

Women's Interests and Activities

Edited By
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WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday
Crater Lake Union, Christian Endeavor rally will be held at the First Christian church.
Chrysanthemum circle, No. 84, Neighbors of Woodcraft will meet at the L. O. O. F. hall at 7:30 o'clock.

Tuesday
Dinner meeting of the Business and Professional Women's club at the Hotel Holland.
Ladies' Auxiliary of the First Baptist church meets with Mrs. W. L. Jones.
Pythian Sisters will hold covered dish luncheon this evening.
Ever Ready circle will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Weishaar.
Pythian club will meet at the home of Mrs. George Fiske.

Wednesday
Card party this evening at the K. P. hall, beginning at 8 o'clock.
Mistletoe club meets at the home of Neighbor Minnie Ramey.

Thursday
Tea and card party of the Greater Medford club at the Hotel Holland in observance of scholarship loan day.
Royal Neighbor camp will meet for regular business session this evening.

Friday
Meeting of the Lincoln P. T. A. at the Lincoln school building at 8 o'clock.

Medford W. C. T. U. Celebrates Birthday Prohibition Jan. 16

Ladies of the Medford W. C. T. U. will join those of the nation Friday, January 16th in celebrating the eleventh anniversary of the passage of the prohibition amendment.

A covered dish luncheon will be held at noon in the dining room of the Methodist church, South, and will be followed by interesting program in which several prominent speakers and musicians will participate.

All friends of the union are cordially invited to attend. A silver offering will be taken for the benefit of the local organization.

Mrs. Steward Will Return February 16

Mrs. Adrienne Steward, who is enjoying an extensive trip in the eastern states, writes that she visited Miller, Rhoades & Swartz store in Norfolk, Va., recently and renewed acquaintances with former associates. Adrienne worked in this store for several years when she was first starting in her career as a business woman. According to plans, she will return to Medford February 15.

Missionary Group Will Meet Tuesday

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. F. Campbell on East Main street. Mrs. Lyman and Mrs. C. Corey will be assistant hostesses. Mrs. S. L. Leonard will act as program leader. All members are asked to bring or send their mite boxes as the semi-annual offering will be held.

Miss Miller Can Receive Friends

Miss Miller, one of Medford's best known graduate nurses, who underwent a major operation at the Sacred Heart hospital Saturday, is getting along nicely and is now able to receive friends.

Altar Society Plans Card Party Wednesday

The newly elected officers of St. Ann's Altar society will sponsor a card party Wednesday afternoon at Parish hall. Members are invited to come and bring their friends.

PALM BEACH TO HAVE GRAND OPERA SEASON

PALM BEACH, Fla.—Although Palm Beach is far off the theatrical track, the winter season this year will have its first grand opera.

The city also is to have a season of drama.

Announcement of Muriel McCormick's Palm Beach Playhouse venture, which will introduce dramatics, has been followed by news that the Roman Chorus, which plays an important part in the resort winter life, will stage "I Pagliacci" at fresco at the fashionable Everglades club between February 1 and 10.

Ernesto Dobbis, Argentine baritone, will be a guest artist, singing the role of Tonio.

Freshman Cutest



Associated Press Photo
Harriet Mason, Camden, Ark., freshman, won hands down as the cutest co-ed at Hendrix-Henderson college, Conway, Ark.

Mrs. Walker's Home Opened to Tuesday Missionary Session

Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church met with Mrs. W. W. Walker, 822 Kent Main street, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. W. A. Holloway presiding and Mrs. B. E. Van Dyke leading the devotions. Mrs. Van Dyke offered prayer. Vocal solo, "O Jesus 'Thou Hast Promised'" was given by Mrs. W. A. Holloway. Mrs. A. G. Bennett offered prayer. Mrs. Clayton Isaacs led the study, topic: "A Cloud of Witnesses."

Prayers were offered by Mrs. Georgia Blackburn, Mrs. C. A. Meeker and Mrs. W. A. Holloway. A selection, "Through Freshmen Eyes," was read by Mrs. May Chirum. Mrs. Clayton Isaacs gave the book review.

During the social hour Mrs. Walker, assisted by Mrs. C. A. Meeker and Mrs. A. H. Hodges served refreshments.

Mistletoe Club To Elect New Officers

The Mistletoe club meets next Wednesday, January 14 at the home of Neighbor Minnie Ramey at 123 Almond street. A covered dish luncheon will be served at one o'clock.

Election of officers will be in order and a good attendance is desired.

Officers To Meet

L. O. O. F. Hall Today
All retiring and new officers of the Neighbors of Woodcraft will meet in the L. O. O. F. hall, Sunday at 2:00 p. m. sharp.

NEW YORK-PARIS FASHIONS



THERE are so many fascinating contributions to the fashion mode this summer. Cottons, for instance, have found their niche in fashions and are pronounced as outstandingly successful. Too much can not be said in favor of the new cotton lace which resembles a knitted fabric. It is extremely delightful for sportswear, and the delightful part about it is its coolness. This is a fabric that penetrates the utmost simplicity in styling, with an added subtle appeal to chic through button trimming and novel accessories. It is too bad that this model cannot be shown in its own coloring. Although it is of cream-colored cotton lace, created in a typical Chateau manner, the unusual belt cleverly gives it an important dash of color. The composition beads are grouped together in clusters, separated by little white puffed buttons, first, in two sections of green, then white, red, and white again repeating the motif around the belt. Bright colored pappies and a short-sleeved bolero of vivid green serve as an added note of contrast.

Spanish War Vets And Auxiliary Hold Joint Installation

Col. Sargent Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, and the Ladies' Auxiliary held an enjoyable joint meeting at the Armory on Wednesday, January 7th for the purpose of installing the new officers in both organizations. Installation was presided by a turkey dinner at which approximately 100 members and visitors were served. Mrs. Mary Weston and Mrs. Rose Young had charge of the dinner and received many compliments in the manner in which it was handled.

Mrs. Hattie Alden, retiring president, introduced Mrs. Ernest of Grants Pass, Past Department Captain of Oregon, who acted as her installing officer and the following and impressive service of the Auxiliary:

President, Helen Herrliott; senior vice president, Kathleen Estes; junior vice president, Hattie Alden; chaplain, Jane Hemstreet; patriotic instructor, Mary Jo Estes; historian, Carrie Averill; musician, Cleve Buchter; conductor, Jennie Clement; assistant conductress, Alta Newman; quart, Ida Hollers; assistant guard, Fionnie Hollers.

The president announced that Maude Stichel had been appointed secretary and Rose Young treasurer and they were then installed.

The following visitors were present and brought greetings and good wishes from the organizations they represented: Mrs. Harding, J. A. Hemstreet; adjutant, W. H. Painé; quartermaster, A. R. Clement; trustees, John J. Leadem, W. H. Painé, F. J. Newman; surgeon, Dr. Benjamin L. Sears; chaplain, Stephen F. Smith; officer of the day, Walter Averill; officer of the guard, Einar Schrader; senior color sergeant, N. S. Young; junior color sergeant, Case W. Taylor.

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COMING TO U. S. TO MAKE TALKIES



Associated Press Photo
After a failure on the American stage, Talullah Bankhead went to England eight years ago and became a star. She is scheduled to return to the United States in January to fill an engagement in talking moving pictures. She is the daughter of William H. Bankhead, United States representative from Alabama.

Americanism School Opens At Library

Twenty-four years ago the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, created the Americanism committee, though previously several chapters had been doing this work in their own community. Since an authentic record has been kept at D. A. R. headquarters in Washington, D. C., more than \$200,000.00 has been spent by the various chapters in carrying on this work. \$22,000 alone was spent in the years 1927-1928. Nearly 1,000,000 flags have been given new citizens with flag codes instructing them in correct flag usage. In the state of Oregon each of the twenty-two chapters has a committee engaged in this work, who cooperate with the state Americanism supervisor and other patriotic organizations.

Crater Lake Chapter has been especially active in this work for eight years. In the past five years this chapter has maintained a school twice yearly, where all foreign born may attend without any cost to themselves for material or instruction. This school will resume today at 2:00 p. m. at the library at Medford and will continue each Sunday afternoon until the naturalization court meets in February. Any further information in regard to this school may be obtained from Mrs. G. Q. D'Albini, who is both state and chapter chairman of Americanism.

Crucifixion to Be Given Good Friday

Local artists are asked this week to make known any interests they may have in the presentation of Stainer's "Crucifixion" which may be presented in this city on Good Friday.

After the impetus given choral work during the presentation of the Messiah during the Yuletide season, several requests have been received for a presentation in observance of the Easter season. Anyone interested in promoting such an undertaking is asked to call Mrs. Elsie Carlton Strang, 1288-J, or Mrs. C. H. Paske, 532-J-2.

Royal Neighbors To Meet Thursday

The Royal Neighbor camp will meet in regular business session on next Thursday evening, January 15. Practicing for installation will be in order and a good attendance is desired.

Return From California

Alfred Weeks and Miss Gertrude Weeks, who spent the holidays in Berkeley, Cal., as guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Hargrave, returned to Medford the first of the week.

Activities of Legion Auxiliary

On Monday, January 12, the unit will hold its regular monthly social meeting. Mrs. Alden, in charge of the program, promises an interesting evening. January is legislative month on the national calendar and so the unit will be "law-minded" for about five minutes.

Sewing Club

Fifteen minutes and fifteen needles make light of an evening's work. If mere cloth could talk these clothes would tell many stories to entertain the Portland hospital patients along with their meals. But as this can't be, at least he'll enjoy the clean whiteness of his supper tray. These tray cloths were Medford's January contribution to Base Hospital No. 72.

Mrs. Fisher, our hospital chairman, tells us that Mrs. Webster writes her that she can always depend on Medford members for more than their share and appreciation of his cooperation. She states that we have always answered her emergency call promptly and generously. This is something we are glad to know and of which we may feel justly proud. A great deal of this work is done directly by this club and it functions just as well for the child welfare work.

Missionary Group Meets Wilmot Home

Mrs. F. J. Wilmot entertained the Missionary Society of the Christian church at her home on North Pacific highway Tuesday afternoon. The president, Mrs. R. L. Ray presided at the opening session.

Mrs. F. A. Gregory was the devotional leader, choosing the scripture reading from Acts 17-28 and Ephesians 4-17 as fitting the devotional theme "Of One Blood."

The presentation period was led by Mrs. Jack Hemstreet, who gave a very interesting introductory talk on the subject for the afternoon, "India." Mrs. Isaacson of Central Point had for her topic "Sister India" giving glimpses of the contrasts in religious, social customs and economic conditions. A map talk was given by Mrs. Cora Wilson on "India's diverse features and peoples—a thousand Indias in one." Mrs. Lois Young of Central Point gave some vocal numbers in her usual pleasing manner.

The social hour followed, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. Ora Wilson, Mrs. Isaacson, Mrs. Hemstreet and Mrs. Ray. There were 48 present.

Government Insurance

The attention of all World War veterans of Medford is being called by Medford Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary to the recent legislation of Congress which permits the United States to grant government life insurance to any veteran of the World War who is eligible to apply for government insurance, provided the veteran is in good health. Upon application to the Veterans' bureau with satisfactory evidence of good health and payment of the initial premium, any veteran can secure government insurance of from \$1,000 to \$10,000. Mrs. William Holloway, president of the Unit explained.

The government is offering seven popular plans of insurance to meet the needs of the veteran. Mrs. Holloway said. The policies participate in dividends and the premiums are based on the net rate, no extra charge to cover the cost of administration being included. Approximately 450,000 veterans now hold government insurance with insurance in force totalling more than three billion dollars. Detailed information may be obtained from the United States Veterans' Bureau, Washington, D. C., or at its regional offices located throughout the United States.

The first Turkish built airplane has just taken to the skies. It was built by the Turkish army aviator Vedjhi Bey.

Back From Europe



Associated Press Photo
Mme. Amelita Gatti-Curci, soprano, waving a greeting to New York when she returned from a concert tour of the British Isles.

Crater Lake Guild Members Find Study of Japan Interesting

A study of Japan was the leading feature of the Crater Lake Guild program at the meeting, held Tuesday evening in the Presbyterian church parlors.

A paper on the subject was given by Mrs. W. W. Howard. The chief topics covered in the paper were Shintoism, Confucianism, Buddhism and Christianity. A strong evangelistic movement has been promoted by Japanese Christians during the past year and has met with great success, she showed in the paper.

In keeping with the study of Japan, Eleanor Curry, Marjorie Hon and Mrs. Younger sang, "Japanese Sunset" and, for encore, "Sleepy Hollow Tune."

Mrs. Dolph Phipps gave a brief talk on Rebecca during the devotional period. Mrs. E. W. Shockley, Mrs. C. B. Wilson, Mrs. Maybelle Church and Mrs. Phipps were joint hostesses. The next meeting of the Guild will be held January 19th at the home of Mrs. H. R. Elliott, Corning Court.

Church Group Will Meet at Jones Home

The Ladies' Auxiliary and a business meeting of the First Baptist church will be held at the home of Mrs. W. L. Jones, 343 Apple street, Friday, 2:30, January 13, 1931.

After the business session an interesting program will be given by the committee: Mrs. J. E. Judy, chairman, Mrs. A. B. Rhoads and Helen Lawton.

Mrs. Hubbard Hostess At Sunday Supper

Mrs. H. T. Hubbard was hostess Sunday evening at a supper at her home on East Jackson street, given in celebration of Mr. Hubbard's birthday anniversary. Covers were laid for 12 guests.

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SPRING FASHIONS CHAPTER I

Dresses

There is a "Ladylike Air" about the 1931 fashions. Dresses are characterized by tucking, clever seaming, clusters of shirring and fitted bodices.

Coats

The 1931 button is useful as well as ornamental. No longer is it smart to wrap your coat and hold it tirelessly, for the button closing is revived.

Millinery

Hats go "Romantic" with Plumes and Feathers. To wear a trim curling plume tilted over the top of a tricorne is the pinnacle of chic.

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