

SOCIETY

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Reading from left to right: Mrs. E. E. Bergman, new president of Barbara Fritche tent, No. 2, Daughters of Veterans; Miss Lyle Murray, chairman of the hospitality committee of the Salem Business and Professional Women's club, who is in charge of the state dinner at the Marion hotel tonight which will be attended by 153 club women from all parts of the state; Miss Billie Cupper, new associate worthy advisor, and Miss Edith Fudley, new worthy advisor, of Chadwick assembly No. 3, Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

New York, Jan. 20. (AP)—Mrs. Maria Jozita, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera company, and John McCormack, tenor, will be heard in a dual recital tonight to be broadcast over WJZ and nine affiliated radio stations. The recital will start at 10 o'clock.

Chicago Opera Co. Coming To Portland

Four great performances of the Chicago Civic Opera company are scheduled for the Portland Public Auditorium March 22, 23 and 24. The engagement is sponsored by the city of Portland as announced as the city's greatest civic undertaking of the year.

The noted Chicago company will travel to the Pacific coast in three special trains, two carrying the 300 persons who make up the assembly of stars, musicians and stage hands and the other carrying the vast array of scenery and equipment.

The engagement has been engaged by a committee of 100 Portland citizens who have signed a guarantee against loss on the engagement and who have arranged to present the performance on a strictly non-commercial basis. Proceeds are to go to the Portland community chest charities. The committee has so worked out the details that the Portland admission prices will be considerably less than have prevailed at either of the two other times the company has appeared on the Pacific coast. The four performances will represent a cost of \$62,000.

Opera headquarters have been opened at the Sherman Clay & Co. store in Portland and ticket sales have been started. Orders for seats are now being taken by mail.

The company will complete its season at its own theatre in Chicago, February 1 and will then make its annual eastern tour which will terminate early in March at which time the whole assemblage will move to the coast to present its performances on the same scale and with the same world stars as is the rule in Chicago.

Following is the Portland repertoire and the stars in each performance:

Thursday night, Mar. 22—Aida: Rosa Raisa, Cyrena Van Gordon, Charles Marshall, Cesare Formich, Virgilio Lazzari, Chase Barocco and others. Ballet, Conductor, Giordano Polacco.

Friday night, Mar. 23—Snow Maiden: Edith Mason, Cyrena Van Gordon, Lorna Doone Jackson, Olga Kargau, Maria Claessens, Charles Hackett, Richard Bonelli, Chase Barocco, Desire Defrere and others. Ballet, Conductor, Henry G. Weber.

Saturday matinee, Mar. 24—Resurrection: Mary Garden, Lorna Doone Jackson, Maria Claessens, Alice d'Hermon, Anna Hamlin, Rene Mason, Cesare Formich, Jose Mojica, Desire Defrere and others. Conductor, Robert Moranzoni.

Saturday night, Mar. 24—Il Trovatore: Claudia Muzio, Augusta Leniska, Olga Kargau, Antonio Cortis, Giacomino Rimini, Virgilio Lazzari, Jose Mojica and others. Ballet, Conductor, Giordano Polacco.

The entire orchestra, chorus, ballet and stage equipment will be used.

Turner—Word has been received here announcing the marriage of a former Turner student, Dorsey Gray of Los Angeles and Miss Alma Thomas of Marion, January 6, in Los Angeles. The groom is a graduate of Turner high school and has a wide circle of friends here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gray of Marion. Another brother, Kenneth Gray, graduated from the local high school two years ago and is majoring in agriculture and animal husbandry at O. A. C.

The Past Noble Grands association met Wednesday evening at the home of Wilda and Eugenia Ebermud. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Anna Hunsaker and Mrs. Louise Loveland. After the business session interesting games and contests were enjoyed. Refreshments were served later.

Alma Henderson is president of the association, Louise Loveland is secretary and Louise King serves as treasurer.

A meeting of the Naomi circle of the First Methodist church was held Wednesday, January 18 at the home of Mrs. E. G. Miller, 2011 D street.

There were 20 members present and one additional guest, Mrs. H. Vandervort. They exchanged holiday experiences and enjoyed two readings by Miss Virginia Page, a high school student. Mrs. Walter Pennington presided at the business part of the meeting.

Covers For 150 At B. & P. W. Dinner

Approximately 150 business and professional women from all parts of the state will meet at the Marion hotel at 7 o'clock tonight at a state dinner. The Salem club, the second largest in the state, will be hostess to the state officers and representatives from other clubs. Miss Moezelle Hair of Eugene, state president, will preside.

Miss Cornelia Marvin, state librarian and charter member of the Salem club, will speak on "What It Is to be Educated." Miss Adella Pritchard, member of the Portland club, formerly national president, will give a short talk. A special program feature has been arranged by the McMinnville club which is sending a large delegation.

Miss Frances Virginia Melton will give piano solo, and Mrs. Mildred Wyatt will sing. Lucile Ross will play Mrs. Wyatt's accompaniment.

The executive committee of the state federation, which includes all state officers and chairmen of standing committees, will meet at the hotel at 9 o'clock for a board meeting. Reports of all standing committees will be given at the banquet.

An open forum discussion will be held at the banquet on club problems with special emphasis on finance, education, emblem and membership.

Mary Lewis Concert Here Is Cancelled

Without previous warning, word was received by the Elsinore theatre yesterday that Mary Lewis, Metropolitan opera company star, has been called back to New York City and that her concert in Salem, scheduled for next Thursday, January 26, has been definitely cancelled.

The Wolfsohn bureau wired Mr. Guthrie that the Metropolitan was demanding her immediate return to New York and that arrangements will probably be made for a substitute concert at a later date. At present Miss Lewis is in San Francisco.

Mr. Guthrie said last night that he could not make a definite announcement of what will be done until he receives word from Mrs. Chloé Nero, Wolfsohn bureau manager here. Mrs. Nero is in New York at present but Mr. Guthrie expects to receive a wire from her within a day or two. Mr. Guthrie stated definitely that he would not consent to a substitute artist unless the bureau will send one of equal merit and reputation to Miss Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smart entertained the members of the Entre Nous club on Wednesday evening of this week. Five hundred were played during the evening with first prizes going to Mrs. Hummel and Albert Ramsayer and consolations to Mrs. S. Collard and Paul Bassett.

One of the interesting features of the affair were the costumes worn by the guests. Everyone represented some day in the year. Mrs. Chris Hampshire and Mr. Hummel received the prizes for the best costumes.

Guests and club members present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bassett, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Starr, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howard, Rachael Howard, Mrs. S. Collard, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cook, Mr. and Mrs. William Gerke, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Goodenough, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hummel, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fetter, Mr. and Mrs. William Moses, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hampshire and Constance Smart.

Members of the P. M. bridge club are Mrs. Karl Kugel, Mrs. Ed Pratt, Mrs. Lou Grote, Mrs. M. C. Petseys, Mrs. Ralph Allen, Mrs. C. C. Chaffee, Mrs. Frank Crawford, Mrs. Charles McCarter, Mrs. Ernest Peterson, Mrs. Arthur Uley, Mrs. Corydon Blodgett, Mrs. C. C. Page and Mrs. James Inlah. The club meets each month for luncheon and cards at the Elks club.

A program of dramatic readings by pupils of Miss Carol Dibble, and vocal numbers by pupils of Miss Lena Belle Tartar has been arranged for presentation at the state school for the blind on Tuesday evening of next week. The program will be presented under the auspices of the institutions department of the Salem Woman's club.

Miss Ethel Blakely, whose marriage to John J. Hensberger will be an event of the very near future was the inspiration of a shower last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Virgil Burson.

The living rooms of the Burson home were attractively decorated with orchid and white streamers. Gold and green tapers lighted the rooms. In the center of the room under a large white wedding bell were a cleverly dressed bride, two bridesmaids and a little ring-bearer descending an improvised stairway. Upon opening the stairway it was found to contain many beautiful and useful gifts for the bride-elect.

Miss Georgia Sneed and Mrs. Adin Blakely assisted the hostess in serving the refreshments.

The guest group included the guest of honor, Miss Ethel Blakely, Miss Thelma Johnson, Gienna Russell, Anna Maruny, Dorothy Rielly, Bessie Tucker, Mrs. Adin Blakely, Dorothy and Elsie Tucker, Stella Gilreath, Esther Gratelinger, Helen and Gene Schrieber, Mrs. Arnold Wenger, Mrs. Frank Hoover, Mrs. Floyd Wenger, Elsie Blakely, Pay Dickerson, Georgia Sneed, Leona Gilreath, Mrs. Alvin Marx, Mrs. John Wheeler, Irene Marx, Mrs. Judson Bresler, Mrs. Carol Robinson and the hostess, Mrs. Virgil Burson.

Important on the club calendar for today was the institute that was held in the Story Hour room at Central library. In Portland under the auspices of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Glendora M. Blakely, chairman of the department, presided.

Among the speakers who discussed all phases of the health problem were Dr. A. A. Whitman, Miss L. Grace Holmes, director of surveys and clinics of the Oregon Tuberculosis association; Dr. Frederick D. Stricker, executive secretary of the state board of health; J. D. Mickle, state dairy board and food commissioner; Delbert Obersteuffer, assistant professor physical education at the University of Oregon; Dr. William Levin, director of state laboratories; Miss Amelia Peary, medical social worker, Doernbecher hospital; Dr. William McKelvie, director of Marion county child health demonstration.

Dr. Estella Ford Warner, medical director Marion county child health demonstration, was the speaker at the luncheon which was held at Thiel's restaurant at noon time, and at which Mrs. G. J. Frankel, president of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs presided.

Miss Amelia Peary was chairman for the morning session, and Mrs. P. H. Whitteide was in the chair during the afternoon.

Her friends are happy to hear that Mrs. Ralph White is rapidly recovering from a recent illness.

Mrs. Fred Ewing will entertain the Brush Club Helpers in her home on Thursday afternoon of next week.

Silverton, Jan. 21.—Mrs. Ernest Ekman and Mrs. L. L. Stewart took Ekman's uncle, H. A. Nelson of Pittsburg, Penn., to Albany Thursday from where he took the train to San Francisco to visit his mother. Nelson is a lumber broker and has been visiting large mills in Washington, Oregon and California.

A program reputed to be one of the most versatile and entertaining ever offered a Pacific coast audience, is scheduled at the First Presbyterian church, Tuesday evening, January 24. Jay Gore and company under the Independent Artists' Tours, will present an evening of mystery and music. The program is presented after the Continental mode of unit continuity, and is divided into three parts.

The show opens with a novelty act number which is full of beautiful lighting effects and artistic skill.

Jay Gore, who holds the center of the stage during this act is assisted by Dorothy Dial Gore who is co-author of the original "smoke picture."

The musical part of the program is presented by Miss Dorothy Reynolds, gifted pianist and whistler, and Dorothy Dial Gore, soprano and cellist, who is well known to Pacific coast radio audiences.

The last part of the program is presented by Jay Gore, and is said to surpass anything in the Lyceum field. This act is beautifully staged, and carries with it elaborate equipment necessary to the presentation of the varied effects of illusion employed.

Mrs. E. G. Ford and her daughter, Dr. Estella Ford Warner, had as their dinner guests on Thursday evening Dr. and Mrs. William DeKleine, Mrs. Ida Hoyt, Miss Barbara Quinn of New York City, and Mr. Barry Smith of New York.

AFTER several lethargic weeks, asks that were practically devoid of any outstanding afternoon parties, Salem society has awakened with a start. During the past week there has been a rapid succession of lovely affairs and there are rumors of dozens more before Ash Wednesday ushers in the Lenten season.

A brilliant tea and reception at the B. L. Steeves home with more than 300 Salem matrons calling during the afternoon and a seven table bridge tea at the Dan J. Fry, Jr. home are fitting affairs today with which to close a brilliant week.

The bridge parties which were given at the P. D. Quisenberry home on three afternoons this week with Mrs. Quisenberry and Mrs. Donald Young hostesses at the first two and Mrs. Quisenberry the only hostess at the third were, in the opinion of the guests, among the loveliest of many seasons. There can be no doubt of their loveliness for a number of the guests phoned to the Journal society editor both Thursday and Friday to tell her that the parties at the Quisenberry home deserved special mention, that there were so many lovely details that made them different from the usual afternoon bridge party.

The Salem W. C. T. U. held a Victory Day Celebration of the eighth birthday anniversary of the 18th Amendment last Tuesday at the hall, corner of Commercial and Ferry streets. Mrs. John Humphrey of the First Christian Church led the devotions with a Bible reading. Following the devotions, which are always an important part of every meeting of the W. C. T. U., a very interesting program was given including readings and addresses by Vice president Mrs. Suforth, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Horne, Mrs. Bornstead, Mrs. Charlton and others. Following the program a social hour and silver tea was held for the benefit of the "tree" fund for the Children's Farm Home. More than \$10.00 was raised as a silver offering.

Three Lovely Affairs In Quisenberry Home

Three of the loveliest affairs of the entire season in Salem society were events of this week in the P. D. Quisenberry home on Fairmont hill. On Wednesday and again on Thursday afternoon Mrs. Quisenberry and Mrs. Donald Young entertained at five tables of bridge with a number of additional guests at the tea hour. Yesterday Mrs. Quisenberry was hostess at a four-table bridge tea in her home.

The living rooms of the attractive home were lovely each afternoon with baskets of deep pink carnations and heather. Clever favors were used at each affair. Thoughtful touches were in evidence which distinguished the affairs from the usual bridge tea.

On Wednesday Mrs. Dan J. Fry, Jr. won the first prize for high score. Second prize went to Mrs. W. Connell Dyer. At the tea hour Mrs. Curtis Cross and Mrs. Paul Hendricks assisted. A number of additional guests came in for tea.

Among the five tables of players on Thursday afternoon Mrs. John H. Carson Carson won first prize and Mrs. Frank Deckebach, Jr., the second. Additional guests came in at the tea hour at the second party also.

Mrs. Curtis Cross, Mrs. Paul Hendricks, Mrs. Gus Hixson and Mrs. Clifton Irwin assisted.

Sixteen prominent matrons were Mrs. Quisenberry's guests at bridge and tea yesterday. The first prize for high score was won by Mrs. C. K. Spaulding. The second prize went to Mrs. Kenneth Brown.

At the tea hour Mrs. H. L. Stiff, Mrs. W. L. Phillips and Mrs. Donald Young assisted.

An attempt is being made to organize six new clubs in Oregon this year. At present there are business and professional women's clubs in Albany, Astoria, Coos Bay, Coquille, Corvallis, Eugene, Klamath Falls, Medford, McMinnville, Oregon City, Portland, Roseburg, Silverton, The Dalles and Salem.

Miss Carlotta Crowley is president of the Salem club, and Mrs. Emily Howard is vice-president. Other officers are corresponding secretary, Miss Josephine Shade. The chairmen of standing committees of the local club are as follows: education and personal research, Miss Elizabeth Baker; program, Miss Laura V. Hale; hospitality, Miss Lyle Murray; cooperation, Dr. Estelle Brown; finance and auditing, Miss Lillian Schroeder; headquarters, Miss Rachel Bayne; legislation, Miss Hetta Field; publicity and club bulletin, Mrs. Blanche Isherwood; membership, Mrs. Myra Shank; nomination, Miss Grace Gilliam.

Miss Lyle Murray, hospitality committee chairman, is in general charge of the arrangements for the banquet tonight.

Ever-ready birthday club members were entertained yesterday by Mrs. Mary Briggs, Mrs. Louise Loveland, Mrs. Hattie Kenyon and Mrs. Mary Neyhart in Mrs. Briggs' home. In the guest group were Mrs. Lizzie Smith, Mrs. O. H. Strand, Miss Doris Strand, Mrs. Pauline Clark, Mrs. Pearl Ahrens, Mrs. Ida Shoemaker, Mrs. Mary Hall, Mrs. Clara Adams, Mrs. Hazel Barnholt, Mrs. Florence Odenberg, and her two daughters, Ernestine Loveland and Arline Odenberg, Mrs. Florence Shipp and Mrs. Bertha Loveland. The February meeting will be held at Mrs. Bertha Loveland's home.

The women's foreign missionary society of the First Methodist church will hold the Thanks offering service at the Sunday morning services at First church. Miss Laura Heist will be the speaker.

Miss Katherine Hartley went to Corvallis on Thursday to spend the remainder of the week at the Alpha Chi Omega house there. Miss Hartley is a member of Alpha Chi Omega.

Members of the club, all of whom were present Thursday are Mrs. Ralph Howard, Mrs. E. M. McKee, Mrs. Ralph Howard, Mrs. A. L. Tomkinson, Mrs. Joe Williams, Mrs. Bert Smith, Mrs. Joe Beck, Mrs. Joseph McAlpine, and Mrs. A. I. Eoff.

A week from tonight, Saturday, February 4, an open meeting of the Knights and Ladies of the Macabees of the Willamette valley will be held here at the McCormack hotel. All members, their friends, and families will be welcomed. A public initiation will be held with the Portland degree team in charge.

High card honors were won yesterday by Mrs. T. A. Livesley. The second prize went to Mrs. Asahel Bush.

At the tea hour yesterday Mrs. Arthur Rahn, Mrs. Ercei Kay, Mrs. Keith Powell and Mrs. E. V. McMechan assisted.

Today, Mrs. Fry and Mrs. Roberts were assisted by Mrs. William Phillips, Mrs. William Mott, Mrs. E. V. McMechan and Mrs. Clifford Farmer.

Lavender heather and pink carnations were used in profusion about the rooms.

Elaborate Tea At Steeves Home

One of the most beautiful and elaborate afternoon affairs of the entire season in Salem was the reception and tea at the home of Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Steeves on Court street this afternoon. Hostesses were Mrs. B. L. Steeves, Mrs. F. A. Legge, Mrs. Laban Steeves, Mrs. Kenneth Legge, Mrs. Paul Morse and Mrs. Wallace Griffith.

More than 300 guests called during the afternoon. Guests were greeted at the door by four tiny youngsters, Victor and Richard Steeves, Leone Spaulding and Josephine Morse. The little chaps wore suits of white and blue and the girls were lovely in beaded little silk frocks.

The hostesses stood in line in the main drawing room which was beautifully decorated for the occasion with begonias and primroses. Flowers of the same varieties were used in profusion about the adjoining rooms.

Assisting about the rooms during the afternoon were Mrs. E. T. Barnes, Mrs. M. C. Findley, Mrs. George H. Alden, Mrs. Walter L. Spaulding, Mrs. J. C. Griffith, Mrs. Homer Goulet, Mrs. A. A. Lee and Mrs. Linn Smith.

The tea table in the dining room was rarely beautiful with its cloth of old lace, its tall pink tapers in low silver holders, and its centerpiece of carnations, heather, freesia, acacia and pink rosebuds.

During the first hour Mrs. Alice Dodd and Mrs. Carl Gregg Doney presided at the serving urns. Mrs. Isaac Lee Patterson and Mrs. T. B. Kay succeeded them during the second hour.

Mrs. Leonard Nelson, Mrs. Lloyd Lee, Mrs. Reed Rowland, Mrs. Henry Tate of Station, and Mrs. E. T. B. Hill assisted in serving during the first hour and the Misses Grace Hunt, Beatrice Lockhart, Florence Young and Louise Aiken during the second hour.

Mrs. Bert Smith entertained members of the Rhocora bridge club in her home on Thursday. High bridge honors of the afternoon were won by Mrs. A. I. Eoff. The tea table was lovely with pink primroses and tall pink tapers.

Members of the club, all of whom were present Thursday are Mrs. Ralph Howard, Mrs. E. M. McKee, Mrs. Ralph Howard, Mrs. A. L. Tomkinson, Mrs. Joe Williams, Mrs. Bert Smith, Mrs. Joe Beck, Mrs. Joseph McAlpine, and Mrs. A. I. Eoff.

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