

Society



The Greater Medford club held their first meeting of the year at the Holland hotel Monday afternoon with Mrs. Schiefelin presiding. There will only be two departments this year in the club. The music department under the direction of Mrs. Kitty Lange and the newly added department of art and craft, under the direction of Mrs. Heine. The following new members were voted on and received into the club: Miss Burke, Mrs. J. C. Mann, Mrs. Griffith, Mrs. Fred Colvig, Mrs. George Collins, Mrs. Ralph Woodford, Mrs. Frank Preston, Mrs. Fred Lewis, Mrs. George Roberts and Mrs. Guthrie. Mrs. Schiefelin, Mrs. Lange and Mrs. Heine were elected delegates to attend the state federation, which will take place at Seaside, October 9, 10 and 11. Mrs. F. Reinke, nee Helen Parkecker, pleased her audience greatly with a vocal solo and Miss Geraldine Thiss gave a vocal selection and gave an encore a descriptive and dramatic Indian song entitled, "The Falling Moon." Plans are now being made for a Ladies' club home, also for Arbor day and a municipal Halloween. After the meeting four o'clock tea was served at the Cafe Holland.

Complimenting Miss Vivian Greer of Ashland, bride-elect, whose marriage to Harvey Ling of this city will occur October 11, Miss Ruby Palmer entertained with a miscellaneous shower Tuesday afternoon at her home on Church street in Ashland. The rooms were especially pretty in trimmings and clusters of silver foliage and pink roses. The guests spent the afternoon with social conversation and hemming dish towels for the honored guest's new home. Many beautiful and useful gifts were presented to the bride-to-be, who was seated beneath a beautiful arch to receive them. The invited guests were: Miss Allie Shinn, Miss Margaret Siegmund, Miss Hortense Winter, Miss Minora Cornelius, Miss Lillian Greer, Miss Edna Doroughty, Miss Myrtle Doroughty, Miss Ruth Whitney, Miss Gladys Carnahan, Mrs. C. Stevenson, Mrs. H. G. Enders, Jr., Mrs. O. A. Pankner, Mrs. H. O. Parnecker, Mrs. Hal McNair and Mrs. Elmer Ashcraft of Ashland, Mrs. Otto Klum, Mrs. B. T. DeLoach and Miss Clayre Johnson of Medford.

Mrs. A. B. Cunningham entertained the Alpha Delta class of the Christian church last Thursday afternoon at her home on West Jackson street. The decorations were aster roses and vines, which presented a very pleasing effect. A short program was rendered as follows: Mrs. H. E. Tucker, piano solo; Mrs. J. H. Bellinger, vocal solo, Miss Grave accompanist; Mrs. W. H. Lydiard, piano solo, after which Mrs. A. J. Hanby gave a brief talk on future work for the winter. Mrs. Heilan of Tacoma, mother of Mrs. Cunningham, was a special guest of the afternoon. There were twenty in attendance. Mrs. A. B. Cunningham, Mrs. A. J. Hanby, Mrs. A. L. Nott were on the serving committee, and musk-melon a la mode was served during the social hour, during which a very pleasant time was had. Dr. E. V. Mains Carlow will address the class at the October meeting on the subject, "Safety First." Announcements will be made later.

The Golden Link Bible class of the First Baptist Sunday school met at the home of Mrs. M. L. Daily on Wednesday afternoon. A short business session was held and plans for future work discussed, after which Mrs. Daily served ice cream and wafers. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in social chat and needlework. The following were present: Mrs. C. A. Whillock, Mrs. J. Hennstreet, Mrs. R. G. Beach, Mrs. F. E. Loder, Mrs. E. E. Wilson, Mrs. H. D. Alloway, Mrs. George L. Howard, Mrs. Elgin Bratney, Mrs. Frank Stinson, Mrs. Ward Keizer, Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. M. L. Daily and six little folks.

The missionary meeting of the Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of A. J. Hogg will have charge of the program, the topic being "Our Young People." The hostesses will be Mrs. Watt, Mrs. C. B. Harmon and Mrs. J. F. Mundy.

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. McCormack and E. R. McCormack of Florence, Or., arrived in Medford Thursday evening and will make a short visit, after which they will leave for a motor trip through southern California.

The Wednesday Study club met at the public library this afternoon.

As the first entertainment of the season to be given by the Epworth League of the Methodist church, "The Trip Around the World," given Wednesday evening, was very enjoyable and entertaining. A number of automobiles were furnished to accommodate those wishing to make the trip.

Hawaii was the first country visited and was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lindby. The lawn was brilliantly lighted and soft and weird Hawaiian music was furnished by Ralph Baleom, Nolo Lindley and Leon Lawton in costumes. Girls dressed as Hawaiian maidens served punch from a miniature volcano. From Hawaii, Japan was visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Stine. Here the rooms were made very attractive with Japanese lanterns and butterflies, while shadow pictures of Japan and Japanese songs were sung for the entertainment of the guests while they were seated on the floor partaking of tea and wafers served by girls in Japanese costumes. Thence to Africa at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Tinker, where the tourists were met at the door by Aunt Chloe and three picanninies, who made much merriment for all. The rooms were decorated in southern fashion and the crowd was entertained with darkey songs by Dr. Carlow and Mr. Powell with guitar and banjo accompaniment, while watermelon was served.

From Africa they were piloted to Turkey at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Powers, where two natives in costumes received the sojourners with great hospitality and ushered them into a typical Turkish harem, where four young ladies were posed in beautiful oriental costumes. The guests were then offered cushions and rugs and served with tropical fruit and a Turkish beverage. The last place visited was America, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Whillock. Here the first thing the "travelers" came in sight of was the American flag floating in the breeze. Uncle Sam met the guests at the door and welcomed them to America. Especially pretty were the decorations of flags and bunting. Patriotic songs were sung by all present and sherbet and wafers served.

Wednesday afternoon, September 20, the W. R. C. held their quarterly birthday social at Redman hall with fourteen members of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. as guests of honor. Music and a floor drill given by the entertainment committee received much praise from those present. All were then invited to the dining room, where a bountiful lunch was served to fifty. The tables were beautifully decorated with flowers and myrtle appropriate for the occasion, all voicing their praise due the dining room committee and declaring they had a very pleasant afternoon.

The regular homecoming of M. E. Ladies' Aid met Wednesday afternoon with a splendid attendance. During business meeting it was decided to hold a made-in-Oregon sale the first of November. Excellent reports from the various circles concerning the well filled penny slips were given. A short program followed: Solo, Mrs. Van Seovoe; reading, Mrs. Kunzman; solo Albert Bliton. Delicious refreshments were served. East side circle will have charge of the decorations for the coming month.

The Medford Parent-Teacher council will meet in the public library building next Wednesday, October 4, at 4:15 p. m. There will be election of officers and other business of importance will be considered. The council consists of the executive committees of all of the parent-teacher circles, one delegate from each, the principals of all of the schools, and the city superintendent of schools. It is hoped that there may be a full attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wilkinson will leave Sunday for a motor trip to Crater lake, Fort Klamath and Klamath Falls.

At a meeting of the executive board of the Roosevelt Parent-Teacher circle held Thursday afternoon, final arrangements were made for the Halloween social to be held in the school building Friday evening, October 27. It is the wish of the circle that at this time parents, teachers, pupils and all interested in the welfare of the school may enjoy a social hour and the jollity and festivities of the season. In co-operation with the department of physical training, which promises much for the mental as well as physical development of the child, the proceeds will apply toward the improvement of the school playground, it being the desire to build a play shed for rainy weather.

The Parent-Teacher circle of the Jackson school met Friday afternoon with a good attendance. All present showed much interest. The object of the meeting was to discuss plans for the year's work. The president was much pleased with the interest and enthusiasm expressed by the teachers. It was decided to hold a reception next Friday evening at the Jackson school building, that all the teachers of the Medford school would have an opportunity to get acquainted with each other as well as the parents before leaving for institute.

A most enjoyable theater party was given Tuesday evening by the Misses Ercle Stewart and Frances Bacon, followed by a dance at Brown's. The guests included the following: Misses Dorothy Thorne, Elizabeth Hill, Grace Wilson, Esther Warner, Dorothy Stuart, Laura Gates, Gladys Wilson, Alene Allen and Vera Lane; Messrs. Horace Bromley, Don Ranyard, John Moffatt, Carter Brandon, Robert Fields, Roy Hill, Bill Beveridge, Roland Hubbard, Luther Deuel, Noel Calhoun and Lloyd Williamson.

Wednesday evening Reames Chapter, No. 66, gave a reception at the Masonic hall for the worthy grand matron of O. E. S., Mrs. Dora B. Schilke, of La Grande, Or. After the exemplification of the work the guests were invited to the dining room where a banquet was served. A color scheme of yellow and white was carried out in the dining room and the lodge hall was pretty in red and white. About 100 guests were in attendance.

A birthday surprise was given Weldon Biddle Friday evening by a few of his friends at his home at Kenwood orchard. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Abercrombie, Dr. Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Emmons, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Biddle and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brown.

The Faithful Band class of the First Baptist church will hold an important business meeting at the home of Mrs. H. S. Stine, 309 North Riverside, Saturday evening. The members are urged to be there promptly at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Heilan of Everett, Wash., who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Cunningham, for several weeks, left Thursday for a trip to southern California.

The dancing and card parties at the Rogue Elk Resort are becoming very popular. A number from here will attend the one to be given there this evening.

Mrs. Emma Wilson, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. F. Wallace, for several months, left Friday for her home in Chicago.

Miss Winifred Clark of Roslyn, Wash., returned Sunday from Crater lake, where she spent a few days as guest of friends.

Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Riddell and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Biddle left Friday on a duck hunting trip near Klamath Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Wagner arrived from Portland Thursday morning and are visiting friends here.

Mrs. F. W. Thorne gave a birthday surprise Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. C. R. Ray. The rooms were beautifully decorated with asters and merigolds, and after an afternoon spent at bridge refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. C. R. Ray, Mrs. R. F. Antle, Mrs. Ralph Perrell, Mrs. C. M. Thomas, Mrs. E. J. Nodd, Miss Mabel Ray, Mrs. Frank Roberts and the hostess.

The Grizzlies entertained at a camp fire and wienie roast in the Hill grove Wednesday evening. A lively crowd was present and a very interesting program was given. During the evening music was furnished by Professors Root and Haight, which include the rendition of the "Crater Lake March," of Mr. Root's composition. Wienes, coffee and sandwiches were served and the crowd left at a late hour.

Dr. David N. Roberg, state health officer, has been the guest of his old friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Westlund. Dr. Roberg is on an inspection tour over the state and left this morning for Curry county.

Mrs. M. M. Ahrens returned this week from a visit with relatives at San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brookings of Brookings, Or., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schenck.

Mr. and Mrs. Corning Kenley returned Sunday from a few days' outing at Shasta Springs.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. McMath, the Southern Oregon Parent-Teacher conference, which was to have been held next Monday, October 2, will be postponed until a later date. The baby test will be held as planned and those babies registered for Tuesday, October 3, will be tested at the Holland hotel at 9:30 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Nickolas returned Friday from a week spent at Shasta Retreat.

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Sept. 1st, 1916.

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