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Mrs. McKay Will Honor Two Newcomers at Tea . . .

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One of the larger social affairs of the week will be the tea for which Mrs. Douglas McKay, wife of Governor McKay, will be hostess on Friday afternoon at the McKay residence on Jerris avenue. The tea is being arranged in compliment to two newcomers in the capital, Mrs. Harry S. Dorman and Mrs. Thomas Lawson McCall, who have moved here from Portland. Mr. Dorman is the new state budget director and Mr. McCall is administrative assistant to the governor.

Invitations to the tea were in the mail this past week to a large group of Salem women and calling hours are from 2:30 to 5:30 o'clock. Miss Alene Phillips will introduce the guests to Mrs. McKay and the honor guests, who will receive informally in the living room. Mrs. William L. Phillips will be at the door.

Presiding at the tea urns during the afternoon will be Mrs. J. W. Frater and Mrs. John G. Cheetham of Portland, mother and sister of Governor McKay, Mrs. Earl Snell, Mrs. Hall S. Lusk, Mrs. Charles A. Sprague and Miss Elizabeth Lord.

Mrs. E. M. Page will be in charge of the dining room and assisting will be Mrs. Roy S. Keene of Corvallis, Mrs. W. Wells Baum, Mrs. William S. Cole, Mrs. Richard D. Slater, Miss Dorathea Steusloff, Mrs. G. Frederick Chambers, and Mrs. Harry U. Miller. The McKay's two daughters, Mrs. Wayne Hadley and Mrs. Lester D. Green of Eugene, will also be assisting about the rooms during the tea hours.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Kells, at the left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude A. Kells, whose engagement to Dr. Edcaro Vergara-Caffarelli di Craco of New York City has been announced. The wedding is planned for late March in New York. The benedict-elect is the son of the late Don Tito and of Donna Mragherita Vergara Caffarelli di Craco of Milan, Italy.

A highlight of the winter social season will be the annual military ball to be given by the Marion County Reserve Officers association on February 18 at the armory. Directly above are Mrs. Carl H. Cover, Mrs. Dewey Rand, Commander Cover, who is president of the Reserve Officers association, and Captain Rand, general chairman of the ball.

Two committee members with their wives are pictured in the upper left photo: Mrs. Thomas Hardisty, Mrs. George Spaur, Lt. Comdr. Hardisty, chairman of the decorations committee, and Colonel Spaur, who heads the distinguished guests committee. (Photos by Kennel-Ellis).

Annual Ladies Night for Rotary on Wednesday . . .

Rotary club members will entertain with their annual ladies night dinner on Wednesday in the Mirror room of the Marion hotel at 7 o'clock. The Valentine motif will be used in the floral decorations on the dinner tables and corsages will mark places for the women. Over 250 are expected to attend the affair.

L. O. Arens, president of Rotary, will preside as toastmaster. Guest speaker will be Thomas Lawson McCall, administrative assistant to the governor, whose subject will be "Are Women Here to Stay." Dean Melvin H. Geist has arranged the music. A string ensemble composed of Betty Kuhlman, Frank Holman, Doris McCain, and Glenis Allen will play during the dinner hour. Duet numbers will be given by Betty Jean Mullin and Robert Gwinn, accompanied by Miss Allen, and Miss Kuhlman and Miss Allen will play a group of violin and piano selections.

Coburn Grabenhorst is chairman of the affair and assisting are Joseph Dodd, Gardner Knapp, Tinkham Gilbert, William Baillie, Harold Robertson and Paul Heath.



Wives of Shrine club members will be honor guests at the annual sweetheart dinner dance on February 13 at the Marion hotel. Committee members met one day to complete final plans for the event. Left to right are Ray Linton, Robert White, chairman, Robert Stutsman, Wallace Doerfler and Delmer Whitman. (Kennel-Ellis photo).

On the directorate for the Oregon State-University of Oregon mothers tea to be given on Thursday at the Morning-side home of the Glenn Paxsons are left to right; Mrs. Grant Fallin, president of the University of Oregon mothers; Mrs. Paxson, chairman for the Oregon State mothers; Mrs. Merrill D. Ohling, chairman for the University of Oregon mothers; and Mrs. Austin H. Wilson, president of the Oregon State mothers. The affair will honor the two state presidents from Salem, Mrs. George H. Swift and Mrs. Oscar I. Paulson. (Jesten-Miller photo).