



RECENTLY RETIRED OFFICERS of Coquille Bethel, No. 15, Daugh-which will be underway Thursday, Friday and Saturday in Co-terns of Job, who will take an active part in Grand Session activities. (Coquille Studio Photo)

HISTORY OF JOB'S DAUGHTERS

First Job's Daughter Bethel Started In Coquille On November 10, 1934

Victoria Erickson was the Grand Guardian of Oregon when Coquille Bethel, No. 15, Order of Job's Daughters was instituted November 19, 1934. Mrs. Florence Sanford was Coquille's first guardian.

Charter members of the Coquille Bethel were Lavelle Walstrom, Marion Hess, Georgianna Johnson, Mary Lou Nessler, Jean Peterson, Jean Mc-Nelly, Joan Dalen, Phyllis LaGarr, Mary Edna Lorenz, Evelyn Rider, Donna Dean Bosserman, Eileen Percy, Marjorie Alstine, Harriet McRoy, Beryl Williams, Mary Due, Aileen Osborn, Berentha Laub, Jane Axtell, Marianne Axtell, Virginia Hartson, Audrey Taylor, Lois Laub, Betty Kern, Mary Kern, Margaret Purvance.

Many Distinguished Guests To Visit Coquille During Job's Daughters.

Among the distinguished guests who will be in Coquille this week-end for the Daughters of Job Grand Session are: Florence M. Christy, past supreme guardian; Curtis M. Christy, past associate supreme guardian; Ralph L. Thomas, past associate supreme guardian; Gladys Q. Hall, supreme marshal; Shalor C. Eldridge, most worshipful grand master of Masons of Oregon; Edna Thorne, worthy grand matron Order of Eastern Star; Leslie Bass, worthy grand patron Order of Eastern Star; Frances Hurbert, past supreme royal matron, Order of Amaranth; William Pritchard, grand royal patron Order of Amaranth, and Mrs. Dorothy Crump, worthy matron of Sunnyside.

The 1949-50 grand officers are: Martha Elhart, Ashland, grand guardian; Leroy Farmer, Portland, associate grand guardian; Ada Moore, Coquille, vice grand guardian; A. E. Peterson, Portland, vice associate grand guardian; Avon Vert, Portland, grand guide.

Mamie Wilson, Myrtle Creek, grand marshal; Edna Catlow, Portland, grand secretary; Jean Yeo, Gladstone, grand treasurer; Virginia Eckert, Portland, grand chaplain; Marion Crouse, Eugene, grand musician; Velma Green, Portland, grand librarian; Isabelle Hunnell, Bend, grand first messenger; Laura Dean, Medford, grand second messenger; Gwen Waln, Salem, grand third messenger.

Margaret Walsh, grand fourth messenger; Molly Bertch, Portland, grand fifth messenger; May Surplice, Portland, grand junior custodian; Rowena Lanterman, Ontario, grand senior custodian; Andrew Stevens, Medford, grand inner guard; Carl Ehler, Portland, grand outer guard.

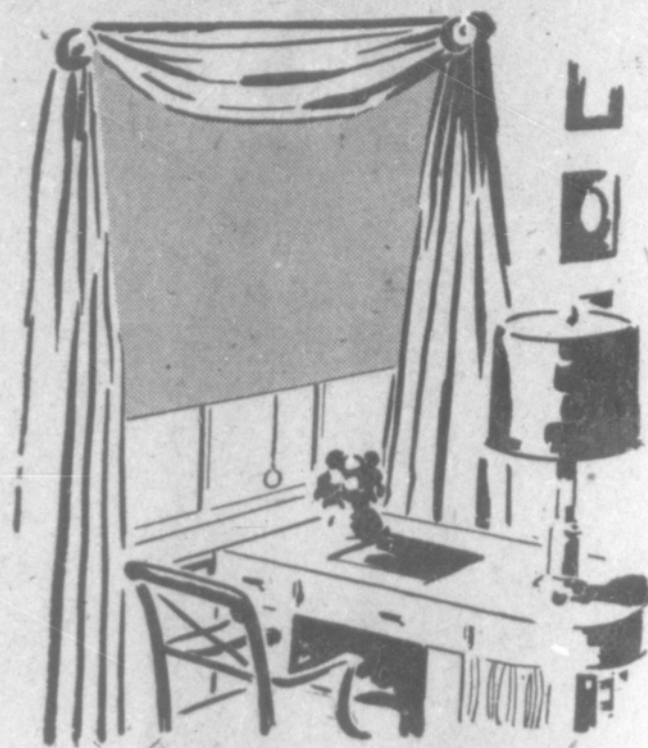
protection of Master Masons. The Golden Rule is a monument of the Order. Faithfulness in attendance is necessary and great stress is placed on loyalty. Patriotism inculcated is a stimulus to good citizenship. Each month the Librarian gives a report, or supervises a program, that is both elevating and entertaining. A vast practical experience and cultural training is gained, to be used later in life when the girl of today is the woman of tomorrow. The regular Bethel meeting, held twice each month, preferably on Saturday afternoon, does not interfere with school, church or home duties, being rather a recreational activity of the highest type and the Bethel function becomes the nucleus of social life for the Daughter and her chosen friends. Entertainments in keeping with the high ideals of the Order are a feature of all Bethel activities. These entertainments are always under the supervision of the Bethel Guardian Council. Honorary Membership comes with the twentieth birthday, or with marriage, and with it an Honorary Membership Card which admits its holder, henceforth, to all Bethel activities as well as to all privileges except those of voting, election or appointment to office and paying dues.

That "to be fair is to do good" is a tenet of the Order. Job's Daughters bestows Masonic heritage, for "in all the land were no women found so fair as the Daughters of Job, and their father gave them inheritance among their brethren." Being taught "that to be fair is to do good," generous charities are encouraged and thousands of dollars have already been donated to worthy causes by these young fraternalists. In innumerable cases sunshine has been brought into places dark with doubt and despair by loving acts of kindness of these Masonic daughters who are in truth "The Fairest in the Land." An Educational fund is maintained from which members may borrow for the purpose of securing business training, or completing an education in any chosen field.

Salient Facts
The Order of Job's Daughters was founded by Mrs. Ethel T. Wead Mick in the city of Omaha, on October 20, 1920. It was formally organized May 27, 1921.

By Plane To Portland — Clovis Church and his son left by plane Sunday evening for Portland.

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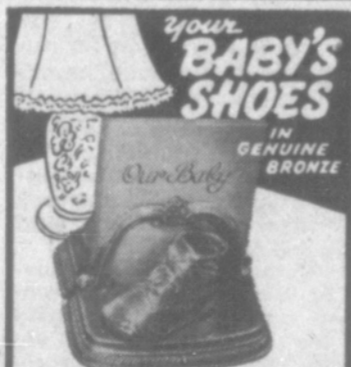
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