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Miss Stoermer Becomes Bride Of Mr. Joel C. Medders Sunday

Before an altar lovely with white gladioli and lighted ivory tapers, Florene Stoermer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Ritchlin of Coquille exchanged marriage vows with Joel C. Medders, son of Mrs. R. T. Medders of Canyonville, on Sunday afternoon at four o'clock at Pioneer Methodist church, Coquille. Rev. Lawrence Guderian officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride given in marriage by Mr. A. I. Ritchlin, was gownned in white satin. Her finger-tip veil of Spanish lace, was held in place by a beaded headress and she carried a bouquet of white rosebuds.

Miss Bonnie Lou Stoermer, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a gown of blue satin with a matching bonnet and her bouquet was of sweet peas and white rosebuds.

The three bridesmaids, dressed alike in gowns of pale blue net, and open-crown bonnets of the same material, were Miss Ann Harbison of Coos Bay, Miss Mary Alice Tesson, and Miss Patsy Medders, sister of the groom. They carried bouquets of pastel gladioli.

Miss Joyce Taylor and Miss Pattie Shaw, dressed in pastel gowns of dotted swiss, were the candle-lighters. A. T. Meadows, brother of the groom, acted as best man and ushers were Lyle Buss, Wayne Medders and Terry McCormick.

Mrs. Lawrence Guderian played the wedding music and two vocal selections, "Because" and "I Love Thee" were given by Mr. Carroll Nickels.

The bride's mother, Mrs. A. T. Ritchlin chose a dark grey afternoon dress which she wore with black accessories and an orchid corsage, a gift of the bride and groom. The groom's mother, Mrs. R. T. Medders wore a two-piece ensemble of dark blue, with white accessories and an orchid corsage, also a gift of the bride and groom.

At the reception which followed in the parlours of the church, Mrs. Wilson Dalrymple poured the coffee and the punch was served by Mrs. Vernon Eldredge. Mrs. Louis Frenier served the cake and Miss Sandra McCurdy had charge of the guest book. Also assisting were Mrs. E. L. Benham and Mrs. J. P. Beyers.

The newly weds are honeymooning at Lake Tahoe, California. For traveling the bride chose a suit of chocolate brown, which she wore with matching shoes and purse and a beige hat and gloves. After August 14, they will be at home at the Steinmetz apartments, Coquille.

The bride is a graduate of Coquille high school. She attended the University of Oregon and is affiliated with Delta Zeta sorority. The groom received his education at Oklahoma City and is now connected with Bert's Grocery, located at North Bend.

Shop in Coos Bay—Mrs. Richard Walker, Miss Bonnie Noah and Miss Irene Burr, shopped in Coos Bay on Friday.

U. N. Work Topic Of W.S.C.S. Meet

Mrs. J. W. Bunch of Forest Grove, who attended the last session of the United Nations, was the guest speaker at a special meeting of the women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church held at the church parlors on Thursday evening. Mrs. Bunch spoke informatively on the work of the United States.

Over forty church women were present to hear Mrs. Bunch's address.

Program chairman for the evening was Mrs. C. C. McCurdy and the devotions were lead by Mrs. Vivian Sunderland. Mrs. A. N. Gould had charge of the decorations and chairman of the refreshment committee was Mrs. R. B. Knife.

Laffertys Announce Engagement Of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lafferty of Coquille announce the engagement of their daughter, Janice Marilyn, to Mr. Paul A. Brunson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brunson of Rockaway, Oregon. The wedding which is planned for Saturday, August 20, will be held at the Lafferty home.

Miss Lafferty, a graduate of Coquille high school, is a sophomore at Oregon State college. Mr. Brunson is a junior at Oregon State college.

After their marriage they will reside in Eugene where they are planning to continue their education at the University of Oregon.

Past Noble Grands Enjoy Potluck

The Past Noble Grands club met for a 6:30 o'clock potluck dinner Friday night, Aug. 5th, at the home of Mrs. Birdie Skeels. The tempting viands were served buffet style in the attractive garden in back of the home.

The short business meeting was held in the house, conducted by the president, Elvira Carmichael. The club decided to sponsor one of the Sisters at the I.O.O.F. Home, sending small gifts each month to her.

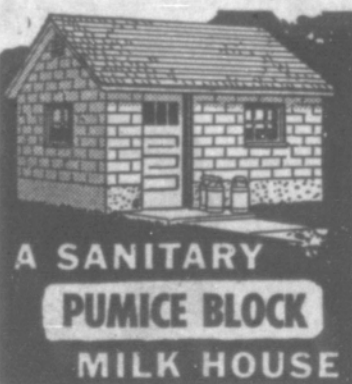
Roll call was responded to by 12 with witticisms or fines.

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Agnes Schroeder in September, with Mrs. Flora Johnson assisting.

After the meeting, a nylon hair brush, donated by one of the members, was won by Mrs. Hattie Shelley.

"Bingo, with loads of white elephants as prizes, occupied the rest of the evening. Present were Mesdames Jack Leach, Earl Schroeder, R. E. Boober, J. P. Beyers, Flora Johnson, Charles Carmichael, Hattie Shelley, T. S. Stevens, Jennie Price, Birdie Skeels, Annie Morrison, Minnie Hartley of California, Katherine Terrio and Miss Ida Oerding.

Week-End Guests — Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Sims were Mr. and Mrs. Lorin McLaughlin and Mr. and Mrs. Q. A. Weichel of Cottage Grove. The group went clam digging at Empire early Sunday morning and cooked a picnic breakfast at Cape Arago state park. Also stopping at the Sims' home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. N. Haynes, also of Cottage Grove.



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Thrift Home Scene Of Party

Mrs. Nelson Wilson of Beverly Hills, California, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. E. E. Leslie, was complimented at a party given at the home of Mrs. Frank Thrift. Three tables of bridge were in play, the prize for high score going to Mrs. Muri Pettit.

Playing were Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. E. E. Leslie, Mrs. Hal Pierce, Mrs. U. E. McClary, Mrs. Muri Pettit, Mrs. Tom Thrift, Mrs. Mary McKeown, Mrs. Helen Lundquist, Mrs. Floyd Robb, Mrs. Joe Culver and Mrs. Annie Fennell.

Royal Neighbors To Picnic

The Royal Neighbors annual picnic will be held on Sunday, August 21, at Myrtle Park, the rear of the Coquille Community building, it was decided at a meeting day of the Coquille lodge held on Wednesday evening. All visiting Royal Neighbors in Coquille are invited to attend. The picnic lunch will be potluck with the lodge furnishing the coffee and ice cream.

Plans were also made for an initiation meeting on August 17.

Two visitors were present at the meeting, district deputy and state oracle, Ann Montgomery of Coos Bay, and Mrs. Emma Martindale of California.

How could she tend the fire... And keep beautiful, too?



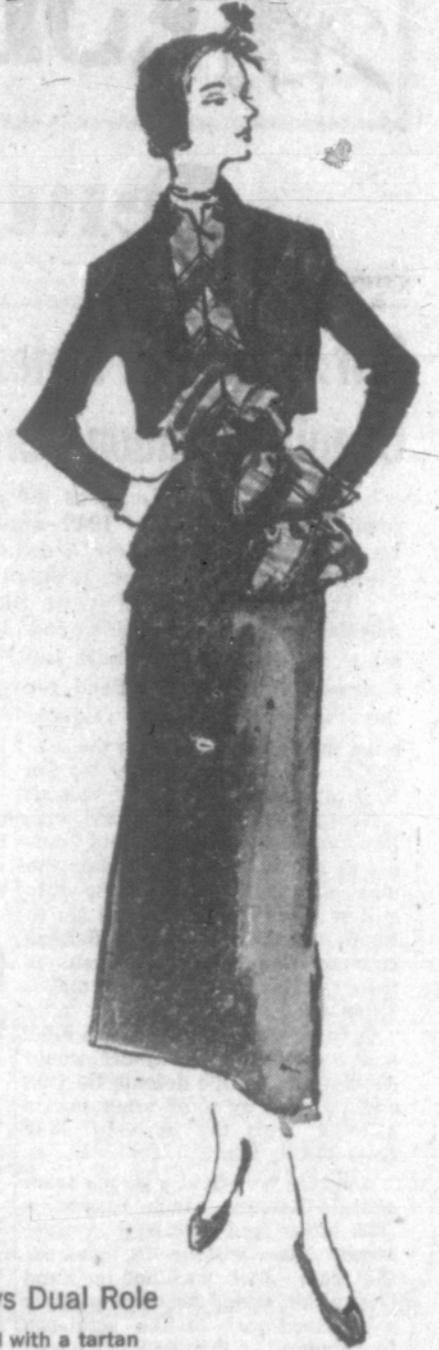
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