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MR. AND MRS. HOWARD CLAYTON MECUM (Ruth Irene Long) exchanged wedding vows October 27 at the home of the bride's parents. They are now at home at Albany where the groom is employed by the Bureau of Mines.

Miss Ruth Long Weds Howard Mecum In Late October Single Ring Ceremony

Miss Ruth Irene Long became the bride of Howard Clayton Mecum in a single ring ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph T. Long, the afternoon of October 27. Mother of the bridegroom is Mrs. Grace Mecum, Medford. Judge Alfred T. Goddwin, Eugene, officiated at the ceremony.

Mr. Long gave his daughter in marriage. Her ballerina-length princess-style dress was of white floral lace over taffeta. Her fingertip-length veil was held in place by a tulle of seed pearls and forget-me-not, periwinkle flowers. Her wedding flowers were white chrysanthemums edged with white net and streamers of white satin.

Mrs. Thomas E. Long, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron-of-honor. She was attired in a ballerina-length aquamarine taffeta dress and carried a nosegay of white chrysanthemums surrounded with pink net and streamers of pink satin. Miss Bonnie Long, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid. She wore beige satin under a red-tinge of beige lace. Her nosegay was of pink chrysanthemums with white net and white streamers.

Thomas E. Long, brother of the

bride, was best man.

The bride's mother chose an Elinore blue crepe dress, while Mrs. Mecum wore a navy silk dress. Each wore a corsage of white carnations.

Tall baskets of pink and white chrysanthemums were at each side of the large picture window, which served as the setting for the wedding ceremony. The "Wedding March" from "Lohengrin" was played by Mrs. Ed Carpenter.

Milo Chapman was in charge of serving at the reception. Assisting him were Mrs. Alton Long who served the cake, Mrs. Henry Whetham presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Berle Thornton, sister of the groom, poured coffee. Misses Lenora Whetham, Joan Burleson and Carol Ann Carpenter assisted in serving and had charge of the guest book.

For their wedding trip to the coast, the bride wore a dark suit, black patent pumps and purse, pink hat and gloves and pink spider chrysanthemum corsage. Mr. and Mrs. Mecum are at home at 3539 Adah Ave., Albany where the groom is employed by the Bureau of Mines.



Dear Mrs. Workman,

Your delightful, very original souvenir has arrived, and I am happy to have such a collector's item. This reproduction of the White House on a little gold button will certainly be put among my favorite mementos, and will be always a reminder of your special kindness.

With my appreciation, and best wishes always,

Miriam Reed Eisenhower

Mrs. Wilbur L. Workman
731 South River Road
Cottage Grove, Oregon

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 13, 1956

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OREGON BUTTON SOCIETY last week elected Mrs. Wilbur L. Workman of Cottage Grove as president at a meeting in the Portland Oregonian's Hostess House. At right is a display showing a letter received by Mrs. Workman from Mrs. Dwight Eisenhower thanking her for the gift of a historical button, a collector's

Button Collecting Hobby Turns Into Potential Business Venture

A fascinating hobby which she has followed for several years has grown into a potential business with Mrs. W. L. Workman, whose interest in button collecting led her to place on the market the first in a series of famous buildings and American scenes reproduced on buttons.

First button of the series is a handsome one of brass, steel die cut one-and-one-half inches in diameter bearing the imprint of the White House. Under the trade name of Button Art, which she will use for all of her future button offerings, this one is No. 1 in Series A, American Buildings.

Mrs. Workman doesn't enjoy idleness, and since retirement from active operation of Sunnyside Greenhouses with her husband, she has turned her energy to commercializing on a hobby she has always enjoyed. Distribution headquarters for Button Art are at the Workman home, 731 South River Rd., Cottage Grove, but the buttons are made elsewhere by a manufacturer, so far.

First public showing of the new product in Oregon was at a meeting of the Oregon Button Society Saturday at the Oregonian Hostess House in Portland. Mrs. Workman was elected president of the group.

Since every idea has a beginning, Mrs. Workman dates her idea of marketing historical type buttons back to February, 1955, when she was asked to prepare a paper on the White House for a meeting of Eugene Button club.

She wrote Mrs. Douglas McKay, who was living in Washington, D. C. with her husband, then Secretary of the Interior, asking her to see if she could find buttons with a picture of the White House to be used as favors. Mrs. McKay searched the capital city but was unable to locate any and it was then Mrs. Workman discovered that the White House had never been portrayed on a button.

Actually, collecting of buttons in the Workman family started first with the younger daughter of the family, Elizabeth, who continued it through grade and high school. That is when Mrs. Workman took it over because she

found not only the collecting of interest but that the hobby opened up other avenues of interest in history, geography and other fields.

Although each button is designed as a collector's item, they also may be worn on clothing. On the back of each one is the trademark of Button Art, a larger W, standing for Workman, with the first initial of the Workman's three children, Wilbur Jr., Jeanette and Elizabeth, worked into the design.

Even the card on which each button is mounted is a collector's item also. On it is this bit of interesting historical background: "The White House, home of U. S. president since 1800. Often rebuilt and restored to retain its original

style, while keeping up with modern living trends. Shown here is the south front."

The local woman's design was patterned after the 3-cent Sesqui-centennial postage stamp.

Cottage Grove residents who are interested in the new venture, may find a mounted display at the Chamber of Commerce office, and another at the Sentinel. The one at the chamber office makes use of a personal note from Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower thanking Mrs. Workman for the gift of one of the White House buttons. The one at the Sentinel is arranged with some of the Sesqui-centennial stamps. Frames used for the displays are regulation ones such as are used for national or state conventions.

District Meeting OES Held Creswell

District meeting of the Order of Eastern Star was held at Creswell October 22 with Oakridge and Cottage Grove chapters joining in the meeting which was held at the Grange hall.

Mrs. Bertha O. Burton, Worthy Grand Matron, made her official visit at this time. Mrs. Kenneth Hickok, chairman of the Revision of Laws committee, Mrs. Littleton Lasater, grand representative to the Province of Manitoba, Mrs. Thelma Scott, grand representative to Connecticut and Mrs. Paul Halweg, worthy matron of Meridian chapter, Eugene, were all escorted to the East. The Worthy Grand Matron addressed the group and others spoke under Good of the Order.

Creswell chapter was host and had the opening and closing, while Oakridge chapter escorted guests to the East and had charge of Good of the Order. Cottage Grove exemplified degree work.

A pretty flower addendum was presented by the three chapters and the Worthy Grand Matron was presented with a bouquet of flowers and a gift.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Saturday night Mrs. Percy Malcolm, Mrs. Lasater and Mrs. Horace Cochran drove to Roseburg to a district meeting between Roseburg and Oakridge chapters.

Cottage Grove chapter will meet Thursday night, November 1, and will be host to Cascade chapter of Springfield.

4-H LEADERS TO MEET 1ST South Lane 4-H Leaders Assn. will meet at the library annex November 1 at 7:30 p.m. New extension agent in home economics, Mrs. Robert Westrup, and Jack Gurton will be present.



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MR. AND MRS. PAUL ARTHUR R., who were married 50 years ago in St. Joseph, Mo., celebrated their golden wedding anniversary recently at Culp Creek before leaving to spend the winter in Florida.

Paul Arthurs Observe 50th Anniversary

By Mrs. Florence Erikson
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Arthur recently celebrated their golden anniversary with an open house at the Row River community hall. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur were married in St. Joseph, Mo., October 17, 1906.

Two of the couple's children, William T. and Mary (Mrs. Robert Wellstead) were born in Missouri before they moved to Abilene, Texas, where their four other children were born. They came to Oregon in 1938 and settled near Oregon City for three years before coming to Culp Creek in 1941. They own their home here and have two other houses which have been occupied by renters. Mr. Arthur worked in the woods and later as fireman at the Booth Kelly plant until 1955 when he retired. All of their children were here for the celebration. They are: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Arthur of Valley Falls, Kan., Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Mary) Wellstead of Evanston, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Walter (Lillian) Kendall of Hollywood, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Floyd (Pauline) Moore of Elkton, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie (Virginia) Arthur of Leno, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Underwood of Reedsport. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur left Sunday on

the first lap of their trip to spend the winter in Hialeah, Fla., with her brother Roy E. Dittmore. They will return via Illinois for a visit in the spring.

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Maytag Wringer Washer. Round tub with pump. Scratched on wringer and on the skirt. Reg. \$159.95. Now \$139.95.

G.E. 40" Push Button Range. Divided top—Fast heat units. Large oven, porcelain finish. Fluorescent light. Was \$239.95. Now \$188.00. Chipped on bottom.

Small Grey Rocker. Walnut finish arms and legs. (Legs were loosened in shipment. We have already repaired this one). Was \$39.95. Now \$24.95.

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