 2 o'clock; potluck luncheon followed by musical program.

Woman's Alliance of Unitarian church, with Mrs. C. S. Hamilton, 230 North Front street, 2 o'clock.

Women's golf teams of Salem Golf club will have special handicap tournament today. Qualifying round.

Saturday, May 2

D. A. R. meeting, 2 o'clock in auditorium of city library, election of officers.

Past Regents club, luncheon at Spa, 12:30 o'clock, preceding regular D. A. R. meeting.

Leslie Can Do Class Entertains

Members of the Leslie Can Do class enjoyed a social evening and program at the church Wednesday night. A potluck dinner was served at 6:30 o'clock in the church parlors and this was followed by a program of "music" given by Clark Wills, Mrs. Mason Bishop, and Mrs. S. Darlow Johnson. Games and an informal social evening concluded the party.

The arrangements were in charge of Dr. and Mrs. Ward Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Greenwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Will.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boyce, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rolly Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bohrnstead, Rev. and Mrs. S. Darlow Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Pound, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dauer and Mrs. H. Earl Pemberton.

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Easter Cantata to Be Repeated

A delightful piece of music which was given Easter Sunday at the First Congregational church was the double quartet cantata, "The Light Out of Darkness." By special request this cantata will be repeated Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock in the church auditorium as a part of the evening service. This will mark one of the first offerings on the program of "better music week" which opens Sunday.

Members of the quartet are Mrs. Harry Harms, Mrs. Rae Beldin, soprano; Mrs. Mark McCallister, Miss Lucille Cummings, contraltos; H. B. Glaisyer, W. D. Clarke, tenors; Victor Wolfe, Tyler Morley, bass. Viola obligatos will be played by Miss Iva Claire Love and Miss Grace Henderson will be organist.

A large group of Salem matrons are assisting the Salem Hospital auxiliary with its drive for funds this week end. Mrs. Harry Hawkins is president of the auxiliary and will have charge of arrangements for Saturday. She will be assisted by Mrs. George Waters and Mrs. C. A. Sprague. Mrs. Russell Catlin was in charge Thursday and was assisted in her division by Mrs. Russell Catlin, Mrs. C. H. Robertson, Mrs. John L. Rand, Mrs. Miller Hayden, Mrs. Oscar Price and Mrs. F. H. Crosby. Mrs. Dan Fry, Jr., will be in charge today and will be assisted by Mrs. William Mott, Mrs. Dan McEllan, Mrs. C. C. Smith, Mrs. O. E. Locke, Mrs. Edgar Pierce, Mrs. Kenneth Power, Mrs. Frank Chapman, Mrs. Rex Adolph and Chapman, Mrs. Rex Adolph, Mrs. Gordon Hadley, Mrs. James Linn and Mrs. C. K. Spaulding.

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Mother's Day Program to Be Club Feature

Kingwood—Members of the Laurel Social Hour club gathered Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. B. Smith for their semi-monthly meeting. Following the business session at which Mrs. J. A. Yantiss presided, a social hour was enjoyed with music, work and conversation and an amusing game. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. J. W. Edgar, Mrs. Ammon Grice and Mrs. Ed Finley.

Members present were Mesdames A. L. Applewhite, J. A. Yantiss, R. A. Blevins, G. L. Adams, Warren E. Baker, Albert Beckman, Eugene Krebs, Ed Finley, E. W. Emmett, Theodore Bernard and the hostess, Mrs. J. B. Smith. Special guests were Mrs. J. W. Edgar, Mrs. Ammon Grice and Mrs. Olin Cannoy.

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University Music Program Announced

In line with all the other "better music week" activities planned for the week of May 3-10, Willamette university announces an ensemble program for Wednesday night, May 6. The program will be given in Waller hall at 8 o'clock and will be open to the public.

The following program has been planned:

Eethoven—Allegro from First Symphony
Bach—Baroque
Joyce Woodfin
Weber—Overture to "Oberon"
Franz Liza—Elizabeth Clewett
Piano Solo—Elizabeth Clewett
List—Elands de Concert in Re-flat
MacDowell—Rigaudon
Mildred Bowman, Madory O'Dell
Dumas Taylor—Plantation Love Song
Handel—Largo
Rice—The Treble Clef Club
Brahms—Six Valises
Mildred Bowman, Madory O'Dell
Grieg—Allegro from Concerto in La minor
Helene Price
(Orchestral parts on second piano by Edith Findley)

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Mrs. Denton Gives Convention Report

Mrs. Mary A. Denton, state, county, and Salem chairman of the Oregon "better music week" observation, attended the Wednesday session of the Oregon Federation of Music clubs in its annual convention meeting held this year in Portland.

Mrs. Denton gave her report of the activities of the state in its plans for observing "better music week". This year 100 cities and towns will observe the week in contrast to 75 last year. This many have already sent in contemplated programs to Mrs. Denton and she expects many more so that the number will be even greater this year than 100. In addition to this 50 communities have signified an intention to give special programs, and 175 schools and in contrast to 125 last year. There will also be 25 universities and colleges which will observe the week.

The 1931 "better music week" program will mark the eighth year of its observation in Oregon. The programs featured for the week will be of a very insignificant affairs to pretentious affairs which include the whole community. In Salem the Salem Music Teachers association has been the active sponsors of the week and Mrs. Mary A. Denton has been the active chairman to promote with enthusiastic assistance programs which have made Salem well known the state over.

An outstanding feature of "better music week" programs all over the United States this year will be recognition of the national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner", which became official by an act of congress signed by President Hoover March 4.

A large delegation was reported by Mrs. Denton to be in attendance at the state convention. Exciting programs have been planned for each of the sessions which will close May 2.

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Rainbow Dance Plans Completed

Miss Betty-Mae Hartung is chairman of the general arrangements for the dance to be given Saturday night in the Masonic hall by Chadwick chapter, Order of Rainbow for Girls.

Assisting Miss Hartung will be Miss Jean Estridge, Miss Hattie Ramp, Miss Josephine McGilchrist, Miss Roberta Smith, Miss Kathryn Corey and Miss Alta Johnson.

Members of the First Methodist church are planning a social affair at the church Tuesday evening, May 6. Dinner will be served between 5:30 o'clock and 8:30 o'clock and a musical program will be given under the direction of Mrs. A. A. Schramm and Mrs. Herbert E. Rahe. O. E. Price is general chairman and other members of the committee are Mrs. Walter Winslow, Mrs. O. E. Price, Mrs. W. C. Young, Miss Hayward Holman, and Miss Alma Pohle.

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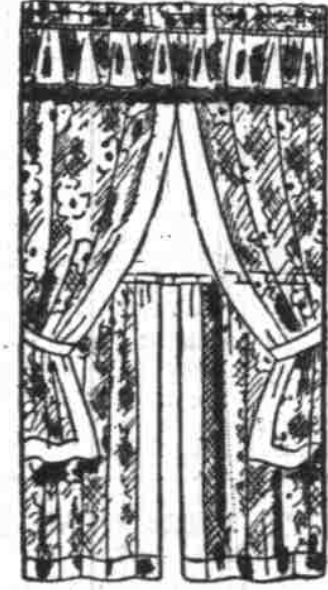
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