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Circle Elects New Officers March 22

Mrs. N. E. Compton was elected chairman of the Fidelis Circle of the Methodist church at the regular monthly meeting held in the ladies parlor of the church on March 22. Other officers elected to serve with Mrs. Compton were: Mrs. Abe Hanks, vice chairman; Mrs. William Bachelder, secretary and Mrs. Albert Woodard, treasurer.

Preceding the election of officers a 1:45 dessert was served by hostesses, Mrs. Fred Erwin and Mrs. John Long. Mrs. J. A. Wright presented the program on "Career and Business Women of the Scriptures." Mrs. J. D. Monroe led the responsive reading, and a quiz program was held, being taken from The Methodist Woman magazine.

It was voted to have the annual experience social in April, and Mrs. Wright was appointed captain. Plans were made for the sub-district meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service which will be held March 31, beginning at 10 a.m. A potluck luncheon will be served at noon, followed by a meeting in the afternoon.

BIRTHDAY DINNERS FOR MR. AND MRS. WALTER PECK

On Tuesday of this week Mrs. Sadie Van Schoick entertained at dinner for her daughter, Mrs. Walter Peck, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Other guests were Mrs. Peck's three sisters, Mrs. Frank Hills of Eugene and her two grandsons, Jimmy and Gary Jensen of Forest Grove, Mrs. Corbett Skelly of Eugene and Mrs. Harry Elfving.

In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kelly entertained the Pecks at dinner. March 28 was the birthday anniversary of both Mr. and Mrs. Peck.

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STAMP SOCIETY HOLDS MEETING

The South Lane Stamp Society held its regular meeting Tuesday evening at Woody's Glass shop. Fifteen members were present to welcome Ruth DeLong, Lola Bales and Warren Wilson as new members, also William Knodler, a visitor. Three members of the Marcola Stamp club were also visitors—Delores Johnson, Billy Smith and John McGinity.

A report was given by Bill Bladon on the first meeting of the Junior Stamp club.

The regional meeting of the Eugene, Corvallis, Albany and Portland stamp club to be held at the Osburn hotel in Eugene, Sunday, April 2 at 2 p.m. was announced. Following the business meeting a swap session was held.

PAST MATRONS AND PAST PATRONS HONORED

Past matrons and past patrons were honored Friday night at the regular meeting of the Order of Eastern Star with a covered dish dinner preceding the meeting. Approximately 20 past matrons and past patrons were present, and during the meeting were presented with gifts. The hall was beautifully decorated with bouquets of jonquils, forsythia and golden chains.

The officers presented an addendum, "The Golden Chain of Friendship," for the honored members.

Refreshments served by the committee, with Mrs. Warren Hansen as chairman, closed the evening's entertainment.

April 14 will be the next regular meeting with Elkon and Drain chapters as guests.

JR. STAMP CLUB ELECTIONS

The first regular meeting of the Junior Stamp club was held Saturday morning in the basement of the Church of Christ, 6th and Gibbs, under the direction of Bill Bladon and Loren Lind. Seventeen members were present and elected the following officers: Carlton Fick, president; Wesley Naish, vice president; Rosemary Rickard, secretary; Richard Doolittle and Billy Randall as representatives to the Jefferson school.

Bill Bladon gave a short talk on the various types of stamp albums and showed a few examples.

A quiz contest was held with questions on stamps being asked, and all members received prizes which were donated by the sponsoring group, the South Lane Stamp Society.

A stamp exchange was held after the business meeting.

TWO LOCAL GIRLS IN CAPPING EXERCISES

Miss Jane Beidler and Miss Ruth McCall, both of Cottage Grove, were among 16 students to receive their caps at a capping exercise Friday night at the University of Oregon Medical school, department of nursing, which was held in the auditorium of the medical school library. The capping exercise is held at the completion of six months training. A reception followed in the library for the class, relatives and friends.

Attending from Cottage Grove were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beidler, parents of Miss Beidler, Mr. and Mrs. John McCall, parents of Miss McCall, Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews, all of Cottage Grove, and Miss Marjorie Coier, student at Eastern Oregon College of Education, LaGrande. Former residents attending were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leonard and daughters, Irene and Donna of Milwaukie; Mrs. Joel Shekter and Mrs. Harry Irvine, all of Portland.

The Jonkers Diamond



The Jonkers Diamond, third largest in the world, worn by Mrs. E. W. Ware of Community Jewelers. The Jonkers Diamond is valued at over one million dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ware returned from the Five State Jewelers convention recently with many new ideas. There were many interesting speeches including one by Mrs. Gladys Babson Hannaford, lecturer for the DeBeers Consolidated Mines, Ltd. Having returned from South Africa a short time ago, she related her experiences in the diamond mines and described the many processes the diamond goes through from the time it is found to the finished product. One can appreciate the value of his diamond when he realizes that it takes 23 tons of earth on the average to produce 4 1/2 carats of rough diamond which will yield only 1/2 carat as a finished cut stone. Most authorities claim that only one carat of colorless diamond is found in a mass of rock the size of a 6 or 8 room building.

The Jonkers diamond weighed 726.20 carat when found. The finished stone weighs 126.65. The necklace itself is a complete circle of diamonds with the huge Jon-

kers hanging as a pendant. It is owned by Harry Winston.

The fashion highlights noted by Mr. and Mrs. Ware in the way of jewelry for 1950 will be pearls and lots of them styled in the high choker, the rope type and the bib-type for the popular off shoulder neck line dress. Necklaces in gold and silver finish in choker and lariat types along with stone studded neck pieces in colors of all descriptions. On the lapel, the single flower pin will replace the flower on the dress but groups of scatter pins will predominate. They are so popular since they may be worn not only on the dress or suit, but also on cuffs, hats, belts and even gloves. In earrings, the larger they are the more fashionable with the drop type and the large size covering most of the lobe leading the parade. The sleeveless summer dress indicates continuing popularity for wide bracelets and the gadget bracelet. In jewelry, color is the theme for spring.

ANNUAL SPRING FESTIVAL SET FOR APRIL 6

On April 6 at the Springfield Union high school, Lane County's thirty-two home extension units will hold their annual Spring Festival. Registrations will begin at 9:30 a.m. and all unit members invite those interested to join with them.

The theme this year is to be "Denmark" which is the topic of one of the unit lessons this year. The program will feature a travelogue on Denmark and Danish dances in costume. Luncheon will be served in the school cafeteria at noon.

Reservations should be made by April 1st for the luncheon. As last year, members will model dresses made in the better dress workshop the past year.

MOUNT VIEW EXTENSION CLUB HOLDS MEETING

The Mount View Home Extension unit's "Rug Technique Workshop" was held at Mrs. Roy Hand's home March 23.

Members from the Mosby Creek unit and ladies from Silk Creek, besides its own members were in attendance.

Everyone enjoyed the lesson given by Mrs. Hands. Sack lunches and coffee were had at noon.

EGG WITHIN AN EGG

It is no longer a secret what was inside the extra large egg laid by a hen belonging to Mrs. Marion Asbury. The egg weighed one ounce less than a pound, was ten inches long and eight inches around.

Mrs. Asbury promised to let us know the contents when she broke the egg. Much to her surprise she found a complete egg shell and all, inside the large egg which was also complete with white and yolk.

FILM ON CHINA SHOWN AT CHAMBER MEETING

As a feature of the program hour at the fortnightly luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday, the Rev. William Sutterlin, pastor of the First Baptist church here and returned missionary from China showed an interesting film on China. The pictures were taken mostly of the missionary school with which the Rev. Sutterlin was formerly connected and showed the Chinese people at work and play.

Statistical survey shows gains of Protestant churches.

MISS DELLA MAE WELDON RODEO PRINCESS ELECT

Miss Della Mae Weldon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Weldon of Silk Creek is a princess elect for the Shrine dance at the Veterans memorial building in Eugene, which will be given there Friday evening, Miss Weldon was among the five princesses chosen for the affair Friday night and one of the princesses will be chosen queen to represent this section at the annual Shrine Rodeo to be given in Portland. At the Portland rodeo a queen will be selected to represent Oregon at the Madison Square Garden.

Other candidates to vie for the queen honors in addition to Miss Weldon are: Roberta McCullough, Lois Williamson, Sharon Lipsit, and Marjorie Torcillis.

THIRD ADULT UPHOLSTERY CLASS STARTS APRIL 1

The third adult upholstery class will start Saturday, April 1, in the dining room of the Methodist church. The hours will be from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 4 p.m. in addition to upholstery, members may also make draperies and curtains. Those wishing to make draperies should bring a 4x8 foot piece of plywood.

Following the Saturday meeting, the following meetings will be held on Fridays. There is an opening for a few more members, and those interested are to contact Mrs. Francis Trusty at the local high school.

Mrs. Mae Frye of Eugene Vocational school will be the instructor.

MILLS HAVE FIRST GRANDSON

There is rejoicing in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mills on the birth of their first son and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Mills on the birth of their first grandson. A ten pound son, John Gordon was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mills at the Sacred Heart hospital in Eugene March 23rd. The grandchild was the third one for Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Guggisberg, parents of Mrs. Mills and the first grandson for the Karl Mills, parents of Mr. Mills. The Robert Mills have one other child, Elizabeth.

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SHRINE RODEO PLANNED

Portland, March 28—Sixty head of steers never before used in an arena have been purchased in Sweetwater, Texas, to give cowboys a bad time at the second annual Northwest Shrine Rodeo in Portland April 21-29.

Fresh from the plains, these steers won't know the rodeo tricks and they will be trying all sorts of stunts to outwit the competing riders, declared Rodeo Chairman Smokey Stearns.

The Shrine Rodeo, which has been established as the West's big money event of the Spring, will feature three of the West's finest rodeo strings—Harley Tucker of Joseph, Oregon; Max Barbour of Williams, California, and Ring Bros. of Wilbur, Wash.

A western horse show, featuring Arabians, Palominos, Pintos and Quarter Horses will be held in conjunction with the rodeo.

Mail order ticket sale already has opened, with reservations being received by the Northwest Shrine Rodeo at the J. K. Gill Co., Portland.

SALT AIR WRECK

Charles Whipp, Robert Gierau, Edmund Deremer, Chester Vandenberg and Nick Hatch from Coos Bay, Ore. and 8 attended the "Salt Air" Wreck at Coos Bay, Oregon on the 25th of March. The Wreck or initiation was put on by Voltaire #316 of Coos Bay.

Two new members from Lane County, Alden Coppel from Cottage Grove, Conrard Bortz, Lane county service officer of Springfield and 14 other comrades from different places in Oregon were given the full initiation.

The initiatory work was put on by Dr. James Ernest, past officer national; Windy Wilkins, Grand Cheft de Gare du Oregon; Charles Whipp, Grand Cheminot du Oregon and the Cheft de Gare of Voltaire #316 of Coos County. There was a nice parade put on by Voltaire #316 and the visiting Voyagers from different parts of the state, in which the Coos Bay H.S. band took part. The "Wreck" was terminated by a sea-food banquet and entertainment at the American hall.

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