

SOCIETY and CLUB NEWS of the WEEK

BY BETTY SHOEMAKER

Joan Vroman Weds Mr. Wilcox At Baptist Church

The First Baptist church in this city was the scene of the wedding last Sunday of Miss Joan Vroman and Lester A. Wilcox, Jr., of Portland, both former Medford residents. Miss Vroman is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Vroman of this city and Mrs. Wilcox, the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wilcox of route 2.

The double ring ceremony was read at 5 p. m. by the Rev. W. A. Dawes in a setting of roses and mixed spring bouquets and white tapers. Mrs. Don Platt sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly" accompanied by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Henry Huenergardt. Traditional wedding music was played on the organ as the wedding party entered the church.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, C. D. Vroman of Phoenix, wore a gown of ivory satin, fashioned princess style with a train and long sleeves. Her tulle veil was held in place by Cecil Bruner roses. She carried a bouquet of gardenias, sweet peas and rosebuds. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Davis of College Place, Wash., as matron of honor. Mrs. Davis wore a princess style, blue lace gown and carried a colonial bouquet of rosebuds.

Miss Pauline Vroman, sister of the bride from Portland, was bridesmaid. She wore blue lace and Miss Marjorie Vroman, bridesmaid, cousin of the bride, wore pink chiffon. Both carried colonial bouquets. Priscilla Anne Davis, tiny niece of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a long printed voile dress and scattered rose petals.

The bride's aunt, Mrs. C. D. Vroman, chose a rose ensemble with black accessories and a rosebud corsage. The bridegroom's mother wore a green silk outfit with beige accessories and a corsage of roses and sweet peas.

John W. Newman was best man. Ushers were Don Minear and Glen Lamb and honorary ushers, Merle Kaufman and Tyley Evans.

Following the wedding a reception honored the wedding party in the church parlors. The room was arranged with flowers and a three-tiered wedding cake was first cut by the bride. Assisting were Mrs. Wallace Freeland, Mrs. John Newman, Miss Evelyn Brockway, Miss Vernie Davenport and Miss Betty Brown. Groom's cake was distributed by Jerry McDougal and Jean McDougal.

During the reception Madame Pearl Ladd of San Francisco, friend of the bride, sang "By the Waters of Minnatonka" and "My Hero" from "The Chocolate Soldier." Madame Ladd has appeared in major roles of Gilbert and Sullivan operas throughout the world, also singing before royalty in England and Spain.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. A. J. Moore, grandmother of the bridegroom; Skiles Hoffman, cousin of the bride; Dr. Ruby L. Hoffman, aunt of the bride, and Madame Ladd, all of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Vroman of Klamath Falls, uncle and aunt of the bride, and Miss Charlotte McDougal, of Portland, aunt of the bridegroom.

For traveling the bride wore a three-piece suit of RAF blue with rust and white accessories and a gardenia corsage.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox will make their home in Milwaukie. Mrs. Wilcox is employed at the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company in Portland and Mr. Wilcox is also employed in that city. He recently graduated from the Multnomah School of Bible in Portland.

The Newmans honored the couple with a breakfast at the Newman home Monday morning and Saturday evening, June 13, a kitchen shower honored the bride at the Newman home. A large group of her Medford friends were present for the occasion.

Wenonah Club Holds Card Party

Members of Wenonah club enjoyed a card party Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Olive Floyd on West Main street. Pinochle and bridge were at play with Florence Rush and Ruth Miller holding high scores. Assisting the hostess were Lucille Anseth, Velma Singler and Janet Bostwick.

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Among Medford June Brides



Mrs. Robert Hinman, the former Mildred Drury, whose wedding was an event of June 12 at 8:30 p. m. at St. Mark's Episcopal church. A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Drury, South Oakdale avenue. (Photo by Shangle)

Preston-Walker Marriage Read In San Francisco

Captain and Mrs. Harley G. Preston of 422 South Ivy street announce the marriage of their daughter, Virginia Ruby Preston to George E. Walker of San Francisco. The ceremony was read May 11 in the Methodist parsonage in the Bay city by the Rev. Mr. Porter.

The bride wore a beige outfit with brown accessories and a corsage of orange rosebuds and gardenias. She was attended by Chloe Anderson.

Mrs. Walker, well-known in southern Oregon, graduated from Medford high school and has been taking nurses training at the French hospital in San Francisco where she will complete her course in the fall. They will make their home in San Francisco where Mr. Walker is employed.

Word Received Of Marriage Of Mildred Walker

Miss Mildred Walker and Anton Postl were married in the Church of the Crossroads in Honolulu, T. H., Tuesday, June 16, according to word received here. Both are teachers at Mid-Pacific Institute in Honolulu.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. W. W. Walker, 842 East Main street, Medford.

Club Inducts Six New Members

Six new Navy mothers were taken into the Navy Mothers club at the home of Mrs. Frances McConchie Thursday afternoon. Twenty mothers and three visitors were present. At the close of a short business session a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served by the hostess. The club will meet July 1 at the home of Mrs. Carrie O'Hara, 495 North Main street, Ashland.

New members in the club are Mrs. Lena Alice Foster, Mrs. Effie Casebolt, Mrs. Nellie Gibson, Mrs. Ethel Thomas, Mrs. Grace Yourmans and Mrs. Flora Childers, all of Medford.

Phoenix Resident Weds Local Boy In Church Rites

Phoenix, June 20—(Spl.)—Miss Jean Hayse of Phoenix and Richard Wright of Medford were married Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock in a candlelight ceremony at the Phoenix Presbyterian church. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Woodford Turpin of Phoenix and the bridegroom the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wright of this city.

The bride, given in marriage by Woodford Turpin, chose a suit of RAF blue with beige accessories and an orchid corsage. She was attended by Miss Marjorie Kettlewell, who wore a brown street-length frock with rose accessories and an orchid corsage. Best man was Wayne Wright, brother of the bridegroom and Warren Hayse and Bill McMullen were ushers.

The bride's mother wore a navy blue suit with a gardenia corsage and the bridegroom's mother wore a powder-blue suit with a gardenia corsage.

The ceremony was read in a flower-decorated room and the wedding party entered to traditional wedding music played by Miss Irene Stedman. Miss Patricia Furry sang "Oh Promise Me".

Following a wedding trip the couple will make their home at 525 Franquette street in this city.

Among out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Nickols of San Francisco, Mrs. Harry Lugin of Oakland and Miss Marjorie Kettlewell of Oakland. Many relatives and friends attended the ceremony.

Mrs. Wright is a graduate of Phoenix high school and is employed at the First National bank in Medford. Mr. Wright is a graduate of Medford high school and is employed at J. C. Penney store.

Former Residents Enjoy First Visit Here in 46 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Randles of Tacoma, Wash., returned to their home yesterday after spending two weeks visiting relatives and friends in southern Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Randles are natives of southern Oregon, both having been born in the Lake Creek district.

Forty six years ago they moved from this locality and this is their first visit here since leaving in 1896. Last Sunday a family reunion was held in Lithia park in Ashland. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Randles of Tacoma, Wash., Harry and Edith Randles and Mrs. Mable Randles and small son of Yreka, Cal., Mrs. Alice Tyrrell and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones of Hornbrook, Cal., Sam Randles of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. Frank True, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Randles, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, all of this city; Joe Randles, Merritt Randles, Guy and Mildred Randles and sons, Gerald and Donald; Mr. and Mrs. George Andrews all of Ashland; and Mrs. Doris Norris of Applegate.

Rogue River Couple Marry in Reno

Grace Whipple and John Ryan, both of Rogue River were married in Reno, Nev., June 10 with the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. McCloy of Wadsworth, Nev., in attendance.

After a wedding trip through California and Nevada the couple returned to Rogue River where they will make their home.

De Molay Mothers Conclude Activities

DeMolay Mother's club completed activities of their group until the fall months when they met at the Masonic temple last week for a covered dish luncheon. Mrs. Carl Ludwig and Mrs. H. J. Marsh were in charge of arrangements.

Attending were the Mesdames W. H. Holloway, L. S. Ettinger, Carl Bennett, Carl Ludwig, Frank Hull, H. J. Marsh, E. S. Tunny, Harry Bryant and a visitor, Mrs. M. Rainsback, mother of Mrs. Marsh from Whittier, Cal.

Women's Relief Corps Celebrates 50th Anniversary

The 50th celebration of the founding of Chas. A. Arthur Women's Relief Corps in this city was observed Thursday at the Medford armory. Medford's one charter member, Sarah Andrus was unable to be present due to injuries received in an accident recently.

The corps was founded in the old G.A.R. hall June 30, 1892 by Mrs. Belle Littrell who said that 10 members formed the nucleus for the organization which is one of the oldest patriotic organizations in the world. Nettie Wolfe was the first corps president.

The Rev. R. W. Coleman, pastor of the First Christian church presented a talk on "America's Day of Memories," a history of the time during which the organization of WRC has been active. A welcome address was given by Millie Tucker and Mrs. Anna Harmon of Grants Pass, representing the Grants Pass corps, expressed her pleasure in being present. Other visitors were Laura Jones, representing the U.S.W.V. auxiliary; Charlotte Claremont and mother, charter members of D.A.V. auxiliary of the World War at Grants Pass. Mrs. Edna Kilburn, W. H. Harrison corps, Central Point.

Music during the afternoon included a duet by Mrs. Joy Sorenson and Mrs. Arletha Knutsen accompanied by Doris Knutsen. "America the Beautiful" and "Your Rose May Have Thorns" by accordian selections by Eve Prentice's Accordians, Beverly Bishop, Merilee Thoreson, Shirley Schoettler and Helen MeBeth, "Tribute to Our Service" and "Patriotic Airs".

Elva Lough, who has been president of the organization for seven years, presided and mentioned the death of Mrs. Katherine Peterson who has been absent only once during her 15 year membership.

Later refreshments were served, a large cake being decorated in keeping with the theme of the occasion, the 50th anniversary.

Former Medford Girl To Wed Army Officer

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Garlock of 535 North Ainsworth, Portland, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mariel Edythe Hughes to Lieut. Richard Philip Peat, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Peat of Lakeview, Ore.

Lieut. Peat has been visiting in Portland for the past two weeks awaiting his army orders. He is a graduate of Oregon State college and recently received his commission. He is affiliated with Sigma Phi Sigma fraternity. Miss Hughes plans to return to the Clavallis campus in September to finish her senior year of college education.

The Garlocks are former Medford residents.

Visiting Here From Indiana Houseguest of Miss Julie Carpenter at Topides is Miss Billie Jean Underwood of Noblesville, Ind. Miss Underwood visited in Medford last summer also and has many friends here among the younger set.

Honored Queen



Miss Jeanne Smith, who was installed as honored queen of Bethel No. 14, Daughters of Job at a public installation held June 10 at the Masonic hall. Miss Smith also headed the Queen's Ball, annual spring formal of the Bethel. (Photo by Brainerd)

Former Resident Weds In Reno

Miss Louise Robertson, daughter of S. G. Robertson of Portland and granddaughter of Mrs. Katie M. Grieve of Prospect, and Arnold Smith of San Francisco were married at the Methodist parsonage in Reno, Nev., June 13.

The couple returned to Medford by United Mainliner where they will make their home. Mrs. Smith has many friends in Medford and surrounding community having attended St. Mary's academy. Mr. Smith is an office manager at Camp White.

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Helen Parrish Installed Head Of Business Women

New officers were installed at the banquet meeting of the business and Professional Women's club at the St. Mark's parish hall on North Oakdale avenue Thursday evening. The tables and hall were decorated with spring flowers and covers were laid for 30 members and guests.

Rose Houston was installing officer and Helen Webb sang a number accompanied by Effie Kurtz. Mrs. A. S. V. Carpenter talked on recreational work in the county, what had been done for the defense workers and what must be done for the soldiers.

Serving the club for the coming year will be Helen Parrish, president; Iva McHenry, first vice-president; Frieda Gebers, second vice-president; Gladys York, recording secretary; Mary Porter, corresponding secretary; Edith Gifford, treasurer; Eva Bavalack, auditor; Laura York, program coordinator; Anne Early and Eva Judd, directors. Returning officers are Eva Judd, president; Nina Moore, first vice-president; Helen Parrish, second vice-president; Gladys York, recording secretary; Eva Bavalack, corresponding secretary; Iva McHenry, treasurer; Edith Gifford, auditor; Frieda Gebers, program coordinator; Rose Houston and Jacque Lenox, directors.

Charlotte Doane, Robert Cummins Wed at Church

Miss Charlotte Doane and Robert Dale Cummins were quietly married last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the First Christian church with the Rev. R. W. Coleman, pastor of the First Christian church reading the service.

The bride chose a navy blue ensemble and carried a bouquet of orchids, gardenias and sweet peas. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Doane.

Attending the ceremony were Mrs. Millie Doane, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cummins, Miss Lily Belle Doane, Avon B. Cummins, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Darst and son, P. Culbertson, Miss Rose Mary Cummins and Miss Yotta Mildred Cummins.

The couple will make their home at 531 South Riverside avenue. Mr. Cummins is employed at Camp White.

Medford Resident Returns Home

Mrs. Susan Eads has returned to her home at 29 Kenwood avenue after a month's vacation with relatives in Salem, Eugene and Roseburg.

Parents Announce Daughter's Betrothal To Bay City Man

Friends in this city will be interested to learn of the announcement by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eberhart of Eugene of the betrothal of their daughter, Miss Mary Ellen to Roy Morris Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Henderson of Fresno, Cal. The wedding will be an event of early fall.

Miss Eberhart has been art instructor at junior high school for several years. She is a graduate of University of Oregon and a member of Phi Beta Phi sorority. Mr. Henderson, who is with the U. S. navy at San Francisco, attended University of Oregon and graduated from Stanford university. He is affiliated with Phi Sigma Kappa fraternity.

Daughters of Nile Attend Park Picnic

Riverside park at Grants Pass was the scene of a picnic for 40 members and guests of Daughters of the Nile last Saturday. Fifteen were present from Medford and Ashland. Mrs. Con Durland was in charge of arrangements assisted by members of the Nile chorus.

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