

Society and Clubs

State President British Daughters To Visit Medford

Mrs. Ralph Johnston, president of Daughters of the British Empire in Oregon, and four state board members will visit Bow Bells chapter here Wednesday, April 2.

The five women will be honored at a luncheon Wednesday at the Medford hotel, and that evening the officers will meet with Medford members during a regular session of the chapter at Girls Community club. The evening session is set for 8 o'clock.

It is stated that all women of British birth or ancestry are invited to attend and will be warmly welcomed. Further information about the meeting or about transportation may be obtained by calling Mrs. Arthur G. McMillin, 2-6514 or Mrs. G. W. Allingham, 2-8620.

CALENDAR

Calendar notices and news for the society section of The Mail Tribune must be submitted in writing, and deadline for the Sunday edition is 1 p.m. Friday. Deadline for weekly news is 5 p.m. the day before publication, and deadline for the weekly calendar is 9 a.m. of the day for publication.

Tuesday
7 p.m.—Oregon Educational society, Medford Junior high school.

7:30 p.m.—Medford Lady Lions, Girls Community club.
8 p.m.—Order of the Eastern Star district meeting, Alpha, Adair, Nevada and Reames chapters, Ashland Masonic temple.

8 p.m.—Crater Lions club auxiliary, Mrs. Tom Besenette, 349 O'Gara avenue.

8 p.m.—Chapter BE, PEO, Mrs. A. A. Laumann, 200 Medford heights.

8 p.m.—Chi Rho Missionary society of Zion Lutheran church, Mrs. James Brown, 24 North Orange street.

8 p.m.—Past Presidents club, Degree of Honor Protective association, Mrs. Frank Dufek, 333 Howard street.

8 p.m.—Pythian Sisters, Pythian building.

8 p.m.—Alpha Rho chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, home of Mrs. Ray Dallaire, 1060 Crater Lake avenue.

Wednesday
9:30 a.m.—Girl Scout training meeting, Girl Scout day camp.

10:30 a.m.—Lake Creek Extension unit, home of Mrs. Leland Charlie; Upper Applegate unit, home of Miss Mollie Ray; Rogue-Elk unit, home of Mrs. Howard Ash.

10:30 a.m.—Christian Women's Fellowship, First Christian church, business session; 12:15 p.m. luncheon; 1:30 p.m. missionary program.

12:30 p.m.—Gold Star Mothers, home of Mrs. T. E. Parks, 707 Sherman avenue.

12:30 p.m.—Women of Rotary, home of Mrs. Albert J. Henke, 116 Sunrise avenue.

1 p.m.—Past Chiefs club, Pythian Sisters, Mrs. W. L. Michael, 475 Charlotte Anne road.

1 p.m.—Get Together club, Eagles hall.

1 p.m.—Chapter CG, PEO, Mrs. A. C. Fries, 2317 East Main street.

1:45 p.m.—Contemporary Book club, home of Mrs. Floyd Hart.

2 p.m.—Wednesday Study Girls Community club.

2 p.m.—Epsilon Sigma Alpha, style show, Pioneer room, Jackson hotel, benefit to Crippled Children's hospital school, Eugene.

Guest Here
Mrs. Paul L. Chipman of South Acton, Mass., is a guest of Col. and Mrs. Ben Stafford, Medford Plaza apartments.

Large quantities of carrots are moving to markets throughout the country, official government reports say, with the supply coming mostly from California, Arizona and Texas. Watch for easing prices.

State Bethel Heads Visit Central Point; Dinner Honors Two

Central Point — Mrs. Avon Vert, Portland, grand guardian of Job's Daughters in Oregon, was honored guest at a meeting of the Central Point bethel held Thursday evening at the Masonic hall. Also present was Andrew Stevens, Phoenix, associate grand guardian for Oregon. Two candidates, Miss Helen Hood and Miss Dixie Lee Walker, both Gold Hill, were initiated into the order.

Mrs. Vert and Mr. Stevens, were both honored. Also honored were Miss Esther Snook, junior past queen of Central Point; Miss Johnne Pond, senior princess of Medford; L. R. Manning, Bert Langston, Central Point, Mrs. C. D. Elhart, Ashland, past grand guardian of Oregon, and Mrs. M. P. Dunn, Ashland.

Following the meeting an addendum was given by a group of the bethel girls, and gifts were given to Mrs. Vert and Mr. Stevens by Miss Sally Elden who was "Peter Cottontail."

Preceding the meeting a dinner was held in honor of Mrs. Vert and Mr. Stevens at Eaton's Dinner house. Attending were bethel officers, daughters, and members of the guardian council.

The bethel dining room was decorated in the Easter theme of bunnies and eggs. Refreshments were served by the committee headed by Miss Vicki Noel and Mrs. Victor Noel.

Gold Hill Club Women Attend District Meet

Gold Hill—Three officers of the Gold Hill Business and Professional Women's club, Mrs. Vera Stewart, president; Mrs. Thelma Bell, vice-president, and Mrs. Betty Molloy, treasurer, attended the Saturday night session of the two-day southern Oregon district spring conference of BPW clubs, held in Grants Pass.

The event began with a banquet Saturday night, attended by 57 members representing 11 clubs. Mrs. Lola West of Grants Pass, district chairman, presided. The evening's program included a talk by Mrs. Cecelia Galey of Sweet Home, state president, and a work-shop on parliamentary procedure conducted by Dr. Elmore Gutman of Portland, state parliamentarian.

The club collect was led by Mrs. Stewart.

Regular meeting of Gold Hill BPW club was held last Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Stewart on Fifth avenue. A nominating committee including Mesdames Frances Stieber, Betty Molloy and Catherine Rockford was appointed to select candidates for the election, May 13.

Plans were discussed for attendance at the district conference and at the state convention in Klamath Falls May 9, 10 and 11.

Next meeting was scheduled for Tuesday, April 8, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Stieber on Second avenue.

Applegate To Hold Annual Spring Fling

Applegate—Applegate Parent-Teacher association will hold the annual "Spring Fling" Friday, April 4, at 8 p.m. at the schoolhouse.

Everyone is invited to enter a comic strip character contest. Also included on the program will be a cake walk, plant sale, handiwork booth and a "white elephant" sale.

PTA members are to take cakes for the cake walk. Every family attending is to take a pie, and free pie and coffee will be served.

To Meet

Medford bethel, Job's Daughters, will meet Wednesday, April 2, at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic temple. Junior bethel night will be observed.

Refreshments will follow the meeting.

Mental Health Film Shown for Group; Professor Speaks

A large number attended the evening meeting of Washington Parent-Teacher association last Thursday, Mrs. C. Fred Underwood, who was reelected president of the group, presided. Other officers elected for the year are Mrs. Frank Morgan, vice-president; Mrs. George Montgomery, secretary; and Mrs. Jim Semple, treasurer.

Delegates to the state PTA convention in Pendleton were elected, with Underwood and Mrs. Norman Burke named delegates, and Mrs. William Myers and Mrs. Dunbar Carpenter chosen alternates.

A report on the recent carnival was given by Mrs. J. J. Finnegan, general chairman. This was a most successful event and Mrs. Finnegan was thanked for her efforts.

The president announced a change in the lunch hour for first grade pupils and reported on the effort to have Dakota street made safer for all school children.

"Feelings of Depression," a new film put out by the Oregon Mental Health association, was presented by Mrs. Dunbar Carpenter, program chairman, who also introduced Dr. John A. Schulz, of the psychology department at Southern Oregon college who discussed the film.

Dr. Schulz pointed out two factors. First, mental depression takes many years to develop and, secondly, that one or a few experiences, poorly handled, are not cause for real worry provided the same mistakes are not made over and over.

A combination of many experiences is necessary to bring about acute mental depression, the speaker stated, and usually it requires the same combination of unhappy experiences to bring about the feeling of insecurity and inadequacy.

Dr. Schulz noted one great danger brought out in the film: punishing a child as a means of teaching a lesson is one that backfires, and the child remembers only the punishment rather than learning the lesson. Parents have adult feelings which are not always fair to a child, he pointed out.

In the open discussion which followed, it was brought out that a normal person is resilient and "bounces back" after failures. Feelings toward others are learned, not inherited. Dr. Schulz stated, and parents mold a child into the person he is apt to become, although not necessarily into the person the parents expect him to be.

In the "room count" for the meeting, Mrs. Georgia Davis and Mrs. Dora Mae Shepard divided honors.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served by the mothers of the pupils in the second grade.

Woodcraft Neighbors Plan Phoenix Meetings

Phoenix—Phoenix Neighbors of Woodcraft will meet Thursday, April 3, at 8 p.m. in Phoenix Grange hall.

Neighbors of Woodcraft Thimble club will meet Friday, April 4, at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Thompson. A business meeting at 10 a.m. will be followed by a covered dish luncheon. A "plastic party" will be held in the afternoon.

Mrs. Mervin Hixson and Mrs. Odella Paul will be hostesses.

New Officers Named For Junior Tri-Hi-Y

Junior Tri-Hi-Y recently elected new officers. They are Gail McDuffee, president; Ruth Jones, vice-president; Carole Bates, secretary; Betsy Rinehart, treasurer; Geri Gilman, chaplain; Nancy McKinstry, reporter.

Installation was held March 26.

The retiring officers are Sally Harris, president; Kathryn McAllister, vice-president; Carol Coleman, secretary; Anne Gregory, treasurer; Rosalee Mole, chaplain.

Senator Ben Day Talks in Prospect; Name PTA officers

Prospect — With the largest attendance of any meeting so far this year, the Prospect Parent-Teacher association met in the high school cafeteria at 6:30 p.m. on March 25 for potluck dinner and to hear State Senator Ben Day speak on the various state taxes.

Following his address the audience made up six groups and examined questions on taxes among themselves. A spokesman from each group presented these questions to Mr. Day for answers. Spokesmen were Herb Carlton, Lee Merriman, Charles Fanger, Arthur Hume, Gene Burrill, and William Schulz.

During the regular business meeting, the election of officers took place for the coming year. Those elected were Mrs. George Hubbard, president; Mrs. Irma Beddingfield, vice-president; Mrs. Lucius Rogers, secretary and Mrs. Donald Vaughn, treasurer.

Mrs. Hubbard and Mrs. Rogers were selected to represent the Prospect unit at state convention delegates, with Mrs. Beddingfield and Mrs. Archie McKillop to serve as alternates.

Mrs. McKillop served as chairman of the sixth grade mothers who were in charge of the dinner. The next meeting will be held on April 29 and will also be a potluck dinner.

Providence Guild To Hold Meeting

The monthly meeting of Providence guild of Sacred Heart hospital will be held Wednesday, April 2, at 8 p.m. Mrs. James Dunlevy, president, will take charge of the meeting to be held in the hospital social room.

Mrs. Dunlevy states that important business will be discussed, and all members, as well as anyone interested in the guild's activities, are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Student Leaves

Miss Marilyn Miller, freshman student at the University of Washington, left for Seattle Sunday after visiting during spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller, 617 Park street.

Miss Miller is a medical technology major at the university. She was graduated last spring from Medford senior high school.

Officers Elected By Lone Pine Unit; To Sponsor Movie

Lone Pine—Lone Pine Parent-Teacher association elected officers at a meeting Friday. Mrs. W. M. Neal was named president; Mrs. Floyd Hilton, vice-president; Mrs. Emmett M. Gott, treasurer and Mrs. Kenneth D. Shaw, secretary.

Mrs. Neal reported on plans for organization of a rural fire protection district and stated that a general meeting of residents of the district will be held in April to further these plans.

The next regular meeting of Lone Pine PTA will be an evening session Thursday, April 10, with speakers from the faculty of Southern Oregon college. The topic will be "What Our School Could Be."

Saturday, April 5, the unit will sponsor an evening of movies at the school, with the program to begin at 7 p.m.

Sorority Chapter Elects New Officers

Officers for the coming year were elected when Alpha Beta chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. E. N. Donnelly in Ashland.

Mrs. M. P. Boehme was named president; Mrs. K. A. Hayes, vice-president; Mrs. E. N. Donnelly, recording secretary; Miss Anna May, treasurer; Mrs. Paul B. Lowery, corresponding secretary.

Members of the council will be Mrs. W. G. Carson, Mrs. Nick R. DeWitt and Mrs. Norval Hildman. The new officers will be installed at the first meeting in May.

A program on "Sculpture and Art" was conducted by Mrs. Frank Sawacki.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Donnelly and Mrs. Ralph Filsinger.

Monthly Party Held By Wagner Creek Group

Talent—Wagner Creek Sunday school held the monthly birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Yarnell in Talent March 28.

Honored were David Arnett, Sandra Holt, JoAnn MacDowell, Lora and Nora Bailey and Leonard Bailey. Refreshments followed games.

Twenty-eight attended.

Two Bands Featured On Program at Camp

Eagle Point—a program given at Camp White domiciliary March 26 under the sponsorship of the Enchanted Grotto featured accordion bands from Grants Pass and Medford under the direction of Fred J. Divisek.

The Grants Pass band, made up for the most part of school age musicians, was making its first appearance. The Medford band played on one of the Enchanted Grotto programs last year.

Mr. Divisek played several selections to close the program, which was enthusiastically received by the capacity audience.

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