

Society and Clubs

By Clara Mary Davis

Mrs. Amspoker Is Medford Visitor

Mrs. Thomas J. Amspoker of Salem has been a visitor in this city for the past several days on a combined business and pleasure trip. She is registered at the Hotel Jackson and plans to remain here over the weekend.

Mrs. Amspoker is a former Medford resident, having lived here for a number of years before moving to Salem several years ago. While here she was active in social events and especially musical affairs of the valley.

The visitor has been entertained at a number of small luncheons by her many friends here during her sojourn.

Kurtz Pupils Will Present Recital

Voice and piano pupils from the studio of Effie H. Kurtz will be presented in a travel recital at the Baldwin Piano shoppe Monday evening, November 7 at 7:45 o'clock.

This unique recital will be in the form of a world tour on which the audience will be taken in an aeroplane to points of interest which the pupils will announce as they are reached. Descriptive music of the various lands will be given in piano numbers, solos, duos in song and an ensemble of 10 players at five pianos. The public is cordially invited to attend the recital.

Bittles Hosts For Social

Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Bittle entertained with a party Monday evening at their home on South Oakdale avenue. The evening was spent in games and dancing after which refreshments were served.

Those enjoying the pleasant affair were Mr. and Mrs. Don Rutter, and children, Don, Barbara and Peggy; Mr. and Mrs. Anson Turnbow and children Virginia, Winsted and Connie; Mr. and Mrs. John Bittle, Jr. and Mrs. M. Sample, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Silva and children Frank and Dorothy, Harold Mitchell and children Robert and Mardell, Lorain Wilson and the hosts' children Billie, Horace and Louis.

Senior Leaders Feted at Tea

Senior Girl Scouts of troop No. 8 entertained with a delightful tea in honor of their former leader Mrs. Jack Spalding and their new leader, Mrs. Winifred Urdel, at the home of Evelyn Waterman recently.

An attractive vase of flowers was presented to Mrs. Spalding in appreciation of her service in the troop. Guests present were Mrs. Spalding, Mrs. Urdel, Frances Nordquist, Jean Hope, Marita Purry, Shirley Schulz, Katherine Loucks, Evelyn Waterman and Mrs. Esther Wilson.

Delta Debs Have Candy Sale

Delta Deb society will hold a candy sale Saturday, November 7 from 9:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. at Holloway's store. All members are reminded to have their candy at the store on time.

Bride Elect Feted at Shower Party

Miss Betty Mallory, bride elect, was feted at a kitchen shower held at the home of Miss Chloe Elson Tuesday morning.

Guests enjoying the affair were Mrs. John Elson, Mrs. Dean Pieper, Mrs. G. W. Mallory, Mrs. H. K. Hamilton, Mrs. Lloyd Johnston, Miss Viola Cleven, Miss Jean Crawford, Miss Edna Shellbarger, Miss Zeta Dean, Miss Beale Dean, Miss Everal Dean.

The honored guest received many lovely gifts and a luncheon was enjoyed at noon.

Miss Mallory will wed Robert B. Elson in the very near future. The bride elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mallory and a popular member of the younger set here.

Pro-America to Meet Monday Noon

Pro-America, national Republican women's organization, will convene Monday noon at 12 o'clock in the Hotel Holland for a luncheon and business session.

Guest speaker for the meeting will be Kenneth Denman. His topic will be initiative measures to be voted on in the election Tuesday.

Mrs. C. M. Hurd, president, will preside at the interesting affair.

P.T.A. Group Help With Carnival Plans

Doing their bit for the Junior high carnival next Wednesday night, November 9th, will be a committee of P.T.A. mothers who will be in charge of the doughnut, cider, pie and coffee concession.

Room 8, the sewing room, has been designated for this purpose, thereby assuring carnival participants a restful time-out, while partaking of refreshments. All proceeds will go to the Junior high student body.

Those in charge of this feature will be Mrs. A. B. Shirley, Mrs. Dee Newman, Mrs. Tom Higgins and John Joki.

Teachers Enjoy Recent Session

The Grade Teachers' association held its monthly meeting at the Girls' Community clubhouse Monday evening. After a brief business meeting the group was entertained with an interesting program given by members of the Jackson school.

The program consisted of two piano solos by Stanley Gustin and the reading of an article on the subject of citizenship by children of Mrs. Nina B. Carlson.

A pleasant social hour followed, with refreshments served by members of the Washington school faculty. Miss Ora Cox and Mrs. Nina Carlson officiated.

Adult Missionary Group Meeting

The Adult Missionary society of the First Christian church met Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock for an enjoyable pot luck dinner.

In the business period Mrs. A. H. Gregory presided. It was voted to form a mission study class with

Mrs. C. C. Drummond as the leader, also that the society assist in furnishing a room at the Old People's Home in Beaverton and that Missionary Day in the church be observed December 4 with the Rev. James M. Hamilton giving the sermon in the morning and a playlet by the society in the evening.

Mrs. Richard Klemm had charge of the program and as the devotional read the poem, "A Christians Prayer." The Misses Emma Clement and Alice Curry sang a duet accompanied by Miss Helen Young. Others on the program were Captain and Mrs. R. H. Vincent, Mrs. Blanche Lyman and Mrs. H. Veasey.

Crater Lake Guild Sponsors Banquet

Crater Lake Guild of the Presbyterian church will hold its annual banquet next Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the church banquet room.

An interesting program has been arranged, the subject of which is "Women Through The Ages." Progress through Christianity of the women of China, Japan, India and America with appropriate music and costumes for each country, will be reviewed.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Mrs. P. E. Bancroft. All Guild members and their friends are invited to attend the affair.

Reservations may be made by calling Fay Flynn at 864.

Henselman Home Is Luncheon Scene

Women of Rotary entertained on Wednesday afternoon with a salad luncheon at the home of Mrs. George Henselman on West Main street.

Rooms and tables were attractive with decorations of bronze chrysanthemums. Following luncheon, four tables of bridge were in play with Mrs. Jack Swen winning high score.

The next event of the organization will be held on November 16 at the home of Mrs. Charles Lemery.

Methodist Dinner In Church Tonight

Mrs. J. O. Cava, new president of the Ladies' Missionary society of the South Methodist church, presided at an interesting meeting Tuesday afternoon at the West Main street home of Mrs. W. C. McCullaton.

At the session, plans were completed for a dinner to be served this evening at 6 o'clock in the basement of the church. Other business discussed regarded the Sunday evening service at which the members will be in charge. Special musical selections interspersed with readings and brief talks will be given.

Canton Group Meets Tonight

Canton P. M. auxiliary will convene this evening in the I.O.O.F. hall at 8 o'clock. This will be an important session and all members are asked to attend.

Social Worker Dies

SILVERTON, Ore., Nov. 4.—(AP)—Information has been received by relatives here of the death in Los Angeles of Adelaide Davenport-Armstrong, 62, nationally known for social work in Chicago and California cities. She was born in the Waldo hills near here, and was a sister of the late Homer Davenport, famous cartoonist.

Closing time for Too Late to Classify Ada is 1:30 p. m.

Man About Manhattan

By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—Henny Youngman reports a cross-section of the Oriental viewpoint concerning the China war thusly:

"I found myself at Ruby Foo's for dinner and vaguely troubled about something. It took me a long time to realize what it was. Then it suddenly occurred to me that the service was terrible. I hailed the head-waiter and demanded 'What's the matter with those waiters? They're huddled over there in a corner and not paying attention to anything I tell them.'"

"The head-waiter shrugged and shook his head sadly. They have, he replied, 'big disagreement over Chiang Kai-shek's strategy in Yangtze River Valley campaign.'"

Continuing our Oriental discourse, we should mention those attractive menu covers discovered in a recent visit to the Terrace Room in the Hotel New Yorker. Each has a striking picture in color and each details some Oriental belief. These are labeled "superstitions." I borrowed a waiter's pencil and made a note of them.

The one nearest at hand had to do with the Chinese. On the printed legend was: "The Chinese are said to eat tangerines on holidays to appease and ward off evil spirits." That is all. The Chinese have a strange genius for abruptly beginning and closing any thought.

I asked my waiter to hand me another menu and this one was devoted to the Nile country. "The ancient Egyptians," it said, "believed that worshipping the humble cabbage

would insure an abundant life." I wanted to look at a lot more of them, but there wasn't time. I had to make a belated break for the theater, and so I broke . . . but I'll be back . . . I want to make a record of a lot more superstitions.

Arthur Murray thinks the rhumba has a potential rival in the new (for N. Y.) samba, which is the national dance of Brazil. It is said to be graceful and exhilarating. One thing dancers are bound to like about it is that occasionally you just stop, look at each other, and hold hands. It isn't as simple as it sounds, however. There are any number of graceful but intricate figures to betray unwary plodders. But it's a pretty thing to see, and as Monsieur Murray suggests, just difficult enough to be exciting. Historic note: this dance was invented way back in 1828 by Don Chaleasa, a musician in the court of Don Pedro, first emperor of Brazil. He was unhappily married and invented the dance seeking an opportunity to gaze into the eyes and hold the hands of his true love, a lady whose heart was pledged to another.

More and more producers are realizing that, to succeed, plays must bring themselves up to the daily headlines. One of the sure hits currently playing is Robert Sherwood's honest study of Abraham Lincoln's middle years. The things Lincoln said are as applicable today as then. That is one reason why Lincoln, whether you like it or not, will always be the dominant figure in American history. The things he said are timeless. They are as timely as tomorrow's headlines.

Accept French Bid
PARIS, Nov. 4.—(AP)—The foreign ministry announced tonight Prime Minister Chamberlain and Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax of Great Britain accepted an invitation of the French government to pay an official visit to Paris from November 23 to 25.

BERLIN, Nov. 4.—(AP)—Field Marshal Hermann Wilhelm Goering's five months old daughter, Edna, was baptized today by Reichsbishop Ludwig Muller, head of the Prussian Evangelical church, at Goering's Karinhall estate. Adolf Hitler was godfather.

The Capital Parade

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nized, but men high in the councils of both parties are uncomfortably aware of it.

It's far pleasanter, however, to think of what may happen if the Republicans make their hoped-for reasonable gains. No great congressional turnover is anticipated. What the practical politicians of the G. O. P. really want is to pick up a few governors.

The sailors on the whaling ships got scurvy from eating nothing but salt pork and hard-tack. An even more dreadful diet, of wind and crumbs from rich men's tables, has given the Republicans a severe case of political scurvy. And as a few gills of lime-juice used to cure the sailors, a little bit of patronage will restore the Republicans to health. To a minority party, the governorship is worth 20 seats in congress, because a governor controls innumerable state jobs. At present, the Republican governors number only seven. If six or eight more are added to the list, there will be a real Republican organization again. And there will be a real opposition, capable of performing its necessary functions.

The Republicans desperately need to make gains. But it's also important that the gains be made in the right places.

There are two well-defined types among the Republican candidates who are conceded some chance of victory. In one, you can put Judge Arthur H. James, Frank D. Fitzgerald and George Wilson, gubernatorial nominees in Pennsylvania, Michigan and Iowa, respectively. They are Republican old-guardmen, given to

breathing fire and brimstone about "regimentation," extremely conservative, without much verve or dash. In the other must be classed the more interesting new figures—Tom Dewey, Bob Taft in Ohio, Saltonstall in Massachusetts, the Kansas senatorial and gubernatorial nominees, Clyde Reed and Payne Ratner; Dewey's running-mates, Corns, O'Brien, and several others. They stand for realistic compromise and lively political salesmanship. Obviously, if the Republican gains are confined to Pennsylvania, Michigan and Iowa, the party will take its color from James, Fitzgerald and Wilson. Conversely, if the gains are made in states where the newer men are running, the party will tend to fall into line behind them. Indeed, it's pretty sure that, if Dewey, Taft and two or three others of type two are successful, the old Republican faces will be forgotten. Little as they may enjoy it, men like Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg will become elder statesmen. Anyway, a few fresh personalities will brighten the political scene.



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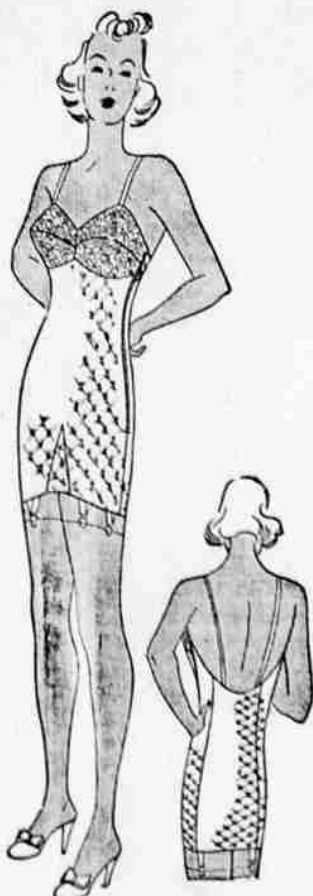
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