

SOCIETY and CLUB NEWS of the WEEK

By BETTY ALLEN

Announce Betrothal Charlotte Cummins At Christmas Tea

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sheldon Cummins announced the betrothal of their daughter, Charlotte, to Lt. Samuel Lyle MacCorkle of Charleston, West Virginia, at a large tea Christmas day at their home, 1811 E. Main street. The wedding will take place in Medford in the near future.

The Cummins home was decorated in the traditional Christmas manner for the announcement tea. Miss Cummins wore a dress of fuchsia crepe with an orchid corsage. Assisting in the dining room during the afternoon were the Misses Margaret Mary and Janet Mann, Mrs. George Rasmussen and Mrs. Allyn Monroe. About 125 guests called during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummins and their daughter have resided in Medford for the past few months having come here from New York and Chicago, the latter city having been their home for many years. Miss Cummins attended the University of Chicago and later spent two years at Chevy Chase school in Washington, D. C. Her grandfather was the late James Sheldon Cummins and her great-uncle the late Henry M. Byllesby, both of Chicago. Mr. Cummins is president of the California-Oregon Power company.

Lt. MacCorkle is presently with the 91st Division, Camp White. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Goshorn MacCorkle of Charleston. His grandfather, the late William A. MacCorkle, was a former governor of West Virginia. Lt. MacCorkle attended Woodberry Forest School in Virginia, and following two years of study at Princeton university enrolled at Washington and Lee university where he studied law. On completing his law course he was admitted to the bar in West Virginia and in 1941 enlisted in the armed forces.

Arbecca Burton Weds Lt. Onstad At Camp White

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Burton of Natrona Heights, Pa., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Arbecca, to Lt. Noel R. Onstad of Camp White, a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Onstad of Sacramento, Calif. The ceremony was read December 12 in the 351st regimental chapel at the camp by Chaplain De Moor. The bride wore for the ceremony a dress of winter blue with aubonnet accessories and carried an old-fashioned nosegay of white shatterd carnations and delight roses. She was given in marriage by Captain Frazer. Attending the bride and groom were Mrs. Marian Miller and Lt. Theodore R. Shirk. Mrs. Miller wore for the ceremony a dress of brown wool with light blue accessories and carried a nosegay of pink shatterd carnations.

Here for the wedding were Lt. Onstad's parents and his grandmother, Mrs. Alma Onstad of Tucson, Ariz. Lt. and Mrs. Onstad will make their home in Medford for the present.

Lady Lions Enjoy Christmas Party At Beck Residence

Members of the Lady Lions auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Michael Beck on the Old Stage Road Wednesday evening of last week for a Christmas party. This is an annual affair held each year at Mrs. Beck's home. A covered dish dinner was served from tables decorated in the Christmas motif.

During the business meeting the club planned to furnish 12 needy families with toys, food and clothing for Christmas and to donate toys left from last year's distribution to the day nursery at the Christian church. Members agreed to give two Monday evenings each month to work in the USO canteen.

Present for the pleasant affair were Mrs. L. C. Coyle, Mrs. Frank Collins, Mrs. James Griggs, Mrs. Claude Haggard, Mrs. Edson Humphrey, Mrs. Leland Knox, Mrs. Earl Miller, Mrs. Marnie Olson, Mrs. R. M. Schino, Mrs. L. B. Thurman, Mrs. Henry Zacharisen, Mrs. Claude Holmes, Mrs. Lawrence Neeley, Mrs. A. Boitano, Mrs. Elwood Hedberg, Mrs. Martin Gehrke, Mrs. Leo McCorkle, Mrs. Frank J. Runtz, Mrs. Wren Orey, Mrs. Charles Bottjer, a guest, and Mrs. Beck, the hostess.

Luncheon Saturday
Medford Business and Professional Women will meet at the Hotel Holland next Saturday noon, January 2, at 12 o'clock for lunch and a business meeting. A program will be furnished by Maurice Shearer, chairman of the health and recreation committee.

Honored Queens of Jobs Daughters



Miss Betty Frey, (left) newly installed honored queen of Daughters of Job, and Miss Natalie Parker, past queen.

Daughters of Job Have Installation Ceremonies Tuesday

Miss Betty Frey was installed honored queen of Medford Bethel No. 14, Daughters of Job, at the annual public installation of officers held Tuesday evening at the Medford Masonic Temple. The retiring honored queen is Miss Natalie Parker.

The installation ceremonies were conducted by Miss Farker assisted by Miss Jeanne Smith, installing guide; Miss Jackie McBee, installing marshal; Miss Beverly Brooks, chaplain; Miss Pat Dippel, custodian; Miss Geraldine Jerome, junior custodian; Miss Eva Hedrick, secretary; Miss Mary Lee Strang, muse and Mrs. Esther Sanderson, past Bethel guardian who substituted for Mrs. William A. Holloway, present guardian.

Other officers installed were senior princess, Helen Webb; junior princess, JoAnn Humphrey; guide, Betty Jean McKenzie; marshal, Virginia Hammond; treasurer, Mildred McKenzie; recorder, Margaret Drysdale; musician, Shirley Weisenburger; librarian, June Williams; first messenger, Ruth Andrews; second messenger, Betty Jane Johnson; third messenger, Pat Young; fourth messenger, Georgianna Holloway; fifth messenger, Donna Brewer; senior custodian, Peggy Young; junior custodian, Ann Conroy; inner guard, Helen Rubenstein; outer guard, Carmen Wright.

During Miss Frey's installation as honored queen Miss Webb sang "We Love You Truly", accompanied by Miss Weisenburger. Following the ceremonies the new queen was presented with a bouquet of roses by Miss Parker and Miss Webb, with appropriate verse. During the presentation the new officers, formed into a lighted cross, sang "Silent Night". L. P. Older, associate guardian of the Bethel, presented Miss Frey and Miss Parker with bouquets of roses.

Other presentations were to Miss Parker as retiring queen, and to Mr. and Mrs. Hitzler, from the Bethel.

At the close of the evening refreshments were served by a committee headed by Mrs. V. W. Hammond and Miss Geraldine Jerome.

A.A.U.W. Meets At Shepherd Home

Mrs. Robert Shepherd entertained A.A.U.W. members at her home on Saginaw Drive Saturday afternoon, Dec. 19, for the December monthly meeting. Speaker for the afternoon was Mrs. Mabel Hargroves of the American Red Cross at Camp White. Mrs. Hargroves explained the work of the Red Cross at the camp in connection with hospitalized service men and their families.

A musical program was given by a vocal trio consisting of Mrs. George Wendt, Mrs. Darrell Huson and Mrs. William McAllister. Following the program tea was served. About 200 members of the group were present.

New Year's Eve Dance
Redmen Will Sponsor
A New Year's eve dance will be given by the Redmen's lodge at the lodge hall for members of the group, Pochantas members and their invited guests.

NOW IT'S MAIL GIRL
Flagstaff, Ariz., Dec. 26—(UP)—The mail boy here became a mail girl today, for the first time in the history of Arizona State Teachers' college. Miss Lou Balch, 19, today officially took over the duties of mail boy, delivering mail from the Flagstaff postoffice to living quarters on the campus.

Retiring Queen Guest of Honor At Formal Dance

Honoring Miss Natalie Parker, retiring queen, members of Medford Bethel No. 14, Daughters of Job, entertained last night at the annual formal Queen's ball. The ball was given at the Lincoln school gymnasium in a lovely setting of Christmas greenery. Music was furnished by an 11-piece high school orchestra.

General chairman in charge of the dance was Miss Betty Frey, new queen of the Bethel for the coming year. She was assisted by Miss Betty McKenzie as decorations chairman, Miss Helen Webb, program chairman; Miss Joanne Utz, patrons and patronesses; Miss Betty Rose, dance programs; Miss Betty Jane Johnson, invitations; Miss Ruth Andrews, refreshments, and Miss Shirley Weisenburger, music.

The ball opened with a grand march, led by Miss Parker, and was followed by the queen's waltz. During an intermission vocal numbers were given by Miss Mary Lou Swoppe and Leo Miksche, with Miss Louise Lawrence at the piano.

Patrons and patronesses for the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Holloway, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Older, Miss Beth Watson, Mrs. Rose Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ray, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allen, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Seekatz, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hedrick, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Parker, Mr. and Mrs. George Frey, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Webb, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hugh McKenzie and Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Humphrey.

During the dance supper was served.

D.A.R. Chapter Has Christmas Party

Crater Lake chapter of D. A. R. held the annual Christmas party Saturday, Dec. 19, at the home of Mrs. M. M. Morris on Kings highway. Assisting hostesses were Mrs. Francis Cochran, Mrs. Bert Lowry and Mrs. R. L. Daniels.

A Christmas program followed a brief business meeting. Miss Sarah Van Meter and Mrs. H. V. W. Spilver read Christmas stories and Mrs. Lester F. Nielsen led the group in singing Christmas carols. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Montgomery of Portland and Mrs. Robert Fowler. About 25 enjoyed the pleasant afternoon.

CALENDAR

Monday
7:30 p. m.—St. Mark's Evening Guild at parish hall, North Oakdale. Election of officers.

Tuesday
1:00 p. m.—Executive committee, Woman's Society Christian Service in Sunshine parlor, Methodist church. Followed by Homecoming meeting.

2:00 p. m.—Executive committee of Adult Missionary Society, First Christian church, home of Mrs. Julia Gregory, 829 E. Jackson street.

Saturday
12:00 noon—B.P.W. luncheon at Hotel Holland.

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Miss Betty Olds Weds Sgt. Cox in Home Ceremony

The wedding of Miss Betty Olds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Olds and Sgt. James Cox took place Tuesday evening of last week at the family home, 311 Genesee street. The ceremony was read by the Rev. R. W. Coleman of the Christian church.

The bride and groom were attended by Miss Thelma Kaplan and Corp. Barney Cronner. For the ceremony Miss Olds wore a smart suit of light brown and a corsage of gardenias and narcissi. Miss Kaplan wore an afternoon dress of velvet with a gardenia corsage. The Olds home was decorated with poinsettias and a Christmas tree formed the setting for the wedding party.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served, with the bride and groom cutting a large wedding cake. Guests for the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. John Klibon, Miss Margaret McSarty, Miss Nancy Olds and Sgt. Sanford Cohen.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox will make their home in Medford at 344½ S. Grape street. Mrs. Cox has lived in Medford several years and last year attended Medford high school. Sgt. Cox, now stationed at Camp White, is from Houston, Texas.

Recently the bride was honored at a shower for which Mrs. Klibon was hostess at her home, 534 S. Fir. Ten close friends of Mrs. Cox were guests.

Holiday Parties At Camp White Club Enjoyable Affairs

Wednesday night of this week another of the enjoyable weekly dances will be held at Service Club No. 1 at Camp White in building T 400 on Division Road. Music will be furnished by the 91st artillery band.

Wives of all enlisted men are especially invited according to Mrs. Curtis Hopkins, director of the club, and reservations for transportation may be made by calling the Outpost, 5765. Buses will leave the Chamber of Commerce at 7:30 o'clock.

A feature of the dance will be special intermission music arranged by Mrs. Hopkins.

Last week a formal Christmas ball was given at the club which was an especially gay affair. Decorations of holly and mistletoe and a beautiful Christmas tree formed a lovely setting for the party. Young ladies from Medford, Ashland, Grants Pass and Central Point added color.

Refreshments were served during the evening and following an entertaining floor show was staged.

High Mass Today At Sacred Heart

High mass will be celebrated at the Sacred Heart Catholic church today at 10:30 a. m., and at 10:30 a. m. on New Year's day.

Men's choir with Mrs. A. O. Beuman, organist, will sing: Kyrie, Gloria, and Credo, from Gounod's Mass in C; Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus Dei, from Mass of St. Edward (Silver); offertory, Adeste Elidisi; solo by Robert Wright.

Choir members are R. A. Miksche, Leo Miksche, H. Nigle, Robt. C. Wright, Richard Manning, Kenneth Corliss, John Campagnoni, Jack Smith, Wm. Smith, Bill Bauman, A. O. Bauman, T. Bleuleau.

Guild Will Elect At Monday Meeting

Election of officers will be held at the December meeting of St. Mark's Evening Guild to be held tomorrow night at the parish hall on North Oakdale avenue at 7:30 o'clock. The nominating committee is Mrs. V. J. Robinson, Mrs. Ward Bebb, Mrs. O. L. Williams and Mrs. Vera Strader. Hostesses will be Mrs. Elwood Hedberg, Mrs. Glenn Swanson and Mrs. George Barum. The business meeting will be followed by a social hour.

Medford Woman Leaves
Mrs. Fletcher Fish left last night for Portland to spend a week's vacation with her mother, Mrs. Cora Garman.

Vromans Celebrate Diamond Wedding At Home of Son

The sixtieth anniversary of their wedding was celebrated Christmas Day by Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Vroman of 122 Tripp street well known Medford residents who have made their home here for 33 years. The anniversary was celebrated quietly with friends and relatives at the home of the Vromans' son, Orris G. Vroman and family in Klamath Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Vroman were married in Mankato, Minn., on Christmas day, 1882. They came to Medford in 1909 and Mr. Vroman has been in business here ever since. In addition to the son residing in Klamath Falls the Vromans have a daughter, Mrs. Matie Muenergard of Medford.

Congratulations on the anniversary were extended by the Vromans' large circle of friends in the city.

Recent Bride



Mrs. Roy Howe, the former Miss Thelma Heard, whose wedding was an event of early December.

Parish Hall Scene Of Christmas Party

Saint Mark's parish hall was the scene of the annual Christmas party for children last Sunday night. The kindergarten of the church school presented a program under the direction of Mrs. Jack Walker, superintendent, Mrs. Ivan Harrington and Mrs. Bruce Bauer. About 200 children, parents and friends were in attendance.

Santa Claus appeared and presented gifts to all the children, including gifts to Margaret Selby, Jay Walker, Susan Hubbard, Billy Reaney, Barbara Bauer, Sheila Spence and Nancy Hamilton for perfect attendance at church school.

The program included: prayer, (ecumenical), Charles Inskeep; "Merry Christmas" by carolers Nancy Hamilton, Barbara Bauer, Hope Herriott and Carolyn Meyers; verse, Sheila Spence and Carol Ann Lewis; song by Marilyn Olsen, Nancy Norris and Margie Selby; verse by Karlyn Phair and Jay Walker; "Jingle Bells" by carolers; "Silent Night" by congregation and prayer led by Father Herald Gardner.

Medford Women Visit In California Cities

Mrs. R. F. Antle and Mrs. May Green are spending the holidays at San Francisco and Oakland, California, as guests of Ensign and Mrs. John Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson.

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Mrs. Muller To Be Heard In Presbyterian Recital Today

Outstanding among musical events of the season is the recital to be given this afternoon at the Presbyterian church by Mrs. Robert F. Muller, lyric soprano, as a benefit for the women's association of the church. Mrs. Muller is said to have a voice of unusual beauty by local musicians who have heard her sing and when residing in New York City she appeared in concert there many times.

Mrs. Muller will present a varied program particularly appropriate for the Christmas season, with Mrs. Veri Failing as accompanist. Following the recital a tea will be given in the social rooms of the church at which officers of Camp White and their wives will be honored.

Following is the program chosen by Mrs. Muller:

- I
"From the Land of the Sky"
Blue Water.....Cadman
"Danny Boy".....Weatherby
"I'll Take You Home Again"
Kathleen.....Westerly
"In My Garden".....Firestone
- II
"Gesu Bambino".....Yon
"Cantique Noel".....Adams
"Come Unto Him"
(Messiah).....Handel
"Alleluja".....Mozart
- III
"Pilgrim's Chorus".....Wagner
"To a Wild Rose".....McDowell
Intermission
"O Mio Babbino Caro".....Puccini
"Little Star".....LaForge
"Musettes Waltz Song".....Puccini

Miss Scheumann And Lieut. Harris In Chapel Rites

Colonel and Mrs. W. F. Scheumann of Medford last week announced the marriage of their daughter, Ruth Ellen, to Lt. Montague Harris of Montclair, New Jersey. The ceremony was held Sunday, December 13 at chapel No. 4 at Camp White by Chaplain Murphy at four o'clock in the afternoon.

For her wedding Miss Scheumann wore a blue suit with brown accessories and her wedding flowers were gardenias and rose buds. Attendants were Lt. and Mrs. Robert Lumpkin of Medford. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the 362nd Infantry Officers club at the camp. Lt. and Mrs. Harris went to Portland for a short wedding trip.

The Scheumanns came here from Vancouver where Col. Scheumann was previously stationed. Prior to that the Scheumanns lived in Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Harris attended school in that city.

Mrs. Braley To Spend Holidays With Son
Mrs. C. Reese Braley left yesterday for Florida to spend the New Year's holiday with her son, Kenneth Patton, who has recently been commissioned a lieutenant in the army air corps. Lt. Patton is stationed at Boca Raton field near Palm Beach. Following her visit in Florida Mrs. Braley will spend a short time with her brother, Major Albert Warner in Washington, D. C., and will then go on to New York before returning home. She plans to be in the east about a month.

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Party at Topsides Is Given to Honor California Guests

Entertaining for two house guests, Mrs. Bruce Bundy of La Jolla, and Mrs. Philip Modisette of Hollywood, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. V. Carpenter were hosts Christmas eve at their home, Topsides, at a cocktail and supper party. Mrs. Bundy is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Carpenter. Forty guests enjoyed Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter's hospitality.

This evening Mrs. Bundy and Mrs. Modisette will be honored at a community party at the home of Mrs. Lillian Salade at Central Point. About 24 guests will make up the gathering.

Tuesday evening of this week Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Luther will be hosts at a small informal party at the Roberts' home on Crown avenue honoring the Californians.

Mrs. Bundy and Mrs. Modisette plans to remain in Medford until after New Year's day.

Methodist Women Plan Homecoming Meeting

The Homecoming meeting of the Woman's Society Christian Service of the Methodist church will be held Tuesday afternoon of this week in the Sunshine parlor, rather than on the usual day which is a holiday. Executive committee of the group will meet at 1 o'clock, followed by the homecoming.

Christmas Dinner Held At John Mann Home

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Mann entertained at a small dinner at their home, 815 E. Main street, Christmas day. Covers were laid for eight.

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