

Society To Give Benefit Dinner
Phoenix—A benefit dinner, to be given at the Phoenix Presbyterian church Wednesday, Nov. 7, from 6 to 8 p.m. has been announced by the Ladies' Aid society. The dinner menu will feature chicken. Tickets may be secured from Mrs. J. W. Watkins, Mrs. W. M. Caldwell or Miss Elva Caster.

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SOCIETY and CLUBS

Miss Helen Webb Is Honored Guest At Shower Parties

Miss Helen Webb, who is to be married Nov. 9 to Capt. William Fairfield of San Francisco, was the incentive last week for two pre-nuptial parties. Miss Webb is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Webb, 819 Minnesota avenue.

Mrs. George Frey and Mrs. Wayne Mack entertained Thursday at a shower which honored Miss Webb, the affair being at the Frey home on East Main street. Miss Webb's gifts were presented in a large container made in the form of a wedding cake and refreshments were served from a table decorated with wedding bells designed from chrysanthemum blossoms. Streamers from the bells marked the place cards.

Guests were Mrs. Webb and the bride-elect's grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Thompson, Mrs. Chester Thompson, Mrs. S. M. Tuttle, Mrs. Carol Parker, Mrs. Verne Brophy, Mrs. Aubrey Sanders, Mrs. L. M. Weisenburger, Mrs. Lewis Ulrich, Mrs. Frances Campbell, Miss Shirley Weisenburger, Miss Marjorie Thompson, Miss Mary Lou Lyman, Miss Nina Tuttle and Miss Webb.

Tuesday evening Mrs. Arvilla Carbiener was hostess for a shower which honored Miss Webb, entertaining at her home, 24 1/2 South Grape street. Dessert was served at eight o'clock from tables appointed in the bridal theme and Miss Webb was presented her shower of gifts. Later bridge was played. Mrs. Chester Thompson holding high score and Mrs. C. T. Steward, low.

Sixteen guests were invited to the affair.

Students Pledge College Groups

Miss Marjorie Johnson and Miss Claire Thomas, Medford students attending Oregon State college, have been pledged to the college chapter of Alpha Delta Pi, national social sorority. Both are freshmen, Miss Johnson being a home economics student and Miss Thomas being enrolled in a social science course.

Miss Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Johnson, 1416 West Tenth street, and Miss Thomas' parents are Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Thomas, 708 West Tenth street.

Many Gay Parties Are Held in City For Hallowe'en

Hallowe'en was the incentive for a number of jolly parties last week, young folk particularly gathering for costume parties with "bobbing for apples" and other traditional games. School carnivals and other group affairs also marked the day.

Amid cornstalks, jack-o-lanterns, witches and black cats, 55 young people enjoyed a Hallowe'en party Tuesday evening in Fellowship hall of the First Christian church. Each guest was greeted with a "spooky" invitation to pop corn or assist in candy making. Lights were out during the evening for a shuddering session with the ghosts, after which folk games and relays were enjoyed.

Refreshments were served by Anne Bohnert and Doris Hake. General chairmen were Aylene Hopkins and Kaye Crawford, JoAnne Crawford, Dick Hake, Shirley Morrow and Glenn Yost were in charge of program and decorations and the invitation committee was June Elliott, Derva Sater, Virginia Long and Betty Hess. Adults assisting were Mrs. Claude Cooper, Mrs. Betty Hutchins and the Rev. Delbert Daniels.

A Hallowe'en party Tuesday night at the Jackson Housing Project hall was given by Miss Donna McCullough, Miss Suzanne Singleton, Miss Carole Maddox, Miss Lorraine Grieves and Miss Lavelle Davies. Traditional decorations were used and the evening spent in dancing and games.

Guests were Glenda Fields, Jackie Shaw, Audrey McIntyre, Carol Lausmann, Janny Lou Houghton, Don Henderson, Dean Mayfield, Bill Newland, Lee Niedermeyer, Richard Riggs, Jack Reich, Fitz Brewer, Curtiss Richmond, Tom Oakes and Pat Lynch.

Chaperones were Mrs. L. McCullough, Mrs. Phil Singleton and Mrs. George Maddox.

Another Hallowe'en party was that held at the Evershade Auto court for children living at the court and their parents. The guests toasted marshmallows around a bon fire and played games. About 25 were present.

The junior high school class of the Presbyterian church was entertained at a Hallowe'en party in the church social rooms Monday evening. Games and refreshments were enjoyed by the many young people attending.

Softball Team Honored Guests At Club Party

The board of directors of the Girls' Community club entertained at a dinner Tuesday evening in honor of members of the club's softball team which holds the city championship. The dinner was at the clubhouse.

Autumn leaves and chrysanthemums decorated the club rooms and black and orange tapers and Hallowe'en designs were used to decorate the dinner table.

Members of the team honored were Mrs. Vera Brooks, Miss Helen Weathers, Miss Joyce Claus, Miss Claire Lyons, Mrs. Belle Singler, Mrs. Georgia Coggins, Mrs. Alice Hood, Mrs. George Barr and Miss Alice Stinson. George Barr, coach, was also present.

Temple Initiates Sixty Candidates In Annual Rites

Zuleima Temple, daughters of the Nile, held the annual fall ceremonial in the Masonic Temple at Klamath Falls last Saturday afternoon, with a large attendance from many towns of southwestern Oregon. Sixty candidates were initiated.

Princess Helen Listoe was chairman in charge of decorations and had arranged the temple with chrysanthemums and autumn foliage. Princess Beatrice Beane had charge of the candidates and Princess Lorraine Young acted as hostess to the group throughout the ceremony.

Solos were sung during the afternoon by Princess Pauline Bush and a violin solo was given by Helen O'Neill of Klamath Falls. Queen Phina Nordwick of Medford presided and was presented with a large bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums from Hillah Temple, the presentation being made by Princess Marjorie Orr, captain of the patrol.

At the conclusion of the ceremonial tea was served from a beautifully appointed tea table presided over by Past Queens Margaret Fabrick and Nell Vannice. The committee in charge for the tea were Princesses Mae Balsinger, Edna Kent, Edith Cassel and Ruby Kenyon.

At 7 o'clock a banquet was served at the Willard hotel to all daughters of the Nile and their escorts with Past Queen Margaret Fabrick acting as toast mistress for the occasion. Princess Ethel Matthews had prepared a program, the opening numbers being vocal solos by Cpl. Frank Yantorn and Pfc. Sam Benford of the Marine barracks. Queen Phina Nordwick and her husband, Harry Nordwick of Medford were introduced by Dr. Cassel, president of the Klamath Falls Shrine club. Violin solos were presented by Mrs. Hornby, accompanied by Mrs. Mitchelmore, and vocal solos were given by Mrs. Violet Moore, accompanied by Mrs. Patricia Hunt.

Past Queens Belle Schwein, Sophia Baker, Alice Winetrot, Lenore Kellom, Lorena McNair, Obera Dunn, Margaret Fabrick and Nell Vannice were introduced. Ed Ostendorf, mayor of Klamath Falls, presented bouquets of red roses on behalf of the Klamath Falls Shrine club to Queen Phina and to Princess Virginia Brown, president of the Klamath Falls Nile club. A telegram to Queen Phina was read from Senator Cornett and Princess Olive Cornett from Washington, D. C., regretting their absence at the festive occasion and wishing the greatest success for the ceremonial and Zuleima Temple throughout the year.

Dancing concluded the evening's festivities.

Los Angeles Residents Visit Relatives Here

Returning home from attending a convention in Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Noah of Los Angeles visited recently in Medford with Mrs. Noah's two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Bellinger and Mrs. George Fisk. Mrs. Noah will be remembered as the former Bertha McPherson.

Club Flower Show Report Presented; Supervisor Talks

Reports on the recent chrysanthemum show sponsored by the Medford Garden club and held at the Riverside USO were made at the last meeting of the club held Thursday at the Girls' Community club. One hundred and ten, different species were exhibited and the auditorium and entrance hall were decorated with this popular autumn flower. Later the blossoms were donated to the Camp White hospital and the USO. Some 300 persons signed the guest book. Mrs. W. C. Rockard, president of the club, had charge of all arrangements.

The club opened Thursday's meeting with a moment of silence in memory of Mrs. A. Hubbard, active member of the group who passed away Oct. 29.

The morning laboratory session was devoted to making fall corsages out of cones, felt, and other materials under the able direction of Mrs. Will Wood of Klamath Falls, and Mrs. L. L. Rantz demonstrated the wrapping of gift packages in fall colors.

Karl Janouch, supervisor of the Rogue River National Forest service, gave a most interesting talk on "Forest Conservation and Road Beautification" at the afternoon meeting, this topic being of great interest to all garden club members.

Mrs. R. H. Finney was chairman for the tea hour, assisted by Mrs. R. G. Beach, Mrs. I. W. Houschild, and Mrs. W. R. Clark.

All the club's past presidents were honored at this meeting and presented with corsages made by Mrs. Otto Ewaldsen. Past presidents present were Miss Jane Snedcor, Mrs. J. R. Woodford, Mrs. J. W. Jacobs, Mrs. R. T. Nichol, Mrs. C. C. Sater, Mrs. A. Adler, Mrs. L. Mentzer and Mrs. E. Reames.

Mrs. L. L. Rantz and Mrs. Wm. Swartz will furnish the Medford Chamber of Commerce with flowers during the month of November.

Last Ride Held By Ladies Troop Sunday Afternoon

About 30 members of the Ladies' Mounted Troop were entertained Sunday afternoon by Mrs. R. B. Hammond and Miss Virginia Hammond at their home in Fern Valley. Disregarding gray skies and rain, part of the troop made the trip by horseback, while others motored to the Hammond home. About 30 troop members and their husbands were present.

This was the last scheduled ride of the season for the troop and the last event of the season will be the annual dinner set for Nov. 15 at the Holland hotel.

Couple Returns Home From Vacation Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Brophy returned Tuesday evening by plane to their home at 749 West Fourteenth street after a week's vacation trip to Seattle and Vancouver, B. C. In Seattle they were joined by their son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs. Robert Squires, who also made the trip to Vancouver.

Reports Feature October Meeting Of Local Chapter

Reports of the recent state board meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution at Portland were given at the October meeting of Crater Lake chapter held Saturday, Oct. 27, at the home of Mrs. W. W. P. Holt, Corning Court.

Reports were given by Mrs. O. H. Brennen, Crater Lake regent; Mrs. Frances Cochran, state corresponding secretary and Mrs. Bert Lowry, state regent. They reported a new chapter being organized at Tillamook.

Also related was the planting of two cork oak seedlings in the Hoyt arboretum at Portland, Mrs. Lowry turning the first spadeful of soil. Planting of these oaks is part of the D.A.R. conservation program and was started by the Daughters when there was a serious shortage of cork during the war. A note of interest was the fact that the first cork oak acorns were brought to this country from France in 1786 by Thomas Jefferson and were planted in Charleston, S. C.

Mrs. Blanche Frisbie, of the Jackson County Health Department, spoke on "Physical Fitness and National Defense," stating that public health is a national concern and that many medical discoveries have been made which should increase better health, and that a comprehensive health program is the greatest need of our nation. She also told of the activities of the local health department and what it is doing to improve health, especially among children.

At the close of the session, refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. H. E. Marsh and Mrs. G. O. Taylor.

Geneva L. Young And Cpl. Richards Married in Yreka

In a candlelight ceremony Saturday, Oct. 27, in the Methodist church of Yreka, Calif., Geneva L. Young of Medford became the bride of Cpl. Harry William Richards of Mountain Top, Penn. The Rev. H. E. Buckner read the service at the flower banked altar before a group of friends and relatives of the young couple.

During the ceremony symphonic arrangements of "The Young Prince and Young Princess" and "Andante Cantabile" were played.

The bride wore a dress of aqua crepe with brown accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Miss Florence Holmes of Medford was bridesmaid. She wore a black suit and a corsage of gardenias.

The groom was attended by Cpl. Bruce Domitroff of Detroit, Mich. Cpl. and Mrs. Richards made a wedding trip along the coast highway and are now at home at 534 Mae street.

The groom, formerly a radio instructor at Sioux Falls army air field, South Dakota, is now stationed at the Medford air base as a teletype and radio operator.

Sunday, Nov. 4, 1945

MEDFORD MAIL-TRIBUNE—FIVE

Academy Alumni Attend Banquet At Parish Hall

Alumni of St. Mary's Academy, including two women who were among the early students enrolled at the institution when it was housed in Jacksonville, attended a banquet at Sacred Heart parish hall last Sunday evening. Seventy former students of the academy attended the affair and pronounced it most enjoyable.

Mrs. G. C. Garrett, who attended the Academy about 70 years ago, and Mrs. Jessie Houck, whose early student days at the school date back some 60 years, were introduced and related experiences of their school days.

In charge of the banquet were Warren Lauffer, chairman; Mrs. N. E. O'Neill, Mrs. Paul Newcomb, Mrs. Ronald Baker, Mrs. Lester Robinson, Mrs. Robert Lewis, Mrs. Larry Espey.

Mrs. Madelyn Klinefelter, Miss Helen McDonnell and Miss Katherine Miller.

President of the alumni group is Mrs. Ronald Baker, Warren Lauffer is vice-president, Mrs. Lewell Dupray is secretary and Mrs. Klinefelter is treasurer.

Decorations of the hall and tables were in blue and white, St. Mary's school colors and the banquet was served by candlelight, each table bearing lighted tapers. It is planned to make the banquet an annual affair.

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