

State Head Visits 3 Star Chapters

STAYTON—Meeting in annual district session to exemplify the work for the worthy grand matron Tuesday evening in the Masonic hall were three Eastern Star Chapters, Victoria of Turner, Marilyn of Mill City, and Acacia of Stayton.

Worthy matron and patron, Mrs. Beckie Morgan and Larry Morgan, Acacia chapter, presided during all except escort, balloting and initiation.

Victoria chapter, worthy matron, Mrs. Doris Burkland, and worthy patron, Carl Graves, presiding, exemplified escort, for worthy grand matron, Mrs. Louise Irving of Madras, and worthy grand patron, Herman Johnston of Salem, and past worthy grand patron, Rex Hartley of Jefferson. Grand representatives, grand committee members and grand appointive officers were escorted to the east, also. Worthy matron, Mrs. Clara Morris, and worthy patron, Carl Johnson, Marilyn chapter, initiated Mrs. Edna Watkins. She was presented with a pin, a gift from her husband.

Mrs. Merle LaMar, junior past matron of Humana chapter of Stayton, who was a visitor, was announced as the grand representative for Michigan, by the worthy grand matron.

An addenda featured two honey bees who buzzed up to the worthy grand patron and directed him on to each star point where he was given a card remembrance. The worthy grand matron was given a bee escort and presented a bee hive which held a gift from all three chapters. The "bees" proved to be Mrs. Worthy Burmester and Mrs. Vera Roach.

Club Meets

STAYTON—Winner of the speak-off, which the Stayton Toastmasters club conducted at its meeting Thursday evening in the high school cafeteria, was Mrs. Eunice Phillips, who will represent the club in the area contest in March. Mrs. Evelyn Prugh of the Stayton club will be chairman.

Subject of Mrs. Phillips' talk was "Tomorrow." Two other speakers were heard, Jane Star who talked about "The Divine Instrument," and Jeanne Norton whose talk was about "The Birdwoman." Judges were Jerry Butler and Louis Corrigan of the high school faculty. They were assisted by Mrs. Neil Stewart of the club.

STAYTON—Guest of honor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smith, Sunday, was Mrs. Smith's father, George Spaniol, who was celebrating his 80th birthday.

The occasion also marked the birthday of the Smiths' daughter, Mrs. Robert Sullivan of Salem, and Father Math. Jonas, pastor of Immaculate Conception church of Stayton. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spaniol, and Miss Clara Spaniol, all of Stayton; and Robert Sullivan and family of Salem.

WOODBURN—Thirteen girls will be initiated into Evergreen assembly, No. 12, Order of the Rainbow, at the regular meeting Wednesday night, February 23, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. This will be the first initiation for Miss JoAnne Gaviola, the new worthy adviser, and her officers. All members of the Eastern Star and Masonic lodge are invited.

Refreshments will be served by Misses Charlotte Seely, Janice Slach, Kathryn Thompson, Judy Reed and Carolyn Cheney.

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DALLAS—Mrs. Kate Lucas celebrated her 92nd birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Price, recently. Mrs. Lucas makes her home with her daughter.

Calling during the day to greet Mrs. Lucas were Mrs. W. C. Hill, Miss Anna Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. K. N. Lucas, son and daughter-in-law of Mrs. Lucas, and Mrs. Vida Folsom, all of Rickreall; and Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Price and daughter, Debby, of Monmouth. Price is a grandson.

Visit Legislature

WOODBURN—Sixteen women from the Woodburn Woman's club visited the legislature last week on the monthly guided tour. They visited both the house and senate and had lunch at Lipman's Cherry room.

Those making the tour were Mrs. J. B. Gay, president; Mrs. Don Barrett, Mrs. Edgar Crosby, Mrs. Tom Renn, Mrs. Clare McMillan, Mrs. Henry Scheidegger, Mrs. Lou Pfaffinger, Mrs. Steve Bauman, Mrs. Joe Walker, Sr., Mrs. O. E. Meisenheimer, Mrs. Frank Purdy, Mrs. R. L. Anderson, Mrs. E. W. Nelson, Mrs. E. C. Peyton, Mrs. Lee Detweiler, Mrs. James Lamb.

Wed 59 Years

MILL CITY—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gooch, long time Mill City residents, celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary at their home last week, with members of their family and a few close friends honoring them with a dinner.

Mr. Gooch, who has been in the logging business for many years, is still active in the Gooch Logging company.

All of their children were present at the dinner, including Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gooch Jr. of Sweet Home, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gooch and daughter, Twyla, of Salem, and Mrs. Sylvia Duncan, who is home with her parents this year.

BRUSH COLLEGE—The mothers of primary pupils at Brush College school were surprised when their young sons invited them to dance the Virginia Reel with them, at the Valentine party at school, for which the mothers were the guests. Square dancing by the pupils was a special feature, directed by the teacher, Mrs. Mary Lou Nicholson.

Fourth grade pupils opened the Valentine box and delivered Valentines in the exchange. Refreshments were served.

SILVERTON—Mr. and Mrs. Hans Hagedorn have returned from Astoria, where they visited for some time at the home of their son, Don Hagedorn.

Friday the couple left for Seattle to spend a week with the family of a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hale (Audrey Hagedorn) and their daughter, Donna June.

SILVERTON—Home temple No. 21, Pythian Sisters, met Thursday evening.

The Saturday cooked food sale was announced. The social committee for the Thursday, March 3, meeting includes Mrs. Ted Lorenzen, Mrs. Earl Meyer, Mrs. Ralph Adams and Mrs. Clarence Morley.

Episcopal Guild Gives Coffee Party

WOODBURN—There was a coffee party sponsored by St. Mary's Episcopal guild, Thursday morning, at the home of Mrs. Clarence H. Ahrens. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. Phil Branson, Mrs. Howard Palmer and Mrs. Tom Hanna. Pouring were Mrs. Tom DeArmond, club president, Mrs. H. M. Austin and Mrs. Henry Miller.

Thursday evening the guild sponsored a reception for the new vicar, the Rev. Arthur Holmes of Salem, at the parish hall. A no-host supper was served at 6:30 o'clock with a large crowd attending. Tom Hanna, lay reader, introduced the Rev. Mr. Holmes who spoke briefly on his experiences in Canada. Ivan DeArmond, junior warden, presented a gift to the Rev. Mr. Holmes from the parish.

The next regular guild meeting will be Tuesday, February 22, at 11:30 a.m. when a sack lunch will be served and a short business meeting conducted. The meeting was set early in order that the members may attend the Martha Washington tea Tuesday afternoon sponsored by the Woodburn Woman's club.

WOODBURN—February meeting of Belle Pamel chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Drexel White in Elliott Prairie. Mrs. Ray Baker, regent, presided and Mrs. Lester Keller was in charge of the program. The topic for the day was Mary Ball Washington, the mother of George Washington.

The state conference to be conducted February 27 and 28 and March 1 at the Multnomah hotel in Portland was discussed. Delegates to attend are the regent, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Keller and Mrs. Karl Engleman, a member of the state board.

April 14 was the date set for the annual Colonial silver tea to be given at the DAR Memorial cabin at Champoe park.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Lance White.

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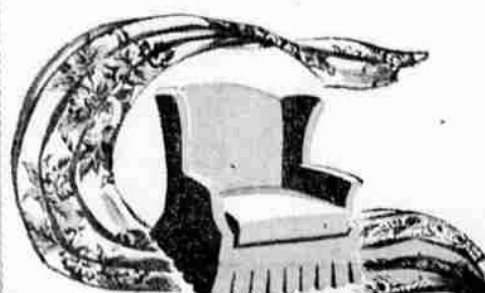
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THIRD FLOOR

WOODBURN—Meetings of the three circles of the Women's Association of the Woodburn Presbyterian church will be Wednesday, February 23. Mrs. Robert E. Van will entertain Circle No. 1 at the manse for a luncheon at 1 p. m. Circle No. 2 will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Byers at 1:30 p. m. and Circle No. 3 at the home of Mrs. Lee Withers also at 1:30 p. m.

Toastmasters to Meet

WOODBURN—Lyman Seely, Harold Livesay and Joe Golik will be speakers at the breakfast meeting of the Woodburn Toastmasters Tuesday, Feb. 22 at 6:30 a.m. at the Coney Island restaurant. L. H. Paulson will serve as toastmaster, Walter Scarborough as table topics chairman. Mark Thompson, timekeeper, Kilian W. Smith, master evaluator, Lloyd Proom and Melvin Bilyeu as evaluators. Mickey McClure will preside.

Lohr-Lowry

LEBANON—Announcement was made this week of the marriage of Mrs. Doris Lowry to Dr. William H. Lohr. The two were wed in Dallas last Saturday in St. Thomas Episcopal church. The Rev. David W. Gordon of Lebanon performed the 4 o'clock rites.

For her nuptials the bride a powder blue brocade dress. Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Burde of Portland, Terry Lowry, a son of the bride, served as ring bearer.

After a two-week wedding trip to California, the couple will return to Lebanon to make their home.

Mrs. Lohr is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leisy of Sweet Home. Dr. Lohr's parents are Mr. and Mrs. William I. Lohr of Taycheedah, Wis.

side. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

MRS. AMERICA! WHO?

Salem Woman Has Chance to Win in Nation-wide Contest

Who will be the next Mrs. America? It may well be one of Salem's outstanding homemakers according to plans revealed today. Announcement is made that a community-wide contest will be conducted under the sponsorship of Portland Gas & Coke Company, in conjunction with KPTV, Channel 27, to select Mrs. Salem.

Local homemakers, married, and 21 years old or over, are eligible to enter the 17th annual competition for the national title and more than \$15,000 in prizes, it is disclosed.

Advance plans, revealed today, call for a series of elimination contests throughout the state, culminating in the naming of Mrs. Oregon, at a final contest to be held in Portland in April.

The state winner, with her husband, will go to Ellinor Village, Ormond Beach, Florida for the national finals the second week in May.

Salem homemakers may secure application blanks for the Mrs. America Contest at their local gas company office or gas appliance dealer display rooms.

The Mrs. America contest, it is stated, is not a bathing beauty competition, but a contest, testing the homemaking abilities of the housewife. Personality and personal appearance will be important, but major emphasis will be given to housekeeping talents. Cooking, sewing, ironing and general home-

making ability will be of greatest importance.

Mrs. America will receive more than \$15,000 in prizes, highlighted by a complete "New Freedom Gas Kitchen and Laundry." In addition she will receive a two week, all-expense paid vacation for herself and her husband at Ellinor Village, Florida, following the week of competition, and dozens of other prizes.

The 17th Annual Mrs. America Contest is being conducted nationally under the auspices of the American Gas Association, and Mrs. America, Inc.

YACHT CLUB MEETS

MOLALLA—Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lewis, as members of Riverside Yacht club of Canby, attended the monthly meeting of the club Thursday night, held in the Don Creitzer home, Oregon City. About 30 were present. The Lewises were the only members attending from Molalla.

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