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South Lane Stamp Society Sets Exhibit For April 21, Winner Receives Gold Cup

March 10 Meeting to Feature Stamp Auction; Society Open to Beginners, Advanced Collectors

By Ivan Hoyer

The South Lane Stamp Society met in regular session February 24, and laid plans for the club's annual stamp show to be held April 21 in the Cottage Grove city library clubroom. The winning exhibit of the show is to be awarded the Society's gold cup, which was won in 1954 by Bill Randall.

The exhibit is open to members of the Society, and is confined to the showing of general or specialized stamp collections that have been started by the member within the calendar year 1954. A frame, (regular picture frame), containing four pages of the exhibitors stamps from his own collections, is planned, pages with original designs prepared, and the stamps arranged on the prepared pages by the collector. The originality of arrangement, page design, and historical research of the collection shown is considered by the judges in choosing the winning display. Frames for the exhibits are furnished by the Society. All stamp collectors in the Cottage Grove area desiring to show their collections at the April exhibit

are urged to contact President Joyce Bomar, or Secretary Ivan Hoyer for application blanks for the Society.

Stamp Auction March 10

The March 10 meeting of the South Lane Stamp Society will feature a stamp auction. Envelopes of stamps are prepared and brought to the meetings, where they are auctioned off to the highest bidder. Earnings from the stamp auctions go into the Society's treasury, from which purchases of stamp stock can be made to provide a more varied stamp supply for the members of the Society.

Information has reached the officers of the South Lane Stamp Society that persons desiring to join in the Society's activities have neglected to file applications for membership because it was felt that the Society was open to both the beginner and advanced collector, and that the activities scheduled for the year are geared to meet the needs of collector members in all stages of advancement. The Society is operated on an informal basis, with one regular business meeting, and one stamp exchange meeting scheduled for each month. Definite stamp projects are planned and executed with the cooperation of the entire membership of the Society, and are designed to further the knowledge of stamp collecting, secure reasonably priced stamp materials for the member, and provide a maximum of enjoyment in stamp activities, and social companionship, to be derived from collectors meeting together to discuss the hobby of stamps.

The officers of the South Lane Stamp Society, President Joyce Bomar, Vice - president Horace Hatch, and Secretary Ivan Hoyer, invite every citizen of the community to visit the regularly announced meetings, and to ask any question they wish about stamps and stamp collecting.

Note: This piece was suggested by Mrs. Phyllis Rice, Redondo Beach, Calif.

REFLECTIONS

Part of a Symphony

We've listened to the stirring melody of a symphony; deep vibrant notes of the cello, haunting notes of the big bass violin, the tender, pleading of the violins, whisper of the piccolo, sat enraptured, wondering how so many instruments could blend into such a beautiful musical picture. That picture was made from many related parts, each of which were fit into a plan, then rehearsed, rehearsed and rehearsed to perfection.

We too are building a symphony. We must realize the importance of the little things, the piccolo, of everyday acts; sharing our joy with others, helping one who needs us, keeping our spirits bright and cheerful, giving faith to those who may be discouraged. In so doing we are arranging a beautiful symphony. It's our everyday contribution, rehearsal of the goodness of humanity, that develops the glory of the symphony of life.

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No date has been set for the wedding.

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MR. AND MRS. RAYMOND FUNK announce the engagement of their daughter, Mona, to Marvin D. Rossi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rico Rossi, Kennewick, Wash. The bride-elect is a senior in the local high school, while her fiancé was recently discharged from the Army after 16 months in Korea. A September wedding is being planned.

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New N of W Officers Preside Advance Night

The newly elected officers of the Neighbors of Woodcraft of Cottage Grove met Tuesday night at Advance Night. Visitors were welcomed from Springfield and Creswell.

Grand Representative Liston Darby, Springfield; District Captain of Guards Adelia Hatch; District Magician Harry Allen, Springfield; and District Senior Guardian Hazel Clack, Creswell, were introduced and escorted to the guardian neighbor station and given Circle honors.

During the business meeting, Springfield extended an invitation to Cottage Grove to take part in joint installation in Springfield.

Edna Hawley was elected flag-bearer and representatives were elected for the district meeting to be held in Cottage Grove June 30 and July 1. Those elected were Julia Bartels, Gladys Hatch and Ruby Wall, alternates, Naomi Hill, Doris Tonole and Horace Hatch.

The social meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Teich on March 15 at 8 p.m., with Luella Thrush assisting.

The next meeting will be April 5 in the IOOF hall at 8 p.m. with Ruby Wall and Hazel Morris as hostesses. The February social meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hill with Fannie Leabo assisting.

At the close of the Tuesday evening meeting, refreshments were served by Mary Duffy and Martha Cooley.

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Missionary Group Has Monthly Meet

Woman's Missionary meeting of the Free Methodist Church was held at the home of Mrs. Leonard Ross on February 25, at 1:30 p.m. for the regular monthly meeting. The president, Mrs. Ivan Witte, presided over the meeting. The secretary, Mrs. John Ross, led the devotionals, reading the scripture, and prayer was offered by Mrs. C. F. Overton.

Quite a bit of business was transacted and Mrs. Wayne Cannon put on a demonstration, using pictures to portray her act. Mrs. Belknap was elected publicity agent.

It was voted to furnish refreshments for those who are on the basketball team after they are through with their game. Also it was ordered that refreshments be furnished and a hot dish, for the group of young people who meet on Sunday evening at 5:30 and sing for shut-ins and the regular singings before the evening service, this to be in the church annex.

The service following at 7 p.m. will be in the main building.

On Tuesday morning at 10, March 1, following the prayer service, an all day work day was held with sack lunch at noon. The next regular meeting will be March 10, with Mrs. Farmer as hostess, assisted by cohostess, Mrs. Belknap.

It was voted for all members and friends to send a birthday card and enclose a gift to Mrs. Vera Walters of the Nogales Bible School. Mrs. Walters' birthday is March 7. She and her husband are superintendents of the school, 267 Western Ave., Nogales, Ariz. There will be a regular missionary convention in Salem, March 11, 12 and 13, at the Free Methodist Church, 1230 N. Winter St.

Charter Draped For Hazel Medcalf

At the regular meeting of the local Rebekah lodge February 23, the charter was draped in memory of Hazel Medcalf.

Esther Trunell, Lucille Kenyon and Dorothy Lyon were appointed to committee from the lodge to work with the Centennial committee.

Dorothy Lyon will be assistant advisor for the Theta Rho Girls until July. The Theta Rho convention was announced for March 19 and will be held in Cottage Grove. Ida Taylor and Marie Sorensen will be chairmen for the refreshments for the convention.

The next lodge meeting will be March 9 with Goldie Tru, Melvie St. Elmo and Marie Geer on the refreshment committee.

Refreshments were served at the close of lodge by Helen Kenyon, Grace Kofoid and Blanche Denker.

Regalia Dedication Held By Encampment Auxiliary

Coast Fork Encampment Auxiliary #49 had its new regalia dedicated February 24 preceding the regular business meeting of the Auxiliary. Wilmehala Auxiliary #6 of Eugene presided over the ceremony. Presiding at the beautiful ceremony was Matriarch Velma Stolski, Eugene.

After the dedication ceremony, the business session was held with Chief Matriarch Melvie St. Elmo presiding with Encampment members of both Coast Fork and Wilmehala sitting in.

After conclusion of business and talks from members and visitors, refreshments of cherry pie and coffee were served. About 55 members were present.

The next regular meeting will be March 10.

TUESDAY EVENING CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL DINNER

Members of the Tuesday Evening Study club gathered at the home of Mrs. Charles Hall for their annual dinner. The committee in charge besides Mrs. Hall was Mrs. S. L. Mackin and Mrs. Warren Edwards.

Decorations of red, white and blue were in keeping with Washington's birthday. The evening was spent socially.

EMBLEM CLUB PLANS BANQUET, INSTALLATION

A banquet will be served at the Methodist Church March 12 at 6 p.m. for the newly organized Emblem club (Lady Elks). Anyone interested in being a charter member of the club may contact any of the officers or phone 344 or 887. The new club will be organized and installation of new officers and initiation will be held at this time at the Elks temple.

LADIES AID TO MEET

The Trinity Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, March 3, at the church. Refreshments will be served following the business meeting.



Why art thou cast down, O my soul, and why art thou disquieted in me? Hope thou in God.—(Psalms 42,5.)

All of us have our moments of despondency when it seems easier to sink deeper than to make the effort to pull ourselves up. But God's good and His love are ever present to help and strengthen us, if we will but seek Him in prayer.

Three, Plans Mothers' FOE Auxiliary Initiates Tea; Birthday May 16

By Mrs. Walter N. Dovens

Initiation was held for Georgia McMillan, Mabel Bassett and Daisy Northway at the regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the FOE No. 2091 held on February 21.

The sum of \$30 was turned over to the Polio fund, from the potluck supper February 19. Mildred Powell, drill captain and her team put on a fancy drill for entertainment.

At the next regular meeting, of officers. Serving committee for March 4, there will be nomination March 4 will be Mae Tennis, Esther Gates, Bernice Mathews and Elsie DeYoung.

The Madam State President Mary Capon will make her official visit on March 21.

The H.C.G. club has donated \$250 to both the Polio and Heart Fund. Officers' meeting was held at the home of Nona Kelly on February 24. Plans were made for the Mothers' tea on May 2, and the Auxiliary's 25th birthday on May 16.

The next regular meeting of the H.C.G. club will be held at the home of Bernice Mathews on March 11.

"Competition is solely a contest to develop the most valuable service for the benefit of those served." —Sherman J. Sexton.

Correct your own mistakes by avoiding those of others.

Lorane Rebekahs Hold Meet Monday

By Mrs. R. G. Conner

Phone 140V

Lorane Rebekah Lodge hall was decorated in honor of George Washington last Monday evening for the regular Rebekah meeting. A picture of Washington with a red, white and blue frame and crossed American flags above it was placed in front of the Noble Grand Station and Flags and pussywillows decorated the piano.

In addition to the routine work, more convention plans were discussed. A committee to prepare the convention programs was appointed. Mrs. Bridgie Maley, Mrs. Lloyd Counts and Mrs. Vern Armistage will serve on it.

The seating drill was also practiced.

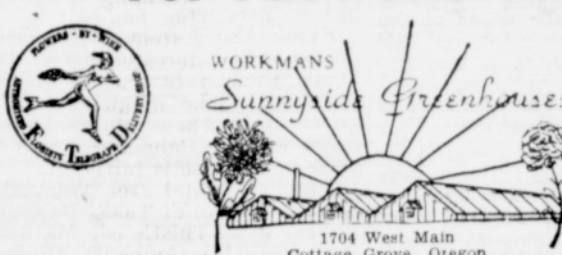
The monthly potluck and birthday exchange were also observed. Celebrating birthdays in February were Mrs. Glen Myers, Mrs. Jack Purdy and Mrs. R. G. Conner.

In the dining room the tables were also decorated with the patriotic theme. Centered with strips of red, white and blue crepe paper, one table held an "Uncle Sam" hat containing a bouquet of flowering quince and pussy willows, and the other table was centered with a cherry tree complete with ripe cherries and small hatchets.

Inquisitive fellows, 15 students at Brown University have formed a society to inquire into "all things." Good hunting, chaps!

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