

Bronleewe Named Parent-Teachers' Head; Importance of School Library Stressed

Need for Improvement In Hillsboro Buildings Cited

T. G. Bronleewe, prominent in civic activities here, was Monday night elected president of the Hillsboro Parent-Teachers' association. He is the first man ever elected to serve as president of the local P-T.

Other officers are: Mrs. P. L. Patterson, first vice-president; Mrs. Edward Hurd, second vice-president; Mrs. S. W. Melhuish, secretary; and Wesley Foster, treasurer. Mrs. P. R. Rasmussen is the outgoing president.

Discussion was held on the need for new grade school buildings in Hillsboro and decision was made that a committee from the P-T A. would meet with the school board to confer on this subject.

Delegates elected to the county meeting to be held April 18 at Beaverton were Mesdames W. W. Newman, O. C. Halvorson, P. L. Patterson, Fred Amacher and R. L. Burnett.

Miss Anne Mulholland, former head of the Portland library, addressed the meeting on the importance of the "high school library."

She stated: "The library should be the heart of the school. It should be the most attractive room in the school—a place where children would love to come to read and to discuss subjects with the librarian. Reading is one of the most important things in our civilization. You may have an adequate number of books in a library but if they are not good books they are useless. The selection of books should be in the hands of the librarian. Every department of the high school, with the possible exception of the mathematics department, uses the library and there should be a wide range of books on the shelves. A good high school library should have an excellent set of reference books that are kept up to date and children should be taught how to use them so that when they leave school they will know how to use the public libraries. A good library also includes a love of reading."

A musical program was presented by Miss Houger, including guitar solo by Wesley Lincoln, reading by Doris Rae Harrison, and song by Tiny Martin, accompanied by Miss Yoder. Those on the refreshment committee were Mrs. P. A. Anderson, chairman, Mrs. G. G. Laver, Mrs. R. E. Peck, Mrs. Crockett, Mrs. Ide, Miss Campbell, Miss Brown, Miss Fisher, Miss Yoder, Miss Woughter, Miss McRae, Miss Crozier and Miss Houger.

Farewell Dinner Given Verboorts

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Van Grunsven entertained at dinner Sunday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Verboort, who leave next Tuesday for San Jose, Cal., for a six months' stay. After dinner "900" was played through the evening, and a handkerchief shower was given Mrs. Verboort. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Verboort, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Van Dyke, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Senko, Mr. and Mrs. Earl McCoy, all of Hillsboro; Mr. and Mrs. George Van Dyke of Forest Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pranger of Cornelius, and the hosts.

"Education" Theme Of League Meeting

League of Women Voters will meet Monday at 12:30 at the Forest Hills golf club. Mrs. R. S. Waltz of Forest Grove is the program chairman. The topic for study and discussion is "Education," which is the subject of one of the chapters of the book "Know Your County," now being studied by the group. On April 11 there will be a state league meeting in Portland, and Governor Sprague has been asked to speak.

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D. A. R. Members Attend State Meeting at Salem

The two-day state convention of the Daughters of American Revolution at Salem Monday and Tuesday drew a good attendance from the David Hill chapter of this city. Mrs. G. V. Payne, regent, and Mrs. A. W. Moore were the delegates, and others attending were Mesdames Fred Beach, W. R. Manley, C. E. Wells, J. W. Kelley, and E. M. Bowman. Three daughters of local members acted as pages during the session. Mary Manley, Barbara Moore, and Mrs. Henry W. Harty.

Meetings were held in the hearing room of the house of representatives, with Mrs. Gilbert E. Holt of Pendleton, state regent, presiding. Chometaka chapter members of Salem acted as hostesses, and Mrs. Charles Sprague, wife of Governor Sprague, and Mrs. John Y. Richardson of Portland, national chairman, were guests of honor at the luncheon. Governor Sprague was the speaker at Tuesday night's banquet, the closing event of the session.

Mrs. Sprague, a member of the Salem chapter, was hostess for a tea at her home Monday afternoon.

Mr. Jackson Given Surprise on Birthday

A surprise birthday party was held at the home of Wilbur Dillon Saturday evening in honor of Willis Jackson.

Court whist was the evening's entertainment, high scores going to Mrs. Amos La Haie Jr. and Jim Mathiesen.

Refreshments were served, the feature being a large birthday cake, cut by the honor guest.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Amos La Haie Jr. of Forest Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mathiesen, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mathiesen, and Dennis Hall of Mountaineer, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Mathiesen, Betty Haradart, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dillon, Verna Dillon, and the honor guest.

Miss Johansen Weds Mr. Warren

Miss Thelma Johansen and Leroy Warren were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Grow, at Scholls on March 18. Rev. Sibley of Scholls performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a long peach colored dress of chiffon and carried a bouquet of roses and sweet peas. Her only attendant was her sister, Margie Johansen. George Lesia was best man.

Refreshments were served for all. Seventy-five relatives and friends were present.

They will make their home in Portland where Mr. Warren is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wieber and family are moving into their new home, formerly the Lamkin residence, on the corner of Seventh and Main streets this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan and daughter Adele of Portland were guests during the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Beattie. The ladies are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Schukart, Shiralee and Betty May spent the week-end in Kalama, Wash., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Otis Shoaf.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Downs of St. Helens were guests Sunday of Mrs. Downs' brother, E. E. Bentley, and family.

Clara Ruff, teaching in Newberg, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ruff.

Miss Bernice Gardner of Portland was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Gardner.

U. S. W. V. Camp And Auxiliary Entertain Officers

Scout Harrington Camp and Auxiliary, U. S. W. V., entertained their department officers at the V. F. W. hall Friday night, with the following out-of-town guests present: Commander and Mrs. W. G. Hoffman, Sheriff George Manning, department adjutant, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin, all of McMinnville; Z. and Mrs. Danford of Carlton, Department Inspector, and Mrs. Frank Prendergrass, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Back, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hildreth, and Past Department Commander Dr. George F. A. Walker, all of Portland, Department President Margaret Rodgers and Corresponding Secretary Argie Dewit of Roseburg.

After the business session a joint social meeting was held and refreshments were served. As special guests were the heads of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars and Auxiliaries. Past Department Commander Hugh Rogers presided as toastmaster and introduced the guests. Commander and Mrs. Fred Engeldinger, commander and president of Hillsboro Post No. 6, American Legion and the Auxiliary, and Commander and Mrs. Corn representing the V. F. W., made very interesting talks on closer cooperation of all veterans organizations.

Commander Hoffman and President Margaret Rodgers, of the Auxiliary were the principal speakers of the evening.

Rebekah Members Plan for Meet

Hillsboro Rebekah lodge met Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. hall with the newly installed officers presiding.

Final plans were made for Hillsboro Rebekah's exemplification of "Election of a Noble Grand from the Floor" at the Rebekah district convention to be held in the union high school building at Banks this Saturday. Mrs. Marguerite Munson, who was recently married, was presented a gift from the lodge and also one from the noble grand, Mrs. Lena A. Woods.

Visitors from Beaverton Lodge were present at the meeting.

A. A. U. W. Meets At Luncheon April 1

A. A. U. W. will meet at the Forest Hills golf club on April 1 at 12:30 for the regular meeting and luncheon. Dr. Huffaker of the school of education at the University of Oregon will be the speaker. Mrs. J. L. Searcy is the chairman in charge of the program.

Local members will attend the state convention in Salem on April 14 and 15. Dr. Pound, one of the national vice-presidents and a professor of English at the University of Illinois, will be the speaker at the state conference.

Returns to Oregon—

Mrs. L. B. Carter and two sons returned last week from a five months' stay at Newcastle, Colorado, and are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mericle, and other relatives. Mr. Carter will probably return in a few months. Mrs. Carter says she likes Oregon much better than Colorado and is glad to get back.

Birthday Celebrated—

Donald Bailey was guest of honor at a dinner party Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bailey, in celebration of his 14th birthday anniversary. Guests present were Miss Zelma Shaw and Brooks Gordon of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. William Linfoot of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gordon Bailey, the honor guest, the host and hostess and son Robert.

E. E. Bentley left Monday for the S. P. hospital in San Francisco, where he will take treatment for a month or more. He has been unable to continue his work with the Southern Pacific for some time.

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Celebrate 54th Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sewell, 122 East Edison, celebrated their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary last Friday evening at a family dinner. Three daughters, Mrs. William Plo of Vancouver, Wash.; Mrs. Roy Herbert of Portland, and Mrs. F. E. Hartman; a granddaughter, Mrs. Walter Hafner, and two great-grandchildren, Arlene and Darlene Hafner, were among those present.

Return from Fair—

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Busch, sons Keith and Dale, returned Saturday from a ten-day trip south. They visited the fair at San Francisco, and while there the millionth visitor to the fair went through the turnstile, the weather was warm, and there was no fog.

Rainbow Girls Meet—

Hillsboro Assembly of Rainbow girls will have regular social meeting on next Monday evening at the Masonic Temple.

Local Firemen To Sponsor Boy At Beaver State

The Hillsboro Firemen's association will sponsor one deserving boy to be chosen from the union high school junior fire department here this summer. It was announced by officials at the county firemen's association meeting here last Tuesday evening.

Mayor Hugh Rogers, Orange Phelps and the junior fire department were honor guests at the session, which brought a representative from a newly-organized association at Tualatin. Main speakers were Capt. T. D. Schunk of the Portland fire department, who discussed firemen's compensation, and Frank Tracy of the Tracy Equipment company, whose remarks were accompanied by pictures.

Cornelius was named as the meeting place for next session on April 17.

Richardson Leaves On Trip to East

C. T. Richardson, manager of the local Carnation plant, leaves today for Oconomowoc and Milwaukee, Wis., where he will attend a meeting of Carnation superintendents from all corners of the globe. He expects to go on to Chicago before returning.

His plans call for picking up a car in the east and returning home by way of Denver, Colo., where he will visit a sister, Mrs. Harry Potts. Another sister, Mrs. Sidney Coolidge Jr. of Concord, Mass., who recently visited here, expects to be in Denver at the same time. He will be gone about 18 days.

C. Wohler Honored At Surprise Party

A surprise birthday party was given Chester Wohler by a group of friends from the Baptist church at his home west of Hillsboro Wednesday evening of last week. There were 35 present, and the evening was spent in playing Chinese checkers and anagrams.

Mr. Wohler has been treasurer of the Baptist church the past 12 years and the party was given in appreciation of his loyalty and service to the church.

Dr. and Mrs. Huggins Given Farewells

A number of farewell parties were held during the week for Dr. and Mrs. Harrison D. Huggins, who are moving to Kalispell, Mont. Dr. Huggins left Tuesday.

Included in a no-host party at the university club in Portland Sunday night were Dr. and Mrs. Huggins, Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Pittman, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Buchanan Jr. of near Gresham, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cooley and Mr. and Mrs. V. Verne McKinney.

Dr. and Mrs. Pittman entertained at their home near Gresham last Monday night. Others present were Dr. and Mrs. John Cheatum and Dr. and Mrs. Matthew Riddle of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Bailey were hosts at a dinner party at their home near Gresham Friday night. Guests were Dr. and Mrs. Huggins, Dr. and Mrs. Pittman, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kamra, Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooley entertained at their home near Gresham last Wednesday night. Invitations list included Dr. and Mrs. Huggins, Dr. and Mrs. Pittman, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay McArthur of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. G. Russell Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Searcy, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barney, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. McKinney.

Hosts at Sunday Dinner—

Sunday dinner party guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Merrill were Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Abels and daughters and Miss Joyce Abels of Vancouver, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Carol Neuth of Clatskanie. Mrs. Abels will be remembered as Miss Eunice Naught of this city and Mrs. Neuth as Miss Alice Weisenback.

Entertain at Dinner—

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Merrill entertained with a dinner party Thursday night, guests being Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reynolds, Miss Betty Jean Settemier and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ingles of Forest Grove.

Pinochle Club Meets—

The X. L. Pinochle club met for luncheon at the home of Mrs. W. F. Lerner on March 14. Mrs. A. M. Abrams won high score and Mrs. Joe Kummer, second.

Honored on Birthday—
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Burkhalter were hosts at a dinner Sunday for Mr. Burkhalter's sister, Mrs. Mary Clark, who was celebrating her 83rd birthday. Guests were Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Rose Cronce, Mrs. Bertha Greenstein, Miss Jennie Bucher, all of Portland; Melvin Jones of Oregon City; Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Burkhalter, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Burkhalter, and children Bobby and Gladys, and George Burkhalter.



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