

Capital Women

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Conference For Clubs

An event for Saturday here will be the spring conference and speech contest for international Toastmistress clubs, northwest regional council No. 3. Mrs. J. M. Hartley, Salem, is chairman of the council, and Thursday announced the program for the event, to be held at Nohlgrun's restaurant.

The program begins with registration at 10:30 a.m. Saturday and the executive board meeting is at 11. During the 1 o'clock luncheon, with greetings to clubs from Albany, Eugene, Roseburg and Springfield by Miss Amanda Anderson, local club president, there will be group parody singing led by Mrs. Mary Willis of Eugene, table topics by Mrs. Betty Stockman and an educational talk by Miss Mildred Ringo of Tillamook. At 2 p.m. there will be a business session with election of officers; at 2:45, discussion groups on: 1. Public relations as a means to membership led by Miss Ruth Jaynes of Salem; 2. Program planning as a means to education, Mrs. Woodrow Sarchet of Albany, leader.

Following the general assembly and summarization of discussion groups, at 3:30 there will be skits by Mrs. Don Roth of Albany on "Have You Heard?" and the Eugene Toastmistress club on "The Eyes and Ears Have It." Hazel Loomis will be the evaluator.

The evening program will be: 6 o'clock, dinner, Mrs. J. M. Hartley, presiding; invocation, Mrs. Emerson Teague; welcome, Mrs. Edward White; response, Mrs. Helen Perkins; 6:50, speech contest, Mrs. Donald Densmore, Albany, toastmistress; 7:40 p.m., installation of officers by Mrs. Myra Wires of Albany, international Toastmistress club director.

The program will conclude with the introduction of contestants and judges, announcement of winners and remarks by the newly elected council president.

Miss Adams Tells Of Engagement

The engagement of Miss Leta Adams to Gene Marchington, both Willamette university students, was announced Tuesday evening at the Delta Gamma sorority. Miss Adams, a freshman on the campus, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Adams of Portland. Mr. Marchington is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marchington of Portland. He is a sophomore at Willamette and a member of Sigma Chi fraternity.

No date is set for the wedding. An umbrella arrangement on the door announced the news of a betrothal. An umbrella of flowers was on the table and a large hat box arrived in which were varied other boxes, elaborately decorated and beribboned, to be opened to reveal the names of the couple and the engagement ring.

OAK KNOLL Ladies Golf club held its weekly day Wednesday, a large number attending.

In the novelty event, Mrs. Hilda King won first prize; Mrs. Pauline Maerz, second prize; with consolation going to Mrs. Jack Eakin and Mrs. Don White. Luncheon followed the play.

Plans were made for the two-ball foursome to be held May 22 for members and their husbands.

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Tea, Dance Honor Queen

Two social events of special interest in connection with the May Week-end at Willamette, starting Thursday evening, will be the tea at University house Saturday afternoon to honor the queen, Miss Edith Fairham, and her court; and the Queen's Ball Saturday evening in the school gymnasium.

The tea Saturday afternoon will start about 3 o'clock, the event following coronation ceremonies.

In the receiving line for tea will be Mrs. G. Herbert Smith; Miss Fairham and her mother, Mrs. Silas Fairham; the two princesses of the court, Misses Carol Dimond and Barbara Miller; Mrs. Alan Patton, who was last year's May queen; and Miss Patricia Howard.

Members of Beta Alpha Gamma, sophomore honorary for women, are taking charge of the tea to assist with the serving.

At Dance
For the dance Saturday evening, also honoring Miss Fairham and the princesses, the patrons will be Dr. and Mrs. Daniel Schulze, Dr. and Mrs. Robert M. Galke, Professor and Mrs. Chester F. Luther.

In the May royalty party will be Miss Fairham as queen and her escort, Peter Gunnar; the two princesses, Miss Dimond and Miss Miller and their escorts, Don Hunsaker and Ray McCoy; Misses Barbara MacDuffee and Joyce Reeves, attendants for the queen, and their escorts, Russell Tripp and Peter Bryant; Miss Aldene Gould, the attendant for Miss Dimond, and Norman Gould as escort; and Miss Dona Adams, attendant for Miss Miller, and her escort, James Miller.

On Sunday afternoon Pi Beta Phi members are entertaining at dinner to honor Miss Fairham, Miss Dimond and Miss Miller.

Home from Trip
Being welcomed home from two months travels by car, covering 13,000 miles, are Mr. and Mrs. Phil Brownell. They were in New Orleans and in various places in Mississippi, including one of the Natchez garden tours, then went on into old Mexico. On their way home they stopped at Grand Canyon and attended the Easter sunrise services on the rim of the canyon.

At Matrix Table
The Oregon State chapter of Theta Sigma Phi, national journalism honor society for women, sponsored its annual Matrix Table banquet last evening with Dean Clifford W. Weigle of the University of Oregon school of journalism as the speaker to discuss problems in newspaper readership. About 250 attended the dinner and program.

Several awards to recognize "women of achievement" were given out, three to senior girls at the college, three to women of the community. Mrs. Kate W. Jamieson, formerly dean of women at the college,

was awarded in the field of education; Mrs. Laura Hanson in the field of philanthropy and interest in young people; Mrs. Victor Moses in the field of community service. Among those attending the banquet were Miss Maxine Buren, Miss Marguerite Gleason and Mrs. Robert M. Fischer, Jr., all of Salem.

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Tea Honors State Officer

Mrs. Christine Mumm will be hostess Sunday afternoon, May 1, between 3:00 and 7:00 o'clock at a tea to be held at her country home southeast of Hillcrest, to honor Mrs. D. F. Furlough, department president of the Marine Corps League auxiliary, department of Oregon.

At the tea table Mrs. George Pro and Mrs. Eva Rush will be in charge of the guest book. Miss Gonda Wheeler will cut the cakes. Mrs. Frank Millett and Mrs. E. Simkins will assist in the dining room and Mrs. E. Powers and Mrs. William Noyes will greet the guests.

An invitation to the tea is extended through the press to marines and their families to meet Mrs. Furlough.

Rainbow Order Honors Mothers

Following their regular meeting Tuesday evening, members of Chadwick assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls honored mothers with a social and program.

Miss Dorothy Pederson played piano numbers. A skit comedy, "Teddy's Dress Suit," directed by Miss Esther Perkins and the following in the cast: Misses Geraldine Radcliff, Barbara White, Norma Hamilton, Beverly Beck.

Announcement was made that at the May 10 meeting there will be formal initiation and election of officers.

The semi-formal dance is slated for May 13 at Glenwood ballroom and tickets are now on sale by all Rainbow members. Young people of all the local high schools, academies and Willamette are being invited.

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Mothers Plan To Form Club

Plans to organize a Sigma Kappa Mothers club were talked over at a meeting held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. A. Reeher. Mrs. Robert Schroeder, Mrs. Delmer DeSart, Mrs. Reeher, Mrs. Winston Burris and Mrs. Vern McMullen were named an acting committee to function until the formal organization is completed. Mrs. McMullen is chairman of the committee and Sigma Kappa mothers of Salem and vicinity are asked to contact her, telephone 24290.

A group of alumnae, Mrs. E. Beckman, Mrs. B. W. Stacey and Mrs. Bert A. Walker, met with the mothers to help in the organization. The alumnae are to send cards to all known Sigma Kappa mothers in Salem and surrounding area inviting them to join the new mothers group.

A no-host luncheon is to be held at the Golden Pheasant, May 18, at 1:15 o'clock. Reservations may be made with Mrs. McMullen.

Recitals Listed At Sacred Heart

The annual spring recital of Sacred Heart academy is scheduled for Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock in St. Joseph's hall. On May 13 will be given the choral hour, also at 8 p. m. in St. Joseph's hall. The two programs feature advanced high school students.

The academy gave the last of its monthly recitals Friday in the academy assembly hall. The following pupils were presented in the program: Douglas Gentskow, Bette Wilson, Roxanne Brown, James Burke, Jackie Chan, Dorothy Frank, Kathleen Wilson, Jacqueline Doerfler, Patricia Bales, Sydney Shepherd, Joan Collier, Dorothy Meier, Glenda Lou McCormick, Geraldine O'Berg, Mary Helen Edick, Helen Belsher, Yvonne Broussard, John Brennan, Dolores Koutny, Betty Loony, Shirley Taggart, Carolyn Jones, Ardis Ann Christensen, Jere McCarthy and Mary Suing. The accompanists were Geraldine Kiser, Patricia O'Connor, Rosemary Dougherty and Shirley Koutny.

Birthday Party Today

Paul Wallace Gormsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Gormsen, observed his first birthday this afternoon, his mother arranging a party at the home of the little boy's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Wallace.

In the group were Mrs. Harris Lietz and son, Bobbie; Mrs. Glen Martin and Glen Kay Martin; Mrs. William R. Shinn and Michael Shinn; Mrs. H. E. Bogardus and Randy Bogardus; Mrs. Lester Pearmine and children, Larry and Marcia; Mrs. Robert Dow and daughter, Barbara Ann; Mrs. Donald Barkwick and Candy; Mrs. Stewart Johnson and daughter, Katrina; Mrs. J. M. Ritchie and Roger; Mrs. Carlton McLeod and daughter, Franca; Mrs. John H. Johnson and son, Stephen; Mrs. Robert Brownell and daughter, Kathleen; Mrs. Robert Burns and daughter, Nancy; Mrs. Vernon Siemens and Danny; Mrs. Paul B. Wallace, Mrs. Gormsen and the little honoree.

Notices Out For Meeting

Mrs. Clarence Forbis, Americanism; Mrs. Charles Hagan, Women's Council, Mrs. B. R. Osborn reported a dinner is to be served to the Marion county Tuberculosis association May 6 at the VFW hall by the home fund committee.

Mrs. Leon Hansen reported the auxiliary would help in the Marion county cancer fund and a sum was voted for this.

Mrs. Willie Boone announced the Widows club will meet at the home of Mrs. Elvira Beard, 550 Tryon ave. on May 15 at 2:30 p. m.

Couple Feted On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Frazer were given a surprise party Monday evening on the occasion of their 30th wedding anniversary. The evening was spent informally and a gift was presented the couple by neighbors attending the party.

In the group of neighbors were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reader, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Laswell, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Staprans, Mrs. Terese Hanks, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Loewen, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rust, Mrs. Cecilia Greene, Mr. and Mrs. George Mirich.

Later, a group of relatives called and also presented gifts. In this group were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Oral Poindexter, Mr. and Mrs. William Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott, Mrs. Peets.

Winners in the day's play were: Mrs. Stephen Fouchee, class A; Mrs. Max Allen, class B; Mrs. Morris Crothers, class A; Mrs. Al W. Loucks and Mrs. Conrad Pauls, first and second in the class D eclectic event for those who have played previously; Mrs. Charles Campbell, Mrs. Gilbert Groff, Mrs. Joseph Matjuec, Mrs. Charles Musser and Mrs. W. J. Grant, the latter two tied for fourth place, in class D for new players.

The group is planning for a two-ball foursome on May 15.

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