

Capital Women

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Spinsters Set Dinner, Plan Tea

Spinsters club members were entertained last evening by Miss Suzanne Small, Miss Harriet Huston and Mrs. Richard Gentz-Kow at the home of Miss Small. The group scheduled its postponed dinner to honor patronesses for the evening of March 7, the event to be at the American Legion club.

Also, the group talked over plans for its annual spring silver tea, this year's event to be given right after Easter, the date and place to be set later.

Next meeting for the group will be on Thursday evening, March 23, that time being set to enable some members who are away at college to attend, the meeting coming during spring vacation at the state university and college.

About 20 attended last night's meeting, Mrs. Ralph Underwood coming over from McMinnville for the event.

St. Anne's Guild Entertained Monday

About 45 attended the meeting for St. Anne's guild, St. Paul's Episcopal church, Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Floyd W. Shepard. Early dessert was served, Mrs. F. W. Poorman, Mrs. William J. Busick, Mrs. T. M. Medford, Mrs. George Weller, Mrs. Charles Clarke and Mrs. Breyman Boise being the committee. Mrs. Bertram Thomson, president of the guild, and Mrs. Charles McClelland, the secretary, presided. The tea table was set with a white cloth, a silver candlestick with yellow swirled tapers standing in the center with a bouquet of daffodils and other spring flowers at either side, yellow maline encircling them.

Guests at the meeting were the Rev. and Mrs. George H. Swift; Mrs. George Lawrence of Portland, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Donald McCargar; Mrs. William H. Lytle, Mrs. William S. Van Meter, and Miss Katharine O'Reilly. The Rev. Mr. Swift talked to the group briefly on Lent and the services in the church during that period.

The guild members discussed possible projects during the coming year. Mrs. Donald A. Young reported on the guild's participation in the all-church guild and Mrs. Robert Wilson, Jr. reported on the group's magazine drive.

Thursday Party

Hostess on Thursday evening for the second of a series of informal bridge parties she is giving will be Mrs. Peery T. Burden. A late dessert supper will follow the hours of cards.

Guests will include Mrs. Sam Speerstra, Mrs. John Graham, Mrs. Ray Rhoten, Mrs. Lawrence Fitzgerald, Mrs. Phil Brownell, Jr., Mrs. Irvin Bryan, Mrs. Don Cannon.

A LUNCHEON gathering for members of the local court of Catholic Daughters of America is conducted each Monday noon at Golden Pheasant. Several attended the meeting yesterday.

Plan Fashion Show

Dated for Thursday evening, March 30, is a fashion show to be sponsored by the Salem Business and Professional Women's club. The event will be in the Salem Woman's club building.

Mrs. Sue Booch is chairman of the committee in charge, others assisting including Miss Hal-lie Sharr, Mrs. Eugene Estes, Mrs. John Versteeg, Miss Ellen Van Arsdale, Mrs. Robert Monismith, Mrs. Agatha Nelson Miss Margaret Magee, Mrs. Thomas E. Rilea, Jr., Mrs. E. A. Tueskl.

Miss Wilken Recent Bride

Miss Cordelia Wilken, daughter of William M. Wilken of Hillsboro, was wed to Bruce E. Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hamilton of Salem, at a ceremony in the First Congregational church February 12, before a candlelighted altar, decorated with white and yellow roses. The Rev. F. F. Otto officiated.

Preceding the ceremony, Mr. Adelbert Haffner sang, accompanied by William Fawk, organist.

Mr. Wilken gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a ballerina length white organdy gown over yellow satin and carried white roses. The bride's sister, Mrs. Stanley Malo, was matron of honor in a matching gown of yellow organdy. She carried a nosegay of yellow narcissuses and white acacia.

Neil K. Hamilton, brother of the bridegroom, was best man and ushers were Stanley Malo, William Floyd and Theodore Snorack.

For her son's wedding, Mrs. Hamilton wore a cocoa brown crepe dress with silver and black accessories.

The couple left for a trip to Mt. Hood and Seattle. For traveling the bride wore a navy suit with rose accessories. The couple are now at home in Salem.

Mrs. Lewis Tells Of Mexico Trip

An account of her trip to Mexico was given by Mrs. Sidney B. Lewis for the meeting of Kappa Kappa Gamma alumnae, Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis returned at mid-February from the trip to Mexico.

At the meeting of the alumnae, assistance was voted for a child in need of dental care.

About 20 attended the meeting, Mrs. Charles Claggett, Mrs. Harry U. Miller, Mrs. Roscoe C. Wilson and Mrs. David Eason being hostesses for the event at the home of Mrs. Claggett's mother, Mrs. Frank G. Myers.

Women of Rotary

Members of the board of Women of Rotary met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Floyd Bressler for a salad luncheon. Attending were Mrs. Ralph H. Cooley, Mrs. Robert Sprague, Mrs. Charles Fowler, Mrs. Clay Cochran, Mrs. P. H. Brydon, Mrs. Chester Pickens and Mrs. Bressler.

Plans were made for the meeting of the group next Monday afternoon, Mrs. Victor P. Morris of Eugene to address the group, the luncheon to be at the Golden Pheasant.



Wed Saturday—Mrs. Albin William Sundsten, Jr., the former Margaret Viola Domes, was married Saturday afternoon at the Methodist church in Amity. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Henry Domes of Kirkcraall, Mr. Sundsten the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sundsten of Bridal Veil. (Jester-Miller studio picture).

Miss Predeek, Mr. Holmes Wed at Mt. Angel Church

Mt. Angel—St. Marys Catholic church, Mt. Angel, was the setting, Saturday, February 18, for the marriage of Miss Dorothy Ann Predeek, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Predeek, to Clifford Holmes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Holmes of Battle Ground, Wash. Rev. Father Vincent Koppert, OSB, officiated at 9 o'clock nuptial high mass, and read the vows for the double ring ceremony before the high altar decorated with orchid hued tulips and greenery and lighted by cathedral tapers. Serving the mass were Joseph Seiler and Bobby Scharbach, cousin and nephew of the bride. Miss Helen Keber played the professional and recessional marches, and was accompanist for the singing. Bernard Smith of Woodburn sang before the bridal group entered the church and preceding the recessional.

Mr. Predeek escorted his daughter down the aisle and gave her in marriage. The bride wore traditional white satin, made with a front pointed nylon yoke ruffled with lace at the low off-shoulder line; lace cuffs edged with lace ruffle on the long satin sleeves, a tight-fitting bodice and a skirt falling to a full court train. The double illusion fingertip veil was held by a satin half-hat finished with satin rosettes. The bride carried a cascade bouquet of white single hyacinths and white carnations, arranged with lace similar to the lace on the gown, surrounding a white orchid with purple throat.

Sisters Attend
Miss Donna Mae Predeek was maid of honor for her sister and wore a pink taffeta gown. She carried a nosegay of white carnations edged in coral and lace tulle to match her gown. Bridesmaids were their elder sister,

Mrs. Robert Miller (Mildred) of Woodburn, and Mrs. Richard Test (Dolores Gamble) of Salem. They were dressed in aqua taffeta gowns, made identically to that of the honor attendant, fashioned with double portrait collars and long sleeves on the fitted bodices and bias fold extending from low front to bustle bows in back of the floor-length skirts. They carried yellow carnation and aqua lace tulle in a nosegay. All the attendants wore half-hats to match their gowns.

Orin Holmes of Battle Ground was best man for his brother, Leonard Obersinner, cousin of the bridegroom, and Raymond Predeek were groomsmen, and Paul Predeek and Tony Kahut of Woodburn were ushers.

Mrs. Predeek wore a black silk print afternoon dress for her daughter's wedding with which she wore black accessories and a gardenia corsage. The bridegroom's mother chose a gray suit and pink accessories for her son's marriage. Her corsage was of white gardenias.

Breakfast was served in the St. Mary's dining hall at 11 o'clock with covers placed for 40 guests and the Rev. Father Vincent and bridal party. The bride's table was centered with tulips, carnations and hyacinths, and lighted by white candles. The Misses Mary Lou Weisenfels and Evelyn Purdy served.

To Live in Battle Ground
A reception was held in the

Woodburn Duo Engaged

Woodburn—Miss Anita Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Miller of Woodburn, announced her engagement to Wallace Eugene Gibbs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibbs of Hood River, at her sorority house, Kappa Kappa Gamma, at Oregon State college February 17. Mr. Gibbs is a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity and will graduate from Oregon State this June.

The announcement was made by using a fake front page of a newspaper with the news of the engagement printed in the headlines. Miss Nancy Snyder of Salem and Miss Mary Jean Anderson of Portland, sorority sisters, acted as newsboys.

Heart shaped cakes decorated with the initials of the couple featured the refreshment hour. The table was centered with a large Valentine, guarded with red candles in hurricane lamps, decorated with Cupids. Miss Jean Pickens, sorority sister from Salem, assisted in serving.

Miss Miller is employed in the accounting division of the state highway commission in Salem.

Panhellenic Event

Salem City Panhellenic has scheduled a meeting for Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Chi Omega sorority, 345 North 17th. The sponsorship again of the Easter sale, the day before Easter, will be discussed.

HOME FROM three weeks at Phoenix, Ariz., are Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Schimberg. There they visited Mr. Schimberg's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schimberg. Richard Schimberg is a student at the college there.

same hall when Mrs. Joseph Obersinner, an aunt, cut the cake and Mrs. August Scharbach, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Clarence Predeek, sister-in-law, poured at the coffee urns. Miss Pat McKay of Salem passed the guest book. Opening the gifts were Miss Donna Mae Predeek, Mrs. Robert Miller and Mrs. August Scharbach. Serving the guests were the Misses Anne Fennimore, Flore Fennimore and Corrine Predeek, cousins of the bride.

For the wedding trip south, the bride chose a black wool suit with black and white accessories. She pinned her white orchid corsage to her jacket lapel. Following their wedding trip south, the couple will live in Battle Ground, Wash. The bride is a graduate of Mt. Angel Academy and has been employed at the Salem Navigation Company. The bridegroom was graduated from Washington State college in January and is employed as a field man for the Battle Ground Co-operative.

Home from East

Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Wallace returned Monday from a trip to the east. While in New York City they visited with Mr. Wallace's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Lambie. Returning to the west coast they visited in San Diego with an uncle of Mr. Wallace, Hance Black.

Miss Sonderman Shower Feted

Honoring Miss Shirley Sonderman, bride-elect of Kermit Burson, a surprise party and shower were given Sunday afternoon at the Elizabeth street home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Sonderman.

Hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Raymond Bernardy, Mrs. Philip Endres and Mrs. James Lies. About 20 relatives and friends attended the party. Tiny green and white parasols decorated the serving trays and the gift table.

Canasta Club

Mrs. Earl Peary was hostess Friday evening to the Canny Canasta club. In the group are Mrs. James Clark, Mrs. J. M. Coburn, Mrs. Edward Domogalla, Mrs. George H. Grabenhorst, Jr., Mrs. H. R. Jones, Mrs. Urban Peterson, Mrs. Earl Straubach and Mrs. Peary. Honors at cards went to Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Grabenhorst. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Grabenhorst.

SUBLIMITY — Mr. and Mrs. John Koenig and family of Sublimity were hosts at a dinner Sunday. The occasion was to honor the 41st wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morgan. Present at the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. R. F. West of Salem, who were attendants at the wedding. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford West and son of Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Deetz and family of Stayton, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morgan and family of Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan and family of Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Morgan and family of Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. William Hargin and family of Solo, Tom Morgan of Lyons, Mrs. Elizabeth Koenig and Miss Agnes Koenig of Sublimity, and the honored guests, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morgan.

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MRS. ROBERT W. GORMSEN is to be hostess to her bridge club on Friday, the group meeting for dessert and cards.

2 Entertain On Wednesday

Among hostesses of the week will be Miss Margaret Lovell and Mrs. William R. Shinn, who are entertaining Wednesday evening at the home of the former to honor Mrs. Richard Hayward, a newcomer moving to Salem from Tacoma.

Guests invited include Mrs. Hayward, Miss Esther Baird, Mrs. Lester Carter, Mrs. Robert Brownell, Mrs. Richard L. Cooley, Mrs. Roger M. Schnell, Mrs. Carlton J. McLeod, Miss Betty Jean Manoles, Mrs. Leonard Hicks, Mrs. Peter H. Geiser, Mrs. Robert Burrell, Mrs. Claybourne Dyer, Mrs. James Bedingfield.

AT THE meeting of Salem Rebekah lodge last evening, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Allen were initiated. A visitor at the meeting was Mrs. Esther Jenness of Quincy, Ia. Mrs. Lawrence McClure gave a report on the Council of Women's Organizations.

The newly formed Theta Rho club is to be instituted on February 25, it was announced, the event to be staged at 8 p.m. that date. Following the initiation the public is invited to attend the installation of new officers.

The ladies auxiliary is announced to meet Thursday of this week; Three Links club on Friday at 2 p.m. at the hall; and social night for the lodge is set for next Monday evening.

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Officers Installed By Alumnae

New officers for the Alpha Chi Omega alumnae group were installed last evening when the association met at the home of Mrs. G. Frederick Chambers.

Mrs. Vernon Gilmore is the new president; Mrs. Lewis D. Griffith the vice president; Mrs. Frank Guerin, secretary; Mrs. Ralph Smither, treasurer; Mrs. Gerald M. Robison, Lyre editor. Hostesses with Mrs. Chambers for the meeting were Miss Dora-thea Steusloff, Mrs. James Walton, Mrs. Forrest Bodmer, Mrs. William Croghan.

The members also discussed building plans for the Willamette university chapter.

Announcement was made that Alpha Chi Omega state day will be held in Portland, May 6.

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