



Society News



Early Spring Weddings, Betrothal Announcement Take Social Spotlight

VARIED entertainment, with particular interest centered upon early spring weddings, and betrothal announcements, have featured the social calendar for the week past.

Several important parties have been carried out in the traditional appointments of St. Patrick's day, and the Irish Saint will furnish inspiration for more entertaining during the week to come. Although the season of Lent is upon us, a few charming affairs are scheduled for the near future to liven the springtime tranquility.

KLAMATH GIRL WEDS IN CALIFORNIA CITY

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Withrow of Klamath Falls, announce the marriage of their daughter, Florence Inez, to Theodore G. Stafne, formerly of Seattle, Wash. The wedding ceremony was solemnized in Redwood City, Calif., on Monday, March 9.

The bride is a graduate of the University of California nursing school in San Francisco, and spent a year in Klamath Falls following her graduation. She has recently been employed as head nurse in the Fountain Sanitarium in Livermore, Calif., where she met Mr. Stafne, one of the owners of the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Stafne will reside in Fresno, where he has business connections.

MRS. LORENZ, MRS. BATHIANY TO ENJOY EXTENDED TRIP

Mrs. Ruth Olds Bathiany and Mrs. G. C. Lorenz left Thursday evening on a six weeks' trip which takes them through the Panama canal, to New Orleans, Florida, New York and back across the United States. They plan to stop in many of the important cities on their return trip, and Mrs. Bathiany will visit her son, Hob Bathiany, who is attending school in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. Lorenz and Mrs. Bathiany sailed Saturday from San Francisco on the S. S. Virginia of the Panama-Pacific lines.

QUIET WEDDING SOLEMNIZED SUNDAY, MARCH EIGHTH

At a quiet wedding ceremony solemnized Sunday afternoon at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. Cecil C. Brown of the First Baptist church, Fannie Surrall and Jack Ray, were united in marriage.

Miss Grace Shaffer was the bridesmaid, and Douglas Pence, a brother-in-law of the bride, acted as best man.

The bride wore a traveling suit of navy blue wool, and her coronation was of white gardenias. Miss Shaffer wore a dark blue street dress and a corsage of roses and sweet peas.

Following the marriage service, the bride couple, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pence, and Miss Shaffer motored to Ashland where a wedding dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray are making their home in the Evans apartments.

At a quiet wedding ceremony performed by the Rev. Cecil C. Brown of the First Baptist church, at the home of Mrs. Wood, 423 Commercial street, Hattie Cordella Stiles and Joseph J. Cloud were united in marriage on Saturday evening, March 7, at 8:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Wood and Dr. F. E. Day were the attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloud will make their home in Homestead addition.

MRS. REYNOLDS COM- PLIMENTED AT SHOWER

Mrs. Charles M. Reynolds was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower Thursday afternoon at the community social hall on Garden street.

Mrs. L. E. Henry, Mrs. W. C. Little, Mrs. F. R. Vance and Mrs. K. D. Jones were hostesses. Games were played, after which a delicious lunch was served to Mesdames C. E. Newcom, Ray Constable, S. R. Berry, Roy Morets, George H. Rogers, H. S. Stone, A. G. Pearson, L. A. Eschle, Charles Thomas, Orville Schreyer, William Larsen, M. E. Bagley, Ona Bagley, Marion Bagley, J. W. Crawford, F. J. Bowerman, R. O. Miller, John Gurtie, Leon Crapo, Myron Taylor, R. W. Clapp, J. P. Jex, Guy Belant, H. D. Bolvin, E. A. Chase, Frank Colvin, Elvina Gentry, E. L. Mitchell, E. H. Love, Z. W. Dixon, B. A. Dahlheim, Bert Hawkins, Fred Generaux, P. W. Sayles, E. D. Truvelo, Clifford Richmond, William Arnold, A. W. Hammel, J. Jensen, J. G. Dickey and Massey.

Mrs. Reynolds received many gifts. The tables were beautifully decorated with potted plants.

Mrs. Gurtie received the prize at the contest game.

Sewing was also a diversion of the afternoon, and Marion Bagley played several selections on the piano.

A delightful farewell and handkerchief shower were given in honor of Mrs. Robert Lundquist, (Opal Mills) at the home of her sister, Mrs. Paul Stafford, 1405 Delta street early this week.

Games were the diversion of the evening and high honor went to Mrs. Lundquist.

Dainty refreshments were served, and Mrs. Nellie Nichols and Mrs. Paul Stafford acted as hostesses.

Those attending the party were, Mrs. Fred Hornahub, Mrs. George Broadland, Mrs. Clifford Webber, Mrs. Betty Sackett, Mrs. Ernestine Arnett, Mrs. Alice Mills, Mrs. Mary Cates, Mrs. Daisy Konella, Miss Mary Wahrmund, Miss Laverne Chiles, Miss Lila Shelton, Miss Grace Bundy and the hostesses, Mrs. Walter Nichols and Mrs. Paul Stafford.

Mrs. Lundquist is returning to her home in Seattle the first part of next week.

Runyan-Lyle Betrothal Announced At Tea On Sunday Afternoon.

Mrs. Alexander J. Lyle announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Alexis Lyle, one of the most popular and attractive members of the younger set of Klamath Falls, to John Truman Runyan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Runyan of Roseburg, at a tea given Sunday afternoon, March 8, at the Lyle home on High street.

A large group of Miss Lyle's friends called between 4:30 and 6 o'clock, and the betrothal was revealed by tiny announcement cards concealed in rosebuds presented to the guests by Miss Alexis Lyle, cousin of the bride-elect.

Mrs. Mahr Heymers, (Grace Lynch), a recent bride, and Mrs. Robert Fulton assisted about the rooms during the afternoon, and those who presided at the table during the tea hours were Mrs. Burge Mason, Jr., Mrs. Bryant Williams, Mrs. Robert Thompson, Mrs. Arthur P. Lyle, Miss Nadine O'Flaherty and Miss Lois Kilgore.

The tea table was centered with a charming arrangement of white hyacinths, pink roses and purple iris, and daffodils and tulips were used about the rooms in the colorful spring decorations.

Both Miss Lyle and her fiancé are graduates of the University of Oregon. She is a member of Gamma Phi Beta sorority, and Runyan is a member of Delta Tau Delta. He is located, at present, in Medford, where he is connected with the Associated Oil company.

No definite date for the wedding has been announced.

GRADUATE NURSES MEET ON WEDNESDAY EVENING

Graduate Nurses, O. S. G. N. A., district 8, met in the home of Mrs. Jessie Bryant, 400 Michigan avenue, Wednesday evening, March 11, when Mrs. Grace Miller, president, presided.

Plans for a luncheon honoring Miss Elvora E. Thomson of Portland, who will be the guest speaker at the Public Relations dinner to be given by the B. and P. W. club Friday evening, March 20, were discussed.

Members of the Graduate Nurses' association are urged to attend the luncheon, and may make reservations by calling Mrs. Miller at 1481.

Miss Thomson served as president of the American Nurses' association for four years, and is an outstanding figure in the nursing profession.

Other business was transacted Wednesday evening, and was followed by a social hour, when a mock wedding and bridal shower were given in honor of Mrs. Fred Diehms (Emma Seemans), a recent bride.

An enjoyable evening was spent by those present, and at its close supper was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Jessie Bryant, Mrs. Margaret Everts, Mrs. Lora Braze and Mrs. Diehms.

Nurses who attended the meeting and enjoyed the social hour were: Grace Miller, Mary Briddy, Emma Diehms, Lillie Harrington, Mary Horst, Vivian Pentill, Lora Braze, Margaret Everts, Willie Ramsey, Mildred Crawford, Kate Cook, Ethel Nelson, Helen Rugg, Dolph Gibson, Harriet Wolgast, Lydia Pricke, Kay Ransom and the hostesses, Jessie Bryant.

MRS. KAUSE TO SPEAK TO GARDEN ENTHUSIASTS

Few weeks remain to plan the early spring and summer garden, and as each year new recruits are added to the "plant and grow" group, many women will be interested in the announcement of a meeting at the library club on Monday afternoon, March 16, in the library club room, to hear Mrs. G. A. Krause speak on "Soil."

Mrs. Krause has had an excellent opportunity during a recent visit in California, to hear several fine lectures on soil, and this information which she gleaned from various San Francisco Garden club enthusiasts will be passed on to those interested in the lecture arranged for Monday.

Mrs. E. L. Bleak was complimented with a miscellaneous shower Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. W. Quibell.

Mrs. Quibell was assisted by Mrs. Silvey.

Games were the diversion of the afternoon, with high prize going to Mrs. McCormack, low to Mrs. D. Bennett and door prize to Mrs. Bleak.

Guests who honored Mrs. Bleak included: Mesdames Nettie Anders, Dell Bennett, W. Bodman, Detroit, Dunn, J. Frost, H. Haight, R. L. Lewis, W. Pomroy, Rugg, Silvey, W. H. Smith, G. Silvers, B. C. Johnston, consolation to Winifred Smith, Master D. Bennett and Mrs. A. C. Gienker, E. Luderman, P. McCormack, E. Bradford, G. Buell, E. Potter and Master H. Luderman, all of Chillicothe.

The Congregational Community circle will meet Friday afternoon, March 20, at the home of Mrs. Burt Hawkins at 2121 Vine street, at 2:00 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

BETROTHAL ANNOUNCED SUNDAY



Miss Alexis Lyle, charming daughter of Mrs. Alexander J. Lyle of Klamath Falls, whose engagement to John Truman Runyan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Runyan of Roseburg, Oregon, was announced last week at a tea. No definite date has been set for the wedding. (Kennell-Ellis picture, Herald-News Photo-engraving).

Woman's Library Club Enjoys Delightful Program.

The festive spirit of Japanese springtime was felt in the atmosphere on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock when the Klamath Falls Woman's Library club met for the March program which stressed the Oriental art of almond blossoms, quaint little almond-eyed dolls and charming Japanese prints arranged about the room.

Flowers were charmingly arranged in flat bowls in the Japanese manner by Mrs. G. A. Krause, Mrs. Hugh Campbell, Mrs. E. D. Lamb, Mrs. Roy Brown and Mrs. B. C. Thomas. Almond blossoms brought from the Rogue River valley were used in many of the arrangements.

The observance of the Japanese doll festival, which occurs throughout Japan the third day of the third month of each year, was carried out in an exhibit prepared by Mrs. Glenn Guiley.

Many of the women contributed Japanese, as well as Chinese dolls, and there were also a great many dolls from other countries, quaintly garbed, and a collection of lovely antique dolls that have been cherished by Klamath Falls families for years and years.

Mrs. W. H. McMillan spoke on the history of the Doll Festival and interpreted the various symbols used by the young girls of Japan in carrying out this rite of hundreds of years.

Poems which she has had published in "American Voices" of 1935, an anthology of verse, were read by Mrs. J. A. Gordon. They included "March," "April" and "A Summer's Afternoon."

Mrs. Gordon also read others that have not been submitted for publication and which were thoroughly enjoyed.

Mrs. Bert C. Thomas, archives chairman, discussed the progress of the scrap book which the club has originated this year and asked for contributions for the project.

Mrs. Kujack specializes in Spanish, modern German and ballet dancing, and has studied with such famous teachers as Gellman, Julia Kuhlke and Gretchen Berndtschmael. She has also taught dancing in Milwaukee, Wis., and other large cities.

Norman Towne has filled engagements on many of the famous vaudeville circuits, and is well known eccentric dancer. He will conduct classes and give lessons in ball room dancing, eccentric tap and tumbling, as well as juggling, to be used with or without dancing.

Mrs. Welch hostess AT ELK HOTEL.

Mrs. Tom Welch entertained with two tables of bridge in the Hotel Elk card room, Wednesday afternoon, March 11.

Her guests were: Effie Paul, Norma Smith, Greta Linman, Helma Menner, Frances Hall, Lucille Riggs and Frances Bennett.

At the close of the afternoon a delicious dessert was served, and the prize was presented to Mrs. Bennett.

The benefit card party sponsored by Mills P-T-A. was held Friday evening when seven tables of auction bridge and three tables of pinocle were at play.

Prizes were given for bridge to Mrs. B. O. Johnston and George Britt, high, and Mrs. Percy Cook and B. C. Johnston, consolation.

For pinocle Mrs. E. F. Blankenship and Mrs. E. F. Blankenship, consolation.

The door prize was given to Charles Griffith.

The cake which was auctioned off went to B. C. Johnston. Refreshments were served following the game by Mrs. H. S. Stone, Mrs. Charles Reynolds and Mrs. George Rogers, who were in charge of the party.

Aloha Chapter, O. E. S. Commemorates 37th Year of Activity.

On Tuesday evening in the Masonic temple, Aloha chapter No. 61, Order of the Eastern Star, celebrated the 37th anniversary of its institution. This March anniversary is always one of the most eagerly awaited events of the entire year and this year over one hundred members and visiting members enjoyed the meeting and entertainment which followed.

The chapter room was decorated with potted plants and pussy willows.

Three charter members were honor guests, they being Minnie E. Ward, Laura Willis, and John S. Orr. They were welcomed and presented with floral tokens by Edna Kent, worthy matron, and were escorted to seats of honor as Auld Lang Syne was being played by Alma Coffey.

At the close of the meeting, the following program was presented: Talk on the Hawaiian Islands, John E. Doerr, Jr.; vocal solo, Mrs. Arah Hoyt Graham, accompanied by Mrs. Alma Coffey; talk on the organization of Aloha chapter, Mrs. Laura Willis; short review of the thirty-seven years of activity of Aloha chapter, Mrs. Minnie E. Ward; brief remarks on looking forward thirty-seven years, John S. Orr; trumpet solo, Raymond Bigger; song, Aloha, by the assemblage.

During Mr. Doerr's interesting address, in which he interpreted the full significance of the word, Aloha, and described the customs of the Polynesians, he presented Mrs. Doerr who was attractively attired in a "Holoku" (Polynesian dress) of golden brown chiffon with a matching lei worn in her hair.

Following the program, Clairance Epperson reminded Edna Kent, worthy matron, that she, as well as Aloha chapter, has a March birthday and presented her with a handkerchief shown from the 1936 officers.

As a climax to the enjoyable evening, delightful refreshments were served, the chapter room being quickly transformed into a banquet hall.

One large table covered with a lace cloth and centered with a striking arrangement of spring flowers and yellow tapers seated Edna Kent, worthy matron, Loyall B. Hopkins, worthy patron, Minnie E. Ward, Laura Willis, Christine Murdoch, Iva E. Orr, John S. Orr, Jessie Momyer, Jessie Mills and Lyle Mills.

Seated at small tables and grouped about the large table were those who have been members of Aloha chapter for thirty or more years and also members and visitors whose birthdays fall in the months of January, February and March.

After all were seated, Ruth Van Doren entered the room with a large and beautiful birthday cake decorated in white and green and bearing thirty-seven glowing yellow candles. The cake was cut by Minnie E. Ward and Laura Willis with Edna Kent assisting.

Exene Humble was in charge of the social hour arrangement. Assisting her were: Alma Getz, Hazel Gass, Francis Haines, Blanche Hopkins, Lella Humphrey, Ruby Kenyon, Phyllis Poole and Nellie Sprague.

MRS. HEWITT HONORED WITH SURPRISE PARTY.

Mrs. Glen Hewitt was honored at a surprise birthday party at her home on Manzanita avenue, Monday afternoon.

Three tables of bridge were in play and those complimenting Hewitt were: Mesdames Virginia Saseman, Sue Morrison, Dixie Weed, Myrtle Stebbins, O. E. Schupp, C. O. Dryden, Otto Wabbe, L. A. Eschle, Charles Yorkland, McDaniels and Mrs. Meredith Hewitt.

Refreshments were served following the game. Mrs. Hewitt was presented with an apron shower.

Mrs. Walter Helfer entertained in her home on Melrose avenue Thursday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Woollever.

Cards was the diversion of the evening, and supper was served at the close of play.

Neighbors of Woodcraft will hold regular meeting Wednesday, March 18, at 8:00 o'clock.

A special invitation is issued to all members to come and bring guests, as a special St. Patrick's Day program and party are being arranged.

Mrs. C. O. Dryden is chairman in charge of arrangements, and is being assisted by Miss Meredith Hewitt and Mrs. Noy McDaniels.

Juveniles of Woodcraft will meet Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock.

THE BEST OF FRIENDS



Little Shirley Dalton, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dalton, and her Scottish Terrier, Bonnie Rothman, who are the best friends in the world, caught in a characteristic pose. (Kennell-Ellis picture, Herald-News Photo-engraving).

Town Club Is Setting For St. Patrick's Day Party.

Mrs. Hiram F. Murdoch and her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd J. Goble, entertained at a St. Patrick's contract bridge party Saturday, March 7th, at the Town club.

Twenty-five tables were in play. Potted shamrocks were used for table decorations and were awarded at the end of the afternoon to the low score holder at each table.

Mrs. Clarence Humble received the prize for high score, Mrs. O. F. Kouschot second, and Mrs. Harry Goeller third.

Dessert was served at the beginning of the afternoon.

Mrs. O. A. Broten of Silverton, Ore., has been a guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. P. Risteigen of the Town club, and also has been visiting her sons, G. I. and Fred Stebbins of this city.

Mrs. Wodmansee and Mrs. E. R. Eckman of Silverton, were also week-end guests at the Town club last week.

THURSDAY CONTRACT CLUB ENTERTAINED.

Mrs. C. O. Dryden entertained the Thursday contract club at her home on North Eleventh street.

Luncheon was served by the hostess, after which bridge was in play.

Prizes were given to Mrs. Sue Morrison, high; Mrs. W. H. McPherrin, second high, and Mrs. Glen Hewitt, traveling.

The club will meet next week with Mrs. Hewitt at her home on Manzanita avenue.

St. Paul's Episcopal guild met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas Hansen, 1900 Pacific Terrace. Due to the absence of the president, the vice-president Mrs. D. V. Kuykendall presided.

A report of the pre-Lenten card party was made and plans for a rummage sale to be held the first part of April were discussed. The next meeting will be the semi-annual U. T. O. offering service and will be held Wednesday, March 25th, with Corporate Communion at 10:00 a. m., meeting in the parish hall following with a luncheon.

Following the business meeting Mrs. Roy Browne told of some of her interesting experiences in Kobe, Japan.

The Wesleyan Service guild of the First M. E. church, will meet with Mrs. Riley D. Hanson, 104 High street, Tuesday evening at 7:30. Mrs. O. Jay Good will lead the study and Mrs. Esther J. Dunnivan will lead the devotional period. A splendid program is being prepared and members are urged to attend.

A.A.U.W. Luncheon Set For Saturday At Willard Hotel.

The International Relations group of the Klamath chapter of A. A. U. W. will present the program to be enjoyed Saturday afternoon, March 21, following a 12:45 o'clock luncheon at the Willard hotel.

A panel discussion on "Inflation" will be presented by the group under the direction of Miss Dorothy Eberhart.

The committee in charge of luncheon arrangements is composed of Mrs. Lawrence Slater, Mrs. Kenneth Moore, Miss Mary McComb and Mrs. M. K. Lucas.

Members of the A. A. U. W. have been invited to attend the annual Public Relations and Employers banquet to be given by the B. and P. W. club on Friday evening, March 20, at the Willard hotel. Reservations for the event may be made by calling Miss Dorothy Schupp, at 1023.

The Ashland branch of A. A. U. W. has announced a lecture to be given Friday afternoon, March 20, in the ballroom of the Lithia hotel in Ashland. Members of the Klamath chapter have been invited to attend this lecture, which will be presented by Dr. Jiro Harada, internationally known authority on Oriental art.

Several of the local group are planning to motor to Ashland for the event.

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS TO MEET ON TUESDAY.

Mrs. Marie O'Callaghan will present an interesting discussion on "Personnel in Public Service," before the Klamath Falls League of Women Voters, Tuesday morning at 11:00 o'clock in the club rooms of the city library.

Several of the local group are planning to motor to Ashland for the event.

Members of the league are asked to return their signed personnel cards at the Tuesday meeting.

MEMBERS OF TOWN CLUB PLAN ST. PATRICK'S DANCE.

Special music, emerald green decorations and clever favors will be featured at the St. Patrick's Day dinner and dance to be enjoyed Tuesday evening by members of the Town club and their guests.

Reservations for dinner may also be made by non-members of the club, according to an announcement from the management. About fifty reservations have already been made, and a gala evening is planned by the popular club.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Risteigen of the Town club entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hardin C. Blackmer and Mrs. Cora Graden of Portland, week-end guests of her sister, Mrs. Risteigen.

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