# Betrothal of Patricia Higgins

The list of engaged couples is augmented by the addition of two more names, for Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Higgins are today announcing the engagement of their only daughter, Miss Patricia Higgins, to Mr. Walter Achterman, United States Army Medical Reserve. son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Achterman of Eugene.

The news was first told at a dinner at the Delta Delta Delta sorority house on the Oregon State college campus Tuesday night when the bride-elect passed out cards to her sorority sisters revealing the engagement. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Higgins is a junior at Oregon State college and is a graduate of Salem high school. Mr. Achterman will graduate in September from the University of Oregon Medical school and will take his interneship at Southern Pacific hospital in San Francisco. He took his pre-medics at the University of Oregon and his fraternity is Delta Upsilon. His medical fraternity is Alpha Kappa Kappa.

#### Neighbors Meet On Friday Night

Neighbors of Woodcraft met on Friday night to hear a program and have a business meeting. On the program were Stella Pearl Teeson, who sang, accompanied by Irene Hansell, Barbara Jane Macklin, who played violin numbers, accompanied by Elma Dickey Mrs. Stella Blackerby, who gave a reading and little Jane Ferguson, tap dancer.

Following refreshments, which were served after the program, a business meeting and practice for installation were held.

Mrs. Gale Herbst entertained at dinner Friday night for her husband's birthday. Among the guests were Mrs. Douglas Baird of Washington, DC, who with her two little girls, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Cornele Stuttaford. Spring flowers and candles decorated the table.

The Mayflower Guild of the Congregational church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. David Nielsen, 715 North Capitol street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. Ray Yocom and Mrs. Charles Ratcliff.

Mrs. Homer H. Smith, sr., will open her North Summer street home to members of the Junior Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Hostesses are Mrs. Rue Drager, Mrs. Charles Jory, Mrs. Paul Gemmell and Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. Guy Hickok, president of the YWCA board, will preside at the regular board meeting Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. National policies of the YWCA will be reviewed for new board members and plans for the new year will be discussed. Monthly reports will also be given.

Rainbow Girls will meet at the Masonic Temple Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock. Plans for a rummage sale and spring dance will be discussed. Miss Helen Paulson, worthy advisor, and Mrs. Wayne Henry, mother advisor, wil preside at the meeting and initiation of new members.

Dr. Margaret L. Fincke, professor of foods and nutrition research at Oregon State college, will discuss "How Public Policies Effect Nutrition" on the regular AAUW radio broad cast over KOAC Tuesday afternoon at 2



Miss Patricia Higgins

MONDAY

TUESDAY

street.

CLUB CALENDAR

American Legion auxiliary ex-ecutive committee with Mrs. W. L. Osborne, 1537 North Winter

street, 8 p. m.

Deaconess hospital auxiliary
meet at hospital, 1:30 p.m.

Salem Junior Woman's club
meet at Woman's club 7:30 p.m.

American Legion auxiliary sewing with Mrs. Fred Gahlsdorf, 1 to 4 p. m., 985 North Church

Laurel Social Hour club, with Mrs. H. J. Clements, 360 North 14th street, 1:30 p.m.

Eastern Star social afternoon

club, Masonic temple, 10 a.m., no-host luncheon. YWCA board meeting, 10 a.m. at YWCA

ter Spaulding, 1728 Court street, 1:15 dessert luncheon. Junior Guild St. Paul's Episco-

pal church with Mrs. Homer H. Smith, sr., 675 North Summer

street, 2 p.m.
Willamette university faculty
wives entertain husbands, covered dish dinner, Chresto cottage,

Past Presidents Women's Re-lief Corps with Mrs. Bertha Loveland, 405 South 25th street, covered dish luncheon at noon.

Mrs. L. G. Prescott, 245 Sour

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

cial street, 8 p.m.

Mrs. Clifton Hadley.

1:15 p.m.

Red Cross unit of WCTU with

Salem Writers' club with Mrs.

of the Civil War with Mrs. F.
A. Elliott, 550 North Summers

terian church meet at church

2 p.m. First Methodist church WSCS, business meeting 10:45 a.m. at

Friendly Neighbors' Garden club, with Mrs. Ralph Toler, Liberty, for dessert luncheon,

Lions auxiliary with Mrs. Vir-gil Golden, 2895 South Commer-

SILVERTON - Mrs. Victor

Hadley will be hostess Monday

night to members of the Junior

Woman's club at her apartment.

Her assistant hostess will be

Mrs. Byron Gordon, president,

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## Miss Smith Reveals Date

Miss Estelene Smith, brideelect of Lt. Wallace E. Hancock, jr., returned to the capital Saturday after a visit in Los Angeles with her fiance's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hancock, sr. She was joined in the southern city by Lt. Hancock, who has just returned from Fort Benning, Geor-

Miss Smith, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Smith, announced her engagement to Lt. Hancock while in Los Angeles. She is a graduate of Salem schools and is employed at the secretary of state's office.

Lt. Hancock received his education in Los Angeles and is stationed at Camp Adair.

The young couple have made plans for their marriage on Saturday afternoon, March 18 at 4 o'clock at the First Evangelical church. A reception will be held following the ceremony. Rev. H. E. Scheuerman of Monmouth will officiate at the afternoon .

Miss Ruth Skinner and Miss Irene Berning will be hostesses for a miscellaneous shower Monday night at the former's apartment in compliment to Miss

Bridge will be in play during the evening and a late supper

will be served by the hostesses. Bidden to honor Miss Smith are Miss Georgia Clark, Miss Marjorie Price, Miss Peggy Wienert, Miss Jean Burrell, Miss Jean Hazelton, Miss Jo Corbett, Miss Audrey Winship, Miss Ardell Scott, Miss Pat Sharp, Miss Betty Jean Smith and Miss Martha Franz.

AUMSVILLE - The Missionary society of the Bethel church met all day Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Luta Fuson. Eighteen women attended.

A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour and the missionary study followed. Later the women folded a large number of bandages for the Red



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# Seen and Heard

Blonde Stella Mitchell and Fred Reidy, who have been a steady duo for years, became Mr. and Mrs. Wednesday at St. Joseph's Catholic church . . . Stella was stunning in her lilac suit with fuschia accessories . . . The justweds received congratulations at breakfast at the Marion hotel . . . Later they left for a short honeymoon . . . Fred, a first class petty officer in the naval air corps, will soon return to his base or Norfolk, Virginia . . .

Patricia Carson has been excited ever since she heard the first of the week that her fiance, Warren Carkin, would be home and the wedding would take place today . . . The couple's engagement was announced in August and their wedding plans have been uncertain all this time . . . Pat was in Portland early Saturday to meet Warren and it wasn't until he arrived that final

plans could be made. SCHOOL DAYS AGAIN for the Kells sisters . . . Mary Elizabeth and Frances are both living at International House in New York City and studying at Columbia university . . . Frances is a senior in sculpture and studying with Malderhei . . . . She is helping to arrange the international exhibition of art which is to be held at International House this spring . . . . Frances is also completing one of her own pieces, "The City of

hands, to place in the exhibit . . . Mary Elizabeth is studying at the school of opera and coaching with the opera singer, Paul Althouse . . . She is also a soloist at the Congregational church in Passaic, New Jersey . . .

God," made up of all sorts of

Their married sister, Mrs. Harley B. Hiestand (Margaret Kells) is residing in Philadelphia with her doctor husband and year-old son . . . . Margaret, who took harp lessons in Indianapolis, is continuing them in Philadelphia . . . Harley is resident surgeon at the Pennsylvania Orthopedic Medical school on the campus of the University of Pennsylvania.

MOVING SOON will be Mrs. Robert Barnett (Barbara Bell) Her army captain husband has been transferred from Camp Adair to the presidio at Monterey, Calif. . . . They plan to live in Carmel. Barbara is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bell, until she receives the "come" signal from her husband.

OLD HOME WEEK . . . When Lt. (ig) and Mrs. George Abbott (Irma Oehler) came up from Oakland, Calif., last week . . . They were visiting with Mrs. Ralph Nohlgren and Mrs. John Kelly, whose husbands are both in the service . . . and joining them for the weekend were Mrs. Edwin McWain (Barbara Hollingworth), whose army lieutenant husband is now on maneuvers, and Charlotte Kalander, who came down from Portland . . . Barbara expects to leave

soon for Texas to join Ed . . . Irma said that she and George and Lt. and Mrs. Edward Frantz (Ruth Chapman) recently had dinner with Lt. Comm. and Mrs. Roy S. Keene, at their San Francisco home . . .

FOR HER ANNOUNCEMENT will conduct a business meeting PARTY Dorothy Mott wore a beduring which plans will be coming hunter's green velveteen made for spring events of the dress with gold buttons, and arranged in her dark hair were Mrs. Louis Wavra is scheduled pink roses . . . Dorothy's betroto assist at the Mothers' classes thal to Benjamin Whisenand was on March 31. Various club memtold last Saturday night at dinner at the country home of Dor-

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By JERYME ENGLISH FURLOUGH BRIDES . . . . . othy's parents, Congressman and

Mrs. James Mott . . . Dorothy has had quite a time keeping her engagement a secret as she has had her ring for over a month . . . Coincidence that her father was here for all the excitement. A PRETTY PICTURE to see brunette Marylee Fry, who will

be Mrs. William Earl Snell after March 25, open her lovely gifts at the shower and tea Mrs. Tay-lor Hawkins and daughter, Harriet, gave last Saturday . . . The many packages were in a huge gaily wrapped box tied with a big blue bow and topped with a colonial nosegay . . . Marylee, who wore black with a white lace yoke and an orchid pinned to her shoulder, sat down on the floor to open her gitfs . . . There is a round of parties for her, one nearly every day, in the remaining two weeks before her marri-

AT THE GRAINGER CON-CERT. . . A sister duo . . . Mrs. Asel Eoff just back from a two months stay in Palm Springs, wearing a most becoming tan . . and Mrs. Bruce Spaulding in black, with a blue feather pom

pom in her hair . . .

Mrs. Otto Skopil, jr., smart in a black fur trimmed coat and off the face hat, sitting with Mrs. and Mrs. E. W. Peterson.

Victor Murdock and Miss Elizabeth Kennedy . . . A number in evening dress went on to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dobbs after the concert for an informal reception which hon-ored Percy Grainger.

#### Field Director to Speak to Guild

Mr. Harold E. Simmons, assistant field director of the American Red Cross, will be the guest speaker at the Westminster Guild meeting at the First Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. E. T. Barnett will be the soloist.

Miss F. Alta Davis will lead the devotions. Mrs. Willard Bartlett is president of the guild and election of officers will be held during the meeting.

At the tea hour Mrs. W. Irvin Williams, who is leaving with Rev. Williams for Long Beach, Calif., to reside, and new members of the guild, will be honored. The committee in charge of tea are Mrs. James Sears, Mrs. Russell Pratt, Mrs. J. Deane Patterson, Mrs. Glenn Mórris and Mrs. James Hardie.

Mrs. Charles Rateliff will give a book review at the Beta Chi Mothers club meeting Tuesday afternoon at the chapter house at 2:30 o'clock. Hostesses are Mrs. J. M. Lamb, Mrs. Clifton Ross

Service Women What they can do What they're doing about it

AUMSVILLE - Sgt. Virginia Bradley, WAC of Fort Riley, Kansas, arrived at her home here Wednesday for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bradley. She reports that she is busy and happy in her service in the women's army corps at Fort Riley. She is former Aumsville postmistress and her sister, Lt. L. Leota Bradley is an army nurse.

MONMOUTH-Lola L. Houk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Houk of Monmouth, and a senior at Oregon College of Education, has completed enrollment in the WAC's at Portland, and has been assigned as a classification specialist with the San Francisco recruiting and induction district upon completion of her basic training.

She has been active in college in the Women's Athletic association and Christian Youth movement. She specialized in psychology and physical education.

SILVERTON-Miss Myrna Schroeder, RN, has received her commission as a second lieutenant in the army air nurses corps, and will report for duty at Santa Ana air base, Santa Ana, California, on March 13.

Miss Schroeder, the daughter

of Mrs. Mabel Schroeder of Silverton, is a graduate of Silverton high school, later finishing her nurse's training at the Emmanuel hospital at Portland. For the past five years she has been on the Oregon State hospital

#### Faculty Wives to Honor Husbands

The Willamette University faculty wives will entertain their husbands at a covered dish supper Tuesday night at Chresto Cottage at 5:30 o'clock. The St. Patrick's theme will be carried

out in the table appointments. Mrs Maurice Brennen heads the directorate for the affair and assisting are Mrs. Roy M. Lockenour, Mrs. William E. Kirk, Mrs. Morton E. Peck, Mrs. Mendenhall, Miss Helen MacHirron, Mrs. Ray Smith, Mrs. Victor Murdock and Miss Marion Mor-

CENTRAL HOWELL - The Nemo club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rasmussen with Mrs. Pete Ditchen, assistant hostess.

Roll call was answered with a believe it or not statement. The April meeting will be an all day. no-host meeting, at the Richard True nome with Mrs. P. A. Wood as co-hostess.



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