

Annual Extension Festival To Be Highlight of Week

The week's outstanding event for women will be the annual Homemakers' Festival of extension units, set for Wednesday, May 3 at 10 a.m. in the Central Point Grange hall. There are 24 units in the county, with a membership of about 600 women, and a large share of this number will be on hand for the festival.

Main speaker will be Miss Edith J. Freeman of the Oregon State college extension staff who will talk about "Life's Give and Take." In addition each unit will participate in the exhibits.

Luncheon will be served at noon.

Dr. Franz Polgar, mental telepathist and hypnotist who performed for the Knife and Fork

NEW DEADLINES

Due to the increased amount of news submitted for the society section of the Mail Tribune it has been found necessary to change the deadline time for news. Deadline for all news for Sunday issues will be Friday at 5 p.m. and deadline for weekly issues will be 5 p.m. of the day preceding publication. Week day calendars will be closed at 9 a.m. of the day of publication. All news must be submitted in writing.

club Monday night, had his audience in an uproar before the evening was over. The things he made his subjects do amused as well as amazed.

Although many club members were not willing to become "subjects" others were interested and it wasn't long before he had a number of cooperators. Three



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Presbyterian Circle Plans Luncheon, Show For Tuesday at Church

Members of Grace circle of First Presbyterian church have completed plans for a luncheon, style show and bazaar to be held Tuesday, May 2 in the church. Luncheon will be served between the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. and the bazaar and baked food sale will also be held during these hours.

The style show, to be given by Adrienne's, will be presented during the luncheon hours. The event is open to the public and tickets may be obtained at the door.

Mrs. Ben Stafford is luncheon chairman. Mrs. Charles Reames is chairman of the style show committee and Mrs. S. A. Gibbs is in charge of the bazaar and food sale.

were never ready on time, expected boys to spend too much money, giggled too much and couldn't carry on a conversation. Girls, on the other hand, claimed high school boys are too rough and rowdy, are sloppy dressers, ask for dates without specifying just what kind so a girl knows how to dress and what to expect, said boys were prone to embarrass the girls by telling off-color stories or trying to promote petting parties.

The word battle was a furious one while it lasted.

There's nothing women like better than a fashion show, and Medford women who went to Grants Pass Wednesday for the same home filled with enthusiasm. The display was of wedding gowns, old and new.

Of particular interest was a gown which belongs to Mrs. Lewis Ulrich of Medford and was worn by Mrs. Kitty Kelt for the show. The gown was first worn by Mrs. Ulrich's mother, Ella Pray, when she was married to Charles Nickell of Jacksonville. Ella was the daughter of Judge Paine Page Prim, first supreme judge for this district, and her husband was editor of the Democrat Times in Jacksonville.

The gown is of heavy brocade satin with very full bustle skirt and many puffs and shirtings. It was an exact replica of that worn by Mrs. Rutherford B. Hayes when she married President Hayes, with the material coming from the same loom. Mrs. Ulrich recalls how her mother told of the trips made to San Francisco by stage in preparation for the wedding.

The guests shuddered at the dresses which had been worn in the '20s and Mrs. Robert Shepherd described one, a creation imported from Paris, as "a perfectly beautiful beaded sack."

When BPWC members entertained Mrs. Irene Taylor, fellow "beep" from Portland, at a small dinner Wednesday night before the lecture she gave on the Hoover report, presentation of a corsage brought up the question of how to wear flowers, up or down. In spite of the fact that florists and other experts say that the flowers should be worn with the stems and ribbons down, and the flower faces nearest the wearer's face, nine out of 10 women wear them upside down.

Mrs. Taylor said there must be some reason for this reaction, and decided that women must believe the flowers blend with the lines of their costumes better that way, or else ease in pinning was the reason.

Only a small audience heard Mrs. Taylor's excellent talk on the Hoover commission and its report on reorganization of federal government and more than one was heard to remark that, judging from the preponderance of women, the women must be

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more interested in economy and efficiency in government than men.

Speaking of the present inefficiencies in federal government, Mrs. Taylor told how some bureaus use three different bookkeeping systems, because there is no universal system; how 40 different governmental agencies give some type of medical service; how the postoffice is run by laws made in the days of Benjamin Franklin; how one bureau borrows money from another and pays interest and how there are so many tons of records that they would fill six buildings the size of the Pentagon and how the rental space these records "sit on" costs \$29,000,000 a year.

Mrs. Taylor made a point of the fact, however, that these conditions exist not because the employees are casuals, but because they are just ordinary people struggling along with an outdated and inefficient system, that has no resemblance to the methods of big business.

To illustrate that many persons not in governmental offices are just as inefficient as those in, she told how a Portland lawyer, settling the estate of a client, was going through the household effects. He found a large box, carefully wrapped and safely stowed away. It was labeled "String — too short to use."

CALENDAR

- Sunday**
1 p.m.—Southern Oregon Association, OES, Glendale Masonic hall.
2 p.m.—VFW and auxiliary, Gold Hill IOOF hall.
- Monday**
1 p.m.—Navy Mothers, Girls' Community club.
1:15 p.m.—Wednesday Study club, Ashland Episcopal parish house.
7:30 p.m.—Epsilon Sigma Alpha, Girls' Community club.
8:00 p.m.—Olive Rebecca lodge, IOOF hall.
8 p.m.—Governor's Conference Report Meeting, Washington school gymnasium.

Medford Chapter Secretaries' Group Installed Thursday

A Medford chapter of National Secretaries' association was formally instituted at a meeting held in the Medford hotel Thursday night. Mrs. Jean H. Williams of Kansas City, Mo., field representative of the association, conducted the ceremony assisted by Mrs. Thelma King, a transfer from the Long Beach, Cal., chapter.

Mrs. Williams installed the officers and each lighted a candle of a color symbolic of her office. Mrs. King then pinned roses on each officer and explained the symbolism of the association's emblem.

Taking office were Mrs. Evelyn Schroder, president; Mrs. Janet Snyder, vice-president; Miss Ann Drysdale, secretary; Miss Lillian Newton, recording secretary; Miss Ardis Patterson, treasurer. Mrs. Schroder is secretary to Glenn L. Jackson, vice-president of California Oregon Power company. Miss Snyder is employed by William McAllister, Robert B. Duncan and Carl M. Brophy, attorneys-at-law, and Miss Drysdale is secretary to Glenn L. Linn, Medford junior high school principal.

Miss Newton is employed at the Snider Dairy and Produce company and Miss Patterson is office manager of the Credit Bureaus, Inc.

Other members of the new group are Mrs. Pat Eastwood, Credit Bureau, Inc., Miss Ruth Gaster, secretary to National Hospital association; Miss Estelle Greenhalgh, secretary to Dr. Thomas H. Emmens; Mrs. Mary Lovejoy, secretary to N. B. Bender of Harry and David, Inc., and Mrs. Joyce Jack of the E. B. DeVoe Lumber company.

Greetings were received from Mrs. Dora McCoy, Portland, northwest vice-president of the national office and from the chapters at Portland, Salem, Eugene and Corvallis.

Mrs. Schroder conducted a brief business meeting, and the new group made plans to hold its first regular meeting May 18.

Mrs. Williams left Saturday for Klamath Falls where she will organize another chapter of the association.

Meeting Postponed By Past Matrons

The meeting of Reames Past Matrons' club scheduled for May 1 has been postponed to May 8. It will be held in the Girls' Community club.

Tuesday

- 11 a.m.—Benefit luncheon-show, Grace circle, Presbyterian church.
1:30 p.m.—Oak Grove Neighborhood club, Mrs. Lawrence Crocker, Jacksonville highway.
2 p.m.—Lady Elks, Elks temple.
7:30 p.m.—Medford Duplicate Bridge club, Medford hotel.
7:30 p.m.—Medford Parents' Extension, Medford senior high school.
7:45 p.m.—Rogue Valley Chorale rehearsal, Medford senior high school.
8 p.m.—BE, PEO, Mrs. M. M. Morris, 204 Medford heights.
8 p.m.—Chi Rho circle, of Zion Lutheran church, Mrs. Einar Larson, 1011 West 11th street.
8 p.m.—Crater Lake auxiliary, VFW, Veterans' hall, 42 North Front street.
8 p.m.—Pythian Sisters, Pythian building.
8 p.m.—Evans Valley PTA at school.

Wednesday

- 1 p.m.—CG, PEO, Mrs. R. E. Pugh, 621 South Ivy street.
1 p.m.—Get Together club, Eagles' hall.
1 p.m.—Past Chiefs' club, Mrs. James Stewart, 336 Plum street.
1 p.m.—Alpha Phi Southern Oregon Alumnae club, Rogue Valley Country club.
8 p.m.—Jackson County War Brides' club, Mrs. Harlan P. Bosworth Jr., 2425 East Main street.
8 p.m.—Mt. Pitt Rebekah lodge, Central Point IOOF hall.

Thursday

- 10 a.m.—Central Point Garden club, Mrs. Henry Conger, Old Stage road.
12:30 p.m.—Wenonah club, Mrs. George Dooms, 156 Van Ness avenue, Ashland.
2 p.m.—Golden Link Bible class, Mrs. Chris Zink, 17 South Louis avenue.
2 p.m.—Medford Garden club, Medford YMCA.
7:30 p.m.—Royal Neighbors of America, Pythian building.
8 p.m.—Adare chapter, OES, Jacksonville Masonic hall.

Friday

- 6:30 p.m.—Canton and auxiliary, IOOF hall.
8 p.m.—Pocahontas lodge, Redmen hall.
8 p.m.—Ruch-Sterling PTA, Upper Applegate Grange hall.

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Cave Junction Woman Will Speak Thursday

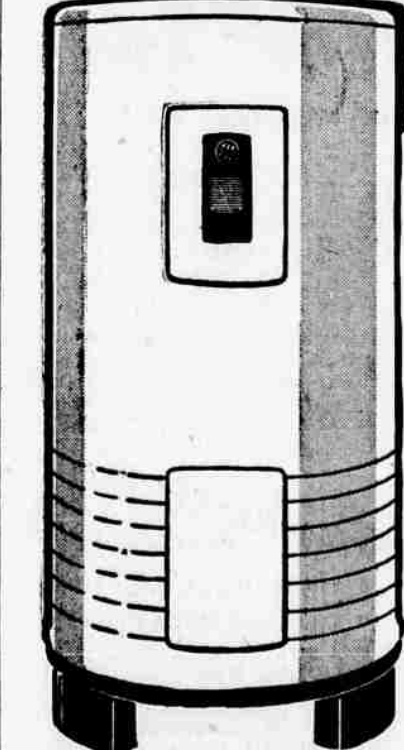
Mrs. Harry O. Smith, Cave Junction, past state president of Oregon Federation of Garden clubs, will be speaker for the Medford Garden club meeting Thursday May 4 at 2 p.m. in the Medford YMCA. Her subject will be flower arranging. Mrs. Martin Heitkamp will give the horticulture lesson. Her subject will be annuals. Members will furnish displays of spring flower arrangements. Tea chairman will be Mrs. Florence Mason of Shady Cove.

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