

Joyce Edgell Announces Betrothal

Of interest to the couple's many university friends is announcement of the engagement of Miss Joyce Edgell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Edgell of Portland, formerly of Salem, to Stanley Earl Aschenbrenner, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Edward Aschenbrenner of Spokane. The wedding is planned for next summer.

The bride elect is a junior at Willamette university and a member of Delta Gamma sorority. Her fiancé graduated from Willamette university in June and was president of the student body his senior year. He is now taking graduate work in philosophy at the University of Oregon.

Capital Gleemen Will Practice

Capital Gleemen, men's choral group led by Felix French and sponsored by Knights of Pythias, will meet for practice at 8:15 p.m. Monday in West Salem Methodist church.

Openings for voices in all departments were announced Saturday by the director, Felix French. All men interested in singing for enjoyment are invited to attend the practice session or contact Mr. French or Don R. Judson.

Several engagements for the group have been tentatively arranged.

Four Corners—Mrs. Myer Rogow was honored at a miscellaneous shower on Friday evening when Mrs. S. H. Cable opened her home for the occasion. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Vernon Forest, and Mrs. George Weigart. Others present were Mrs. S. D. Hovey, Mrs. E. F. Hausfeld, Mrs. W. R. Gould, Mrs. Oliver Rickman, Mrs. Eldon France, Mrs. Cecil Snook, Mrs. E. A. Snook, and Mrs. Melvin LaDue.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Diehm have sold their home on Green-

84th Birthday For Mrs. Scott

MONMOUTH—The 84th birthday of Mrs. Ida Scott was observed Thursday when the Baptist Missionary circle met at the home of Mrs. Harvey Robinson. Mrs. Scott, who was Ida Alexander, was born September 9, 1867, on the old Craven farm near Monmouth. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander, later bought a farm in the Highland section near Independence, where they lived for half a century. Their home was on a road that at that time was the main traveled highway between Portland and points south, and became a stopping place for travelers. "My father couldn't turn anyone away," Mrs. Scott recalls. "Some camped and others stayed in our house. Some paid and others didn't. It made life very interesting to us to meet so many people all the time."

November 2, 1887, Ida Alexander was married to John Scott. They farmed for a time, moving to Monmouth in 1904, where Mr. Scott was head janitor for many years at Oregon Normal school. They observed their 50th wedding anniversary in 1937. Mr. Scott died 10 years ago. She has two daughters: Edna Scott, a Portland high school teacher; and Mrs. Mildred Sether of Glendale. Mrs. Scott has been an active Baptist church member since childhood.

Soroptimists at Portland Banquet

Salem Soroptimist club members attending a banquet in Portland Thursday were: Mrs. Leo Johnson, Mrs. Walter Barsch, Mrs. Clifford Taylor, Mrs. John Seawright, Mrs. Abner Klins, Mrs. Winnie Pettyjohn, Miss Laura Pangle and Mrs. E. A. Guethner. Mrs. Barsch gave a history on the origin of the club during the evening.

The Soroptimists will hold their regular Wednesday meeting at the Golden Pheasant.

wood drive and will soon be leaving for Phoenix, Ariz., where they will make their home.

Designing Woman

By Elizabeth Hillier



GRAIN EFFECT WITH PAINT

Perhaps because removal of the old finish is too much of a chore—or just because you'd like to try something new—that old furniture might be refinished in a wood grain effect with paint. New paints are paired for the purpose, a ground coat and a graining color, in blond or gray lined oak shades. The furniture need only be washed instead of soaked with paint remover and scraped. After a smoothing of the surface with sandpaper, the ground color brushes on. After the ground color is dry the graining compound is brushed over it. Then is the time to work out the special effect, while the graining color is still wet and can be partly wiped off. Long strokes with a small piece of cheesecloth rolled up into a ball the size of a walnut remove enough of the top color to let the ground color show through in a shading that is much like wood grain. Other effects can be pleasing and less realistic. One young couple cut down an old library table for a coffee table and finished it this way but changed the graining with a rubbing with old turkish towels. Another experimenter shaded carving with the grain color applied lightly with cotton.

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The Catholic Daughters of America, Court Capital City, will hold their monthly business meeting on Wednesday, October 10, at the Catholic center. Patricia Brophy is chairman of the refreshment committee and those assisting her are Hazel Rittenhouse, Florence Schmitz, Eva Kessel, Gwendolyn Kessel, Cleo Schultz and Anna Karst.

Four Corners—Mrs. Charlene Girard's fourth grade room was the scene of a surprise party on Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Carl Donovan honored her son, Albert, on his tenth birthday anniversary.

Landscaping, Sweets Talked

Marion County extension meetings for the week of October 8-13 are listed below. Anyone interested is invited to attend. Additional information may be obtained by calling Marion County home extension office at 475 N. Church, Salem.

The units, date of meetings, time, place and the projects are as follows: On October 8 there will be a special meeting for all units near Woodburn. The meeting starts at 1:30 at the Woodburn library and the subject will be Basic Landscaping.

October 9—Donald unit, 10:30 with Mrs. Francis Ryan, Oregon Sweets; Fruitland unit, 10:30 with Mrs. Art Dalke, Repair of Inner-spring Cushions. Gates unit, 10:30 at the school house, Step-Saving Kitchens.

October 10—Aumsville unit, 10:30 at the grade school, repair of Inner-spring Cushions; Hayesville unit, 10:30 with Mrs. F. O. West, Step-Saving Kitchens; Labish Center unit, 10:30 at the Community church, Oregon Sweets.

October 11—Lansing Neighbors unit, 10:30 at the Grace Lutheran church, Oregon Sweets; Middle Grove unit, with Mrs. William Massey, Step-Saving Kitchens.

Altar Society Has Card Party

Mt. Angel—Thirty-one tables were in play at the St. Ann's Altar society card party Wednesday night, proceeds from which go towards paying for the \$3800 new carpet being installed in St. Mary's church. Winners at bridge were Mrs. Henrietta Kaiser and C. J. Berning; pinocle, Mrs. Robert Walton and Ed Huber; "five hundred", Mrs. Andrew Dummer and Mrs. Emil Zach; canasta, Ray Buhr and Jack Rosback.

Special awards and prizes for beano went to Mrs. Carl Mucken, Joseph Brockhaus, Louis Schaefer, Margie Annen, Mrs. Theresa Drysdale, Mrs. Joe Buhr, Mrs. Louis Weissentels, John Stecklein, Mrs. Rose Ebner and Mrs. George Fisher.

Mrs. Alfred Rehr was chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements and serving the lunch. She was assisted by Mrs. Joseph Platz, Mrs. Katherine Piennett, Mrs. Bernard Predeek, Mrs. Clarence Predeek, Mrs. Helen Perillo, Mrs. Mary Prosser, Mrs. Mark urd, Mrs. Frank Pohlschneider, Mrs. Steve Reiter, Mrs. Eleanor Rosera, Mrs. Ray Rothenfluch,

Buying for Your Home

Prepare Linen Well in Advance for the Holidays, Important in Entertaining

By Sue Gardner

Your table linen is one of the most important items in formal entertaining. We are fast approaching the holiday season when a family gatherings and dinner parties are more frequent than any other time during the year.

It is a good idea to make sure your table linens are perfectly well in advance of any entertaining you want to do. While the weather is cooperative you can pick a day to launder them properly and dry them in the sun—the best way to get that snowy whiteness into a cloth. Check your linens now and see if a yellowish tinge has crept into them while they were stored over the summer. Cloths, place mats and napkins should be washed in warm suds, but remember that if they are rayon they should never be boiled. Rayon loses some strength when wet. Never use strong acids on cottons or linens, as long exposure to bleaches weakens the fibres.

The more time you allow for pressing a damask tablecloth, the

better it will look on the table. You should iron it on both sides and the pressure of the iron will bring the design up beautifully. You may have been accustomed to pressing a linen dress on only the wrong side, but experts recommend that you iron both sides of a colored linen cloth.

As soon as possible, after your party, check the linens for spots. Soap and water washable ones are easily cleaned. Fruit, cranberry, coffee or tea spots can be removed by stretching the spot tightly over a bowl, securing with a rubber band and pouring boiling water onto the spot from a height of two or three feet.

Meat juices, egg or milk stains should be soaked in cold water. Sponge gravy or ice cream spots with cold or lukewarm water. Candle wax should be scraped off, and after paper towels have been put above and below the spot, pressing with a hot iron will take it out.

Soften difficult lipstick stains with glycerine, then suds them. Sponge stubborn chocolate stains with carbon tetrachloride. Once you remove spots, wash the linens in warm water and soap. It will help preserve them if you roll them on a cylinder instead of creasing them, which weakens the threads.

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On Etiquette

By Roberta Lee

Q. Is it necessary for a house guest to bring his hostess some kind of gift?

A. This is often done, but it is not absolutely necessary. The bread-and-butter letter is really a "thank you" note and is expected and required.

Q. Is it all right for a casual dinner guest to follow the hostess out to the kitchen while the latter is preparing the meal?

A. Not unless specifically invited to do so.

Q. How should a mother introduce her daughter to a man?

A. Mr. Johnson, my daughter, Mary, or if she is married, "Mr. Johnson, my daughter, Mary Carter."

Mrs. Lawrence Rothenfluch, Mrs. Anna Ruef, Mrs. Louis Schaefer, and Josephine Rauch.

Dorothy Gass Is Married

SHERIDAN—Miss Dorothy Patricia Gass of McMinnville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gass of McMinnville, and Erick Edwin Nordin of Sheridan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anselm Nordin of Sheridan, were united in marriage in a double ring nuptial mass at 10 a. m. Saturday, September 8, with the Rev. Father Daniel O'Connell officiating at the St. James Catholic church in McMinnville.

The bride wore a white slipper satin gown with a nylon lace yoke, lace trimmed shoulder ruffle and a full skirt made into a full train. Her fingertip cell was held in place with a lace and pearl tiara and she carried a white prayer book topped with a white orchid and white sweet peas.

Miss Marian Gass was maid of

honor for her sister, and wore a pale pink gown. Gladys Nordin, sister of the bridegroom, and Loy Mealue were bridesmaids, wearing aqua gowns.

Robert Nistler of McMinnville, cousin of the bride, was best man and Vern Niehus and Florian Baume of McMinnville, brothers-in-law of the bride, were ushers. Mrs. Conrad Norman, aunt of the bridegroom and Mrs. Virgil Punzel, sister of the bridegroom, cut the wedding cake.

DR. McCANNEL HOME SILVERTON—Dr. A. J. McCannel, confined to the hospital during the past few weeks, returned to his home Saturday. He was reported as getting along very well and showing steady improvement. Dr. McCannel suffered a heart attack in August. Following this he became ill from influenza and suffered a set-back.

Mt. Katmai, Alaska, has a blue lake a mile long in its crater.

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