

Society and Clubs

By Olive Starcher

Group Attends Star Reception

A group of Eastern Star members from Medford and vicinity went to Ashland Friday night for a reception given at the Masonic temple by members of Alpha chapter of the order for Mrs. Rena McNair, associate conductress of the grand chapter of Oregon, and Mrs. Margaret Whittle, representative for the state of South Carolina to the grand chapter of this state. The affair was attended by about 150 Stars from southern and eastern Oregon.

Among those attending from Medford were Mr. and Mrs. Elton Waldron, Mrs. Frank Little, Mrs. R. B. Markwart, Mrs. William A. Holloway, Mrs. Maude Holmes, Mrs. C. E. Kunz, Mrs. Ethel Coverstone, Mrs. A. K. Morse, Mrs. B. L. Sanderson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Root, Mrs. Fred L. Strang, Miss Mary Lee Stratton, Mrs. C. B. Wood, Mrs. Thomas Freed, Mrs. George Miles and Mrs. William Young.

University Students

Guests of Carpenters and three friends from the University of Oregon campus at Eugene are in Medford to spend the week-end with Miss Carpenter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. V. Carpenter, at the Carpenter home, Topside, on the Old Stage road. With Miss Carpenter are Miss Katherine Jenkins, San Marino, Calif.; Miss Shirley Gravley, Portland, and Miss Patty Van Hoosear, San Francisco. The four students will return to the university this afternoon.

Veterans Groups Install Officers

Rogue Valley Chapter No. 147, the Military Order of the Purple Heart and Auxiliary held the annual installation of officers at the armory last Sunday with A. Ray Dorris, past commander of McAlexander Chapter of Portland, installing for the chapter and Mrs. Dorris for the auxiliary. Mr. Dorris was assisted by E. A. McEntee, also a past commander of McAlexander chapter.

Installed for the chapter were Floyd K. Dover, commander; Harvey Cassman, senior vice-commander; Edward Neff, junior vice-commander; Francis H. Walker, adjutant; Karl J. Knutson, treasurer; Harry G. Naugle, sergeant-at-arms; Milton Foster, chaplain.

Officers installed for the auxiliary were Pearl K. Walker, past president; Bertha Neff, president; Arleatha Knutsen, first vice-president; Gladys Cardwell, second vice-president; Cleo Mercer, secretary and treasurer; Pearl K. Walker, chaplain; Gladys Cardwell, patriotic instructor; Nettie Naugle, sergeant-at-arms; Mollie Dover, parliamentarian; Mrs. McEntee assisted Mrs. Dorris. Both are past presidents of McAlexander unit of Portland.

Distinguished guests of the chapter were William Cooney, commander of Crater Lake Post, VFW; John P. Graham, state senior vice commander of the DAV; Comrade Cox, commander of the Spanish War Veterans camp; W. H. Paine, adjutant of the camp. Guests of the auxiliary were Miss Ora Cox, national president of the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War; Mrs. Maybelle Klemm, Elita Hubbs Deuel tent; Mrs. Jacobs, American Legion auxiliary; Mrs. Fred Lawrence, WRC, and Francis H. Walker, past national sergeant-at-arms for the DAV. Mrs. Walker also represented the VFW auxiliary and Mrs. Cassman the county chapter auxiliary of the DAV.

Assistant Director To Address Guild

Miss Patty McLeod, assistant director of the Riverside USO, will be speaker for the meeting of Crater Lake Guild of the Presbyterian church to be held Monday evening, Nov. 1, at 8 o'clock in the church parlors. In addition a program of music is being planned by the committee in charge.

All members and friends of the guild are invited to be present and a special invitation is extended to young women of the church and wives of servicemen.

Brig. General Willis Guest of Chamberlins

Brig. Gen. John Mitchell Willis, new director of the Medical Division, Ninth Service command, was the guest last week of Col. and Mrs. Frank T. Chamberlin on Oakdale avenue. Gen. Willis brings to his new assignment in this largest service command the broad background of a military surgeon of many years of army service. He is a graduate of the Army War college, the Command and General Staff school, the Chemical Warfare school and the Army Medical and Medical Field Service schools. He recently commanded the Camp Grant Replacement Center. Gen. Willis left Friday evening to continue his tour of inspection of the larger Pacific coast medical installations.

Surgical Corps Year Is Ended; Workers Needed

Mrs. Gus Newbury, Chairman, Red Cross Surgical Dressing Corps

The Surgical Dressing Corps of the Red Cross have just completed their first year of work; it has been a very busy year, with many of the workers putting in two and three days each week. We are starting our second year, and we intend to be right there working just as long as it is necessary, for those dressings are needed now more than ever, more boys each day are being wounded. The injured boy may be your boy or your neighbor's boy.

During the past year we have shipped 500,000 surgical dressings, and we know we will be called upon to make at least that many, if not more during the coming year. We have been informed from the area office that our quotas will be increased for the next few months.

Now that we have finished our canning, and our garden work is over, I do not think it is asking too much for every woman who has time to give at least one day a week in helping us to get out these dressings.

We have a large pleasant place to work, able to accommodate 50 to 60 workers. It will be a nice warm place to spend some of the cold days during the winter.

Our slogan in the work room is "Who is making surgical dressings for your son?"

Come out and help us do this indispensable work.

We work on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Corps Officers Chapter Guests

Lt. L. MacMurtrie and Lt. L. Randall of the Women's Army corps at Camp White were visitors at the last meeting of Crater Lake Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at the home of Mrs. G. Q. D'Albini, Quince street. They spoke on behalf of the WAC recruiting campaign now in progress, stating that an attempt is being made to fill a quota of 70,000 recruits by Nov. 7 in order to replace soldier casualties. The chapter pledged its support of this campaign.

Mrs. Bert B. Lowry reported on proceedings of the state board of Oregon chapters held in Portland Sept. 27.

Guests in addition to the WAC officers were Mrs. O. E. G. Meyers, Mrs. T. W. Miles, Mrs. Lorena Leach and Mrs. Lillian Searles.

The hostess and her assistants, Mrs. H. E. Armstrong and Mrs. A. E. Stratton, served refreshments from a table beautifully decorated in a Halloween theme.

Nevita Chapter Honors Officers

Central Point—Past matrons and past patrons of Nevita chapter, Order of Eastern Star, at Central Point, were honored at a meeting of the group held Tuesday, October 26 at the Masonic temple in Central Point. In the absence of Mrs. Hensley Holt, worthy matron, Mrs. Howard Jewett, associate matron, presided.

The chapter room, recently redecorated, was arranged with fall flowers and autumn leaves. After being escorted to the east and given honors, the guests were given a degree by Mrs. Jewett, Mrs. Marjorie Hopkins, Mrs. Lloyd Stimson, Mrs. Nevada Holt, Mrs. Orville Hamilton and Mrs. Jaunita McKibbin. They were then presented gifts. In addition to past matrons and past patrons of Nevita chapter other guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grant, Mrs. Ralph Lue, Mrs. Lulu Saulsberry and Mrs. Ruth Freed, past officers of other chapters; Mrs. C. E. Kunz, worthy matron of Reames chapter in Medford, and Mrs. Elton Waldron, worthy matron of Adair chapter at Jacksonville. Mrs. Saulsberry is also a member of the international temple fund committee of the order.

Talks were given by several guests and members.

A birthday cake with 35 candles centered the refreshment tables, marking the anniversary of the founding of the chapter October 27, 1908.

Committees responsible for arrangements were: Program,

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Mrs. Evans Arrives To Visit Relatives

Mrs. R. M. Evans arrived from Philadelphia Friday night to spend a month in Medford with her mother, Mrs. Lottie Daniels and her brother and

sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hull, 517 South Grape street.

College Student Here For Week-End Visit

Miss Olive Morton, junior at

the University of Oregon, Eugene, is in Medford to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Morton of Route 2. She returns to the campus today.

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