



(Capital Journal picture)

Miss DeWitt Is Bride Friday

A wedding of interest to Salem friends took place Friday night in the First Presbyterian church in Portland when Miss JoAnn DeWitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. DeWitt of Salem, was married to Charles Howard Walker, son of Colonel and Mrs. T. J. Walker of Saratoga, Calif.

Gold and bronze chrysanthemums, vine maple and bronze candles decorated the church in an autumn setting for the service. Dr. Paul Wright read the vows for the couple at 8 o'clock. Lighting the tapers before the service were Misses Ineke and Gertrude Van Lith of Salem. Ronald Craven of Salem was soloist, James Welby playing the organ.

The bride wore a dress of white Dupioni silk, styled with chapel train. The neck detail and skirt featured re-embroidered Chantilly lace design with sequins. The fingertip-length veil was arranged from a bandeau of seed pearls and pleated tulle. The bride carried a cascade of yellow orchids and white button chrysanthemums. Mr. DeWitt gave his daughter in marriage.

Mrs. Ronald Kraus of Salem was matron of honor for her sister. She wore a chocolate brown dress styled with scoop neckline and a cummerbund of dark brown velvet. Her flowers were a colonial bouquet of yellow and bronze chrysanthemums.

Miss Ann Marie Walker, sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid and wore a dress in spice brown, styled similarly to the one worn by Mrs. Kraus, and fashioned with dark brown velvet cummerbund. Her flowers were also the yellow and bronze chrysanthemums.

Flower girls were Treese and Suzie Van Lith, the two wearing gold and rust frocks and carrying small Colonial bouquets of bronze and yellow blooms.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. DeWitt wore an aqua crepe dress embellished with silver, and a corsage of bronze cymbidium orchids. The bridegroom's mother wore a beige brocade dress with aqua velvet trim, and a corsage of bronze cymbidium orchids.

Sidney Walsh was best man. Serving as ushers were Ron Auxier and Robert Gast.

The reception following was in the church parlors. Mrs. Arthur Jones of Portland cut the cake. Pouring were Mrs. J. O. Williams and Mrs. Leonard Starke, both of Salem. Assisting were Miss Bettie Rae Knoblach, Miss Ginger Martz, Miss Maribeth Perdue, Miss Linda Walker, Mrs. Glenn Baars, all of Portland. The gold and bronze flowers and vine maple also were used in decorating at the reception.

The couple left on a trip to Washington state, the bride wearing a brown tweed box type suit with tan accessories and corsage of yellow orchids. The newlyweds will be at home at 2533 N.W. Marshall street, Portland.

Among out-of-state guests at the wedding were the bridegroom's parents and sister, Saraloga, Calif.; and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Owens of Wichita, Kans., uncle and aunt of the bride.

Salem Co-Active club plans its monthly meeting for Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Don Wamamaker with Mrs. Morris Hunsaker as co-hostess.

Preceding the 8 o'clock meeting, members will gather at Chuck's Steak House for a no-host dinner.

Topics planned for discussion are the cookie sale, proceeds from which will go to Christmas benefits; and the annual Halloween party for which Mrs. Harry Summers and Mrs. Cornelius Bateson are co-chairmen.

Travel study group of the American Association of University Women is to meet at the home of Mrs. John Dyke, 3750 Hulsey, on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Dr. Thor Kinsersly is to be speaker to talk on Sweden, Denmark and Finland.

Etokta Woman's club is meeting next Tuesday afternoon for 1:15 o'clock dessert at the home of Mrs. Glen Larkins, 1759 Park. Hostesses will be Mrs. Ralph Scott, Mrs. H. E. Taylor, Mrs. Alice Fisher.

Centralia temple, Pythian Sisters, meets next Wednesday at 8 p.m. in Beaver Hall.

AAUW Event

Dr. Frank Munk, political science professor at Reed college, Portland, is to be guest speaker for the luncheon meeting of Salem branch, American Association of University Women, next Saturday afternoon, October 20, at the Marion hotel. His topic is to be "Report from Russia."

Dr. Munk recently returned from a study tour of the Soviet Union and Communist Czechoslovakia. One of the first study tours from the United States to visit the Soviet Union, the group was composed of civic leaders and Reed students led by Dr. Munk. The group attended the Amsterdam forum, which brought European scholars and international experts together for a discussion of Russian policies. At the conclusion of the two-day event, Dr. Munk was elected vice president of the newly organized Federation for Academic Travel Abroad.

The AAUW luncheon will be at 12:45 o'clock. Members are invited to take guests. Reservations may be made until Thursday evening by calling Mrs. Cornelius W. Lofgren, 3606, or Mrs. John A. Dyke, 27389.

FIRST event of the fall for the Ministers' Wives association of Salem will be a program and meeting at the home of Mrs. Brooks H. Moore, 636 State street, Tuesday afternoon next at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Charles Weeber is to be a guest to present a program on "The Poet Speaks," depicting the life of Jesus through poetry and music. Mrs. Paul N. Poling will lead the devotions.

There will be a brief business session with Mrs. A. A. Talbot, the new president, in charge. Tea will be served at the conclusion of the program. Wives of all local ministers and wives of retired ministers are invited to attend the meeting.

The P.E.O. Sisterhood council is to meet Monday in Lipman's tearoom at 12:15 o'clock. Unaffiliated members are invited especially. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. John S. Conway, 25354.

Fine Arts division of the Salem Women's club will meet at the home of Mrs. Donald Madison, 1565 North 24th street, Thursday. The topic will be Fine Arts of the World.

First meeting of the season for West Salem Woman's club will be next Thursday at 8 p.m. in the West Salem City hall. A get-acquainted card party is planned to welcome new members.

Board members of Sacred Heart Parents club will meet Monday at 8 p.m. in the school library.

Mrs. Millard Todd was honored with a shower recently, when Mrs. Earle Hendrick entertained at her Kingwood Drive home. Dessert was served by the hostess and co-hostess Miss Delores Riley. Guests attending were Mrs. Todd, Mrs. William Lamparter, Mrs. Virgil Sloan, Mrs. Mark Speer, Mrs. Alice Early, Mrs. Ed Satrum, Mrs. Dave Holtzman, Mrs. Everett Soden, Mrs. Benton Mason, Mrs. Herbert Adler, Mrs. Violet Stalford, Mrs. Margaret Simmons, Mrs. Ernest Chapman, Mrs. Al Byer, Mrs. Mollie Cohen, Mrs. Charles Emerson, Mrs. Floyd Mathew, Mrs. Lee Warnick.

Salem Rotana club will meet Monday at the home of Mrs. Leo N. Childs, 320 North 14th street. Plans will be made for the annual harvest dinner to be given by the group at the YWCA on October 24.

Co-hostesses for the meeting will be Miss Mayella Sutter, Miss Joyce Gorton and Mrs. Glen Sorenson.

Women's association of the First Presbyterian church will meet, Wednesday, October 17, for a 12:15 p.m. luncheon, in the church parlors. Members of Leah guild will host the luncheon. Mrs. Oral Lemmon leader. The program will include a panel discussion, sponsored by the League of Women Voters. Mrs. Melvin Cleveland and Mrs. E. B. Daugherty will present information of the city measures coming before the public at the next election.



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WED THIS morning at a service in St. Paul's Catholic church in Silverton was Mrs. Monte R. Mollet (Elizabeth Louise Stuh), above. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stuh of Sublimity and Mr. Mollet is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mollet of Sublimity.

OFFICERS OF BETHEL PLAN FOR SILVER TEA

MEMBERS of Bethel No. 59, Job's Daughters, are to be hostesses Sunday afternoon at a silver tea at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morris, 1115 North Winter, between 2 and 5 o'clock. Invitation is extended to all friends of the Bethel and parents of members to attend.

JD Silver Tea

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At the door will be Misses Barbara Morris, Shirley Beutler and Sharon Forrest. Miss Patricia Morris is to be in charge of the guest book.

Pouring will be Mrs. Conrad Schild, Mrs. Joe Rogers, Mrs. Norman Fletcher, Mrs. Ray Stringham, Mrs. Ove McCrary, Mrs. Joseph Johnston.

Assisting will be Misses Susan Morrison, Marlene Mathers, Ann Stevens, Sarah Busick, Thelma Kline, Shannon Dyer, Patricia Backe, Beverly McKinney, Daphne Gehlar, Linda Trommlitz, Laurie Stewart, Nancie Sears, Carolyn Beaver, Nancy McDaniel, Mina McDaniel, Marilyn Pinson, Sonia Vasfaret, Judith Denyer, Sue Morris, Patricia Morris, Shirley Beutler, Peggy Lucas, Edith Brown, Sharon Forrest, Barbara Morris.

Opti-Mrs. group will meet Monday at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Darwin Caspell, 4040 Alana avenue.

Thursday evening literature group of the American Association of University Women will meet next week at the home of Mrs. Marion Miller, 885 West Salem Heights avenue. Mrs. Chester Goodman to give the review.

Past Matrons association, Order of Eastern Star, will meet for their regular monthly dinner and program at the Golden Pheasant at 6 o'clock on Friday, October 19. Mrs. J. Edgar Reay is chairman of the committee, assisted by Mrs. D. X. Beechler, Mrs. H. E. Crawford, Mrs. Charles O. Wilson, Mrs. Byron B. Herick, Mrs. Elmer L. Bye, and Mrs. George C. Stephens.

Mrs. Leonard Rowan was in Portland Thursday night to attend a meeting for charter No. 26, women's division, Hotel Greeters of America. The meeting was at the Washington hotel.

Jaycee-Eltes will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Douglas Heider, 3388 South 12th street. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Maurice Cohn, Mrs. Steven Benson, Mrs. Robert Zeller.

In Portland Friday to attend the luncheon for Daughters of the Nile were Mrs. William Newmyer, Mrs. Leonard Rowan, Mrs. Jacob Fuhrer, Mrs. George R. K. Moorhead.

MEMBERS of Willamette university Faculty Women's club begin their new year next Thursday.

A tea is planned for the opening event, the party to be between 3 and 5 o'clock with Mrs. G. Herbert Smith, wife of the university president, as hostess at her West Lincoln street home. The affair annually honors newcomers in the faculty groups.

Social meeting for Salem club of Seropitist International will be next Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. G. E. McCormick, with Mrs. Marie Ling, Mrs. H. G. Maisson, Mrs. Ethel Lau, Mrs. Nels Tonnig and Miss Helen Benson as co-hostesses.

West Salem Lions club auxiliary is to meet Monday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Dale Taylor, 1321 Edgewater.

Committees for the annual benefit fall fashion show event of Junior Woman's club on October 22 are being announced. The affair will be at 8:15 o'clock that date in the Meier & Frank's-Salem store.

Mrs. Robert Gordon is chairman, Mrs. Maurice Cohn the co-chairman, Mrs. George Norris is chairman for tickets; Mrs. Eric Carlson, chairman for program; Mrs. Ted Morrison, in charge of decorations.

Mrs. Cohn and Mrs. William Juza are arranging for the models. Others assisting on the general committee are Mrs. Kenneth Burnett, Mrs. Marvin Mizzell, Mrs. Ace Lewelling.

Chadwick chapter, Order of Eastern Star, plans its regular meeting for 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Masonic temple. At the business session the matter of raising dues will be discussed and grand chapter amendments acted on. The men are in charge of entertainment and of the dining room with Jess Hunley as chairman.

Insurance Women's Association of Salem will meet for 6:30 p.m. dinner at the Marion hotel next Thursday.

Mollet-Stuhr

St. Paul's Catholic church in Silverton was the scene of a wedding this morning when Miss Elizabeth Louise Stuh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stuh of Sublimity, was married to Monte R. Mollet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mollet of Sublimity.

Mixed blooms in orchid and purple shades decorated the church for the service. The Rev. Mr. Gadois officiated at the double ring ceremony. Maudeen Robl and Mrs. Novack sang, Josephine Brand playing the organ.

Five attendants preceded the bride to the altar. Miss Lena DeSantis was honor attendant. Miss Dorothy Frank, Mrs. Ned Curry, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Kolette Thomas, cousin of the bridegroom, were the bridesmaids. All wore identical dresses in two shades of lavender nylon chiffon, waist length. The dresses were styled with shirred bodices and full skirts with flowing panels. All carried light orchid daisy chrysanthemums for their bouquets. Peggy Halner, a cousin of the bride, was flower girl, wearing a frock similar to those of the other attendants.

The bride was attired in a dress of imported French lace styled with scalloped neckline, a molded bodice, and wide panels of the tulle on the skirt and chapel train. The fingertip veil of imported net with rolled edges was arranged from a crown of seed pearls. A spray of spider chrysanthemums with an orchid in the center. Mr. Stuh escorted his daughter to the altar.

David Lahr, cousin of the bride, was best man. Groomsmen were Ralph Mollet, Jr., Ned Curry and Keith Scott. Mike Halner, cousin of the bride, was ring bearer. The ushers were Walter Halner, uncle of the bride, and Charles Wright, an uncle of the bridegroom.

The bride's mother wore a green knit suit dress with beige and brown accessories and a corsage of white rosebuds. The bridegroom's mother wore a blue ensemble with pink and black accessories and corsage of pink rosebuds.

The reception was in the parish hall immediately following the service. Mrs. Frank Lahr, aunt of the bride, cut the cake. Pouring were Mrs. Walter Halner and Mrs. Cletis Nixon, aunts of the bride. Others assisting were Mrs. Ralph Mollet, Jr., Mrs. Alvin Thomas, Mrs. Frank Duerst, Mrs. Leonard Stuh, Mrs. Fred Stuh, Mrs. Louie DeSantis, Mrs. Dick Curry, Mrs. Stanley Hitchcock, Mrs. Ed Robl, Miss Linda Huddleston, Lorraine Rebo, Jeanette Halner, Robby Stuh, Miss Sue Halner, Miss Gloria Grace Kusel, Miss Rose Mary Kusel, Mrs. Max Halner, Mrs. Wayne Rebo, Mrs. Edgar Huddleston.

For traveling the bride donned a black choral suit with red velvet accessories and the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

The couple will be at home on route 1, Sublimity.

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—They Head Women's Clubs



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Mrs. Wallace S. Wharton, above, is president of Salem Women's Army and Navy league.

AN League President's Interests Vary

One of the social organizations resuming its schedule of fall and winter meetings is the Salem Women's Army and Navy league.

This organization is open to wives, mothers, daughters and sisters of all commissioned officers in all branches of the armed service, including the reserve groups and retired officers. Membership in the league ranges from 75 to more than 100 in Salem.

Each year the group assists in some philanthropy for those with service connections, through its social service committee. The league meets once a month, October to June, usually for a luncheon and card party, although occasionally coffee gatherings. At least twice a year the league entertains at a dance for all members and their husbands. The local group also keeps in close contact with the Portland league and members here attend affairs of the group there, and often Portland members are guests for the Salem league events.

Mrs. Wallace S. Wharton is president of the league this year. Captain and Mrs. Wharton have lived in Salem since 1936 except for a period during the war. Captain Wharton is now Marion county director of civil defense. The Whartons came here from Portland, he to be executive secretary to the late Governor Charles H. Martin, also to

serve as state budget officer. In 1941 the Whartons went to Washington, D.C. Captain Wharton, a naval officer, was stationed in the national capital during the war, and for two years following. The Whartons returned to Salem in 1947 and now make their home on a farm 10 miles south of Salem near Turner.

Mrs. Wharton is an interesting person to know, her interests are so varied. She is greatly interested in cooking and collects recipes. She also is a constant reader, studying especially in philosophy, theology and biography. In addition she likes to garden and sew, and is well known for her art in making quilts.

The Whartons have one son, William Wharton, now living in Vancouver, B.C. where he is with the A. R. Williams company, and there are three grandchildren.

In addition to her membership in the Women's Army and Navy league, Mrs. Wharton is a member of the Salem alumnae group of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and is an active member of the League of Women Voters. She attended University of Oregon.

For several years Mrs. Wharton has been working with the Gray Ladies in the American Red Cross.



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Heading Town and Gown this year is Mrs. A. Freeman Holmer, above.

Mrs. Holmer at Helm of Town and Gown

Soon to note its 35th anniversary is the unique organization of Town and Gown. This group's membership is made up of Willamette university faculty women and townswomen, and its purpose is to promote wider acquaintance and fellowship among the two groups.

Town and Gown was organized in October of 1921. Throughout its history its special interest, too, has been Lausanne hall, residence for women students on the campus.

This past year the organization listed 110 paid members. The group meets six times during the club year, opening in October.

Every other year a very special affair on Town and Gown agenda is the tea to honor wives of legislators and wives of the state officials. Each legislative session this tea is one of the very elegant ones for the women.

President of Town and Gown this year is Mrs. A. Freeman Holmer. Her husband teaches public administration in the political science department

at Willamette university. The Holmers have resided in Salem for seven years, coming here from the east. They had been in New York for three years, Mr. Holmer teaching at New York university and attending Columbia university in graduate work. Previously, both the Holmers had lived in Eugene. Mrs. Holmer, the former Marcia Wright, attended high school in Eugene and the University of Oregon.

Two young sons, Bill, who is a 5th grader, and Alan, in the second grade, keep things lively around the Holmer home.

In addition to her work with Town and Gown, Mrs. Holmer is active in the Delta Gamma alumnae group in Salem, having served as its president, teaches a kindergarten class in the First Congregational church Sunday school, and has served as president of the McKinley school Mothers and Dads club. This year, the Holmers are members of the Candalaria school Mothers and Dads club.