

SOCIETY

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BALMY SPRING days seem to be the incentive for many parties, which are informal for the most part. One of the most delightful events of the week was the "good will" tea given by the Salem General hospital auxiliary at the Fairmount hill place of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar T. Pierce Thursday afternoon with several hundred matrons and maids attending.

Romance, too, blossoms with the spring. Salem society was interested earlier in the week to learn of the engagement of Miss Virginia Hammond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hammond of Portland, and Charles W. Leach of Salem, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Leach of Boulder, Colo.

Rumor has it that a prominent Salem deb and an out-of-town man will disclose their engagement in the near future with a wedding planned for the early summer. . . . And another Salem deb and a Salem bachelor will wed in mid-May.

Governor and Mrs. Charles A. Sprague entertained at breakfast this morning in their North Fourteenth street residence honoring Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick Simms, a distinguished visitor.

Covers were placed for Mrs. Simms, Mrs. John Y. Richardson of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith, Wallace Sprague and the hosts, Governor and Mrs. Charles A. Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Goulet, Sr., are entertaining at dinner this evening for the pleasure of Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Williamson of Portland. Sunday morning the Goulets and their house guests will drive to McMinnville to be breakfast guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Apperson.

Later in the day the group, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. William Dielschneider, Sr., of McMinnville, will motor to Waldport to be guests of John Norwood.

Mrs. Walter Kirk will entertain Tuesday with a smartly arranged affair in compliment to members of her contract club.

Members include Mrs. Ronald Jones, Mrs. E. V. McMechan, Mrs. Karl Becke, Mrs. Edgar T. Pierce, Mrs. H. G. Malson, Mrs. John J. Elliott, Mrs. Brazier Small, Mrs. Roger Mything and the hostess, Mrs. Kirk.

The date of the marriage of Miss Josephine Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hull of Salem, to James Whitaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whitaker of Fresno, Calif., was announced at a dinner held Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Hull's sister, Mrs. Walter Ficus in Eugene. The wedding will be June 6.

The announcement was written on scrolls concealed in the corsages at each plate. Miss Hull is a graduate of Willamette university, and has been taking graduate work at Phillips university at Enid, Okla. She is a member of Alpha Phi Alpha sorority. Mr. Whitaker attended Northwest Christian college and is young people's director at the First Christian church. The couple will live in Eugene.

Those attending the dinner were Miss Beth De Lapp, Miss Erma Cole, Mrs. Liston Parrish, Miss Opal Yates and Mrs. O. J. Hull, all of Salem, Miss Lorene Lemmon, Miss Frances Quigley, Miss Martha Groves, Mrs. Al Tiffin, Miss Martha Myers, Mrs. Oakley Rhay, Mrs. Kendall E. Burke, Mrs. Louisa Kellems, Miss Dora Ellen Cash, Mrs. Ross Gouley, Miss Hull and Mrs. Ficus, all of Eugene.

Word has been received by Salem friends from New York and Cleveland of announcement made in Cleveland last week-end of betrothal of Miss Harriet Hawkins and Robert Cass.

Miss Hawkins is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William John Hawkins of Portland. She is the sister of Mrs. Morris Halsey Jones, Mrs. Robert Wagoner Kamble and William John Hawkins, all of Portland. She has many friends in Salem.

For the last seven years she has been making her home in New York. She is a graduate of Principia in St. Louis, Mo., and also attended Reed college and the University of Oregon.

Mr. Cass came from Tunbridge Wells, Kent, England, and is a graduate of the London university. He came to the United States in 1924 and was on the faculty of the engineering school at Harvard before going into business in Cleveland.

The wedding is planned for late May in New York.

The Monday Night Dipping club is making plans for the last dance of the season Monday night at the Marion hotel, to be preceded by a no-host dinner at 7:30 o'clock. Members will entertain guests at the affair.

Mrs. V. E. Kuhn and Mrs. Leo Page are making arrangements for the dinner. New officers for the club are Robert Sprague, president, and Lawrence Lister, secretary-treasurer.



Reveals Engagement—Miss Virginia Hammond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hammond of Portland, whose betrothal to Charles W. Leach of Salem, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Leach of Boulder, Colo., was announced earlier in the week. No date has been set for the ceremony.—(Courtesy Oregon Journal).

AMARRIAGE of social importance to Salem and Eugene folk will be solemnized at 4 o'clock next Saturday afternoon in the chapel of the First Congregational church in Eugene when Miss Helen Willard Dadds, daughter of Austin Everett Dadds of Eugene, becomes the bride of Frank Durbin Cross, son of Mrs. Curtis B. Cross of Salem and the late Mr. Cross.

Rev. Williston Wirt will officiate before a large assemblage of out-of-town guests, including many from Salem and Portland. Preceding the ceremony Mrs. E. E. Wyatt will sing. Miss Marjorie Scobert will play the wedding marches.

The bride, who will escorted to the altar on the arm of her father, will have her sister, Mrs. Peter Ness, as her honor attendant. Bridesmaids will be Miss Virginia Cross of Salem, sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Herbert Large of Eugene.

Edwin Cross of San Francisco will be his brother's best man and ushers will include Richard Devers and Fred Reidy, both of Salem.

A reception will follow the ceremony in the church reception rooms with Mrs. A. E. Caswell, Mrs. J. O. Holt and Mrs. P. M. Carter assisting the wedding party and two families in receiving guests.

Assisting about the rooms and dispensing hospitalities at the serving table will be Mrs. C. P. Tillman, Mrs. R. T. Burnett, Mrs. C. L. Schwerling, Mrs. Nelson F. McDuff, Mrs. John Dadds, Mrs. Fannie McCamant, Mrs. George I. Hurley, all of Eugene, Mrs. Frank Durbin, Sr., of Salem and Mrs. E. F. Pearson of Portland.

Following the reception the couple will leave on their wedding trip. They will make their home in Salem, where Mr. Cross is connected with the Valley Packing company.

The bride-elect is a graduate of the University of Oregon and a member of Phi Beta Phi. She is also a member of the Spinsters. Mr. Cross attended the state university and is affiliated with Phi Delta Theta. He is a member of a prominent pioneer family of Salem.

The annual meeting of the Salem Philharmonic Orchestra association will be held Monday evening, April 15, at 8 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce. Following reports of committees and election of directors, the new board will meet.

"April in Vienna" will be the theme for the Salem Junior Woman's club's annual spring formal, which will be a stellar event of next Saturday evening at the Hazel Green pavilion. Miss Marjorie Weum is general chairman of the directorate.

Tommy Se Rine and his band will play for dancing from 10 to 1 o'clock. Any number of cheerio parties will precede the party.

Patrons and patronesses will include Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Scellars, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Page, and Mr. and Mrs. William McGilchrist, Jr.

The various guilds of St. Paul's Episcopal church are arranging many parties for the benefit of Bishop Dagwell's Diocesan Service League during the month of April, according to Mrs. U. G. Shipley, chairman. St. Anne's guild will entertain with a bridge tea at the parish hall Monday afternoon with Mrs. Arthur Knox, Mrs. John J. Elliott, Mrs. Harold Olinger, Mrs. Howard Rex, Mrs. Kenneth Bell and Mrs. Robert Brennan in charge. Those wishing reservations are asked to call Mrs. Knox, 7145.

Mrs. Shipley will open her home April 24 at a party for the Bishop's fund. Others who are planning similar affairs are Mrs. Thomas O. Russell, Mrs. George A. White, Mrs. Sidney Kromer, Mrs. Robert Brennan, Mrs. Henry V. Compton, Mrs. Rex Sanford, Mrs. J. N. Chambers and Mrs. Miller B. Hayden. Among those who have previously given parties or donations to the fund are Mrs. Louis Lachmund, Mrs. W. H. Lytle, Mrs. Clifton Irwin, Mrs. William Burghardt, Mrs. Russell Catlin and Mrs. Hugh Earle.

Daughters of St. Elizabeth, St. Agnes and St. Cecilia guilds are also making contributions to the Bishop's fund.

Mrs. Shipley was in Portland recently to attend the annual convention at St. Mark's church with the Diocesan Service League members.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Dashney (Carol Braden) are being welcomed home from their wedding trip in the north and are now "at home" at the Royal Court.

Capital unit, American Legion auxiliary, will meet Monday evening in Fraternal temple for its regular business and social meeting.

Mrs. O. E. Palmater will preside over the business meeting followed by entertainment in charge of Mrs. Glen Seeley, Mrs. Don Madison and Mrs. Lloyd Demarest. Cards and Chinese checkers will be in play with prizes awarded. The refreshments will be in charge of Mrs. Onas Olson, child welfare chairman.

The poppy committee, headed by Mrs. Stanley Krueger, met at the Chamber of Commerce to formulate plans for Poppy Day, May 25. Her committee includes Mrs. Frank Zinn, Mrs. Harold Perkins, Mrs. James Garson, Mrs. Jack Nash, Mrs. W. H. Baillie and Mrs. Jennie Bartlett.

Yew Park circle of First Methodist church will serve a desert luncheon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Lappin, 895 South 13th street, Wednesday at 1 o'clock. Those planning to attend are asked to call 5708 for reservations.

Feminine golfers gathered at the Salem Golf club Friday morning for a round of golf, followed by luncheon at the clubhouse. Mrs. Al Petre won the class A prize and Mrs. Grover C. Bellinger won class B honors. Mrs. Sephus W. Starr won the winter eclectic prize.

Playing yesterday were Mrs. Robert Savage, Mrs. Joseph Adolph, Mrs. E. V. Fortmiller, Mrs. E. H. Mootry, Mrs. Frank Patterson, Mrs. Glenn Stevens, Mrs. Al H. Petre, Mrs. Grover C. Bellinger, Mrs. Creighton Jones, Mrs. C. E. Bates, Mrs. H. H. Olinger, Mrs. E. N. Gillingham, Mrs. Robin Day, Mrs. James Sears, Mrs. Ralph Hamilton, Mrs. Carl Collins, Mrs. Al Novels, Mrs. Claude Johns, Mildred Marquis, Frankie Farrar, Mrs. Harry Wiedmer, Mrs. Kate G. Bell, Mrs. Sam Adolph, Mrs. A. S. Hussey, Mrs. Robert Evans, Mrs. H. P. Gustafson, Mrs. Rex Adolph, Mrs. W. T. Waterman, Mrs. Clarence Hamilton, Mrs. B. F. Pound, Mrs. Laban Steeves, Mrs. Sephus W. Starr, Mrs. Fred Bernard, Mrs. Fred Finley and Mrs. John Bones.

THE SALEM MacDOWELL club will present a program of more than usual interest next Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock in Leslie auditorium with the Willamette Songmen, Dean Melvin Geist and Thelma Peterson Finlay, pianist, as assisting artists. The chorus will again sing under the direction of Bernard Barron.

Mr. Barron, formerly of New York, has been in Oregon since 1933, when he came west to serve as cellist with the old Portland Symphony orchestra following a try-out in the east before Willem van Hoogstraten. He received his choral direction from Father Finn of the Paulist choir in Chicago and is now choral director at Reed college. He is a member of the Willamette university school of music faculty and cellist with the Salem Philharmonic symphony orchestra.

Twenty members of the Willamette Songmen will appear with the MacDowell club in three numbers with Dean Melvin Geist acting as soloist. Thelma Peterson Finlay will play a group of piano numbers.

Between now and April 19 the MacDowell club will conduct a campaign to raise money for the club's scholarship loan fund, which will enable some Salem singing student to continue with advanced voice study. Try-outs will be held after the concert with a group of out-of-town judges making the decision. A number of applications have already been received, according to Mrs. Wallace Wharton, club president.

Lawrence Morley has been added to the MacDowell business staff and will be in charge of the campaign and the ticket sale for next Friday's concert.

Salem high school is planning several interesting events in observance of National Music Week. Friday evening the chorus, under the direction of Lena Belle Tartar, will present a fine program which will feature the singing of the cantata, "My Prayer."

Watson Dutton will be the guest artist appearing with the chorus.

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Mrs. Medora Woodry will become the bride of Jack Hyett at a ceremony to be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Eugene residence of Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Baker. Rev. David Ringland will officiate in the presence of the two families and a few close friends of the couple.

Before the ceremony Miss Yvonne Smith of Salem will sing "Because" and "Sweet Mystery of Life." Mr. Loulin will play the wedding marches.

The altar will be graced with white flowers and greenery and lighted with tall cathedral tapers in wrought iron candelabra.

The bride has chosen a dusty rose frock made of sheer brocade alpaca and a flowered dusty pink hat for her wedding costume. She will wear matching accessories and a corsage of orchids.

Miss Nona Woodry will be her mother's honor attendant. She will wear a smart alpaca frock of powder blue with matching accessories and a corsage of lilacs-of-the-valley, forget-me-nots and sweet peas.

Dr. L. L. Baker will serve as best man for Mr. Hyett. Little Miss Mary Alice Baker, wearing a pastel organza Kate Greenaway frock, will be the flower girl. She will carry a nosegay of spring flowers.

A reception will follow the ceremony and later the couple will leave for a fortnight's trip in southern California. Upon their return they will make their home at 476 South Commercial street, Salem.

The bride is well known in Salem, where she has lived for many years. Mr. Hyett is a former resident of Silverton, where he was a vice-president of the First National bank for 20 years.

Honoring Miss Helen Dadds, whose marriage to Frank D. Cross of Salem will take place April 20, Mrs. C. L. Schwerling and Mrs. Nelson F. McDuff entertained Wednesday evening at the Schwerling home in Eugene with a dessert party and kitchen shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hartley of Jefferson will entertain at dinner Sunday honoring Mrs. C. L. Hartley on the occasion of her 80th birthday anniversary. Lilacs and tulips will center the table where covers will be placed for 20.

The Ford Memorial Ladies Aid will entertain with a silver tea at the home of Miss Gertrude Savage, 1362 Plaza street, West Salem, Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 4:30 o'clock. A musical program will be given. Hostesses with Miss Savage will be Mrs. Mona Berkey, Mrs. William La Due, Mrs. Goldie Cameron, Mrs. Maude Miller and Mrs. H. Bonney.

Arrive from Yokohama—Mrs. Ivan B. White, who with Mr. White, vice-consul at Yokohama, arrived recently for a holiday in the states, is shown with her little daughter, Patricia Ann, and the baby's amah, Mrs. Ryu Harada. The Whites are guests of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Bertie H. White in North Capitol street.—(Jester-Miller Study).

Women of the First Congregational church will entertain with an Irish tea at the church April 24 from 3 to 8 o'clock in the afternoon and from 7 to 10 o'clock in the evening. An exhibit of rare linens will be shown by Mrs. Robert Hutchinson.

Mrs. E. W. Emmett will entertain members of the Laurel Social Hour club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Salem Writers' club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. C. A. Lytle, 1337 Court street, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Ora F. McIntyre will serve as hostess.

Mrs. William Dillmon Smith was honored with a delightfully arranged luncheon today on the occasion of her 82nd birthday anniversary with Miss Grace Elisabeth Smith, daughter of the honored guest, the hostess.

The luncheon table was covered with a handsome crocheted cloth, made by the honored guest after she had passed her 81st birthday. White lilacs and tall pink tapers in crystal candelholders centered the table.

Covers were placed for Mrs. Smith, the honor guest, Mrs. Charles A. Sprague, Mrs. J. W. Beckley, Mrs. James Graham, Mrs. J. H. Phillips, Mrs. John Tuttle, Mrs. M. C. Findley, Mrs. George E. Davis, Mrs. Florian Von Eichen, Mrs. J. C. Harrison, Mrs. Maru Rauch, Mrs. Ray L. Smith and the hostess, Miss Grace Elisabeth Smith.

Mrs. Smith has made her home in the capital since 1908, when she came from Iowa. She has been a prominent member of the Salem Woman's club, chapter AB, P.E.O. Sisterhood, and of the Salem Writers' club.

American Legion quartet will appear in concert Monday evening, April 29, in the T. S. Roberts residence studio. The program is being sponsored by the American Legion auxiliary. Mrs. Marjorie Johnson is music chairman of the auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gabrielson will have Charles Kay Bishop of Washougal and Portland as their weekend guest.

A religious play will be presented at Waller hall on Willamette university campus April 23 at 8 o'clock. It is being sponsored by the Salem Deaconess hospital auxiliary. The committee in charge of arrangements includes Mrs. A. W. Metzger, Mrs. John A. Olson, Mrs. Fred Toozie, Jr., assisted by Rev. I. I. Friesen.

The Willamette university a cappella choir, directed by Dean Melvin Geist, will also be presented on the program.

Miss Beulah Graham is director of the one-act play called "And He Came to His Father," with a cast of local talented players including Harry Smith, Isaac Friesen, Hal Cross, Margaret Englehart, Carl Cording and M. Carosh.

Tickets may be purchased at the George C. Will Music Store, 432 State street, or at the Deaconess hospital. The proceeds are to be used for the good of the hospital.

White Shrine of Jerusalem will hold impressive installation ceremonies Monday night at the Masonic temple. Mrs. Sam Gillette will preside.

Mrs. Wayne Henry is to be installed as Worthy High Priestess and Mr. Henry is the incoming Watchman of Shepherds.

Miss Lia Austin and Ivan Stewart are the installing officers. Assisting them will be Miss Grace Babcock, installing chaplain; Mrs. C. C. Gabriel, installing herald; Mrs. Frank Settemier, installing secretary; Mrs. Marie Flint McCall, installing organist.

A business session will be held at 4 o'clock in the afternoon with the evening session called for 8 o'clock.

Robert Rawson's grand opera study class will meet Tuesday evening, April 16, at 8 o'clock, at 1310 South Liberty street. The score and libretto of "Hansel and Gretel" by Humperdinck will be studied.

THE SPINSTERS are rapidly completing plans for their decorated tables display, which is scheduled for Wednesday April 24, in the Mirrorroom of the Hotel Marion. The hours will be from 7:30 until 11 o'clock in the evening with Salem and out-of-town folk bidden to attend. Proceeds will go to the Salem General hospital, which is one of the philanthropic projects of the clubs.

Miss Josephine McGilchrist and Miss Esther Baird will greet the guests at the door the night of the tables display. Assisting about the rooms will be Miss Barbara Compton, Miss Margaret Simms, Miss Margaret Wagner, Mrs. William Dick and Mrs. Carl G. Collins.

Presiding at the urns will be the Spinsters' patronesses, including Mrs. Frank H. Spears, Mrs. Curtis B. Cross, Mrs. Homer Goulet, Sr., Mrs. C. S. Hamilton, Mrs. George A. White, Mrs. Homer Smith, Sr., Mrs. Margaret LeFurgy, Mrs. William McGilchrist, Jr., and Miss Beryl Holt. Assisting in serving will be Miss Bobbie Shinn, Miss Shirley Evenson, Miss Dorothy Corey, Miss Mary Ellen Hammond and Miss Dorothy Alexander.

Judging will start at 7 o'clock that evening with Linus Simpson, Bradford G. Collins, Winstanley Jenks, Mrs. W. T. Creech and Mrs. William Connell Dyker chosen as official judges.

Among those who have entered tables thus far are Mrs. William L. Phillips, Mrs. Daniel Fry, Jr., Mrs. E. J. Scellars, Mrs. Hugh Adams, Mrs. Monroe Gilbert, Mrs. Harry Weinstein, Mrs. Walter Smith, Mrs. Carl G. Collins, Miss Josephine McGilchrist, Jr., Lester Barr, Mrs. Chester Cox, Mrs. William Swindells of Dallas, Salem Zonta club, Mrs. Arthur Hunt, Miss Helen Barrett, Miss Marie Lippold, Salem Junior Woman's club, Mrs. William Everett Anderson, Spinsters' Patronesses and the Spinsters.

Commercial exhibitors will include Pomeroy & Keene, Better Bedding Store, H. L. Stiff and C. S. Hamilton furniture stores, and Breithaupt's.

Mrs. E. M. McKee is being welcomed home from an extended visit in Palm Beach, Washington, Chicago and Salt Lake City. Accompanying her on the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Johnson and Mrs. H. L. Carl of Hubbard.

Mrs. S. Raynor Smith and Mrs. James Alken Smith will entertain with a 1:30 o'clock dessert luncheon Tuesday at the former's home, 860 Jefferson street, honoring the Salem Ministers' Wives association.

De Molay Mothers entertained with a Father and Son banquet Thursday evening at the Masonic temple with over 50 in attendance. Frank W. Mogan and Corydon Blodgett, master counsellor, presided.

Among those introduced during the evening were Mrs. Glen Seeley, president of the Mothers' club, Mrs. E. W. Peterson, wife of a past advisor, Mrs. Frank W. Mogan, mother of Farley E. Mogan, present advisor, and Mrs. T. M. Hicks. Each De Molay member introduced his father.

The attractive tables were centered with bouquets of lilacs, water hyacinths and lris.

The committee arranging the affair included Mrs. George Tucker, chairman, Mrs. Frank Doolittle, Mrs. J. E. Van Wynarden, Mrs. C. L. Blodgett, Mrs. Frank W. Mogan, Mrs. Donald C. Roberts, Mrs. Robert Phillips and Mrs. Ruth Fisher Nolan.

Lions club auxiliary will meet Thursday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock for luncheon at Godfrey's. Later the group will be entertained at the home of Mrs. B. M. Donaldson.

Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Harry W. Scott, Mrs. L. J. Young, Mrs. Robert McEwan and Mrs. William T. Porter.

The evening study club of the American Legion auxiliary, Capital unit, met at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Demarest with Mrs. Frank Marshall, Americanism chairman, in charge of the meeting.

Mrs. James Fisher read her paper on the "Old Oregon Trails" and Mrs. Carl Subbauer had as her subject "Pioneer Homes and Schools of Oregon." The pioneer cabins, one at Scio and one in Polk county, were visited by Mrs. Subbauer and described. They were built over 100 years ago.

Those present were Mrs. Glen Seeley, Mrs. Walter Spaulding, Mrs. Herman Brown, Mrs. Marshall Ransdell, Mrs. Carl Subbauer, Mrs. James Fisher, Mrs. Frank Marshall, Mrs. Isaac Bacon, the hostess, Mrs. Demarest, and her mother, Mrs. Aspinwall.

The afternoon group will meet with Mrs. Albert Gragg Thursday, April 14.