

Talks From Home All Over The World

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Plans Being Made For Cabaret Dance

Every once in a while those of them coming these days over the world and at places they had never heard of before were shipped out.

Ensign Stuart Nelson, (Mrs. Johnson now of Salem), writes that he left his carrier in the China sea and was in a smaller boat when he passed a liberty party on another ship. Standing up in the middle of the small craft as a tall, blonde boy, white cap and a far back on his head. He was yelling:

"I'm from Klamath Falls, Oregon, and I can lick anybody in the boat." He was repeating this Nelson's boat moved out of the harbor. Stuart writes that Ernie of "Brave Men" fame, is on his carrier apparently to cover a war in the Pacific after his stint over in the European theater.

Lt. Don Kirkpatrick, home from England, ran into Lt. George Epperson a few days ago going overseas but outside of George and a number of men with whom he trained, that was only home-town face he saw. Danny Peck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peck, wrote home to tell his folks that he was "that evening" to the Red Cross headquarters in the Alsace district of France to see a girl from Klamath Falls who was stationed there with the Red Cross. The girl is Mary Jane Jenkins and her Red Cross outfit is attached to the 14th armored division.

Lt. Tommy Radcliffe also had reunion overseas when he got three-day leave from his artillery outfit and went to Paris to enjoy a visit with Martha Jones, formerly of this city and now serving with the Wac in Paris. Martha made her home at the Heber Radcliffe's while here with St. Paul's church as USO worker.

Folks are looking forward to visit next week from Major and Mrs. Denton J. Bees and their young son, Denton Johnson. Denny was recently upped in rank following his return to the United States after release from Cabanatuan. One of the great stories of the war.

Also home is Marine Lt. William Hopper who has been flying in the Marshalls. He joined his wife, the former Mary Lou Johnson, at Pomona where she is attending school, and they left this weekend for Portland to visit his mother and sister, Mrs. Percy C. Hopper and Mrs. Herbert Ballin. They should be here next week.

A week ago Mrs. Hugh O'Connor of Merrill brought us a gingerbread house for the children. It is a work of art, even to the old witch in the garden. Children at Riverside were so delighted with the house that it is now making a tour of the city schools and the little folk are hearing again the story of Hansel and Gretel. The gingerbread house, with frosting, candy and cookie trim, was made by a German prisoner of war at Camp White. He must have been a professional baker before going to the Old World and a master craftsman. (L.S.)

Baby Shower

Mrs. R. D. Fuller was hostess for her niece, Mrs. Roger Horendeen on Tuesday evening, March 13, at 8 o'clock. The affair was given at the Fuller home, 1224 Portland, and decorations included bouquets of daffodils and pussy-willows which were arranged about the room.

The shower gifts were presented to the guest of honor by bringing them on a clothes rack which had been covered with pink and white ribbons and decorated with a beribboned stork.

Following the opening of the gifts, a rummy was enjoyed by the guests, with high prize going to Mrs. Bud Brodie and consolation to Mrs. James Dougherty. Guests who enjoyed the evening were Mrs. Arcadie Diment, Mrs. E. B. Morrison, Mrs. E. S. Sheldahl, Mrs. Tom Laird, Mrs. Pete Sale, Mrs. Frank Bogarty, Mrs. Charles Loug, Mrs. Jim Dougherty, Mrs. Bud Brodie, Mrs. Frank Wood, Mrs. John Feback, Mrs. A. Stroude and Mrs. Max Doran.

The husband of the guest of honor is with the U. S. navy, now overseas somewhere in the Pacific.

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Marry at Home

The home of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. White on Johns avenue was the scene of a beautifully simple candlelight ceremony when Betty Golus of San Diego became the bride of Wade Lassiter, SK 1/c, US navy, on Saturday evening, March 17, at 8 o'clock.

The double ring ceremony was performed before a bay window arch which was decorated with green huckleberry and white satin bows, and flanked on either side with tall white tapers. Chaplain Jones of the Klamath naval air station officiated, and I. W. White gave the bride in marriage.

For the wedding, Mrs. Lassiter chose a pale blue jersey dress with white accessories, and wore a corsage of gardenias and rosebuds.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony with an arrangement of pink and white carnations centering the table. The tiered wedding cake was cut by the young couple and served by Mrs. Harvey Lumsden and Mrs. Spencer Risener. The groom's cake, which was a gift to the couple from Mrs. L. J. Brink, was passed in a silver basket by Muriel White. Mrs. Clifford Kelly and Margaret White of Prineville assisted about the rooms.

The groom is a veteran of several naval engagements, and at present is attached to the naval air base here. He has purchased land in the Henry district, and the young couple plan to reside permanently in Klamath Falls.

Soroptimists

In the first of a series of papers on Canada, Mrs. Coral Sabo told the Soroptimist club at its Wednesday meeting an interesting story of the third largest country in the world, describing its geographical and political divisions. The Allegheny mountains in the east and the Rocky mountains in the west form the natural barriers that determine a difference in industry and the life of the people. The largest manufacturing centers are in eastern Canada, and there also is located the French dominated province of Quebec, she stated.

The central portion is given over to the raising of wheat, and the chief interest of the west coast is forest products. In the little known North country, the background of mysterious and romantic tales, has been found oil, pitch blends, and many other rare minerals. There, too, is found the oldest rock formations on the earth, as well as the newest formation, tundra.

The vast country, linked together by the third largest railway system in the world, and with 75 per cent of its population near the border of the United States, has developed many characteristics of our country and shares many of our interests. The relations between Canada and the United States and the powerful nations can live together in peace and harmony, said Mrs. Sabo.

The Business and Professional Women's club and the Soroptimist club have been appointed to sponsor the Seventh War Loan drive, and have chosen State Representative Rose M. Poole as chairman.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Verne S. McClellan of 919 High street have announced the engagement of their daughter, Patricia, to Staff Sergeant George Demetrakos, army air corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Demetrakos of 2137 Main street.

Staff Sergeant Demetrakos is home on a 30-day furlough, after spending eight months in England as the tall turret gunner on a Liberator bomber.

The bride-elect is a student at Klamath Union high school, and is to graduate in June with the class of 1945.

No wedding date has been set by the young couple.

Junior Hostesses Dance Monday

The Tululake Guardsmen furnished the music for a dance which was given as a farewell party for a battalion leaving Camp White. The affair was an event of Monday, March 19, and a number of USO Junior Hostesses were taken to Tululake as partners at the dance. Hostesses were also furnished by the Waves at the Klamath naval air station, as well as girls from Thurston.

There is to be a dance for the Waves from the local air station at Reames Golf and Country club on Tuesday, April 17. Dancing will be enjoyed from 10:30 to 11:30 and the Chicago orchestra, will furnish the music. The Waves are to invite their own escorts for this dance, which is being sponsored by the USO, and it will be a program chair. Alice Bishop, a member of the Waves, is in charge of the arrangements.

A USO monthly magazine has been planned, and it is hoped to have the first edition published during the first part of April. The staff in charge of

publication meets every Friday, and Mrs. Otto Ellis, Senior Hostess, and Edna Linder, Junior Hostess, are in charge of the "gossip column." Mrs. Conrad is taking care of the "Snackbar Snatches" and Anna Dirksmeier, National Catholic Community Service representative, is handling the activities of the Waves and special programs. Marilyn Bloomberg, a service wife, is in charge of the wives' program, and all arrangements concerning general information and all hostess announcements will be in the hands of Alice Miles.



KAREN AND KAY were the names chosen for the five-month-old twin daughters, born November 3, to Lt. and Mrs. J. M. (Pete) Pritchard. Mrs. Pritchard, the former Francis Moorman of Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, is making her home with her parents at Fresno, California, while her husband is serving with the army air corps in the Philippines. Karen and Kay are the first grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pritchard of this city.

To Entertain

Mrs. Harry Richardson will be hostess Tuesday afternoon, March 27, to the Happy Hour club at her home on South Riverside.

At the club's last meeting on March 13, Mrs. R. G. Moteschbacher presided as hostess at her home on Walnut when, besides the members, she entertained three guests—Mrs. Paul Keller, Mrs. Levi McDonald and Mrs. Len Royce.

Members present included Mrs. George Blehn, Mrs. Frank Evans, Mrs. Sydney Evans, Mrs. Anna Pank, Mrs. J. H. Hamilton, Mrs. C. C. Heidrich, Mrs. Maud Hosley, Mrs. George Humphrey, Mrs. Jennie Hurn, Mrs. H. E. Jones, Mrs. J. J. Keller, Mrs. Harry Richardson, Mrs. Carl Sandell, Mrs. H. J. Savidge, Mrs. W. J. Steinmetz and the hostess.

NOW Club

The Navy Officers Wives club met at the BOQ of the Klamath naval air station on Wednesday, March 21. Cards and bingo followed the regular business meeting, with high score for bingo going to Mrs. R. R. Darron and high prize in bridge to Mrs. George Stauffer. Plans are underway for the spring dance which will be held during the first of April.

The next regular meeting and card party of the NOW club will be held at the BOQ at 2 o'clock on April 5, and all members and guests are cordially invited.

Birthday Party

Walter Beane was the guest of honor at a birthday party on Friday, March 16, when Mrs. Beane entertained a few friends at their home on Pacific Terrace.

Bridge was played during the evening with high score going to Barbara Beane and Ed Ostendorf. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Merle West, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Igl, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanly, Ed Ostendorf, Barbara Beane, the honor guest and the hostess.

Aloha Chapter

Aloha chapter, number 61, Order of Eastern Star, will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday evening, March 27, at 8 o'clock. After the initiation of candidates and other business, a social hour with refreshments will follow. Sallie Wood, worthy matron, and Arthur Dickson, worthy patron, extend an invitation to all members and visiting members to attend.

Daffodil Dance Slated Tonight

The annual "Daffodil" dance of the Winter Dancing club will be given Saturday evening, tonight, at Reames Golf and Country club.

In keeping with the war-time ruling of midnight closing, cocktails will be served at 8 o'clock, with music for dancing at 8:30 o'clock. And everything will stop at 11:30 with a number of parties planned later in private homes.

Members of the committee are those who have served as the executive group for Winter Dancing club, including Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kinderdick, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Colvin, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Becar, Mr. and Mrs. Henri Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Conroy who are coming over from Lakeview, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gardner, spending the weekend here from their new home in Medford.

This "Daffodil" dance is the last of a series of parties arranged by the club.

Service Wives

A Service Wives club has been organized at the USO, and meetings are held every Monday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. at the USO center. All wives of servicemen are cordially invited to attend the next meeting which will be held on Monday, March 26.

An evening group is also being planned for those wives whose husbands are overseas, or those who work during the day, and have only their evenings free. This group plans to meet Monday night at 8 o'clock at the center, and will be primarily a social group to play cards and plan parties. The afternoon group will deal with matters of a more serious nature, including making of scrapbooks, publishing the monthly USO paper, and participating in arts and crafts of various types.

Stork Shower

Mrs. Charles Seadey was the guest of honor at a stork shower which was given by Mrs. James Cronin at her home on 1928 Portland on Tuesday evening, March 13, at 8 o'clock.

Decorations for the affair included a large stork in the center of the room, and bouquets of daffodils and violets were arranged in vases that carried out the idea of the shower. A table of bridge and one of rummy were in play during the evening, and the centerpieces were crystal bowls in which lighted candles and gardenias were floated.

Mrs. Jack McGuire was awarded high score for rummy, and Mrs. George Bratton Jr., won the high prize in bridge. Other guests at the affair included Mrs. Jack Watson, Mrs. Norman Moty, Mrs. James Hurlihy and Mrs. John Maguire.

Anniversary

In honor of their twenty-fifth silver wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beane entertained with a party on Monday, March 19. Cocktails were served at their home on Pacific Terrace, after which the guests enjoyed dinner and dancing at Lakeshore Inn.

The Beanes were presented with a lovely basket of flowers from the group, as well as several lovely pieces of silver. Those who were invited to the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Ellingson Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hout, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Drake, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wiesendanger, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Landry, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Albrecht, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stolselner, Mrs. Stanley Sinclair, Ed Ostendorf, Barbara Beane and the host and hostess.

Plans are being made for a cabaret dance to be held at the BOQ of the Marine Barracks on Saturday, March 31. Entertainment will be provided during the entire evening, and tickets are on sale at the BOQ. All interested are asked to make their reservations early.

Mrs. L. T. Coggeshall, Mrs. Stephen Kaspar and Mrs. J. W. Haviland were hostesses at a tea which was given in honor of Mrs. Mitchell Paige on Friday, March 23, in quarters 8. The lace-covered tea table was centered with an arrangement of spring flowers, and a wedding cake. Mrs. George O. Van Orden and Lt. (jg) Catherine Harkins presided at the silver tea service, and Mrs. Paige was presented with a lovely corsage from the hostesses.

ANW Club

Mrs. W. P. McMillan of 217 Pine street, entertained for the pleasure of members of the Art Needle Work club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. McMillan was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Y. Brewbaker, Kelli Kaylor, five years old, and great grandson of the hostess, was also present.

This will probably be the last gathering of the club at this well-built, well-preserved, and close-in home, built by the McMillans in the early 1900s, for Mrs. McMillan is offering the place for sale. The First Presbyterian church in Klamath Falls stood for many years on the lot adjoining the McMillan property (now the R. E. Wattenburg home), and early day members of this church will recall that Mrs. McMillan was handy for the needs of the church, such as borrowing matches, cooking utensils, or anything necessary in carrying out church activities, even to connecting with her electric current in order to put on a picture show.

Mrs. McMillan recalled that the last mentioned performance blew out the fuse in her home, left her in darkness, and considerably exasperated in spirit. Mrs. McMillan will continue to live in Klamath Falls where her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren live, but will find a smaller place better suited to her present needs.

On Wednesday, April 4, Mrs. J. J. Parker, 803 Lincoln, will entertain the club.

Shower Given

Mrs. Robert A. Jones, the former Irene Jackson, was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous bridal shower which was given at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Carl L. Jones of 2531 Gettle street, on Tuesday, March 13. Mrs. Jones was married at St. Louis, Missouri on February 13, and is making her home in Klamath Falls, while her husband is on duty at the Klamath naval air station.

Two figures of a bride and bridesmaid were placed before the fireplace. A buffet supper was served from a beautifully decorated table, centered with a wedding cake in honor of the recent bride.

Bunco was played during the evening, with prizes going to Mrs. S. R. Balsiger, Mrs. E. Lee, Mrs. G. Collins and Mrs. Sally Allen.

Other guests present were Phyllis Hutchins, Leora Kalkman, Mary Peterson, Mrs. Bob Maars, Mrs. Bob Lusk, Mrs. G. Bellant, Mrs. H. Frei, Mrs. Coddington and Mrs. Hoffman, grandmother of the bride who is visiting here from Long Beach, California.

Dinner Party

In honor of Staff Sergeant George Demetrakos, whose engagement to Patricia McClellan was announced recently, Mrs. James Robinson and Mrs. Verne McClellan entertained with a dinner party at the McClellan home at 919 Pine on Sunday evening, March 18.

Guests at the affair included George Demetrakos, the guest of honor, Patricia McClellan, the bride-elect, Mrs. Inez Pinkston, Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Verne McClellan, Christine Demetrakos, Dale Druhman and Mrs. Otis W. Gray.

Officers Wives

The Officers Wives club at the Marine Barracks will sponsor a cabaret supper dance to be held at the bachelor officers' quarters at the Barracks on Saturday evening, March 31. Tickets are now on sale, and as the number of reservations is strictly limited, all officers' wives should remind their husbands to see Captain Byrne as soon as possible.

Because of the expected visit of General Julian Smith, U. S. marine corps, the Post Production group will not meet at the BOQ on Tuesday, March 27.

Birthday Celebrated With Skating Party

In order to help celebrate her sixteenth birthday on Sunday, March 18, Jean Hilton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James M. Hilton of 435 Hillside, invited a group of her friends to a party at Poole's Roller-drome. Skating and refreshments were enjoyed from eight until ten.

The guests included Mary O'Brien, Jody Bennet, Ruth Landry, Mary Ann Mills, Connie Hunt, Joyce Sample, Marilyn McClellan, Yvette Sweet, Marilyn Natchocot, Norma Smith, Mary Ann Sexton, Margaret Bullard, Anna Johnson, Lynden King, Betty Lou Claig, Dorothy Collier, Larry Klahn, Dick Yates, Jack Eittrheim, Wesley Robinson, Phillip McGilvary, Charles Martin, Gene Peyton, Wright Carlton, Bob Mocabee, John Lathrop, George Olson, Bud Selby, Sonny Bussman and the hostess, Jean Hilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred D. Collier and Mr. and Mrs. Paul O. Landry assisted.

Major and Mrs. Goodwin L. Luck were receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born March 10. Betty Elise was the name chosen for the little girl who weighed six pounds and ten ounces at birth.

Dr. and Mrs. Andrew Gnocchio entertained with a dinner in honor of Dr. M. J. Wrigley on Tuesday evening at their home on Laguna street. Those helping to celebrate the occasion were Cmdr. and Mrs. Stephen Kaspar, Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. J. M. Babcock and Mrs. M. J. Wrigley.

The St. Patrick's Day party at the BOQ on Saturday evening was a tremendous success. Dr. Andrew Gnocchio was the master of ceremonies, and the floor show consisted of several skills pertaining to St. Patrick's Day. Those taking part in the entertainment were Dr. and Mrs. Gnocchio, Dr. and Mrs. Wrigley, Lt. Cmdr. and Mrs. Babcock, Capt. and Mrs. Putt and Lt. Gorman.

At midnight, a delightful buffet supper was served. The lounge was decorated in green and white, and each guest was presented with a shamrock. Mrs. D. V. Anderson and Dr. O. R. Scott won the special prizes of the evening.

Capt. Frederick G. Lewis was in Portland last week on a business trip. Mrs. Lewis accompanied her husband to the northern city, and visited with friends there.

Members of the Venture club were guests at a lovely dinner served by Ida Momyer Odell, Gertrude Moore and Rita Whisenant at the Whisenant residence on Tuesday, March 9. Flower-shaped candles in spring pastels and a corsage of violets which marked each place, delighted the guests with their hint of spring.

Following the dinner and a short business meeting, Mrs. Donald F. McKay, president of the League of Women Voters, gave an enlightening talk on the Dumbarton Oaks proposals.

Hereafter, the Soroptimist club will entertain at the regular social meetings of the Venture club. An invitation has also been extended for the president and a member of the Venture club to be guests at the Soroptimist luncheon each week.

The next social meeting will be held on April 17, at which time either Mrs. Frank Adams of Merrill or Mrs. Rose M. Poole of 400 Conger will entertain the club.

Couple Marry

Patricia Murphy, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl O. Murphy of 2449 White, became the bride of Corporal Robert E. Hazlip, U. S. marine corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hazlip of Lakeview, Florida, at an evening ceremony which took place at the First Methodist church on Wednesday, March 14. The Reverend Victor Phillips officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a grey tullewed suit with blue accessories, and a corsage of gardenias and rosebuds was pinned to her shoulder.

Marjorie Ongman was the maid of honor, and wore a gold suit with brown accessories and a corsage of talisman rosebuds. Sergeant Paul Fredricks, USMC stood as best man for the groom.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents immediately following the ceremony. The young couple plan to make their home in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania where Corporal Hazlip is now stationed.

Ten Years Old

On March 20, Diane Olden Burg, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ray W. Oldenburg, will celebrate her tenth birthday, and a group of her young friends have been invited to her home on Pacific Terrace for ice cream and cake after school.

Those who have been invited for the occasion are Jean Adams Lugo, Coleman, Mary Hooker, Margu Lisbony, Janice Larson, Alice Geary, Joanne Miller, Jon Stahl and Barbara Babcock.



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT PERKINS were married on Friday, January 26, at Reno, Nevada, and are now living in Klamath Falls for the present time. The groom was captain of the football team at Klamath Union high school for the 1944 season.

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