

SOCIETY AND CLUB NEWS

Mother Will Be Theme For Special Services In Salem Churches May 17

Mother will be honored in Salem on Sunday, May 14, national Mother's Day, for on that day in almost every church in the entire country a special service has been prepared as a tribute to these grand women. Sons and daughters will attend church in honor of Mother on Mother's Day, which is fast approaching as a church going day. They will wear flowers in her memory. And mother, herself, will be present for the service which will hold a message of cheer for her.

In several of the churches special conveyance has been provided for aged or shut in mothers and may be secured by calling the pastor of the church. In all churches conveyance would be supplied if the need were made known. In most cases the day will be observed at the morning service.

War Mothers, members of the American Legion Auxiliary and their husbands will observe Mother's Day on Sunday evening at the Congregational church when Rev. W. C. Kantner will preach on the subject "Some Mothers of Men." He will use as illustrations several characters of the Old Testament. There will be special music.

Various Subjects Chosen
"Motherhood's Badge of Honor" is the subject chosen by Rev. Blaine E. Kirkpatrick for the morning service at the First Methodist Episcopal church. His text from Romans 13:7 is "Render therefore unto all their due, honor to whom honor." Special music is being arranged. Those who wish to obtain conveyance for mothers should call Mr. Kirkpatrick at 974.

Rev. Ward Willis Long, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will preach at 11 o'clock Sunday morning on "The Nameless Mother of a Famous Son," based on the text from Exodus 2:10, "And the child grew and she brought him into Pharaoh's daughter and he became her son and she called his name Moses." The choir will sing "Little Mother of Mine" (Burleigh) arranged by Mrs. Ada Miller Harris. Claude Stevenson will sing "Mother Machree." Conveyance may be arranged by calling Mr. Long at 390W.

"God and Mother" is the sermon subject for the morning service at the First Congregational church. Rev. W. C. Kantner has chosen as his text "As one whom his mother comforteth, so will I comfort you," Isaiah 66:13. There will be special music. If notified at 911W Mr. Kantner will send conveyance for mothers. Mothers with small children may leave them in the church parlors with a woman who has offered her services to care for them during the morning service.

St. Paul's Episcopal church will observe Mother's Day at 11 o'clock and Rev. H. D. Chambers has chosen the subject "Son, Behold Thy Mother," using the same as his text. The church is being appropriately decorated and special music is being arranged for the occasion.

To Provide Conveyance
Rev. J. J. Evans at the First Christian church will preach at 11 o'clock on "The Measure of Motherhood." His text from Matthew 15:4 is "For God said honor thy father and mother and he who speaketh evil of father or mother let him die the death." The chorists accompanied by violins will sing "Nobody Knows but Mother," Miss Trista Wenger will sing "Little Mother O' Mine." Special attention has been given to providing ways for aged or shut in mothers to attend the service.

At the Unitarian church Rev. Martin Fereshetian will use the subject "Motherhood." He will take for his text Exodus 3:2-5,

who wish to attend the services. Rev. A. Wells, of the Nazarene church, will preach on Sunday morning on "Victory," from the text of I John 5:4, "This is the victory that overcometh the world even our faith." There will be special music.

Relatives Visit
Mrs. H. V. Compton
Miss Florence Witham and F. W. Witham, of Everett, Washington, arrived in Salem last week and by motor to visit at the home of Mrs. H. V. Compton. Miss Witham will remain indefinitely and will return north with her father, who is making a tour of the state. The visitors are sister and father of Mrs. Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice
Hosts for Cherry City
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rice entertained members of the Cherry City club on Wednesday night for a dinner party. Covers were placed for sixteen. Decorations were done in yellow, the large table centerpiece being of veronica arranged with greenery, and yellow candles were placed about. Yellow and white was carried out in the luncheon.

Plan Trip
Up the McKenzie
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Albert, Mrs. J. C. Griffith and Mrs. Arthur Brasfield, of Berkeley, California, will form a motor party which will spend the week end on the McKenzie. They left today and will go as far as Blue River. Miss Mary Jane Albert will accompany them and in Eugene will join a week end party of university students who will also go up the McKenzie.

Salem Women
Visit in Portland
Mrs. Frank Spears, Mrs. W. C. Dyer and Mrs. S. C. Dyer spent Wednesday in Portland, making the trip by motor.

Return Following
Week at Neskowin
Mr. and Mrs. Dan J. Fry, Mrs. Kitty Graver and Mrs. R. E. Lee Steiner returned to Salem on Wednesday following a week's vacation spent at Neskowin.

Miss Applegate
Home from Medford
After a visit of a month in Medford, Miss Lillian Applegate returned to Salem on Tuesday.

Girls to Be Guests
For O. A. C. Week End
Miss Lois Nye and Miss Ruth Mase will go to Corvallis today to attend O. A. C. junior week end festivities. They will be guests at the Delta Delta Delta house.

Miss Anderson
Goes to Seattle
Miss Miriam E. Anderson, secretary to the local Y. W. C. A., will depart this evening for Seattle to spend several days visiting with friends. She will return to Salem Monday morning.

Nebraskans Will Plan
For Annual Picnic Tonight
Nebraskans are invited to attend a meeting on Saturday evening at 7 o'clock in Judge Race's office at the city hall to make plans for the annual picnic for persons from that state.

Woman's Club
To Meet Tomorrow
The Salem Woman's club will meet tomorrow afternoon for the final session of the season. At that time new officers will be elected. Delegates to attend the state federation meeting in Tillamook May 30 will also be chosen.

Mrs. Gray
Goes to Portland
Mrs. Charles Gray is spending the week in Portland. She is a guest at the Portland hotel.

The V-neck has returned to fashion and is to be seen on many of the newest English and French creations.

Soloist For Apollo Club Is Praised

Gracing some of the most attractive show windows in the city are the customary artistic posters announcing the season's final concert of the Apollo club. Shown on the posters are photographs of the Apollo club and of Edna Swanson Ver Haar, the beautiful Swedish contralto, who will share the concert program with the chorus. Miss Ver Haar's advent into the world of music is aptly told in recent interviews of a prominent musical critic with the charming young artist, and with an impresario upon whom she had made a marked impression:

"What strange things happen in families is illustrated in the birth of a child in America some years ago. The parents being Swedish naturally were fond of music—most Swedes are—in fact many of our great musicians hail from there.

"This little girl, however, had no taste for music of any kind much to the regret of her parents—up to 12 years she was musically dead. Then suddenly she started to sing, but everybody ran away from her in disgust. It became an obsession with her to sing on any and all occasions. She drove her friends away and out of her house—was told she better hire out as a forger, but nothing daunted she kept right on and finally developed into a beautiful young woman of most charming personality with an entrancing contralto voice. She is now revealed in Edna Ver Haar."

"You may ask are there any good singers who are not temperamental," said the impresario. "I late met one who was a revelation to me. She was beautiful, did not seem to know it—made no display of temperament—was not whimsical—had a beautiful contralto voice which she knew how to use—would not talk about herself or achievements, referred me to another concerning work and its results. She seems to be void of egotism and she has a fortune in her voice and personality. This singer is none other than Edna Ver Haar."

Final rehearsal of the Apollo club's program was held last evening and it is anticipated that full houses will greet the singers when they appear at the Grand theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Winifred Byrd Plays In Metropolitan Concert

Miss Winifred Byrd played on April 23 in a Sunday night concert in the Metropolitan theatre in New York, giving the concert in the Metropolitan chorus. To give a Sunday night concert at the Metropolitan is the desire of every great musician, and Miss Byrd was greatly pleased to play there. The theatre seats three or four thousand persons and reports received from those who attended state that hundreds stood in the aisle. The reports also state that Miss Byrd played especially well.

Mrs. Henry Meyers
Has Bridge Luncheon Club
Mrs. Henry Meyers was hostess yesterday for the Thursday Bridge Luncheon club which met at her home. Decorations were done with large baskets of white lilies and rose colored tulips. Additional guests were Mrs. Ed Baker, Mrs. J. Shelley Saurman, Mrs. Frederick Lampert and Mrs. James Dunsbury. Mrs. William Boot will entertain the group next week on Thursday at the residence of Mrs. Asahel Bush.

Miss Fisher Is Bride of Tacoma Man

Miss Edna Fisher and M. C. Riggs were married on Tuesday at the Methodist church parsonage, the Rev. Blaine E. Kirkpatrick reading the service. The bride is the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Fisher, of Salem, and is the sister of Mrs. E. L. Ferrar, of this city.

The bride wore a dark blue suit of twinkleton and a small hat of henna covered with spring flowers. Her bouquet was a corsage of brides roses and ferns. The wedding was a surprise to the friends of the couple.

Mr. Riggs is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Riggs, of Tacoma, Washington, and is a successful business man of that city. The couple will be at home in Tacoma after June 15. Those who were present for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Riggs, Mrs. E. L. Ferrar and Mrs. W. M. Cross.

Tribute is Paid
To Miss Mary Schultz
Tribute was paid last night to Miss Mary Schultz, violinist, at a meeting of the Salem Elks, when several members of the order who served during the war told of the things Miss Schultz did in New York for the soldiers. They told of how she played in one of the largest New York hospitals for the sick and wounded soldiers, of how she was one of the hostesses and entertainers at the Oregon club in New York and assisted the boys in many ways. Miss Schultz, who is appearing tonight in concert at the Grand theatre, was promised the support of the Elks.

Dallas D. A. R. Elect New Officers

Dallas, May 12.—At a meeting of the Sarah Childress Polk chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution held this week at the home of Mrs. M. L. Boyd, the following officers were elected to officiate during the ensuing year: Mrs. M. L. Boyd, regent; Mrs. Oscar Hayter, vice regent; Mrs. E. A. Koen, secretary; Mrs. John H. Allgood, treasurer; Mrs. Joseph E. Sibley, historian; Mrs. Ralph Y. Morrison, registrar. At the close of the session refreshments were served by the hostess. Mrs. Oscar Hayter read an interesting paper on early Oregon history. The next meeting of the chapter will be held at the home of Mrs. C. L. Crider.

Called Here By Mother's Death

D. A. Palmer, of Benville, Montana, and Mrs. J. A. Southam, of Mohall, North Dakota, are in Salem having been called here by the death of their mother, Mrs. Alonzo Palmer. They will return to their homes late this week.

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