

# Statesman's HOME Panorama

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## Around Town . . .

By JERYME ENGLISH

**HOLIDAY SOCIAL WHIRL . . .** is in full swing with many parties on the agenda . . . The Kappa Kappa Gamma alumnae are planning a holiday coffee on Friday, December 30 at the Candelaria home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Mills . . . the affair is being arranged in compliment to the active members in Salem and the Willamette Valley who are home from college during the holidays . . . Mrs. Roger M. Schnell and Mrs. Robert Elgin are arranging the 10:30 o'clock coffee . . .

Several parties . . . are being arranged for the New Year's weekend . . . Mr. and Mrs. Peter M. Gunnar have sent out invitations to an informal open house for which they will be hosts on New Year's Day at their Jerris Avenue residence . . . a group of their friends have been invited to call between 2 and 7 o'clock . . .

**Entertaining . . . on Monday, January 2** will be Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burlington and Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Ballock, who have invited a few of their friends to an informal at home at the Burlington residence between 5 and 7 o'clock . . .

**Coffee time . . . on Friday** when Mrs. Roger Probert entertains at her Fairmount Hill residence for the pleasure of Mrs. Richard H. Spooner, who recently returned to the states from Germany with Captain Spooner . . . they are visiting in the capital at the home of her mother, Mrs. George Hull, until leaving for Captain Spooner's new assignment in Washington, D. C. . . . a group of friends have been invited to call between 10:30 and 1 o'clock to greet the guest of honor . . . Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. Richard M. Page, who is here from San Francisco for the holidays, Mrs. James Hatfield, Mrs. Russell W. Wittmer, and Mrs. Frank H. Hunt . . .

**Open house . . . on Friday** at the Manbrin Gardens home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Sullivan and children, Steve, Nancy, Dave and Bill . . . The Sullivans have invited members of the Statesman news staff and their families to drive out to Manbrin Gardens to see the Christmas decorations and stop by their home between 6:30 and 9 o'clock . . . Assisting Mrs. Sullivan informally about the rooms will be Mrs. Wendell Webb, Mrs. Al Lightner, Mrs. Robert E. Gagnare, Mrs. Thomas G. Wright Jr., Mrs. Conrad Prange and Mrs. Charles Ireland . . .

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Mrs. Raymond Hoffman, who was installed as the 1956 worthy matron of Trinity Chapter, Order of Eastern Star at a formal ceremony Tuesday night at the Scottish Rite Temple. (Kennell-Ellis Studio).

### Installation of Trinity Chapter Held Tuesday

On Tuesday evening at the Scottish Rite Temple Mrs. Raymond Hoffman was installed as worthy matron of Trinity Chapter No. 175, Order of the Eastern Star. Clarence Field was installed as worthy patron for the coming year.

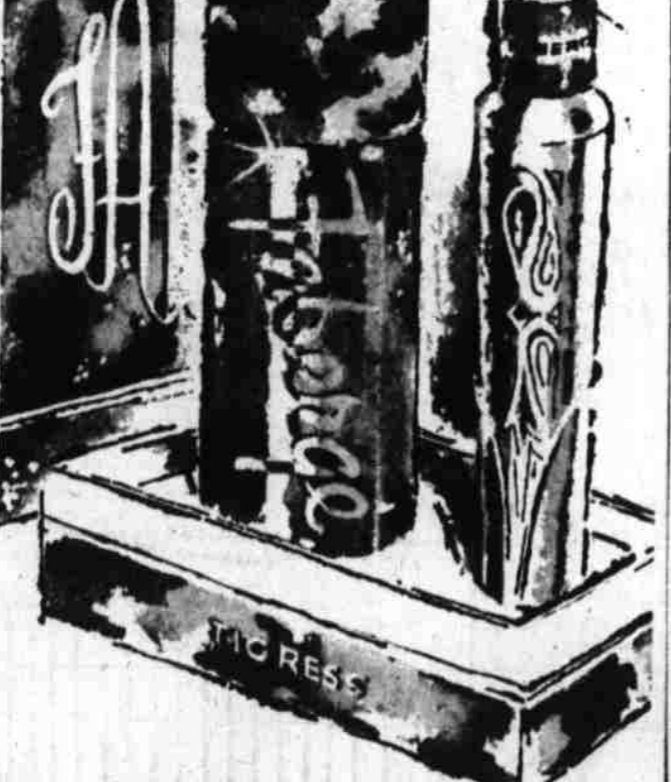
Mrs. Paul Robinson, past grand matron, was the installing officer. Serving with her were Lawrence M. Flagg, installing patron; Mrs. E. E. Bergman, installing chaplain; Mrs. Harry Charlton, installing marshal; and Mrs. Dean Duval, installing organist.

The elective officers installed were Mrs. Clarence C. Field, associate matron; Frank Nettleton, associate patron; Mrs. C. M. Hixson, secretary; Mrs. Wilfred Wilson, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Pugh, conductress; and Mrs. Lloyd Vedder, associate conductress.

Appointive officers installed were Mrs. Herman Kortemeyer, chaplain; Mrs. Frank Nettleton, marshal; Mrs. Lawrence Flagg, organist; Mrs. James Moullet, Adah; Mrs. Robert Irving, Ruth; Mrs. Charles Ingraham, Esther; Mrs. Orval Graham, Martha; Mrs. Albert Rasmussen, Electa; Mrs. Robert Pattison, warder; and D. M. Eby, sentinel.

During the evening Miss Karen Covert entertained with piano selections and Miss Evelyn Johansen sang, accompanied by Miss Beverly Walls. Mrs. Len Edwards, Mrs. Robert Hoyzer and Mrs. Clyde Gilman, the Calvary Trio, sang several selections.

Refreshments were served following the installation by the members of Cherry Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls. The



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### Late Comers Familiar Candy Recipes Found Best for Last Minute Cooks

By MAXINE BUREN  
Statesman Woman's Editor

Christmas candy making may bring out the adventure in many, but in more, it means making the old favorites—fondant, fudge, brittle and popcorn balls. And last-minute recipes should be familiar.

Fondant, though a very simple combination of sugar and water and maybe corn syrup, becomes pretty elegant candy when given a coating of chocolate or more fondant, or a filling of fruit or nuts. Here, in answer to a request, is:

**FONDANT**

2 cups sugar	2 tablespoons light corn syrup
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Boil together to 238 degrees or until it forms a soft ball when tried in cold water. As soon as sugar dissolves, wash down sides of pan with a cloth tied on a stick, or with a brush (a little more water in the syrup won't hurt). Put on a lid, for a few minutes, so crystals on sides of pan will dissolve. Do not stir syrup after crystals are washed off. When syrup is cooked, pour onto a wet (not greased) platter or slab of marble and let cool to lukewarm. Work with heavy whip, or a candy maker's spade, or use a very wide, heavy putty knife, until creamy. Wrap in waxed paper and let stand in a cold place for several days. Then flavoring, or adding ground nuts or fruits as desired. Mold as wanted. This will keep a long time when wrapped in paper, and mellow in flavor.

Then there's always a demand for good old popcorn balls, and here's a standard recipe, this one taking brown sugar:

**POPCORN BALLS**

1/4 cup brown sugar	2 tablespoons butter
1/4 cup white sugar	2 teaspoons salt
1/2 cup molasses	1 tablespoon vinegar
1/2 cup water	

Boil together until it forms a hard ball when tried in cold water. Add 1/4 teaspoon soda when removing from fire. Pour over 3 quarts popped corn and form into balls. Grease hands before handling mixture.

A third favorite is marshmallows and one that the kids could make.

**MARSHMALLOWS**

2 cups sugar	1 envelope plain gelatine (2 tablespoons)
1 cup water	
1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar	

Cook sugar, 1/2 cup water, cream of tartar and salt until it forms a soft ball when tried in cold water (236 degrees). In the meantime, let gelatine stand with the remaining half cup water for 5 minutes. Beat until very thick, adding color and flavoring as desired. Pour into shallow pan well dusted with cornstarch. When cold and firm cut in squares, remove from pan and roll in powdered sugar and cornstarch mixed.

### Ceremonial For White Shrine

Willamette Shrine, Order of White Shrine of Jerusalem held a Christmas ceremonial Monday night with Mrs. Dan Roth, worthy high priestess, and Everett Holt, watchman of the shepherds, presiding.

Receiving the degree of the order were Miss Sandra Hull, Miss Eva Ellen Fern, Mrs. Sophie Mull, Mrs. Roy Reynolds, Mrs. John Cochran, Mrs. C. W. Shields, Mrs. Nora Rolow, Mrs. Paul Robinson, Mrs. Oliver Ethell, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kollok, Mr. and Mrs. John Muir and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Forster.

Guests were present from Oregon Shrine, Portland; Trinity, Burbank, Calif.; and Friendship, Salem.

December birthdays were honored and a Christmas party with gift exchange followed the ceremonial.

On the refreshment committee were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Armstrong, chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. Frances Holt, Mr. and Mrs. John Pfaff, Mr. and Mrs. Dorr Shreve, Mrs. C. C. Gabriel, Mrs. Ed Harnberger, Mrs. Jack Stagner, Mrs. Merle Curtis and Mrs. Jesse Hatch.

**Hubbard Womens Club**  
Statesman News Service

HUBBARD — The Hubbard Woman's club re-invested a \$25 check in the lighting fund for North Marion Union high school athletic field at their annual Christmas meeting in the home of Mrs. Floyd Dominick. The program highlighted Christmas in various lands with Mrs. A. F. deLapinspasse in charge. The club voted to contribute to gifts for MacLaren school and the community Christmas treat. The members exchanged gifts and each brought an additional gift to be sent to a mental institution.

**Club Calendar**

**WEDNESDAY**  
Eight and Forty salon dinner, Chuck's Steakhouse, 6:30 p.m.  
Willamette Valley Teachers Association, with Mrs. Mary Champ, 1760 E. St., 12 o'clock no-host luncheon.  
Women's Association of First Presbyterian Church, luncheon, social hall, 12:15 p.m.  
Ainsworth Chapter, OES, Scottish Rite Temple, 8 p.m.

**FRIDAY**  
Silver Bell Circle 43, Neighbors of Woodcraft, Christmas party and meeting, Salem Woman's Club, 8 p.m.

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### Couple Feted On Silver Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bonawitz celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at a reception on Sunday afternoon at their Virginia Street home. Over a hundred guests called between 4 and 7 o'clock, including several from out-of-town.

The party was arranged by the couple's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe S. Bonawitz Jr. They were assisted by Dr. and Mrs. Austin W. Eivers, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Callahan, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson.

The punch table was covered with a green cloth trimmed with silver bells and tiny bells. The centerpiece was sprayed evergreens in shades of white, red and silver with a silver candle and bells.

Annual Christmas party for Centralia Temple, Pythian Sisters will be held tonight at Beaver Hall at 8 p.m. There will be gifts for the children and a program. A short business meeting will precede at 7 p.m.

**Corvallis Teams Win Top Honors**

Corvallis teams won two of the top places in the December master point of the Salem unit of the American Contract Bridge League. Jack Shepard and R. D. Hutchinson were high, and Mrs. Jose Moritz and Glenn Hall were third in the tournament at the Elks club rooms Sunday, while finishing second were Mrs. E. E. Boring and Mrs. C. L. Newsum, and in fourth position were Mrs. Arthur L. Lewis and Elmer O. Berg.

In the weekly tournament of the Elks Duplicate Bridge club, Mrs. W. M. Cline and Mrs. F. C. Lutz won, followed by Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Hutchinson of Corvallis, Mrs. W. A. Barsch, Mrs. Dewey Howell, Mrs. Lloyd Jones and Mrs. C. B. Benton.

**SOUTH SALEM** — Mrs. Stanley Rolness entertained the Friendly Neighbors Garden Club at their annual Christmas party at her home on Bluff St. Mrs. Myrtle Sprong was program chairman and a group of carolers presented the program. The club will assist a needy family for the holidays. Mrs. Elizabeth Marrill was a guest.

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