

Women's Section

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Annual Dinner, Election for Bridge Club

Nearly 100 members of the Salem Elks Duplicat Bridge Club and their guests, including several high officials of the lodge, attended the fifth annual meeting and election party at Chuck's Steakhouse Monday. Following dinner, two master point tournaments were held. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Steelhammer, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stewart, and Mr. and Mrs. John Graham.

Elected to the new executive committee were Walter M. Cline, chairman; Mrs. Edward E. Roth, Mrs. Leona Taylor, Mrs. Mona Yoder, Elmer O. Berg and Sam Ramp. A report by retiring chairman, Jack Neilsen, showed 140 tournaments and 1,600 tables of bridge, including a dozen special events, during the year just ending.

Winners in tournament play were Mrs. Arthur Binegar and Mrs. Sam Ramp, Mrs. John S. Bone and Mrs. Donald Huff, Mrs. Bruce Smith and Mrs. Stuart Thebe, and Mrs. Myrtle Watson and Mrs. C. C. Gabriel. Others gaining points included Mrs. Ward Graham and C. L. Newsom, Mr. and Mrs. R. Floyd Baxter, Mrs. George D. Henderson and Herbert Reddick, Mrs. Harry Wiedmer and Mrs. H. Reddick, Mrs. Jack Neilsen and Dale Sullivan, Mrs. Arthur L. Lewis and Denis Lavender.

CLUB CALENDAR

FRIDAY
Garden Road Neighborhood club, 2 p.m. with Mrs. A. C. Schaffer.
Marion County WCTU Institute, Leslie Methodist Church, 10 a.m.
Barbara Fritschle Tent DUW, with Mrs. Luelia Imann, 581 South 15th St., 2 p.m.
Trinity Chapter, OES, birthday meeting, West Salem City Hall, 8 p.m.

SATURDAY
Silmars, luncheon and bride, Chuck's Steakhouse, 1 p.m.

TUESDAY
Cherry Court, Order of Amaranth, VFW Hall, 8 p.m., election.

Mrs. Virgil Sexton was hostess to members of her club at a desert bridge Thursday night at her Beal Lomand Park home. Mrs. Wilmer C. Smith and Mrs. Theodore Grow of Council Bluffs, Iowa, were additional guests.

Ray Kemp and Gilbert Groff, Charles Tambling and Harold Muhs.

In the regular play top scores went to Sidney Schechtman and John Pugh of Sheed, Ray Ward and Bob Sederstrom, Mrs. G. Henderson and Mrs. L. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neilsen, Mrs. Everett Day and Mrs. Milton D. Parker. Play will be resumed in the two weekly series Monday preparatory to the Seaside sectional tournament next month. Several Salem players, including Mrs. Rupert Park, Mrs. Dorothy McClain, Mrs. Paul F. Burris, Mrs. Harry Wiedmer and Ellis H. Jones, were among the trophy and tournament winners at the Portland sectional over the weekend.

Freese-Dalke Nuptials on Thursday

Miss Irene Marie Dalke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dalke, became the bride of John H. Freese Jr., USN, of Seattle, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Freese Sr., of Baltimore, Maryland, at the First Christian Church Thursday evening. The Rev. John Franz, who also performed the wedding of the bride's parents 30 years ago, officiated at the 7:30 o'clock ceremony. Lavender and white stock were used to decorate the church and lighting the tapers were Marvin Dalke and Herbert Dalke. Soloist was Sol Ediger, uncle of the bride, who was accompanied by William Fawk.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white satin gown, fashioned with marquisette yoke, edged with Venetian lace studded with rhinestones. The full skirt was made with a court train and adorned with the lace. Her coronet of pearlized orange blossoms held her fingertip veil in place and she carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid.

Mrs. Herbert Dalke was the honor attendant. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Harold Dalke, Mrs. Jack Eyselbosch and Mrs. Everett Schirman. They all wore lavender taffeta gowns made with bertha collars and full skirts and carried fan shaped bouquets of white and lavender Vanda orchids. The bride's attendants wore white baby orchids. Flower girl was Barbara Dalke, niece of the bride.

Attend the Groom
Harold Dalke was best man and seating the guests were Herbert Dalke, Marvin Dalke and Clarence Harder.

Mrs. Dalke chose for her daughter's wedding a light blue imported Chantilly lace dress and wore a corsage of blue and white orchids. The groom's parents were unable to come west for the wedding of their son.

Following the ceremony the reception was in the church parlors. Mrs. Clarence Harder cut the cake. Mrs. Henry Ediger presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Pete Ediger at the coffee urn. Assisting were the Misses Lucille Ediger, Mabel Zimmerman, Roberta Roberts, Mrs. William Fawk, Mrs. Russell Dickson and Mrs. Grover Welty.

For travelling the bride chose a gray suit with pink top coat and her accessories were pink and navy blue. Following a trip to San Francisco, the newlyweds will make their home in Seattle, where Mr. Freese is a Navy recruiter.

Auxiliary Meets On Tuesday

Mrs. Jack Simkins, first vice president of American Legion Auxiliary, 136, presided at the unit's meeting Tuesday night at the Salem Woman's Club. Members were asked to save old hose to make rugs for the Veterans Hospital at Roseburg.

The Scrapbaggers will meet this afternoon at the country home of Mrs. Bert Walker on Route 9. Guests attending were Mrs. John Hagen, Mrs. Augusta Allport and Mrs. W. E. Noll.

A report was given on the Post's birthday party and pictures may be obtained from Mrs. Elwood Townsend. A community sing followed the meeting and a movie, "Palmer Street," was shown by Wade Patterson of the Marion County Department of Health.

The hostess committee included Mrs. Kenneth Decatur, chairman, Mrs. Dow Lovell, co-chairman, Mrs. Clarence Cox and Mrs. Samuel Harbison.

Designing Woman



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Hostesses Fete Mrs. Crossland

Mrs. Thomas Meier and Mrs. E. J. Boust were hostesses for a shower Wednesday night at the former's home on South Commercial Street in compliment to Mrs. Donald Crossland. A late supper was served following an informal evening. Bouquets of daffodils and hyacinths provided the decorative note.

Honoring Mrs. Crossland were Mrs. Robert Griesenauer, Mrs. John Griesenauer and Mrs. Robert Blanchet of Gervais, Mrs. Tony Griesenauer of Mt. Angel, Mrs. Willard Syron of Silverton, Mrs. Ralph Carver, Mrs. Catherine Rue, Mrs. H. H. Conover, Mrs. Harold Bowman, Mrs. Clyde Cardy, Mrs. Emma Vesper, Mrs. R. J. Chance, Mrs. Ruth Raines, Mrs. Brad Burkland and the hostesses.

Friendship Night For OES Chapter

Friendship night was observed by Ainsworth Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star on Wednesday night. Mrs. R. E. Meredith, worthy matron, and William Hall Jr., worthy patron, presided. Ramona Chapter, Silverton, Evergreen of Woodburn Gervais Chapter and Victoria of Turner were special invited guests. Officers of the invited chapters who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Fred McClaughry, Gervais, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Edwards, Turner.

Mrs. Thomas Lovett, John Sholseth and A. G. Hamilton became members by initiation and Miss Arlene Sholseth and Mrs. W. H.

Freese and Mrs. Fred George Sholseth sang. Mrs. H. M. Boesch was chairman of the refreshment committee, and assisting were Mrs. George Bixler, Mrs. E. A. Bradford, Mrs. Fred Koken, Mrs. Roth Clark and K. B. Muller.

A family covered dish dinner is planned for Wednesday, March 26, at the Scottish Rite Temple with Mrs. Koken in charge.

Pratum-Elmetta Hansen, bride-elect of Jack Ramseyer, was honored at a shower Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. William deVries. The party was given by the WSCS of the Pratum Methodist Church. The committee in charge included Mrs. Thomas Jones, Mrs. Harvey Meyer and Mrs. Arthur deVries.

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