

SOCIETY



Three months ago the social committee of the Greater Medford club organized a Junior association of young women. This latter organization has served to make a hundred young women of the city better acquainted, has developed a keen interest in certain civic and social needs, and has opened the way for a more permanent and able organization. The spirit of the association has been equal to all things, but time for both officers and members has been at a premium, and therefore it has seemed best for the present Junior association to reorganize as the Young Women's Christian association, under the leadership of a special organizer. For this purpose Miss Frances Gage, executive secretary for the northwest, will arrive on Monday, March 11, and will meet all young women of the city who are interested, Monday evening in the assembly hall of the public library. There is a definite need for a Y. W. C. A. in Medford. It will afford an attractive social, educational and amusement center for young women, will do away with the frequent complaint of those who are strangers or unacquainted that there is "no place to go and nothing for girls to do" in Medford, and will be an additional reason why Medford is a good place to come to. It is hoped Miss Gage will consider the new move entirely practicable. Every one interested, from the age of twelve upward, is cordially invited to meet Miss Gage Monday evening, March 11, at 7:30 o'clock in the assembly hall of the public library.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Reddy entertained at dinner Thursday evening at their home in Queen Anne addition. Jonquills and hyacinths were used for decorations in the living rooms and masses of violets were used on the dining table. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hafer, Mrs. M. M. Putnam, Miss Putnam, Colonel Ton Velle and George Putnam.

The Greater Medford club will be "at home" at its regular mid-month social meeting Monday afternoon, March 11, at 3 o'clock, in the assembly hall of the new public library. All friends of the club and visitors to the city will be cordially welcomed. The club's social meetings are in charge of Mesdames Merrick, Hollis, Alford and Lumsden.

The Pythian Sisters gave a Leap Year dance Tuesday evening at Pythian Hall, for the benefit of the lodge which was a great success. The evening was spent in dancing and cards. Those on the committee in charge were Mesdames A. Hubbard, Whiting, Frank Isaacs, John Pearl and Miss Iva Coffin.

Mrs. Young entertained for the members of her Sunday school class Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Beach. The members are all the young married women of the Baptist church, and a most enjoyable afternoon was spent.

Miss Lucille Marshall who has been attending the University of California at Berkeley, was obliged to return home this week on account of a severe attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Forney who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Burgess, have returned to their home in the east.

Mr. J. Walter Mosler returned to Medford this week, accompanied by his bride, who was Miss Dutch of Denver, Colo.

Mr. Robert Brevard has returned to Medford after spending several months at his home in South Carolina.

Dr. W. S. Gundy returned this week from San Diego, Cal., where he has been spending the winter.

Mr. George G. Shirley and family left Saturday for McMinville, where they will reside in future.

Mr. Thomas Vogel and family left Monday for Seattle, where they will remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Schuster are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter.

The "500" club met with Mr. and Mrs. Lumsden Tuesday evening.

Miss Hazel Enyart is the guest of Miss Fern Hutchinson.

Mr. V. J. Emerick has returned from a trip to Seattle.

The Wednesday Study club met this week with Mrs. C. M. English on South Oakdale avenue. Mrs. W. I. Vawter had charge of the program, the subject being "Italian Renaissance Sculpture." Roll call was responded to by giving names of famous examples of sculpture, ancient and modern, found in the galleries of Italy.

Paper—"Michael Angelo and Cellini".....Mrs. W. I. Vawter Giovanni da Bologna.....Mrs. H. H. Tuttle Description of some of the works of Cellini.....Mrs. E. B. Pickel Piano solo.....Miss Fern Hutchinson Mrs. E. S. Parsons sang very beautifully the following group of songs: "Love is a Rose," "In the Garden of My Heart," "I Love You," "Here's Hopin'."

The program was most interesting and thoroughly enjoyed. The hostesses were assisted in serving refreshments by Bertha English, Laura Treichel, and Dorothy Parsons.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. E. S. Parsons, on Summit avenue, March 20th and will be a "Dickens Day."

A series of parties has been planned by the Junior Medford club for the benefit of the club. The first one occurs Saturday afternoon of this week when Mrs. Carey entertains eight ladies. Each lady in turn promises to entertain eight guests, etc., making an endless chain. Each guest will pay 25c. Cards or just a social afternoon will be the form of entertainment and the hostess is restricted to serving only two articles for refreshment. In this way quite a little money can be raised with very little effort and each woman can help. The guests will not be limited to club members and it is hoped that all the women will work towards making it a success, for the club is very much in need of funds and are trying not to call upon the public for assistance this year.

The marriage of Charles A. Renad and Miss Lillian Nunn was solemnized March 2nd, at the Presbyterian church, Rev. W. F. Shields officiating. The bride, who is a very popular young lady, will be greatly missed by her many friends. The groom is a well known young business man of Cottage Grove, where the young couple will reside.

The ladies of the Baptist church gave a reception at the home of Mrs. Lyons, Tuesday afternoon to the new comers of the church. Among those on the committee in charge were Mesdames C. C. Johnson, Fouts, Hazelrigg, and DeArmond.

Mrs. Rau entertained the Auction Bridge Luncheon club this week. Mrs. Mundy and her niece Miss Pruyin substituted. Those present were Mesdames C. H. Brown, Stokes, Harmon, Gray, Perkins, Mundy and Miss Pruyin.

Mrs. Fred Hopkins entertained with a bridge luncheon at her home, Snowy Butte orchard, Wednesday. The guests were Mesdames Hamil, McCormack, Brooke, Fiero and the Misses McCormack and Hallowell.

Mrs. E. E. Hanley entertained informally with a bridge luncheon at her country home Wednesday. Her guests were Mesdames Perkins, La Claire, Hafer, Harmon, Rau, Misses Hubbard and Maquing.

Mrs. Carey entertained with a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Scantlin Saturday afternoon. Those present besides the honor guest were Mesdames Root, Purdin and Budge.

The "Buenos Noches" Bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Knight Wednesday evening.

Miss May Phipps is expected home soon from Redlands, Cal., where she has spent the winter.

Mrs. H. M. Edwards and Miss Lola Howard of Eureka, are visiting friends here.

A dance will be given by the "Swastikas" Easter week. The date set is April 9th.

Mrs. H. H. Johnston of San Francisco is visiting her daughter Miss C. A. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ward of Hood River are spending a few days here.

Mr. E. E. Burgess returned Thursday from an eastern trip.

Mrs. Madden returned Saturday from a visit to Seattle.

Plans are being made by the Greater Medford club, the Commercial club and the public school officials to inaugurate the "Country Home Improvement" in the schools. Vacant lots will be secured where the different schools can start their gardens.

This will improve some of the vacant lots and at the same time be of great value to the children, as it will teach them some of the rudiments of agriculture.

Local prizes will be offered for the best gardens and products and statewide prizes have been offered which any child can compete for.

Dr. J. F. Reddy has offered prizes. The Mail Tribune has offered seeds and prizes and local people will be asked to offer prizes and donate seeds.

A most elaborate luncheon was given Friday at the home of Mrs. W. I. Vawter, when the six members of the Friday Bridge club holding the lowest scores for the winter entertained the other members. The hostesses were Mesdames Vawter, Hutchinson, Budge, Nye, Porter and Riddell.

Ferns and palms were used in decoration in the living room and hall and in the dining room daffodils and ferns were used. At each guest's place was a large bunch of violets and hyacinths. During the luncheon each guest received a little package which contained an article which illustrated a hobby of each.

The hostesses, gowned in most unique manner, received their guests, who were Mesdames Carey, Luke, English, Andrews, Pickel and Purdin.

The ladies of the Entre Nous Whist club entertained their husbands Monday evening at the home of Mrs. C. B. Brown, 44 North Quince street. Whist was played at five tables until 11 o'clock when an elegant luncheon was served to 20 guests. Mrs. E. G. Fernbach won the ladies' head prize; Mrs. Weisler, second, and Mrs. Coffin third. Mr. H. C. Boney won gentlemen's first prize; Mr. Hesser, second, and Mr. C. J. Eastman third. The club will meet with Mrs. E. V. Coffin next Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Bernice Carter gave a kitchen shower Friday evening for Miss Luella Campbell, whose marriage to Mr. Donald Springer will occur soon. During the evening a mock wedding was held and a jolly good time was had. The guests were Misses Luella Campbell, Florence Marshall, Jennie Hanson, Maude Ling, Lorraine Bliton, Mable Jones, Marion Shannon, Inne Flynn, May Murdoch and Mrs. Philbrook.

A stag party was given at the home of Mr. Sam Richardson Wednesday evening. The affair was a surprise to the host and was in honor of his birthday. The guests were Messrs. Leon Haskins, R. W. Antle, W. C. Green, W. G. Aldenbagen, Chas. Lebo, Fred Weeks, Homer Rothermal, Walter Kentner, Ben Plymouth and W. J. Keyes.

A surprise party was given Mrs. C. J. Hutchinson Wednesday morning, in honor of her birthday, by Mrs. Andrews, at her home on Orange street. Bridge was played until noon when a dainty luncheon was served.

Mr. George Butz left Friday for Portland.

Mrs. Charis Lebo entertained informally Wednesday evening at her home on Orange street. Her guests were Mesdames Richardson, W. J. Keyes, Aldenbagen, Walter Kentner and Homer Rothermal.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Day on South Oakdale. All members are asked to be present.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club was entertained by Mrs. J. Johnson this week. Mrs. McGowan with highest score received a brass fern jardiniere.

The ladies of the Wednesday afternoon Bridge club entertained the gentlemen Friday evening at the home of Mrs. John Barneburg.

Mr. T. E. Centers of Sacramento, Cal., is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. R. A. Davis.

Mr. R. H. Bennett and family left Tuesday on a visit to their old home in Red Oak, Ia.

Mrs. W. H. James and daughter Miss Edith are spending a month in San Francisco.

Miss Bessie Hearing has returned from a visit in Corvallis.

T. Slater Johnson returned Thursday from a trip through Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stinson of Portland are the guests of their son, W. J. Stinson.

Mr. A. K. Ware returned this week from an extended trip through the middle west.

Mrs. Fred Blagle of Couquille, Or., is visiting her father, Mr. C. T. Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clay have returned from a month's visit in California.

Miss May Hoke of Central Point is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lincoln.

Mrs. Riddell entertained the "Aloha" Bridge club Thursday afternoon.

Miss Bess Kentner entertained the Thursday Afternoon Bridge club this week.

The Eastern Star will hold its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday night.

Mr. Carl Tengwood of Denver, Col., is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. J. A. Westerlund.

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