

# WOMEN'S Society \* Clubs \* Music SECTION



## Hearts in the Navy...

Chosen for Valentine's day sweethearts, are these Willamette university campus sailors and their girls, pictured by the Woman's page photographer as they meet for a few minutes chat between classes. Betty Provost and Bill Hancuska (above) chat over ice cream cones at the Bearcat Cavern. Miss Provost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Stephenson, is a Salem girl and Seaman Hancuska's home is in Woodburn. Patricia Tracy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tracy of Dallas and her fiancé, Warren Hunter of Shelton, Wn., walk briskly across the campus during a winter shower. At the right, Virginia Pope, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pope, and Lloyd Griffiths, son of Mrs. Lorene Griffiths talk it over on the porch of Eaton Hall. Below are Lora Kate Griffith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Griffith, and John Copenhaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Copenhaver, pictured on the steps of the Willamette library.

## They're Back Home Again...

It's home again for several Salem residents who have been away for several months or weeks visiting with members of their families. Mrs. Max Moon and young son, John, have returned from Wisconsinville, Wisconsin, where they have been visiting for the past three months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bacon. They are now at home at their country place. Lieutenant Commander Moon is stationed in the south Pacific with the navy.

Mrs. Walter Minier will arrive in Salem Wednesday from Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, where she has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Sergeant and Mrs. Ervin Potter, for the past three months.

Also home from a stay at Riverside and Modesto, California, are Mrs. George L. Dutton and her daughter, Mrs. James M. Houck. Mrs. Houck went south with her fier husband, Lt. Houck, in early January.

Mrs. Gene Vandeneynde has returned from a month's stay in San Francisco and other bay points. She went south to visit her son, Ensign Rodney Vandeneynde. In Oakland she was the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Lowe. Mrs. Vandeneynde also visited in San Jose.

Mrs. Clifton Ross is home from a two month's stay in Medford where she has been the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Milo Ross, and their children. Mr. Ross joined his wife and family for the holidays, but returned in January.

## Wedding on Valentine's Day...

Miss Leontine Lebold will become Mr. Gilbert A. Noffsinger's bride on Valentine's day at St. Joseph's Catholic church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Lebold and her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Noffsinger of Portland, formerly of Salem.

Father T. J. Bernards will officiate at the afternoon ceremony at 4 o'clock and Mrs. Mary Barton will be the organist. The altar will be decorated with two vases of acacia and daffodils guarded by tall white tapers.

The bride, who will be given in marriage by her father, has chosen a white satin brocaded gown for her wedding. The full skirt ends in a train and the gathered bodice is fashioned with long sleeves and a sweetheart neckline. Her train length tulle veil is arranged in a coronet of pleated tulle. She will carry a white prayer book topped with an orchid and a shower of white bouvardia.

Miss Dolores Lebold will be her sister's honor maid and she will wear a dress of pastel blue taffeta fashioned similar to the bride's. The skirt is floor length and the sleeves are three-quarter style. Miss Jeanne Hazelton will be the bridesmaid and her dress is of pink taffeta. The attendants will carry valentine heart nosegays of pink carnations with a gardenia in the center. In their hair will be wreaths of pink and blue carnation petals.

Evelyn Marie Lebold will be the flower girl and she will wear a pastel yellow silk taffeta dress and carry a basket of rose petals. In her hair will be a wreath of yellow carnations.

Mr. Lloyd Noffsinger, jr., will be Mr. Noffsinger's best man and the ushers are Mr. Robert Bowes and Mr. Wilmer Richey.

Mrs. Lebold will wear a navy blue suit with black accessories for her daughter's wedding. Her corsage will be of gardenias and carnations. Mrs. Noffsinger will wear a navy blue dress and her flowers will also be carnations and gardenias.

The bridal couple will greet their guests at a reception at the studio of Professor and Mrs. T. S. Roberts. Mrs. Warren Lindsey will cut the cake and Mrs. Lloyd Noffsinger, jr. will pour. Serving will be Miss Darlene Simmons, Miss Della Price and Miss Dorothy Desmond of Seattle. Miss Beverly Lebold will be in charge of the gift room and Miss Donna Mae Lebold will pass the guest book.

The couple will honeymoon along the Oregon coast and for traveling the bride will wear a dusty green suit with black accessories and a corsage of white orchids. Mr. Noffsinger and his bride will return to Salem to reside and their new address will be 1060 East Lefelle street.

Miss Lebold is a graduate of Salem high school and attended Sacred Heart academy. Her fiancé is also a graduate of Salem schools. He received a medical discharge from the navy two months ago, after seeing active duty with the navy for two years at Pear Harbor and Guadalcanal.



## A Church Ceremony...

Before a spring setting of acacia, narcissus and bronze snapdragons at the Jason Lee Methodist church this afternoon Miss Carol Gertrude Clark, daughter of Professor and Mrs. Herman Clark will become the bride of Mr. John H. Bowers, jr., staff sergeant, United States army, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowers of Kansas City, Kansas.

At 3 o'clock Dr. Daniel H. Schulze will officiate before a large gathering of guests. Lighting the altar candles will be Miss Aileen Sechrist and Miss Marjorie Reeves, who will wear blue taffeta frocks. Miss Nona Zimmerman of Corvallis will sing "O Promise Me" and "Because" before the bridal party enters and Miss Alice Rose will be the organist.

For her wedding the blonde bride has chosen a gown of fine, white marquisette fashioned with a full skirt, slightly entrain. The fitted bodice is enhanced with a design of braid, a rounded neckline and three-quarter length sleeves.

From a Juliet cap of lace and pearls will cascade her fingertip length veil of illusion. She will wear a pearl necklace and her shower bouquet will be of bouvardia centered with a white orchid. Professor Clark will give his daughter in marriage.

Miss Corliss Clark will walk immediately preceding her sister as maid of honor. Her dress will be of pink silk jersey. The bridesmaids will be the bride's cousin, Miss Rebekah Putnam and Miss Doris Doughton. Miss Putnam will wear petal blue marquisette and Miss Doughton's dress is of yellow marquisette. The girls will carry spring bouquets of pink, blue, yellow and white flowers.

Sergeant Lloyd Osborne of Kansas City, Kansas, who is now stationed at Oregon State college, will stand with Sergeant Bowers as best man. Seating the guests will be Mr. David Putnam, Mr. Loren Wintersheid, Mr. James and Mr. Elvin Pitney of Junction City.

Mrs. Clark has chosen a royal blue brocaded silk suit with navy hat and accessories for her daughter's nuptials. Her corsage will be of gardenias and pink roses. Mrs. Bowers, who came west for her son's marriage, will wear a moss green dress with matching hat and her flowers will be gardenias and red roses.

A reception at the Clark home will be held after the ceremony. Miss Doris Doughton will greet the guests at the door. Mrs. H. P. Jewett of Central Point will cut her niece's wedding cake. Mrs. D. W. Van Cleave of Whittier, Calif., the bridegroom's aunt, will preside at the coffee urn. Serving will be Miss Aileen Sechrist, Miss Marjorie Reeves, Miss Muriel Lindstrom and Miss Grace Cramer. Miss Velora Williams will pass the guest book and in the gift room will be Miss Ruth Cramer and Miss Carol Jean Tooley of Portland.

When the newlyweds leave for the east on their honeymoon the bride will wear a watermelon red wool tailleur with black and white accessories. The young couple will visit in Denver enroute to Kansas City where they will visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowers are planning a reception at their home late this week in honor of their son and his bride.

Miss Clark is a graduate of Willamette university and a member of Delta Phi sorority. This year she has been attending Peabody college library school in Nashville, Tenn., and in June will receive her degree in library science. Last year Miss Clark was on the staff of the Oregon state library.

Sergeant Bowers is a graduate of Kansas State college and is a member of Delta Tau Delta. He was formerly stationed at Camp Adair and is now at Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

## On the Week's Social Calendar...

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February is always a popular month for entertaining and a number of dinners, teas and luncheons have filled the social calendar the past week with several scheduled for the next fortnight.

Mrs. William C. DePew will entertain with an informal "at home" tonight at her South High street residence in compliment to her husband, Lt. William C. DePew, who is home on leave from Camp Haan, Calif. A group of the couple's friends have been invited to call between 6 and 8 o'clock.

Assisting the hostess will be Mr. and Mrs. Paul Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Earnest, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mapes, Mr. and Mrs. Norval E. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Armstrong.

### Open House at DeSarts

Mr. and Mrs. Hal DeSart will hold an open house at their new residence, 810 Academy street, this afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Over 150 guests have been invited to call.

Mrs. DeSart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dreyer of Portland, will be here for the occasion and will receive with their son-in-law and daughter. The DeSart's daughters, Toni and Gail, will open the door and assisting in the living room will be Mrs. Lee Crawford and Mrs. Ernest Bowen.

Presiding at the coffee urns will be Mrs. M. D. Vinyard and Mrs. Harold Dunsmoor. Mrs. Tex Burroughs will preside at the punch bowl and serving will be Mrs. Hal Gross, Mrs. Clarence Wolf and Mrs. Tip Bandel. During the afternoon Mr. Bandel will play a group of violin solos and he will be accompanied by Mrs. Wayne Strachan.

The table centerpiece will be of pink carnations and blue iris flanked by blue candles in crystal holders.

### Red Cross Benefit Tea

The Spinners are entertaining with a valentine tea this afternoon at the home of Miss Janice Nelson on West Lefelle street from 3 to 6 o'clock. It is a benefit Red Cross tea and Spinners, honorary members, mothers and friends are invited to call during the tea hours.

Mrs. Homer H. Smith, sr., will greet the guests at the door and receiving will be Miss Patricia Vandeneynde, president, who will be assisted by Spinster members and a group of their mothers.

Patronesses who will preside at the tea urns are Mrs. Henry V. Compton, Mrs. Robert E. Shinn, Mrs. Frank H. Spears, sr., and Miss Beryl Holt. Bouquets of spring flowers in varied shades will be arranged about the quest rooms and on the tea table.

### Tea to Honor State President

Miss Dorothy Pearce and members of the Salem branch, Music Teachers association will be hostesses at a tea this afternoon at the Pearce home. The tea, hours for which are 3:30 to 5:30, is being given in honor of Mrs. Amy Olmsted Welch of Portland, president of the Oregon Music Teachers association.

Greeting guests at the door will be Mrs. T. S. Roberts. Miss Dorothy Pearce, president of the local Music Teachers association, will be in the receiving line, with Mrs. Welch, Mrs. Bernice Simmons Sisson, president of the Portland district and Miss Frances Virginia Melton, Salem, immediate past president of the Oregon association.

Assisting about the rooms will be Mrs. Bertha Junk Darby, Mrs. David Easton, Mrs. Frank Burlingham, Mrs. P. F. Thomas, Mrs. Priscilla Mejsinger Wiltsey and Mrs. Mary Schultz Duncan.

Mrs. Walter Denton, Miss Elma Weller, Miss Lena Belle Tartar and Mrs. Mabel S. Powers will pour. Serving will be Miss Margaret Hogg, Miss Helen McHirron, Miss Ruth Bedford, Mrs. Jean Hobson Rich, Mrs. Mary Talmadge Headrick, Mrs. Grace DeHarport and Mrs. Lois Plummer Schmidt.

### Dinner Parties on Saturday

President and Mrs. G. Herbert Smith were hosts for an informal dinner party Saturday night at University House preceding Freshman Glee.

Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. McCulloch of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Wallace, Dr. R. Franklin Thompson of Tacoma, Rev. John L. Knight and Dr. and Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miller presided at dinner Saturday night at their home on North 18th street for a group of friends. The valentine motif was carried out in the decorations and cards were in play during the evening.

The Miller's guests included Mr. and Mrs. Biarne Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Deane Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Felke, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Seamsler, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eggstaff, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer O. Berg, Mrs. Roy Wikstrom and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Miller of Portland, who are weekend guests at the Herman Miller home. The two men are brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hamilton entertained informally at dinner Saturday night for a group of their friends at their home on East Lincoln street. Spring flowers provided the decorative note and the evening hours were spent informally.