

Salem Folk Home From The South

Many Salem folk were away during Christmas week vacationing in the south, with a majority returning to the capital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Duce spent Christmas week and New Year's in San Francisco at the St. Francis hotel, returning home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beutler, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Post and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lucas were also in San Francisco for a week and attended the East-West game on New Year's Day. They made the trip by train and while in the bay city were at the Chancellor hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Vandeneys arrived home Monday night from Dallas, Texas, where they attended the Cotton Bowl game on New Year's Day. They made the trip by chartered plane, which left from Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parker are being welcomed home from a fortnight's stay in California, where they spent the holidays. For Christmas they were in Sacramento with their son and family, Dr. and Mrs. William S. Parker, and then went over to San Francisco to visit her brother and sister-in-law, Colonel and Mrs. Tyler J. Walker, who reside in Mill Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Richardson arrived home New Year's eve from a trip south. They left Salem December 18 and spent Christmas and several days in Los Angeles visiting in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Dean Richardson. They attended the stage play, "Showboat" which opened in Los Angeles while they were there. They also visited in Monterey, Carmel, San Francisco and Sacramento enroute home.

Martins Here From South

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Martin of Albuquerque, New Mexico are visiting at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Alexander on North 20th street.

A family reunion and dinner was held at the Alexander home on New Year's day. Attending were Mrs. Ada E. Henning of Washougal, Wash., Mrs. Leta Fellows of Ayer, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Henning of Portland, Mrs. Marion Daniels and Judy of Ohio, Mrs. Myrtle Wiley of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. William Martin and the Alexanders.

Auxiliary Plans Sale

At the Salem General hospital auxiliary meeting Tuesday morning at the YWCA plans were outlined for the annual rummage sale to be held in February. Mrs. Charles Campbell was named chairman with Mrs. Conrad Paulson, co-chairman. Mrs. Wilmer C. Page presided at the meeting in the absence of Mrs. D. B. Hill.

Fruity Affair

Fruit With Airtight Yellow Wrapper Proved Good For Eating, Cooking

By Maxine Buren
Statesman Woman's Editor

A decided admiration for the yellow banana need not make you feel apart from the common herd.

Man has been eating the things for a good many centuries, and the fruit itself is said to be 400 years old. The Romans called it "fruit of the wise men."

And anyway, everyone in the USA ate 19-1/5 pounds of bananas in 1947, and probably would have eaten more except that the supply was limited.

It's unnecessary to laud the wonders of the banana to Americans, but perhaps a few pointers on less usual ways to serve them will help.

In the first place, never put banana in the refrigerator, they simply don't like it. When buying them include a few slightly green ones among those purchased, they'll look pretty in the fruit bowl and can be eaten when fully ripe. They can be cooked when slightly green.

To hasten ripening of bananas, the experts tell us to moisten the inside of a paper bag and fold the fruit in it. Keep at room temperature.

We like bananas fried with little pig sausage or ground lamb cakes. Merely brown the meat on both sides, then add a banana for each person, with fruit cut in half, and allow to cook slowly with the meat until bananas are transparent and done. You can broil them too.

To make baked bananas into a

Women's Section

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Visitor Feted At Party on Wednesday

Mrs. John Chenoweth, who is here visiting from Fowler, Indiana with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Armin Berger, was honored at a surprise party Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Berne entertained informally at her Mountain View Drive home for the pleasure of her mother. A group of Mrs. Chenoweth's former dance pupils were bidden to call during the afternoon. Mrs. Chenoweth will be remembered as Julia R. White.

At the tea hour Mrs. Harold Olinger presided at the urn. An arrangement of heather centered the tea table.

Mr. and Mrs. Chenoweth, who arrived in the capital on Christmas eve for a holiday visit, plan to en-train Sunday for their Indiana home.

Guild Observes Guest Night

Guest night was observed by the Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist church at the Roberts studio Monday. Especially invited were the younger employed women, prospective members of a second Guild.

The advance program was presented by Mrs. E. E. Bergman, Mrs. Brooks Moore, and Mrs. J. E. Purdy. Mrs. Purdy attended the Foreign Missions council in Columbus, Ohio in October.

Highlight of the evening was the musical program presented by Prof. T. S. Roberts, Miss Jessica Kinsey and Miss Ruth Bedford. Mrs. Norma Shaw was hostess for the tea hour, with Mrs. Mabel Hayles, Mrs. E. E. Bergman, Mrs. Fred H. Humphrey, Mrs. Eric Hordlin and Miss Jessica Kinsey assisting. Presiding at the table were Mrs. Brooks Moore and Mrs. E. E. Bergman.

Mrs. Thompson To Be Honored

An open house honoring the 80th birthday of Mrs. G. N. Thompson, will be held in her old home, now that of Mr. and Mrs. Nick LeRud on Chemawa avenue on Sunday, January 9. The friends of Mrs. Thompson are invited to call between the hours of 2 and 5 p.m.

Mrs. Thompson's daughters will be hostesses for the party. They are Mrs. Archie Bair, Mrs. Lenore Unruh, Mrs. Floyd Kester, Mrs. Harold Hatch and Mrs. Ray Phipps.

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Miss Betty Fundin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Fundin of Artesia, Calif., whose engagement to Duane Rawlins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Rawlins of Se n, was announced during the holidays. Miss Fundin has been visiting in the capital the past week at the Rawlins home. The wedding will be an event of January 28. Both the bride-elect and her fiance are attending Pepperdine college in Los Angeles.

New Officers to Be Installed

The first meeting of the new year for the members of Chadwick chapter, Order of the Eastern Star was held in the Masonic temple on Tuesday. The chapter room was decorated with large baskets of silvered greenery and cedar of Lebanon.

The junior past matron, Mrs. G. A. Reehrer and the junior past patron, Herman Johnston, were honored and seated in the east.

Reports for the year were read by the officers and committee chairman. Of special interest was the report of the good cheer chairman telling of Christmas baskets given to shut-in members and fifty-year members of the chapter.

Mrs. Reehrer and Mr. Johnston spoke briefly. Mrs. Ivan Stewart sang "A Perfect Day."

The officers of 1948 were hosts for a reception for the 1949 officers in the fifth floor after the meeting. The rooms were attractive with a color theme of white and blue, the colors of the new worthy matron. The serving table was of special interest being centered with a large rose bowl filled with bubbling white balls in sparkling blue water, and topped with a nosegay of white and blue carnations. Long lines of white and blue colored laurustinus into which was intertwined white satin ribbon extended down the center of the tables. Blue and white tapers guarded the arrangement.

The committee in charge consisted of Mr. and Mrs. G. Reehrer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pederson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. VanWyngharden, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Utley, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Murphy, Mrs. R. D. Paris, Mrs. J. W. Goebel, Mrs. J. Edgar Reay, Mrs. J. M. Cracroft, Mrs. Louise Edlund, Mrs. Jack Hann, Miss Betty Robinson and Herman Johnston.

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Mrs. Wilson New Royal Matron

Mrs. William S. Wilson was installed as royal matron of Hanna Rosa court No. 6, Order of the Amaranth, at public installation ceremonies Monday night at the Masonic temple. Don Patton was installed as royal patron.

Preceding the installation, uncrowning ceremonies for Mrs. Harvey Aston, retiring royal matron, took place. Mrs. Fred Helbock of Portland, junior past grand royal matron was uncrowned by Mrs. James B. Manning acting as crown bearer. Harvey Aston, junior past grand royal patron, on behalf of the court, presented the past matron's jewel to Mrs. Aston and Don Patton, on behalf of the court, presented a jewel to James O. Barrell, retiring patron.

As the 1948 officers retired from the room, Miss Delia Saabye and Miss Marilyn Dixon, accompanied by Miss Mari Anne Aston, sang "Now is the Hour." Installing officers were as follows: James O. Barrell, patron; Mrs. R. Lee Wood, marshal; Harvey Aston, marshal's aide; Mrs. A. A. Taylor, prelate; Mrs. Robert Crawford, secretary; Mrs. Stella Hess, musician; Mr. Everett Booster and Mrs. F. W. Farrar, marshals in the east and west.

Those taking part in the coronation ceremonies were: Mrs. James B. Manning, coronation matron; William S. Wilson, honored marshal; Mrs. F. E. Meyer, standard bearer; Mrs. Ray Heckinger, crown bearer; Everett Booster, sword bearer; Mrs. Albrecht Boock, flag bearer; Mrs. W. Farrar, marshal in the west. Flower girls were Donalyn Patton and Jeri Ann Patton.

Musical numbers were presented by Jack Jones of Portland, accompanied by Mrs. Jones, and by Miss Sharan Currier, accompanied by Miss Lois Gotwald.

Other officers installed were: Mrs. Flynn Fought, associate matron; Flynn Fought, associate patron; Mrs. Everett Booster, secretary; A. A. Taylor, treasurer; Mrs. James O. Barrell, conductress; Mrs. Don Patton, associate conductress; Mrs. Harvey Aston, trustee; Mrs. Gordon Herrig, marshal in the east; Mrs. Joe Johnston, marshal in the west; Mrs. Alfred Archibald, prelate; Mrs. J. Brownie Bangert, standard bearer; Mrs. Lester Geer, truth; Mrs. Willis Brown, faith; Mrs. J. Howard Unruh, wisdom; Mrs. Paul Gilmer, charity; Mrs. Percy Cooper, historian; Mrs. Foster Wintermute, musician; Gordon Herrig, warder; and Joseph Johnston, sentinel.

Special guests present were W. Wallace Spence of Portland, grand royal patron, Mrs. Frances E. Hurlburt, grand secretary; Mrs. James B. Manning, grand associate matron, Earl S. Beeson, grand associate patron, Mrs. D. M. Eby, worthy matron of Chadwick chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Mrs. Wayne Henry, mother advisor for the Rainbow Girls, John Graybill, worshipful master of Puget lodge No. 50, and Leon Nelson, worshipful master of Salem lodge No. 4.

Refreshments were served after the installation. Those assisting were the royal matrons and royal patrons-elect from the various courts from Eugene, Portland and Astoria.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Doughton will entertain their club at a dessert supper and evening of bridge on Thursday at their North Summer street home. Members are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Needham, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Canfield and the hosts.

Woman's Missionary society of Calvary Baptist church will meet at the church Friday morning at 11 a. m. with a luncheon following at 12:30 o'clock to be served by the Victory Circle. A program will follow with the subject "South China," to be led by Mrs. Alma McAllister.

Barbara Frieche Tent, Daughters of Union Veterans will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Salem Woman's clubhouse. The afternoon meeting is a change from the usual evening session.

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Lowerys Leave for South

Mr. and Mrs. Kelton Lowery and children, Carolyn Zoe and Mack, left Wednesday for Greenville, Mississippi where they will make their home. The Lowerys have been in the capital as guests of her parents, the H. G. Maisons, during the holidays. Mr. Lowery, was recently released from the navy, after serving four years following his graduation from Annapolis. He will be associated with his father in business in the southern city.

Engagement Revealed

A recent announcement during the holidays was the engagement of Miss Geraldine Gardner to Vernon L. Emra of Portland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Emra of Portland.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Gardner of Tillamook and is now working in the state treasury department at Salem.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Chi Omegas Are Entertained

Dr. Helen Pearce and Mrs. Earl Snell entertained the Chi Omega alumnae at the former's North Winter street home Tuesday night. A dessert supper was served with a meeting and informal evening following. Plans were made for the February rummage sale.

Attending were Mrs. George W. Neuner, Mrs. Carl W. Nelson, Mrs. Francis T. Wade, Mrs. C. W. Dyer, Mrs. Claybourne Dyer, Mrs. Paul Nieswander, Miss Edith Libby, Mrs. Irving Brown, Miss Betty Ann Boettcher, Miss Dantelle Nelson, Mrs. Jack Hazlett, Mrs. Robert Moe, Mrs. Kurt Kinninmonth, Mrs. George L. Hill and the hostesses.

Luncheon Speaker Slated

Miss Mabel P. Robertson will be the guest speaker at the January luncheon meeting of the Salem branch, American Association of University Women on January 15 according to announcement made by the president, Mrs. Vernon Wiscarson, at the board meeting Tuesday night. Mrs. Robertson, former dean of girls at Salem high school, will give highlights of her recent trip to Europe. The luncheon will be held at the Marion hotel at one o'clock and members of the travel group will serve as hostesses. Reservations may be made with Miss Laura Hale or Mrs. Lestle Sparks.

January 31 was set as the date for the annual fellowship no-host dinners sponsored by the branch with Miss Constance Weinman as chairman. Members will be contacted at a later date by the individual hostesses.

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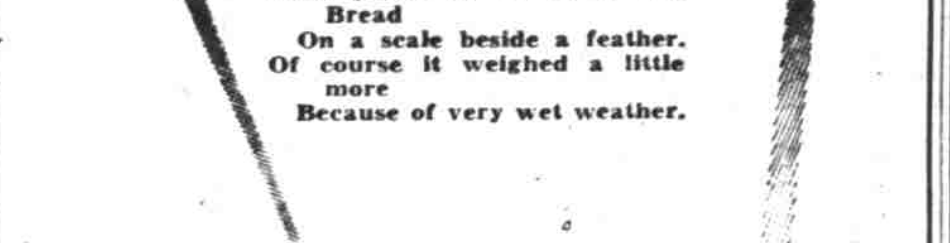
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