



Welcomed back to Salem are Mrs. Donald Dawson and children, Kathleen and Stephen, who have been living in Portland for several years but have now taken a house on Fairmount Hill. Mrs. Dawson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Grabenhorst. Mr. Dawson will be in Portland until June when he completes the school year as a member of the Benson Polytechnic high school faculty. (Kennell-Ellis photo.)

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Miss Nancy Wallace arrived in Salem Thursday from Seattle, where she is a freshman at the University of Washington, to spend the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Wallace. She is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison W. Elgin, jr. are her mother and sister, Mrs. George Winslow and Miss Harriette Winslow of Tillamook.



Lt. Col. and Mrs. Meredith Huggins pictured with their daughter, Meredith Jean, who recently left for Santa Barbara, Calif. In May they will go to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, where Colonel Huggins will take advanced training. Mrs. Huggins and her daughter resided in Salem with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doolittle, while Colonel Huggins was in the South Pacific theatre of war for nearly three years. (Kennell-Ellis photo.)

Wedding Date Set . . .

Details have been completed for the marriage of Miss Gayle Crozier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crozier, and Staff Sgt. Arthur Leroy Prim, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Prim, which will be an event of Friday, April 20.

Sergeant Prim is expected in the capital a few days before the wedding. He is stationed at Scott Field, Illinois. His bride plans to return east with him.

The ceremony will be performed at the Court Street Christian church with Rev. W. H. Lyman officiating at 8:30 o'clock. Mr. Raymond Armstrong will sing and Mrs. Gordon Randall will be the organist. Miss Mary and Miss Martha Weller will light the candles before the ceremony.

Miss Marjorie Prim will be the bride's maid of honor. Her bridesmaids will be her two sisters, Mrs. Lyle Cave and Miss Carol Crozier.

Mr. Frank Jepp will stand with Sergeant Prim as best man. He will select his ushers after his arrival in Salem. A wedding reception in the church parlors will be held after the ceremony.

Nile Benefit Slated . . .

An annual event of the spring season will be the Salem Daughters of the Nile bridge benefit tea on Thursday, April 19 at the Masonic temple. Cards will be in play starting at 2 o'clock with the tea hour following at 4 o'clock. Those wishing reservations are asked to call Mrs. Harris Lietz at 4229. Guests are asked to bring their own card accessories.

Proceeds from the affair will be used to assist in the work carried on by the Daughters during the year for the Shrine hospital in Portland. During the last year the Salem club has purchased several sustaining memberships in the Shrine hospital. Regular projects carried on during the year by the club are making and mending of gowns and accessories for the hospital, raising of money for braces and clinical purchases, taking children to and from Marion county to the hospital for treatments and mending once a month at the hospital in Portland.

The main project carried on this last year by Nydia Temple, Daughters of the Nile in Portland was the building and furnishing the school room at the hospital. The Salem club assisted in this project.



Mrs. Clayton Steinke and children, Susan and Clayton, who have returned to Salem live at the Morehouse family home on South Commercial street while Lt. Steinke is in France with the tactical air force as a B-26 pilot. Mrs. Steinke is the former Beth Morehouse and for the past few months has been living in Tacoma with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Lemmon. (Kennell-Ellis photo.)

Travelers Highlight News . . .

By Jerome English
Statesman Society Editor

The comings and goings of travelers and visitors are a highlight of interest to Salem folk, who are busy greeting newcomers or bidding farewell to old friends.

Arriving in the capital Saturday were Mrs. Gordon Wright and small sons, Eric and Michael, who have come to make an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Aiken. Mrs. Wright and children have been visiting in Snohomish, Wash., with her husband's family.

The Wrights have been making their home in Washington, where he was with the state department. In December he was sent to Paris as vice-consul with the American embassy. This summer Mrs. Wright and her children expect to join him in Paris. Mrs. Wright is the former Louise Aiken, a graduate of the University of Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Wright of Snohomish accompanied their daughter-in-law and her children to Salem and are weekend guests at the Aiken home.

Mrs. Black to Return

Mrs. Gordon Black, jr. and daughter, Diane, are expected home Tuesday from Milton-Freewater where they have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rinker for two months. Mrs. Black and her daughter reside here with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Black, while Lt. Black is in the South Pacific with the marines. Mrs. Black is arranging an informal "welcome home" party for her daughter-in-law and granddaughter on Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock at their home on Nebraska street.

Mrs. Asel Eoff and son, Joey, will return the first of the week from Palm Springs, Calif., where they have been sojourning during the winter months. The Eoffs go south each winter season.

To Leave For South

Mrs. Robert Wilson (Margaret Macy) is entraining Monday for San Francisco where she will meet Lt. (jg) Wilson, who has been at Pearl Harbor and with the third fleet in the South Pacific for the past 21 months. After a week in the bay city the couple will return to Salem to spend his leave at the home of her father, Mr. O. A. Macy.

Au revoir will soon be said to Mrs. Edward Raffety and daughter, Susan, who are leaving in a fortnight for Long Beach, Calif., to join Mr. Raffety, who is already in business there. Accompanying them will be Mrs. Raffety's mother, Mrs. Agnes Miller, who plans to make her home in the south with her son-in-law and daughter. The Raffetys formerly lived in Long Beach.

Mrs. Raffety was honored at dinner at the Friendly Farm when members of her bridge club entertained Wednesday night. Later cards were in play at the home of Mrs. George Mischler. Other guests were Mrs. Louis Lorenz, Mrs. Tyler Brown, Mrs. Klony Smith, Mrs. Ralph Kinzer, Mrs. Hugh Hall and Mrs. Earl Holt.

Visiting in the Capital

Mrs. C. C. Geer is a visitor in Salem, having arrived from San Lorenzo, Calif., on Thursday, where she has been living with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Kephart, and daughter, Nicole. Mrs. Geer will remain here for several weeks at the J. A. Kephart home in Salem Heights. Her son-in-law is a storekeeper first class petty officer at the navy supply depot in Oakland.

Visitors in Portland and Salem are Captain and Mrs. Kimball Page and daughters, Stephanie and Kathleen. The Pages reside in Phoenix, Arizona, where he is stationed at Williams Field. Mrs. Page and daughters arrived in Oregon last week and are now in Portland. Captain Page is expected here the first of the week. Stephanie Page was in Salem the past week as the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. U. Scott Page. They will be in Salem the latter part of the week for a visit at the home of Mrs. Page.

Silver Wedding Dinner . . .

Calendared for Tuesday night will be the silver wedding anniversary dinner in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Weaver W. Hess in the Mirror room of the Marion hotel at 7 o'clock. Invitations have already been extended, with over 200 guests expected to attend.

Rev. Hess is pastor of the First Church of the Nazarenes. Members of the congregation are arranging the dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards acting as hosts.

Rev. and Mrs. Hess were married in Alhambra, Calif., on April 8, 1920. They have two sons, James, a junior at Salem high school, who will enter the service in June, and Ralph, quartermaster third class, who is serving in the South Pacific with the navy. Rev. and Mrs. Hess have resided in Salem for four years, having come here from Walla Walla.



Dr. and Mrs. Waldo C. Zeller are today announcing the engagement of their only daughter, Miss Mary Patricia Zeller, above, to Mr. John E. Dowd, pharmacist, mate third class, United States navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh A. Dowd. The bride-elect is now wearing a diamond on her left hand. No plans have been made for the wedding.

Miss Zeller is a graduate of Salem high school and is a freshman at Oregon State college. Her fiance also attended Salem schools and is now stationed at Shoemaker, California, awaiting further orders. For the past year he has been at the Long Beach naval hospital.



Visitors in Salem have been Mrs. Robert Baldeck and her children, Janet and Robert, of Spokane. They were the house guests of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Baldeck. Mrs. Baldeck will be remembered as Elizabeth Vaughan, daughter of Mrs. Lillian Vaughan, formerly of Salem, who now resides in Pullman, Wash. (Kennell-Ellis photo.)

The Party Whirl . . .

Socially speaking the last few days have been filled with numerous events including teas, dinner and luncheon parties.

One of the largest parties last week was the informal tea on Friday afternoon for which Mrs. Henry A. Cornoyer and her daughter, Mrs. James Clay Mobley, were hostesses at their North Summer street residence in compliment to Mrs. John L. Rand. Mrs. Rand, who has made her home in Salem for many years, is leaving this spring for Portland to reside. She has purchased a home near her son and daughter-in-law, Senator and Mrs. Irving Rand.

Bidden to the tea were former Baker residents, friends of Mrs. Rand's when she lived there, and a group of Salem friends. Guests called between the hours of 3 and 6 o'clock.

Presiding at the tea urns during the afternoon were Mrs. George A. White of Clackamas, Mrs. Charles A. Sprague, Mrs. W. S. Levens and Mrs. Russell Catlin. Arrangements of carnations and other spring flowers provided the decorative note about the quest rooms and on the tea table. Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. George Weller, Mrs. Donald Burke, Mrs. Roger D. Woodrow, Mrs. Wilson Siegmund and Mrs. J. E. Law.

Surprise Housewarming

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Stacey were honored at a surprise housewarming Saturday night at their new home on East Nob Hill when a group of their friends entertained.

During the evening the Staceys told of their recent trip to San Francisco. A late supper was served by the hostesses.

Honoring the Staceys were Mr. and Mrs. Karl Heinlein, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Pekar, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Waterman, Mr. and Mrs. John Emlen, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. F. Ivan Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rahn and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bell.

Two Dinner Parties

Two informal dinner parties were events of Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Spaulding entertained at their Fairmount Hill home for a group of friends. Bridge was in play after the dinner hour. Guests of the Spauldings were Mr. and Mrs. John Coughell, Dr. and Mrs. John Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Edward O. Stadler, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Urlin S. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Hal Randall.

Dr. and Mrs. James L. Sears presided at dinner Saturday night at their North Winter street home. Later in the evening tables of contract bridge were in play. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Adolphson, Dr. and Mrs. Leslie R. Burdette, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Riches, Mrs. Edward A. Lebold and Dr. and Mrs. Sears.

Mother and Daughter Tea

Monday afternoon Mrs. Charles A. Sprague and her daughter, Mrs. Melvin T. Hurley, who recently returned to Salem to reside from San Francisco, will entertain informally at tea at their home on North 14th street.

A group of mothers and daughters have been invited to call between 3:30 and 5 o'clock. Arrangements of early spring flowers will provide the decorative note about the rooms.