

## Society and Clubs

### Mother-Daughter Banquet Is Held By Local Church

The annual mother-daughter banquet and program at First Methodist church Monday evening, brought out an overflow attendance and it was necessary to arrange additional tables in the church parlors to accommodate some of the 260 guests present.

The dining hall and tables were colorful with arrangements of tulips, poppies, lilies and other spring flowers. Story book dolls added to the gay table decorations. A large rainbow gave a pleasing effect over the stage and, at each end, pots of gold colored flowers gave the traditional thought to the scheme. Responsible for the decorations were Mrs. Richard Fanger, Mrs. A. C. Pierce, Mrs. Phil Stenbridge, Mrs. Harry Myers and Mrs. George Watson.

Mrs. Meredith Groves gave the invocation and immediately following the banquet, Mrs. John Carter greeted mothers and daughters, including in her talk thoughts from several poems which eulogized mothers. She also presented members of the several groups in charge of the evening's activities.

Special recognitions were given mothers present by Mrs. J. C. Sparks with Mrs. H. D. Beatty assisting with corsages. Mrs. Beatty was given recognition for her story in verse which provided the thought reveries for the program of living pictures.

The oldest guest mother present was Mrs. Mattie Railsback, 93. Oldest Methodist mother was Mrs. Ira Jones; oldest charter member of the Methodist church, Mrs. Cora Carder; Mrs. W. G. Werner, mother having most daughters present; newest mother, Mrs. Richard Jewett. For her helpfulness at all times, Mrs. Olaf Severson was specially recognized and Mrs. Edna Pursel, mother to shut-ins of the church, received recognition. Mrs. Groves prepared the corsages.

The program, centered around the theme "Let Your Life Be A Song" was arranged by Mrs. J. Carter, Mrs. Sparks and Mrs. Beatty and presented the life of a daughter from babyhood to bride. Mrs. C. R. Adamson read the poem story and incidental music was furnished by Mrs. J. C. Kaylor, Mrs. Lyle Schoppert, a girl's chorus from the high school and small children from the Sunday school. Mrs. Horace Doolen was pianist. Taking part as picture models were: baby portrait, Elizabeth Ann Jewett; kindergarten tot, Ann Parsons; school girl, Janice Atkins; tomboy, Carole Anderson; high school girl, Janet Carter; cheer leader, Betty Naylor; high graduate, Marjorie Helman; college freshman, Marilyn Barker; college graduate, Alice Howard; secretary, Pauline Kruggel; heart interest, Betty Williams and bride, Mrs. W. J. Williams.

Chairmen of the three circles responsible for the evening's activities were Mrs. Paul Atkins, Circle 2; Mrs. A. J. Lynch, Circle 5 and Mrs. H. E. Conger, Circle 11.

### Schedule Meeting For Women's Club

Scottish Rite Woman's club will meet Monday, May 12, in Masonic temple at eight o'clock for a business session.

Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. Fred Purdin, Mrs. F. W. Scheffel and Mrs. Paul R. Sipple.

All Scottish Rite Masons wives are invited to attend.

### 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 3 p. m. the day before publication, and deadline for the weekly calendar is 9 a. m. of the day for publication.

### Friday

8 p. m. — Pocahontas lodge, Redman hall.  
8 p. m. — Ruch PTA, school cafeteria.  
8 p. m. — Sams Valley PTA, at school.  
8 p. m. — Student amateur hour, Howard school.  
8 p. m. — Daughters of Union Veterans, courthouse.

### Saturday

10 a. m. — Degree of Honor Junior club, Lincoln gymnasium.  
12 noon — Zuleima temple, Daughters of the Nile, Ashland Masonic hall.  
2 p. m. — College Women's club of the Rogue River Valley, Mrs. Arthur Peters, Ashland.

### Religion Teacher Speaks Saturday For Annual Dinner

A flannelgraph story about Daniel in the lion's den and a lesson in church etiquette presented by Miss Verna Cingade, religion teacher in Medford public schools, highlighted the program at the annual mother-daughter banquet sponsored by Chi Rho circle, Zion Lutheran church, Saturday evening, at the Medford hotel.

Mrs. L. K. Ellison, president of Chi Rho, was toastmistress. Mrs. Hans Edwardsen gave the invocation and Miss Marilyn Myhre sang a solo, accompanied by Mrs. William Myers. Corsages were presented to Mrs. J. M. Ball, president of the Ladies' Aid society, and to Mrs. Edwardsen, president of Woman's Missionary society.

Mrs. Ellison announced that Mrs. A. C. Hall will be given a life membership at a later date as she was unable to be present.

A review of the work of the circle the past seven years was given by the past presidents, Mrs. William Myers, Mrs. Owen A. Kunkel, Mrs. B. Austin, Mrs. Edwardsen, Mrs. Wendell Mattson and Mrs. Ellison. Mrs. J. M. Ball pronounced the benediction.

Decorations on the banquet tables were May poles and streamers and individual pansy nosegays for each guest. Decorating committee members were Mrs. J. Turman, Mrs. Jack Schifferdecker, and Mrs. Mattson.

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### BPWC Delegates Attend Meeting At Klamath Falls

Medford will be well represented at the 1952 convention of Oregon Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs May 9, 10, and 11th at Klamath Falls. Over 400 delegates are expected to attend one of the biggest and busiest state conventions ever held.

"The Ramparts We Build" is the theme for the 1952-53 program, discussion of which is to be a principal purpose of the convention. Over-all plans for the coming year's work will be outlined, workshop meetings held, and new officers elected. Highlight of the convention will be the banquet on Saturday night. Guest speaker will be Miss Hazel Palmer, Sedalia, Mo., attorney-at-law and national public affairs chairman of the Business and Professional Women's Club federation. Sen. Philip Hitchcock will be the main speaker of the Sunday morning meeting, at which new officers and chairmen will be installed and citations and awards made.

The convention will also include debate on items proposed for the new national legislative platform: the registration and draft of women for the armed services, support of universal military training, equal pay laws, jury service for women, and the proposed equal rights amendment to the constitution.

Members of the Medford club who plan to attend the convention include Miss Laura York, second vice-president and nominee for first vice-president of the state federation; Mrs. Florence Lance, federation treasurer; Mrs. Bertha Haskins, state news service chairman; Mrs. Bert Pree, president of the Medford club; Misses Louise Drew, Lucille Lenox, Helen Apple, Mabel Nye, Lotus Eaton and Dana Platz; Mesdames Ethel Schultz, Nellie Wall, Cosette Jones, Beulah Nathan, Pat Beebe, Ethel Tennant, and Bertha McKinney and Alma McIntyre.

### Sorority Chapters Attend Banquet

Beta Sigma Phi chapters from Medford, Grants Pass and Ashland attended a Founder's day banquet held at the Elk's club in Ashland May 2. A program followed the banquet.

Mrs. Charles Ely was mistress of ceremonies and a brief summary was given on the history of the sorority. Presidents of each chapter introduced their new officers for the year.

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### County Agent Talks For Rogue-Elk Group

Trail—Rogue-Elk Home Extension unit, meeting at the A. C. Larson home May 2, heard Miss Eula Wintermore, county agent, talk on "Streamlining Your Housework."

The homemakers learned that they could derive physical benefits from daily chores by maintaining correct postures, and using right methods while working. Good posture makes work easier and pleasant, she said, as well as giving an improved appearance.

Mrs. Larson, unit chairman, reported that plans for the community project, making toys for underprivileged children, were going forward and that two meetings would be held each month. One will be a night meeting in order that men may participate.

The unit plans to purchase a CARE food package as its contribution to ACWW activity. The unit's square dances, under the direction of Mrs. Larson,

will be continued throughout the summer, with the fourth Saturday of each month as the date of meeting.

Government economists expect demands for coke to reach 84 million tons per year by June, 1953.

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