

SOCIETY and CLUB NEWS of the WEEK

BY BETTY SHOEMAKER

Juanita Cowgill, Lieut. Cobb, Jr. Wedding Read

Of interest to friends in southern Oregon is the recent marriage of Miss Juanita Mary Cowgill, daughter of Brigadier-General and Mrs. Ralph P. Cowgill and Lieutenant Eugene Cobb, Jr., son of Mrs. Eugene S. Cobb, all of Portland. The ceremony was an event of June 21 in the Trinity Episcopal church in Portland with the Rev. Lansing E. Kempton officiating.

The bride wore a classic gown of ivory satin with matching veil of illusion with face veil both falling from a coronet of seed pearls. She was given in marriage by her father.

Maid of honor was Miss Jo Ann Supple who wore a gown of lavender chiffon with head-dress of ivory roses and carried a nosegay of the same flowers. Miss Mary Nancy Brigham, Miss Joyce Grady and Miss Alice Johnson were bridesmaids. They all wore dresses of ice green chiffon and carried bouquets of roses and white flowers.

Miss Diane Emigh was junior bridesmaid. Eugene Cecchini was best man. Ushers were Bud Vandenberg, Daniel Boone, Peter Lamb and Carl Little, Jr.

A reception followed at the home of Mrs. George A. White at Clackamas. Pouring and assisting were Mrs. M. W. Jones, Mrs. W. G. Purdy, Mrs. T. G. Cowgill, of Albany; Mrs. Hubert Parsons, Mrs. E. F. Sloan and the Misses Shirley Chaplin, Jane Gray, Beth Parks and Maxine Marsh.

The couple are making their home at 4421 N. E. Broadway street, Portland, following a wedding trip to Victoria, B. C.

Medford Ladies Attend Tea For Newcomers

A group of Medford residents attended an afternoon tea at the Lisle residence in Ashland when Mrs. Lisle and Mrs. Earl Leever entertained a group of friends, honoring Mrs. Charles Gerhardt, wife of Major-General Gerhardt, division commander at Camp White recently.

Attending from this city were Mrs. Owen R. Meredith, Mrs. Frank M. Mallory, Mrs. Helen Small, Mrs. Penny Fontaine, Mrs. Margaret Fabrick, Miss Frances Howard and Mrs. Dolph Phipps.

A patriotic motif decorated the tea table with a centerpiece of red, white and blue flowers. The same theme was carried out in the room decorations.

Club Holds Costume Party

Business and Professional Women's club members enjoyed a "crazy dress" party at the Girls' Community clubhouse Thursday evening with Helen Parrish and her committee in charge of arrangements.

All attending dressed in amusing fashion with first prize going to Mary Porter, who wore an old-fashioned pink evening gown, black lace stockings and black befeathered hat and wrap.

Games and singing were followed by a truth and consequence radio program and later a luncheon was served. Sixteen members and guests were in attendance.

Venita Gardner Observes Birthday

Venita Gardner celebrated her ninth birthday Friday, June 26 when a group of friends called at 323 South Peach street. Games were enjoyed and Venita received many gifts. Later refreshments were served.

Attending were Sallie Edge, Martha Spatz, Inez Schleigh, Reta Schleigh, Georgina Green, Irene Car, Norma Newman, Kathleen Jones, Helen Gardner, Wilbur Gardner. Also attending were Venita's grand father and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Murrey.

Cummins Leave For Estes Park

Mrs. A. S. Cummins and daughter, Miss Charlotte, left Saturday for Estes Park, Colo., where they plan to spend a part of the summer months vacationing.

Weekend At Lake O Woods

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Vilas and three children are spending the holiday weekend at Lake O Woods where they met the Edward Geary's of Klamath Falls.

Local Man Weds St. Helen's Girl In Portland

Word is received here of the marriage of Miss LaVerne Zielaskowski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Zielaskowski of St. Helens and Albert Henry Bliton of Medford, son of Mrs. A. S. Bliton, also of this city. The ceremony was read Sunday, June 21 at the All Saints Episcopal church in Portland by the Rev. Mr. Keiter.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a wedding gown of white satin, fashioned princess style with a fingertip veil caught in place by a coronet of tulle and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of all-white flowers.

Miss Margaret LeFebure was maid of honor. She wore blue net with a head-dress of delphinium and carried roses, carnations and delphinium.

Miss Beverly Kloak of Seattle, Wash., bridesmaid, wore pink net with a floral head-dress of sweetpeas and carried a bouquet of roses, carnations and sweetpeas.

Best man was Orval Locatell.

A reception followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Locatell after which Mr. and Mrs. Bliton left for Klamath Falls where they will make their home.

Mrs. A. S. Bliton flew north by United Mainliner to attend the wedding.

Gold Hill Girl Weds Mr. Miller In Church Rites

Gold Hill, July 4.—(Special) Miss Jewell Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cook of Gold Hill was united in marriage to Walter Miller, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller of Sams Valley, on June 26th. The ceremony was read by Elder Lester Petersen in the Church of Jesus Christ, Latter Day Saints, Medford.

The bride was given away by her father, and was attended by her sister, Mrs. Ray Pedersen. Bridesmaids were Betty Rader, Alice Lee Cook and Marlys Adams and flower girl was Alva Jean Cook, sister of the bride.

The young couple left immediately after the wedding to visit friends in Portland, after which they will go to Seattle to make their home. The groom is engaged in construction work there.

Dinner Honors Church Confirmants

Meeting in the church parlors of the Zion English Lutheran church a special dinner was given Wednesday evening honoring a class of eight confirmants who last Sunday were received into the communicant membership of the church. Parents of the young people were also honored at the banquet which was sponsored by the Women's Missionary society.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. S. Steinbrecher and Norma Jean and Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Gearhardt and son, Charles; Mr. and Mrs. H. Lagesen and son, Sidney; Mr. and Mrs. Arne Christensen and daughter Barbara Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Sterton and son, Roger; Mr. and Mrs. Overt Hanson and daughter, Dorothy, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Borg and son, Carl Jr.

Table decorations were red and gold. Musical selections were played on the accordion and glockenspiel by the Misses Phoebe and Nancy Swem and a piano selection by Roger Hogstrom. Miss Georgiana Thompson presented a humorous reading.

Short addresses of welcome to the church and Luther league were given by Arne Christensen, representing the church council, and Nancy Swem, president of the Intermediate Luther league. Responses on behalf of the class were given by Norma Steinbrecher and Roger Sterton. Members of the class were presented a group picture of the class taken last Sunday. Community singing and a word by the pastor, the Rev. Karl W. Brockhaus, completed the program.

Leave For Trip To California

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Bray of 22 Portland avenue left yesterday morning by motor for Los Angeles where they plan to visit Mrs. Bray's sisters. On the return trip they will spend a few days in San Francisco with her brother. They plan to be gone about 10 days or two weeks. They were accompanied by Mrs. Bray's sister, Mrs. Kyle Hamblin of Grants Pass.

Former Talent Man Takes Bride In Louisiana

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wyse of Feather Falls, Cal., announce the marriage of their daughter, Maxine to Second Lieutenant Henry Ward Evans of the Lake Charles Army Flying school, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Evans of Chiloquin, Oregon.

The ceremony was read Thursday at 6 o'clock in the evening at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Leveque, 132 Bellevue Lake Charles, La. The ceremony was read by the Rev. Dr. Stagg of the First Baptist church.

The bride was graduated from the University of Oregon in the class of 1942. Lieut. Evans, former resident of Talent, Oregon, received his wings and rank of second lieutenant at the army flying school graduation exercises Friday of this week.

Candlelight Rites Wed Delores Smets And Ancil Gunter

A floral background formed the setting for the wedding of Miss Delores Smets, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Smets of this city and Ancil Gunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gunter of Jacksonville. The ceremony was read Saturday evening, June 27, by candlelight with the Rev. E. N. Mallory officiating. Wedding music was played by Miss Juanita Gunter, sister of the bridegroom.

The bride selected a blue silk dress suit with white and navy accessories and an orchid corsage. She was attended by Roberta Hamlin of Medford.

Homer Smets, brother of the bride, flew from Bakersfield, Cal., where he is stationed with the medical division of the U. S. air corps, to this city to act as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for immediate friends and relatives.

Lions, Ladies Enjoy Gathering At Jacksonville

Lions and their ladies met Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Grigsby at Jacksonville where elected officers for the coming year were inducted into office by the Lion district governor, Kirby Fortune.

Heading the groups for the coming year are Frank Runtz of the men's group and Mrs. Claude Haggard, Lion's auxiliary. Following the installation ceremony a songfest was enjoyed under the direction of P. W. McNab of Marshfield. Supper was served at midnight.

Surprise Party Honors Birthday

Mrs. W. I. Childreth entertained at the Childreth home on the Jacksonville highway Tuesday evening with a surprise party honoring her husband, W. I. Childreth. Following an evening of visiting and entertainment buffet dinner was served, including a large birthday cake. The honored guest received many gifts.

Guests enjoying the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Elliott, Mrs. Ed Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Merriman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lockard, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bohl, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McNeill and Mr. and Mrs. Childreth.

Double Eight Club At Lake

Double Eight club members enjoyed a weekend at Lake O Woods at the lake residence of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Burk. The group motored to the lake Saturday, June 27, enjoyed a picnic, motorboating and Sunday a dinner, hiking and boating.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Burk, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Nissen and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adair.

Leave Saturday For Coast Points

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Knight and daughters Miss Barbara and Miss Rosemary left yesterday morning for the coast where they planned to spend the holiday weekend.

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Open House Begins USO Activity



Gathered about the colorful canteen, decorated in gay South American fashion at the United Service Organization center last Sunday at the open house were the following: (left to right) Major John R. Livengood, Camp White; Mrs. Dolph Phipps, Jimmy Mallory, Mrs. Charles Gerhardt, Lieut. Col. Frank N. Mallory, executive officer at Camp White; Mrs. Mallory, Mrs. Owen R. Meredith, Private William Wiensfield, Colonel Owen R. Meredith, commanding officer at Camp White; Mignon Phipps, Laura Gentner, Frances Meyers, Lila Williamson, (seated) Bobette Woodward and Jean Stoddard. About 800 attended the open house during the hours of 4 to 10 p. m. Mrs. Phipps is USO council chairman and the girls assisting in the picture are members of the Junior Hostess league. (Photo by Shangle.)

Jackson County Couple Weds In Caldwell, Idaho

Of local interest is announcement of the marriage of Miss Ona Dee Hendrickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Hendrickson of Stewart avenue and Jerome W. Fitzgerald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald of Sams Valley.

The ceremony was performed at Caldwell, Ida., last Tuesday. Mrs. Fitzgerald is employed by local union No. 659, I.B.E.W., and Mr. Fitzgerald, enlisted with the Marine reserve, is in training at San Diego.

Custard-Evanson Wedding Told By Bride's Parents

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Doris Ruth Custard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Custard to Edward Christen Evanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Evanson.

The ceremony was read Tuesday evening, June 30, in the parsonage of the Methodist church in Ashland with the Rev. G. W. Bruce officiating.

Both young people are graduates of Medford high school. Mr. Evanson is employed in the offices of Contractors Medford Cantonment. The couple are now making their home in this city.

Convention Reports Heard At Meeting

Reports on the state Christian church convention held at Turner last week were heard Wednesday when the Adult Missionary Society of the First Christian church gathered in the recreational hall to begin the coming year's work. Mrs. Ethel Latham and Mrs. Julia Gregory gave a brief review of the session.

Mrs. Latham presided during the business session and Mrs. Ethel Troxell presented a glimpse of the year's program, "At Work Through the Years" and the afternoon subject "Why Missions". This subject was given in an interesting fashion and an invitation is extended to newcomers in the community to join in the study. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Estella Hopkins and group.

Day At Prospect

A group of friends enjoyed last Sunday at the Ed Pease cabin at Prospect. Breakfast was served and later cards were played and an informal dinner followed. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pease, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Wimer, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gould, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bashaw, Mr. and Mrs. Katherine Satterlee, Mrs. Mabel Kitson and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Scripser.

Beaulieu-Miller Rites Read In Grants Pass

Residing in this city are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller who were married the evening of June 27 in the Baptist parsonage at Grants Pass with the Rev. Harold Shaw reading the ceremony. The bride, the former Phyllis Beaulieu, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Beaulieu of Brookings and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. J. C. Haven of Bly.

The bride wore a brown and white sheer afternoon dress with white and brown accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Beaulieu, mother of the bride, wore a light green ensemble with a corsage of gardenias and rosebuds.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Beaulieu, Mrs. Doris M. Ogden, Mrs. Ray Olson and Miss Leta Hassett. Both attended school at Brookings high school. Mr. Miller is employed at Camp White.

Marcella Wise Weds Mr. Pelton At Christian Church

Marcella Wise and Lester A. Pelton were married the afternoon of June 21 in the First Christian church of this city with the Rev. R. W. Coleman reading the ceremony.

The bride wore a navy blue print redingote with white accessories and a corsage of rosebuds and bouvardia. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kurtz.

Mr. Pelton is employed at Camp White and the couple are making their home at 905 South Central avenue.

Navy Mothers Meet At Ashland

Navy Mothers met Wednesday with Carrie O'Hara at Ashland for a day of sewing. Eleven mothers were present for the luncheon at noon which was followed by a business meeting.

The club announced intention of providing a sewing kit at the USO center in this city for enlisted men and also to provide cookies at the canteen for the week of July 5 to 11 inclusive.

New members taken into the club were Mrs. Susie Myers of Central Point and Mrs. Lucy Belle Whittinghill of Ashland. Guests were Mrs. Eliza Cady and Ruth Dooms.

Plans were made to meet once a month for the coming three months.

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Dessert-Bridge At Ingle Home Event of Week

Mrs. Margaret Fabrick and Mrs. H. S. Ingle, the latter of Ashland entertained Wednesday with a 1:30 p. m. dessert bridge at the Ingle home honoring Mrs. Charles Gerhardt and her houseguest, Mrs. W. Cotton. The tables were decorated with sweet peas and Hummel figures and seven tables of cards were at play.

Prizes were awarded at bridge to Mrs. James Miller, Mrs. Glenn Fabrick, Jr., and Mrs. Wilbur of this city received the traveling prize. Mrs. Cotton scored high at gin rummy.

Medford residents attending included the Mesdames R. J. Henry, Wilbur, George Roberts, Rasmussen, Gus Newbury, Grace Collins, Burdette Dodge, Mamie Sleeter, R. S. Daniels, Chauncey Brewer, Paul Selby, Mary Simons, and Glenn Fabrick, Jr. Mrs. Gerhardt, who is a newcomer to Ashland, is the wife of Major Charles Gerhardt, division commander at Camp White.

Patriotic Theme For Shower Of Mrs. Governor

Gold Hill, July 4.—(Special)—Mrs. Lloyd Governor was honored at a shower on June 26th in W.R.C. hall. It was a no-nonsense affair and the hall was patriotically decorated with red, white and blue crepe paper streamers. The unusual theme for shower decoration was used for the reason that Mr. Governor is stationed with the coast artillery at Camp Haan, Calif.

Those who enjoyed the afternoon occasion were Mesdames: Paul Holderness, Carl Ruth, Hannah Routh, Lester Thompson, Tom Robinson, Ed Shoemaker, James Boen, Orville Baker, Dennis McGuire, James Clement, Lloyd Governor, Dale Clement and Miss Joan McGuire.

Carol Borge, Daughter Weds In Yreka

Miss Carol Borge, daughter of Mrs. Christine Borge of 441 West Ninth street and Dick Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lewis of St. Louis, Mo., were married Thursday evening, June 25 at the Episcopal parsonage in Yreka, Cal. The ceremony was read by the Rev. C. Leitch.

The bride wore a powder blue suit with a corsage of white gardenias. She was attended by Mrs. Pearl Billhartz, who wore a beige suit with a corsage of pink rosebuds. The bridegroom was attended by Orville Billhartz.

No-Host Affair At Carpenter Home

The A. S. V. Carpenter home, "Topsides" on the Old Stage road was the scene of a no-host July 4 celebration last evening when about 24 guests joined in an evening of cards, swimming and visiting. An informal dinner was enjoyed by the group.

Attending the wedding from this city were Mr. and Mrs. Cleven, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Bebb, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gaddis, Miss Jean Platt, Hal Platt and Leighton Platt.

Church Wedding In Ashland Is Large Affair

Miss Marjorie Kathleen McNair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Jamison McNair of Beverly Hills, Cal., and Ashland and William Norman Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Anderson of Portland were married Friday evening, June 26 at 8:30 o'clock in the First Presbyterian church at Ashland.

The bridal party gathered before the altar decorated with greenery, candlelight and flowers. Scores of tapers used on standards and grouped candle-brums were placed about the church.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of rose point mouseline de soie over white satin with long sleeves and square neck line hand-embroidered in seed pearls. A full skirt and full length train were complimented by a long Chantilly veil held in place with orange blossoms. She carried a white prayer book with an orchid.

Matron of honor was Mrs. John Thomas Curry who wore pale coralline chiffon. Bridesmaids, Miss Jane Shean of Beverly Hills, and Miss Jean Anderson of Portland, sister of the bridegroom wore pale pink; Miss Shirley Angle, cousin of the bride, porcelain blue; Miss Dorothy Gaddis, Medford, aqua chiffon. All wore short tulle veils to match their gowns and carried formal bouquets of delphinium and carnations.

Leonard Soller of Portland was best man and ushers were J. W. McCoy and A. Bert Freeman.

Mrs. J. W. McCoy presided at the console playing "Ave Maria" and Robert Dodge sang two selections accompanied by Mrs. Gordon Tripp.

A reception followed at the E. D. Briggs residence with 200 guests attending. Mrs. McNair, mother of the bride, wore a point de venise and crepe French gown with an orchid and Mrs. A. W. Anderson mother of the bridegroom chose a delphinium blue chiffon gown with an orchid.

Assisting about the rooms were Mrs. B. B. McNair and Mrs. Hal McNair. Mrs. Charlie Angle completed cutting of the wedding cake which was first cut by the bride; Mrs. F. G. Swenberg presided at the coffee service.

The bride, a graduate of University of Southern California and Southern Oregon College of Education taught last year at Grants Pass. She is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority and prominent in musical and dramatic activities while in school. Mr. Anderson is a civil engineer, graduate of Oregon State college and now employed with the army engineers in Portland, where they will make their home.

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