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Helen Axley Weds Californian In Simple Lenten Wedding Rite

Beautiful in its simplicity was the Lenten season wedding of Miss Helen Axley, daughter of Mrs. Harold Axley and the late Dr. Axley, for many years residents of Cottage Grove, and David Wightman Hewitt Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. Paul's Episcopal church, Salem. Two yases of white carnations and white stock on the altar and many lighted tapers decorated the church.

Mr. Hewitt is the son of Mrs. Samuel Hewitt of Philadelphia, who was present for the ceremony. Wedding music was by Ronald Craven, who sang "The Lord's Prayer" and by Mrs. Craven, who played a program of organ music preceding the ceremony.

Given in marriage by Dr. Robert Merrick of Cottage Grove, the bride wore a dress of ice blue Chantilly lace over satin. It was styled with fitted bodice and long torso, a v-neckline outlined in natural lace scallops, long sleeves of the lace pointed over the wrists, and a ballerina-length bouffant skirt with scalloped hemline. With it she wore a shallow pillbox of ice blue Chantilly lace with pearl trim, holding an ice blue shoulder-length flyaway veil.

"Something old" as part of her bridal costume was her great-grandmother's wedding ring which the bride wore. It was made of the first gold discovered in California. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

Miss Betty Eileen Axley was her sister's only attendant. She wore a princess-line dress of deep violet yarn dye taffeta made with scoop neck, cap sleeves, and tucked effect at front and back to form a flared skirt. She wore a wreath of fresh violets in her hair and carried a nosegay of violets.

Richard W. Lantz of San Francisco was best man. Donald E. Buxton of Seattle ushered.

Mrs. Axley wore a two-piece black lace dress with pink satin cummerbund and corsage of Elfe roses. The bridegroom's mother wore a light blue taffeta dress with corsage of lily-of-the-valley.

The reception following the service was in the parish hall where the bride's table was set with an ice blue cloth on which were purple violets and smile flowers decorated the room.

Mrs. Schofield Stewart, Mrs. John Norwood and Mrs. Claude Cruson, all of Cottage Grove, cut the cake. Mrs. Alice Fisher of Salem and Mrs. W. E. Lebow of Cottage Grove poured and assisted at the reception were Mrs. Wilbur Workman of Cottage Grove, Mrs. Rex Vollstedt (Jeanette Workman) and Mrs. Eugene Richardson (Elizabeth Workman), both of Albany, and Mrs. Earl Ruef of Dallas. Misses Linda and Lanora Barry of Salem, formerly of Cottage Grove, passed guests' cake. Many other Cottage Grove friends were among the guests.

For going away the bride wore a gold and cocoa tie silk dress with gold coat lined with the same fabric as the dress, cocoa hat and accessories. Following a trip to the Oregon coast the couple will be at home in Fresno, Calif., after March 15.

The bride attended Cottage Grove schools and Oregon State college and University of Hawaii.

INA DRAPES CHARTER FOR MRS. ETHEL MORGAN

The charter was draped in honor of Mrs. Ethel Morgan of Drain at a meeting of Royal Neighbors of America Tuesday evening in Eagles hall. Mrs. Jack Henderer, orator, presided.

Mrs. Gladys Pfouts and Mrs. Henderer will attend a luncheon March 13 at Springfield at the home of Ethel Pope. This is to be followed by a meeting of the advisory board to make plans for the district meeting, which will be May 23 at Marcola.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Harry Tennis and Mrs. O. W. Blackmore. A social evening followed.

High School PTA Plans Card Party March 9

Cottage Grove High school PTA will sponsor a card party Friday, March 9, at 8 p.m. in the girls' gym at the high school. Those attending may play whatever game they choose. Admission is 50 cents per person and refreshments will cost an additional 25 cents. The committee asks members and those planning to attend to invite their friends.

before going to San Francisco where she has been employed in the publishing field.

Miss Axley was honored at a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. O. M. Bagley Wednesday, February 22, hostesses being Mrs. Rex Vollstedt and Mrs. Eugene Richardson, both of Albany, and Mrs. Richard Chambers. Gifts were brought in under a lavender and yellow umbrella marked "David and Helen." Dessert napkins were marked with an umbrella.

Corsages were presented to the bride-to-be and her mother, Mrs. Harold Axley, of Salem.

Guests were Mrs. Gordon Neideich, Mrs. Claude Kem, Mrs. C. C. Cruson, Mrs. Schofield Stewart, Mrs. Joe T. Smith, Mrs. Roy Short, Mrs. C. A. Beidler, Mrs. Harry Titus of Eugene, Mrs. A. W. Howell, Mrs. W. E. Lebow, Mrs. Clyde Roberts, Mrs. K. K. Mills, Mrs. W. C. Martin, Mrs. H. W. Lombard, Mrs. O. M. Bagley, Mrs. Cecil Martin, and Mrs. John Norwood.

Unable to attend, but sending gifts, were Mrs. Arthur Hile, Mrs. W. L. Workman, Mrs. Virgil Norwood, Mrs. Frances Nichols, Miss Betty Axley and Mrs. W. L. Workman Jr.



JERRIE CULVEY
Miss Jerrie Culvey Tells Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Culvey of Donora announce the engagement of their daughter, Jerrie, to Kenneth Perini, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Perini of Mt. View. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Culvey is a graduate of Cottage Grove High school with the class of 1954. Her fiancé graduated from Drain High school. She is employed at Petersen's. He is with Rickini Logging company.

Stardusters Invite Square Dancers

The Stardusters regular first-Friday-of-the-month square dance will be held Friday, March 2, at 8 p.m. in the VFW hall. This is an open dance and all square dancers are welcome. Club members are asked to take sandwiches or dessert. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Westfall and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Northway are in charge of serving.

The beginners class, started February 15 is now closed except to those people who already have had some square dancing experience. Anyone who has done a little square dancing and wishes to join this class may call Glen Westfall, president, at 3291 or "Dude" Sibley, caller, at 1215R2.

The Stardusters have been invited to attend the Hayloft Squares jamboree in Roseburg, Sunday afternoon, March 11. Dancing starts at 1 p.m.

Danebo Circle-8 square dance club of Eugene sponsored a jamboree in the Eugene armory Sunday afternoon, February 26, proceeds going to the Children's Hospital fund. The following Stardusters attended: Messrs. and Mrs. Glen Westfall, Wally Morelock, "Dude" Sibley, Norman Abene, Chuck McCoy, Bill Carson, Bob Shupe, Maury Morjan, Nick Nickson, and Gary Garman. "Dude" Sibley was among the callers during the afternoon.

A good intention clothes itself with power.—Emerson.



MR. AND MRS. DAVID WIGHTMAN HEWITT (Helen Margaret Axley) were married Saturday, February 25, in St. Paul's Episcopal church, Salem. Here they are pictured with their bridal attendants at the reception in the parish hall. Left to right, they are: Miss Betty Axley, bridesmaid for her sister; Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt; Donald E. Buxton of Seattle, usher, and Richard W. Lantz of San Francisco, best man.

Elva Mae Thies Weds, Home Is In New Mexico

Miss Elva Mae Thies and James Harold Bishop were united in marriage February 3 in a wedding ceremony performed in the Church of Christ at Truth or Consequences, N. M. Ron Wilkerson officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Amil Thies of this city and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bishop of Truth or Consequences, N. M.

Miss Laurene Miller, formerly of Cottage Grove, was the bride's attendant and Duain Philley of Albuquerque, N. M., served as best man.

The bride wore an aqua linen sheath dress with matching duster. Her flowers were a corsage of pink roses and stephanotis. Miss Miller wore a dusty rose faille dress and corsage of pink and white gladioli.

A wedding breakfast was held in the dining room of a restaurant at Truth or Consequences following the ceremony. Mrs. Pat Bishop served the cake.

The bride is a graduate of Cottage Grove schools and attended Emanuel Hospital school of nursing in Portland. The bridegroom attended schools in New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Bishop are at home in Truth or Consequences after a short wedding trip.



JUANITA ODOM
Miss Juanita Odom Tells Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Odom announce the engagement of their daughter, Juanita, to Sgt. Stenis J. L. Stokes, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stokes. Both families are of Cottage Grove.

Miss Odom is a graduate of the San Francisco Dental Nurses Training school and is employed in a Eugene dental office. Sgt. Stokes is serving in the U. S. Marine Corps and is stationed in Okinawa. Both are graduates of Cottage Grove High school with the class of 1954.

No wedding date has been set.

ESA Chapter Aid Victims of Floods

Beta Zeta chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha met Wednesday, February 22, at the home of Mrs. Lester Gates.

In addition to discussion of the regular contribution to the Children's Hospital school, the chapter also voted to send a donation for flood victims at Yuba City, Calif., through the Epsilon Sigma Alpha chapter there.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Rollin Steen and Miss Dorothy Ames. Next meeting will be March 14 at the City Hall.

TROOP 400 TO HAVE BAKE SALE SATURDAY

Boy Scout Troop 400 will have a bakery sale all day Saturday, March 3, at the Western Auto store to raise funds for their equipment. The troop is sponsored by the grade school PTA. Lester Sine is scoutmaster.



MR. AND MRS. JAMES HAROLD BISHOP (Elva Mae Thies), who were married February 3 in Truth or Consequences, N.M., are at home there. She is the daughter of Amil Thies of Cottage Grove and attended schools here.

Prayer Is Given For Missionaries

Women's Association of the Presbyterian church met in the church parlor Tuesday, February 21, with the president, Mrs. Claude Cruson, presiding. The meeting was opened with the reading of the names of the missionaries listed in the Year Book of Prayer for that day and the group was led in prayer for these missionaries by Mrs. Forrest Woods.

The program, "The Whole Way," was led by Mrs. George Hamilton, assisted by Mrs. Clyde Hamilton. This was an interpretation of the objectives of Women's Work. These objectives are: "Christ is the Way. He is Truth; He is Hope; He is Love; He is Peace." Each member was presented with a booklet with these objectives printed in it with other information of interest about Women's Work. Mrs. Wayne Chambers was pianist.

During the business meeting plans for the smorgasbord were discussed. The general committee consists of Mrs. Alvin Dugan, chairman, Mrs. Charles Hall and Mrs. A. G. King. The date has been set for April 7. She is also an executive member of the State Republican central committee.

Cub Pack Has Annual Blue and Gold Dinner

Annual Blue and Gold dinner for Cub Pack 33 was held at the IOOF hall February 24 with Cubmaster Arthur Weinkauff presiding and introducing the guest speaker, Guy Miller, Scout executive from Eugene. Mr. Miller spoke on Cottage Grove's fine progress in Scouting in the past year and of the challenge still awaiting workers in this area.

Recognition was made by Mr. Miller of the pack committee and den mothers. His daughter, Linda, was a special guest.

Protein A Necessity

Everyone needs protein for building and repairing body tissues. With the high amounts of pork and beef now on the market, it is to your advantage to serve meat often to the family. Lack of sufficient protein may lower the individual's resistance to disease, and show evidence of premature aging.

Breakfast or Lunch

Whether it is a hurried breakfast or a quick bite for lunch, serve meat. A quick and easy suggestion is panbroiled liver sausage. Cut liver sausage 1/2 inch thick, remove casing and add drippings to pan to prevent sausage from sticking. Brown on both sides and serve hot.

Hearts Party Held By Church Youths

Approximately 38 Cadets for Christ, (Junior and Intermediate of the Sunday evening group) of the Gibbs Avenue Church of Christ, enjoyed a Hearts Party recently at the church. The party was given by their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Eastburn, assisted by Paul Patten.

Various relay games, competitive games and Bible charades provided the evening's entertainment with the losing side cleaning the room after the party. Entertainment was followed by devotionals by Darrell Eastburn who showed hearts of black, yellow, red and white with suitable applications for each. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

TOWNSEND CLUB TO MEET MONDAY FOR DINNER

Townsend club will meet at the home of Tom Short, 36 North Fifth street, Monday, March 5, at 6:30 p.m. Dinner will be served.

Dist. 45 Elementary PTA Honors Past Presidents, Panel Studies Questions

Founders Day of the Parent Teacher association was remembered by the elementary PTA of District 45 Monday evening in the multi-purpose room of Harrison school. Past presidents were presented corsages or boutonnières. The PTA has been organized 59 years and the local organization was started in 1948.

Past presidents honored were: Mrs. Stewart Carlson (1948-49), Mrs. Ralph Aubrey (1949-50), Mrs. Warren Hansen (1950-51), Mrs. Richard Kessit (1951-52), Milton Turay (1952-53), Bruce Lansbery (1953-54), Mrs. Norman Richards (1954-55).

Election of officers for 1955-57 will be held in March and the following were named on the nominating committee: Mrs. Hugh Peniston, Mrs. Ray Andersen, Mrs. Howard Gilbert, and Forrest Woods.

The program consisted of a panel of two parents, Mrs. Forrest Woods and Vinna Randall Jr., and two school principals, Mrs. Gladys Goben and William Oglesby, who discussed questions submitted to the PTA at an earlier meeting. A square dance group from the junior high school entertained with square dances.

Questions asked and answered were:

1. School bus law. When is it necessary to stop?

Mr. Oglesby answered this by saying that it is required by law that all traffic stop when a school bus is loading or unloading children. There is one exception and that is when the highway is one lane and the school bus is loading or unloading on the outside lane, then the traffic may pass on the inside lane.

2. How much supervision is given the children during the time and is their lunch neglected for play?

Mrs. Goben stated that at Harrison school she has her lunch with her class and the cold lunch students eat at the same table. All must wait at the table until everyone is through. Mr. Oglesby stated that the lunch period at Adams and Jefferson schools were staggered to accommodate many students and that one teacher is on duty during the lunch period.

3. If a child is injured or becomes ill, who gives first aid?

Both Mr. Oglesby and Mrs. Goben answered this by stating that in case of illness the parents of the child are called and asked to come after the child. However, if this is inconvenient for the parent, the child is taken home by the principal. If the parent cannot be contacted the child is kept in the health room until school is out or the parent is reached.

In case of severe injury the child is taken to the hospital. It was called to the parent's attention that one degree of fever or one degree below normal temperature is enough to keep the child out of the classroom.

4. Is there any program for checking sight and hearing?

The teacher makes a rough check of each child and if there seems to be any difficulty in either sight or hearing the child is referred to the health nurse for a final check. Every three years the school checks the hearing of each school child.

5. Are the children getting enough of basic subjects?

This was a controversial subject. The general thought, however, seemed to be that there could be more time spent on basic subjects.

6. Is there any other way to build schools besides taxation?

Mr. O. stated that the state allows the school district to become indebted and this indebtedness must be paid off through taxation.

7. Does the parent expect his child to have homework?

Mrs. Woods stated that she thought homework was good in that it formed a work habit in the child. However, she would like to know how much homework was expected so that TV programs would not interfere. Mr. Randall stated that he thought school work should be done at school unless the student did not finish his work, then he should be expected to take it home and complete the work.

8. Who is eligible to ride the school buses?

In this district the school board has set the boundary at the city limits. All students outside the city limits may use the school buses.

9. Why can't the playshed at Adams be enclosed and how would it be put sawdust on the playground at Harrison and on the concrete at Adams?

This was answered by both principals. They stated that it seemed better to have either crushed rock or concrete than sawdust inasmuch as sawdust will slip or be driven into the ground. Mrs. Woods said she would rather have mud in her washing machine than either rock or sawdust, which brought laughter and agreement from many mothers. As to enclosing the playshed at Adams, this seems to be unnecessary as the rains doesn't drive in too far under the roof and the children are allowed to play in the gym when it rains.

10. Is a lower grade student allowed to go to the store?

Mrs. Goben stated that at Harrison any student who goes to the store across the street must have a written notice from home. Mr. Oglesby said that only five boys and five girls were allowed to go to the store close to Adams and Jefferson at one time and that the safety patrol watched to see that this regulation was enforced.

11. Why are the sports played with teams so far from home?

This is a matter of competition. We play teams that are available.

12. What are the teachers' hours?

Teachers are on duty from 8:30 a.m. until 4:15 p.m. Monday through Thursday and on Friday they may leave when the students do.

13. Why was shop discontinued at Jefferson?

According to the state regulations there was too much time being spent on the arts. Shop was discontinued for this reason and also because of shortage of space.

14. Is shop necessary at the level of the Jefferson students?

Mr. Randall stated that he thought the sooner students start shop the better, especially if they were intending to make that their work in later years or were very much interested in that line of work.

15. What value is PTA?

Each panel member gave his thought on this. The general conclusion was that PTA gave teachers and parents the opportunity to become acquainted and to discuss their problems together to benefit the children.

Refreshments were served by third grade mothers.



MISS SUE HIGDON
Sue Higdon New Rainbow Advisor

Miss Sue Higdon was installed Worthy Advisor of Order of Rainbow for Girls in a public installation at the Masonic Temple Sunday, February 5. Her sister, Miss Phyllis Higdon, performed the crowning ceremony, while Leonard Nossaman sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "Over the Rainbow." The color stations formed a bow before the altar, with nosegays of the seven colors during the ceremony.

Installed to fill the other offices for the term were: Mary Margaret Cottrill, Worthy Associate Advisor; Susan Griggs, Charity; Ruthie Newton, Hope; Laraine Nelson, Faith; Wilma Goff, treasurer; Roberta Durham, chaplain; Claudia Fick, drill leader; Susie Schilling, Carol Thiel, Marlene Guggisberg, Carol King, Marsha Smith, Loi King, and Manice Weddel, color stations; Ruth Rickard, confidential observer; Judy Radke, outer observer; Bonnie Weinkauff, musician; Emily Dusenberry, keeper of the jewels; Ann Boslaugh; Emily Dusenberry, historian.

Installing officers were Miss Phyllis Higdon, Worthy Advisor; Gail Forrester, chaplain; Patsee Pynes, marshal; LaVelle Schilling, recorder; Mrs. Mary Lou Huggdahl, musician.

Refreshments were served afterward. Mrs. Harold Wolford poured coffee and Miss Sharon Lavery served punch.

Eagles Auxiliary To Nominate Mar. 5

By Mrs. Walter N. Dowens

The Ladies auxiliary of Fraternal Order of Eagles 2091 held its regular meeting February 20, with adiam President Mrs. Gus Nowak presiding.

The next meeting, on March 5, will be for nomination of officers and the state Adiam President will make her official visit March 19.

Drill practice and officers' practice will be held at the hall Friday, March 2, at 1:30 p.m.

Officers meeting was held February 23 at the home of Mrs. Gus Nowak. Plans were discussed for the mothers' tea and the 28th birthday party, both to be held in May.

Serving committee for March 5 includes Mrs. Tom Absher, Mrs. Fritz Guggisberg, Mrs. J. C. Hobbs, and Mrs. Harley Gates.

No thoroughly occupied man was ever yet very miserable.—L. E. Landon.

REFLECTIONS

George Washington Triumphed

George Washington loved his mother country as much as any man alive but he loved Freedom more. His idea of loyalty was never a jacket to be worn and removed at will; one either wore it or he didn't. One either accepts the dictates of his conscience, followed them to a logical conclusion or shed them as he would that jacket; George Washington accepted the dictates of fellowman, and his conscience, threw all of his worldly possessions, his life and the life of family into the scales, win or lose, he committed himself to the cause as he saw it. No half-way measures. No quibbling. I saw the conflict in simple terms—win freedom or die as a traitor.

Out of the fires of passion, horror or war emerged the embryo of a Nation. The fusion of interests took leadership to resolve them into principles that have endured through the centuries. Thanks to his leadership, stewardship, our Constitution has been amended only six times; that took wisdom far beyond the hopes of the most sanguine leader.

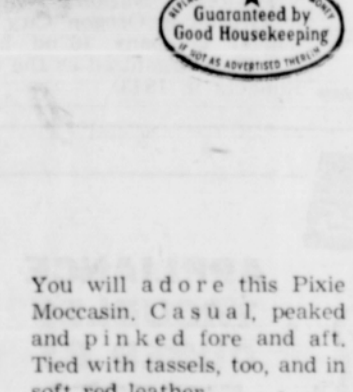
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