

# SOCIETY and CLUB NEWS

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## Week One of Teas, Dances, Concerts

In looking back over the last six days Salem matrons are amazed to find the variety of activities which have been crowded in the one short week. Bridge teas, club meetings, dances—luncheons, dinners and supper parties—all crowded into one kaleidoscopic whole to keep the matrons and maids intensely busy.

It has been largely however, a week of bridge teas, dances and concerts. Chamoketa chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution were hostesses at one of the largest affairs of the month when they entertained at a benefit bridge tea at the home of Mrs. Russell Catlin on Tuesday. Twenty tables of players were guests of the afternoon. In addition to a number of attractive bridge club meetings Mrs. R. W. Hartman and Mrs. F. G. Brock entertained at two beautiful afternoon affairs on Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

The Tillicum club dance on Tuesday evening and the Shrine dance on Wednesday evening opened a week of dances for society folk that culminated last night in the spring dance sponsored by the Junior Guild. The harvest dance given by the guild in past years have been notably brilliant affairs but none of them equalled the spring dance of last night. It was an undisputed success.

Music lovers consider the week decidedly worthwhile. The concert given by Miss Frances Virgine Melton, William Wallace Graham and Prof. Emory Hobson, all members of the Willamette faculty, in Waller hall Wednesday evening, under the sponsorship of the A. A. U. W. was a distinct musical treat and one that was thoroughly enjoyed. The University of Oregon glee club and orchestra concert at the Grand on Thursday evening was the second musical opportunity of the week. Anticipated with no less interest in the concert in Waller hall tonight by the 35 piece O. A. C. symphony orchestra.

Mrs. Earl Piegel entertained a small group of her friends informally at tea at the Colonial Dame Tea shop on Tuesday afternoon. Tulips and narcissi centered the table.

From Ashcroft, 16 Claremont Road, Marlow-on-Thames, Bucks England, comes a letter from Albert Richard Wetjen to one of his Salem friends. Mr. Wetjen is spending a year in England writing short stories and collecting material. Mr. Wetjen has been writing recently for Collins. Excerpts from his last letter are as follows: "Am turning out quite a few short stories lately and then back to dear old U. S. I think I shall never want to leave Oregon again. I might almost say I'm homesick for it. I'm getting back as soon as possible."

Of Marlow he says "This little old village on the Thames is a queer sort of country back-water. There are houses still standing built in 1300 and something. We almost managed to rent one and just failed. The church here was built on the ruins of a Norman castle and was built on the ruins of a Saxon, etc. The great modern bridge replaced a few years ago a wooden structure that replaced, about Charles I's time one that was built by the Black Prince or someone. And so on. Shelley wrote a lot of stuff while drifting round the lanes so I ought to have wonderful Shelly for company. Even the public houses are old and tottering and the counters seem heavy with the grime of generations.

"It's a delightful old place and strangely lonely. "Marlow has no buses, no street cars, only about four private taxis. Farmers drive in in traps and you can stable horses behind any of the inns. Take away the few parked cars, change the people's clothes and you are back in the sixteenth century. Even the swans on the river, quite close to the house seem quite at home, ancient and usual. And the Thames. It's a pitifully small stream to have caused such a stir in history. Didn't Chaucer call it liquid gold? It's only about a half a yard across here and we're not forty miles from London. Yet this tiny river has seen the coming of the Vikings, the long ships of the Saxons; Caeser crossed it several times, Hadrian and other emperors. Queen Elizabeth rowed down it to the palace at Windsor, and Raleigh and Drake and all the old bold and dour company of gentlemen adventurers.

"You can say what you like about England but she has a glorious heritage and Hengist and Hoga carried a bit more in the leather shoes than their feet when they stepped upon muddy Thaneset off the Thames. "It's really the most remarkable thing in history, excepting the culture of Greece and Rome, this reading of a little people from a rocky sea girl island half as large as Oregon into the greatest empire of the world.

"The more you get into the thing the more you can see that the empire was not founded deliberately and for the love of gold and power. I think it was primarily founded because of a strong sense of loyalty and service inbred in the Anglo-Saxons."

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bishop are entertaining as their guests this week end Mr. and Mrs. L. Jean and their daughter of Rochester, New York.

## SALEM HIGH SCHOOL SINGERS WHO WON CUP AT FOREST GROVE



The small mixed chorus who won first place in the state wide contest held on the Pacific university campus last week-end. Reading from left to right, first row: Miss Gretchen Krueger, accompanist; Miss Lillian Scott, Miss Echo DeSart, Miss Lena Belle Tartar, director, Miss Helen Pemberton, Miss Helen Marcus. Second row, Ronald Craven, Collis Marsters, Earle H. G. and Arlie Anderson. Four cups were won by the Salem group. In addition to the small mixed chorus the boys' glee club and the girls' glee club and the singers were trained by her.

First places were awarded the large mixed chorus, the girls' glee club and the boys' glee club.

## High School To Give Prize Program

The Salem high school music department will give the musical numbers recently entered in the inter-state music tournament next Tuesday evening at the high school auditorium. Twelve entries were made from Salem, all of a very high grade as to selection and attainments of the performers. One of these entries, Salem won four first honors, three seconds, and a third place. Four beautiful silver loving cups were awarded the first honors; certificates will be received by those taking second and third places.

The program Tuesday evening will begin at eight o'clock. A small admission (ten cents) will be charged at the door. The following numbers will be included: Scherzo Op. 31, Chopin; Lucille Anderson, Water Lilies, Linders; girls' quartet, Sweet Evening Star Wagner; Gene Parmentier, Sweet and Low, Barby; boys' quartet, A Bowl of Roses, Clarke; Josephine Albert, Winter Song, Bullock; boys' glee club, On Wings of Song, Mendelssohn; Esther Burch, Goodnight Beloved, Pinetti; small chorus, Harlequin, Sanderson; Echo DeSart, Boats of Mine, Miller; girls' glee club, Ah Moon of My Delight, Lehman; Ronald Craven; Goin' Home, Dvorak; large chorus.

One of the most charming luncheons of the week was given at the Paul Hendricks home on Thursday when Mrs. Hendricks entertained her bridge luncheon club. Mrs. Carl Becke was a special guest. High bridge score was won by Mrs. John H. Carson.

Guests of Mrs. Hendricks were Mrs. Becke, Mrs. John H. Carson, Mrs. Allan Carson, Mrs. Don Young, Mrs. Clifton Irwin, Mrs. Orrie F. Fry, Mrs. Clifford Farmer and Mrs. Homer Egan.

Of interest in Salem where Mr. Nichols' parents reside and where he is well known is the following excerpt from the Pendleton East Oregonian: "Miss Della Ferguson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ferguson, was an attractive bride of yesterday morning when her wedding to Madison Nichols, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nichols of Salem, occurred. The ceremony took place at the Ferguson home. Rev. W. H. Robins, pastor of the Baptist church officiating. In the presence of a few friends.

The bride was most attractive in an ensemble suit of tan, worn with matching hat. Her matron of honor, Mrs. Harold Maloney, was in a suit of powder blue. Clarence Starbuck of Portland, fraternal brother of the groom, was best man.

Proceeding the ceremony Miss Nurie Hampton sang "I Love You Truly." A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony. Amelting in serving were Mabel Ferguson, sister of the bride, and Evelyn Struve. Daffodils were used about the rooms.

The bride, who is a charming girl, attended Oregon Agricultural college, and is a member of Alpha Gamma Delta. Mr. Nichols attended the college and is a member of Alpha Sigma Phi. They left yesterday by motor for Portland and will go later to Marshfield to reside. Mr. Nichols is manager of the Umpqua Gravel company at Marshfield.

## Glee Club To Give Last Concert

The Willamette university girls' glee club will give their home concert, the last of the year, in Waller hall on Wednesday evening. The program will include solo and ensemble numbers of both a classical and the so called popular type. Something unusual in stage settings has been planned. A number of colorful stunts and skits will be included and one of the feature numbers will be built about the subject of "Dutch Love."

Soloists of the club are Miss Trista Wenger, contralto, Miss Gladys McIntyre, lyric soprano, and Miss Faye Spaulding, soprano. Miss Ruth Ross is president of the club and Miss Ruth Holmbeck, secretary. The singers are directed by Prof. Emory Hobson and Miss Fay Sparks assists him. Twenty five voices are included in the club.

The girls have returned only recently from a tour in eastern Oregon and Washington during which they gave twelve concerts. Last night they gave a concert in Graham.

Miss Annabelle Lawrence, Miss Dorothy Smart and George Johnson entertained at a charming dancing and supper party in the Entre Nous club house on Wednesday evening. Baskets of lilacs and lavender tulips were used about the rooms and on the long table. Lavender candles were lovingly in crystal holders. A feature of the evening was the butterfly dance given by Miss Rachel Howard. Each of the matrons and maids in the group wore a crepe paper flower costume and the effect secured was most charming.

Guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hummel, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howard, Mr. and Mrs. George Wenderoth, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Oglesby, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smart, Mr. Munson, Miss Joy Turner, Miss Constance Smart, William Moses and Ray Hummel.

Mrs. Seymour Jones, state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and Mrs. Elmo S. White, state secretary, will motor to Corvallis to attend the reception which will be given at the women's clubhouse by the Corvallis Woman's club and Winema chapter of the daughters for the foreign students who are attending O. A. C. Mrs. Jones will give a short talk during the reception.

At the Marion county convention of the W. C. T. U. which will be held in Woodburn next Wednesday Mr. West, superintendent of the children's farm home at Corvallis, will be the evening speaker. Mr. West will bring a group of his young singers with him and they will give several program numbers.

Among the charming spring parties was the farewell party given on Wednesday at the Lowe home in honor of Miss Grace Fultz who will leave shortly to make her home in eastern Oregon. Dancing was the diversion of the evening. The guest list included Miss Grace Fultz, Miss Lila Stuteman of Bend, Miss Elizabeth Craig, Miss Florence Lowe, Miss Lena Lynne, Miss Juanita Allen, Miss Yorkie Armstrong, Miss Ida Bowman, Miss Jenny Lovejoy, Miss Laura Nelson, Billy Palmer, Reynold Olson, Harry Welch, Morris Owens, Clyde Wheeler, Earl King, Ray Fultz, Jimmy Davis, Chester Wright, Theodore Baker, Ray Later and the hostesses, Mrs. R. V. Later and Mrs. Lowe.

Outstanding among the events of the coming week is the formal dance in Derby hall at which Mrs. F. A. Eiker, Mrs. W. T. Greer and Mrs. Will Hamilton will be hostesses. The affair gives promise of being one of the most beautiful of the entire season.

Mrs. W. H. Parker left today to spend a week in Toledo with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Young.

## New Pastor Honored at Reception

More than five hundred members of the First Methodist church, and a number of special guests from the Leslie and Jason Lee churches, attended the reception given at the first church last night by the ladies aid society in honor of Rev. Fred C. Taylor, who with Mrs. Taylor and their children, came to Salem last week to assume the duties of pastor of the First Methodist church.

Mrs. H. H. Vandevort, president of the aid society, Mrs. F. A. Legge and Miss Mary Findley met the guests at the door and ushered them to the receiving line where Dean and Mrs. George H. Alden introduced them to Dr. Taylor, Mrs. Taylor and Dr. D. H. Leech, district superintendent.

Dr. Leech officially welcomed Rev. Taylor in behalf of the Oregon conference. He welcomed him to the Salem district and finally to the first church. A welcome from the board of the church was tendered by A. A. Lee and Miss Grace Smith spoke for the Sunday school and the young people. Rev. Taylor responded graciously. Miss Mary Findley was in charge of the program. Musical numbers included solos by Jack Vincent and F. S. Barton.

The church was attractively decorated in Scotch broom and many colored tulips. Mrs. John McNary and Mrs. Ray Farney directed the decorating. Mrs. O. E. Price and Mrs. W. E. Kirk headed the refreshment committee.

The serving table was lovely with tulips in pastel shades arranged in a deep cut glass bowl. Candles of harmonizing colors and an attractive silver service completed the effect. During the first hour Mrs. W. D. Hawley and Mrs. B. L. Steever dispensed hospitalities. Their places were taken later by Mrs. E. C. Richards, president of the home missionary society, and Mrs. R. V. Hollenberg, president of the foreign missionary society.

Assisting in the serving were Mrs. W. C. Young, Mrs. A. B. Hanson, Mrs. A. Lee, Mrs. Grant Day, Mrs. R. W. Manster and Miss Eva Tacherson. Mrs. I. L. McAdams and Mrs. J. W. Bentley also assisted the committee in charge.

## Federated Clubs Meet At Aurora

Two hundred Marion county women, representing fifteen clubs met in Aurora on Thursday for the tenth semi-annual meeting of the county federation of women's clubs. Reports were given by the standing committees, reports of the work being done by the individual clubs were given by the official delegates, officers for the coming year were elected and talks were given by Sadie Orr Dunbar, president of the state federation, by Dr. Walter H. Brown, head of the Marion county health demonstration, and by Dr. Parsons, member of the university extension division, and by Dr. Frank Angel, world traveler.

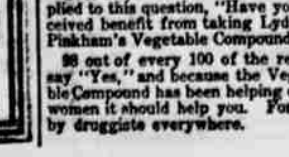
Mrs. Mildred Allen of Mill City was chosen president of the county federation. Other officers elected for the coming year are as follows: Mrs. Ida Moshberger of Woodburn, vice president; Mrs. C. H. Brewer of Stayton, secretary; Mrs. Waldo Brown of Hubbard, treasurer; Mrs. D. H. Looney of Jefferson, auditor; and Mrs. Frank Miller of Aurora and Mrs. C. H. Thompson of Willard, directors. Until the chair was bridle of Aurora, past president, presided. Other out going officers were Mrs. W. W. Allen of Mill City, vice president; Miss Marg-

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Mrs. Helen Roberts has as her house guest over the week end Miss Doris Thompson of Portland. Miss Roberts has been spending the spring vacation with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. John J. Roberts. She will return tomorrow to St. Helen's hall in Portland where she is a senior.

Looney of Jefferson, secretary; Mrs. C. W. Sawyer of Salem, treasurer, and Mrs. Waldo Brown of Hubbard, auditor. Members of the nominating committee were Mrs. W. E. Anderson of Salem, Mrs. H. M. Sims of Silverton and Mrs. E. N. Hall of Woodburn. Committee reports were given as follows: the civic committee, by Mrs. H. B. Latham of Silverton, representing Mrs. John Hoblit; who was unable to be present; child welfare, Mrs. A. M. Chapman of Salem Heights; education, Mrs. E. Moshberger of Woodburn; conservation, Mrs. J. Currie; legislative, Miss Mattie Beatty of Salem; federation extension, Mrs. C. H. Brewer of Stayton.

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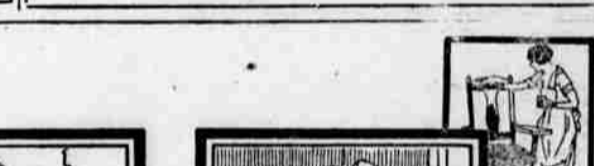


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