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Creative Arts Group To Meet Thursday; Work Said Popular

Creative arts group of American Association of University Women will meet Thursday, May 11 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Neil Davidson, 30 South Barneburg road the chairman, Mrs. John Carnegie, announces.

The meeting will be of a business nature in order to select a new chairman and to outline a program for the coming year. Mrs. Carnegie asks for a full attendance of members.

The creative arts group, organized in the fall of 1949, has grown in popularity during the year among AAUM members and associate members. It is stated that the meeting, educational and profitable, have been enthusiastically received by those attending. During the year programs have included the study of painting on glass, copper picture making, textile painting, weaving and several other creative works.

A second group has recently been formed under the leadership of Mrs. John Graf and women of the valley interested in such work are asked to call Mrs. John Carnegie, 2-8177, or Mrs. John Graff, 2-8928 for further information.

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Parents of New Pupils To Be Guests Friday Of Howard Association

Guests of the Howard Parent-Teacher association Friday, May 12, will be parents of next fall's first grade children. The parents will come with the prospective new pupils to register them for the fall term at 1:45 p. m. and at 2:15 p. m. will participate in the meeting. Principal Harold Boner and Mrs. Dorothy Arney, first grde teacher, will give information and suggestions helpful in preparing a child for his entry in school.

Installation of officers of the association for the coming year will be a feature of the meeting. Mrs. F. L. Conner, Medford, newly-elected secretary of the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers, will officiate.

Mrs. Jack Campbell and Mrs. Don Elliott, president-elect and treasurer-elect, respectively, of the Howard unit, who were the group's delegates to the state convention, will report on the meeting.

This is the final meeting of the season for the Howard group.

DeMolay Chapter To Hold Breakfast

Members of the Medford DeMolay chapter will honor their mothers with a breakfast Sunday at 9:30 a.m. in the Masonic temple. Members of Reames Social club will serve the breakfast, an annual event of the chapter.

Following breakfast, the members and their mothers will attend church.

Reservations for the event will be made during a meeting of the DeMolay Mothers' club set for 6:30 p.m. today in the Masonic hall. A potluck dinner will be served, the dinner to be open to all DeMolay mothers and their families. Those attending are to take table service.

Court To Receive Charter Saturday

Of interest in Masonic circles is the announcement that Roxy Ann court (UD), Order of the Amaranth, will receive its charter at a meeting set for Saturday, May 13, at 6:30 p. m., in the IOOF hall. At 8 p. m. there will be open installation of officers, with members and their invited guests to attend.

Phoenix Lady Lions Will Meet Thursday

Phoenix—May meeting of the Phoenix Lady Lions will be held Thursday, May 11 at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. C. C. Leaf, South Phoenix. Mrs. Charles F. Hoey will be co-hostess.

Election of officers for the coming year will be held, and the president asks for a full attendance.

Toastmistress' Club Entertains Guests At Meeting Monday

Seven members of the newly organized Grants Pass Toastmistress club were guests of the Medford club for a meeting Monday night. Mrs. Leland Mentzer had arranged a program on "Foreign Women" and Mrs. James J. Boyle was toastmistress.

Mrs. Wallace Haskins talked on "Status of Women," pointing out the great difference between the status of women today and that of ancient and medieval times. She pointed out that scientists now say there is no difference between the mental capacities of men and women and said that women are having brilliant careers in all the arts and sciences.

Speaking on "India's Women," Mrs. Scott Davis said that in India women had a great struggle to "prove themselves" but that recent years had brought many social changes and many improvements in the status of women in that country. She named a number of prominent Indian women who are known not only in their own country but throughout the world.

"Women of Mexico" was the topic of Mrs. F. J. Runtz, and she opened her talk by pointing out the great difference between the type of life led by the poor classes and the monied classes of Mexico. She told of Mexico's "Joan of Arc," of the first Mexican woman eviator and said that Mexican women were now learning to band together in organizations for mutual aid. She said women's suffrage is now being considered there.

Mrs. Robert Claypool, talking of "Women of Germany," said that while there are many outstanding women in that country, generally speaking woman takes a subservient role. About 80 per cent of the German girls quit school at 14, she said, and added that due to the loss of men from wars, women far outnumber men and 53 per cent of the home breadwinners are women. She said German women also were turning to organizations to aid their status, and that many were coming to this country to study women's groups and what they accomplish.

Mrs. Ben Stafford, new member of the club, gave her autobiographical talk. Mrs. Stafford and her husband, retired army officer, have lived in many parts of the world.

Mrs. Bren Starcher, toastmistress, presented topics on music in observance of National Music week. Mrs. George McIntyre spoke briefly on criticism of talks and Mrs. Richard C. Keene was evaluator.

During the business meeting, over which Mrs. Marjorie Hopkins presided, she introduced Miss Abby Sturtevant, winner of the district speech contest. Miss Sturtevant will fly to Seattle May 21 and 22 to participate in the regional contest, and Mrs. McIntyre will accompany her. She also introduced Mrs. Lola Reed, new preisdent of District 7.

Additional guests were Mrs. Diamond Flynn and Mrs. Howard U. Walters, mother of Mrs. Boyle.

Hostesses for a coffee hour were Miss Sturtevant, Mrs. Bernice Kunzman, Mrs. Reed and Mrs. McIntyre.

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TOLL RECEIPTS UP

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National Hospital Day To Be Observed Friday

Both Community and Sacred Heart hospitals and the Camp White domiciliary center are completing plans this week for the annual observance of National Hospital day. The two city hospitals will hold open house Friday, and the center will observe the day Sunday.

The program for the open house and tea at Sacred Heart hospital Friday from 2 to 4 p. m. was announced by Mrs. Charles H. Thompson, Providence guild chairman.

Tours will be conducted to all floors and to the various hospital departments by personnel and committee hostesses. There will be demonstrations in laboratories, ex-ray departments and operating rooms. A movie entitled "You're the Doctor" will be shown in room 105 during the afternoon.

Tea will be served by members of Providence guild in the nurses' reception room with the following members as hostesses: Mrs. Maurice Spatz, Miss Gertrude Molloy, Mrs. Charles H. Thompson, Mrs. J. C. Boyle, Mrs. William Driscoll, Mrs. Gene Thomas, Mrs. Earnest McKee, Mrs. Myrle M. Merriman, Mrs. T. E. Daniels, Mrs. John J. Wilkinson, Mrs. John B. Cox, Mrs. J. P. Naumes, Mrs. W. F. Roemer and Mrs. James J. Dunlevy.

Presiding at the tea table will be Mrs. James C. Hayes, Mrs. O. J. Halboth, Mrs. W. W. Stevenson, Mrs. J. T. Antony, Mrs. F. T. Burich. The guest book will be presented by Miss Helen Bullis.

Hours for the open house at Community hospital are also from 2 to 4 p. m. and a similar program will be followed.

Pouring for the tea hour will be Mrs. Alfred S. V. Carpenter, whose husband is chairman of the board of governors, and Mrs. Eugene Thorndike, Mr. Thorndike being a member of the board.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Porter J. Neff, also a board member; Mrs. Ralph Norris, Mrs. Cole Holmes, Mrs. Allen R. Smith, Mrs. Otto Frohnmayer and Mrs. Leon Boomer, wives of board members.

Plan Brunch

Rogue River—A Mothers' day breakfast, or "brunch," will be given by Live Oak Grange Home Economics committee at the Grange hall in Rogue River, Sunday, May 14. Hours are from 8:30 to 1:30 p. m.

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