

Many Engagement Announcements Are Featured in May Social News

AMONG summer brides-elect announcing dates for their wedding is Miss Norma Jane Cass, who has set Sunday, August 28, as the date for her marriage to Richard Thurin of Pasadena, Calif.

The ceremony will be an evening one in Knight Memorial Congregational church at 8:30 o'clock.

Miss Cass is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luis A. E. Cass of Salem, Mr. Thurin the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Thurin of Pasadena. The engagement of the couple was told this past school year at the Alpha Gamma Delta sorority at Oregon State college where the couple have been students. Mr. Thurin is a member of Theta Chi fraternity at the college.

By Marian Lowry Fischer

MISS MARGARET Jane Cooley, bride-elect of John Philip Maulding of Tillamook, will be honor guest for a tea for which Mrs. Eugene I. Foster will be hostess next Wednesday afternoon between 3 and 5 o'clock at her apartment home.

Mrs. Foster and Miss Cooley will receive the guests. Pouring will be Mrs. Ralph H. Cooley, mother of the honoree, and Mrs. Douglas McKay. Mrs. Richard L. Cooley is to assist with the serving.

The tea table will be set with a handsome crocheted tablecloth and a center arrangement of roses.

Guests for the tea will include Miss Margaret Jane Cooley, Mrs. Ralph H. Cooley, Mrs. James A. Maulding of Tillamook, mother of Mr. Maulding; Mrs. Albert C. Gragg, Mrs. James T. Brand, Mrs. Charles A. Sprague, Mrs. Douglas McKay, Mrs. Oscar I. Paulson, Mrs. George H. Swift, Mrs. William H. Lytle, Mrs. P. H. Schnell, Mrs. James H. Nicholson, Mrs. George Roseman, Mrs. David Eason, Mrs. George W. Croisan, Mrs. Wheeler English, Mrs. Richard L. Cooley, Mrs. H. B. Pearson, Mrs. Walter Kirk, Mrs. Harry V. Collins, Mrs. E. J. Scollars, Mrs. E. F. Smith, Mrs. C. B. McCullough.

The Maulding-Cooley wedding is planned for August 6.

Mrs. Helen Goodenough was hostess Thursday for an informal luncheon at her home, covers being marked for eight.

Attending the party were Mrs. B. F. Pound, Mrs. W. E. Kirk, Mrs. Zella James, Mrs. Elizabeth Higbee, Miss Olive Dahl, Mrs. J. H. Drysdale, Mrs. Sheets and Mrs. Goodenough.

One of the eighteen seniors at the University of Oregon who has been selected for membership in Phi Beta Kappa, national scholastic honorary, is Miss Shirley Lukins, daughter of W. S. Lukins, 115 Lancaster drive, Salem. Miss Lukins is an English major.

Miss Nancy Whitmore, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Whitmore of Portland, recently announced August 28 as date for her marriage to Donald Barkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Page of Salem. The announcement was made at the Delta Gamma house at Willamette university. Both young people are juniors at Willamette.

Miss Frances Baum is home from the University of Oregon for the Memorial day week-end at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Baum. She was accompanied to Salem by Miss Georgia Oberteuffer of Portland who was here overnight Friday.

Mrs. Howard Arnot of Salem was honored at a surprise luncheon and shower for which Mrs. B. T. Peterson of Portland entertained on Thursday at the home of her mother, Mrs. P. W. West, in Portland. Guests included the group with whom Mrs. Arnot formerly was in nursing service in the Multnomah county hospital. Mrs. Arnot was accompanied to the party by her mother, Mrs. Elmore Hill, Salem.

EARLY SUMMER TRIPS PLANNED

Several Salemites are planning trips away for the early summer.

Mrs. Hope Randall and daughter, Joyce, leave June 14 by plane for Honolulu where they will visit Mrs. Randall's son-in-law and daughter, Lt. (j.g.) and Mrs. Charles Strong. They will be gone a month or six weeks, planning to return by way of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fuhrer are leaving June 12 on a trip to Alaska. They will go by car as far as Vancouver, B.C., and from there plan a trip on the Fraser river. On June 17 they will sail from Vancouver on the Prince George, planning to go as far north as Skagway. From there they plan an inland trip to White Horse. They will be gone three weeks.

Mrs. Ralph Purvine and children, Billy and Becky, are leaving June 5 for Winona, Minn., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Raymond. They are going by train and will be gone until about the first of August.

Judge and Mrs. E. M. Page will be leaving about June 7 for California, making the trip by car. They will attend the graduation exercises at Stanford, June 19, their son, Richard Page, being in the class. Planning to go south with them are Mrs. Page's brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. George Evans of Portland.

Mrs. Mabel Carder left today for the east. She will meet her sister, Miss Elizabeth Dotson, in New York City. Miss Dotson has been attending Columbia university this year and living at International House there.

The two will spend two weeks in New York City, then go to Boston and possibly to Quebec. They will return to New York before going to Philadelphia and Washington, D. C. On their way west they will stop at Chicago to visit relatives and friends and at Denver to visit relatives. During her time in New York City, Mrs. Carder plans to attend several Broadway plays. She and her sister plan to be back in Salem in about six weeks.



ANNOUNCED RECENTLY was the engagement of Miss Joan Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Thomas of Port Orford, to John Mazy, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Mazy of Monmouth and recently of Salem. (Jesten-Miller studio photo)

Junior Prom Next Friday Evening

The "big" dance of the year for Salem high school upperclassmen comes next Friday evening, June 3, when the junior class members are hosts to the seniors for the annual Junior Prom. The formal affair will be given in the school gymnasium between 9 and 12 o'clock.

Theme for this year's dance is "Under the Sea."

Miss Tatia Williams is general chairman for the event and Miss Ladune Rahtz heads the decorating committee. Other committee chairmen working on the event include Miss Anita Boyeas, Merlin Shulze, Miss Leslyn Burdette, Miss Barbara White, Miss Doris Lane, Miss Jo-Ann DeRous.

Patrons for the evening include Miss Mary Elizabeth Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Carleton, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Flesher, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Eshelman, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stewart, Miss Isabel Goodenough, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Ringle, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest W. Donkin, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Case, Miss Vivian Chandler and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Broadbent.



THE ENGAGEMENT of Miss Marion Coffel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Coffel, to Jerry Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Taylor, was announced at a party at the Coffel home. (Jesten-Miller studio photo)

The Bon Heur club closed its dance year with a no-host supper at the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall this month. A sport dance followed.

A business meeting ended the dinner hour with the election of the officers for the year of 1949-50 as follows: President, A. J. Crose; vice president, L. S. Christison; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Newell Hearst; publicity chairman, Mrs. Neil Brown.

The first of the fall series will be a dance in October at the Veterans hall, and the committee in charge will be announced at that time.

MEMBERS of Chemeketa chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, have arranged their regular June meeting for next Saturday, a no-host luncheon to be at the home of Mrs. Edwin Keech with Mrs. C. C. Best, Mrs. Lenard Kephart and Mrs. H. G. Henderson on the committee. Each member is to take her own table service. Reports will be given on pioneers. Mrs. M. A. Pekar is to read a paper prepared by Mrs. David Looney.

The annual regent's party for the chapter comes later in June at Cham-poeg park.

A wedding for next Saturday, June 4, will be that of Miss Verena Fisch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fisch of Marshalltown, Iowa, who is to wed Loyal A. Whitney, son of Mrs. Oliver A. Whitney of Salem. The ceremony will be solemnized at 10 a.m., June 4, in St. Joseph's Catholic church, the Rev. Gerald Lenahan officiating. The reception following is to be in the Senator hotel.

AMONG the varied affairs being given to honor summer brides-elect will be the luncheon, miscellaneous shower and bridge party next Thursday afternoon honoring Miss Mary Lou McKay, who is to be married July 23 to Lester D. Green of Eugene.

The party is being given by three close friends of the bride-to-be's mother, Mrs. Douglas McKay, the hostesses being Mrs. G. Frederick Chambers, Miss Dorthea Steusloff and Mrs. E. M. Page, the party to be at the Chambers' home.

Arrangements of roses in little bridal bouquets will be used as decorations for the luncheon.

Invited for the affair are Miss Mary Lou McKay, Mrs. Douglas McKay, Mrs. Wayne Hadley, Mrs. William L. Phillips, Sr., Mrs. William Cole, Mrs. Richard Slater, Mrs. Harry U. Miller, Mrs. W. W. Baum, Mrs. R. S. Keene (of Corvallis), Mrs. Robert E. Shinn, Mrs. Floyd W. Shepard, Mrs. George Croisan, Mrs. Henry V. Compton, Mrs. James T. Brand, Mrs. Charles McElhinny, Mrs. R. H. Balduck, Mrs. Stewart Johnson, Mrs. Ralph H. Cooley, Mrs. Burton A. Myers, Mrs. John S. Beakey, Mrs. Herbert Stiff, Sr., Mrs. Charles A. Sprague, Mrs. George Alexander, Mrs. William Busick, Mrs. Merrill D. Ohling, Mrs. Wallace Eonesteele, Mrs. Wilmer C. Page.

Mrs. Earl Snell has invited members of Fawn and Country club for a luncheon and meeting next Thursday at the Marion hotel at 1 p.m.

A wedding for Monday morning will be that of Miss Virjeane Highberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee N. Highberger of Aumsville, and Joseph W. Dougherty of Salem, the couple to say their vows at a ceremony arranged for 10 o'clock in St. Boniface Catholic church at Sublimity, the Rev. J. Scherbring officiating. Mr. Dougherty is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dougherty.

Mrs. Richard Schumacher will be matron of honor and Miss Rosemary Dougherty the maid of honor. Miss Lucille Albus, Miss Margaret Lulay and Miss Marlene Frank are to be bridesmaids. Dougie Highberger, brother of the bride, is to be ring bearer. Raymond Dougherty is to be best man and Eddie Highberger and Dick Pierce the groomsmen. Ted Highberger, Richard Schumacher, Jerry Roberts and Douglas Dougherty are to be ushers. For the music, Wayne Meusey and Mrs. Vince Rodakowski, both of Salem, will sing and Miss Margaret Land will play the wedding marches.

A large group of relatives and friends will attend the wedding and the reception following at the Highberger home.

Wednesday brings the regular day for the Salem Women's Golf association, play to be at 9 a.m., luncheon at 1 p.m.

Miss Letty Griffith left Thursday for Pacific Grove, Calif., to visit relatives and friends.

June Weddings

June brides-elect are announcing plans for their nuptials.

A prominent wedding for Saturday, June 11, will be that of Miss Mary Reimann, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Reimann, who is to be married to Oscar C. Christensen, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Christensen. The ceremony will be at 8 p.m. in the First Baptist church, the Rev. J. R. Turnbull officiating.

Miss Shirlee Reimann is to be maid of honor for her sister. Three Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority sisters of the bride-elect, Miss Mary Lou McKay of Salem, Miss Nancy Connolly and Miss Sara Mae Addis, both of Portland, will be bridesmaids.

Robert Dunn of Corvallis is to be best man and ushers will be Lester D. Green, Eugene, Don Burlingham, Salem, John Kaest of Portland.

Miss Beverly Kenny, Salem, is to be soloist and Miss Minnie Miller will play the organ.

The reception following will also be in the church.

Ross-Scott Ceremony

Miss Eileen Scott, who is to be married June 10 to Robert G. Ross, has announced plans for the wedding. The service will take place at 2 o'clock the afternoon of June 10 in the chapel of St. Paul's Episcopal church, the Rev. George H. Swift officiating.

Miss LaFyra Showacy of Portland will be maid of honor and Al Laue, Jr., of Salem, best man.

The couple plan to be in Salem for the summer. Both are juniors at Willamette university, majoring in English. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mrs. G. R. Scott of La Jolla, Calif., who plans to come north for the wedding. Mr. Ross is the son of Mrs. M. F. Teter of Salem.

Smith-Hughlett Ceremony

A wedding for June 11 will be that of Miss Ruth Hughlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hughlett, who is to be married to Bob Lee Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. L. Smith of Portland.

The ceremony will be solemnized at 8 o'clock in the evening at the First Congregational church, Dr. Seth R. Huntington officiating.

Lighting the tapers will be Miss Patricia Hughlett, sister of the bride-to-be, and Miss Judith Lee Query.

Miss Charlotte Reeves is to be the bride's only attendant and Robert Nelson of Portland is to be best man. Ushers will include Robert MacNamera, Harold Muchow, Kenneth Owens, and Edward A. Peterson.

Jack and Ricky Query are to be the ring bearers.

The reception following is to be at the church also.

Preceding the wedding rehearsal on June 10, Mr. and Mrs. Hughlett will entertain with a dinner at their home for the wedding party in honor of their daughter and Mr. Smith.



INTERESTING NEWS to many university friends was announcement of the betrothal of Miss Phyllis Schnell, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Schnell of Salem, to Robert Strebig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Strebig, also of Salem. The wedding will be in the late summer, the couple planning to be in Eugene next year while Mr. Strebig finishes his education at University of Oregon. (Kennell-Ellis photo, Eugene)

THE annual formal dinner given by the Willamette university faculty wives for the university faculty will be an event of Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock in Lausanne hall. Mrs. G. Herbert Smith is to be toastmistress for the event. Mrs. Robert D. Gregg is chairman for the program.

Mrs. Gayle Morris is general chairman for the committee arranging the dinner and working with her are Mrs. Paul Beal, Mrs. James I. Elliott, Mrs. Robert D. Gregg, Mrs. Elizabeth Higbee, Mrs. Ivan Houser, Mrs. Charles A. Jens, Mrs. Harold B. Jory, Mrs. Egbert S. Oliver, Mrs. Fay Owen, Mrs. Ralph Purvine, Mrs. Seward P. Reese, Mrs. Murco Rignalda.

Those who have served on the faculty 20 years or longer are to be honored especially.

Expected home this week-end is Mrs. G. Herbert Smith who has spent the past month in the mid-west and Tennessee. She is one of five Phi Beta Phi alumnae on the board of directors of the sorority's settlement school at Gatlinburg, Tenn., and attended the board meeting there. She also visited in Chicago and in Indianapolis and Green Castle, Indiana, at the latter place with her mother, Mrs. H. H. Brooks.

Chapter G of P.E.O. Sisterhood will be entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. C. E. Illidge and Mrs. W. B. Robinson at their home at 1:15 o'clock.



AMONG RECENT announcements was that telling of the engagement of Miss Darlene June McKeever, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray McKeever, to Gerald McBoe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lizzie McBoe. (Kennell-Ellis studio photo)