

SOCIETY CLUBS and MUSIC

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Salem Man Is Married In Virginia

Announcement is being made today of the marriage in Fredericksburg, Va., June 29, of Miss Gloria Stephens of that city, daughter of Mrs. C. Stephens, and James Vittone, AOM 1/c of the United States navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Vittone of Salem.

The couple are making their home in Norfolk, where the navy man is now stationed.

Mrs. Vittone is a graduate of Fredericksburg schools and Mr. Vittone, who enlisted in the service two days after Pearl Harbor, attended Salem schools.

Hostess at a birthday dinner in honor of her husband Tuesday evening was Mrs. J. B. Rosche. An evening of dancing and games was enjoyed by the guests who included Mr. and Mrs. Leo Poppe and daughters, Donna Marie and Dora, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Given and daughter, Donna Marie and Donald and David Mark, sons of the hostess.

Mrs. Sprague Honored At Friday Luncheon

In compliment to Mrs. Robert W. Sprague, former Salem resident, who with her small daughter Kathryn, of Seattle, is visiting in Salem at the William Monroe Hamilton home, Mrs. Hamilton entertained this afternoon with a luncheon at her Fairmount hill home.

Centering the table at which the guests were seated was a bouquet of carnations.

Contract bridge was in play during the afternoon.

Bidden by Mrs. Hamilton to honor Mrs. Sprague are Mrs. Delwin Finley, Mrs. George W. Nelson, Mrs. J. Marvin Ritchie, Mrs. Robert White, Mrs. Phillip Blake, Mrs. Kenneth Barker, and Mrs. Wesley Ritchie.

Thursday Night Party For Mrs. Van Onsenoord

Thursday evening party was that for which Mrs. Verne Robb was hostess at her home honoring Mrs. Barney Van Onsenoord, who was feted with a miscellaneous shower.

A dessert supper was served the guests at small tables centered with bouquets of Cecil Brunner roses.

Contract bridge was in lay during the evening.

Guests of Mrs. Robb were Mrs. Van Onsenoord, Mrs. M. Foster, Mrs. A. A. Hager, Mrs. Warren Baker, Mrs. Delbert Schwabauer, Mrs. Clinton Standish, Mrs. Reatha Thiesen, Mrs. Joseph Felton, Mrs. William Hager, Mrs. J. Irvine Caplinger, Mrs. Ray L. Binegar, Mrs. H. H. Princehouse, Sr., Mrs. Irving Dyatt of Corvallis, Mrs. Ira Fitts, Mrs. Gordon Barker, Mrs. Holly Jackson, Mrs. C. E. Young and Mrs. A. A. Krueger.

Visitor Honor Guest At Many Parties

Silverton—Among the hostesses complimenting Mrs. Esther Weaver, of South Pasadena, Calif., during her stay here at the home of her mother, Mrs. O. S. Hauge, have been Mrs. M. J. Madsen and her daughter, Miss Lillie Madsen, Wednesday evening; Mrs. Elmer Johnson, Tuesday evening, and Mrs. W. C. Larson of the Brush Creek district.

Planned within the next few days are an affair Friday evening for which Mrs. Arthur Gottenberg will be hostess and a party during the coming week being arranged by Mrs. M. G. Gunder-son. Mrs. Weaver was honor guest at a coffee party at the home of Mrs. Ed Holden in Broadway avenue.

Receiving felicitations on the birth of a son, Gary Lee at the Eugene hospital this morning are Mr. and Mrs. Ivan W. Crum of Mackenzie Bridge. The little boy, who has an older brother James Ray, is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lindbeck of Salem and Mrs. Mary Crum of Medford.

Silverton—Dr. A. L. V. Smith, district governor, Lions International, left Thursday evening for Chicago, where he is to attend the war conference of Lions International. Dr. Smith will call on relatives in Minneapolis and other towns in Minnesota, also in Iowa, en route home. He plans to return home by August 15.

Organizations

Initiation for new members will be held at the regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors to be held at the Fraternal temple Monday night.

Ann Judson, missionary society of the First Baptist church, will meet tonight at 7:45 o'clock at the church.



Pictured Leaving the Chapel at Fort Winfield Scott, California, where they exchanged their marriage vows are Pvt. and Mrs. George A. Walden. Mrs. Walden, the former Pearl Brantner, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brantner of Salem and her husband is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George D. Walden.

Garden Rites Are Read Sunday

Exchanging their marriage vows at a ceremony read in the gardens at the country home of the bride's parents, the afternoon of July 16 at 1:30 o'clock were Miss Naoma Ruth Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Burr Black of Salem, and John Thomas Neyerlin of Portland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Neyerlin of Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Dr. E. W. Warrington of the department of religious education at Oregon State college, was the officiating clergyman and playing the wedding march was Mrs. E. P. Black, aunt of the bride.

Entering on the arm of her father, the bride was gown in white slipper satin and wore a fingertip length veil of silk illusion that had been worn by her mother. Her bouquet was of gardenias and white sweetpeas and bouvardia.

Mrs. W. O. Brinkert of Grass Valley, who was the bride's only attendant, wore a gown of rose satin and carried a nosegay of roses and sweetpeas.

Michael Garcia of Portland served as best man for Mr. Neyerlin and Marvin Black, brother of the bride, was the usher.

At the reception held in the gardens immediately following the ceremony the serving table was centered with an arrangement of hydrangeas, shasta daisies and carnations.

The bride's cake was cut by Mrs. F. S. Crawley of Rickreall and presiding at the urn was Mrs. Amos Bierly, while Mrs. William Farrell of Corvallis presided at the punch bowl. Assisting with the serving were Miss Coleen Holman of Portland, Miss Ernestine Lenz and Miss Barbara Black, a cousin of the bride.

When Mr. and Mrs. Neyerlin left on their wedding trip to the Oregon beaches, on their return from which they will be at home at 4069 North Kerby street in Portland, the bride was wearing a blue wool crepe frock with white accessories and a corsage of rosebuds and sweetpeas.

The bride is a graduate of Oregon State college and Mr. Neyerlin attended Reed college.

Visiting in Salem this week as the guest of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Yocom, is Mrs. Ralph Yocom, the former Helen Sharp.

Salem visitors have been Major and Mrs. Cecil Edwards, who were the guests of Major Edwards' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards. This was the first visit to Salem of Mrs. Edwards, who is a lieutenant in the army nurses corps. Her husband is now stationed in Pomona, California.

Attended by members of the host chapter and Salem boys from Leslie and Parrish junior high schools, who this fall will enter the senior high school, will be the swimming party planned for Saturday night between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock at the Leslie pool by members of the Harrison Elliott chapter of H-Y. A watermelon feed for which Robert M. Lehman will furnish the melons, will follow the swim. Special guests will be Frank Neer and Harry M. Broadbent, advisors of the club, Harold Davis, Fred Wolf, C. A. Kells, Frank Bennett, Gurnee Fletcher, Harold B. Johnson, Walter Snyder, Dr. L. E. Barrick, Vernon Merrick, Fred Zimmerman and Al Lightner.

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Kitchen Shower Compliments Mrs. Powers

In compliment to Mrs. Charles Powers, Jr., the former Dorothy Engel, was the dessert supper and kitchen shower for which members of a club of which her mother, Mrs. Adam Engel, is a member, were hosts at the Gene Vandeneinde home Tuesday night.

Guests were seated at tables centered with arrangements of roses and snapdragons and bouquets of summer flowers were used about the rooms.

Bidden to honor Mrs. Powers were Mrs. J. W. Hansell, Jr., Mrs. Vernon Drye, Mrs. F. E. Kenyon, Mrs. C. Meusey, Mrs. Selby Shunterman, Mrs. A. L. Elvin, Mrs. L. R. MacLachlan, Mrs. Robert De Vlieg, Mrs. E. H. Burrell, Mrs. Claude McPherson, Mrs. James McFarland, Mrs. Walter Spaulding, Mrs. James Buell of Portland, Miss Loraine Meusey, Miss Jeanne Burrell, Miss Betty Childs, Miss Jean McPherson, Miss Patricia Vandeneinde and Miss Dorothy Vandeneinde.

Members of the club are Mrs. Frederick J. Brennan, Mrs. T. J. Brabec, Mrs. Henry Chezem, Mrs. Leo Childs, Mrs. Adam Engel, Mrs. Duane Gibson, Mrs. Arthur D. Hay, Mrs. Charles Wagner and Mrs. Gene Vandeneinde.

Returned to Salem to make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Holt, is Mrs. Bruce Van Wyngarden, the former Maxine Holt, who plans to remain in the capital city, while her husband is in the south Pacific. Since their marriage the Van Wyngardens have made their home in Miami, Norfolk and Long Beach, California.

Supper Party Fetes Cpl. Joseph Felton

Honoring Cpl. Joseph Felton is the supper party for which Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mink will be hosts at their home in South 15th street this evening, with a group of the army man's friends bidden to attend.

Supper will be served at small tables in the garden and the evening will be spent informally.

Covers will be placed at the supper for Cpl. and Mrs. Felton, Mrs. Clinton Standish, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Heater, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Fitts, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Robb, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Schwabauer, Mrs. C. E. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mink.

Famous Grand Operas Featured on Program

Numbers from famous grand operas will be featured on the recorded concert to be given in the recreation room of the YWCA Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Robert Rawson offering comments.

The program for the concert includes:

From "La Sonnambula" Bellini
Son setoso del setiro (I Am Jealous of Each Zephyr)
Amelia Galli-Cucchi & Tito Schipa

From "William Tell" Rossini
Selva opaca (Deep-Shaded Woods)
Rose Ponselle

From "Hamlet" Thomas
Brindisi (Drinking Song)
Mario Sammarco

From "Fidelio" Beethoven
Overture

From "Faust" Gounod
Flower Song

From "Le Prophete" Meyerbeer
Re del Cielo (King of Heaven)
Francisco Tamargo

From "La Traviata" Verdi
Eneide Schumann-Heink
Del mio bollente spirito (Wild My Dream of Youth)
Benjamin Glaz

From "Lakme" Delibes
Dance la foret (In Forest Depths)
Francis Alda

From "Il Trovatore" Verdi
Di quella pira (Tremble, Ye Tyrants)
Enrico Caruso

From "Otello" Verdi
Cassio's Dream

From "Lucia di Lammermoor" Donizetti
Verrano a le sul' aere (Borne on the Breeze)
Amelia Galli-Cucchi & Tito Schipa

Dr. W. B. Morse

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Dr. Morse was born in McMinnville March 21, 1886, son of William Bent and Nancy E. McBride Morse. His mother was a sister of the late Thomas A. McBride, long justice of the Oregon supreme court. His father was an Oregon pioneer of the early 50s, settling at McMinnville where he engaged in various pursuits, was connected with the Grand Ronde Indian agency under General Phil Sheridan and was the first warden of the Oregon State penitentiary to which post he was appointed by Governor Woods in 1886.

Specialist in Surgery
Willis B. Morse attended the public schools at St. Helens, high school at Portland, the Wasco academy at The Dalles and then matriculated in the medical school of Willamette university where he was awarded his degree of doctor of medicine in July, 1891. The diploma from Willamette university hangs on his office wall, signed by Thomas Van Scoy, as president of the university as well as by faculty members. Alongside this hangs a state license issued March 30, 1895, although he had practiced medicine continuously since his graduation. The state license was among the first issued. He never let his schooling lag, as shown by a number of diplomas for extra work done at the New York Post-Graduate school where he was accorded high honors for his accomplishments.

While his practice included that of medicine, it was in surgery that he specialized. He was a fellow of the American College of Surgeons and one of his principal obsessions was to elevate and maintain the standards of his profession.

Doctor Navy Consultant
One of the latest appointments he received in life was that as honorary consultant to the surgeon general of the navy, issued to him by Admiral Ross T. McIntire, not only surgeon general of the navy but also personal physician to President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Dr. McIntire studied medicine and surgery under Dr. Morse, called him to Washington on at least two occasions, once in December, 1942, and again last fall, to meet with the honorary board of consultants who were gathered to discuss professional matters as they related to the good of the service. Admiral McIntire had the highest regard for Dr. Morse and issued a public statement from Washington some time ago in which he recounted the invaluable services rendered by Dr. Morse and also the personal debt owed by the admiral to the late doctor's tutelage and influence on his life.

In his role as consultant to Admiral McIntire Dr. Morse had plans laid just before his illness for a trip through southern California inspecting proposed sites for installation of convalescent camps for returning wounded service men. He was also to outline plans for the convalescent spots to be established and make recommendations to the admiral. However, due to his illness, he was compelled to cancel the trip and telegraphed the admiral as to the change in arrangements.

In addition to studies at the New York Post Graduate school Dr. Morse also did similar work with the New York Polyclinic and was an avid gatherer and reader of the best in professional literature as it appeared. He was a member of the medical staff of the Salem General hospital and through the years one of its most ardent supporters and was insistent on the institution reaching and keeping only the highest standards of hospitalization.

Headed State Board

In 1899 Dr. Morse was married to Miss Ethel Cusick of Salem, daughter of Dr. William A. Cusick, one of the pioneers of Marion county, having come across the plains in the early forties. Mrs. Morse died in 1906.

For many years Dr. Morse was connected with the state board of health and also served as its president for many years during his incumbency as a member. During the first world war he was a member and chairman of the medical advisory board and during the present war was also a member of

a similar committee under the selective service act responsible for the allocation of the services of physicians.

He was a member of the local medical society, president of the Oregon State Medical society in 1926-27, of the American Medical association and American College of Surgeons. He also was very active in a number of Masonic affiliations as he was in Salem lodge No. 336, B.P.O.E.

Lifetime One of Hard Work
In addition to these numerous responsibilities, he was during the more active years of his practice, constantly in the service of his patients, regular hours of sleep being virtually unknown to him. And in addition his interest in civic affairs never lagged as he advocated progressive movements of practically every type in the city, county and state. As a sideline he had farming interests to which he paid considerable attention and particularly enjoyed visits to a farm on the upper reaches of the Siletz river in Lincoln county to which he went for infrequent periods of relaxation.

On the Siletz farm he maintained a fine dairy herd and

for some years a cheese factory was operated there. At one time he owned three tracts along the river but two of these had been disposed of. The Siletz properties fitted in perfectly with some of his hobbies, as Dr. Morse was essentially an outdoor man when given the opportunity. He was a crack rifle shot, an expert fly fisherman and also excelled as a camp cook.

Fascinated By Travel

For a number of years he had made annual excursions into the Death Valley in southern California, a place which appealed to him with a great fascination. On these trips he was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Patterson of Salem and for him they always seemed to have a rejuvenating effect.

In his youth, and while still

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attending school, Dr. Morse worked as a locomotive engineer when the jetty was being constructed at the mouth of the Columbia near Astoria. Also he operated a donkey engine for a logging concern at Deer Lodge in Columbia county.

Close friends of Dr. Morse say that his outstanding characteristic was humanitarianism in his profession. He couldn't say "No" to anyone in sickness or distress. Long after he had reached an age when his friends had urged him to enter into at least partial retirement, a call from a sick bed received a ready response, no matter what time of day or night.

"For over half a century he dedicated his life to mankind," said one of these friends.

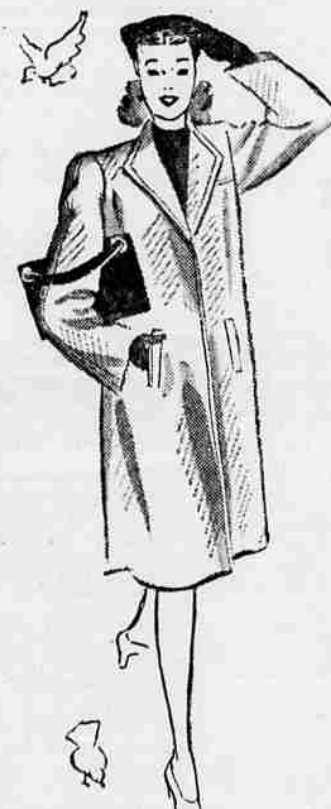
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