

### Lt. Estep and Bride Visit In Salem

Lt. Merlin Estep, Jr., United States marine corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Estep of Salem, was married to Miss Helen Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Olson of Whitehall, Montana, on March 17 at St. Paul's Methodist church in Helena, Montana.

The double ring ceremony was read at 8 o'clock by Dr. George S. Morrell before an altar banked with palms and many lighted candles. Mrs. Betty Crabbe sang "Always" and "I Love You Truly."

For her wedding the bride chose a white faille taffeta gown fashioned with a full, gathered skirt which ended in a train. The bodice was made with long sleeves with points over the wrists and a sweetheart neckline. Her fingertip length veil of lace was arranged in a coronet of lace and caught at the sides with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of Tallinn roses.

Mrs. James Latach was her sister's matron of honor. She wore a pink chiffon gown and carried a bouquet of blue and violet sweet peas.

Mr. Joe Estep of Helena stood with his brother as best man. Ushers were Miss Shirley Hasst, Miss Kate Seagrin and Miss Ruby Jenkins.

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Lt. Estep will leave Sunday for Camp Pendleton, Calif., to report for duty. Mrs. Estep will return on Monday to Helena where she will continue with her work.

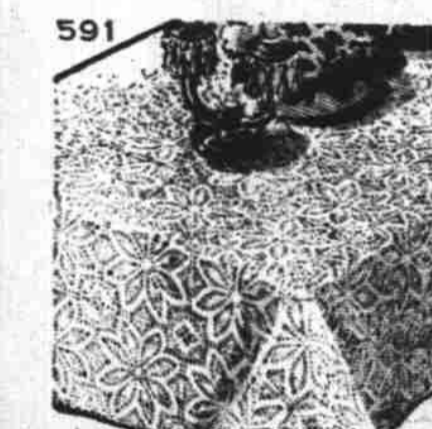
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### Pages Come By Plane To Visit

Arriving in the capital for a visit Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer H. Page and seven weeks old son, Michael, of Port Townsend, Wash., who are the house guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer C. Page.

Mr. Page, petty officer second class, United States coast guard, is stationed on the Washington coast. The visitors, who came by plane from Seattle, were met in Portland by Mr. and Mrs. Page. They will be here for ten days during Mr. Page's leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer C. Page entertained informally at dinner Thursday night at their Chemska street home in honor of their son and his wife. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill, Mr. Hill, who is in the navy, is home on leave from the South Pacific and recently saw the Page's other son, Rollin, who is also in the navy and in the South Pacific.

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### M. L. Jones Has 96th Birthday

Mr. M. L. Jones, formerly of Salem, celebrated his 96th birthday in Portland Thursday at the home of his daughters, Mrs. Anderson Cannon and Mrs. John Withycombe. Mrs. Ronald Jones, daughter-in-law of Mr. Jones, and her son, Ronald, were in Portland Thursday for the occasion. They are remaining until today when they will meet Mr. Jones on his arrival from a business trip to Washington, D. C.

Mr. Jones, Mrs. Cannon and Mrs. Withycombe were all guests at the Jones home here earlier in the week.

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### Mrs. Weekley Club Hostess

Waconda Community club met Wednesday with Mrs. Wady Weekley on Spruce street. Mrs. Charles Gilbert, Mrs. Wilma Lee and Mrs. Gilbert Fones. Prizes at cards went to Mrs. William Kraber, Mrs. A. L. Lamb and Mrs. Arch Boyles.

The next meeting of the club is at the home of Mrs. C. C. Russell, 1078 Highland avenue, on April 11.

### Miss Ross Is Honor Guest

Miss Nancy Montgomery, who is home from Oregon State college for the spring vacation, entertained a group of coeds at a delightful informal party Tuesday night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Montgomery, on North 18th street. The honor guest was Miss Rosabelle Elizabeth Ross, who recently announced her engagement to Mr. James Roger White, United States navy.

A linen shower honored Miss Ross during the afternoon. A late supper was served by the hostess. Bouquets of spring flowers provided the decorative note about the rooms.

Honoring Miss Ross were Miss Mary Ann Bollinger, Miss Barbara Crawford, Miss Patricia Viecko, Miss Joan Beakley, Miss Arlene Frogley, Miss Evangeline McKinley, Miss Betty St. Aub, Miss Corinne Wade and Miss Nancy Montgomery.

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### Hostesses Fete Mrs. Rentfro

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence N. Brown on South High street was the scene of a smartly arranged party Wednesday night when Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Melvin J. Millett and Mrs. Reed D. Carter entertained in honor of Mrs. Richard Rentfro.

Cards were in play during the evening and a shower complimented Mrs. Rentfro. A late supper was served by the hostesses. The dining table was decorated with pink and blue appointments and bouquets of carnations, quince and forsythia were arranged about the guest rooms.

Honoring Mrs. Rentfro were Mrs. N. R. Thornquist, Mrs. Verna Graham, Mrs. Carl Soos, Mrs. Ray A. Yocom, Mrs. Bruce Carkin, Miss Roberta Jean Yocom, Mrs. J. M. Rentfro, Mrs. Cecil Manion, Mrs. Kenneth Carr, Mrs. Eugene Rentfro, Mrs. J. L. Eaton, Mrs. Thomas N. Eaton, Mrs. Louis Lawrence, Mrs. Dick Krohn of Newberg, Mrs. Einer Christenson of Toledo, Mrs. Ross Courser of Rickreall, Mrs. Virgil Danison and Mrs. Michael Leahy of Portland, and the hostesses, Mrs. Melvin Millett, Mrs. Reed Carter and Mrs. Lawrence Brown.

### Easter Egg Hunts for Children

Highlighting the social calendar this weekend for members of the younger set will be Easter parties and egg hunts.

Jo Ann Hoover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theron Hoover, and Kaye Tomlinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Harold Tomlinson, have invited a group of their friends to an Easter party this afternoon at the Hoover home on West Myers street.

During the afternoon the guests will enjoy an Easter egg hunt and later refreshments will be served. Bouquets of spring flowers will provide the decorative note about the rooms.

Valerie Sevillier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jean Sevillier, has invited ten little girls to an Easter party Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents on South Commercial street.

After an Easter egg hunt refreshments will be served to the guests.

### CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY Hal Hibbard camp and auxiliary of United Spanish War Veterans 8 p.m. VFW hall.

### McDannel-Nelson Vows Read

The marriage of Mrs. Mabel Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lamka, sr., and Mr. Dale McDannel, son of Mr. M. C. McDannel, all of Salem, took place Monday night, March 28 at the First Methodist church parsonage with Dr. J. C. Harrison officiating.

The bride wore a beige silk suit and accessories and carried a bouquet of Chinese lilies.

Two matrons of honor were Mrs. Arthur W. Lamka, jr., of Portland and Mrs. Raymond W. Lamka of Salem. The former wore a rose dress with black accessories and the latter wore a green and brown dress with brown accessories. They carried nosegays of Chinese lilies.

Mr. and Mrs. McDannel will make their home in Salem where he is connected with Reinhold and Lewis.

### Ramps Will Be Dinner Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramp will celebrate their 31st wedding anniversary on Saturday night when they entertain informally for a group of friends at dinner at the Marion hotel.

After dinner the group will go to the Ramp home on Kingwood Drive for an evening of cards. Bouquets of plum blossoms and daffodils will be used to decorate the guest rooms.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ramp will be Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Flack, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford.

### Capping Service On Monday

Seventy-two Red Cross volunteer nurses aides will receive their caps and pins at an impressive ceremony Monday night, April 2, at the First Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock. This is the largest class to graduate in the three year history of the nurses aide corps.

Judge George Rossman, president of the Marion county chapter, American Red Cross, will preside and Mrs. Charles A. Sprague will be the guest speaker. Rev. S. Raynor Smith will give the invocation. Mr. John Schmidt will sing the "Star Spangled Banner."

The interested public is invited to attend the ceremony and the reception which will follow in the church parlors.

### New Yorker Interested In Youth

Plans for "full employment" after the war include returning servicemen, war workers and women—but leave young people entirely out of the picture, said Mrs. Helen S. Wilbur, staff member of the National board of the Young Women's Christian association who is in Salem for conferences.

Mrs. Wilbur is here in the specific interests of Girl Reserves, and is observing trends in thought across the continent. She is talking with thinking young girls, and will take back to the head office, ideas to be used later as a basis for leadership and training material.

Too few adults are taking an interest in vocational guidance for adolescents, believes Mrs. Wilbur. It is the social agencies, schools and parents who will have to cooperate in figuring out a program for the youth immediately following the war.

When asked if the northwest is behind in considering the future of its youth, Mrs. Wilbur reluctantly admitted that it seems to be. Little is being done toward planning for those young people, she said, who have been drawing large wartime wages, and will be the first to be discharged when servicemen return in numbers.

Speaking of opportunities for girls, Mrs. Wilbur said that here is a great future in such agencies as the YMCA, for girls who are interested in dealing with youth. Young persons can direct leadership groups, teach crafts and other skills as beginning training for the future.

Mrs. Wilbur has been in the northwest since the first of February and is obtaining an overall picture of youth in this part of the country.

She has met with various adult committees and youth groups during the past two days in the local YWCA.

From San Diego comes word of the birth of a daughter to Lt. and Mrs. James M. Houck (Nancy Dutton), on March 28 in the southern city. Mrs. Houck formerly resided here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Dutton, who now live in San Diego. Mr. and Mrs. James Houck, sr., of Eugene are the baby's paternal grandparents and Mr. A. R. Hunter of Salem is the great grandfather. Lt. Houck is with the army air corps in the South Pacific.



ELECTRONIC SEWER—Elaine Kirkwood, a worker at the Goodrich Akron, O. plant, "stitches up" a tobacco pouch of synthetic material on an electronic sewing machine. Seams are fused without thread by heat applied internally.

### Today's Menu

Green beans salad can come from the frozen food locker to begin today's meal.

Green bean salad  
Fish loaf, egg sauce  
Buttered new carrots  
Hot cross buns  
Orange shortcake

### FISH LOAF

1 egg  
2 cups flaked cooked or canned fish  
2 cups mashed potatoes  
1 tablespoon lemon juice  
1 1/2 teaspoons salt  
1/4 teaspoon pepper  
1 cup evaporated milk

Beat egg. Stir in fish, potatoes, lemon juice, salt and pepper. Add sufficient milk to bind mixture and moisten well. If fish and potatoes are very moist, less milk will be needed. Pour into a greased loaf pan. Bake in a hot oven (425 degrees) until brown, about 30 minutes. Serve plain or with egg sauce. Yield: 6 servings.

### EGG SAUCE

2 tablespoons flour  
1 cup water, broth or vegetable liquid  
1 cup evaporated milk  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
Dash of pepper  
2 hard cooked eggs, diced  
Stir water slowly into flour to keep smooth. Bring mixture to a boil, stirring constantly to prevent lumping. Add milk and seasonings, set over boiling water and continue cooking until thickened, stirring occasionally.

### RATION CALENDAR

MEATS, FATS, ETC.: Book 4—Red stamps Q5 through Q8 good through March 31. Stamps T5 through T8 good through April 30; Y5 and Y8 through Y2 good through June 2; Z5 through Z8 good through June 30.

PROCESSED FOODS: Book 4—Blue stamps X5 through X8 and A5 and A8 good through March 31. Stamps C3 through C2 good through April 30; H2 through H2 good through June 2; N3 through N2 good through June 30.

SUGAR: Book 4—Stamp 35 valid for five pounds through June 2. Next stamp scheduled to be validated May 1.

SHOES: Book 3—Airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 valid indefinitely.

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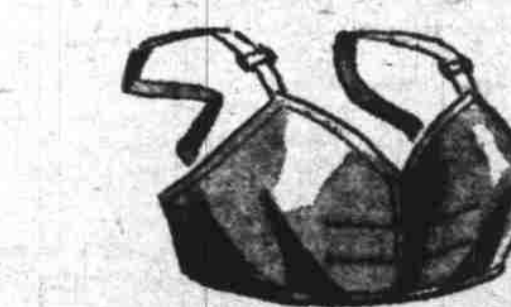
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