

# Capital Women

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## Spinsters Announce New Members

Seven new members are announced for the Salem Spinsters. The list includes the following: Miss Martha Steusloff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Steusloff.

Miss Jane Carson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Carson.

Miss Patricia Burrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Burrell.

Miss Patricia Larson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Larson.

Miss Edith Fairham, daughter of Mrs. Silas Fairham.

Miss JoAnne Adolph, daughter of Rex Adolph.

Miss Harriet Huston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Huston.

The club is meeting next Monday evening at which time plans will be made for the annual Mothers' day breakfast on May 8. Place for next Monday's meeting will be announced later.

## Alumnae Meet

Delta Zeta alumnae met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Bjorne Erickson, Mrs. Charles Fulton and Mrs. Hugh Morrow being the hostesses. Dessert was served.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. Gene Spaniol of Stayton, Miss Maxine Paulson, Miss Prudence Paulson, Mrs. Charles Feike, Mrs. Charles Derthick, Mrs. William H. Foster, Mrs. Arthur Lewis, Mrs. Albert Deckebach, Mrs. Emmett Kleinke, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. Fulton and Mrs. Morrow. Next meeting is to be May 17 at the home of Mrs. Spaniol in Stayton.

**MISS MARJORIE** Becke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Becke of Salem, has been elected by the senior class at Annie Wright seminary in Tacoma to represent the seminary in the queen's court at the College of Puget Sound during May festivities on the campus there, May 13 and 14. Mr. and Mrs. Becke plan to go north to Tacoma to be with their daughter for Mother's day week-end events at Annie Wright.

**FAST** Presidents' club of the American Legion auxiliary, Capital Unit No. 9, is meeting Thursday at 7:30 o'clock for dessert at the home of Mrs. Donald Madison, 266 North Capitol.

**THE PLEF** club is to meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Earl Burk, 642 Edgewater street. Mrs. Wayne Stanton and Mrs. A. A. Niederberger are the hostesses.

**VISITORS** in Salem Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Loyall Rugh of Eugene who were en route home from Portland where they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray Wiltse.

**ANNOUNCEMENT** has come to Salem relatives and friends of the birth of a daughter, Leslie Kim, April 1, to Lt. and Mrs. Wallace Wittwer, Albuquerque, N. M., formerly of Salem. There is a son in the family, Wallace Richard. Grandparents are Mrs. J. L. Steed and Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Wittwer, all of Salem. Mrs. Steed is now visiting at her daughter's home.

**CONGRATULATIONS** are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. George P. Roth on the birth of a son, Jeffrey Theodore, Tuesday, April 26, at Salem General hospital. There is a daughter in the family, too, Nancy Louise. Grandmothers of the new arrival are Mrs. Theodore Roth of Salem and Mrs. Louise Forbes of Portland. Mrs. Frank Damian of Portland is a great grandmother.

**SALEM HEIGHTS**—Mrs. Ed A. Carleton will be hostess to the Little Garden club of Salem Heights, Thursday, April 28, at 1:30 o'clock in her home on Liberty road. Mrs. Robert Hawkins is in charge of the program.

**JEFFERSON**—Mrs. George Mason, Mrs. Robert Terhune, secretary of Women's clubs, Mrs. J. G. Fontaine, Miss Marjorie Fontaine, Mrs. Helen Caywood, Mrs. M. D. Looney, Miss Marguerite Looney, Mrs. John Terhune, Mrs. Karl Steiwer, Mrs. Edwin Swartz, all of Jefferson and Mrs. David Looney of Salem attended the county Federation of Women's clubs at the Macleay Grange hall, Saturday. During the business session Miss Marjorie Fontaine was elected treasurer of the federation. Mrs. Nancy Dalverson of the Talbot club gave an interesting report on the Children's Farm home.

## Miss Storruste Awarded Prize

Silverton — Miss Ragnhilde Storruste, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Storruste, was the honored senior member of the high school graduating class to receive the \$25 award from the Business and Professional Women's club as the one complying with the committee's choice as the best "all around home and school activities member."

Mrs. Irene Roubal, club president, made the presentation of the award, topped with an orchid, at the annual tea honoring the senior girls, Sunday afternoon, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Teter on Silver Creek.

Miss Hannah Olson, tea program chairman, was assisted by Mrs. Gladys Montgomery, Mrs. Al Tippler and Mrs. Lela Quintall. The program selections typified various ages of girls. The pre-school age number was a song sung by Carol Spencer, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spencer. The primary school age was depicted in song by Christine Tippler, daughter of the Al Tipplers, Miss Shirley Seid, accompanying at the piano. Miss Seid gave a piano number as a junior high age presentation.

Twenty-five girls, members of the senior class, were present as special guests of the club.

Following the formal presentation of the award and orchid, Mrs. Earl Spencer, assisted at the piano by Mrs. Lela Quintall, gave several vocal selections during the social hour.

Receiving at the door were Mrs. Roubal, Mrs. Leonard Hudson, Mrs. Dale Lamar, Mrs. Robert Webb, Mrs. Wayne Weeks and Miss Caroline Nae-gel. Mrs. Ernest R. Ekman was chairman of a group of 12 members assisting about the rooms and serving.

Iris rhizomes were presented to the hostess, Mrs. Teter, and the hostess of the past year, Mrs. R. J. VanCleave. The club is making the iris rhizome presentation to the hostess, an annual event in keeping with the adopted floral slogan acknowledging the work of Dr. R. E. Klein-sorge and Rholin Cooley in propagating new varieties, and commercial sales.

**MACLEAY**—Mr. and Mrs. Onie L. Martin entertained members of the 4-M club in their Salem home Saturday night. After the business meeting 500 was in play with high score going to Mrs. Milton Kephart and Alford Propp. The May meeting will be held at the Milton Kephart home.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Propp, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kephart, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mc-Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Onie L. Martin.

**HOSTESS** to her bridge group today was Mrs. Raymond Bone-steel at her home in Corvallis, the group meeting for luncheon and cards. Mrs. James R. Humphrey was asked as an additional guest.



## Many Call At YW Tea

An enjoyable event for a large group Tuesday afternoon was the tea given by the YWCA at the West Lincoln street home of Mrs. Bruce Spaulding. The tea was one of the events during the national YWCA week and was occasion for the membership to become better acquainted. Honored especially were charter members and newcomers in the group, this being YW birthday week.

Asked to be in the receiving line were Mrs. A. A. Schramm, president of the local YW; Mrs. W. E. Kirk, the charter president of the Salem YW; Mrs. Frank H. Spears, the charter corresponding secretary here; Miss Mattie Beattie, who was at the organizational meeting in 1914; Mrs. P. L. Blackerby, the first executive secretary for the local association; Mrs. Esther W. Little, present executive director of the association.

Various members of the local board assisted in receiving the guests and in taking charge of the dining room.

Pouring were Mrs. Paul B. Wallace, Mrs. A. C. Haag, Miss Doratha Steusloff and Mrs. Charles A. Sprague.

Especially attractive was the tea table in a green and white motif. The cloth was green. A silver candelabrum, holding swirled white tapers, stood on a mirror in the center of the table and at either side was a silver bowl with white tulips, white lilacs and lilies of the valley. Many spring flowers decorated the home, one bouquet attracting special attention being a large one of lavender lilacs and pink dogwood.

During the afternoon music was provided by Miss Edna Marie Hill at the piano and by a string quartet of junior high school girls, Doris Helen Spaulding, daughter of the hostess, Carol Lee, Roberta Graham and Sidney Kromer.

Members of the Tri-Y groups of the YW assisted in serving in the dining room.

**At Anniversary Party**—Mr. and Mrs. L. A. (Roy) Miller observed their golden wedding, April 17, at a reception in the Hinson Memorial Baptist church in Portland. In the family group above are, left to right: Miss Marcia Miller, Salem, granddaughter of the couple, Mrs. Forrest West of Salem, daughter of the Millers; Mrs. Miller, Mr. Miller, their son, Floyd Miller of Portland, formerly of Salem, and the grandson of the couple, Warren Miller, Salem. Many Salem friends went to Portland for the reception for which Mrs. West and her brother, Floyd Miller, were hosts. (Jesten-Miller studio picture)

## Club Organized

Jefferson—Mrs. Viola Jones of Portland, chairman of the Theta Rho board of control of the state of Oregon, assisted by Mrs. Ruth Colman of Forest Grove, organized a Theta Rho Girls club, No. 53 at the I.O.O.F. hall Saturday afternoon.

Alpha Beta club No. 26 of Forest Grove initiated and installed sixteen girls, all daughters or granddaughters of Rebekah or Odd Fellows.

The officers are: president, Paula Smith; vice president, Veloris Mitchell; secretary, Barbara Armstrong; treasurer, Barbara Blackwell; marshal, Ruth Hart; warden, Janie Smith; conductor, Donna Armstrong; R. S. P. Greta Cameron; L. S. P. Paula Harris Smith; L.S.V.P., Jessie DeVaney; chaplain, Deloris Meyers; I. G. Doris Higgins; O. G., Donna Higgins; first herald, Donna Argo; second herald, Mary Swanzy. Rebekah members initiated were Keithel Smith, Lillian Smith, Blanche Morrisette, Carrie Swanzy, Edna McKee, Hazel Hinsdale, Carrie Glasgow, Ada McKee, Ada Wells and Nettie Hawk. Mrs. Mills received the commission as adviser and assistant adviser. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

**ABOUT 50** attended the informal social and dance for which the Junior Woman's club entertained Monday evening for husbands of members, the new members being in charge.

Mrs. William Judson, Mrs. E. B. Woodson and Miss Betty

## Legion Auxiliary Backs Mrs. Krueger

Mrs. Stanley Krueger of The Dalles, formerly of Salem, received the endorsement of Unit No. 136, American Legion auxiliary, for her candidacy for department vice president. The local group voted its endorsement at its meeting last evening.

Speaker for the Tuesday meeting was Miss Elizabeth Aebischer, case worker, child welfare, welfare commission, who discussed her work.

The community service chairman reported members had given 360 hours of community service to date this year. It was reported an examination and eye glasses had been provided for a daughter of a veteran and that a veteran's family had been provided with clothing.

Mrs. Edward Klippert prepared the unit's scrapbook. A white elephant sale was conducted to raise funds for the unit's work.

## Nile Tea Thursday

An event interesting to many for Thursday afternoon will be the annual benefit party of the Salem club, Daughters of the Nile, the event to be a silver tea between 2 and 5 o'clock in the Masonic temple.

All members and friends of the group are invited to call. Proceeds go to the Shrine hospital in Portland for work with crippled children.

Several officials from Nydia temple, Daughters of the Nile Portland, will be here for the tea, including Mrs. Extra Royce, queen of Nydia temple.

Jean Bergner were the committee.

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