

WOMEN'S SECTION

Many Visitors in Capital . . .

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With the summer season in full swing visitors are arriving in the capital daily as guests of friends and relatives.

Professor and Mrs. Maurice Brennen are entertaining as their house guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Valek of Chicago and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gerfen (Joyce Valek), also of Chicago. The Valeks plan to live here and have rented a house until they are able to build. They are now waiting for their furniture to arrive.

Mr. Gerfen was recently released from the navy as a lieutenant and he is taking some special work at Willamette university during the summer session. Mrs. Gerfen has visited here before with the Brennens. The hosts and guests have been vacationing at Nelscott and later plan a trip to the mountains.

Arrive From Nebraska

Arriving in the capital Tuesday for a week's visit at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Joseph will be his mother, Mrs. T. V. Joseph and his sisters, Miss Marion and Miss Helen Joseph of Omaha. The travelers have been in San Francisco visiting Dr. Joseph's brother who is in the navy.

Miss Constance Thompson of San Francisco is coming Monday for several days' visit at the home of her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hammond.

Miss Sally McClelland arrived in Salem by plane Saturday from San Francisco for a fortnight's stay at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McClelland. Miss McClelland has been in the bay city the past year and is employed in the office at the Emporium. Two other young girls now living in San Francisco and expected home the first of August are Miss Emma Lou East, daughter of the W. H. Easts, and Miss Carol Young, daughter of the Hubbell Youngs.

Here From California

Mrs. Jerrold Owen of Oakland, Calif., is arriving in the capital this weekend to be the houseguest of Mrs. Jasper Newton Bishop. Mr. and Mrs. Owen came north last week and she went on to Seattle to visit her sister while he attended the American Legion convention in Portland. Mr. Owen returned to Oakland by plane Saturday and his wife will drive south in a week. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Howard Dickson, who came north with them last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Barnes of Beverly Hills, are driving north on Monday to be the house guests of Mrs. George Waters.

Miss Barbara Bentley of Tule Lake, Calif., bride-elect of Erwin C. Bahlborg is coming today for a week's visit at the home of her fiancé's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bahlborg.

Honor the McAfees . . .

Much feted visitors in the capital have been Mr. and Mrs. William McAfee and son, Ward of San Leandro, Calif., who are house guests of Dr. and Mrs. Charles D. Wood.

Today Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Paulson will be hosts for a buffet supper at their Court street home in honor of the McAfees. The supper will follow a round of golf at the Salem Golf club.

Honoring the McAfees will be Dr. and Mrs. Charles D. Wood, Miss Palma Paulson, Dr. and Mrs. John R. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Loucks, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Waterman, Dr. and Mrs. Robert E. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shafer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Wilson, Jr., Dr. John M. Hermanson of Dell Rapids, South Dakota and the hosts.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Paulson and Mrs. John R. Wood entertained a group of the younger set at an all day picnic at Paradise Island for Ward McAfee. Making up the party were Ward, Tommy Steeves, Allan, Mary and Robert Wood, children of the John Woods, John, Chris and Ricky Wood, children of the Charles Woods.



In her white satin bridal gown is Mrs. Daniel Gassner, the former Ruth Giffon before her wedding on July 14 which took place in the grand ballroom of the Malthonah hotel in Portland. The bride is the daughter of I. Salmon of Salem and her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gassner of Portland. After a honeymoon trip to California the newlyweds will be at home in Portland. (Logan-Markham).

Miss Ricketts July Bride . . .

On the wedding calendar for Sunday, July 28 is the marriage of Miss Barbara Ann Ricketts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth G. Ricketts, and William Gardner Frost, son of Mrs. C. L. Heckless of Little Silver, New Jersey.

The vows will be read at the First Congregational church at 4 o'clock with the Rev. Wilbur Simmons of the Federated churches of Corvallis officiating. Miss Elizabeth Nelson will sing and Jean Hobson Rich will be the organist.

Lighting the altar tapers will be the bride-elect's sister, Miss Jo Ann Ricketts, and her cousin, Miss Kathleen Barnes of Eugene. Mr. Ricketts will give his daughter in marriage and she has asked Miss Nellie Jane Pearmine to be her maid of honor.

Robert Winiford of Lacomb will be best man and ushers are James Henry of Eugene, Robert Rasmussen of Iowa, and Clare Meisel of McMinnville. A wedding reception will be held in the fireplace room.

To Live in Ohio

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Salem schools, and in June received her bachelor's degree from the department of nursing, University of Oregon Medical School. She just completed her senior cadet period in psychiatry at the Oregon State hospital.

Mr. Frost, who is now a guest at the Ricketts home, was recently released from the army as a captain. Before entering the service he attended Ohio State college and will complete his engineering course there in the fall. The couple will live in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Ricketts is planning a luncheon for Tuesday afternoon at the Marion hotel in compliment to her daughter, feminine members of the bridal party and those assisting at the reception.

A Luncheon . . .

Mrs. John Bagley and son, John Reid, who arrived last week from St. Louis, Mo., to be the guests of her mother, Mrs. Gora Reid, will be honored at a salad luncheon on Tuesday afternoon when Mrs. James McFarland and Mrs. Ralph Eggstaff entertain at the former's home on North 19th street. Sixteen of Mrs. Bagley's friends have been invited. The afternoon hours will be spent informally.

Mrs. Bagley and her son expect to be here a month or so until they receive orders to leave for Panama to join Major Bagley, who left last week. The Bagleys formerly resided here.



Mr. and Mrs. Preston Tolar Smith (Janice Lemmon) who were married on July 14 at the First Presbyterian church with a reception following. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oral Lemmon and her husband's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Whetstone Smith of Inverness, Miss. The couple will live in Corvallis while attending Oregon State college. (Jesien-Miller).



Bride-elect Charlotte Marie Hain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hain, whose engagement to Donald B. Mader, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mader, has been announced. No plans have been made for the wedding. (McEwan photo).



Mrs. Leland F. Sarft, who was Lucia Dare Tyler before her marriage on July 14 at the First Christian church. The bride will live in Salem. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. B. F. Dare of Portland, formerly of Salem, and her husband is the son of Mrs. V. White of San Ysidro, Calif. (Jesien-Miller).

Vacationists . . .

Travelers and vacationists are leaving the city each week for a short sojourn, while others will be away on longer trips.

Miss Lois Latimer, head of the home economics department at Willamette university, will entrain Tuesday for Lake Geneva, Wis., for a summer's stay with her mother and sister. She will return in mid-September.

Mrs. Peery T. Buren and daughter, Janet, are leaving by plane Tuesday for Birmingham, Ala., for a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell Leach, who reside at Union Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Cooley, Miss Margie Cooley and her guest, Miss Lois Frink of McMinnville, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Cooley are returning this weekend from a two week's sojourn and fishing trip at Damaged Lake.

Sojourn at the Beach

Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Schenk and children, Steven and Sally, left Saturday for a stay at Lincoln Beach as guests of Rep. and Mrs. John Hall. Mrs. Schenk and the children will remain for a week or more but Mr. Schenk will return after the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilson are vacationing a few days at Neskowin.

Mrs. Harold Busick and daughters, Kathleen, Sarah and Linda Christine, are vacationing in Portland at the home of her mother, Mrs. William Hargis, and with her sister, Lt. Kathleen Phelps, who is home on leave.

To Attend Celebration

Miss Beryl Holt, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Waino O. Mills, sr., will motor to Taft today for the silver wedding anniversary and celebration of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Winters. The affair will be held at the Winters' summer home at Devils Lake.

Mrs. James Bannison is leaving today for Fort Lewis to meet Lt. Bannison, who has just arrived in the states from the European theatre of operations. He will receive his release at Fort Lewis, after which the couple will vacation in Seattle and other northern points before returning to Salem.

Bridal Luncheon . . .

Miss Lisbeth Kennedy, who has announced that she will be married on September 2 to Patrick Hayes of Seattle, will be the honor guest at a 12 o'clock luncheon Monday at the Spa when Mrs. Howard Dickson (Patricia Lee) who is visiting here from San Francisco, entertains.

A crystal shower will fete the bride-to-be. An arrangement of pastel summer flowers will center the luncheon table.

Covers will be placed for Miss Lisbeth Kennedy, Mrs. Francis Kennedy of Albany, Miss Josephine Kennedy, Miss Beverly McGilchrist, Miss Miriam Becke, Miss Harriet Hawkins, Miss Virginia Covert, Miss Shirley Rabenau, Miss Evelyn Johnson, Mrs. Rollin Haug, Mrs. Donald Barnick, Mrs. Walter Kerstly, Mrs. Jasper N. Bishop, Mrs. Wheeler Riley, Mrs. Jerrold Owen of Oakland, Calif., Mrs. Henry Lee and Mrs. Howard Dickson.



A bride of July 13 was Mrs. Cyril R. Holden, Jr., the former Fern MacGregor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. MacGregor. The ceremony was performed at the First Presbyterian church. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Holden of Idaho Falls, Idaho. The couple went south on their honeymoon and will make their home in Idaho Falls. (Jesien-Miller).

All White Wedding . . .

At an all white wedding this afternoon at 4 o'clock Miss Bernice Elgin, daughter of Mrs. Harrison W. Elgin, sr. and the late Mr. Elgin, will exchange marriage vows with Robert Hall Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Anderson of Portland.

The nuptials will be performed at the First Congregational church with the Rev. Louis E. White of the Knight Memorial church officiating. Miss Adlyse Lane will sing "Because" before the bridal party enters and Jean Hobson Rich will be the organist.

On the altar table will be bouquets of white gladioluses and white tapers. Baskets of the same flowers and fern will be arranged at the chancel rail. Mrs. James Taylor and Miss Mary Wright of Portland will mark the aisle for the bridal party with white satin ribbons. They will wear identical frocks of white net fashioned with full skirts, V necklines, cap sleeves, gathered bodices and pointed waists. They will carry a large white satin ribbon bow with gardenias in the center. In their hair will be white satin ribbon bows with streamers.

Preceding the bride to the altar will be her only attendant, Mrs. George Kellogg. She will wear a gown similar in style to the ribbon girls designed of white net and she will carry an arm bouquet of white gladioluses and bouquets of pink flowers. She will also wear a large white satin ribbon bow with streamers in her hair.

Bride to Wear Satin

Of white satin is the bridal gown. The fitted bodice is designed with a lace yoke forming a high rounded neckline. Edging the yoke is a wide satin bertha which forms the arm sleeves. The full skirt is fashioned with a draped bodice which ends in a wide satin bow at the waistline in back. The dress terminates in a short train.

For "something borrowed" she will wear the finger-length tulle veil Mrs. James Taylor (Betty Jeanne Smith) wore at her wedding in May. The veil is edged in handmade lace and held in place to her coiffure with white flowers at each side. She will carry an arm bouquet of white gladioluses and asters and wear elbow length lace mitts. Harrison W. Elgin, jr. will give his only sister in marriage.

James M. Anderson of Portland will stand with his brother as best man and seating the guests will be Robert Elgin, brother of the bride, Donald Hagg and Jack Wilkins.

For her daughter's nuptials Mrs. Elgin has selected a trite blue crepe gown with jeweled belt, pink flowered hat and corsage of pink carnations and bouvardia. Mrs. Anderson will attend her son's marriage in a powder blue silk jersey gown and her flowers will be white carnations and gardenias.

The wedding reception will follow immediately in the fireplace room. Mrs. Fred Hagg of Portland will preside at the punch bowl. Seating will be Mrs. Harriet Stiff, Jr., Miss Frid Nelson and Mrs. Alvin Stewart. Miss Donna Shafer will pass the guest book and Mrs. Harrison W. Elgin, jr. will be at the gift table.

When the newlyweds leave on their honeymoon the bride will don a navy blue tailleur with matching straw hat and accessories. Pinned to the shoulder of her suit will be an orchid. After August 1 the couple will be at home in Corvallis at 336 N. 19th street.



Pictured with members of their bridal party are Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Anunson, jr. (Clarice Busselle) whose marriage was an event of July 12 at the First Congregational church. Left to right are Miss Lorraine Murdock, Robert G. Brady, jr., the groom and bride, Miss Carmen Campbell and Miss Donna Shafer. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Lloyd Demarest and E. T. Busselle and the groom is the son of Fred S. Anunson. The newlyweds will live in Salem following a wedding trip to California. (Kennell-Ellis).