

SOCIETY, WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS

By ANN CONNELL

Brides from Four Continents Attend Tea at YWCA Center

An international tone was given by the meeting of over 40 brides of the community yesterday afternoon at the YWCA Community Center, when in attendance were three from England, one from Australia, one from France and one from Brazil.

The brides were Mrs. Peter Johnson, Mrs. Alan Johnson and Mrs. Alvin Bray, English; Mrs. Mary White, Australian; Mrs. John Hanson, from Brazil, and Mrs. Rodney Swanson, from France. Mrs. Swanson, though French-speaking, is Polish. Mrs. Johnson was able to converse with the brides in French.

Hostess for the YW was Mrs. Helen Hoffman, assisted by Mrs. Helen Lemon, another Y worker.

The tea was served by Mrs. David Johnson and Mrs. Jessie Whitcomb. Other attending brides were Mrs. Selmer Johnson, Mrs. Mary Swanson and Mrs. Frank J. Johnson.

Meals in Two Weeks

It was agreed to continue meetings under the sponsorship of the YWCA, with the purpose of educating members' participation in community life. Meetings will be held semi-monthly, the next one on September 3, at the same place. British brides will have charge of the tea, serving it in English fashion.

All brides from overseas in this area are invited to attend, and are asked to give their names and address to either Mrs. Helen Hoffman at the YWCA Community Center, or to Ann Connell, city editor at the Register-Guard.



Mr. and Mrs. ROUSE

Missionary Group To Honor Founder

Imo Ruyle Missionary Circle of First Baptist Church will have a dinner honoring Mrs. Imo Ruyle Foster Tuesday, August 27 at six-thirty o'clock at the Osburn Hotel. The Rev. and Mrs. Virgil E. Foster are visiting here from Grinnell, Iowa. Mrs. Foster once lived in Eugene and was assistant to Dr. Foster when he was pastor of the local church. The circle was named in her honor.

Members of the group wishing to make reservations for the dinner may call Mrs. Fred Haley, Mrs. Frank Pattison, or Mrs. Arthur Smith.

BOARD TO MEET

Executive board of the Lane County League of Women Voters will meet at the home of Mrs. V. N. Freeman, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Guard. Those living in rural communities are especially urged to send in their names and addresses.

It is planned to have an exchange of favorite recipes among those attending the next meeting, and future plans include talks by prominent women of the community who will tell of phases of American life.

Open House Event For 50th Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rouse of 955 D Street, Springfield, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary with open house Sunday afternoon, August 11, from two until five o'clock. Many friends called and congratulated the couple. A three-tiered wedding cake and punch were served.

Out-of-town guests who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nidver and son Bruce, Eugene; Miss Florence Coffin, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Walker, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Relyea, all of Eugene.

Monday, August 12, date of the anniversary, a family dinner was held with many relatives present, including Mrs. W. L. Bailey, Boston, Mass.; Mrs. Forest Lahr, Fillmore, N.Y.; Austin Platt, Belfast, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Platt, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Don Barley, Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. Bueford Holverson and son, Ronnie, Vaughn; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, Joyce and Harvey Lee, Miss Edna Platt, Charles Platt, Mrs. Ida Holverson, all of Springfield.

Bridal Shower For Miss Stalsberg

Honoring Miss Lois Jean Stalsberg, who is to be married Sunday to Ray C. Stratton, a bridal shower was given recently by Mrs. Glen Beyer and Mrs. Dean Stevens at the Airport Homes recreation room. Floral decorations were in pink and white. A three-layer cake, topped with miniature bride and groom, also was in pink and white.

Miscellaneous gifts were presented to Miss Stalsberg in a basket of the same colors.

Invited guests were Mrs. Jay Stalsberg, Mrs. Knut Stalsberg, Mrs. Riley Stratton, Mrs. Lena Tjorn, Mrs. Norwald Nelson, Mrs. Clifford Stalsberg, Mrs. Thelmer Nelson, Mrs. F. L. Larsen, Miss Eleanor Larsen, Mrs. Elmer Larsen, Miss Dorothy Tomlin, Miss Junelle Pitkins, Mrs. Jens Thorsen, Mrs. Karen Holtane, Mrs. Roy Stageberg, Mrs. Arnold Larsen, Mrs. Norman Larsen, Miss Donna Stageberg, Miss Cleo Stageberg, Miss Ardene Wike, Miss Loraine Stalsberg, Mrs. M. O. Ankarberg, Mrs. Donald Kimball, Mrs. Erwin Johnson, Miss Dyann Adair Longberg, and Mrs. O. A. Longberg.

RECENT BRIDE COMES FOR SHOWER

Mrs. J. E. Morgan (Laurel Emerson) of Portland, who was married June 3, came from Portland Saturday to attend a shower in her honor by Mrs. R. E. Swezey, Mrs. Verlet Swezey and Miss Lyle Hart. The party was held at the home of Mrs. R. E. Swezey. Many old friends were present.

Games were played and following the opening of gifts, refreshments were served. Mrs. Morgan returned home Sunday evening.

SOCIAL CLUB

A meeting of the social club to the Sons of Union Veterans Auxiliary will not be held this Friday. A postponed meeting will be held Friday, August 30, at the home of Mrs. Bertha Dunbar, 379 Fifth Avenue West, at two o'clock. Mrs. Eva Baker will be assistant hostess.

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PASTOR AND WIFE HONORED AT PARTY FOR ANNIVERSARY

Approximately a hundred friends of Pastor and Mrs. Kai Nyegaard of Emmanuel Lutheran Church attended a party given in honor of the couple's twenty-fifth wedding anniversary recently, in the church parlors. The rooms were elaborately decorated with crepe streamers and silver bells, and bouquets of carnations, roses, gladioli and other flowers. A three-tiered wedding cake was

provided as refreshment.

A program was given, for which M. Mikkelsen served as toastmaster. Musical numbers were given by the couple's son and daughter, Miss Betty Nyegaard singing "Bless This House" and Allen Nyegaard playing a trumpet solo, "Le Secret" (Gautier). Talks were given by the Rev. A. M. Eggen and the Rev. Ingward Olsen and others, and many gifts were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Nyegaard.

MISS ROSEZENA LATTA PLACES AS FINALIST IN SINGING CONTEST

Miss RoseZena Latta, senior in music at the University of Oregon Tuesday placed as a finalist in the Atwater Kent voice contest being held at Los Angeles. Finals in the competition will begin Monday evening.

Miss Latta, who is the daughter of Mrs. Loren Cooley of Coos Bay, has appeared in several recitals

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on the campus. A lyric soprano, she is a pupil of Sigurd Nilssen. On the campus, her home is the Alpha Gamma Delta sorority house.

Competing against large numbers of youthful singers from the whole Pacific slope, Miss Latta's selection as one of the limited number of finalists is gratifying to local friends.

DAUGHTER ARRIVES HERE TO FIND MOTHER ILL

When Mrs. Kenneth Grant (Rosemary Boyd) arrived by plane Wednesday from her home at Fremont, Nebr., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Boyd, she found her mother in the hospital (Sacred Heart) recuperating from surgery. Mrs. Boyd is making satisfactory recovery.

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