

# SOCIETY

## Salem Audiences Will Hear Two Concerts During Fortnight

By MAXINE BUREN

Musically speaking, Salem is off to a flying start for the winter season and audiences thus far have not only been large, but have been generous in their praise of events already offered.

This week marks the first of the series of concerts being given by the Salem Philharmonic orchestra, the group of young musicians who have played in Salem for five seasons.

The concert is of special interest because the group is under the baton of a new director, Edouard Hurlimann, concert master and assistant director of the Portland Symphony orchestra. Mr. Hurlimann, who is Swiss, is a graduate of the Prague state conservatory, has studied in Berlin and Cologne and has taught violin in Berne, Switzerland, Ellsion-White conservatory, Reed college. He will play a violin solo, "Ciaccone" by Vitali, as an added feature on the program.

Concert goers who attend the program given by the Salem Philharmonic orchestra do so because they believe in supporting civic enterprises of true worth, and because they enjoy seeing and hearing the performance of bright young musicians with talent, enthusiasm and sincerity.

### Choosing Program

It is the conductor's most difficult task to arrange a program that will please the taste of all; entertaining yet elevating a group of widely different persons. The musicians must be fired by the selections so their technique and emotions are at the highest possible point.

The average audience likes novelties, or at least familiar numbers, yet the conductor must avoid music too popular, choosing instead pieces of decidedly worthwhile character.

The Philharmonic orchestra is a civic enterprise, musicians are talented and enthusiastic. Mr. Hurlimann should certainly know how to train his players and how to select music that will inspire the musicians and please the audience. The concert will prove one of the best of the season for parents to attend with children. Seeing youngsters of their own age performing as seasoned musicians will prove a valuable stimulant to lagging interest in daily practice.

### Another Concert

The next musical event to come before Salem audiences will be the appearance of the Kyril orchestra on December 10 at Leslie auditorium. Certainly wide diversity of musical fare will be offered when concert goers hear not only the featured 50-piece orchestra, but the soprano voice of Mary McCormic, who is soloist with the orchestra.

Other soloists are being featured during the program; Director Bohumir Kyril is known as one of the world's greatest cornetists and has among his musicians a harp soloist and a violin soloist.

Adding even more interest to the planned program will be the number "Inflammatus" from Rossini's "Stabat Mater" in which Miss McCormic will sing the soprano obligato and the Willamette Philharmonic choir of a hundred voices will sing the chorus.

The concert is under the sponsorship of the Willamette school of music and proceeds are to go toward a fund to send the Willamette Songmen to the San Francisco exposition. Cameron Marshall directs both the Philharmonic choir and the Songmen.

## Davidsons Enjoy Family Reunion Dinner

Thanksgiving day was a joyous reunion in the W. T. Davidson home when friends and relatives from a distance dropped in unexpectedly to visit.

Besides the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, there were present: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemmon, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dyer, Ross and Velma, Mr. and Mrs. Abel Doughty, David Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith and Darlene; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bates, Harold Glenn, Grace and Jeanette from The Dalles; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Patterson and Monte, who came from Milton-Freewater on a surprise visit to the hostess, grandmother and great-grandmother of Mrs. Patterson and daughter.

There were four generations ranging in ages from 84 to three years, sitting down to the traditional Thanksgiving dinner.

The afternoon and evening were devoted to reminiscing, music, singing and games.

## Veterans Auxiliary Officer Coming

The national president of the Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary, Mrs. Flora Sherrie, will be a visitor in Corvallis on Tuesday, according to word received by Mrs. Onas Olson here. A luncheon has been planned at the Hotel Benson in Corvallis on Tuesday at 12:30 and those wishing reservations should call Mrs. Olson at 5678 or Mrs. E. L. McElvain at 8452.

A closed meeting has been planned for 2 o'clock in the afternoon and several Salem women are planning to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pitts have as their house guests, Miss Lucy Staples of Clatskanie and Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Perry, jr., of Portland, and last night entertained informally for the visitors. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Downing, Dr. and Mrs. Howard Barlow, Mr. and Mrs. Heber Princehouse sr., Mr. and Mrs. Heber Princehouse jr., Miss Elizabeth Beers, Miss Julia Query, Henry Query, Mrs. Harry Fredricks of McMinnville, Edward Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Robinson.

Past presidents of the Women's Relief corps will hold the annual Christmas party on December 14 at the home of Mrs. Florence Shipp at 639 Saginaw street.



**A FAMILY AFFAIR**—The principals in the cast of the Snikpo play "Growing Pains," which will be presented on Saturday, gather on the steps of the auditorium stage to talk over the show. Bill Snell (left) as "George" talks to Virginia Steed who plays the part of his sister "Terry." Ora Elliott is the mother and Willard Grant the father.—(Photo by Kennell-Ellis).

Mrs. A. B. Evans and her group will be in charge of the program of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the First Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. M. C. Findley will lead devotions. Mrs. Bruce Baxter will review the study book, "Rebuilding Rural America." Special music and singing of Christmas carols will be features of the afternoon. During the tea hour Mrs. E. H. White will be in charge. Mrs. W. E. Kirk and Mrs. L. D. Waterman will pour.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkett entertained a group at dinner on Thursday night. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Baker of Independence, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Ebbe and Coleen of Sandpoint, Idaho, Mrs. Millie Ebbe of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Perkett, Helen and Frances of Canby.

Miss Edith Berry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Berry, who is a junior at the Traphagen School of Fashion in New York city, has been spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents here in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Lipps have as their houseguests over the holiday weekend, Miss Harriet Scott from OSC and Robert Coe, a senior at University of Oregon. Both students are from Sacramento, Calif.



Mrs. James Hurd, who was Miss Ada Mae Smith before her marriage at the First Evangelical church on November 12. Mrs. Hurd is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Smith of Salem.—(Photo by Jett-Miller).



Mrs. Edward Roth, the former Miss Eileen Hemenway of Portland who was married at a home ceremony in Portland on November 14. Mr. and Mrs. Roth will make their home in Salem.—(Photo by Bruno, Portland).

## Miss Florence Power Is Married at Impressive Home Ceremony

A beautiful early winter wedding was solemnized yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock when Miss Florence Power, daughter of Mrs. Frank W. Power, became the bride of George Scates, son of Mrs. George E. Scates of Portland. The vows were exchanged at the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Power on Center street. Dr.

## Seen and Heard

**By JERYME UPSTON**

**PILGRIM FIGURES** very cleverly painted were arranged about the hall for the Junior Woman's club semi-formal dance Thanksgiving night at Hazel Green. This was the first big dance of the year for younger crowd. . . . A time of much reminiscing . . . some home from college, others here for the holiday . . . Lois Riggs, the club prexy, was looking very attractive in green velvet . . . Several Dallas people were over for the dance . . . Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Adams, Ruth in black with white top and Mr. and Mrs. Ray McKee, the latter is president of the Dallas Junior club . . . It was nice to see Elizabeth Lookey who is teaching in Washington this year . . . Distinctive in all black crepe embellished with a silver metallic sash . . . Home from the University of Washington was Margaret Savage wearing black and red . . . Several Dallas people were over for the dance . . . Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hulse (Constance Krebs) were with the Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Andersons . . . Connie was smart in black net with white daisies at the neckline . . . Jessie wearing a fetching gown of gold brocaded satin . . . Glimpsed . . . the George (Sally Dorner) who is teaching in Washington this year . . . Sally wearing a lovely orchid taffeta.

**NOTES FROM A BUSY WEEK**

. . . Students home for the holiday weekend with many of them bringing guests . . . No sooner home than out to a dance. Mrs. J. H. Garnjobst down town shopping with Ruth Jean who is home from Mills . . . also shopping was Bobbie Shinn, popular here at Oregon State, looking chic in all black . . . Mrs. Arch Jernan busily taking Wilda to see her friends this week, home from St. Helen's Hall . . . Here on Thanksgiving day were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Franz (Ruth Chapman) of St. Helens to attend the wedding of Rachel Pemberton and Chaucery Gettman . . . Rachel was one of Ruth's attendants in June . . . Mrs. Bruce Baxter smartly clad in all black sauntering up State street with her "Scottie" . . . Mrs. F. W. Poorman accompanied by young son Billy, shopping for a gift for Billy's cousin, Margaret Poorman, who was married Thursday . . . Billy very much interested in selecting the gift . . . Mrs. George White and her daughter, Mrs. George Elmer, are here for the holidays from Astoria, Oregon, accompanied by Dorothy's baby, Diane.

**A GALA TIME** last weekend for a group of Salem sports fans who went north to Seattle to attend the Oregon-Washington game . . . In the group were Mr. and Mrs. Loring Schmidt, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Olinger, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Brown, Carl Gabrielson, Werner Brown, Geraldine Ferguson and the Robert Bishops of Portland joined them . . . Following the game they went to the Olympic hotel for dinner and dancing . . . Mrs. Schmidt looked very smart in a three piece navy blue wool suit with cape and navy hat with diaphanous bow and one of the new long veils . . . Geraldine who attended the University of Washington last year where she was a Kappa Kappa Gamma, wore a good-looking copper sports suit with brown accessories and beige top coat.

**FESTIVE OCCASION** for members of the Subscription club who gathered for their first dance of the season Saturday night in the Mirror room of the Marion hotel . . . Turkeys were here and there and a grand old-fashioned orchestra from Corvallis played for dancing . . . Some very swanky gowns were noticed among the dancers . . . Mrs. Donald McCargar who is enjoying her first winter in the capital was distinguished in a gown of subonnet velvet . . . Mrs. Palmer Macdonald was stunning in white tulle and Mrs. Fritz Slade was in white, shot with gold . . . both are now living in Portland but come to Salem now and then for bridge parties and luncheons . . . Mrs. Howard Gattle of Portland, the weekend guest of the William Lyttes wore black crepe with gardenias in her hair . . . Mrs. Lylie wore a very smart model of American Beauty satin . . . Mrs. Breyman Boise was attractive in black lace and was hostess with Mrs. Charles Robertson for a buffet supper before the dance . . . Mrs. Taylor Hawkins in a cerise chiffon with sequin jacket was chatting with the Dan Frys . . . Noticed Mrs. Paul Hendricks in brown net with Mrs. D. Quisenberry in a good looking dinner dress of dark velvet . . . Mrs. Lowell Kern in a bright blue crepe gown set off with brilliant clips.

## Reception Follows

A reception immediately followed the wedding with members of the bridal party receiving informally. The serving table was set in all white and crystal with a centerpiece of bouvardia in a crystal bowl flanked with white tapers in crystal holders.

Mrs. D. A. Hodge and Mrs. E. T. Barnes presided at the urns and Mrs. Clarence S. Emmons cut the bride's cake. Mrs. Kenneth Potts was in charge of the dining room. Assisting in the serving were Mrs. Ronald Gemmill, Mrs. Glen Ledbetter of The Dalles and Miss Elma White. Miss Rovena Eyre greeted the guests at the door.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Power wore a model of black lace and corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Scates wore a gown of blue and gardenias.

The couple left for a wedding trip and for traveling the bride chose a tailored pom-pom silk of little green with black accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Scates will return to Salem to make their home and will reside at the Fisher apartments.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Scates are well known in Salem. She is a graduate of Willamette university and a member of Beta Chi sorority, Theta Alpha Phi and Beta Sigma Phi. Mr. Scates also attended Willamette and was popular in athletics. He is a member of Alpha Phi Delta fraternity and is now connected with Paulus Bros.

**LAUSANNE HALL MAIDS TO BE HOSTESSES FOR DANCE**

Clever invitations have been extended to a number of the Willamette university set by the Lausanne Hall for an informal party to be given in the old high school gymnasium Saturday, December 4.

The Indian motif will be carried out in the decorations and the idea for the party. An Indian orchestra from Chemawa will play during the evening. Patron and patronesses will be Dr. and Mrs. Bruce R. Baxter, Dr. and Mrs. Ivan Lovell, Dr. and Mrs. Franklin Thompson, Miss Lorena Jack, Miss Helen Arthur, Miss Olive M. Dahl.

Miss Helene Truelsen is general chairman of the affair and is being assisted by Miss Virginia Moore, Miss Beverly Brown, Miss Janet Hinkley, Miss Mabel Wittrock and Miss Jean Mitchell.

Special features for the affair will be a prize dance to be judged by the dance committee, the introduction of the popular dance craze, "The Big Apple," and a program during intermission.

Ladies' auxiliary, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will entertain with a card party Wednesday afternoon at the Fraternal temple. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served late in the afternoon. The committee in charge includes Irene Kleinknecht, Anna Wan, and Marguerita MacPherson.

## Woman's Club Hears Mayor Kuhn

Mayor V. E. Kuhn was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Salem Woman's club held in the clubhouse yesterday afternoon. His talk on municipal government was one which he gave at a meeting of the American Municipal association in Chicago recently.

He told of some of the problems of municipal officers, stressing the difficulties of conflicting authority of state and county governments. He said one of the chief aims of those planning improved municipal government was to have legislatures enact laws by which cities may spend their own funds.

Miss Eula McCully, vice president of the club presided at the business meeting which preceded the program. Mrs. Clifton Mudd and Mrs. Mark McCallister directed the community singing, Mrs. U. G. Shipley led in the pledge to the flag and Mrs. David Wright read the Collect. Mayor Kuhn was introduced by Mrs. F. M. Lobdell.

During the tea hour which concluded the meeting, Mrs. C. F. Bishop and Mrs. A. L. Wallace poured. Mrs. David Bennett Hill was in charge.

Mrs. Ernest C. Richards returned Wednesday from a seven-weeks' trip to Iowa where she visited with relatives and friends. She returned via the southern route stopping in Los Angeles and Berkeley visiting with friends.



**FIRST CONCERT**—of the Philharmonic orchestra for the season under the baton of Edouard Hurlimann, scheduled for Wednesday night at the high school. Mr. Hurlimann will play a violin solo as a feature of the concert.