

# Wedding Vows Exchanged Sunday

A lovely bride of Sunday, December 2, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, was Charlotte Elizabeth Wales, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Wales of this city, who exchanged vows with Lt. Ralph Laurance Worstell, United States army, in the First Methodist church. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Worstell of Squamish, Washington.

The Rev. Victor Phillips read the double ring ceremony as the young couple stood before a banked altar of white chrysanthemums and tall palms.

The white candles were lighted by Robert J. O'Sullivan and Lt. Elwayne Lieuallen, USNR, who served as ushers.

Before the ceremony Mrs. John O'Connor played the "Londonderry Air," Schubert's "Ave Maria" and "Lullaby" by Iljinsky. She also played the traditional wedding marches, "Patriotic" by Brown and "A Dawning" and "Call Me Thine Own," which were also sung at the wedding of the bride's sister, and at the wedding of the bride's parents.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown designed with a high round neck line on a long white satin torso bodice with a ruffle of wide lace around the yolk and with finger tip sleeves pointed at the wrist. The bouffant skirt and long train were of white silk marquisette. The bride's veil was of finger tip length illusion net falling from a cap held in place with orange blossoms. She carried a white prayer book with a single purple orchid and white bouvardia with long white ribbon streamers. For the "something blue" she wore the traditional blue satin garter. The "something old" was her veil which was worn by Mrs. John Ashbaugh at her wedding. The "something new" was a turquoise matrix ring which belonged to the bride's mother, and the "something borrowed" was the wedding gown.

Mrs. John Ashbaugh of Portland was the matron of honor. Her gown was of blush pink silk chiffon with long full sleeves caught in a narrow band at the wrists and with a velvet collar. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Thomas of Portland and June Michelson of Klamath Falls. They wore matching dresses of shell pink silk chiffon with short puffed sleeves and sweetheart necklines. All three attendants wore headpieces of pink net held in place with pink carnations. Their flowers were nosegays of old fashioned flowers with ribbon streamers.

Charles Bailey was best man. Following the ceremony the wedding party greeted the guests at a reception held in the church parlors. The young couple cut their white tiered cake which was wreathed with holly and fern. Mrs. Elwayne Lieuallen served and presiding at the coffee urn were Mrs. Carl Michelson and Mrs. Guy Merrill. Patty Schupp, Betty Merrill and Virginia Tyrrell assisted. Louise Barnhart passed dream cakes.

Mrs. Wales, mother of the bride, wore a fuchsia frock and small hat of roses in shades of blue with matching three-quarter length gloves. Mrs. Worstell, mother of the groom, wore a blue crepe frock with a small black hat and matching three-quarter length gloves. Both wore white gardenias pinned at the shoulder.

The new Mrs. Worstell wore a black suit for her traveling costume with a black top coat and matching hat. She wore her orchid at her shoulder. Her only ornaments were a lapel pin and bracelet of topaz, a gift of the groom. The couple spent their honeymoon at Dorchester House on the Oregon coast. Lt. Worstell, who plans to stay in the army for the present, reports to Seattle from which place he will be assigned to permanent duty.

Mrs. Worstell is a graduate of Oregon State college and is a member of Sigma Kappa sorority. Lt. Worstell also attended Oregon State college. He has recently returned from three years' service in the European theater where he was commanding officer in a truck company in the quartermaster corps.

Among the out-of-town guests for the wedding, besides the groom's parents, were Lt. and Mrs. Elwayne Lieuallen, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Launer and Mrs. Guy Shorey. Mr. and Mrs. Launer and Mr. and Mrs. Shorey are relatives of the groom.

**PEO Visitor**  
Mrs. Ovela Barnes of Portland, organizer for the state of Oregon of PEO Sisterhood, will be the guest of the Klamath Falls chapters Monday.

Mrs. Barnes will be honored at a luncheon at 12 o'clock noon at the Pelican party room when members of Chapter U meet and the organizer will inspect the chapter at that time. In the evening, Chapter AU will meet with Mrs. N. B. Drow at which time Mrs. Barnes will also be a guest.

**AAUW Party**  
Klamath chapter, American Association of University Women, will have the annual Christmas party Tuesday evening, December 18, when members gather for a dinner party and gift exchange at the Pelican party room.

Mrs. John Merryman, who is social chairman of AAUW this year, is making plans for the affair.

Mrs. Jacob Held, mother of Mrs. Charlotte W. Hornbrook of this city, will spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Cowling of Metropolis, Illinois. Mrs. Held has also visited at her former home in Cairo, Ill.

## Visitors

Wives of members of the board of governors, Oregon State Bar, were complimented at a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Pelican today followed by a tour of the Marine Barracks and a tea arranged at the home of Mrs. U. S. Balentine, 1904 Huron.

Also invited for tea were wives of the members of the Klamath County Bar association. Pouring was Mrs. Lamar Townsend and assisting were Mrs. Clayton Burrell who has come here recently with Mr. Burrell from Ann Arbor, Michigan, and Nancy Ann Balentine.

The tea table was centered with a huge Christmas candle surrounded by greens and holly. The same decorations were used on the mantle.

This evening the visitors were to be honored with a cocktail hour at 6 o'clock followed by dinner at 7 o'clock at the Willard hotel.

## November Tea

The Pelican party room was the scene of a tea given Wednesday, November 28, when Mrs. Richard B. Maxwell entertained for her mother, Mrs. Claude Rooksberry of Rockville, Indiana.

Fifty guests called during tea hours. Pouring at the table, which was centered with an arrangement of yellow and white chrysanthemums, were Mrs. Andrew Honzel and Mrs. Paul Farrens.

Mrs. Rooksberry is remaining at the Maxwell home over the holidays.

## Buffet Supper

A group of the younger set will gather at the Alfred Collier home on Pacific Terrace this evening at the first of the holiday parties. Hostesses at 7 o'clock buffet supper will be Mary Ann Mills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Frank Mills, and Dorothy Collier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Collier.

Following supper there will be a scavenger hunt and the guests will then return for games and dancing.

## Swim Party

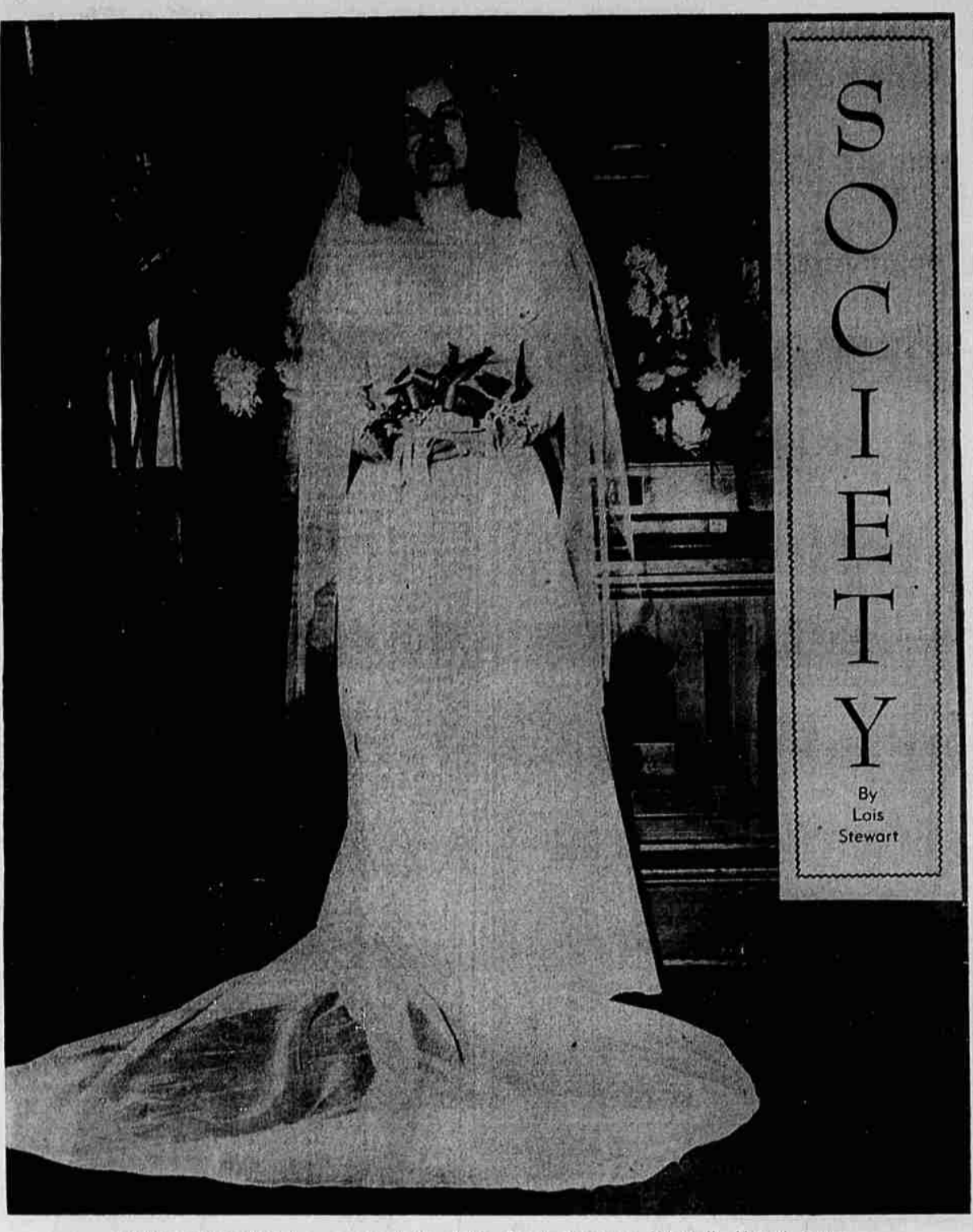
A swimming party was the feature of the evening for the intermediate boys and girls group of the First Presbyterian church when they were the guests of Chaplain Graham Gilmer of the Marine Barracks at the barrack's swimming pool.

Approximately 25 youngsters attended the affair.

## Invitations

Invitations were received this week to the wedding of Dorothy Marie Lesmeister, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Lesmeister, which will take place Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, December 15, at St. John's cathedral, Fresno, Calif.

Miss Lesmeister will become the bride of Leo Paul Garabedian. The family lived here for many years before Mr. and Mrs. Lesmeister moved to Brookings.



CHARLOTTE WALES became the bride of Lt. Ralph Laurance Worstell, United States army, in a ceremony read at the First Methodist church Sunday, December 2.

SOCIETY  
By Lois Stewart

# Christmas Tea Is Event Of Friday

A charming affair of Friday afternoon at the Pelican party room was the Christmas tea given from 3 to 5 o'clock when Mrs. Franklin L. Weaver and Mrs. Jacques J. Steiger entertained a group of friends.

The party room was gay with holiday greens and the tea table was especially attractive, centered with Christmas ornaments, holly and other festive decorations. Tall red candles burned throughout the afternoon.

## Silver Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley D. McNece entertained at a small reception given at their home, 1923 Auburn, Tuesday evening, December 4, the occasion being their silver wedding anniversary.

About 35 guests called during the evening and there were many gifts of flowers sent to the couple on their 25th wedding date.

Joe Kennedy greeted guests at the door, Mrs. Ivy Propat presided at the coffee urn, and after the decorated cake was cut by Mr. and Mrs. McNece, Mrs. Kennedy served the confection. The guests signed a book.

The McNeeces hope to have their only son, Wesley Jr., home by the holiday season as it is thought he has now left Japan where he has been on duty with army intelligence.

## Tea At USO

Mrs. Robert Glasgow, who for the past four months has been director of the Klamath Falls USO, was honored on Sunday, December 2, at a tea given by the Junior and Senior Hostesses at the USO center. Mrs. Glasgow, with her husband and daughter, plans to go to New York where Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow will attend Columbia university.

The Hostesses presented her with gifts of appreciation. They also gave her a corsage of gardenias and bouvardia.

The table was decorated with a glass tree and two silver peacocks. Pat Hudson, president of the Junior Hostesses, poured.

## Wednesday Club

A clever wedding party was arranged by the hostesses for Wednesday club this past Wednesday evening at St. Paul's Episcopal church and following a marriage skit, cards and dessert were enjoyed.

In bridge high score went to Mrs. Homer J. Ellis, second to Mrs. E. B. Goeckner, and in pinocle, honors went to Mrs. W. R. Elliott.

During the evening officers for the coming year were elected. Named as president was Mrs. Donald F. McKay; vice president, Mrs. George Filcraft, and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Roy Whytal.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. E. W. Engstrom, Mrs. Ray Cowles, Mrs. J. R. McMillan and Mrs. Arthur L. Moore.

The last meeting of the year will be the Christmas party on December 19, when Mrs. C. M. Lolocma, Mrs. J. F. Clark, Mrs. Kenneth Lambie and Mrs. Karl H. Nelson will be hostesses at this gala affair.

## Nile Club

The Klamath Falls Nile club held its regular monthly luncheon Wednesday, December 5, in the Pelican party room.

Hostesses were Mrs. Charles Martin, Mrs. Clarence Underwood, Mrs. H. A. Nitschelm and Mrs. William Anderson.

Three new members, Mrs. Calvin Hunt, Mrs. Clifford Voight and Mrs. Wesley McNece, were welcomed and each presented with a corsage.

The club president, Mrs. Walter Brown, presided over a short business meeting, during which the club voted to help the Shrine association sell tickets for the George Hopkins concert, with proceeds to go to the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children.

Mrs. Brown also appointed Mrs. Lawrence Bertram as chairman of the committee in charge of the Christmas party. The date of the party will be announced later.

Several members of the organization are planning to attend the Nile ceremonial to be held Saturday afternoon, December 8, in the Masonic temple at Medford.

Major and Mrs. Ralph W. McCulloch arrived here Friday night from Piedmont, California, where Mrs. McCulloch and young Carol have lived since the major went overseas early in the African campaign. They are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ramsby at their home on North Fifth. Major McCulloch is now on terminal leave. He returned from the European theater two weeks ago and after a reunion with his family visited in Portland with his parents.

## Wedding Bells Ring Saturday At Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Shive of 415 Washington street this week announced the marriage of their daughter, Helen Shive Connolly to Mr. Harby Bechen.

The wedding took place Saturday, December 1, at Vancouver, Washington. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bauer of Portland, close friends of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Bechen have returned here and are at the Shive home for the present. Mrs. Bechen is a member of a pioneer Klamath family. Mr. Bechen was recently discharged from the United States army following his return from overseas duty.

## Holiday Lights To Burn At Home

One of the nicest things about the coming holiday season is the anticipation so many Klamath Falls families have—looking forward to returning service men and women gathering around the fireside once more. There will probably be more family reunions this year than in the past five. It's especially wonderful for the parents who have brought their sons in to this office—fathers and mothers who have their boys back after the long years that these men were prisoners of war. This year the lights are on again not only in their homes but in their hearts.

One of these men told us about a Christmas in Japan. They spent the day as usual in the coal mine. But as tired as they were when they came back to their prisoner barracks, they sang carols.

Lt. Col. Harlan J. Bosworth, whose family has lived in Medford for the past year and one-half, is expected home from Europe by Christmas according to messages received from Marie Bosworth.

When a group of Klamath folks drove to Eugene last weekend to see the University of Oregon-Oregon State game, they also enjoyed being guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graham of Eugene who entertained at one of the most elaborate parties of the postwar era. The long buffet table was sumptuously and beautifully decorated. Klamath guests of the Grahams at the Eugene hotel included Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Serruys, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hicks, and also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holmes of Portland, but formerly of our town. The next morning the Oregon State winners entertained the losers at breakfast.

It took boxes and boxes to pack all the things the Ernest Mosers and their daughters, Barbara and Janice, took to Africa for their three-year stay. In fact, there were exactly 100 boxes of things which they shipped overseas. That seems a whale of a lot of stuff to someone who can hardly remember everything to put in an overnight bag. Included in this shipment was a great deal of canned fruits and jams and jellies and things that can't be bought over there.

Mrs. Stanley Staiger received a cable this week from Major Staiger at Shanghai—"home soon." Jolene and young son have been at the Rolland Woodruff home while the major has been in the China-Burma-India theater of operations.

This book by Joel Sayre, "Persian Gulf Command" is quite an eye-opener. The men who served in the PGC, with typical American humor, dubbed it "People Going Crazy." It wasn't the picnic they imagined nor at all like the Arabian Nights description of that part of the world.

When we made an appeal for pie fillings last week, the USO reported a splendid response such as apples, a few jars of excellent mincemeat, squash etc. But with Christmas only a matter of days, it seems that it would be a very nice gesture if every housewife would include a little gift to the snack bar at the USO as part of her holiday donation to happiness.

## Nuptial Date Is Named By Klamath Girl

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Heup of 417 Lincoln announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Genevieve, to John C. Matter of Philadelphia.

The ceremony will be read at 9:30 o'clock, Saturday morning, December 15, at the Sacred Heart church.

Miss Heup is a graduate of Notre Dame in Belmont, California and attended the University of Oregon last year.

Matter was recently discharged from the marine corps and was stationed at the Klamath Falls Marine Barracks.

The young couple will live in Philadelphia.

## SOJOURNERS HOLIDAY PARTY

The annual Christmas party for members of Sojourners will be held at the Willard hotel Wednesday of next week at 1:45 p. m. at which time there will be a gift exchange. The semi-annual installation of officers will also take place at this time.



## Sunday Tea For Mrs. Schroeder

Farewells were said to Mrs. Phil Schroeder who left this week for Brookings, when Mrs. Wyatt Padgett and Mrs. Roy Whytal entertained at the Whytal home on North Third street last Sunday afternoon.

Tea hours were from 3 to 5 o'clock and Mrs. Schroeder and the hostesses greeted the guests. Pouring during the first hour was Mrs. Olive Van Kirk and during the second hour Mrs. James Clark presided at the tea table which was prettily decorated with an arrangement of small chrysanthemums in fall shades.

About 35 guests called during the afternoon. Mrs. Schroeder received many farewell gifts from her friends. She left Friday with her two daughters, Colleen and Collette, when Mr. Schroeder and Phil Edward arrived here to move them to the coast town where so many Klamath folks are now residing. The Schroeders have had a lily farm at Brookings for quite some time. Their many friends regret their departure after 20 years' residence in Klamath Falls.



AN ALL CHOPIN program will be presented by George Hopkins, professor of the school of music, University of Oregon, at the Klamath Union high school auditorium Friday, December 14. The sponsor group is the Klamath Falls Shrine club.

## Buffet Supper

Members of the Fourth degree of the Knights of Columbus entertained at 8 o'clock, Tuesday, December 4, with a buffet supper in the Pelican party room. Approximately 75 members and their wives attended.

The room and table were decorated with bouquets of white carnations and white tapers.

The entertainment included a recitation by Susan Ganes, a piano solo by Elaine Abbott, and songs by Marianne Sexton.

## ANW Meets

Members of the Art Needlework club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. V. Kuykendall, California avenue.

Mrs. Vernon Kuykendall and Mrs. George Ulrich were special guests.

Mrs. R. H. Anderson was elected to membership in the club at this meeting. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, December 19.

Firethorn evergreens and berries were used about the room and at the small tables where Mrs. Kuykendall served at 4 o'clock.

## Bridge Club

Mrs. Lane Warren was hostess to members of her bridge club Friday evening of last week at her home on California avenue.

Dessert was followed by cards with high score held by Mrs. E. Hickman. Others present were Mrs. Paul Angstead, Mrs. Robert Ross, Mrs. Carl Williams, Mrs. A. W. Westover, Mrs. R. P. Ellingson, Mrs. Roy Whitlatch and Mrs. Warren.

## Winter Dancing

Saturday evening, January 12, has been selected as the date for the first of the series of Winter Dancing club parties. They will be held at the Willard hotel this year.

There will be four dances given, the last to be in April instead of March as previously announced. Details will be told later.

## Meet Slated

Aloha chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold a regular meeting Tuesday evening, December 11 at 8 o'clock in the Masonic hall. The annual election of officers will take place at this time.

Alma Cofor grand representative from the grand chapter of Tennessee, will be honored at this meeting. Refreshments will follow the regular business meeting.

Sally Wood is worthy matron and Arthur Dickson, worthy patron.

Friends have received word from Mrs. Frank A. Payne that she has been discharged from the WAC and is now at her home near Aguanga, Calif. Mrs. Payne has been stationed at Fort Mason, Calif., and held the rank of first lieutenant. She is a former member of The Herald-News staff.