

Statesman's HOME Panorama

Women ... Music ... Fashions ... Features

Around Town...

By JERYME ENGLISH

SPRINGTIME ... decorations featured at the Town and Gown tea meeting on Thursday in the Carrier Room of the First Methodist Church ... bouquets of blossoms and forsythia about the rooms ... the tea table covered with a bottle green satin cloth and centered with a spring bouquet of tulips, heather, jonquils and narcissus in shades of orchid, yellow, pink and green ... the arrangement flanked by orchid tapers ... Presiding at the tea urns were Mrs. Robert H. Baldock and Mrs. Robert D. Gregg, past presidents of Town and Gown ... Mrs. R. L. Porter was the tea chairman ... Hostesses were Mrs. Stanley Butler, Mrs. J. J. Foster, Mrs. Kathel Hibbert and Mrs. W. Claude Hulman ...

The program ... included piano selections by Doris George Hale ... Students from the Willamette University Drama department presented an interesting historical review of the theatre, showing how drama reflects in our lives ... The drama was entitled "With Love Through the Ages" with Prof. Robert Putnam as narrator ... The last meeting of Town and Gown will be April 26 ...

For the teen-age ... contingent is the informal dancing party for which Carol Jo Minnich and Patricia Sue Ritchie will be hostesses tonight at the Crowley Avenue home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hackett ... The young hostesses have invited a group of their Leslie Junior high friends to the party ... Assisting the Hacketts will be Patricia's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Marvin Ritchie ...

A birthday dinner ... on Saturday will honor Mrs. Lester D. Green, when her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hadley, entertained at their Cross Street home ... Covers will be placed for Mr. and Mrs. Green and their children, Danny, Jimmy and Leslie, Mrs. Green's parents, Secretary of the Interior and

Sojourners Elect Mrs. Blazier

The Easter motif was used for the decor at the Salem Sojourners dessert and card party Thursday afternoon at the Salem Woman's Clubhouse. New officers were named at the business meeting. Mrs. Elton Blazier is the new president succeeding Mrs. Allan Ferrin. Other officers named for the new term include: Mrs. Burton Dunn, vice-president; Mrs. Jack Haller, secretary and Mrs. W. O. Wood, treasurer.

Final plans were made for the covered dish dinner to be held at the Mayflower Hall on March 26 at 6:30 p.m. All members, husbands and guests are invited to attend.

Mrs. Paul Van de Velde headed the committee of hostesses for the day with Mrs. Everett Day, Mrs. Lawrence Michel, Mrs. Ted Lawrence, Mrs. Sidney Stennerodden and Mrs. Arthur Gallison assisting.

Guests and prospective members attending were Mrs. Donald Hanna, Mrs. Robert Benner, and Mrs. Kenneth Pennell.

New members welcomed were Mrs. Robert T. Wallace, Mrs. Arthur Handley and Mrs. Harold Parsons.

Visitors were Mrs. Elmer Jackson, Miss Erna Hweneke and Mrs. Hattie Cook.

Women to Attend Church Meeting

Salem Presbyterian women will be in Newport today to attend the annual meeting of the Willamette Presbyterian Society. Business meetings, a program and noon luncheon at the Community Presbyterian Church are on the agenda.

Among those attending from Salem are Mrs. Fred Scherer, president of the Presbyterian Society; Mrs. Curtis A. Hale, treasurer; Mrs. Robert Stutzman, literature chairman; Mrs. E. E. Kilpatrick, social education and action chairman; Mrs. Walter Pugh, chairman national and overseas sewing; Mrs. L. V. Benson, president of the Women's Association of the First Presbyterian Church; Mrs. David Turney, Mrs. G. C. Randall, Mrs. Dewey Rand, Mrs. W. W. Rosebraugh, Mrs. Alice Wood, Mrs. N. J. Lindgren, Mrs. John Nesvick, Mrs. George LaBorde, Mrs. H. J. Clements, Mrs. G. W. Emerson, Mrs. H. M. Price, Mrs. G. E. Griffiths and Mrs. M. B. Stegner.

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Nuptials Held At Hotel on Sunday

The Gold Room of the Marion Hotel was the setting for the wedding of Miss Marlene Rowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Rowe, and Marvin Lazarus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lazarus of Vancouver, B. C., on Sunday afternoon March 18.

Rabbi Joshua Stansford of Portland officiated at the 5 o'clock nuptials before members of the immediate family and a few intimate friends. During the ceremony there was violin and piano music with Al Finn the vocalist.

The bride chose a tulle and lace waist gown for her wedding with scalloped neckline of lace and short sleeves. Insertion of lace adorned the bouffant skirt. Her fingertip illusion veil was caught to a cap of lace and she carried a white Bible marked with a white orchid and forget-me-nots.

The bridegroom wore a tuxedo and the bride wore a tulle and lace gown. The bridegroom's best man was Joseph Galtman of Vancouver, B. C., sister of the groom, and the bridesmaid, they were mist blue satin waist dresses and carried pink nosegays.

Bridegroom's Attendants
Joseph Galtman served as best man for his brother-in-law, Henry Merin and the bride's twin brothers, Marvin and Robert Rowe, were the ushers. The occasion also celebrated the birthdays of the twins.

Mrs. Rowe selected a dusty pink lace gown over satin in which she pinned an orchid. Mrs. Lazarus, who with Mr. Lazarus, came down for the nuptials, wore a champagne beaded satin gown and an orchid corsage.

The newly-weds greeted their guests at a reception in the Gold Room and later a dinner was served to 60 guests.

For her wedding trip to California the new Mrs. Lazarus donned an aqua blue sheer wool dress with matching hat and fur stole. The couple will live in Vancouver, B.C., where Mr. Lazarus is in the jewelry business.

The bride graduated last June from Willamette University and her husband attended Regina University in Canada.

Mrs. Stortz to Go To Convention

Delta Gamma alumnae made plans for a card party with their husbands on April 6 at the Court Street Chapter house at their Wednesday evening meeting at the home of Mrs. Howard Miller. On April 15 the alumnae are planning a covered dish dinner for the new pledges of the active chapter at the Miller home.

Mrs. John William Stortz was elected a delegate to the national Delta Gamma convention to be held at the Chateau Frontenac, Quebec in June. Miss Lois Latimer was elected the alternate. Two new Delta Gamma chapters at Whittenberg College, Springfield, Ohio and University of Houston, Houston, Texas were recently installed.

A new member welcomed at the meeting was Mrs. James Scott.

Easter Swank for the Small Fry



BEST-DRESSED MOPPETS ... They are wearing the last word in spring coat fashions for small fry. Left, the girl in the gray flannel coat, an Easter favorite, with gaily patterned rayon lining and matching bow at the collar; right, princess silhouette in lemon yellow wool, with distinctive seaming and white pearl buttons placed in the manner of a coachman's vest.

By DOROTHY ROE
Associated Press Women's Editor

The youngest set knows its fashion these days. Even a 3-year-old has definite ideas about the cut and color of her Easter outfit—and these ideas usually are based on what Mom and Big Sister wear.

Designers are putting high-style touches on pint-size suits, coats and dresses this spring, incorporating the major trends of grown-up fashions scaled down for the kindergarten set.

Especially popular is the gray flannel coat, for both moppets and adult glamor girls. This must be carefully tailored, cut on fashionable slim lines and is most popular when it has a gay lining.

Pastel colors also are important in the Junior Easter Parade lineup. Princess-cut spring coats in Easter egg colors such as sunny yellow, pink, lilac, pale blue and pastel green will add gaiety to the spring scene.

The very young glamor girl also may choose a spring coat of navy flannel or serge, teamed with white gloves and a flower-trimmed Easter bonnet, for the ultimate in spring swank.

All the newest coat silhouettes of the season are translated into fashions for the young set this season—the boxy topper, the coachman coat, the Chesterfield and the princess coat.

Sorority Hears Miss Petersen

Mrs. Art Howell and Mrs. William Ferguson were co-hostesses Wednesday night when the Beta Mu Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha was entertained at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Oliver.

Miss Norma Peterson, a guest from the Beta Sigma chapter of the sorority, was the speaker. Arrangements were made to present the proceeds from the card benefit March 7 to the Crippled Children's Hospital in Eugene. A report was given by Miss Billie Miller and Mrs. Oliver on the recent district council meeting in Salem.

Mrs. William Fahrman, Mrs. Steven Benson and Mrs. Clinton Ault were appointed as the nominating committee for the election of officers in April.

Club Calendar

FRIDAY
Merry Time Club covered dish dinner, Mayflower Hall, 6:30 p.m.
Silver Bell Circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft, Salem Woman's Club, 7 p.m.
Willamette Valley Panhellenic, Mrs. Wilmer H. Page, 215 West McGilchrist St., 10 a.m.
Salem Woman's Club at clubhouse, 2 p.m., board meeting, 12:30 p.m.

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Clare Booth Luce Captures the Spotlight Wherever She Goes

By JANE EADS

WASHINGTON—Wherever she goes, no matter what the occasion, United States ambassador to Italy, Clare Booth Luce, captures the spotlight and becomes the subject of conversation.

Indeed, on her visit to Washington in connection with the appearance of Italy's President Gronchi, her looks, the things she said and did seemed to interest onlookers as much as did the Italian dignitary and his party for whom this capital all but turned cartwheels to entertain.

Capitalites, including the super-critical press, found the chic and slender silver-blond Mrs. Luce as young looking and beautiful as when they first came to know her as a member of Congress from Connecticut. As far as the press was concerned, she was found to be far more cooperative than at any time in the past, as well as less critical and bitingly witty.

At every big function she has attended during her recent visit her appearance was awaited with much interest. I heard numerous guests after going down the receiving line to greet the Italian visitors murmur "I don't see Clare Booth Luce" or "Is Clare Luce here?" or "I wonder if she's coming" or "Have you seen her yet?"

Rustle of Excitement
Inevitably on such occasions, when she finally showed up there'd be a rustle of excitement. Photographers would hurriedly jockey for a good position to get their shots, waiters and other hired help would perk up, guests would crane necks and move a little closer. She's a hep one, this former actress-playright, and knows the value of timing and how to move to center stage.

Always Poised
Her experience as a diplomat has given her added suavity, poise and graciousness of manner. However, despite all the publicity and conversation concerning whether she'd stick to her post in Rome or seek a higher, more significant role, among Washington women it was what she wore that created the most comment.

Clothes and how she manages to keep her good looks at past 50 with no bags, bulges or wrinkles! A taxi driver answered this last: "You'd be good-looking too if you had all her money!"

Her hats created the liveliest discussion. Critics either liked them or they didn't. There were no in-between opinions. Mostly they like a brand new white chapeau, straight-brimmed with frothy mushroom-top of tulle and fine feathers, worn with straight, finger-length jacketed suit of black wool.

Shower Honors Miss Wright

HAYESVILLE—The ladies of the Halbert Memorial Baptist Church feted Miss Carol Wright Monday evening at a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Lee Shipley on North Avenue. Assisting were Mrs. A. O. Legler and Mrs. Roy Vibbert. Miss Wright is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wright and her fiancé, Lester Sandusky, is the son of Mrs. E. J. Welty. The wedding date has been set for March 24 at the home of Homer Welty. Both are Salem High School graduates. Miss Wright is employed by the state and Mr. Sandusky is employed by the Sears Roebuck Company.

Attending were Mesdames N. C. Adkins, A. A. Talbot, C. G. Berg, George Simonka, Paul Hauck, Florence Van Cleave, E. J. Welty, Grover Welty, Arnold Kuper, Ivan Reischke, J. Melvin Dunn, James N. Vibbert, Allen Vibbert, Robert and Rozann Shipley, Ronald Mott, Frank Barth, George Strout, and the Misses Wilma Karsten, Lillian Reischke, Henrietta Vibbert, and the hostesses.

Willamina — Mrs. Myrtle Fendall

Willamina — Mrs. Myrtle Fendall was honored on her birthday with two parties. Guests at a dinner party given by Mrs. Sterl Argus were Mrs. Fendall, Mrs. Argus Pearson, Mrs. Edith Hadley, Mrs. Max Bare and daughters. Guests at an afternoon party were Mrs. Chan Mendenhall, Mrs. Ward Mendenhall, Mrs. John Carlich and the hostesses, Mrs. Eldon Fendall and Mrs. Glens Mendenhall.

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