

League Announces Spring Style Show; Committees Named

Junior Service league announces that Friday, March 10, is the date of the third annual spring style show. It will be held at the Rogue Valley Country club with luncheon set for 12:30 o'clock.

"Around the Clock" will be the theme of the show, and models will show garments suitable for breakfast time and on through the day.

Mrs. Robert J. Cunningham is general chairman for this year's show. Mrs. W. Garland Jones is chairman of models. Mrs. Wright Scoville is taking charge of announcements and programs. Mrs. Robert Rector is food chairman. Mrs. John S. Day is decorations chairman. Mrs. R. B. Thierolf is to be the show's commentator and Mrs. Donald Whalin is ticket chairman.

For the past two years the shows have drawn capacity audiences.

Past Officers Of Post And Auxiliary Honored At Dinner

Crater Lake post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the auxiliary, honored their past commanders and past presidents at a dinner last Tuesday at Veterans hall. More than 90 attended, and special guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly of Camp White.

Franklin Girard acted as master of ceremonies.

Past commanders present were Ira D. Canfield, Elba Wark, Oran Hukill, Merrill Beneka, William J. Conroy, Charles Holbrook, Rex Danner and Richard Schulz, the latter a past commander of a South Dakota post.

Auxiliary past presidents in attendance were Mrs. Canfield, Mrs. Wall, Mrs. Albert J. Hall, Mrs. Schulz, Mrs. Russell Zundel, Mrs. Fred Lawrence and Mrs. J. D. Brummond, a past auxiliary president from South Dakota.

Crater Lake post was instituted December 1, 1930 and the auxiliary was instituted Nov. 16, 1931.

Favors were presented to all past officers by Commander Edward Branchfield and Mrs. Helen Johnston, past auxiliary president.

The "Mis-Mated Trio" headed by John Kelly of Camp White, entertained during the evening. Pupils of Mrs. Eve Prentice, Miss Joan Anderson, Miss Carol Davis, Miss Deloris Davis, Dale Ward and Larry Mathieson, gave accordion numbers.

On the refreshment and serving committee were Mrs. Robert Walker, chairman; Mrs. Ernest Edmund, Mrs. B. B. Ramsey, Mrs. O. O. DeBerry, Mrs. Lester Young, Mrs. Beck, Mrs. Rex Danner, Mrs. Edith Heim, Mrs. Donald Vosika, Mrs. W. S. Long and Mrs. A. C. O'Toole.

Grand Patriarch Visits Encampment

A. R. McLaughlin of Dayton, Ore., grand patriarch of the grand encampment, IOOF of Oregon, made an official visit to Rogue River encampment of Medford and Table Rock encampment of Jacksonville last week. The visit was made at a joint special meeting of the two encampments held Wednesday at the Medford Odd Fellows hall.

Mr. McLaughlin is also past commander of the patriarchs Militant branch of the lodge for Oregon.

Also here for the meeting was Lt. Col. Ed C. Abbey of O'Brien, Ore., as well as a number of members from Ashland, Central Point and Jacksonville. The golden rule degree was conferred and refreshments closed the meeting.

William Dyer of Medford is chief patriarch of the Medford encampment.

To Honor Browns On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown, long-time residents of Jackson county, will be honored March 5 on their 50th wedding anniversary. The Browns' sons and daughter invite friends to call at the Brown home, route one, box 105, Eagle Point, between the hours of two and five o'clock.

The couple has two sons, Leon Brown of Klamath Falls, and Donald of Medford, and their daughter is Mrs. Ray Huson of Medford.

Toastmistress Club Announces Meeting

A number of members will give contest speeches at the meeting of Toastmistress club set for Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Scout house, East Main street.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Francis Rickman were married February 18 at Sacred Heart Catholic church. The bride is the former Jane Elizabeth Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Watson, 1638 Stewart avenue, and the bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rickman Sr., 1032 West 11th street. —(Brainerd photo).

Rickman-Watson Rites Held In Medford Catholic Church

Miss Jane Elizabeth Watson became the bride of Robert Francis Rickman in a ceremony held February 18 at Sacred Heart Catholic church. It was one of early spring's largest weddings, with 200 guests in attendance.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Watson, 1638 Stewart avenue, and Mr. Rickman is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rickman Sr., of 1032 West Eleventh street.

The Rev. Cornelius J. Linehan read the service at 10:30 o'clock in the morning and the reception which followed was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Gray, 122 Valley View drive.

The bride's satin gown was designed with a front tier of lace and satin ruffles, and the long train was lace-edged. Her short veil was held by a crown of lace and pearls and she carried a bridal bouquet of gardenias and stephanotis.

Matron-of-honor was Mrs. Jerry Smith, Olympia, Wash., the former Joan Luttrell of this city. She wore an old-fashioned type rose taffeta gown with head band of taffeta braid entwined with pearls and carried a matching muff to which was fastened a bouquet of gardenias and stephanotis.

Miss Audrey Andrews and Miss Katherine Lacy, the latter a cousin of the bride from Woodland, Cal., were bridesmaids. Their frocks were pale green, of identical old-fashioned design, and they carried matching muffs with flowers.

Mr. Watson gave his daughter in marriage and Harold Rickman, brother of the bridegroom, came from Gonzaga university in Spokane to serve as best man. Howard Rickman, another brother, was head usher and additional ushers were Tom Austin and William Driscoll.

Providing music for the service were Miss Phyllis Corliss, Mrs. Robert Ranstead, Mrs. Howard Rickman Jr., and Miss Gertrude Lewis, with Bruno Pellegrini at the organ.

Floral arrangements were of white and pink stock and snapdragons with ferns and potted palms.

Miss Harriet Walker and Mrs. James Watson served the wedding cake and punch and Mrs. Howard Rickman took charge of the guest book.

The newlyweds traveled to San Francisco and Carmel, Cal., for their honeymoon and will live at 803 West 11th street, apartment two. For traveling the bride wore a three-piece navy blue ensemble with orchid corsage.

The bride, who attended Oregon State college after completing Medford schools, is a member of Sigma Kappa sorority. She is on the staff of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company. The bridegroom, who was graduated from St. Mary's academy, is also with the telephone company.

Games were the diversion of the evening and prizes went to Mrs. Ralph Brock, Mrs. Roland Holmes, Mrs. Milton Singler and Mrs. H. H. Young.

After presentation of the gifts, refreshments were served. Present were Mrs. Ernest Bursing, Mrs. Merville E. Morse, Mrs. Emil Tams, Mrs. H. H. Young, Mrs. Ted Trautman, Mrs. Art Jabnik, Mrs. Roland Holmes, Mrs. Milton Singler, Mrs. Charles Cook, Mrs. Ralph Brock, Mrs. A. Bowman, Mrs. Forrest Herdman, Mrs. R. H. Peterson and Misses Pauline Giechen, Charlene Cook, Phyllis Guderian, Ruth Herdman, Beverly Young, Sally Tams, Marlene Morse and the guest of honor.

Miss Bursing's wedding to Mr. White has been set for March. The bride-to-be is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bursing, 425 Ross lane, and Mr. White's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Ollie White, Clearwater, Cal.

Get Together Club
Get Together club will meet at the Eagles hall Wednesday at 1 p.m. with a business meeting to follow a potluck dinner.

California Pianist To Appear In City; Praised By Critics

Bernhard Abramowitz, concert pianist who will appear in Medford March 6, under the sponsorship of Medford Musical society, has been highly praised by Pacific coast critics for many seasons. Mr. Abramowitz, who was born in Hamburg in 1906, came to the United States in 1936, lived in Portland for three years and has lived in the San Francisco area since that time.

The musician has appeared as soloist with the Portland Symphony orchestra, the San Francisco orchestra, the San Francisco string quartet and many other major organizations.

In reporting his appearance at the institute of music at the University of California, Alfred Frankenstein, music critic of the San Francisco Chronicle wrote: "Bernhard Abramowitz is one of the foremost pianists residing on the west coast, and one of the most commanding figures in that field anywhere in the country. Some years ago, after Abramowitz had given a recital of Schubert sonatas, I said he was second only to Schnabel as an interpreter of these works. After hearing him Wednesday night, one was quite willing to dispense with that reservation. . . . This interpretive masterpiece was achieved through two devices, knowing the music and knowing how to play the piano. Abramowitz is the kind of musician whose thought processes strike you as being essentially creative. . . . adding to this magnificently brilliant technique, genuinely living rhythm which breathes rather than ticks, and complete, effortless command of the shading and sonorities of the piano, and the result, picture begins to fill itself out. . . . Tickets for the concert are available at Purucker's Piano House and Pruitt's Music center, or from members of the society.

Mission Board Member To Be Tuesday Speaker For Methodist Women

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church will be held in the church parlors Tuesday with the business meeting to begin promptly at 11 a.m. It is announced that the luncheon hour has been set for 12:30 p.m., one half hour later than in the usual time.

Dr. John H. Soltman, of the national board of missions, will speak during the program hour choosing as his topic "A Woman's Gift." Dr. Soltman is also to be the morning speaker at the Sunday service in the church.

Nurse Will Teach In Eastern Hospital

Miss Pat von der Hellen left last week for Boston and Beverly, Mass. Miss von der Hellen, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl von der Hellen, has taken a position as teacher of nursing arts in the hospital at Beverly, near Boston.

She was graduated from St. Vincent's hospital in Portland and until the middle of December was on the staff of the University of California hospital in San Francisco.

The trip east was by air.

League Entertained At Valentine Party

Misses Mona Lee Milner and Yvonne Gamaelich entertained the junior league of St. Peter's Lutheran church recently, the event being a valentine party.

After an amusing valentine exchange and games, luncheon was served by the hostesses.

SOCIETY

First Meeting Held By Roxy Ann Court; Announce Officers

First stated meeting of the newly organized Roxy Ann court, Order of the Amaranth, was held Wednesday evening at the Medford Masonic temple.

Initiation was staged by Friendship court of the order from Klamath Falls and at the close of the meeting refreshments were served in the dining room.

The new court now has a full quota of elected and appointed officers, and they presided for the session Wednesday. Mrs. L. G. Frink is the royal matron, and Glenn Linn the royal patron.

Other officers are Mrs. Leta Queen, associate matron; Ira Canfield, associate patron; Vernon Turpin, treasurer; Mrs. Canfield, secretary; Mrs. Elton Waldron, conductress; Mrs. Linn, associate conductress; Mrs. John Esp, standard bearer; Mrs. Edward C. Root, marshal in the east; Mrs. K. S. Campbell, marshal in the west; Orrie Stoddard, prelate; Mrs. George Jacobs, prelate pro-tem; Mrs. Furman Evernham, truth; Mrs. V. A. Turpin, faith; Mrs. Ruth Freed, wisdom; Mrs. Charles Hoppe, charity; George Rehart, historian; Mrs. Richard Mayfield, musician; Edward C. Root, Mr. Hoppe and Mr. Evernham, trustees; Mrs. Ernest Price, warder; George Jacobs, sentinel.

School Days Party Announced By Lodge

Degree of Honor lodge has planned a "School Days" party for Tuesday, February 28, at 8 p.m. in the Pythian building. Members and friends are invited, and all attending are to bring a packed lunch box and to dress as school children for the evening.

A committee will serve coffee.

County Clubwomen Prepare For Sale Of Easter Seals

Members of the Federated Women's club of Ashland met February 21 at the Ashland Community club to prepare Easter seal stamps and envelopes for the annual Easter Seal sale, sponsored by the Oregon Society for Crippled Children and Adults.

The Ashland club will be assisted in the mailing and addressing of the envelopes by the Rogue River Women's club, of which Mrs. Sylvia Williams is president; the Talent Community club, under the direction of Mrs. J. C. Ottinger, who is president of district one, Oregon Federation of Women's clubs; the Ashland Girl scouts and the typing classes of Southern Oregon college.

Mrs. John Billings of Ashland is chairman in charge of these groups.

The seal sale is being sponsored in Jackson county this year by Rotana, Medford business women's club, Mrs. C. B. Partch, a member of the club, has been appointed Jackson County Seal Sale chairman.

In speaking of the coming sale, which will be held from March 9 through Easter Sunday, April 9, Mrs. Partch stated, "We want to emphasize that help is extended to the handicapped of all ages, races and creeds, whether crippled through birth, disease, or accident. The Oregon Society for Crippled Children has no persons organized or direct solicitation of business establishments. Its funds come primarily through the sale of Easter Seals through the mail."

Methodist Circle Plans Exhibit, Tea Friday Afternoon

Much interest is being shown in the exhibit and tea which will be an event of March 3 in the Methodist church parlors with members of Circle Eight of the church as the hostess group. Hours are from two until four o'clock.

While the exhibit is to be principally hand made table cloths and rugs it is announced that a few bed spreads in crocheted will also be shown. A bed spread and table cloth made by an eighty-year-old man, Wody Jordon of Higginsville, Mo., brother of Mrs. James Matthews, of Medford, will be among the exhibits.

Mrs. Vern Wilson will be in charge of an exhibit of hand craft from Camp White.

This tea is the second in a series of three which Circle Eight members are sponsoring. Paintings of Clifford Platz were shown at the tea given on October 4.

All members and friends are invited to attend, it is stated.

Local Artist Speaks For Sorority Meeting

Bill McCorkle, Medford commercial artist, spoke on animated cartoons at a meeting of Beta Sigma Phi sorority held February 23 at the home of Mrs. Donovan Foster.

Mrs. Ray Rayner and Mrs. Louis Wilson together presented the subject, "Pictures" and Mrs. Rayner introduced Mr. McCorkle.

The artist described how the animated cartoons are made and showed the group various original sketches of cartoon characters.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. John Black and Mrs. Foster. A business meeting and white elephant sale were also held during the evening.

Next meeting of the group will be March 9.



Miss Sally Jane Tams is the bride-elect of Jack L. Sanders, and the couple plans a summer wedding. Miss Tams is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tams, 219 South Holly street. —(Brainerd photo).

Miss Sally Tams Engaged to Wed Jack L. Sanders

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tams, 219 South Holly street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sally Jane, to Jack L. Sanders, son of Mrs. Don Rominger, Talent, and Frank Sanders of North Bend, Ore.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Medford high school with the class of 1949 and after graduation attended Southern Oregon college in Ashland. Mr. Sanders, a graduate of Talent high school in 1948, served as his class president and took an active part in school sports.

A summer wedding is planned by the couple.

Miss Betty Henry And Otto King Jr. Wedded In Church

Talent—Miss Betty Henry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Henry, and Otto King Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto King, were married at Our Lady of the Mountain church in Ashland, Saturday, February 11. The Rev. Pius Bauer read the double-ring ceremony at 7 p.m.

The bride wore a grey suit with a corsage of gardenias. Her sister, Mrs. Mary McCain of Central Point was matron-of-honor. She wore a fuchsia colored suit-dress with a corsage of yellow carnations.

Alfred Culver Jr., was best man.

The wedding was followed by a reception at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Leslie Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. King will make their home in Ashland where Mr. King is on the staff of the Ashland bank.

State President To Visit Auxiliary

Mrs. Stanley Tripp, Corvallis, department president for Oregon of Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary, will be a guest of Crater Lake auxiliary here Wednesday, March 1.

A covered dish luncheon will be served at 12 o'clock noon at the VFW hall in her honor.

Mrs. Tripp is coming to Medford to visit the domiciliary center at Camp White.

Announce Trothal Of Evalyn Watkins To Portland Man

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd P. Watkins, 701 West Jackson street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Evalyn Jean, to James H. O'Donel, son of Mr. and Mrs. William O'Donel of Portland.

June will be a memorable month for the two young people. Mr. O'Donel will be graduated from Oregon State college June 5. Miss Watkins will be graduated from the University of Oregon school of nursing June 21 and their wedding is planned for June 23 in Portland.

Past Chiefs' Club Announces Meeting

Past Chiefs' club of Pythian Sisters lodge will meet Wednesday, March 1 at 1 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Harry Barnesburg, 1297 Sunset avenue. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

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