

SOCIETY AND CLUB NEWS OF THE WEEK

By OLARA MARY DAVIS

Pre-Nuptial Fetes Held In Honor of Miss McCormick

Miss Lucile McCormick was the guest of honor at two distinctive pre-nuptial showers during the past week following her return to Medford from Klamath Falls where she spent the year teaching physical education in the city school system.

A fete of especial charm was the miscellaneous shower given in Miss McCormick's honor yesterday morning by Mrs. R. W. Frame at her home in Phoenix. The guests were bidden to a delightful breakfast served in the fragrant, flower-bedecked garden of the Frame home.

After breakfast a session of bridge was held. First award going to Mrs. Charles W. Reames, second to Mrs. Ben Stafford and consolation to Mrs. Burdette Dodge.

Guests were Miss McCormick, Mrs. D. Ford McCormick, Mrs. C. M. Kidd, Mrs. Ben Stafford, Mrs. E. Green, Mrs. Ernest R. Ollstrap, Mrs. Charles W. Reames, Mrs. Burdette Dodge, Mrs. Gertrude Gates, Mrs. B. C. Richards, Mrs. Arthur Warnock, Mrs. Earl B. Day, Mrs. E. A. Moore, Miss Clarita McCormick and Miss Frances McCormick.

On the previous evening Miss McCormick was feted with a personal shower given in her honor by Mrs. Charles W. Reames and her daughter, Miss Carvel Reames, at their home on Geneva street.

Bridge was a diversion of the evening. First award was won by Mrs. William Cunningham, second by Mrs. Lucinda Hubbard and consolation by the honored guest.

Participating in the nocturnal affair, honoring the betrothed young lady were these guests: Mrs. George B. Owens, Mrs. C. O. Larson, Mrs. F. O. Bunch, Mrs. Ben Stafford, Mrs. R. W. Frame, Mrs. C. M. Kidd, Mrs. Lucinda Hubbard, Mrs. S. Ralph Dippel, Mrs. Jack Walker, Mrs. William Cunningham, Mrs. Burdette Dodge, Mrs. Wilton White, Mrs. D. Ford McCormick, Miss Frederica Brommer, Miss Justine Miller, Miss Clarita McCormick and Miss Frances McCormick.

Miss McCormick is to be united in marriage to Mr. Guy Hill Stoddard of Medford in St. Mark's Episcopal church here on June 12.

Before returning to her home on Geneva street here following the closing of school in Klamath Falls, Miss McCormick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ford McCormick, married for a while in Medoc where she was also honored with a shower. A party was given for Miss McCormick and Mr. Stoddard by the community, the couple receiving a handsome gift.

Job's Daughters Monday Evening

Job's Daughters will hold their last meeting for the summer Monday night at 7:30 o'clock in the DeMolay hall.

There will be no business meeting during the evening. Miss Mary Ann Gates will receive the majority degree. Following the degree, the new officers for the ensuing term of six months will be installed. During the installation, the installing officer, Mary Shreve, will be assisted by: Installing marshal, Helen Thompson; Installing guide, Edith Hodgkins; Installing recorder, Jean McPherson; Installing chaplain, Muriel Stocks; Installing pianist, Mary Louise McElhose, junior custodian, Beulah Stegenson; senior custodian, Colleen Stephenson.

This installation and majority degree is public and everyone is cordially invited. Refreshments will be served following the installation.

Group Returns From Vacation

Miss Frances Kenney, Mrs. Louise McPherson and Mr. William Isaacs recently returned to their respective homes here from a three weeks' motor trip.

The group went to San Francisco via the coast route. In the Bay city they enjoyed Helen Hayes' performance in "Regina Victoria." They then proceeded to Yosemite, Boulder dam, Grand canyon, Zion canyon, Bryce canyon and then went to Salt Lake City where they enjoyed a brief stay.

Enroute to Medford they visited various places in eastern Oregon and enjoyed a day at Crater lake.

Dorothy Christian Feted Friday Eve

A surprise birthday dinner was given in honor of Dorothy Christian at her home on 510 North Bartlett street Friday evening June 3rd.

A delicious dinner was served by Elva Castor at 5:30 in the evening. The table was decorated with beautiful roses for the happy occasion. The evening was spent in visiting and entertainment.

Those present were: Elva Castor, Marjorie Burleson, Judy, Leona Armand, Sydney Brown, Lucille Robinson, Afion Hannah, and the honored guest Dorothy Christian.

Medford Music Club Broadcast Enjoyed

The Medford Music club gave its fourth broadcast over KMED Friday night at 7:30 Mrs. James Stevens, radio chairman, presented as guest artists Mr. Sherman Carter, promising young baritone from Klamath Falls, and Mr. Laurence Hubert, Medford violinist. Mr. Hubert was once associated with the famous Rubinioff. He was accompanied by Miss Shelton. Piano accompanist for Mr. Carter was Miss Ota Hough, of Klamath Falls.

Future broadcast of the Medford Music club will be announced later by Mrs. Stevens.



MARRIED A YEAR on June 3, the Duke and Duchess of Windsor still wander, banned from the England Edward ruled before abdication on Dec. 10, 1936. They may leave Paris during June state visit of King George VI. (Associated Press-Paramount News Photo)

Rogue River Lodge Scene of Pretty Wedding Service

A few minutes after midnight on Wednesday, June 1, Miss Carrie Belle Gail Ranney was united in marriage to Donald Goodsell of Los Angeles.

Miss Ranney, the sister of Mrs. Al Gilhouse and Mrs. Vaughn Stone, came here from Los Angeles, especially to be married at the Rogue River lodge and close the midnight hour so that she might be a June bride.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. D. E. Millard and only immediate members of the family and a few close friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodsell left shortly after the service for Long Beach where they will make their home.

The bride formerly made her home in this city, she attended school here and was a popular member of the younger set.

Mrs. Mack Will Attend Cornell

Mrs. Mabel Mack, county home demonstration agent, recently arrived in Medford from Corvallis where she has been attending Oregon State college.

Mrs. Mack will leave here on June 19 for Pittsburgh, Penn., where she will attend the American home economic convention. She will then proceed to Ithaca, New York, and enroll in Cornell university for the remaining part of the summer.

Mrs. Mack will return to Medford the middle of August and resume her work here.

Miss Hill Pledges Dramatic Sorority

Miss Carolyn Jane Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hill, who is affiliated with Gamma Phi Beta sorority, was recently pledged to the Mask and Dagger dramatic club on the Oregon State college campus where she is a student.

Miss Hill expects to return to her home here this week.

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Miss Marcy Wescott In Operatic Debut At New York City

Of interest to her many friends in Medford, particularly in the ranch colony, is the news of the operatic debut of Miss Marcy Wescott at the Windsor theatre in New York City. June 1, as ingenue star in the successful operetta "Two Bouquets," produced by Marc Connelly, Miss Wescott has frequently been the guest here of her aunt Mrs. Louis Salade, at her ranch home in Seven Oaks, and a few years ago, when a mere miss of 18, gave a charming song recital one evening to about fifty guests, at the Salade home.

A beautiful blonde with an exceptionally true and resourceful soprano, Miss Wescott has studied both at home and abroad, and many years ago a brilliant future was predicted for her by both critics and members of the teaching profession. That this prediction has come true at the tender age of 18 is shown by the following report of Miss Wescott's New York debut in the Chicago News of June 1st:

"Marcy Wescott of 55 Cedar street, Chicago, wore crinolines last evening when she came floating onto her first stage—long crinolines that hit her 18-year old ankles—and her bobbed yellow hair was done up in a psychic knot of the 1870's. Her almond eyes were dark and shining as a doe's, and her face was white under the makeup put on by that most poetic of stage producers, Marc Connelly.

"Miss Wescott floated out into the June evening which was making the gardens of Mr. Gill of Twickenham in 1875 very beautiful. She smiled and the glittering first night audience in the Windsor theatre just off Broadway, smiled back. She raised her white throat and sang, 'Fly Forth, O Gentle Dove,' the first of 48 musical numbers in the operetta, 'Two Bouquets.'"

"From that moment the artistic success of Marcy Wescott and 'Two Bouquets' was secure. She has given it the thing Producer Connelly knew it must have, the thing he had hunted for across months, in America and England, an actress who could sing the old-fashioned songs and who, at the same time, could be in every line and gesture an innocent and lovely Victorian.

"Heaven sent her," said Connelly, caught in the rush of congratulations after the first act. "That's all I can think of to say."

Mrs. George Pitts of Chicago, Mrs. Salade's sister, also a frequent visitor to Medford, traveled to New York to see her niece make her first public appearance on the stage.

Mrs. Salade and children Helene, Jean and "Bully" who have been spending the winter in Los Angeles, will return here the middle of this month, and it is not improbable that Miss Wescott will be her guest some time in the near future. It is known that news of her great success has spread to Hollywood, and a screen test is in the offing.

Recent Bride Honored At Several Parties

Wednesday evening Miss Ruth Hall and Miss Corinne Harwood were hostesses at the latter's home on Beatty street for a shower and party honoring Mrs. Bruce Ruff, formerly Miss Mary Kellogg, whose marriage was an event of last evening.

Mrs. Ruff was the recipient of many lovely gifts during the affair. Games and refreshments were enjoyed by the guests who were, the honoree, Mrs. Ruff, the bride's twin sister, Miss Alice Kellogg, the Misses Helen Smedley, Jeanette Thatcher, La Von Davis, Nola Harwood, Olive Eldridge and Ruth Prouty.

On Thursday afternoon the much feted bride was again honored at a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Frank Perl on North Oakdale avenue. A delightful luncheon was enjoyed at the attractive table with a center piece of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Perl's guests included Mrs. D. B. Hayes, the bride's sister from Portland, Mrs. W. H. Kellogg, Miss Alice Kellogg, Mrs. J. V. Watson and Mrs. Dub Watson.

Caster Home Scene of Party

Mrs. Tom Caster was honored Saturday evening with a delightful surprise party, the occasion being her birthday. Mrs. Robert Burleson and Marjorie Burleson were co-hostesses for the pleasant event, which was held at Mrs. Caster's home.

Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burleson, Arlet Anderson, Dorothy Christian, Marjorie Burleson, Kelly Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caster.

Nile Group Leaves For Convention

A group of members of Zulema Temple, Daughters of the Nile, left yesterday for Tacoma, Wash., where they will attend the Supreme Temple convention, June 6 to 10th.

Those attending the session are: Patrol captain, Mrs. O. D. Frazer, Mrs. Lyle Wilcox, Mrs. O. O. Alenderfer, Mrs. Belle Thompson, Lucinda Hubbard and Mrs. H. B. Kellom.

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Mrs. Tummy Honors California Guest At Bridge Luncheon

Mrs. Earl Tummy was hostess on Friday afternoon for a luncheon and bridge party honoring Mrs. W. W. Aldrich, house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carpenter, at her home on Park street.

Guests enjoying the pleasant affair were: Honoree, Mrs. Aldrich, Mrs. Robert Ruhl, Mrs. Martin Luther, Mrs. W. H. Multhead, Mrs. Leonard Carpenter, Mrs. A. S. V. Carpenter, Mrs. J. C. S. Wells, Mrs. Don Clark, Mrs. George M. Roberts, Mrs. W. F. Biddle, Mrs. J. J. Emmens, and Mrs. Corbin Edgell.

Eight BPW Members Will Attend State Conference Friday

Eight members of Business and Professional Women's club will depart this week for McMinnville where they will attend a state convention, June 10, 11 and 12. Those participating in the session are: Mabel Mack, Maud Snider, Viola Scherrer, Helen Parrish, Emil Pank, Florence Weiser, Gladys York, and Bernice Sears. The group will go by motor.

An important part of the convention will be the emblem ceremony which the local members will present.

On June 14th at 7 o'clock at Erie's Casino formal installation of B.P.W. 1938-39 officers will be held. All members are anticipating this event at which time the following officers will be installed: President, Mrs. Jacques Lenox; vice-president, Viola Scherrer; recording secretary, Bernice Sears; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Rose Houston; treasurer, Geraldine Latham; auditor, Eva Judd; directors, Maud Snider, Helen Parrish and Winnie Welshauer.

St. Mary's School Students Honored

Miss Rosemary Sakrada and Miss Marie Darland were honored at a special meeting of the St. Mary's high school student body in recognition of excellent work accomplished in the essay contest "American Youth Forum" sponsored by the American Magazine. Prizes for their achievements were awarded.

Miss Sakrada's recognition is especially significant since her play was judged the best and most original work of all the papers submitted by pupils of the private schools conducted by the Sisters of the Holy Names in Washington and Oregon. This prize winning contribution, "Mirror of Truth," is a morality play depicting the present contending condition in the United States.

Miss Darland merited an award for the best poem submitted.

Miss Sakrada and Miss Darland have just completed their third year at St. Mary's high school.

At a recent meeting for election of officers of St. Mary's high school, Eusebe Dallaire was re-elected president of the student body for the coming year. He will be assisted by Larry Schade, Jr. and Norbert Miksche.

The Sodality unit cast their votes for Mary Gritsch, Prefect Norbert Miksche and John Jensen, respective heads of the advisory and literature committees. Retiring officers for the present year are George Gitzen and Kathleen Singleton, who are graduating, and Rosemary Sakrada.

Former Residents Visit Simpsons

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simpson returned Friday on a combined pleasure and business trip spent in California.

In Burlingame the couple were guests of Mr. Simpson's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Lamoreaux. The visitors also enjoyed a visit with Mr. Simpson's mother, Mrs. Robert Foster who came from Fresno to Burlingame to be with them for a day. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson then went to Sacramento where the former attended a Standard Oil flamo session.

Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Rychen M. Paddock of Portland, arrived in Medford and are house guests at the Simpson's home on Howard street. They formerly resided in this city and were popular members of Medford society. Several entertainments have been planned for the guests who will be here until Tuesday.

Mrs. Earl Miller Lions President

Lions Club auxiliary met Wednesday at the attractive summer home of Mrs. Charles Reames on Rogue river.

Following a covered dish luncheon, election of officers took place with the following members being chosen: president, Mrs. Earl Miller; vice president, Mrs. Art Adler; secretary, Mrs. Edith Beck, and treasurer, Mrs. Lyle Thurman.

This session was the final one of the season. The club will resume meetings in the fall.

Beautiful Garden Ceremony Unites Medford Couple

Under an arch of roses in the beautiful garden at the Queen Ann avenue home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gates, Miss Mary Kellogg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kellogg of Medford, became the bride of Mr. Bruce Ruff, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Ruff of this city at a 7 o'clock ceremony Saturday evening.

The Rev. Sherman L. Divine read the service in the presence of 100 guests who stood in the beautifully appointed yard which was bedecked with large baskets of pastel flowers. Mr. Kellogg gave his daughter in marriage.

The bride was lovely in a gown of peach net over satin with a matching sash, high neck and puffed sleeves. She wore silver slippers and carried a bouquet of rosebuds. Her twin sister was bridesmaid and was becoming in a blue dress of the same style as the bride. Mr. Duane Bergstrom acted as best man for Mr. Ruff.

Miss Corinne Harwood rendered "I Love You Truly" prior to the service. She was accompanied by her sister Nola, on the violin.

Mrs. Ruff, until recently, made her home in Portland with her family. She graduated from Commerce high school in that city last February. During the past several weeks she has been feted at a number of enjoyable showers and parties.

Among those honoring her were Mrs. J. V. Watson, Miss Corinne Harwood, Miss Frances Hall and Mrs. Frank Perl.

Mrs. Ruff has made his home here for a number of years. He is associated with the U. S. National bank. The couple, after a two weeks' wedding trip, will make their home here on route 2.

Brantley-Todd Wedding Held In Bellview

One of the prettiest of home weddings took place Saturday evening, May 28, at eight o'clock at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brantley on Siskiyou boulevard, in Bellview, when their daughter, Miss Gladys L. Brantley became the bride of William Todd, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Todd of Medford in the presence of a large number of relatives and close friends, the Rev. C. E. Dunham, pastor of the Baptist church reading the impressive ring service.

Before the ceremony Miss Olivia Todd, sister of the bridegroom, sang "O Promise Me."

To the strains of the Lohengrin wedding music played by Mrs. C. E. Dunham, the bridal party entered and took their places before the improvised altar and the marriage vows were spoken.

Fragrant roses formed the archway before the wide fireplace in front of which the group stood. Roses, white and pink were used in the decorations of the rooms.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Jack Walker as matron of honor and Mr. Leroy Williams of Medford was the best man.

The bride was lovely in a pink lace wedding gown with blue accessories, her long veil caught by a bandeau of pink rosebuds. Lilies, sweetpeas and rosebuds composed the bouquet she carried.

The matron of honor was gowned in yellow net and carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds. The bride's mother, Mrs. Brantley wore a blue crepe gown.

A reception followed the ceremony. The bride cut the wedding cake at an attractively appointed table.

Miss Edith Todd, Miss Gladys Jobbins and Mrs. Jack Walker assisted Mrs. Brantley in serving and about the rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd left immediately for their future home in San Leandro, Calif., going by way of the coast route.

Mrs. Todd is a graduate of the southern Oregon Normal school and taught successfully the past year in Grants Pass. She has been active in the work of the young people of the Baptist church.

Mr. Todd graduated from Medford high school and attended the Southern Oregon Normal school. He is employed at the Atlas Glass company in Oakland.

The out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Chamberlain, of Eagle Point; Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Howard of Grants Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Todd and family of Medford, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Williams, Miss Georgia Chamberlain.

Fifty relatives and out of town guests were present for the wedding and reception.

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Miss Laura Drury Feted At Shower Party Friday

Mrs. Norma C. Gall was hostess Friday evening at her home on Mary street for a shower and party honoring Miss Laura Drury, bride elect.

Guests for the enjoyable affair included: Mrs. Otto Frohnmayer, Mrs. William Bowerman, Miss Opal Harvey, Mrs. H. G. Wilson, Miss Barbara Drury, Mrs. Mildred Drury, Mrs. I. E. Schuler, Mrs. A. B. Drury.

The honoree received many lovely gifts which were presented her following a unique mock wedding. Miss Drury will be married to Norris Porter on June 11.

Huber Children Have Double Birthday Party

Teddie and Roger Huber, 112 Summit street, entertained Thursday afternoon June 2, with a double birthday party.

Games were played and refreshments served.

Guests enjoying the pleasant occasion included Jean Marks, Stephanie Miksche, Sam Anderson, George Wood, Carmen Wright, Charmaine Brault, Jack Thompson, Richard Wheelock, Bud Routs, Joan Smith and Dick and Jack Henselman.

Auxiliary Camp Enjoy Dinner

Guests at the Col. Sargent Camp dinner held last Wednesday evening were the ladies of the auxiliary.

Expecting to be treated to the usual army meal the guests were indeed surprised when they entered the dining room and saw a beautifully decorated table and were served a delicious turkey dinner by the apron clad veterans. Dessert consisted of a very large cake dedicated to the members who had had birthdays since the beginning of the year.

Business transacted consisted of plans for summer activities which included a picnic to be held in Litchia park June 25. Also plans for attendance at department convention to be held in McMinnville July 17-19, and a national campment to be held in Portland September 11-14.

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