

RURAL EDUCATION TO BE MAIN GOAL NEW N. E. A. CHIEF

Little Woman From Iowa Farm Belt Named President—Has 29 Years of Experience As Teacher

DENVER, July 5.—(AP)—A keen-witted little woman with trim ankles from Iowa's farm lands...

Has Definite Views Small of stature and placid of disposition, Iowa's superintendent of public instruction yet has definite convictions.

She thinks for one thing that "children really like to go to school." She regards schools as "service stations on the highway to life."

Miss Samuelson, who succeeds Dr. Henry Lester Smith of the University of Indiana in her new post, discussed some of the tasks she said are facing the N. E. A.

One "is expanding education from both ends." "We've got to drop that idea that education is a five-to-21 year term," she said.

For Flexible Curriculum she urged a "flexible curriculum," which would permit children to take the subjects that are nearest their hearts and interests.

"We mustn't put the same trade mark on every child," Miss Samuelson said.

The new president was a striking figure in a trailing blue net dress and blue and silver openwork slippers.

She doesn't smoke cigarettes, she said smilingly to a question, and doesn't "care to talk about women teachers who do."

"That's a matter of individual wishes," she said. "She enjoys the movies, if the picture is 'interesting or taken from some good book,' and has no favorite classroom subject."

"I taught in country schools so long and on so many subjects that I guess I like them all," she said.

Miss Samuelson, who began her teaching career 29 years ago in a schoolhouse near her home town, thinks education, in venturing into new fields, must not forget established principles.

"Character has never been reversed in any court nor declared unconstitutional," she said.

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SOCIETY and Clubs

Miss Geraldine Fox Wed to Hyrum A. Hogan

Miss Geraldine Fox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Fox of Central Point, and Hyrum A. Hogan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nels J. Hogan of Bancroft, Ida., were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock.

The ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Joseph Knothe of the First Methodist church, and the bride and bridegroom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Hogan of this city.

After the family dinner, at which the bride cut her lovely wedding cake, presented by Mrs. Victor Bursell, a very dear friend, the bride and groom left for a short wedding trip to the coast.

After a few days they will be at home to their friends at the Central apartments on South Central avenue in this city.

Mrs. Hogan, who was graduated from Medford high school and is a popular member of the Medford and Central Point younger sets, is bookkeeper at Mann's department store, and Mr. Hogan, who has been in Medford the past two years, is manager of Witham's service station.

The bride and bridegroom were honored at a lovely shower Monday evening given by Mrs. M. N. Hogan, at her home in Skakyou Heights. Twenty-five guests were invited, enjoying games after gifts were presented to the honorees. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Miss Frances Johnson Is Guest at Miller Home

A welcome Medford visitor this week has been Miss Frances Johnson of Portland, guest the past several days at the home of her sorority sisters at University of Oregon, Misses Peggy and Justine Miller, who are affiliated with Gamma Phi Beta.

Miss Johnson, who enjoyed a motor trip to Crater Lake yesterday, plans to remain in Medford until Sunday. She will return then to Eugene, where she is attending summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagen Vacation at Union Creek

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hagen and daughter Sybil spent the Fourth of July at Union Creek, and will remain there over the week-end. They were accompanied by Mr. Hagen's sister, Mrs. Ada Laxton of Portland, who will visit Crater Lake with the Hagens before they return.

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and 12,000, largest Fourth of July crowd on record there.

Ashlanders report that more fireworks were shot this year than ever before, despite the fact that the holiday was kept busy from 9 a. m. until midnight with continual entertainment features.

Many Events Attract

Drawn by bicycle, roller skating races, and a parade in the morning, visitors started filling into the Lithia City at an early hour, increasing in a steady stream throughout the day as the program of CCC fights, a baseball game, a bathing beauty contest, a carnival and Shakespearean plays rounded out the day.

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