

SOCIETY and CLUBS

Mental Telepathist Booked As Speaker For Dinner Group

Dr. Franz J. Polgar, said to be the best known mental telepathist, memory expert and hypnotist in America, will be guest speaker for a meeting of the Rogue Valley Knife and Fork club April 24 at the Rogue Valley Country club. This will be the club's last meeting for the 1949-50 season.

In his program, "Miracles of the Mind," he is scheduled to present a baffling demonstration of mental powers possessed by many and understood as yet by none, including Dr. Polgar himself and the medical profession, the club announces.

Dr. Polgar, through his experiments in thought transference, memory feats exhibiting his photographic mind and tests of the power of suggestion, has won an international reputation as a scientific lecture entertainer.

Although designed both for education and entertainment, his program here is to be basically scientific in character, it is stated.

Members are asked to make their reservation checks to the Rogue Valley Country club and mail them to Manager George Harrington at the club.

Birthday Party Given By Brownsboro Couple

Steve Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Johnson of Medford, celebrated his first birthday April 8 with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glass of Brownsboro. There were games, gifts and refreshments.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marshall, Mrs. Lester Marshall, Wayne and Darlene Marshall, Walter Strom, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Johnson and Steve, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glass.

Announce Meeting For Degree Staff

The degree staff of the Royal Neighbors of America lodge will practice Sunday, April 16 at 5 p.m. in the KP hall. The captain asks all members to be on time.

Annual Tournament Of Duplicate Club To Start Saturday

The annual individual tournament for members of the Medford Duplicate Bridge club will be played April 15 and 22 at the Medford hotel, the club has announced. The April 15 session will begin at 7:45 p.m.

Defending champion is Mrs. Van Gilbert. High score for the club's weekly session last Tuesday night was held by Dick Watson and Al Gilhouse, their score being 128 1/2 points. Second was taken by Mrs. G. R. Owen and Jack Barr, their score being 122 points. In a tie for third and fourth places were Miss Janet Burpee and Pete Boyden, and Williams Isaacs and Col. G. R. Owens, both teams scoring 117 points.

Fifth went to Mrs. Bernard Hughes and Mrs. Frank R. Baker who scored 115 1/2 points.

Meeting Announced For Sams Valley Unit

Sams Valley—Sams Valley Extension unit will meet Tuesday, April 18, at 10:30 a.m., at the home of Mrs. Ben Day.

Miss Eula Wintermote, county extension agent, will have the lesson "Improving Home Lighting," and election of officers will be held.

A potluck luncheon is planned and each member is asked to bring her own table service.

Eight members of the unit and one guest met Monday evening at the grammar school building to make lampshades. Mrs. Jack Kozner and Mr. Lester James were the leaders.

Making shades were Mesdames George Bolsford, Herbert Jerschele, George Loftin, Earl Peffly, Ben Day, Hubert Davidson, Frank Straus, Sam Wright and the guest, Mrs. Arnold Gosnell.

Plan Luncheon

Scottish Rite Women's club has planned a luncheon and installation of officers for Monday, April 17 at 1 p.m. in the American Legion hall, Central Point.

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Mrs. Paul Myers of St. Helens, grand chief of Pythian Sisters for Oregon, will arrive in Medford tomorrow to attend a district meeting of the order to be held in the Pythian building Saturday afternoon and evening. The sessions open at 1 p.m. with registration and will continue throughout the afternoon and evening, with a banquet set for 6 p.m. at the Jackson hotel. While in the city Mrs. Myers will be a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Rammin, 831 West 12th street.

Reservations for the event are to be made by calling Mrs. Lewis Kilbourn, Central Point 794, or Mrs. Ralph Krows, Medford 2-8586.

Cast Announced For Footlighters' Next Play May 8

Mrs. Lenore Zapell, president of The Footlighters, civic theater group, today announced the cast for "The Torchbearers," a play to be produced by the group during the week of May 8, in the Medford high school auditorium.

The cast in order of appearance includes Hal Newhouse as Frederick Ritter; Miss Charlene Pike, Paula Ritter; Mrs. Laura Porter, Mrs. Pampanelli; Mrs. Frankie Burton, Nellie Fell; Bernard Kelly, Mr. Spindler; Jim Sullivan, Huxley Hossfrosse; James Keeble, Ralph Twiller; Kenny Bushnell, Teddy Spear; Mrs. Milo Hunt, Florence McCrickett; Mrs. E. D. Hampson, Jenny; Beverly Hampson, Clara Shepherd; and Aubrey Harris, Mr. Stagemanager.

Harris From Ashland. All members of the cast are from Medford with exception of Harris, who is from Ashland.

Jim Sullivan will be remembered as Mr. Manningham in Angel Street, produced by the group last June.

Miss Nancy Jones will serve as prompter. The play will be directed by Mrs. Zapell, assisted by Keith Hopkins.

Rehearsals are being held Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of every week in Jackson school auditorium at 8 p.m. Anyone wishing to attend rehearsals is invited to do so.

Health Association To Meet Saturday

The Jackson County Public Health association will meet for reports and annual election of officers on Saturday, April 29, at the Medford Presbyterian church at 12:30 p.m., according to Mrs. Dwight Findley, president.

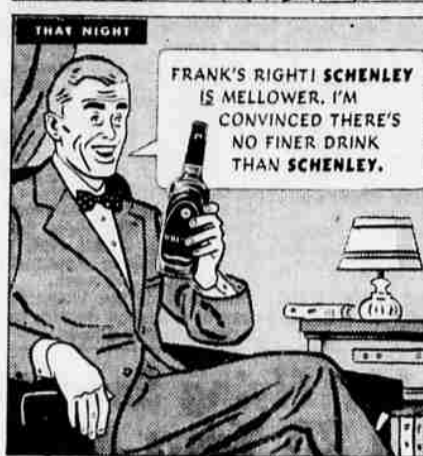
Dr. Ray Hawk of Southern Oregon college is to be guest speaker and has titled his discussion "Fostering Mental Health in the School." Yearly reports to be given include the Christmas seal sale, the annual chest x-ray survey, the health education and the social hygiene activities of the association during the past year. Mrs. Glenn Gibbons, vice-president, is in charge of the program.

The meeting is to be preceded by a luncheon and those attending are asked to bring a half dozen sandwiches. Salad, dessert and coffee is to be furnished by members of the Medford Health group and the executive board and there will be no charge for the lunch.

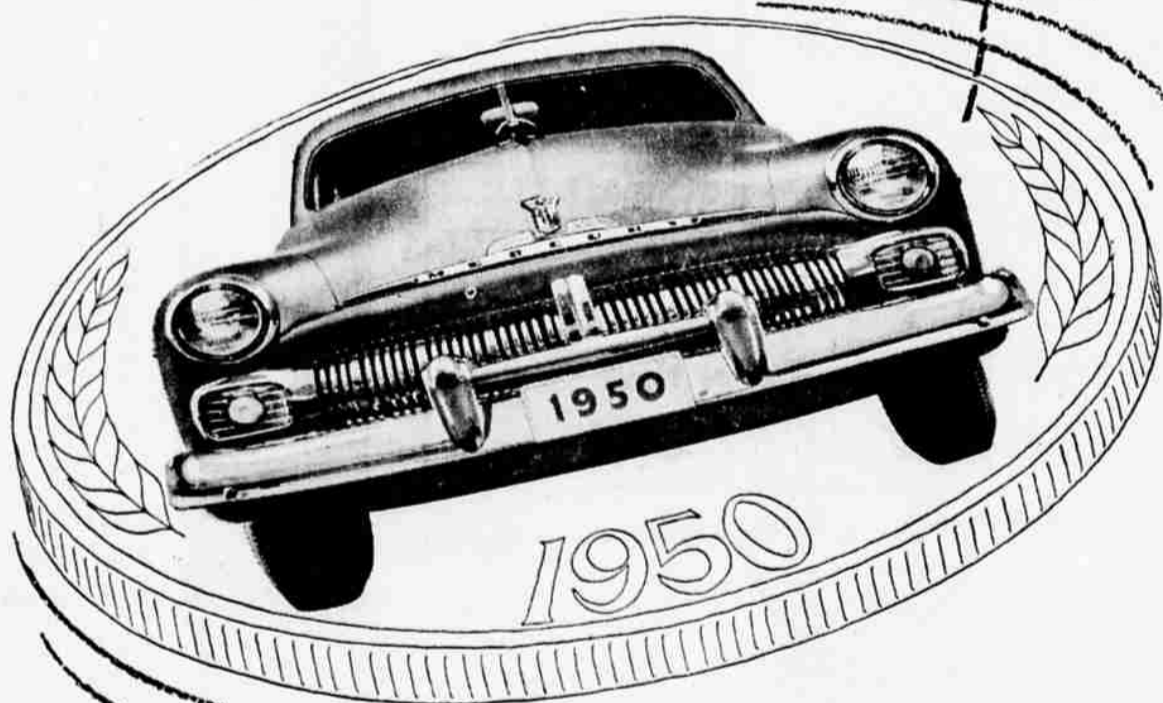
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