



MASTER SGT. AND MRS. H. EARL BOGARDUS, JR., shown at the reception after their marriage in St. Paul's Episcopal church July 12. The bride is the former Patsy Jean Maurer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Maurer, and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Hubert Earl Bogardus of Grand Island, Neb. (Jesten-Miller)

**FIFTY GATHERED** on the Eugene Prescott lawn last Tuesday for the annual picnic of the Central W.C.T.U.

Mrs. Minnie Hulet brought a report of the Children's Farm Home Board meeting telling of the recent fire, their first serious one, that burned the roof and upper floor of the Portland Cottage.

Mrs. Lena Lisle presented a pin-up lamp from the W.C.T.U. hall to Mrs. Helen Prescott, given in recognition of the five years' faithful and efficient service she had given the Union as its president.

Miss Alicia Darling, the special guest of the afternoon, read several original poems, then gave a talk on "Life, Affected by Poisonous Narcotics," mentioning books to be found in the State Library which should be in all school libraries as well.

Mrs. B. F. Shoemaker closed the afternoon's program with the devotionals. The next meeting of the Union will be held August 7 at the home of Mrs. Margaret Ellis, 592 North Summer street. The afternoon offering for the farm amounted to \$35.

An all-church picnic will be held at the Leslie Methodist parsonage at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening with the Women's Society of Christian Service arranging the event.

Honored guests at the affair will be Rev. Joseph Knotts, who has returned as pastor of the church for another year; Rev. and Mrs. Roy Fedje and family, newly appointed superintendent of the Salem district; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Roseman and Miss Evelyn Roseman, recently returned from New Orleans, where Mr. Roseman has been stationed; Mrs. Omer Isdo and Faith and Paul Isdo, who are leaving to join Captain Isdo, a chaplain in the army; and Melvin Gilson, who is resigning as choir director and taking a position in the school system at Madras. Mrs. Lillian Conner is heading the committee in charge of the social evening.

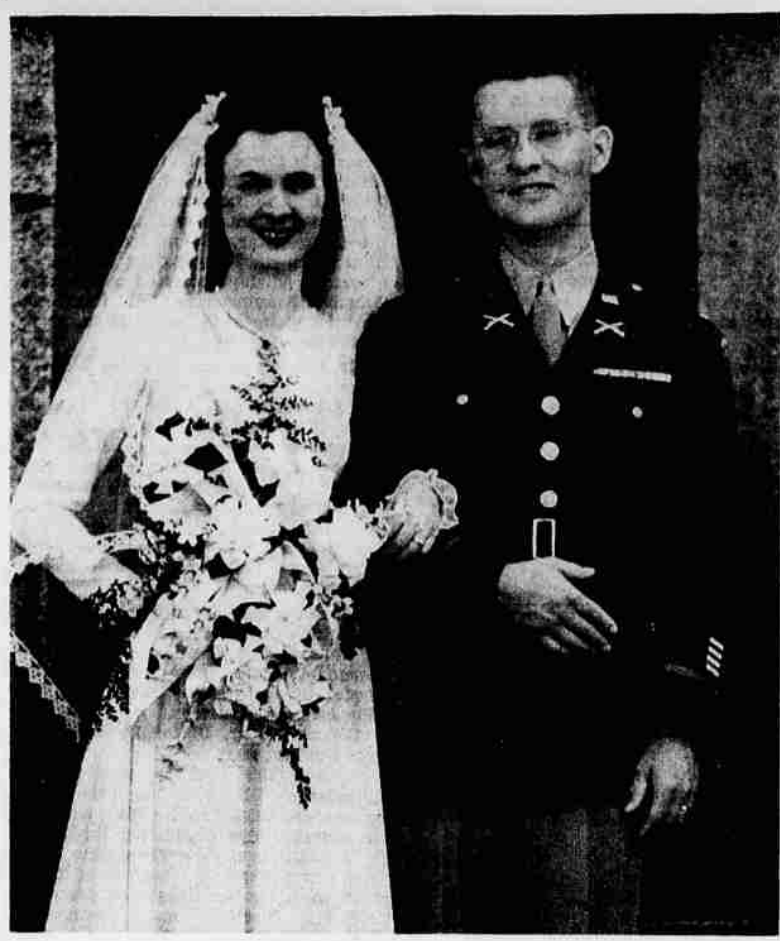
Members from Salem, Portland, Monmouth and Corvallis were in McMinnville last Saturday to attend a luncheon and business meeting of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honorary in education, which was held at the home of Mrs. Muriel Jernstedt.

Mrs. Jernstedt was installed as president of the group at a ceremony at which Mrs. Agnes Booth of Salem, Marion county school superintendent, presided. Other new officers are secretary, Miss Edna Mingus of Monmouth, professor of English at Oregon College of Education; treasurer, Mrs. Carmalite Weddle of Salem, Marion county supervisor.

Mrs. Jernstedt, who has been principal of Cook school in McMinnville for 10 years, is a graduate of Oregon College of Education, University of Oregon, and Willamette university School of Music. She is a member of the American Association of University Women.

Silverton—Among the 43 guests present at the L. C. Eastman home for the Altruistic club party on the lawn about the out-door fireplace Friday evening were a group from Salem Centralia Temple No. 11, including Eunice Burk, MEC; Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Burk and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rockafellow, Mrs. Dora Stanton, Mrs. Mary Aplin, Mrs. Anna Muncy, and Mrs. Mildred Fetsch.

Specially complimented guests were Miss Rose Dolezel of Cleveland and Mrs. Mary Andrews of Silverton.



LT. and MRS. RAYMOND M. STEINKE (Doris Harrington) glimpsed on the steps of St. Paul's Episcopal church after their marriage ceremony on July 8. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Martha Harrington and Lt. Steinke is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Steinke. (Jesten-Miller)

SILVERTON—Mr. and Mrs. Turner W. Armstrong (Mrs. Zanta Hutton) are announcing their marriage late Thursday afternoon at Vancouver, Washington, the Rev. Paul Kunzman of the Lutheran pastorate, reading the lines of the single ring ceremony.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. James Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong plan to leave the first of the week for Vallejo, California, on their wedding trip.

The Presbyterian church in Anchorage, Alaska, was the setting for the wedding June 30 of Miss Virginia McCrow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCrow and Max E. Harness.

Given in marriage by Captain Arnold McKenzie, the bride wore a white satin gown with fingertip veil and carried an heirloom lace handkerchief and a white Bible with two orchids.

Miss Ethel Filker, bridesmaid, wore a powder blue gown and carried a bouquet of spring flowers. Best man was Sgt. Marvin T. Berg, and ushers were Pfc. Fred Blau and Tech 5 William Ballelyne.

A reception in the church parlors followed the ceremony.

The bride has been employed at the army air base near Anchorage for several months. The bridegroom, the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Harness of Merced, Calif., was discharged from the army on the point system last month after four and a half years of service, most of it in Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Harness are making their home in Anchorage. They plan to visit the states this fall.

Faith Rebekah lodge held its meeting at the hall recently with a good attendance. Installation of officers was the main business of the evening when Mrs. Hazel Lewis, district deputy president, and following staff: Alice Huber, deputy marshal; Anna B. Julian, deputy warden; Rosa Berry, deputy chaplain; Alta Bodeker, deputy treasurer, and Mildred Carr, deputy secretary, installed the new officers.

They include Verna West, past noble grand; Mary Garrison, noble grand; Dorothy Cook, vice grand; Helen Anderson, secretary; Eva Bressler, treasurer; Alma Olmstead, warden; Pearl Reed, conductor; Frances McCarter, chaplain; Goldie Rambo, outside guardian; Ethel Huffman, inside guardian; Alta Bodeker, right supporter to noble grand; Rosa Berry, left supporter to noble grand; Mildred Carr, left supporter to vice grand; Beulah Lewis, left supporter to vice grand; Garnett Bassett, musician.

Mill City—Hosts at Sunday dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cline, honoring Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Allen of Portland, who were week-end guests at the Cline home. Dinner was served in the Cline gardens.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Chestnut and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haseman, of Idanha; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schroeder, Mr. and Mrs. William Quinn, D. B. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Allen and the hosts.

Being further entertained, the T. W. Allens and Mrs. Curtis Cline were luncheon guests on Monday at the William Quinn home.

**BEAUTIFUL** summer wedding was held last night at the home of Prof. and Mrs. T. S. Roberts when Miss Lois Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stevens, became the bride of John W. Scott, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Scott. Rev. Claude Stephens of Mill City officiated.

Mrs. Robert Davis sang preceding the ceremony and Prof. Roberts played the wedding music. Seating the guests and lighting the altar tapers were the Misses Betty Vonne Taylor and Betty Bassett.

Mr. Stevens escorted his daughter to the altar. She wore a princess model of white bridal satin with lace insertions in the full skirt and court train. Her fingertip veil was held with a coronet of orange blossoms. She wore antique earrings, which had belonged to the bridegroom's grandmother, and a strand of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom to his bride. She carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds.

Miss Halle Stevens was her sister's maid of honor. She wore a frock of delicate pink marquisette and carried an arm bouquet of summer flowers.

Robert Smith was his nephew's best man.

A reception was held directly after the ceremony. Mrs. L. C. Sander, aunt of the bride, cut the wedding cake. Mrs. C. Z. A. Zander, the bride's grandmother, assisted informally.

For going away the bride wore a gold tulle with white accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds. Upon their return the couple will live in Salem. The bridegroom, who was recently discharged from the United States Navy, is connected with Herrall-Owens Co. His bride has been on the staff of the Farmers' Union.

Silverton—Mrs. Minnie Rue, president, is announcing the meeting of Immanuel Lutheran senior Woman's Guild, Wednesday, July 26, to be at the home of Mrs. E. R. Ekman in Mill street, the program to begin at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Olaf Tokstad will assist Mrs. Ekman during the social hour. Mrs. Arthur Dahl will lead discussion on the topic, "My America." Serving as visiting committee for the month of July are Mrs. Otto Dahl and Mrs. Stanley Swanson.



MISS BETTY FIELEN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fielen, who is spending the month in Los Angeles as the guest of her cousin, Miss Florence Fielen. (Bishop Studio)

**THE BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB** finance committee, headed by Mrs. Marion Wooden, will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening, July 23, at the home of Miss Phebe McAdams, 756 South 12th street, to set up the budget for the coming year.

Those serving on the financial committee this year are Mrs. Wooden, Miss McAdams, Miss Mary Sheldon, Miss Helen Hiller, Miss Elva Boone, Mrs. Lydia Wooten, Miss Helga Brosten, Miss Cecilia Woodruff, Mrs. Maude Eckman, Mrs. J. M. Kemper, Miss Nola Clark, Mrs. Anna Morgan and Miss Ida Mae Smith, president of the club.

West Salem—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kortmeyer presided at a 1 o'clock dinner Thursday evening at their home with members of the Happy Hour Pinochle club as their guests. Pinochle was in play during the evening with honors going to Mrs. Walker and A. L. Bones. Double pinochle honors were received by Todd Walker.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Todd Walker, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bones, and Mr. and Mrs. Lew Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuhn, Mrs. Chamberlain, Mrs. Morrison and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Kortmeyer.



LITTLE PETER JOHN HOFFERT III, son of Petty Officer and Mrs. Peter Hoffert, who will be honored with a party on his first birthday July 29 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Shepherd.

**Voiture Elects New Officers**

The July meeting of Marion County Voiture No. 153 was held at the Lion's Den Wednesday night. Final nomination and election of officers for the ensuing year was the chief order of business. There was little competition for the various offices and the following voyaguers were elected to office: Carl Gabrielson, chief de gare; Charles H. Huggins, chief de train; Jake Fuhrer, commissar intendant; Louis Griffith, correspondent; Al Feilen, conducteur; Charles V. Johnson, garde la porte; Luther L. Jensen, commiss voyagueur; Carl Schneider, lampiste; Dr. J. O. Van Winkle, medicin locale; Walter Kirk, Dick Meyer, and Harry Humphreys were named cheminots locale.

The newly elected officers will be installed at the next meeting which will be held in Mt. Angel on September 19.

The voiture went on record as approving the appointment of Voyagueur Hugh Rosson as state director of veterans' affairs and the correspondent was authorized to write a letter of endorsement to Governor Snell.

About 25 members signified their intention of attending the Corvallis barbecue on July 28. Several new members were introduced.

Movers Got Hidden Money  
Portland, July 21 (AP)—Robert J. Hoffman forgot furniture movers were coming when he hid \$200 under a bedroom rug for safe-keeping. Today both rug and cash had been carried away.

The whale shark is the largest living fish.

**Columbia Basin Owners In Crucial Election Today**

Grand Coulee, Wash., July 21 (AP)—The fate of an irrigation project which would transform a million-acre sea of sand, sags, brush and scattered wheat fields into a rich green farmland hangs today on the ayes or noays of some 3600 Columbia river basin landowners.

The owners—only 700 of them live on the ground which the project's boosters say could support 350,000 people—go to polling places dotting the basin's vastness from 1 to 8 p.m. Many of the residents drew absentee ballots to avoid long trips on dusty, sun scorched roads to the three balloting sites.

Charles Cone of the Columbia Basin commission said some 6000 landowners were involved, but only about 3600 were qualified to vote under a law limiting the ballot to residents of the state.

Frank A. Banks, regional director of the bureau of reclamation, said cost to landowners would not exceed an average of \$85 per acre, to be paid on an interest-free basis over 40 years and with payments deferred for the first 10 years.

The project called for irrigation of 1,029,000 acres, but banks said pre-election withdrawals by wheat ranchers might approach 300,000 acres.

The job of carrying water to the thirsty basin would necessitate the building of nearly 500 miles of main canals and laterals and 3500 miles of smaller canals; construction of four huge dams, one of them 15,000 feet long; the boring of four tunnels aggregating four and a half miles in length; the laying of approximately 2,500,000 cubic yards of concrete—enough to build 800 miles of standard highway.

Official results of the balloting will not be known until August 1.

Dallas Logger Killed  
Dallas, July 21 (AP)—A falling log killed E. D. Whitte, Dallas logger, about 12 miles southwest of here yesterday during logging operations.

**Board Slashes Power Saw Rate**

Portland, Ore., July 21 (AP)—Decision of a six-man division of the national war labor board to slash the power saw rates in the western lumber industry by 35 cents an hour was announced today.

The ruling set aside the \$1.75 hourly rate established by the west coast lumber commission, leaving in effect the \$1.40 guide rate, with some area differentials. Labor members of the board dissented.

The power saw issue had come up in the Willamette valley and Oregon coast operators cases, the lumbermen's industrial relations committee case involving Douglas fir operators, and six cases involving north-west pine operators. The decision rejected an appeal of the J. Neils Lumber company, Klickitat, Wash., for a \$1.67 1/2 hourly rate.

West coast lumber commission action in three other dispute cases was upheld by the NWLB as follows:

(1) A ruling in the Willamette valley and Oregon coast operators cases was endorsed ordering that employers require contractors and sub-contractors to comply with a collective bargaining contract with the CIO-IWA.

(2) A request of the Cascade Lumber company and the AFL Lumber and Sawmill Workers union for a sick-leave plan was affirmed.

The crust of the earth is made up of three types of rock—sedimentary, igneous and metamorphic.

**Welp Appointed To Sheriff's Post**

Toledo, July 21 (AP)—The Lincoln county court has named Timothy P. Welp, Toledo, deputy sheriff from 1938-42, as sheriff to succeed the late George A. Robinson, who died Wednesday.

Wallace Tindell will remain as chief criminal deputy.

**Loomis Hero Of War Front**

Spokane, July 21 (AP)—Lt. Col. Frederick H. Loomis, the possessor of one of the most action-cramped battle records compiled in European fighting, is a patient at Baxter General hospital recovering from the effects of a near-miss by a German rocket shell at Frankfurt.

The colonel operated a lumber business at Salt Lake City before the war and his wife and two sons now are living at North Bend, Ore. His parents live at Bend, Ore.

At one critical point in the western front campaign Loomis saw his unit reduced from 900 men and 35 officers to 75 men and one officer—Lt. Col. Loomis.

In Normandy Col. Loomis commanded three battalions of riflemen in less than 20 days, taking command of each at a critical stage of the battle.

On July 9, 1944, he led a company under heavy fire and located German machine gun positions which were taking a heavy toll of American lives. He crawled within 30 yards of a gun and directed grenade throwers who knocked it out. Then he moved to another and accurate gunfire wiped out its crew.

Two days later, in charge of a second battalion, the colonel

**Central Valley Cities on Proposed New Air Routes**

Salem and other cities in the Central Willamette valley will be the routes of two new air lines coming into Oregon for stop or pick-up service, if the civil aeronautics board approves its examiner's recommendation.

The cities benefitted, besides Salem, will be Dallas, Woodburn, Silverton, Independence, McMinnville, Albany, Corvallis and Newberg.

The new lines are Empire Air Lines and Southwest Airways company. The expansion—to become effective within six months if the civil aeronautics board finds the war situation warrants it—would bring commercial air-line service to more than a score of Oregon cities.

Empire Air Lines is an expansion of the present Idaho Intra-

state service now conducted by Albert L. Zimmerly, Southwest Airways company would be certified for a local feeder service extending from San Francisco through Portland to Seattle.

Southwest planes would be equipped to pick up and deliver mail at smaller cities without landing.

Three-Year Certificate  
The routes, termed temporary, would be certified for a three-year period. In its Portland-Seattle operation Southwest would touch at Astoria and St. Helens, the latter for pick-up service only. On the Portland-San Francisco leg Southwest would stop at Oregon City, McMinnville, Salem, Dallas, Albany, Corvallis, Eugene, Cottage Grove, Coos Bay, Roseburg, Grants Pass, Medford, Ashland and Klamath Falls.

It would also provide pick-up service at Hillsboro, Forest Grove, Newberg, Woodburn, Silverton, Independence, Junction City and Reedsport.

The Empire route, operating between Spokane and Reno would touch at Pendleton, La Grande, Baker and Ontario, thence to Lewiston and Boise.

United Air Lines, already established here, would be allowed to serve Bend as an intermediate stop between Portland and San Francisco, and The Dallas on the Pendleton-Portland run. United also would be given a permanent certificate to fly non-stop between Pendleton and Seattle, and Northwest Air Lines a permanent non-stop between Portland and Butte, Mont.

**Germans Scout Hitler Escape**

Kiel, July 21 (AP)—High German naval officials say Adolf Hitler and Eva Braun definitely could not have escaped to Argentina aboard the recently interned U-boat 530.

Vice Admiral Eberhard Godt, chief executive staff officer of Germany's U-boat fleet under Grand Admiral Karo Doenitz, said yesterday that the U-530 "went to sea from Kiel or a Norwegian post—but probably from Kiel on March 3.

Hitler was known to have been still in Germany later than that.

British intelligence officers said they were "99 percent" satisfied that Hitler and his girl friend did not escape by sea and that Adolf died in Berlin.

Godt said the U-530 was never ear-marked for any special Hitler mission. He said, as far as he knew, there had never been any submarine plans for Hitler's escape.

Vice Admiral Helmuth Meyer, one of Germany's greatest naval intelligence chiefs, said: "I believed that Hitler died in the Berlin chancellery. It is impossible for a man like Hitler to live as an unknown Mr. X. If he did not die in Berlin it would be impossible for me and Doenitz not to know about it."

Woodburn—Dr. G. Herbert Smith, president of Willamette University, was the guest speaker at the Woodburn Rotary club Thursday noon. His subject was "Brother, Can You Spare a Dime?" and his talk dealt with the post war unemployment problem. Visitors were Rotarian Charles Fowler of Salem, A. Miles Austin of the local bank and Marvin Matison.