

SOCIETY

By Rovena Eyre



Three Beta Chi Sorority Maids—who were in charge of the large formal tea given Wednesday afternoon by the sorority complimenting Queen Irma and her princesses. From left to right, Miss Mabel Lenz, Miss Suzanne Curtis, president of Beta Chi, and Miss Melva Belle Savage.—(Jessen-Miller photo).

MEMBERS of the Salem Branch, American Association of University Women, their friends and all women who are interested in the association are invited to the Fellowship Silver tea to be given Saturday afternoon, May 14, from 3 to 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Floyd Utter, 446 Oak street.

The proceeds of the tea will apply on the National Fellowship fund which gives scholarships for advanced study to women whose achievements have been outstanding.

Mrs. Glenn Stevens and Mrs. Verne McIntyre are in charge of the affair. The committee includes Mrs. Dwight Lear, Mrs. R. Pfister, Miss Jane Fisher and Miss Julia Johnson.

Alice Cray Brown will greet the guests at the door. In the receiving line will be the present officers of the association, Mrs. Phillip Barrett, Miss Mabel Robertson, Mrs. Earl Stewart, Mrs. T. C. Mason and Mrs. Chester Luther.

Miss Beryl Holt and Mrs. J. J. Jelders will preside at the urns. Serving will be Mrs. W. N. Thompson, Mrs. H. J. Thomas, Mrs. Joseph Felton, Miss Carolyn Braden, Miss Madge Reid, Mrs. Francis Wade and Miss Edna Savage.

Feminine golf enthusiasts met at the Salem Country club Friday for luncheon and several hours of play. Those present were Mrs. Carl Cover, Mrs. C. W. Rittman, Mrs. Robin Day, Mrs. Harold Olinger, Mrs. Robert Joseph, Mrs. Rex Adolph, Mrs. Carl Armbrist, Mrs. Louis Mathias, Mrs. H. A. Simmons, Mrs. G. C. Bellinger, Mrs. H. P. Gustafson, Mrs. Graham Sharkey, Mrs. Sidney Stevens, Mrs. B. M. Donaldson, Mrs. H. K. Stockwell, Mrs. Sidney Hoffman, Mrs. Max Flapery, Mrs. Robert Savage, Mrs. E. L. Baker, Mrs. Don Young, Mrs. H. H. Olinger, Mrs. George Piagg, Mrs. Alton Hurley, Mrs. C. B. Benton, Mrs. E. A. Skelley, Mrs. A. T. Mercer, Mrs. Roy Byrd and Mrs. E. N. Gillingham.

A guest in the capital this week was Miss Helen Porter of San Francisco, fiancée of Edwin Hoffnell of Honolulu, who visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoffnell. Miss Porter sailed today from San Francisco for Honolulu, where she and Mr. Hoffnell will be married Thursday at a high noon wedding.

Members of the choir of Calvary Baptist church, after their regular rehearsal Thursday evening, surprised their director and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Lindburg, with a housewarming at their new home in Capitola. Ed Schunke, on behalf of the choir, presented a gift to the honor guests. An interesting feature of the evening was the travelogue by Mr. Lindburg concerning a recent 10-day trip to California. A late supper was served by the committee in charge.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pickens, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie H. White, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ramseyer, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schunke, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bingenheimer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dale Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Pickens, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Lehmann, Mrs. Wilma Wright, Mrs. Cora Rafferty, Mrs. Harry Harms, Miss Evelyn Olene, Miss Florence Foster, Miss Doris Schunke, Harold Gilman, Jack Billeter, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Lindburg.

A rare opportunity is offered the Salem music-loving public on Sunday evening at St. John's Lutheran church when Otto Baganz of Fond Du Lac, Wis., will be presented in a harp concert.

The harp was especially constructed for, and exhibited at, the Century of Progress Exposition in Chicago. It is known as the "Stradivarius of Harps." It required two years in building. Its scroll inlays alone are valued at \$2000. Its jewels on the adjustments of the strings are of the finest watchmaker's art, and it is considered the last word in harp making. To Mr. Baganz fell the honor of being the first to play it in a symphony concert at the Chicago World's Fair. The artist will be assisted by his daughter, Norma Baganz on the vibraphone, and his son, Norman on the cathedral marimba. Those who have heard this trio are full of highest praise.

The concert program Sunday evening will include a number of favorite selections from the classics together with chorals and hymns of the church. By request two concerts will be given, the first at 7:30 o'clock and the second at 9 o'clock.

Members of the Salem Delphian chapters are making interesting plans for a reception to be given Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Carrier room of the First Methodist church. The affair will honor Mrs. Lena Latham Goble, Pacific coast director of Delphians. A musical program will be given and Mrs. Goble will speak to the group.

Mrs. M. C. Findley is heading the directorate and is being assisted by Mrs. Roger Mything, Mrs. Stanley Krueger, Miss Esther Erickson and Mrs. Esther Hagedorn.

The Business and Professional Women's club will entertain with a Hobby party Friday, March 13, at the Boy Scout cottage in Howard and Cottage streets. Dr. Morse will show moving pictures of Arizona and Death Valley.

Willamette University Campus—A number of social events have been planned for this week-end to honor the May Week-end guests on the campus. Last night the Willamette University Associated students entertained with a dance at the armory between the hours of 8:30 and 11:30 o'clock, honoring the campus visitors.

Following the dance last night members of the Beta Chi sorority entertained with a fireside party honoring their house guests and the Alpha Phi Alpha sorority entertained with a fireside party at their house.

Tonight Delta Phi maids will honor Princess Mary Jeannette at a formal banquet at the Marion hotel and this evening will entertain with a slumber party honoring their guests. Tonight members of Daleth Teth Gimmel will honor their campus guests at a buffet supper at Chresto Cottage and the Alpha Phi Alpha sorority will entertain with a dinner in their gardens.

Tomorrow mothers will be the inspiration for a number of affairs on the campus. Members of Daleth Teth Gimmel will honor their mothers at a tea at Chresto Cottage between the hours of 3:30 and 5:30 o'clock, and members of the Sigma Tau and Kappa Gamma Rho fraternities will honor their mothers at dinners at their respective houses.

Sunday morning the Beta Chi sorority will entertain with a breakfast in the gardens honoring house guests and a number of Salem rushees. Guests at the Beta Chi sorority are the Misses Betty Strachen, Elaine Stevens, Barbara Hollingsworth, Jane Holm, Margaret Bogardus, Barbara Fields, Florence Gallon, Agnes Sadler, Myron Snilsen, Joan DuRette, Sarah Jane Anderson, Janet Wells, Jane McFarland, Muriel Stocks, Jeanne Keller, Maxine Withen, Barbara Rude, Lois Anne Seby, Alice West, Eva Shellit, Shirley Steele, Elizabeth McClockey, Billie Bennett and Alice West.

Guests at the Delta Phi sorority house are the Misses Elizabeth Wilbur, Betty Faxon, Carolyn Brown, Rowena Upjohn, Jere Simmons, Irene Lester, Margaret Siegmund, Esther Mae DeVore, Joy Cooley, Chloe Anderson, Lois Wilborn, Elizabeth Steed, Mary White, Loree Norris, Elaine Sherman, Barbara Kohler, Carroll Clark, Marcelle Herbert, Marjorie Sawyer, Betty Kelly, Carmella Roth, Geraldine Frigaard, Betty Beck, Elizabeth Grant, Evelyn Melson, Lorraine McNulty, Bernice Marcy, Mary Adams, Nadine Kellogg and Evelyn Frazer.

House guests the Alpha Phi Alpha sorority are the Misses Ann Morris, Lola Vincent, Helen Davis, Edith Davis, June Long, Phyllis Wood, Janella Melvin, Jean Wiley, Margaret Lovell, Marian Hermonick, Maurine Hermann, Margaret Ambler, Mary Elen Sutherland, Carolyn Brown, Elizabeth Steed, Margaret Shipley, Joy Cooley, Dorothy Barham, Maxine Holt, Gretchen Steinke, Jerry Simmons, Jane McKeen, Grace Covert, Doris Gutekunst, Esther Mae DeVore, Aura Elliott, Margaret Huskatin, Lou Hickman, June Earle, Geraldine Arnett, Evelyn Melson, Jean Victor, Betty Byrd, Florence Tull and Anna Mae Grabenhorst.

Mrs. James J. Panton, president of the woman's auxiliary of the Province of the Pacific, left this morning for Las Vegas, Nevada, to attend the provincial meeting. The Rt. Rev. Henry St. George Tucker, presiding bishop of the Episcopal church in the United States, will give the opening sermon and will also be the principal speaker at the Synod banquet and at an evening session. Mrs. Panton will visit in San Francisco before returning home about June first.

MAY DAY at Willamette University . . . a certain sign of Spring for capital city folk who don their best bib 'n' tuckers for the colorful and gay event . . . There's been nothing on the formal side of the informal May Week-end fun and Salem residents making plans to entertain for many out-of-town guests . . .

In honor of Mother's Day Sunday many family gatherings are being arranged, with dinners and teas the highlight of the day . . . Brides and brides-to-be continue to receive their share of entertainment and several smart affairs are being planned for two of Salem's most popular brides-elect, Miss Helen Worth and Miss Peggy Amort . . . and rumors that one of Salem's loveliest blonde debas soon to announce her wedding date has social circles agog . . .

All in all, it's been a week of informality . . . a perfect forerunner for the gay season ahead . . .

Delta Phi Mothers' club will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. David Pugh, 740 South Commercial street. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Ivy Coons, Mrs. L. E. Taylor, Mrs. E. M. McKey and Mrs. L. M. Case.

Mrs. Nota Henderson and son, Jack, are motoring to Medford this week-end to visit with her mother, Mrs. George J. Prescott. Miss Grace Quackenbush and Miss Cleo Walker also will visit friends in Medford. Miss Quackenbush will be the guest of Miss Bea Kertson and Miss Walker will be the guest of Mrs. Harold Larson, who are former residents of Salem.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Jason Lee church will hold its 26th anniversary tea for charter members in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon, May 11.

A business meeting will be held at 2 o'clock, followed by a program. Mrs. A. P. Benjamin will lead the devotions and Mrs. E. C. Miller will be in charge of the lesson. Hostesses will be Mrs. Fred Barker and Mrs. Harriet Reasor. All members of the society and their friends are invited.

Chapter AB, P.E.O. Sisterhood, will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Rae Beldon, 750 Belmont street, Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Marion auxiliary, No. 861, entertained at tea Thursday afternoon in the Woman's clubhouse for the American War Mothers. Arranging the affair were Mrs. Belle Nadon, chairman, Mrs. Edith Mudd, Mrs. Hazel Case, Mrs. Ann Perkins, Mrs. Martha Hrubetz, Mrs. E. L. McElvain, Mrs. Lydia Flor and Mrs. Sylvia Kelly Furlough.

Mrs. Lydia Flor and Mrs. Martha Hrubetz were in charge of the decorations. The tea table was beautifully appointed with orchid and yellow spring flowers, flanked by yellow tapers. The lovely antique tea service was brought from Denmark and was loaned by Mrs. Flor and Mrs. Hrubetz.

William McGilchrist, Sr., gave musical numbers on his concertina.

Receiving the guests were Mrs. Olga McElvain, Mrs. Eva Rush, Mrs. Mary Woelke, Mrs. Helen Olson, Mrs. Helen Sim, Mrs. Margaret Lewis, Mrs. Edith Mudd and Mrs. Rita Wolf. Presiding at the urns were Mrs. LeRoy Hewitt and Mrs. George Lewis.

The Republican Women's unit of Pro-America will meet Monday afternoon, May 9, at 2:30 o'clock in the Marion hotel. All republican women in the county are invited and candidates who have not previously appeared before the unit are invited to attend. Dr. Franklin Thompson of Willamette university will speak on "The European Situation" and State Treasurer Rufus C. Holman will talk to the group.

Miss Barbara May Belt, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Harry H. Belt, was complimented Thursday evening with a group of nine of her classmates called at the Belt residence to celebrate Miss Barbara May's 14th birthday anniversary. Supper was served following an informal evening.

The Richmond PTA will install officers at the last meeting of the season Monday night at 7:30 o'clock in the school building. Mrs. R. L. Wright will be in charge.

New officers will include Mrs. F. W. Taylor, president; O. E. Palmateer, vice-president; Mrs. John Rutenkranz, secretary, and Mrs. Carmen Jennison, treasurer.

Mrs. Marion Curry will give a reading and there will be musical selections during the reception which will follow the installation.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Downs will entertain Sunday evening at their home at a smart buffet supper honoring Lt. Commander Stewart F. Bryant, U. S. Navy, Ed. of Stanford university, who is speaking in Salem Monday evening.

Guests bidden will include Lt. Bryant, Dr. and Mrs. Ivan Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Panek and Miss Dorothy Asemann.

Another affair being arranged for the pleasure of Lt. Bryant will be the informal no-host dinner Monday evening at which M. E. Stegner will be host.

Alpha Mu Delphians will hold their regular study session Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock in the Fire-Place room of the Salem Public library. "Sculpture since Rodin" will be the topic.

Discussions will be given by Mrs. Oscar Hayter, Mrs. Frederick Thompson, Mrs. Ray Wallis, Mrs. W. T. Jenks, Miss Antoinette White, Mrs. Oscar Paulson, Mrs. Vernon A. Douglas and Mrs. Charles Kinzer.

A book review of Melvina Hoffman's "Heads and Tails" will be given by Mrs. Lloyd Reinholdt.

Mrs. Loring Schmidt has returned to her home in Salem following several weeks spent in Atlanta, Georgia, where she was the guest of her parents.

The Salem Junior Woman's club will meet Monday evening at 7:30 at the clubhouse for election of officers for the ensuing year. The proposed amendments to the constitution will also be balloted upon at this time. Mrs. Walter Denton will speak following the meeting in recognition of National Music week, and Miss Marian Brets will sing a group of numbers. Miss Hazel Shutt is general chairman in charge of the program.

The Nurses' Council of the Salem Deaconess hospital entertained at a semi-formal dinner Friday evening at Godfrey's honoring Sister Anna on her birthday anniversary. Miss Bess Fitchsen was in charge of arrangements.

Covers were placed for Sister Anna, Miss Mary Regier, Miss Florence Paulin, Miss Hazelle Arkebauer, Miss Sylvia Martin, Miss Selma Hillmer, Miss Vivian Bivier, Miss Mildred Scott, Miss Marie Bedford, Miss Mildred Blair, Mrs. Clara Clark, Miss Mary Berndt, Miss Veronica Sheldon, Miss Erna Dirks, Mrs. Adeline Moran, Miss Elizabeth Kyle, Miss Elma Hall, Miss Frances Welton, Miss Ruth Roe, Mrs. Franconia Mapes, Miss Lillie Brunk, Miss Pearl Olson, Miss Lela Courtney, Miss Florence Sabbe, Miss Emma Stave, Miss Juanita Cassillan, Miss Irene Purnell, Miss Clara Locken, Miss Bess Fitchsen and Miss Leola Beckwith.

INTEREST is evinced in the marriage of Miss Lucille Joann Hackett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hackett of Salem, to George Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith of Bayonne, New Jersey. The impressive ceremony will be solemnized Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. Joseph's Catholic church with Rev. Father Reid officiating.

The bride will wear an attractive gown of white marquisette and a finger-tip veil. Her honor attendant, Mrs. John Miller, will be gowned in Turquoise marquisette with small matching veil and will wear a cluster of flowers in her hair.

Gilbert Winecoop will serve the bridegroom as best man. A reception for members of the wedding party and guests will follow at the home of the bride's parents.

The serving table will be in all-white, with white tulips and white tapers forming the centerpiece. Miss Beth DeLapp will preside at the urns, Mrs. John Miller will dispense the wedding cake and Mrs. Mystra Hendricks will cut loaves.

Assisting in serving will be Miss Daisy Myers, Mrs. Arnold Waring, Mrs. Carl Draper and Mrs. Lawrence Smith.

For going away the bride will wear a turquoise knit frock with a tweed coat and British tan accessories.

Mrs. Dan Johnston has returned to her home following several days spent in Eugene as the guest of friends.

Chemeketa chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, is holding its monthly meeting in Monmouth today on the Oregon Normal school campus. Officers for the coming year are being elected and Mrs. C. C. Geer has arranged an interesting program in observance of Music Week.

Miss Edna Mingus is the hostess for the meeting and members of the tea committee are Mrs. Z. C. Kimball, Miss Marquerite Looney of Jefferson, Mrs. John Black, Mrs. A. A. Underhill, Miss Ola Clark and Mrs. L. W. Porter.

The Salem Garden club will meet in the new Floral room of the Chamber of Commerce Monday evening, May 9, at 8 o'clock. Miss Edith Schryver will speak and will show her pictures of English gardens and flower borders.

Members and guests are invited to bring flower arrangements, in their own containers from 8 to 15 inches in height, in shades of yellow or yellow and blue. First and second prizes will be given. The rooms will open at 7 o'clock for exhibitors, and guests are invited to attend.

Mrs. A. D. Woodmansee presided at a series of smart bridge-lunches Thursday and Friday afternoons of this week at her home in State street.

Salem Music Teachers' association will meet Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Bertha Junk Darby. Assisting hostesses will be Miss Elma Welser and Miss Dorothy Pearce.

A feature of the nation-wide celebration of the 150th anniversary of the signing of the constitution, which will be a part of every Sesquicentennial celebration, is the planting of trees. The millions of "constitution" trees thus set out during the period of the celebration will prove a lasting and appropriate tribute to the constitution of the United States.

Capital Unit of the American Legion auxiliary is making elaborate plans for dedication exercises to be held on the grounds of the new Salem high school Wednesday, May 11, at 1:30 o'clock. The unit has purchased an Oregon white fir tree and the dedication will be registered on the National Honor Roll of the American Tree association.

Previous to the ceremonies, George Koehn, national executive man of the American Legion, will address the Salem high school student body at the assembly at 12:30 o'clock.

All patriotic organizations and the general public are invited to attend the dedication.

The complete program will be as follows: 12:30 o'clock—High school student body assembly, George Koehn, national committeeman of the American Legion, speaker; 1:30 exercises on high school grounds, south of south entrance; March, Salem high school band; advancement of colors, Capital Post and Unit, No. 9; pledge of allegiance, led by Mrs. E. W. Richey; Star Spangled Banner, audience and Salem high band; invocation, Rev. P. W. Eriksen; greetings, city of Salem, Mayor V. E. Kuhn; greetings, Commander Olen Porter and Department President Mae Waters; solo, "Trees," Professor William Wright; presentation of tree, Mrs. Harold Perkins, community service chairman; acceptance of tree, William Smith, president Salem high student body; dedication, Mrs. Leon Brown; America, audience and band of Salem high school; benediction, Rev. Eriksen, and retirement of colors.

The Poppy committee of Marion auxiliary will meet with Mrs. Belle Nadon, 1590 Broadway, Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

BETA Sigma Phi, national education sorority, will entertain with a charmingly arranged breakfast Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the Spa in honor of Mother's Day.

Each mother will be presented with a corsage of red or white carnations. The table appointments will carry out an attractive all-white motif.

Guests for the breakfast will be Mrs. William Eoch, Miss Anna May Unrath, Mrs. Russell Collins, Mrs. C. D. Mayfield, Mrs. Augusta Bratzel, Mrs. Randa McDonald, Mrs. Frank Power, Mrs. F. G. Delano, Mrs. J. A. Krebs and Mrs. L. A. Blaisdell.

Hostesses will include Mrs. H. H. Weinstein, Mrs. Thomas J. Drynan, Mrs. W. J. Busick, Mrs. George Scates, Mrs. Frank Shafer, Mrs. Kenneth Bell, Miss Hattie Bratzel, Miss Gwen Hunt, Miss Cynthia Delano, Miss Dorothy Krebs and Mrs. Lynn Heise.

The Beta Chi Mothers' club will gather in the chapter house Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for a business meeting and to hear Mrs. Marie Flint McCall speak. Hostesses will be Mrs. Arthur Upston, Mrs. John Dalk, Mrs. Earl Fisher, Mrs. Josephine Christenson, Mrs. Albert Gehler, Mrs. S. H. Boardman and Mrs. F. A. Legge.

Many Salem matrons are in Eugene this week-end for the annual Mother's day and Junior Week-end festivities on the University of Oregon campus.

One of the highlights of the week-end is the tea being given by the Eugene Mother's club and the Women's Faculty club from 4 to 5 o'clock this afternoon at Gerlinger Hall.

In the receiving line will be Mrs. Dan E. Clark, Mrs. Donald M. Erb, Mrs. Frederick M. Hunter, Mrs. A. C. Greenwood of Portland, Mrs. Harold R. Grosland and Mrs. Warren D. Smith.

Members of the state board of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Baptist church have been invited to the home of Mrs. Irving Fox Monday evening at 6 o'clock for a buffet supper. Mrs. Howard J. White of Chicago, a member of the Illinois state board, will be the guest of honor.

The supper party Monday evening will be a preliminary to the Baptist convention which will be held in Salem next week.

Wendell Johnson of Portland, who won first place in the state high school contest for senior class violinists, is a son of Rev. S. Darlow Johnson, former pastor of the Leslie Methodist church here, and is a violin student of Mary Schults Duncan at the Ellison-White conservatory of music.

The Salem MacDowell club met Tuesday evening at the David Bennett Hill residence for election of officers and discussion of the summer's activities.

Mrs. Doris Schwabauer was named president and other officers will be Susan Krueger, vice-president; Esther Wilcox, secretary; Gladys Thomas, treasurer, and Annabel Moon, auditor.

Following the business meeting, Miss Julia Query, retiring president of the MacDowell, presided at the urns.

A large group of club members will motor to Portland next week for the Kirsten Flagstad concert.

A special Mother's Day concert will be given in Eugene Sunday afternoon at McArthur Court by Helen Jepsen, glamorous star of the Metropolitan Opera company.

Miss Jepsen's recent, one of the highlights of the annual Junior Week-end festivities on the University of Oregon campus, will make the close of the Associated Students' 1937-38 Greater Artists series.

The program will include special selections chosen by Miss Jepsen in honor of the visiting mothers. Also on the colorful and well-balanced program will be operatic arias sung by Miss Jepsen on the Metropolitan stage and popular concert numbers.

Miss Jepsen has been a leading prima donna of both the Metropolitan and Chicago Grand Opera companies for the past two years and in addition one of the country's favorite concert and oratorio soloists.

Reserved seat tickets for Sunday's concert are available at the McArthur Court ticket office on the campus. The program will begin at 3:15 o'clock.

The roster of student body officers at Mills college for 1938-1939 was completed recently. Among Hall officers named was Miss Ruth Jean Garnjobst, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Garnjobst of Salem, who will serve as fire chief.

The evening group of the Fidac Study club of the American Legion auxiliary will meet Tuesday evening, May 10, at 8 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. C. V. Richardson, 541 Statesman street.

The executive board of the American Legion auxiliary will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Walter Zosel, 180 East Superior.

Both the Juniorladies and the Junorettes of the American Legion auxiliary will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Leif Bergavik, 1090 North Cottage street.



Attractive Willamette Co-Eds—who make up the royal court for the university's 30th annual May Week-end ceremonies, colorful event being held this Friday and Saturday on the campus. From left to right, Princess Mary Jeannette Bergstedt of Waco, Queen Irma Oehler of Salem and Princess Alice Speck of Salem.—(Jessen-Miller Photo Courtesy Oregonian).