SOCIETY AND CLUB NEWS OF THE WEEK

By CLARA MARY DAVIS

Medford Girl Weds Klamath Man Sunday

Last Sunday morning at 10:30 in the Catholic church in Klamath Falls, Miss Cora Roberta Brinson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Brinson of Medford, became the bride of Otto Bastiani, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sarri of Klamath Falls.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Lois Brinson, formerly of Medford, now of Klamath Falls; and the bridegroom by his brother, Deno Bastiani of Klamath Falls. The bride and her bridesmaid wore black tailored suits with white blouses and accessories, black hats with face veils, the bride a corsage of white roses and honeysuckle and her sister a similar corsage of yellow.

The service, attended by 50 guests, was followed by a banquet at the Lucca cafe, for which Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sarri were hosts. Long tables were decorated with flowers and centered with a large three tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Following the reception the couple left for a honeymoon in San Francisco and Ukiah after which they will be at home in Klamath Falls.

Guests from this city attending the wedding were the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brinson, and her brother James Brinson.

Mrs. Yarbrough Is Installed as Chief

The Pythian Sister installation of officers for the ensuing year was held Tuesday evening at the K. P. hall.

Installing officer, Mary Webber, was assisted by Austia Barneburg, grand manager, and Adalaide Swartz, grand senior.

Officers installed were: Belle Yarbrough, past chief; Gene Bateman, most excellent chief; Ella Stout, most excellent senior; Mary Wilson, most excellent junior; Blanche Potter, manager; Hermine Klein, mistress of finance; Elizabeth Jones, protector.

A beautiful bouquet of flowers was presented to Belle Yarbrough, in appreciation of her work during the past year as most excellent chief.

Following the installation, refreshments were served by the hostess of the evening, Ruth Walden and her assistants.

Paskes Return From California

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Paske returned Thursday to their home on South Oakdale avenue from a two weeks vacation spent in California.

They visited in San Francisco and other parts of the bay city and then traveled to Los Angeles. In Pasadena on New Year's day they took in the Tournament of Roses and the Rose Bowl game.

A particularly interesting part of the holiday stay was viewing the parade floats after they were returned to their stations in Pasadena. By doing this, the couple were able to scrutinize the floats which they described as being very beautiful.

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Mrs. George A. Hunt, the former Mrs. Edith Deuel, whose marriage was a recent event in Las Vegas, Nevada. The couple will reside in this city. Mr. Hunt is owner of Hunt theaters.

Knights Templar Annual Party Date Set for February

Wednesday evening, Feb. 21, is the date which has been set for the annual party of Malta commandery, number 4, Knights of Templars. The selection of this date was made at a meeting of Knight Templars at Ashland last Wednesday evening. The committee for the brilliant annual party includes Elbert Lenox, chairman; O. O. Horner, R. E. Sweeney, O. W. DeJarnett, Walter E. Redford, R. E. Detrick, A. G. Bishop and Earl T. Newbry.

The Knight Templar party is held each year to honor the eminent commander of the organization and his wife. This year's party will be presented in honor of the present head of Malta Commandery, Commander John H. Ralston and Mrs. Ralston, and the program will include a dinner, dancing and cards.

It is probable that the annual social gathering next month will be held in the Masonic temple at Ashland, although no action has yet been taken in the selection of the location. All Knight Templars and their ladies will be invited to enjoy the party, always one of the most brilliant affairs of the year in Masonic circles.

Couple Leaves for California Home

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Edgecombe, who were the holiday guests of Mrs. Edgecombe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Houston, left early this week for their home in Susanville, Calif., where Mr. Edgecombe is a member of the teaching faculty.

Mrs. Edgecombe is remembered here as the former Gwendolyn Houston. The two were welcomed to the valley by many relatives and friends.

Shaws Hosts To House Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shaw and son Thomas Jr., of Los Angeles were recent guests here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaw. This marked Mrs. Thomas Shaw's first visit to Medford and her husbands first one in three years.

The guests enjoyed winter sports at Crater Lake during their weeks' sojourn.

Other visitors at the local Shaw's home were Bernard Shaw of Lakeview and Charlie Shaw of Redding.

Nevita To Meet Tuesday Evening

Nevita chapter, No. 93, O.E.S. will hold its first regular meeting of the new year Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Masonic temple at Central Point.

Newly installed officers will preside. Mrs. Sam Koehler has arranged a program for the evening and refreshments will be served. Visiting members are invited to attend.

SWV Hold Banquet And Installation Of Officers Here

The Spanish War Veterans and auxiliary and invited guests met for a banquet Wednesday evening in the armory, and a joint installation of officers. The invited guests were members of the following organizations, American Legion and auxiliary, Veterans of Foreign Wars and auxiliary, Disabled American Veterans and auxiliary, Daughters of Union Veterans, Women's Relief Corps, and honorable mention of Charles High, 95 year old Civil War veteran and his daughter, Mrs. George Bray, both of Yreka ,Cal. All guests gave short talks.

The past president, Mrs. Ila Hollars presented her officers with beautiful corsages and gifts to Carrie Conner, Hattie Alden, Austia Barneburg, Lelia Paxson, Alice Jarmin and Justa Ovelman, and Austia Barneburg presented a past president pin to Ida Hollars, from the auxiliary.

A telegram was received at dinner from Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Wood, from Salem. They both are members of the lodge and former Medford residents.

The officers that were installed in the auxiliary are: president, Edith Bundy; secretary, Bertha Hoffman; treasurer, Lelia Paxson; senior vice, Alice Jarmin; junior vice, Laura Jones; chaplain, Gladys Rammin; historian, Jennie Clement; patriotic instructor, Alta Newman; musician, Hattie Alden; reporter, Justa Ovelman; conductor, Carrie Conner; assistant conductor, Jane Hemstreet; guard, Josephine Widner; assistant guard, Marcella Troyneck. The color team includes Austria Barneburg, Ida Hollars, Mildred Reynolds and Hazel Anderson. The installing officer was Ruth MacCollister.

Veterans' officers are: Commander, Stephen F. Smith; senior vice commander, John E. Erchelberger; junior vice commander, Albert Dunmire; adjutant and quartermaster, Col. W. H. Paine; trustee and surgeon, Dr. E. W. Hoffman; patriotic instructor, Robert S. Farrar; chaplain, Arthur R. Clement; officer of the day, Claud Hall; officer of the guard, James H. Ping; senior color sergeant, Nicholas S. Young. The installing officer was Col. W. H. Paine.

Group Returns From California

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hammett, Mrs. M. A. Jones, Leslie Hammett, Miss Marie Hammett and Robert Ford returned Tuesday by motorcar from Cedarville, Cal., to spend New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bordwell.

Mrs. Bordwell is the former Miss Marguarete Hammett.

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Interesting Book Reviews Given at Wednesday Meet

Mrs. A. J. Hanby, president, presided at the regular meeting of the Wednesday Study club held January 3.

"We Shall Live Again," by Maurice Hindus, was reviewed by Mrs. N. T. Hodges. The book tells the story of Czechoslovakia and the power of politics which tore it apart and crushed it out of existence. The story of a government that in only twenty years made one nation of people, differing widely in characteristics and conditions, resulted in one of the most satisfactory governments Europe had ever known.

The book is in three parts: Glory, Doom and Rebirth. The first portion tells of the people's hopes, aspirations and accomplishments, their daily placid life with the underlying dread of Germany that was seldom spoken of. The second part discloses the agony, suffering and desperation that ensued after the war. The third part, Rebirth, shows the people taking up their lives as best they can, adjusting themselves to intolerable conditions, living in the firm belief that the situation is only temperorary and that some day they will again be an independent nation.

Another outstanding review at the meeting was given by Mrs. B. G. Harding. She presented a resume on the book, "Race Against Man," by Herbert Jacob Seligmann and prepared by the famous anthropologist, Dr. Franz Boas.

The author points out that the basis of classification of mankind into "races" has been the football of prejudice and political aim directed by the will to dominate mankind by force. A discussion concerning various races brought out the point that the greatest mixture of races is found in the United States and Brazil.

The writer mentioned that the Folk movement, concerned notably the Chinese, Japanese, Filipinos and Hawaiians.

He mentioned the part propaganda has played in development of race and man, dating back to early Egyptian times and touched on the Nordic race, Negro slavery, Jewish seclusion and history of 2000 years. An interesting point he brought out was that there are no superior or inferior people at birth—they are all one people.

"Lunacy Becomes Us" by Adolf Hitler and his associates, edited by Clara Leiser, was reviewed by Mrs. A. W. Aya.

The meeting was concluded with a general discussion.

Mattson Home Is Scene of Party

Mrs. Jean Gray was co-hostess with Mrs. Mary Mattson at her attractive home on the North Pacific highway recently for a party.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ellis, Beagle, Mr. and Mrs. John Holst, Sams Valley, Mr. and Mrs. John Hall, Rogue River, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fiene, Sardine creek, John Gray of Riverside.

Rooms were decorated in a holiday motif. The table was beautifully appointed with yellow chrysanthemums, crystal grapes, tapers and greenery.

Games and visiting were enjoyed throughout the evening.

Group Travels To Portland

Mr. and Mrs. John Conner, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith and Mrs. Jack Barr left Thursday for Portland.

The Conner's were holiday guests here of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Conner. They reside in Portland. The Smiths, Mrs. Conner's parents will visit in the northern city for some time and Mrs. Barr, also the Smith's daughter plans to remain a week.

DUV To Install Group Friday

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War will have installation of officers in the Lincoln school auditorium Friday evening.

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Pauline Rogers Betrothed To Mr. Culbertson

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Rogers announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Miss Pauline Rogers to Emory Culbertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Culbertson, Sr.

Miss Rogers, popular member of the younger set here, graduated from Medford high school and later attended post secretarial school in San Francisco, Cal.

Mr. Culbertson also attended the local schools. He is station attendent for United Airlines at the Medford airport.

The marriage will be an event of early spring.

Dinner Session Enjoyed Thursday

The Business and Professional Women's Club met Thursday evening at the Hotel Holland.

Winnie Weishaar, chairman of the forward committee was in charge. She was assisted by Iva McHenry.

Miss Marguerite Luman sang "Without A Song" and "Pale Hands I Love." She was accompanied by Kenneth Raymond.

The meeting was a past presidents meeting. Mrs. Weishaar read the club history which was organized in 1923 and read several letters from past presidents of the club. Past presidents present were Winnie Weishaar, Mabel Mack, Maude Snider, Jacque Lenox and present president Rose Houston, each gave a short talk.

Belva Aiken gave a short talk on the life of Clara Wood, a former past president and a very active member until her death last spring.

Nile Daughters To Convene Soon

Zuleima Temple, Daughters of the Nile will convene Saturday, January 13 in the Masonic Temple in Ashland.

Luncheon at the Plaza Cafe in the Lithia city will precede the regular session. A committee will be appointed and plans formulated for the ceremonial which will be held in this city February 10.

The local organization will have the privilege of being hostesses to the Supreme Queen during the ceremonial. The dignitary is Roxie Mathis and her home is in San Antonio, Texas.

Past Matrons To Convene Monday

Past Matrons club of Reames chapter, O.E.S., will gather Monday afternoon at 1:15 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. F. Nordwick, 919 Reddy avenue.

Dessert luncheon will be followed by a regular meeting. The March committee instead of the January committee will be in charge of the affair.

As this will be the first meeting of the new year, it is anticipated that all members will be present.

Zonta Club to Meet Monday

Medford Zonta club will hold its business meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Girls' Community club house. All members are asked to attend.

Reames Chapter Will Convene

Reames chapter, O.E.S. will hold a regular meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Installation of 1940 officers will follow. The auxiliary committee will serve refreshments.

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Bethrothal Announced

Miss Pauline Rogers, whose engagement was announced yesterday by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Rogers. She will wed in early spring Emory Culbertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Culbertson Sr.

Leap Year Styles Have New Accents

By Adelaide Kerr
(AP Fashion Editor)

Leap year fashions indicate that "life begins in '40."

The first 1940 fashions, which have already come to town, are chiefly costume accents to catch the roving eye of the male and banish those all-too-frequent, after-New-Year, mid-winter-wardrobe blues. They are meant to give new sparkle to your looks, new life and allure to you and your wardrobe. Most of them cost very little except [illegible] and thought.

There are costume jewels to [illegible] a plain dress "It", hats to gladden the soberest coat, new evening sweaters and spring suits to give you and your wardrobe a big hand. The way they are worn is almost more important in Leap Year fashion psychology than the clothes or the accents themselves.

Here are a few ideas:

Color Your Life

Put color into your life with a new chapeau—one of the suavely draped Javanese turbans, a flower-covered toque whose bright blossoms can continue to crown your head in the spring, or a plaid taffeta trimmed hat which has a bag to match it.

Jewel Accents

Consider jewel accents—costume or real. Try one of the morning-glory necklaces, whose white porcelain flowers are swung on gold chains, or a four-strand necklace of pastel-tinted crystals. Pin a diamond love knot on [illegible] cocktail suit. Snap a jeweled clip to your muff or the flat neckline of your fur coat. Sweep your curls to the back of your neck and anchor them there with an old-fashioned jeweled bar pin.

Color Schemer

Be a color schemer. Set a fuchsia velvet bow in your curls to match the banding of an evening frock. Top your simplest dinner dress with one of the colorful, gold-embroidered evening sweaters—peacock blue over gray, for instance, or bright green over black. Get a topaz necklace to match your gloves.

Merritt Group Meets in Church

Merritt circle of the Presbyterian church will hold an all day meeting Tuesday morning beginning at 10:30 o'clock in the church parlors.

A potluck luncheon will be served at noon by hostesses Mesdames W. E. Tumy and B. L. Sanderson. The day will be spent in tieing two comforters.

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Garden Clubbers Of Eagle Point Meeting Tuesday

Eagle Point, Jan. 6.—(Spl.)—Eagle Point and Antelope Home Garden club will hold its first meeting of the year at the home of the president, Mrs. Gertrude Haak, January 9, at 1 p.m. Three members will constitute a quorum.

Election of officers for 1940 will be followed by discussion on meeting at 10 a.m. in place of 1 p.m. Committees will also be appointed.

Making of garden plans, culture and propogation of evergreens, both broadleaved and conifer and their use in home plantings will be discussed.

Members are requested to have a loose-leaf binder book in which to copy information.

Any one interested in home gardening will be cordially welcomed to membership in the club.

Rev. Haslam To Address Meeting

The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:15 with Mrs. E. G. Roseborough, 718 W. Main street. Mrs. J. W. Smylie and Mrs. H. LeClerc are to be assistant hostesses.

Guest speaker for the afternoon will be Rev. J. R. L. Haslam, who is conducting evangelistic services in the Baptist church.

Special musical numbers will be given by Mrs. Reginald Vincent, Rev. D. D. Randall, Sunday School missionary has the devotional service. Refreshments will be served during the social hour and a cordial welcome is extended to all interested.

Miller Home To Be Meet Scene

Lady Lions club will gather Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Earl Miller, 617 Park avenue for a covered dish luncheon.

A brief business session and cards will follow the luncheon.

Mrs. Henry Zacharisen, vice-president, will preside in the absence of the president, Mrs. Ray Marti.

Mrs. Allen R. Smith and Mrs. Clifford Proctor will act as the assistant hostesses.

College Women To Meet Saturday

The Rogue Valley College Women's club will have its annual luncheon Saturday, January 13th, at 1 o'clock, at the Hotel Medford.

The program will be on "American Art". Mrs. E. E. Gore is the social chairman. For reservations Miss Vera Humphrey at 1463-M is to be called.

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