

TOO LATE FOR LAST WEEK

Eastern Star Has Installation

In a most colorful ceremony, before a capacity crowd, the 1956 officers of Satellite Chapter No. 165, Order of the Eastern Star, were installed last Tuesday evening.

The I.O.O.F. Hall was beautifully decorated, the stage being draped in pink edged with blue and a large silver star emblem covered the back of the wall. The decorations were the work of Lillian Weideman, Elsa Rav-ekes, and Ethel Molino.

P.W. Matron Eileen Swan was the very impressive installing officer for the Star and her husband, P.W. Patron Robert Swan, for the incoming patron and sentinel, Agda Bickner was installed as Worthy Matron for the coming year and her husband, Charles, as Worthy Patron. Eula Brimm was introduced as the Mother Advisor of the Rainbow Girls and Harold Jochens as the W.M. of the Sidney Croft Lodge of Masons.

All the incoming officers were attired in lovely gowns and all wore charming corsages. The group presented orchids to Helen Hanscam, the outgoing Worthy Matron and Agda Bickner, the incoming one, and Helen was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts in appreciation of her year in office.

The Eastern Star officers for 1956 are:

Worthy Matron, Agda Bickner; Worthy Patron, Charles Bickner; Associate Matron, Ethel Jackson; Associate Patron, Charles Spence; Secretary, Beula Peffley; Treasurer, Alice Spence; Con-

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED



Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Rowley announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Jean, to Vern, son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Garvin, now of Smith River. The young couple are now in school, and the wedding is scheduled for some time this coming summer. Both are well known in the community and have many friends here to congratulate them.

ductress, Odessa White; Associate Conductress, Anne Nelson; Chaplain, Beryl Bollinger; Marshall, Muriel Gragg; Organist, Vera Fowler; Adah, Doris Norman; Ruth, Ethel Jochens; Esther, Ellen Arrell; Martha, Elma Mitchell; Electa, Kay Sandstrom Warden, Marie Strommen; Sentinel, Francis Arrell; Courtesy Girls, Margaret Breuer, Betty Gorte, Wanda Phillips and Goldie Swearingen.

LATER-MURPHY RITES ARE TOLD

Mrs. Ruth Later, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hassett of Brookings, and Mr. W. Murphy of Crescent City were united in marriage by Rev. Leo R. Douglas at the Moose Hall on December 24th.

Mrs. George Hassett stood up with her sister-in-law and Mr. Al Batrock was best man for Mr. Murphy. Close relatives of the couple attended the ceremony. Mr. Murphy is employed by the West Coast Telephone Co. and was recently transferred to Brookings where they are now living on Del Norte Ave.

MRS. ACKLEY'S NOTES SOCIETY TO MEET

The Baptist Community church Missionary Society will meet Thursday, January 19th, at the home of Mrs. Loyd Weeks on Pioneer Road. A desert luncheon will be held at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Lydia Criger and Mrs. Edith Ackley are co-hostesses. Mrs. Walter Sadler is program chairman, and Mrs. Claude Goldizen will lead devotions and white cross work will also be done.

GOODFELLOWSHIP MEETS

A Goodfellowship meeting will be held after the Baptist Church evening worship service, Sunday, January 15th. Sunday school teachers will be in charge of the refreshments.

CHORAL CLUB SINGS

A large congregation at the Baptist Community Church enjoyed the singing of the ladies of the Chetco Choral Club, on New Year's evening, under the direction of Mrs. Helen Rice. Regular practice for the club will begin January 9th, at the Assembly of God Church, at 7 p.m. New members will be welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith of Can-

UPPER CHETCO HAPPENINGS

by Mrs. Frank Waldien

Al Faulkner spent the holidays in Brookings. Since his jeep is marooned at the Haight place he came into town with Roy Brimm and returned with Danny Haight.

Sy Payne is rendering a ferry service for those of us who have no means of crossing the river. Many of us owe him a debt of gratitude for his service to our community up there in this respect for he has been doing this for years.

Floyd Matlock crossed the river Friday to walk into the old George Tolman place to see how Bill Ryder, his caretaker is. Earl Bronson is somewhere out in those wild hills. Wonder how he's faring? I surmise he has probably caught a big fat bear and "livin' it up" these cold wintery days.

Roy Brimm spent some time at his ranch on the Upper, upper Chetco where he busied himself pruning the trees around his place. (I took an extra 'look-see' hoping to get some ideas as we can't see last year's bird nests in our apple trees. I suppose it's my very vivid imagination but one of those trees looked just a teensy, weensy bit like a spar pole I thought). No joking, they do look nice though.

Mrs. Elizabeth White had a houseful over Christmas as all her children and grandchildren paid her a visit. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Badger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith Jr., Leland and Russell White.

The Wells Moody family moved to Brookings during vacation. The Laurence Pool family are moving to Norwalk, California. Ben Jones spent New Year's and the day following with the Frank Waldien family.

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YONVILLE WEEKEND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dronbaugh. The men are brother and nephew of Mrs. Dronbaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stanhurst finally returned home from a trip over the holidays to San Francisco. They were marooned two days in Arcata, and two days in Scotia, then got a plane out to San Francisco and back, leaving their car at Arcata for the return trip home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Olsen, and family of Willowcreek, Calif. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Hassett. They were unable to be home for Christmas on account of the flood, so a belated Christmas party was held.

Word was received this past week from Mrs. Lyle Redfield who is in Oakland, California, with her husband who is seriously ill, and confined to the hospital there with a heart attack.

Mrs. Don McCarton arrived home Sunday from Medford where she has been taking care of her small grandchildren who's mother was ill.

AUSTRALIAN MEMORIAL

All members of the armed forces who would like to have a copy of an eight-page brochure depicting the unveiling by Queen Elizabeth of Australia's National Memorial to America, should address the Australian News and Information Service, 636 Fifth Avenue, New York 20, The Bureau asks that all applications give a statement of service and veteran's serial number.

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Mrs. Sy Panye told me that their home-cured bacon has mildewed very badly during this damp weather. If you are having the same trouble try this: Clean all the mildew off by scraping and wash with a cloth dipped in vinegar. After it is dry rub the

entire surface with a cloth that has been dipped in mineral oil.

WEATHER FORECAST

I glue my ear to the radio for a word of encouragement or so. The weatherman again is prating about the present storm's abating. But I don't appreciate his subtlety. While chippin' wood in Noah's deluge.

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