

**Mrs. H. M. Davenport Named by Governor On State Committee**

Once again Governor Earl Snell has appointed twenty Oregon women to serve on a committee to choose an Oregon mother for 1947.

Mrs. H. M. Davenport, who served as the representative from Eugene on the committee last year, has been asked to serve again this year. She will go to Portland where she will attend a luncheon, Wednesday of next week, at which Governor Snell and the twenty members of the committee will be present.

Mrs. Standfield, who is the present Oregon mother, lives on a

wheat ranch near Pendleton. She will retire when another is chosen. The new candidates will compete with the mothers from other states for the title of national mother.

**FIFTY VOICES SIGNED FOR MIXED CHORUS**

Fifty voices have been registered for the proposed mixed non-sectarian choir in Eugene, reports Waldo B. Nielsen, who will organize and direct the group. A preliminary meeting will be held February 24, the place to be named later.

Others of the ages 16 to 40, men or women, who are interested in joining the group still may register with Mr. Nielsen, by calling 5758-W.

**SOCIETY, WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS**

By ANN CONNELL

**Springfield Plans New BPW Club**

Preliminary steps toward organization of a Business and Professional Women's Club at Springfield were taken at a luncheon held Wednesday noon at the Greenwood Cafe, in the banquet room. Presiding at the luncheon was Mrs. Harold B. Jensen, first vice president of the Oregon Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs. Miss Elizabeth Richard, president of the Eugene B&PW Club, and other members of the board of the Eugene club, attended.

Voting unanimously for organization of a Springfield group, the nineteen women and girls from Springfield who attended the luncheon named Mrs. Lloyd Manning as temporary chairman, and Miss Signy Vik, temporary secretary.

It was agreed to hold an evening organizational meeting February 28, the place to be named later. Reports then will be heard from committees appointed by the chairman, as follows: Membership, Miss Reta Shields, chairman; Miss Billy Rowley and Mrs. Lynn Moore.

Dues and by-laws, Mrs. Lynn Moore, chairman; Miss Doris E. Myers and Mrs. Elmer Stone. Nominating, Miss Marge Richardson, chairman; Mrs. Ralph Cline and Mrs. Orville Milberger. Mrs. Jensen addressed the group upon the value of membership in the national federation of the B&PW Club. Miss Richards spoke upon the work of the state organization, and Mrs. Glenn Pirtle on benefits of membership in the local organization.

A club was instituted at Lebanon recently, initiation held Wednesday of this week, at which there were fifty charter members. It is hoped the Springfield group may equal this number in their charter group.



**MR. AND MRS. W. B. KEITH**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Keith, former residents of Springfield, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary recently at North Bend.

**Senior Class Of Nurses To Graduate**

Invitations have been issued by the faculty and senior class of the Sacred Heart Hospital School of Nursing to the ceremony of conferring diplomas upon ten graduates. The rites will take place Friday evening at seven-thirty o'clock at St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Following this, there will be a reception for graduates and friends at the nurses home on Hilyard Street, and a musical program will be given.

Those who will receive their diplomas are: Alice Marguerite Amacher, Ruth Marie Groves, Mary Elizabeth Hughes, Mae Christina High, Phyllis Nadine Torrey, Catherine N. Nepper, Bette Jane Neipp, Mary Jane Meyers, Mary Magdalen Brand, and Anna Exelgaard Skeubo.

**COUPLE STARTS LONG JOURNEY TO COPENHAGEN**

Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Nielsen started this week for Copenhagen, Denmark, going by bus to California and planning to continue, with stops in Texas, Florida and South Carolina, on their way to New York City. They will sail February 28 on the Swedish liner Drottningholm. The young couple's departure was delayed about a week by the fire which occurred recently at their home.

Mr. Nielsen, who is a student

**Toastmistress Club Offers Full Program**

A full program of speeches is planned for the meeting of Toastmistress Club, to be held Thursday evening at seven-thirty o'clock at the Community Center.

Mrs. E. J. Eberdt will act as toastmistress, and Mrs. DeLos Shinn will be topic mistress. Their maiden speeches will be made by Mrs. Gene Gibson and Mrs. Hazel Conaway.

**Committee Named By Beta Sigma Phi**

Mrs. Harold Shearer was appointed chairman of the nominating committee for Beta Sigma Phi at their meeting Monday evening. Also on the committee are Miss Hazel Lyle and Miss Wilda Parrish. Members brought clothing for needy French families. Final arrangements were made for the district meeting which will take place next Sunday.

Miss Alice Gerot gave a paper on Denver, Colorado and Miss Clarice Krieg presented a paper on Montreal, Quebec and the Gaspe Peninsula.

and teacher of music, will continue his studies for two years at the Royal Conservatory at Copenhagen, native city of his parents. He came to Eugene in September, 1945, and was joined here last June by his fiancée, Miss Lise Hansen. They were married in Eugene. It is their intention to return to Eugene.

**Very Little Theatre To Start Casting**

A copy of the desired book, "Sidewalks of New York" has been obtained by the Eugene Very Little Theatre, and this will be the next "corn show" to be presented

by the amateur play... Casting for the show will be started Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, at the VLT playhouse in the fairgrounds. The show will be produced in mid-March, George Hebert, who will direct, has announced.

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**SANTA CLARA CLUB MEETS FOR DESSERT**

Santa Clara Women's Club met for dessert at the home of Mrs. Carlyle Craig, Friday, with Mrs. M. K. Emmons as co-hostess. There were twenty-seven members and guests present. Two new members joined, Mrs. Joe Slavens and Mrs. L. O. Higgins.

A discussion of the various projects of the club was held. It was decided to hold a "mop party," at the meeting in March which will be at the home of Mrs. Roy Emerson.

**AUXILIARY GROUPS TO MEET AT LUNCHEON**

Illahae Division will entertain Oregon Rose Lodge Friday afternoon at the Knights of Pythias Hall, at a one o'clock luncheon. Cards will follow. Both groups are railway auxiliaries.

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