

THE PHOENIX NEWS

Garden Club Meeting Success

Phoenix, May 5 — District meeting of the Siskiyou district Garden clubs was a success. The speaker in the morning, was Mrs. Hamilton of Portland. She spoke on Rhododendrons and azaleas. Giving a beautiful demonstration by having flowers from Portland gardens to show various named varieties in color. Mrs. Smith of Cave Junction gave correct pronunciation of flower names usually confusing.

Dinner was served at the Medford Hotel with small plants as favors.

After luncheon a door drawing was held and many beautiful shrubs, flowers and roses were received as prizes from the hostesses of the day, Medford Garden club. Phoenix Garden club won a beautiful rhododendrum as a door prize for the district clubs present.

The balance of the afternoon included a talk on "painting pictures with flowers," by Phyllis Rusque of Medford and reports of all club presidents present on their club's past years work.

Mrs. C. R. Adamson of Medford sang, "Years of Spring" and "An English Garden". She was accompanied by Mrs. H. E. March also of Medford.

Mrs. Sadie Nichols, district chairman, received a gift from all the district clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Gier entertained their son, M/Sgt. Stanley Gier, last Thursday evening on the occasion of his birthday. Members of the Ashland and Medford Radio clubs were present and made Sgt. Gier an honorary member of the organization. Sgt. Gier is home on leave from the Philippines and expects to be assigned to duty in the states.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley E. Lewis and son of Torrance, Cal. were guests at the home of Mr. Lewis' parents A. C. Lewis, Coleman Creek road the past ten days.

YOUNG PRESBYTERIANS ELECT OFFICERS

Phoenix, May 5 — The Young People's society of the Phoenix Presbyterian church held their election of officers at Rev. Clark's apartment. Jackie Hobbs was elected president, Nannette Furry, vice president; Kay Dudley, secretary, Gary Denzer, treasurer. Otto Castor, program chairman; Miss Furry, lookout chairman; Sandra Miksche, missionary chairwoman, Chloe Stevens, pianist.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Clark. A committee meeting will be held next week to further plans for the future.

Extension Unit Attends Festival

Phoenix, May 5 — Phoenix home extension unit members attended the annual April festival of Jackson county units Thursday, April 28th at Central Point grange hall.

Members of this unit modeled their cotton dresses they had made as one of this year's projects.

Mrs. Frank Paygr from Mallin, Oregon, was speaker of the day. Mrs. Paygr spent two months last summer in Czechoslovakia. She described their living conditions, their gardens and homes also showing pictures. She had made plus articles of clothing she had brought back.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Norton and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Reinert of Phoenix spent the week end fishing on the South Umpqua.

Phoenix Festival All Set To Go

Phoenix, May 4 — A new Chevrolet will be given to some contributor who has given money toward the building of a Phoenix Youth Center and Community Club building at the May 14 Festival in Phoenix.

The Festival, which will last all day and continue into the night with two dances, is a community project with all organizations in the community participating. Mrs. George Bourn is co-ordinating chairman of the affair.

A parade will start the day at 11:30 with units of the parade scheduled to visit Ashland, Medford, and Talent early in the day. Don Dayton is parade chairman. Plans are being considered to have a flower bombing with army reserve planes from Medford doing the bombing.

Events during the day will include dancing by students of the Colleen Hope dance studios. Music by Eve Prentice's and Bliss Heine's bands. The Phoenix high school band will also play. The 4K quartet will sing, and Mr. Keddie will play the bagpipes.

Hartley's orchestra is contributing their services to the old time dance. The Lions are sponsoring the modern dance.

Booths will be on the streets of Phoenix during the festival. A queen will be selected during the day from one of the following six candidates: Kay Dudley, grange candidate; Montana Haggard, Lions; Jane MacKintosh, Thursday club; Nannette Furry, Oak Circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft; Betty Skinner, Youth Center club, and Chloe Stevens, Garden club.

Hutton Is Elected Prexy Student Body

Phoenix, May 5 — Bill Hutton was elected president of the Phoenix high student body Friday.

He will take the new officers to Bend, Oregon for sessions of the State ass'n of student councils, Monday and Tuesday.

PHOENIX CITY COUNCIL GRANTS NINE PERMITS

Phoenix, May 4 — Meeting on Monday night in regular session members of the Phoenix city council granted nine building permits. Permits were given to: Donald L. Charters, Marjorie Brazell, N. E. Randles, Mary Watkins, Harvey Upton, Herman Gier and W. W. Harmon.

Phoenix School Bonds Are Let

Phoenix, May 4 — Bids on bonds for Phoenix school were opened Thursday night. Total amount was \$252,000.00.

Bids on construction of the school will be entered May 12. The school will serve what were the former districts of Independence, North Phoenix, Fern Valley and Phoenix.

The new school will be constructed three blocks north of the present city school. Land for the site has been bought and graded by surplus money which was in the school funds.

The school will be a junior high and high school. Target date for completion is October 15.

Phoenix Grangers Meet in Jacksonville

Phoenix, May 5 — Phoenix and Jacksonville granges held a joint meeting Tuesday, April 26th at the Jacksonville grange. Jacksonville was represented by 29 members and Phoenix had 37 members present.

The display table was very interesting under the supervision of HEC chairman of Jacksonville.

Master John Neidermeyer of Jacksonville opened the meeting and Master Warren Loffer of Phoenix conducted the rest of the meeting. Good reports were given by all committees.

The lecture hour was given by Mrs. A. C. Lewis, Phoenix lecturer. The program consisted of community singing, led by Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. Wendt at the piano, both of Jacksonville. Phoenix put on a skit—"And the Lamp Went Out". It was read but acting the pantomime parts were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Loffer, Mrs. Paul Simpson and N. E. Norton. Mrs. Chas. Hockersmith had charge of the sound effects.

Refreshments were served by Jacksonville. The dinner served by Phoenix grange Sunday, April 25th was a huge success and Mrs. Enid Coster, HEC chairman, announced \$224.40 as the amount cleared from the dinner.

On the serving committee for next meeting will be Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold, Oscar Gysin and Marvin Lattie.

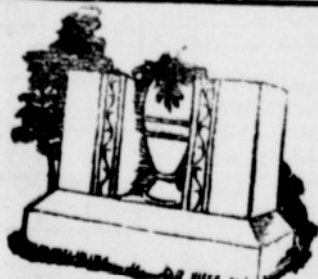
Mrs. Ella B. Sheets, Phoenix, wife of M. F. Sheets passed away Friday, April 29. She was a member of the Phoenix Presbyterian church.

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SOC ENTERTAINS MOTHERS SATURDAY AT A.W.S. WOMENS DAY

Approximately 300 mothers of SOC college students will attend the third annual Women's day program presented by the Associated Women Students of Southern Oregon college on May 7.

The scheduled events for the day include an honor assembly at which Neva M. Elliot, prominent Portland attorney, will speak on the subject "Find Your Horizon," a luncheon, a vaudeville radio sketch, with Leon Mulling acting as co-ordinator, initiation of Sigma Epsilon Pi, womens honorary society, a style show, sponsored by two Medford clothing stores. The occasion will be marked by the first general meeting of the SOC "Mother's Club," organized last year under the presidency of Mrs. G. G. Newton of Ashland.

Marjorie Flinnau, Ashland, will be the general chairman of the

program and the committee will include Beverly Bradshaw, Albany; Joyce Ballantyne, Grants Pass; June Marold, Klamath Falls; Helen Redbird, Ashland; Alair Clifton, Riverside, Calif.; Nancy Youngblood, Grants Pass; Nancy Hunter, Central Point; Marjorie Messenger, Ashland; Shirley O'Brien, O'Brien; Mary McCormick, Grants Pass; Julia Tower, Winchester; and Mignon Nyberg, of Ashland.

PHOENIX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, 10 a.m. Sunday School
J. O. N. Poling, Supt.
Sunday 1 a.m. Worship. Rev. E. J. Clark.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Choir practice.
7:30 Sunday. Young Peoples

Marjorie Flinnau, Ashland, will be the general chairman of the meeting. Elva Castor, advisor.

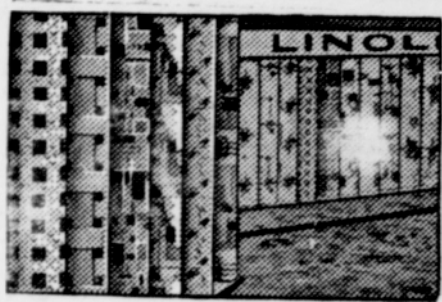
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