

EUGENE GOLF PLAYERS ENTERTAINED RECENTLY AT MEDFORD COUNTRY CLUB



# Society



Courtesy Portland Journal.

Wednesday evening the Masonic hall was the scene of brilliancy when Reames Chapter, No. 66, O. E. S., held a reception for the worthy grand matron, Mrs. Nellie McGowan, who is a member of the Medford chapter. The officers and members of Alpha Chapter, No. 1, Ashland; Adorel Chapter, No. 3, Jacksonville; Josephine, No. 26, Grants Pass; Nevada, No. 93, Central Point, were invited.

The guests were met at the door by a committee, who presented each guest with a red rose and escorted them to the lodge room, where a reception committee composed of all past matrons and patrons of Reames Chapter, welcomed them. The hall was decorated with baskets of roses and red stars hung from the ceiling, while large jardiniere of roses were in every available place.

Across the front of the hall in red letters were the words, "Our Own Worthy Matron." The banquet room was decorated with hand-painted yellow and black butterflies and baskets of pink roses, making a most beautiful picture. Much credit is due the decorating committee as much time was spent in decorating.

After the exemplification of the work by the Star officers there were many pleasing speeches. F. E. Merrick made the presentation for the Reames chapter of the gift to Mrs. McGowan of a beautiful cut glass almond set. Sister Crocker of Ashland made the presentation for the visiting chapters, who presented Mrs. McGowan with a hand-painted chocolate set. After chapter closed the guests were invited into the banquet hall, where refreshments prepared by the auxiliary committee were served. Mrs. Hamilton, as chairman, received much praise for the capable and systematic way the crowd was handled.

Two large bowls of punch, presided over by young ladies, were much enjoyed, as well as the other good things. A short program had been planned, but owing to the lateness of the hour only one responded. A beautiful vocal solo by Herbert Alford was much enjoyed. After a short social hour the guests departed. About 300 were in attendance and the distinguished guests were: Mrs. Nellie McGowan, W. G. M., of Oregon; Mrs. Lida V. Stone, P. G. M., of Colorado; Mrs. Josephine Crocker, P. G. M. of Oregon; Mrs. Lena Stannard, P. G. M., California; Mrs. L. M. Sablin, grand chaplain, Grants Pass; Mrs. F. Maude Hargrave, grand Adah, Medford; Mrs. Edna Robinson, grand Martha, Central Point.

Wednesday evening the Christian Endeavor society of the Christian church held their regular business meeting, at which time officers for the year were elected as follows: President, Agnes Robinson; vice-president, Carl Merrill; recording secretary, Mae Henson; corresponding secretary, Mary Henson; financial secretary, Russell Wallace; treasurer, Howard Groner. Various plans were discussed for the coming year and it is expected that the society will continue to improve under the leadership of Miss Robinson.

The Serious Ten club was entertained at the home of Miss Margaret English, 323 South Orange street, on Tuesday evening. The rooms were very prettily decorated with roses. The evening was spent with fancy work, after which dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Lorena Stratton, Myrtle Davis, Myrtle Purkeypile, Lellie Whisenant, Doris Layne, Redith Jones, Vivian Stewart, Edna Marquis, Edna Demmer and Margaret English.

The College club held their last meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. E. H. Porter this afternoon. A very enjoyable afternoon was had and a most interesting program was given as follows: Piano solo, Miss Genevieve Wortman; reading, Miss Jackson of Ashland; solo, Mrs. E. E. Gore; reading, Miss Briggs of Ashland. Mrs. Lathrop gave a very interesting talk on "War Conditions in England."

Mrs. Hans Homer entertained the young people of the Baptist church Friday evening at her home on South Central. The rooms were decorated with roses. After the business meeting and election of officers a social hour was spent and refreshments were served. There were forty young people present and all left declaring they had spent a most enjoyable evening.

The annual Play Day exercises of the Elks' lodge will be held at the Elks' Temple, Monday evening June 14 at 8 o'clock. At this time Elks the world over, will pay tribute to the stars and stripes. The beautiful and impressive flag ritual of the order will be given. The public is invited to these exercises. The following program will be given:

- The program is as follows:
- Music, "Star-Spangled Banner"
- Hazelrigg orchestra
- Introductory exercises
- Exalted Ruler and officers
- Prayer
- Chaplain
- Song, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean"
- Miss Florence Hazelrigg
- Flag Record
- Gus Newbury
- Solo, "Neath the Old Red, White and Blue," words and music by George T. Wilson
- Herbert Alford
- Carter Brandon, accompanist.
- Altar service—E-quire and officers
- "Elks' Tribute to the Flag"
- A. C. Burgess
- Music, "Roses' Honeymoon"
- Hazelrigg orchestra
- Solo, Selected
- William Vawter
- Reading, "Makers of the Flag," by Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior
- Mrs. Geo. T. Wilson
- Patriotic address
- Rev. William B. Hamilton
- Song, "America"—Audience to join

The Coquille Valley Sentinel contains the following social event given in honor of Miss Ruth Woodford, formerly of this city:

"Quite the most brilliant affair of the spring season was the shower given Wednesday evening by Mrs. L. A. Liljeqvist and Miss Clare Sherwood in honor of Miss Ruth Woodford, who is soon to be married to Iris A. Elrod of Marshfield. The cheery living room of the Liljeqvist home was quite attractive in white carnations and white roses in hanging baskets and bowls in varied and artistic arrangements, while the dining room was exquisite in shades of iris and iris blooms. The large chandelier was covered with purple crepe paper, from which suspended festoonings of purple and lavender streamers, giving the effect of a large purple iris. Inside this dainty bower, the guest of honor was invited to "peek" and on doing so found it piled high with packages, all addressed to Miss Ruth, which were opened by her with much excitement and a great deal of pleasure. The gifts were all beautiful and displayed the high esteem her many friends held for her and their good wishes for her future happiness. Later the guests were invited to the Sherwood home to partake of a most delicious luncheon of hot tamales, Parkerhouse rolls and ice cream and cake. The color scheme in the dining room was pink, with favors of Caroline Testout roses and place cards with brides roses done in pink, while the pink chandelier gave forth a soft pink glow in a most charming effect."

The members of the new senior class of student nurses at Sacred Heart hospital gave a very enjoyable reception and dance to the members of the graduating class on Wednesday evening of this week. An excellent musical program was rendered, those taking part in it being Dr. Howard, the Misses Grace Brown, Helen Reddy and Gladys Hinman and the graduating class. Among those present were the Misses Grace Brown, Grace Dye, Florence Reddy, Myers, Nancy Clark, Angelina Provost, Agnes Broad, Hannah Broad, Mary Barba, Mesdames G. N. Birkland, Sadie Ellenhurst, B. G. Clark, H. Provost of Ashland and Mrs. Charles Delin; Messrs. Cole Holmes, G. N. Birkland, Lyman Orton, Clark, Leonard Woodford, Artemus Spooner, E. C. Norris, W. Nicholas and Dr. Howard. The party was given at the parish hall of the Catholic church on Oakdale avenue.

Mrs. Walter Bowne entertained a party of children Saturday afternoon at a birthday luncheon in honor of Miss Ruth, it being her third birthday. The afternoon was spent with games on the lawn. Those present were Roxana Ruhl, Bill Newhall, Farrell Kenley, John Connor, Louise Connor, Mary Connor, Barber Cowles, Barbara Owens, Gene Osborne, Peggy and John Hammill, Sandy Guthrie and Mary Louise Carpenter.

Mrs. Theo. C. Wicks entertained Le Sauced Club this afternoon at her home on Bennett avenue. The guests were: Mrs. H. G. Stockman, Mrs. Geo. T. Collins, Mrs. Ed Souther, Mrs. C. E. Van Scoyoc, Mrs. F. R. Roberts, Mrs. W. M. Van Scoyoc, Mrs. H. B. Patterson, Mrs. W. P. Mealey, Mrs. A. P. Olson and Mrs. M. Wagner.

Mrs. E. G. Riddell entertained the Nullo Bridge Club at her home on South Oakdale Thursday afternoon.

Miss Grace Josephine Brown is the fortunate possessor of a contract that calls for her presence in New York later this summer to begin rehearsals for the leading ingenue with the musical comedy, "Bringing Up Father," built on the famous George M. Mannus cartoons, says the Portland Journal.

For the past six months Miss Brown has been the contralto of the quintet of singers entertaining at the Oregon grill, and it was there that the manager of the company heard her sing when his players filled a special week's engagement at the Baker. He was so impressed with the young singer's voice and individuality that he entered into negotiations with her and placed her under contract for the coming season.

Miss Brown is a well-known soloist in Portland, where she has filled important church positions among them the First Congregational, First Methodist and First Church of Christ, Scientist. She will leave Tuesday for her home in Medford, where she will pass the remainder of the summer until east for rehearsals.

This Wednesday evening occurred the wedding of Miss Beulah Caldwell of Ashland and William Robert Newman of Medford at the home of the bride's mother, Miss Leah Caldwell, on Laurel street, Ashland. The ceremony occurred at 8:30, Rev. Vallandigham of the Christian church officiating. The bride was beautifully gowned in white chamoisee trimmed with seed pearls and silk lace. She entered the room on the arm of her father, Dr. A. C. Caldwell of Salem, to the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Sylvia Brown of Ashland. Miss Margaret Williamson of Davis, Cal., as maid of honor, was gowned in yellow taffeta trimmed with blue cornflowers. Miss Gertrude Engle sang "Bid Me to Love," accompanied by Miss Eva Poley. The ceremony was performed in a beautiful bower of white roses and smiles, following which dainty refreshments were served in an adjoining room, which was artistically trimmed in pink roses. Guests were relatives and the teachers with whom the bride has been associated in her work the past year—about thirty being present. Late in the evening the young couple left for Medford, where they will make their home. Mr. Newman having charge of the Mira Vista orchards in that vicinity. The good wishes of scores of friends go with them.—Ashland Tidings.

A surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Debley of South King street Sunday evening, the event being their sixteenth wedding anniversary. A social evening was spent with music and conversation, followed with refreshments. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knapp, Mrs. J. F. Hale, Mrs. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann, Mrs. Platt, Miss Dally, Mrs. La Fortune, Mr. La Fortune, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Glidden.

Mrs. Fay Diamond of North Riverside was very pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening at her home on North Riverside by a number of her friends. The evening was spent in playing cards, followed by refreshments. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Tomlinson and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Orr.

Mrs. Sam Gardner entertained the Forget-Me-Not club at her home, 122 North Ivy street, Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in whist and visiting, after which a two-course luncheon was served by the hostess. Mrs. J. C. Schurr, Mrs. C. Cole and Mrs. M. Centers were guests of the club.

Mrs. William Scoy-Smith entertained at a bridge luncheon at the Country club Tuesday afternoon. Those present were: Mrs. J. Vilas Beckwith, Mrs. George B. Carpenter, Mrs. L. A. S. Lode, Mrs. A. E. Reames, Mrs. Ed Hanley, Mrs. Cornelia Keuley and Mrs. Fred Hopkins.

Tuesday afternoon the ladies of the Altar society of the Catholic church gave a tea at the parish hall. Mrs. Charles Schieffelin and Mrs. Ernest McKeever were hostesses.

Mrs. W. S. Mulford and the Misses Louise and Margaret Mulford of Peoria, Illinois, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vilas at their ranch home for several days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Wood of Hutehin, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donbar Carpenter. Mr. Wood is a brother of Mrs. Carpenter.

The Guards of the Women of Woodcraft entertained the members and friends of the lodge with a dance and banquet Tuesday evening in the W. O. W. hall. The ladies on the committee were: Mrs. C. T. Noe, Mrs. H. E. Koontz, Mrs. Gus Samuels, Mrs. Frank Dellinger, Mrs. Chester Parker, Mrs. Frank Martin, Miss Mabel Jones and Mrs. Mate Biden. The lodge entertained as their guest Mrs. J. S. Gill of Dunsmuir, California, who recently lived in Medford and was captain of Guards for some time.

The Moose lodge entertained their members and friends with a dancing party in the Moose hall Tuesday evening. A very enjoyable time was had by all present. At the close of the evening refreshments were served by the ladies.

Miss Mabel Mears and mother, Mrs. E. J. Mears, left Wednesday for Boston where they will spend the summer. They will return in the fall when Miss Mears will take charge of the domestic science department of the Klamath Falls high school.

A reception will be given Mr. B. F. Mulkey, instructor of the Shakespere Club by the members of the club Monday evening at the home of Mrs. S. A. Nye on East Main street.

Miss Stella Merrick of Long Beach, California, is visiting her brother, F. E. Merrick and family, of East Main street.

Mrs. W. Ransley of East Orange, N. Y., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Waltermeyer of Court street for several weeks.

Miss Irene Sullivan left Tuesday morning for Eugene where she will visit at the university until after commencement. She will then go on to Gearhart-by-the-Sea, where the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority holds their national convention this year. Miss Sullivan expects to spend most of the summer visiting in Portland and The Dalles.

Mrs. S. Vilas Beckwith entertained a few friends at a dinner party on Thursday evening at her home on King's highway. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bowne, Donald Clark, Mrs. F. H. Cowles and Mr. and Mrs. Conro Fiero.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Antle and daughters, Misses Mildred and Hazel, left today for a visit to San Francisco and the exposition.

Mrs. H. U. Lumsden entertained the Friday Bridge club at luncheon Friday afternoon at her home on South Holly.

Mrs. Weldon Biddle entertained the Girls' Bridge club at her home at the Kenwood orchard Thursday afternoon.

Miss Vera Jermsta of Phoenix is spending the week as guest of Miss Bertha Woolverton of Gold Hill.

Mr. Ed Geary of Portland is a week-end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vilas.

Hospital Graduation Exercises  
The graduating exercises Tuesday evening at St. Mark's hall was the first class of nurses graduated from

the Sacred Heart hospital. The exercises were very enjoyable, notwithstanding the disappointment over the non-arrival of Archbishop Christie, who was to have given the closing address of the evening. His place, however, was well taken by Father Power of the Oakdale avenue church, who opened his remarks with a clever little story of a young priest who, after celebrating his first mass, and preaching his initial sermon, hurried down outside to hear any compliments that might be awaiting him. His friends, to encourage him, gave him many warm compliments, but one old woman, more frank than the others, said to him: "After all the money your mother has spent on your education, 'tis a pity this is the best you can do." Father Power cleverly turned the story to fit the particular case, saying, "After all that has been said about the archbishop, this is the best we can do." The best he could do, however, turned out to be very good, indeed, and the audience soon forgot the disappointment at the absence of the archbishop.

One of the most enjoyable features of the exercises was the opening address by Dr. Pickett, who was most clever in his conversational style of address. He opened by giving a brief history of nursing, and referred to the excellent work that is being done in our community by the sisters of the Sacred Heart hospital. He especially mentioned the hospital itself as being one of the finest and best equipped institutions of its kind in the country, and we certainly agree with the doctor's remarks, for all of Medford feels grateful to the Catholic sisters for the very excellent institution which they have established and maintained in our com-

munity under trying financial conditions. It should be remembered that they give their lives for the good of the community, without any hope of any personal returns further than the gratification of doing good acts. Such was the charity of the Easter.

There was an enjoyable musical program, given by local talent. The program was opened by a piano duet by Miss Helen Reddy and Lucille Koontz, which was well rendered and very enjoyable and well rendered. The first singer on the program was Herbert Alford, whose solo was highly entertaining and received a hearty encore. His accompanist was Carter Brandon. The two young men are, indeed, talented musicians. Carolyn Andrews was the next singer on the program, with Mrs. Gay Childers as accompanist. Miss Andrews has a beautiful soprano voice and is really a remarkable singer for one of her age. Mrs. Childers is an unusually good accompanist. In fact, the musical program as a whole was a complete success.

Dr. Emmens delivered a very interesting address to the graduating students and delivered their diplomas to them. His remarks were devoted to the obligations and duties of the nurse, and her high opportunities for service to the world, and were very well received by the audience.

The nurse's medals were a donation to the hospital from Mrs. George B. Carpenter, and were presented to the members of the graduating class by Dr. Conroy.

The personnel of the class was Angelina Provost of Ashland, Adalyn Hamlin of Medford and Mary K. Barba of Little Shasta, Cal. The hall was prettily decorated in the class colors of red and green.



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