

Nuptials at Chapel on Friday

The chapel of St. Paul's Episcopal church was the scene of the marriage of Mrs. Richard H. Robertson and Richard D. Barton on Friday night at 8 o'clock. The Rev. George H. Swift performed the rites before members of the immediate family and a few friends.

Bouquets of maroon carnations and white chrysanthemums flanked by white tapers decorated the altar. Ronald Craven was the soloist and Miss Ruth Bedford the organist.

Allan Robertson gave his mother in marriage. For her wedding she selected a winter green suit with light green hat adorned with lilacs. Her corsage was of white roses and tuber roses.

Mrs. Paul H. Hauser, Jr., of Portland was her mother's only attendant. She wore a navy blue faille suit with navy accessories and corsage of gardenias and pink bouvardia. Richard Paul Barton stood with his father as best man. The wedding reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Law on Center street. Mrs. Allison and Mrs. Paul Lardon were in charge of the dining room and assisting were Mrs. George H. Swift and Mrs. Roy Lockenour.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Salem on route 4, box 364.

CLUB CALENDAR

TUESDAY
H-Y mothers, YMCA 1 p.m. dessert luncheon.
WEDNESDAY
Dakota club covered dish dinner at Salvation Army recreation hall, 241 State st., 6:30 p.m.
THURSDAY
Past Regents, DAR, with Mrs. James G. Helzel, 710 South Liberty st., 1 o'clock noonest luncheon.
SATURDAY
DAR Women's clubhouse, 2 p.m.

More for Your Money

Electric Floor Polishers for the Home Coming into Importance

By Mrs. Genevieve Smith
Floor polishers are a type of household equipment that is coming into more and more importance these days. And with good reason, if you have as many as two hard surface floors—say a sizeable kitchen and bath—an electric polisher will save you hours of tedious work in the course of a year.



These electric polishers for the home are relatively new. A decade or so ago, the routine polishing still was done largely with a weighted polisher and cloth or wool buffer, which was pushed back and forth by hand. Electric polishers were used commercially, or rented for the over-all floor waxing job several times a year. Immediately after the war smaller polishers intended for domestic use began to take the limelight. Today, almost any well-stocked housewares department can offer you several choices. Prices range from around \$80 to \$130.

The present-day alternative to keeping finished floors polished with one of these labor-saving electric polishers is to do the work with the steel wool pads that are attached to light weight polishers operated by hand. These have been brought out by manufacturers of floor cleaning-waxing compounds, and are generally sold through housewares departments and hardware stores. Though far easier to handle than the earlier weighted polishers, they involve more labor than the electric polisher. As is reasonable to suppose, you cannot obtain the beautifully polished surface by hand that you can so easily and quickly by the electric machine.

However, there is one excellent feature to the steel wool pads and the hand polisher. They give you a splendid means of cleaning hardwood floors. The cleaning wax can be easily applied with such a pad, after which the surplus liquid is removed with a cloth. You'll find that this cloth operation is the best way to remove soil, spots, or areas marked by heavy traffic. But after the cleaning and waxing comes the work of polishing—and there's where electricity is ready to help you. For daily going over, a quick buff with a clean steel wool pad keeps that well groomed effect on your floors, too.

The Trend in Modern Floors
Electric floor polishers are coming into the limelight because there's a very definite trend toward floors that are exceptionally interesting in themselves. Now that good hardwood is available again, you see more parquet and other patterned wood floors in modern houses and apartments. The patterns are showing up in ever so many hard surface floor coverings—linoleum, asphalt, rubber, cork, and the many plastic and plastic combinations.

One reason for this is that the open area trend, in which foyer, living room and dining room are so often combined—perhaps with the kitchen as an alcove, calls for a more interesting floor. Too, these modern houses are running much to rugs, scatter rugs, and runners where traffic is heaviest. This all adds up to a desire for floors that have a finish

Madame President



Mrs. Hal DeSart, who is serving as president of the League of Women Voters, which was organized here three years ago, with a membership now of 32 members. The purpose of the league is to promote political responsibilities through informed and active participation of citizens in government. The league is non-partisan and studies all issues thoroughly before taking any action. Open meetings are held once a month with a speaker and there is one discussion meeting a month, which is led by league members. (Kennell-Ellis photo).

Visitors Return After Holidays

FOUR CORNERS—Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Foubert have been visiting their son's family the Ralph Fouberts in Tacoma, Wash. While there they celebrated Mrs. Foubert's birthday anniversary which occurs on December 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stone had as their house guests through the holidays Mrs. Stone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hale of Hood River Valley, and her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Griebel and children, Betsy and Steven. Mr. Griebel's mother, Mrs. Maude Griebel all of Portland, and Dr. and Mrs. Leslie Stone of Chemawa.

Leaving Friday were Mrs. Wyoma Grant and children Jimmy, Donnie and Carolyn for their home in Seattle. They were house guests of the L. J. Shraikes through the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schuette of Seattle visited in the C. C. Walker home this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Emmons and children Michael and Klaus spent a few days in Springfield, Ore., visiting relatives.

The Raphaterians will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Floyd L. Utter, 446 Oak street, at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Nora Thompson will be the assisting hostess.



Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Johnson cutting the cake at the reception which followed their marriage on December 26 at the First Presbyterian church. The bride is the former Dorothy Denniston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Denniston of Eugene. The groom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles H. Johnson of Salem. (Kennell-Ellis photo).

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By JERYME ENGLISH

ON TO OUR FAVORITE SUBJECT... of the year this year so many clever ones made by young mothers and fathers, who seemingly find time for one more thing... Darling little angels and madonna cards... several religious ones... and the personalized ones with photographs, which everybody loves... Appropriate for Frank and Kitty Fisher... their musical card with the Christmas carol, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"... A red felt stocking with a card tucked inside with greetings from the Robert Brownells, Spike and Kathy... A red and white striped candy cane with a bow and card and a picture of son, Stephen, in his New Year's outfit, from the John Johnsons... Nancy Gorman again made their card... a darling angel with gold stars on black paper... the verse inside... "May the Christmas star of happiness shine in your hearts and home"... Nancy, Bob and Paul... A clever card from Loren and Bettie Lewis, which they made and had printed... their pictures in old fashioned costume to carry out the theme of the card... "Old Fashioned Christmas Spirits"... From Richmond, Calif., a card from the Melvin Hurleys... a colored picture of the bay lighted at night.

Ira and Ruth Fitts again sent out beautiful cards... A red suede booklet... the story, "Is There a Santa Claus," by Francis Pharellus Church... and beautifully illustrated in color... The Collins Johnsons of Portland and Salem sent out a bigger and better edition of "Life" with a picture of the couple on the cover, commemorating their 25th wedding anniversary last August... the miniature edition packed full of pictures of the family, at home, on vacations, fishing, hunting, parties and at Green Valley stables... a remarkable idea and always well carried out... They have been doing this since 1943 and one of the cleverest we think comes from one of our own staff members... Wes Sullivan... He is our news editor and by coincidence the first letters of the first names of his family spell out "news"... Nancy, Elsie, Wes and Steve... They made their cards on green paper and at one and the word, "News" on opening the card their names spelled out and a picture of the four.

COEDS FETED... at teas on Thursday when the Pi Beta Phi and Kappa Kappa Gamma alumnae entertained for the actives and their mothers... The James T. Brand home the scene of the Pi Phi tea... Much hail and rain outside, but cozy and warm inside with guests chatting around the fireplace, where a huge fire burned... Mrs. Brand a most gracious hostess and wearing a becoming blue wool dress... Lots of Christmas greens and cones attractively arranged about the rooms... Encircling the green candle on a yellow dish were juniper and cedar boughs, which formed the centerpiece on the tea table... Mrs. Marion Mulkey pouring and guests helping themselves to a variety of sweet breads and nuts... Calling... Mrs. C. B. Spencer and daughter, Gloria, both smart in black ensembles... Mrs. Chester A. Downs and Sue... Mrs. Wolcott E. Buren and Nancy, who wore pastel blue... Nancy is looking forward to the remainder of her senior year, when she will be able to take courses of her choice... Mrs. Gordon Gilmore smart in black and her attractive daughter, JoAnne, in taupe satin afternoon dress with velvet trim... Three other Oregon Pi Phis together... Suzanne Huggins and her house guests, petite brunette Elaine Loftus of Sacramento and Jane Carlisle of Eugene... Jahala Keys and her mother, Mrs. James Keys.

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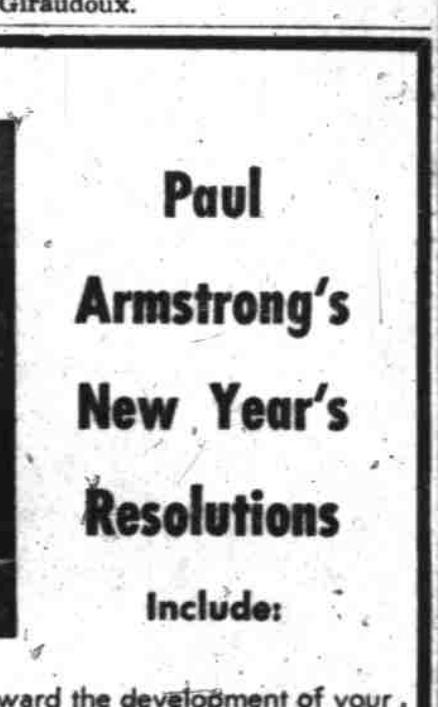
Miss Mary Jean Huston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Huston, whose engagement to Howard J. Blanding, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Blanding of Portland, has been announced. No wedding date has been set. (Kennell-Ellis photo).



Miss Billie Ruth Pierce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pierce, whose engagement to Roy L. Pearsall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Pearsall of Brooks, has been announced. No plans have been made for the wedding. (Kennell-Ellis photo).

From Burlingame, Calif., comes news of the birth of a son, Joseph Edward, on December 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Alden Adolph, formerly of Salem. The little boy has two sisters, Shirliann and Marilee. The baby's uncle is Rex Adolph of Salem.

Theatre Arts group will meet with Mrs. Melvin Geist on Tuesday afternoon for a 1 o'clock desert luncheon. Mrs. N. F. Anderson is in charge of the program and will review the play "The Mad Woman of Chaillot" by Jean Giraudoux.



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Rites Read At Home

The suburban home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry O. DeLap on Tobin Drive was the setting for the wedding of Mrs. Claire Corby and Russell N. Knowles on Saturday night at 7 o'clock.

The Rev. O. Leonard Jones performed the ceremony before a setting of white chrysanthemums, acacia and white tapers. Lawrence Alley was the soloist.

For her wedding the bride chose a forest green suit with winter white hat and accessories. Her flowers were white bouvardia and roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Phillips attended the couple and she wore a navy blue faille two-piece dress with Alice blue hat and accessories. Her corsage was of pink bouvardia and camellias.

A reception followed the nuptials and later the newlyweds were honored at a dinner at the Salem Supper club. After a short trip the couple will be at home in Salem. The bride is employed at the public utilities commission and her husband is chief turnkey at the Oregon state penitentiary.

Dallas Woman's Club to Meet

DALLAS—Members of the Monmouth and Independence Women's clubs will be guests when the Dallas Woman's club meets at the library hall for the January 3 meeting at 2 p. m., Mrs. Kenneth Jacobson, president, announces.

Ava Nevis Ferrari of Panama, women's exchange student now attending the University of Oregon, will be guest speaker. She will be introduced by Miss Lattie Calk of Portland, state scholarship chairman. Also appearing on the program will be Mrs. Jack Stump, who will give a short book review.

Hobby Talk for DAR Members

"Living with a hobby" will be discussed by Mrs. Ted Gordon at a meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the Salem Woman's clubhouse on Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m.

The hostesses are Mrs. M. A. Pekar, Mrs. L. C. McLeod, Mrs. Lewis Griffith, Mrs. Roy Mills, Mrs. H. G. Smith, Mrs. R. W. Davis, Mrs. A. A. Underhill, Mrs. Roy Rice, Mrs. A. E. Austin and Mrs. J. C. Sell. Mrs. David Cameron will sing, and Mrs. Edward West will accompany her.

A Housewarming Party

A surprise house-warming party was given Mr. and Mrs. R. B. De Lapp by their neighbors Wednesday night. They moved into their large new home on Garden road just a few days before Christmas. For the party were Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Siegmund, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Geer, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Larkins, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Braucht and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Richardson. A welcoming gift was presented and the evening spent informally.

Mrs. Nora Thompson and her daughter, Mrs. Lynn F. Cronmiller, Jr. and children, Nancy and Jill, are spending the weekend in Portland with relatives. Today they will attend a New Year's at home for which Mrs. Thompson's sister, Mrs. Zenas Olson, will be hostess for Miss Laura Austin, who recently returned from India, where she has been teaching.

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The evening circle of the Jason Lee WSCS will meet with Mrs. Archie Gardner, 4140 North River Road, Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Members are asked to bring articles of baby clothing to begin a collection for the needy. Hostesses will be Mrs. John Glott and Miss Blanche Baumgartner.

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