

SENTINEL SOCIETY

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Mabel Funk Elected Oracle of R. N. A.

Election of officers of the Royal Neighbors was held Tuesday night for the coming year. At this time, Mabel Funk was elected oracle; Helen Heinrich, vice oracle; Nellie Blackmore, recorder; Cora Berger, receiver; Elsie DeYoung, chancellor; Mae Tennis, marshal; Iona Lusk, inside sentinel; Lillian Stanton, outside sentinel; Mildred Stanley, manager for three years; June Bird, special auditor. The appointive officers will be named later by the oracle.

Fern Anderson, oracle, presided at the meeting. Neighbors Fay McLaughlin, Mable Sowles, Cora Teeters and Emma Trembley were

given grand honors. Nellie Blackmore was appointed to represent the Camp at the hospital meeting on December 18.

A program followed the election of officers and business meeting. A solo, "White Christmas," was sung by Agnes Henderer; readings were by Fern Anderson, Elsie DeYoung and Cora Berger; Christmas pantomime and Christmas carols; solo, "The Lord's Prayer," by Agnes Henderer. The program closed with the group singing "Joy to the World."

The Christmas gift exchange was held and refreshments were served by Mildred Stanley, Anna Gasper, Mabel Funk and Lillian Stanton. Nellie Peterson, a former resident, was a guest.

HILLS ENTERTAIN GUESTS AT DINNER, DECEMBER 9

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hill entertained guests from Eugene Sunday afternoon at dinner and a Christmas gift exchange.

Guests of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Overgard, who recently celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary. The cake for the special occasion was decorated with large poinsettias.

The afternoon was spent visiting. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Koppe and the honored guests.

Elsa and Kenneth Hickok Will Head Eastern Star as New 1952 Officers

A husband and wife team will again head the Order of Eastern Star for the year 1952 as the result of the annual election held Thursday night, December 6. At this time Elsa Hickok was elected worthy matron and Kenneth Hickok, worthy patron.

Other officers elected to serve with the worthy matron and patron were: Margaret Lasater, associate matron; Littleton Lasater, associate patron; Eunice VanDenburg, secretary; Barbara Hill, treasurer; Louise Hansen, conductress; and Genevieve Nelson, associate conductress.

An addendum by this year's officers was presented honoring Aileen Rickard and Edgar Rickard, outgoing worthy matron and worthy patron. They were presented with a gift from the officers. During the addendum the Rickards had the seat of honor which was an old fashioned wagon seat provided for the occasion, and which added to the theme of the year of honoring pioneers, this being the 100th anniversary year

of the Star. The hall was beautifully decorated with ivy and fall flowers. Miniature covered wagons added to the decorative note and theme of pioneers. The ladies were dressed in old fashioned white blouses and black skirts.

During the business meeting, members were reminded to bring their gifts for the Masonic home. There are to be unwrapped, and will be wrapped at the home.

Installation of the new officers was announced for December 20. This will be open to the public after the business session.

The evening closed with refreshments served by the committee: Mrs. George Macready, Mrs. George Jacobsen, Mrs. Ronald Gray, Mrs. Ed Decker, Mrs. W. B. Johnston, Mrs. N. J. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Woodard.

Officers Dinner Served

Preceding the election of officers, the worthy matron, Aileen Rickard, and worthy patron Edgar Rickard, entertained their officers with a dinner served at the Presbyterian church, which was followed with the Christmas gift exchange. Each lady was presented a beautiful china cup and saucer, while each man received a crystal ash tray from the worthy Matron and worthy patron.

Wesleyan Guild Has Yule Program

"Christmas Around the World" was the theme of the Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist church Thursday night when the group met in the church parlor. The songs, devotions and program all depicted the Christmas spirit.

Mrs. A. M. Johnson led the devotions reading the Christmas story from the book of Luke. Miss Barbara Laird sang "Little Town of Bethlehem," accompanied by Bob Kelly. Mrs. Mark Morgan presented the lesson on "Christmas Around the World," from the Methodist Woman. This told of the various ways Christmas is observed in the different countries around the world.

During the business meeting, the group voted to help with the purchase of poinsettias to decorate the church at Christmas time. The remainder of the evening was spent in making favors and place cards for the local hospital trays at Christmas time.

Hostesses who served a dessert preceding the meeting were Miss Melissa Clark and Mrs. Albert Adkins.

January 3 will be the next regular meeting.

BIRTHDAY OBSERVED WITH DINNER PARTY

Bonnie Lou White celebrated her 16th birthday anniversary Sunday, December 9, as honor guest at a dinner party given by her mother, Mrs. James White. The Christmas motif was carried out in the decorations. A beautifully decorated birthday cake and miniature gumdrop trees were used as a centerpiece for the table.

After dinner, the group of young people attended a theatre in Eugene. Guests were: Jean Coleman, Bob Magnusson, Gale Chatterton, Kenneth Bush, Dick Smith, Patricia Gaynor of Springfield, Kenneth Cooper and the honor guest, Bonnie White.

Reflections.

Words Stir Emotions

She burns toast, "Wake up," bawls; both are unhappy. Neighbor's son breaks window. "He's destructive," owner scolds. "You're a crab," mother retorts; a spite fence goes up. A customer returns unsatisfactory merchandise. "This is falling apart," she claims. "You abused it," Merchant argues. She's unhappy, tells friends, he goes broke. Words are loaded with power.

He comes home. She greets him affectionately. "I've missed you," He hugs her. "Me too," he whispers with a kiss. The pot of love boils over. The telephone rings. Mother hears, "Long Distance calling," then the voice of her son, "Thinking about you." Two old people sing with joy in their hearts. Serious illness. A life is in the balance. Eyelid flutters, opens. Patient smiles. "Dad" is heard.

Doctor says, "Crisis is past. She'll get well." Words can glow with warmth and love. A political demagogue uses picture words. A thief uses sharp-edged command words. Anger uses searing, burning words. Love uses velvet words. Understanding uses hand-clasp words. Friendship uses magnet words. Which do you use?



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Missionary Society Has Christmas Party

The Christmas spirit was carried out in the program and devotions of the Baptist Missionary Society on December 5 at the home of Mrs. W. C. Martin. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. George Martin and Mrs. Phil Harris.

The business meeting was dispensed with and the Christmas party and gift exchange were held. The Martin home was appropriately decorated in keeping with the season.

It was reported that two boxes of clothing had been sent to Jamaica.

For the program, Mrs. Henry Weeldreyer narrated the Christmas Story while members of the group sang duets of Christmas carols. This was followed by group singing of carols. The devotional program was also interwoven with the Christmas Story.

Refreshments were served following the program. Again the Yuletide season was in evidence with red and green decorations.

SORORITY TO INITIATE

Lambda, Omicron, and Gamma Chapters of Delta Kappa Gamma will have their formal dinner and initiation in the Crystal room of the Osburn hotel on Saturday, December 15, at 6:30 p.m. A Christmas program has been arranged and all members are urged to attend if possible.

Legion, Auxiliary Have Yule Party

Approximately 145 Legion and Auxiliary members and their families gathered in the armory for the annual turkey dinner, Christmas party and program Thursday evening, December 6.

After dinner, a short program was presented and included: piano solo by Ivona Randall; flute solo by Sue Crepeau and a saxophone solo by Billy Coston. A movie, "The Night Before Christmas," was shown, also several short reels and comedies. The projector was loaned by Norman Richards. After all this, Santa Claus stopped to greet the children and give them treats.

Members Visit Eugene

Several Legion and Auxiliary members visited the Eugene organizations Tuesday evening, December 11, in the Veterans Memorial building. Both Eugene groups initiated candidates and served refreshments.

Making the trip from the Cottage Grove units were: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Vinal Randall, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Deremer, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Addy, Charles Whippis, Claude Sherman, Bob Frye and Fritz Bormuth.

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Pink and Blue Shower for Baby

Baby Paula Marie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Miller, was honored with a shower December 4 at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Paul O. Miller. Hostesses were Mrs. Russell McGuire, Mrs. Elizabeth Bussone and Mrs. Miller.

The baby was showered with many dainty articles, and the party closed with refreshments served by the hostesses.

Guests were: Mesdames Curtis Hansen, Mabel Jackson, Jerry Lederer, Dale Harris, Verne Stewart, Dale McGuire, Max McGuire, F. C. Medley, Rodney Safley, Elizabeth Rhode and J. A. Kiker. Mrs. Roy Lyon and Mrs. Wayne Lewman were unable to attend, but sent gifts.

World Friendship Girls Plan Cheer for Family

The World Friendship Girls of the Methodist church met December 6 at the home of Phyllis Perkins on South Sixth street. Several members and the counselor, Mrs. Abe Hanks, were present. President Ida Coston presided over the business meeting at which time it was decided to help some needy family financially this Christmas and to help purchase poinsettias for decorating the church for Christmas.

It was voted to have a Christmas party at the Coston home on December 21 at 7 o'clock. There will be a gift exchange and each member is asked to make a toy for a child's package.

The hostess served Christmas cakes and cocoa at the close of the meeting.

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Snowball Cookies

1. Cut in halves crosswise . . . 18 pitted dates or candied cherries
2. Sift together into bowl . . . 1 cup sifted, all-purpose flour
1/2 cup powdered sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup soft butter
1/2 cup Pet Milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
3. Add, and mix until smooth
4. Add, and mix well . . . 1/2 cup finely cut nuts
5. Flatten about a teaspoon of dough on palm of hand. Place 1/2 date in center of dough. Cover date by pinching dough up around it, and roll in hands to make a ball. Place on lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake in moderate oven (375°) 15 min., or until light brown.
6. Roll warm cookies in . . . 1/2 cup powdered sugar

Makes 3 dozen.

You Will Need:
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