

# SOCIETY AND CLUB NEWS OF THE WEEK

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## Medford Chapter Hostess Saturday Honoring Regent

Beginning with luncheon at the Hotel Medford, members of Crater Lake chapter, D.A.R., honored Mrs. B. G. Harding, state regent, yesterday afternoon on her official visit to the chapter. Luncheon covers were laid for 20 at tables colorful with smoke pink gladioli and Japanese anemone.

Following luncheon members went to the home of Mrs. J. A. Perry where they were joined by a number of guests. An invitation had been extended to the entire membership of the Wednesday Study club, a large number of whom were present.

Included on the afternoon's program were vocal solos by Mrs. R. W. Webster, accompanied by Mrs. Eva Marsh, and a discussion of the Statue of Liberty by Miss Jane Sneider, who told the history of the statue, which was dedicated 50 years ago on Oct. 23.

Mrs. Harding addressed the group, telling of her trip to Washington, D.C., last spring where she represented the state at the national constitutional congress of Daughters of American Revolution. She reported on events of the convolve and described various phases of the journey. A tea hour at the Perry home followed Mrs. Harding's address.

Mrs. Harding returned late this week from eastern Oregon, where she was entertained in a number of cities on her official visits to various chapters. She plans to leave Tuesday for the north and will spend about three weeks visiting chapters from Roseburg north.

The Mount Ashland chapter was hostess for Mrs. Harding in Ashland Friday afternoon, arranging a luncheon in her honor.

Arrangements for yesterday's affair were in charge of Miss Jane Sneider, Mrs. J. O. Grey and Mrs. Eva Marsh.

## Regent Honored



Mrs. B. G. Harding, state regent of the D.A.R., who was honored with luncheon and tea by her chapter, Crater Lake, yesterday afternoon.

## Thanks Extended By Synod Group For Local Help

Members of the Women's Missionary society of the First Christian church were yesterday reviewing the successful completion of the 18th annual synodical meeting of Oregon for which they were hostesses Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

Approximately 100 out of town delegates attended the three-day session. Rev. Harry B. McPadden of Portland gave a number of talks to the young people, stressing the fact that there is no real "youth problem" but that young people should be looked upon as members of the church family and given an opportunity to serve and participate in the church activities, with definite responsibilities given them. All working together will make a complete church life, he said.

Other outstanding events of the meeting were addresses given by Mrs. Fred Neal, of Africa, Rev. Paul Doltz, of Stillman university, Philippines, and Miss Eleanor Ewing, of the national board with headquarters in San Francisco.

The musical program was under the direction of Miss Edna Eifert, choir director of the hostess church, with Mrs. Eva Husezigg Marsh, organist, Miss Georgia Currier and Miss Chloé Ellenburg, pianists, assisting at the morning sessions.

Much credit is due Mrs. E. Iverson, hospital chairwoman and her assistant, Mrs. Frank Albert, for the success of the meeting. The guests expressed appreciation of the courtesy extended them while in Medford.

Mrs. Iverson and the local society president, Mrs. Maynard Putney, wish to thank all friends and members of the church who graciously opened their homes for the entertainment of the visitors; the press for splendid reports on meetings; those who gave their times and use of automobiles; ladies of the First Methodist church for serving of noon luncheons; and the Merritt circle for the young people's banquet Friday evening.

The Friday evening banquet was considered one of the highlights of the convolve. Included on the program at that time were addresses by Rev. MacFadden, Rev. Doltz, Miss Ewing and Mrs. Neal and a dramatization, "The Color Line," by local young people.

Portland will be hostess to the next annual meeting of the synodical.

## Former Resident Is Married in South

Medford and valley friends will be interested in the announcement made by Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Corlies of the marriage of their daughter, Vinita Corlies McArthur, to F. Willisford Quicke, of Los Angeles. The ceremony was solemnized in Wilshire Methodist church chapel at noon in Los Angeles yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Quicke will call on the S. S. California to New York City, continuing from there to Petersburg, Virginia, where they will be the guests of Mr. Quicke's family before returning to make their home in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Quicke is a former resident of Medford and has many friends here. She has resided in San Francisco for the past five years.

## President Expected



Mrs. William Kletzer, of Portland, state P-T.A. president, who will conduct a bi-annual institute in Ashland Wednesday for the county P-T.A. council.

## County Council to Greet State Head And Plan Program

Ashland will be the hostess city to the county Parent-Teacher association council Wednesday when Mrs. William Kletzer, state president, will conduct the bi-annual institute. Plans are being completed by the county officers for the affair, which opens in the Ashland Congregational church at 9:30 Wednesday morning, with luncheon to be served at noon.

All members and particularly officers and chairmen are urged to attend, as Mrs. Kletzer is to discuss plans and suggestions for the year's work. She will also demonstrate the technique of panel discussion as its use is being urged to promote greater participation by the membership. Included in the discussion of the day will be explanations of ballot measures which pertain to the public health and welfare services for children.

The value of the institute to every member, those in charge state, is of great importance and a large group is expected to greet Mrs. Kletzer.

## Local Group Installs Ashland Bethel Friday

Before a crowd of between 250 and 300 persons, the Medford Bethel of Job's Daughters initiated and installed a new Bethel in Ashland at the Ashland Masonic temple, Friday evening.

Medford officers initiating the new members were Janice Shrove, queen, and Kathleen Dillard, Helen Thompson, Peggy Reter, Mary Bean, Isabel Crouch, Dorothy Jenkins, Betty Pennington, Mary Louise McElhose, Kathryn Conroy, Esthel Jones, Betty Southwick, Orva Stevens, Jean Horton, Betty Fowler, Jean McPherson, Maxine Young, Ruth Garlock and Elsie Older.

Medford members installing the new officers were Janice Shrove, Patsy Smith, Everetta Gillespie, Mary Louise McElhose, Ruth D'Albini, Lois Nichols and Mrs. George Gates, who is a local guardian.

The new Ashland council of guardians is composed of Mesdames Hal McNair, Jack Bearse, I. R. Bateman, R. L. Burdie, MacCallen, Harrison, H. S. Alkens and Perry Whitmore. Officers of the new Bethel are Charlotte Wolters, Margaret Harrison, Helen Haley, June Davis, Phoebe McCallister, Ethelmae Thompson, Helen Dunn, Frances Alken, Eleanore Quinn, Francis Fort, Elva Claire Jones, Phyllis Sparr, Janet Stockton, Joan Whitmore, Pat Whitney, Betty Miller, Jean Neill, Flora Stokoe and Anna Mae Lear.

Representatives were present from Grants Pass, Roseburg, Yreka, Bend, Klamath Falls and Medford Bethels, besides a large number of Eastern Star members.

## Preparations Made For Annual Affair By 2 Organizations

Preparations are under way for the annual homecoming dinner being planned by the Masonic temple and members of Beames chapter, O. E. S. The affair, which always attracts a large number, has been scheduled for November 5 and will be held at the Masonic temple.

Making arrangements are Mrs. William Holloway, Mrs. Thomas Fred and C. M. Houston and A. G. Bishop, who request that all those members not contacted concerning the covered-dish dinner bring a salad or hot vegetable.

Those in charge are anticipating a large attendance, they state.

## Club to Observe Completed Year

First anniversary of the DeMolay Mother's club will be observed Monday afternoon when members are entertained at the home of Mrs. C. D. Wood at 2:15 o'clock. A complete fiscal report will be made covering the first year of the club's existence.

Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. Frank Hull and Mrs. E. M. Grey. All mothers of DeMolay members and wives of advisors are extended a cordial invitation.

Medford Couple Married Recently

Word has been received here of the marriage of Miss Vera Davis, of this city, and Harold Shrieve, formerly of Medford, which was an event of October 9 in Vancouver, Wash. The ceremony was solemnized in the Christian church at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon by Rev. Lawrence Miller.

The young couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Millard Shrieve, brother and sister-in-law of the groom. The bride wore brown transparent velvet and a corsage of Tallman roses.

The young couple will make their home in Portland. Both have many friends here.

## Miss Elwood Wed In Noon Ceremony

Miss Doreen Elwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Elwood, became the bride of Donald Keener, son of Mr. U. C. Keener of Nebraska in a quiet ceremony at the home of the bride's parents yesterday. The service was performed by Rev. Joseph Knotts at noon.

Guests were members of the families of the young couple. Roses formed the floral decoration for the rooms. The bride wore a suit of red and black with black accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. Keener is well-known in the valley, having spent her life here and graduated from the local high school.

Following the ceremony, the bride and groom left for a honeymoon in the San Francisco bay district and will return to make their home here.

## Travel Group Hears Pacific Discussions At Monday Session

Mrs. Harold D. Grey was hostess to members of the Travel Study club at her home Monday afternoon for the regular session.

Appearing on the program was Mrs. E. Iverson, who presented a paper on J. R. Hildebrand's "The Columbus of the Pacific," the account of the life of James Cook, English explorer, who explored and mapped for Great Britain most of the coast line bordering the islands of the Pacific ocean.

Mrs. Walter F. Brown discussed the island of Bali in a study presented on the program. She stated that the small island near Java is one of the most beautiful of the Pacific islands, and very attractive to travelers because it has remained relatively unspoiled by civilization. She included a description of the people, who she said, are happy and content and have no wish to be influenced by people of other nations.

## Club-Lodge Announcements

Nevida, O.E.S.

The meeting of the Past Matron's club of Nevida chapter, O.E.S., has been postponed, according to announcement made by those in charge.

Girls' Community Club

The board of directors of the Girls' Community club will meet for luncheon at the clubrooms Monday at noon, it was announced yesterday.

P-T.A. Council

City council, P-T.A., will meet Tuesday for dessert luncheon promptly at 1:15 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. A. Faber, 907 West Eleventh street. The Washington unit will act as hostesses.

Mary and Martha

Mary and Martha circle of the First M.E. church will meet for 1 o'clock luncheon Tuesday at the home of Mrs. W. W. Walker on the Old Stage road. Members are requested to bring service and sandwiches.

P.E.O.

Chapter BE, P.E.O., will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. C. Fowler on Kings highway.

Parties To Be

Future Events

The P. O. E. ladies' auxiliary will entertain with a Halloween hard times dance Friday evening, October 30, in the F. O. E. hall. The public is extended an invitation. Refreshments are to be served.

The auxiliary members will also be hostesses Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock at a card party, when pin-ochle, bridge and 500 will be played, with refreshments and prizes to feature the evening. The affair is to take place in the F. O. E. hall and those in charge issue an invitation to anyone interested.

Neighborhood Club

Guests Wednesday

Mrs. Lawrence Pennington was hostess to the Oak Grove Neighborhood club at her home Wednesday afternoon, when Mrs. Vivian Wilson became a new member of the group.

Mrs. W. H. Roberts read a letter having as their guests members and visitors of the Building Bridge club. Seven tables were in play during the afternoon, honors going to Mrs. A. V. Graves, Mrs. D. I. Clifford and Mrs. C. R. Schmidt.

Next hostesses to the club will be Mrs. J. R. O'Connor and Mrs. Rose Schreffelin, who will entertain at the O'Connor home on Park street this Thursday afternoon.

## Loyalty Circle to Entertain at Tea

Entertainment and program plans are rapidly being completed by the Loyalty circle of the First Methodist-Episcopal church for the silver tea which has been scheduled for Wednesday. The affair is to take place in the church parlors between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Among those pouring will be Mrs. Joseph Knotts, Mrs. W. W. Walker and Mrs. William Gates.

The program will include vocal solos by Mrs. Fred Strang, a vocal sextet to be presented by Miss Floy Young, dances by students of Eva Benson, piano solos by Roger Wolfe, a Hawaiian trio and other music by Mrs. I. C. Moss.

A cordial invitation is issued to anyone interested. The affair is for the benefit of the church fund.

## Gold Hill Couple Will Be Honored On Golden Wedding

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Will Houston of the Gold Hill district on their golden wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. James Cornutt will hold open house Tuesday evening, October 20, at their home near Gold Hill. Friends of the Houstons are invited to call between the hours of 7 and 10 o'clock. Being members of two of southern Oregon's leading pioneer families, the Houstons have friends in many sections of the valley who are cordially invited to join them in the celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

A family reunion in their honor is being held today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Middlebush at Prospect. Mrs. Cornutt and Mrs. Middlebush are the Houstons' daughters.

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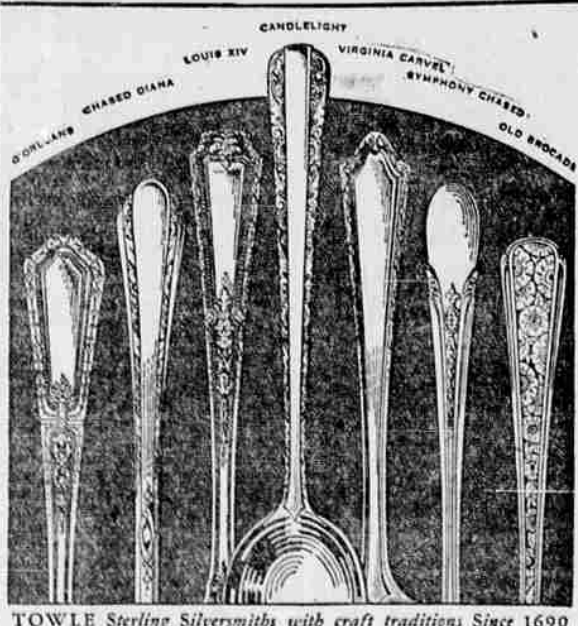
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