

Kenneth Hickok Is Worshipful Master Of Local AFE²AM



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Kenneth Hickok was installed worshipful master of the Cottage Grove Lodge No. 51, A. F. & A. M., Wednesday evening, Dec. 20, at the Masonic temple. Installed as officers to serve with him for the coming year were: Samuel Veatch, senior warden; Robert Mills, junior warden; Claude Cruse, treasurer; Earl Hill secretary; Marvin Ponton, senior deacon; Earl Wilson, junior deacon; Clarence Cottrill, senior steward; Harold Laird, junior steward; Louis Lemert, tyler; Edwin Hoyt, chaplain; Louis Caldwell, marshal; Percy Malcolm, trustee; and Sherman Godard, historian.

Installing officer was Worth Harvey of Eugene, grand master of Masons of Oregon. Homer Dixon, deputy district grand master of the Grand Lodge of Oregon, was installing master. During the installation the chairs were filled with past masters acting as honorary officers.

There were 20 past masters of Cottage Grove lodge and five visiting past masters present. Among guests were Ralph Roper and William Kirkpatrick of Portland, friends of the incoming master.

The grave presentation was made by Past Master Sherm Godard and a ring was presented to the incoming master in behalf of his family, the presentation being made by Lyman Palmer, deputy grand commander of the Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Oregon.

JANUARY 5 IS CONSTITUTION CLUB
The meeting of the Constitution club has been changed from Jan. 4 to Jan. 5. The meeting has been scheduled for 1:45 in the Masonic temple.

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Christmas Party Entertains Group

Members and families of Rebekah Staff club met Wednesday evening, Dec. 20, in the IOOF hall for the annual Christmas party and gift exchange.

After a 6:30 potluck dinner and gifts had been distributed, a short musical program was enjoyed. Those taking part in the program were Willodene Lyon, playing Christmas selections on the steel guitar; Susan Kenyon, baton twirling exhibition; Sharon Smith, piano selection; Joyce Hounshell, piano; and the final numbers were several selections by Blanche Denker and Arleigh Kenyon with Mrs. Denker playing the steel guitar and Mrs. Kenyon accompanying on the Spanish guitar. These numbers were greatly enjoyed by those present and encores were repeatedly called for.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS ELECT OFFICERS FOR 1951

Tuesday night the Royal Neighbors re-elected several officers for the year 1951 and elected other officers. Those re-elected were: Fern Anderson, oracle; Agnes Henderson, vice oracle; Nellie Blackmore, recorder; Cora Bengor, receiver; Opal Abbott, chancellor; and Mable Funk, marshal. Newly elected officers are: Hazel Welden, inner sentinel; Lillian Stanton, outer sentinel; Anne Gates, manager for one year; and May Tennis, manager for three years; and Maude Funk, musician. Dr. Robert Merrick and Dr. David Morris were elected doctors for the lodge.

The appointive officers will be named later by the oracle. Installation was announced for Jan. 9. Hazel Welden and Agnes Henderson served refreshments at the close of the evening.

PARTY HONORS FRANCES GILL

Mrs. R. L. Sederger entertained members of the Bag-A-Let club Thursday afternoon at a desert course and social afternoon honoring Mrs. Frances Gill, who has been called back into the Army, and will leave Jan. 2 for Fort Lawton. Mrs. Gill was presented with a going away gift from the club.

Guests for the afternoon besides the honor guest were: Messdames Merle Porter, Leo Rickard, George McReynolds, Kenneth Ward, Virgil Lomax, and Richard Thwing.

EASTERN STAR HOLDS BI-MONTHLY MEETING

Regular meeting of Cottage Grove chapter #4, OES was held Thursday evening, Dec. 21, with Aileen Rickard, associate matron, acting as worthy matron and Wolf Allen, worthy patron.

After a short business meeting, refreshments of ice cream and wafers were served by brother members with Kenneth Hickok in charge.

At the close of a short session the annual installation of officers will be held Thursday evening, Jan. 4, at 9:00 o'clock and will be open to the public.

WCTU TO MEET JAN 3

The first meeting of the WCTU for 1951 will be held Wednesday, Jan. 3rd, 2:30 p.m. at the home of Miss Stella Adams, 942 Ash Ave.

We extend a most cordial invitation to you to meet with us, come and bring a friend.

"He that overcometh shall inherit all things." Rev. 21:7.

CHRISTMAS PARTY HELD

The Gowdville club held its annual Christmas gift exchange and party at the home of Florence Walker's on Dec. 20, with 25 adults and five children present. Pie and coffee were served for refreshments at the tea hour.

Couple Plights Troth at Catholic Church; Both to Continue Studies



Walker Church is Scene of Wedding

Miss Lily E. Wright of Saginaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wright of Moorfield, Neb., and David J. Pruitt of Springfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pruitt of Bakersfield, Calif., were married in the Walker Church, Saturday, Dec. 16, at eight o'clock in the evening.

Given in marriage by Grover Collins of Creswell, the bride wore a pink satin ankle-length dress with pearl necklace and carried a white Bible topped by a pink orchid. Her attendants were Miss Ellen Malone of Creswell and Mrs. Edna Collins of Springfield. Levi Carter was best man and Pleg Collins was an usher. Little Ricky Collins carried the ring.

A reception was held after the wedding at the church. The couple will make their home at Springfield where Mr. Pruitt is employed.

George, all of Cottage Grove. Ace Gregg of Yamhill, father of Mrs. Arthur Carlisle, was also a dinner guest. The Earl Rochis and Kenneth Craviness remained for several days' visit.

Leonards Go To Milwaukee

Observing the holiday in Milwaukee with relatives were Mr. and Mrs. J. Brighton Leonard and daughter Kay, who had Christmas dinner with Mr. Leonard's brother, Roy Leonard, and family. Also at the Roy Leonard home for the gathering were the parents of the Leonard men, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Leonard of Oak Grove, another brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leonard and daughter, also of Oak Grove, and brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Selnes and son of Oregon City. While up there the Leonards visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stroup, former residents now living in Portland.

Family Meets in Redwood City

A pre-Christmas family gathering was held last week at Redwood City, Calif., when Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bush and Virgil E. Bush, accompanied by their sister, Mrs. John Bjerke of Roseburg, spent five days with their mother, Mrs. Etta Bush, and brother-in-law and sister, The Rev. and Mrs. L. T. Edwards. They were joined there by another brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bush of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bush at their home for Christmas were: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bush, Noreen and Steve, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bush, Melvin and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bush, Mike and Christie of Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cantonwine and Kenneth Bush of Linfield College and Mrs. Bush's brother, Frank Bukowski.

Two Occasions Observed

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peek entertained Sunday at a combined Christmas and birthday dinner honoring Alta Kelly, whose birthday anniversary was Dec. 24, and George Fox, the 25th. A turkey dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. Alta Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kelly, daughter Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. George Fox, son David of Eugene, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peek.

On Saturday afternoon the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. LaSells Stewart gathered at their home for a buffet luncheon and Christmas observance. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Loren Stewart, children LaSells and Steven of Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Chapman, children Ann, David and Jennie, Mr. and Mrs. Faye Stewart, children Suzanne, Bruce and Mary and Mr. Stewart's sister, Mrs. Evelyn Smith of Eugene.

Hosmans Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hosman entertained during the Christmas holidays for her brother, Gene Ramsey of Merrill, Ore. Present besides the Hosmans and Mr. Ramsey were Mr. and Mrs. Derrill Sarff of Dallas; Lloyd Hosman of San Jose, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Raiser of Cottage Grove.

GUESTS ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Arthur Nerlie entertained guests Sunday and again Christmas day with a dinner. Guests were Mrs. Margaret Hayworth, Mrs. Lula Babb, Mrs. Bessie Lowell and sons Lewis, Millard, Darwin Smith, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Swan Jr. and the Nerlie family.

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Mrs. L. W. Coiner was called to Fullerton, Calif., Wednesday by the death of her father, which occurred there on December 25th.

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Worth Harvey, most worshipful grand master of Oregon, was installing master; J. O. Mortenson was installing marshal and Mrs. R. M. Carpenter, installing musician for the Masons, Mrs. Carl Leabo was installing worthy matron; Mrs. H. W. Taylor, escorting marshal; Mrs. Cora Olson, marshal; Mrs. Louise Land, chaplain and Miss Joyce Everson, installing musician for Eastern Star Chapter.

New officers for the Masons are: R. M. Carpenter, worshipful master; H. H. Brown, senior warden; Marvin Kerr, junior warden; Roy Crawford, senior deacon; Ralph Rogers, junior deacon; L. A. Whitney, secretary; V. W. Johnston, treasurer; William Thomson, senior steward; Harry Cole, junior steward; J. O. Mortenson, chaplain; F. A. Everson, marshal; Bert Thompson, tyler; W. O. Spencer, historian; F. A. Everson, trustee.

Eastern Star officers are Mrs. J. L. Scott, worthy matron; J. L. Scott, worthy patron; Mrs. E. A. Green, associate matron; George Hayes, associate patron; Mrs. W. O. Spencer, secretary; Mrs. V. W. Johnston, treasurer; Mrs. Ralph

Rogers, conductress; Mrs. R. M. Carpenter, associate conductress; Mrs. Esmond Cartwright, chaplain; Mrs. Larry Walsh, Adah; Mrs. Earl Petty, Ruth; Mrs. Marvin Kerr, Esther; Mrs. William Thomson, Martha; Mrs. Elsie Gibson, Electa; Mrs. Barney Boyle, warden; and Ralph Rogers, sentinel.

Mrs. Blanche Herbig, grand representative to the state of New Hampshire, was introduced as was Mrs. Scott's mother, Mrs. Jennie Ivie, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, all of Eugene, and parents of Mrs. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Borchard of Forest Grove.

A past worthy matron's jewel was presented to Mrs. Sherman

Gibson, retiring worthy matron. Beverly Mawson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Mawson presented dance numbers and Miss Joyce Everson played piano selections.

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