

Capital Women

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Show Interest In Symphony

Much interest in the Portland Symphony orchestra, occasioned by the ensemble's auspicious 1949-50 debut at Portland recently, has materially helped the ticket sale for Salem's symphony season, according to Miss Alice Cray Brown of the Salem Symphony society.

The accelerated sale of seats for the Portland orchestra's two appearances at the Salem high school auditorium, January 10 and March 21, has increased revenues to the point where both concerts are about 80 per cent underwritten, it was reported. Many Salemites who attended the opening concert at Portland were impressed with the work of the new director, James Sample. Prior to accepting his Portland contract to succeed Werner Janssen on the podium, Mr. Sample had been guest conductor of the Honolulu Symphony orchestra for the early fall of this year, and his brilliant directing of the island group won him consistent acclaim.

The critics continued to heap praise upon his work when he opened the Portland season with an extremely creditable showing—and this despite a sharply reduced budget.

Miss Brown said that a considerable economy was affected, without loss of musical effectiveness, through a decrease in the number of "importations" from 20 to less than 10. As was the case last year, excellent instrumentalists, some local and others from Los Angeles and San Francisco, fill the orchestra's key positions.

ABOUT 35 attended the meeting of Pi Beta Phi alumnae last evening at the chapter house. Reports revealed the recent sale of articles from the sorority settlement school to be successful. The members brought a shower of canned fruit and jellies and jam for the chapter house.

For Dessert

Old-fashioned "Molasses Glazed Peaches" smack of some of the desserts our grandmothers used to make for us when the molasses barrel was staple house-keeping equipment. Simply simmer canned cling peach halves in a molasses and butter mixture until lightly glazed. Serve warm with cream.

Molasses Glazed Peaches
6 to 8 canned cling peach halves
1 tablespoon butter or margarine
¼ cup molasses
¾ cup syrup from peaches
Whipped cream
Drain peaches, reserving syrup. Melt butter in heavy pan. Add molasses and syrup from peaches. Add peaches and simmer about 20 minutes or until glazed, basting frequently. Serve warm with whipped cream.
Serves 6 to 8.

Mothers Set Bazaar

Committee workers for the bazaar to be sponsored by the Oregon State Mothers' club on December 16 met yesterday at the home of Mrs. Austin H. Wilson, Sr. The bazaar comes December 16 in the Portland Gay and Coke company.

Lunch and coffee will be served between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. during the bazaar. The group meeting yesterday worked on the Christmas boxes for the bazaar. Proceeds from the bazaar go to the OSC Mothers' club scholarship funds. Mrs. A. E. Ullman is chairman for the bazaar. Assisting her are Mrs. M. A. Pekar, Mrs. Joe Rosen, Mrs. C. L. Webber and Mrs. Carl Miller. Mrs. Elmore Hill and Mrs. Donald Upjohn are the co-chairmen for the lunch committee, assisted by Mrs. Wayne Pettit and Mrs. L. F. Heuperman.

Junior CDA Troops Plan Activities

Salem court of the Junior Catholic Daughters of America is planning an active part in both civic and social affairs for the holiday season.

Ten troops making up the court will be heard daily over KOCO beginning Dec. 19 through Dec. 23 from 5:15 p.m., singing the familiar Christmas carols and hymns. Presidents of each troop will introduce the program. Bringing cheer to the residents of the various convalescent homes and hospitals the troops will visit these places singing carols both afternoons and evenings preceding Christmas.

Our Lady of Snows troop, with the counselor Mrs. J. D. White, will gather at St. Joseph's hall Dec. 23 to fill Christmas boxes of food for the needy under the supervision of Rev. T. J. Bernards and Mrs. D. F. McLellan of Catholic Charities.

Winding up their holiday activities will be the annual winter formal dance to be held this year at the No-Name ballroom on Dec. 27.

Our Lady of Fatima troop, assisted by the counselor, Mrs. Loyd Lemmon, is in complete charge of all arrangements.

Mothers Meeting

St. Joseph's Mothers club is meeting Friday at 8 p.m. in the St. Joseph's hall.

Plans for the Christmas party for the children will be discussed. Miss Margaret McDevitt, art supervisor for Salem schools, will speak on "Children's Art and Hobbies." Mrs. Herman Waltz and Mrs. Ray Rhoten will be in charge of the refreshments.

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Miss Ayres Bride-Elect

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ayres of Salem are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dorothy LaVerna Ayres, to William Hugh Freese, son of Mrs. Nettie Freese of Stayton.

Both Miss Ayres and Mr. Freese are graduates of the Stayton high school. Miss Ayres is employed with the secretary of state's office and Mr. Freese is employed as a deputy in the county clerk's office.

The wedding has been set for February 11.

Missionary to Be Speaker Tuesday

At the Salem Christian Business and Professional Women's Christmas dinner meeting, which is to be held next Tuesday at the Golden Pheasant restaurant, Miss Mildred Titus, missionary sponsored by Youth Home Missions, will be the speaker.

Of added interest will be a special feature by Miss Heien Wilcutts, who recently returned from Bolivia. Miss Myrna Stover will present some thoughts on Christmas and Miss Eleanor Burton will sing. Women from all churches are invited to come. Reservations are to be phoned to Mrs. C. C. Edwards (2-7578) or Mrs. Jack Quiring (2-4600) by Saturday, December 10.

J. W. HOFSTETTER was the honor guest for a birthday party at his home near Pratum December 1. He was celebrating his 85th anniversary. For the evening's entertainment games were played and musical numbers given by Ed Loganbill who played his violin accompanied by Mrs. Loganbill and Carol Stettler at the piano. Refreshments were served at a late hour. Mr. Hofstetter's guests were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eggman

and daughter of Central Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Stettler and three children from Chemawa, Mr. McCool and two sons of Silverton; Oscar Wenger and two sons of Pratum; Robert, Eldon, Edward, William and Alma Wenger of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hofstetter and children of Pratum and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Hofstetter of Swegle, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Loganbill.

Mrs. Spaulding Honored by Local Scouts

A joint meeting of the old and new members of the Santiam area council board, Girl Scouts, was held at the home of Mrs. Walter L. Spaulding Thursday, with a no-host luncheon preceding the business meeting. Thirty members attended the affair.

Girl Scouts from Brownsville, represented by Mrs. E. W. Cochran, gave Mrs. Spaulding, the outgoing president of the board, a shadow box which had been made by the Girl Scouts of Brownsville.

A color guard representing troop 4 of Salem, consisting of Carol Randall, Joan Bale and Ann Berger, presented the colors, and all present gave the oath of allegiance. After retiring the colors, Joan Bale, the highest ranking Girl Scout in Salem, presented Mrs. Spaulding with an orchid and a holiday corsage in appreciation of her long service to Girl Scouts.

Troop 4 was chosen for this honor because it is the oldest troop of Girl Scouts in Salem. It is under the leadership of Mrs. H. M. Randall. The complete list of troop members include Jane Barlow, Charlotte Gruber, Sandra Larson, Loanne Munding, Catherine Robbins, Peggy Barker, Carol Williams, Robert Amunson, Carol Randall, Joan Bale and Ann Berger.

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Gifts Project Of Interest

Members of Capital unit No. 9, American Legion auxiliary, are busy with their plans to assist the gift shop at the veterans hospital, Portland, reports Mrs. James A. Garson, chairman of the unit's rehabilitation committee.

Members and friends wishing to make contributions for the gift shop may leave them with a member of the unit or at the American Legion club. The gifts are not to be wrapped because they are placed on display, the hospitalized veterans to select any of the items they wish to send as Christmas gifts to their families, no charge being made for the gifts. Later, the auxiliary units wrap and mail the gifts to the families of the hospitalized veterans. Gift wrapping of these packages is to be done next Wednesday, December 14.

Recently, Pomona Grange in Marion county presented a generous contribution to the unit for the shop gifts.

The auxiliary is to sponsor a cooked food sale and bazaar on December 16 at 339 Court street to further help out with this project.

On the rehabilitation committee with Mrs. Garson are Mrs. Ted Borkman, Mrs. F. A. Mathieu, Mrs. H. D. Weese, Miss Elda Mae Davis, Mrs. Austin H. Wilson, Sr., Mrs. Clark Craig, Mrs. Grace Forman, Mrs. Susan Biddle, Mrs. Ella Donnelly, Mrs. Pauline Keeling, Mrs. M. S. Cameron, Mrs. A. D. Apperson, Mrs. R. C. Blaxall, Mrs. Howard R. Pickett, Mrs. John Olson, Mrs. Donald Upjohn, Mrs. Glen Morgan, Mrs. Florence Ames, Mrs. E. Callahan.

MR. AND MRS. Mark McCallister, former Salem residents, are leaving Saturday for Hawaii to spend the next four

months at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alan McCallister. Alan McCallister is a construction engineer for Standard Oil company with headquarters in Honolulu.

The senior McCallisters will leave Portland by plane Saturday morning, arriving in Honolulu Sunday morning.

Sojourners Club Party on Thursday

Sojourner club's party Thursday was featured by gay Christmas decorations for the dessert tables. Bridge followed the dessert, Mrs. William Johnston being chairman of the committee of hostesses for the day.

The guests were Mrs. Walter Wilson, Mrs. James Bedingsfield, Mrs. Marc O. Seall, Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. Earle C. Delaney, Mrs. G. G. Denton, Mrs. J. F. Nesbitt, Mrs. Jordan W. Johnson and Mrs. E. Kellcutt.

New members welcomed were Mrs. Richard A. Smith, Mrs. Richard Denton, Mrs. Woodson Bennett, Mrs. Donald Huff and Mrs. Rose Fields. Prizes awarded for bridge went to Mrs. William H. Galloway, Jr., Mrs. Irvin Bryan, Mrs. Malvin B. Rudd, Mrs. Louis Erz and Mrs. Richard Busch.

Group Elects

New officers are announced for the Salem branch of the American Begonia society. They are: E. C. Hamilton, president; D. Ray Brown, vice president; Mrs. Dan Scharf, secretary; Noble Basher, treasurer; George Candeaux and Miss Ellen Quail, directors.

The meeting at which the election was conducted also was the Christmas party for the group.

SIGMA CHI Mothers club announces its meeting slated for December 18 has been postponed.

Holiday Program For Zontians

A Christmas program featured the luncheon meeting for the Salem Zonta club, Thursday noon, at the Golden Pheasant. Miss Lena Belle Tartar was in charge of the program. Carols were sung. Each member had brought a gift and following the presentation of them at the luncheon they were taken by the club service committee to be distributed to children in state institutions.

Miss LaVelle du Buy was a guest to give a short talk in behalf of the Christmas seal sale. She also sang a solo during the singing of the carols.

Miss Buena Stewart and Miss Josephine Baumgartner were introduced as new members. Announcement was made regarding articles of canned goods and staple groceries to be given by members for the club's food boxes for needy families at Christmas time. The articles may be left with Mrs. Mabel Clock at Elfstrom's store.

The business session for the club will be next Thursday noon, also at Golden Pheasant.

HOME FROM a trip east and

south are Mr. and Mrs. Claude H. Murphy. They went by train to Chicago where they attended the national convention of license law officials and realtors. The Murphys were at the Stevens while in Chicago. They returned home by way of Grand Canyon and Pasadena, spending Thanksgiving at the latter place with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crafts.

Parties Before Dance

Among those entertaining preceding the Town club dinner dance Saturday evening at the Marion hotel will be Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Drye who have invited a group to their home.

Their guests will include: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. John Steelhammer, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeArmond, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Nicholson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Barclay, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Mennis, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Devers, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Quistad, Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas K. Earle, Miss Margaret Wagner and Jack Lynch of Portland.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert E. Joseph also are entertaining a group at their home before the dance.

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