

Meyer Home Scene of Parties

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Meyer on Belmont street was the setting for two gala holiday parties this week. Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Meyer and Mr. and Mrs. Harris Lietz were hosts for an at home in compliment to a group of their close friends. Calling hours were from 2 to 6 o'clock.

The buffet table was covered with a blue cloth bordered in white and centered at the back was an arrangement of white laurestina and graduated blue candles. Assisting the hosts were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Adolphson, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Olson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Lester Newman and Mr. and Mrs. William J. Braun.

Miss Meyer a Hostess

The Meyer's coed daughter, Miss Roberta Meyer, was hostess for an informal at home Monday afternoon for a group of the college girls, who are here for the holidays.

Guests called between 2 and 4 o'clock. Assisting Miss Meyer in the dining room were Miss Jane Anton, Miss Janet Kirk, Miss Elizabeth Nelson, Miss Carolyn G. G. G. Miss Georgia Roberts, and Miss Jean and Miss Joan Port.

Miss Meyer will return today to Oregon State college, where she is a freshman.

Shirley Bier Has Birthday Party

Shirley Bier celebrated her 11th birthday at an informal party Sunday afternoon when her mother, Mrs. Madolyn Bier, entertained at their home on Union street.

A pink and white color scheme was carried out in the decorations and birthday appointments.

Honoring Shirley were Louise Lamb, Sally Farrell, Joan Clinton, Patty Sunderlin, Vivian Chance, Lela Cushing, Marlene Schwab, Gordon Domingalla, George Casper, Tommy and Norman Pearson, Bob Brownell and Clair Brown.

Shirley Lukins On Honor Roll

University of Oregon—Shirley G. Lukins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lukins of Salem, was among 145 students listed on the honor roll for fall term at the University of Oregon. Honor roll students must make grade point averages of 3.50 or better. Miss Lukins is a pledge of Kappa Gamma.

Eighteen university students made perfect GPAs of 4.0.

Junior Chamber Dance Held

Event of New Year's eve was the Junior chamber of commerce dance at the Elks temple. The semi-formal affair was from ten to one o'clock with Adam Karber's orchestra playing for dancing. Tables were arranged in a semi-circle about the hall.

Arranging the dance were Mr. Richard Lockard, Mr. Howard Walker, Mr. LeRoy MacKellar and Dr. Robert Lantz.

Several parties were arranged to precede and follow the dance.

Mrs. Alice Rickman is entertaining today on the Steamline for Washington, D. C., to make an extended visit with her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley P. Gordon (Bernice Rickman) and sons, John Scott and Robert Rickman, Mr. Gordon is with the department of commerce. The Salem traveler expects to be away three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boardman and sons, Mark and Albert, are leaving Wednesday for their home in San Francisco after a holiday visit to Salem with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Boardman.

The regular meeting of Chadwick chapter, No. 37, Order of Eastern Star, has been cancelled for tonight due to the holidays.

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Date Is Set For Church Nuptials

Plans have been made for the wedding of Miss Darlyne LaVonne Geddes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Geddes, to Mr. Alford Raymond Strawn, USA, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Strawn of Portland, which will take place on January 11 at the First Christian church.

The 8 o'clock ceremony will be performed by President Scott of the Latter Day Saint's church.

The bride-to-be has asked her sister, Mrs. George N. Hawkins to be her matron of honor and Miss Alice Sandver the bridesmaid. Mr. William Strawn will be his brother's best man. Ushers will be Mr. Frances Moore and Mr. Sherman Callaway.

A reception will be held in the church parlors after the ceremony.

Miss Geddes is a graduate of Salem high school and is employed at the secretary of state's office. Her fiancé is a graduate of Aumsville high school. He has just returned home after 14 months of duty in Europe and is now on a 90-day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hermens arrived in Salem by plane Monday to spend New Year's with her mother and sister, Mrs. Rosa Stover and Miss Ruth Stover.

The Englewood Woman's club will meet with Mrs. Floyd Smith, 1325 N. 17th st., Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. George Alling will lead the devotions and Miss Marjorie Allen of Willamette university will give a group of readings. Major Virgil W. Jackson, chaplain with the 96th division, will tell of his experiences. Hostesses are Mrs. Tyler Morley, Mrs. Ralph Hynes and Mrs. Ralph Maude.

A pair of Salem sisters have just spent their first Christmas together in 51 years. Mrs. C. J. Schleicher, who came here from Grand Island, Neb., this year to make her home with her sister, Mrs. Anna Veneman, 1250 N. Winter st., had not had the holidays together since 1894 when they were in Dayton, Mo.

Mrs. Edmond L. Clark and daughter, Lt. Flora Jean Clark, now on terminal leave from the army, nurses' corps, have returned to their home at 245 E. Superior st., after a holiday visit in Walla Walla, Wash., with their son and brother, Mr. Reed L. Clark. The lieutenant, recently back from overseas, will make her home in Salem with her mother.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Morris on Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Oatis Phillips and children, Naomi, Lorene, Meritte, Geraldine and Sonnie of Labish, Center; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris and son, Billy, of Agate Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Schafer of Newport.

Mrs. Mildred Boyington of Oregon City was here for the weekend as the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer F. Smith.



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The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Minto on Saginaw street was the scene of a New Year's eve gathering with Mr. and Mrs. Robert White assisting the hosts. A midnight supper was served after an informal evening.

Among the out-of-town guests present for the occasion were Captain and Mrs. Max Moon of Astoria and their weekend guests, Comdr. and Mrs. Glenn Koonce, also of Astoria, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Sprague of Seattle, who are here for a few days, Mr. and Mrs. David Carl of Portland, former Salem residents, who are New Year's guests of the Robert Whites, and Captain Verden E. Hockett of Bremerton.

Family Gathering At Harold Home

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Harold entertained members of their family over the holidays, three just being discharged from the service. Cpl. Gayle L. Ryan of the WACs was discharged at San Antonio, Texas, Clifford C. Logsdon, QM 2c and Julius L. Harold S 2c both of the navy, were discharged at Bremerton, Wash.

Gathered for the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Logsdon, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Harold and children, Judith, Glenda and Susan, Miss Gayle L. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Logsdon and children Sandra and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Heston Gross and children, Janice and Wayne, Miss Tena Harold, Robert Ryan and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Harold.

Golden Wedding Observed Today

MONMOUTH—Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Williams will observe their 50th wedding anniversary at their home here today, January 1. They were married New Year's day, 1896, at Nemaha, Neb.

Bertha Skeen is a native of Nemaha where she was born and educated. David Llewellyn Williams was born at Youngstown, Iowa, and moved with his parents to Stella, Neb., a few years later. They farmed for one year in Nebraska, and then engaged in the harness business at Ord, Neb., where they lived until coming here in 1914. They have resided continuously here since, except for a couple of years in Portland during the first World war when he had a saddle business there.

Their children are Floyd Williams in Portland; and Mrs. Paul McCracken of Lebanon, and three grandsons, Paul Jr., Bobby and Michael McCracken.

The Rev. Mr. Chamberlain of Nemaha Christian church officiated at their marriage, and his daughter, Mrs. Maude Crawford of Portland, will attend the anniversary reception here Tuesday. Frank Skeen of Monmouth, brother of Mrs. Williams also attended the wedding 50 years ago, and will attend the reception. Another midwest guest will be Mrs. Homer Stokes of Palmer, Neb., who is visiting here this winter.

Miss Edna L. Sterling, who has been a holiday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Wallace, is leaving today for her home in Seattle. The Wallace's daughter, Nancy, is also leaving for Seattle today by plane to return to her studies on the University of Washington campus.

Miss Patricia Riches, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Riches, arrived in the capital Monday morning from El Toro, Calif. Miss Riches, who has been stationed at El Toro as a recreation assistant with the marine corps, has received her discharge. She was stationed at Camp LeJeune and Cherry Point, N. C., and Quantico, Va., during her 23 months in the service.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Schafer of Newport spent the holidays in Salem and vicinity visiting with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kobow of Salem, and with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walters and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Morris of Quinaby.

Boy Born to Beardsleys

Congratulations go to Lt. and Mrs. Russell Beardsley (Betty Wirth) on the birth of a son Monday morning at the Salem General hospital.

The little boy, who has been named James Russell, weighed six pounds and eight ounces. The baby's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wirth of Salem, Mrs. Olive Beardsley of Camden, S. S., and Mr. Harry Beardsley of Klamath Falls.

Lt. Beardsley is now at Hako-

date, Japan, with the army.

Younger Set Entertains

Members of the younger set entertained with several watch parties on New Year's eve.

Miss Jean Fidler, who returns today to her studies at the University of Oregon, was hostess for a New Year's eve party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Fidler, on South 21st street. A few of Miss Fidler's friends were invited to the affair. A midnight supper was served by the hostess.

Miss Janice Middleton was a party hostess on New Year's eve for a group of her friends. After an evening of dancing and games a late supper was served.

Miss Middleton's guests were the Misses Sally Smith, Grace Widdows, Lois Ruecker, Barbara Smith, Hilda Fox, Ernest Kufer, Richard Cole, Bob Wiper, Dale Cleaver, LaVerne Hiebert and Cornelius Bateson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Willis Danforth and sons, David and Bill, have left for Klamath Falls to make their home. Mrs. Danforth and their sons resided here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Wright, while Major Danforth was overseas.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Sisson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brown E. Sisson, left by plane Monday afternoon for Seattle to return to the University of Washington campus.

House guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Standish the past week have been her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Heath Hall and children, Julie and Wallace of Vancouver, Wash.

Elford's Hosts At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. George Elford entertained at a Christmas dinner party at their Center street home. The table, covered with a lace and Italian cutwork cloth, was centered with pyracantha berries and red tapers.

Covers were placed for Miss Ethel Hudson, Mr. Dewey Elford and Mr. Jack Elford of Portland, sons of the hosts, Mrs. Franc Gilbert Bailey of Taft high school, Mrs. Lottie Pound Gilbert and the hosts.

Visiting Parents

MIDDLE GROVE—Murray Dow and Mrs. Vern Schulz spent Christmas weekend at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dow.

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