

Parties Planned By Parents' Club

The first in a series of card parties to be sponsored by St. Mary's Parents' club is announced for Wednesday, November 10, at 8 p.m., at the Catholic church parish hall. The events are open to the public.

Canasta, pinochle and bridge will be played and refreshments will be served during the evening.

The committee women are Mrs. Arnold Depner, Mrs. Jack Van Dyck, Mrs. Laurence Espey and Mrs. Maurice Reavis, decorations; Mrs. Irving La Bar, Mrs. William Fisher, and Mrs. Elie Naugier, refreshments; Mrs. Lloyd Roberts and Mrs. William Luman, publicity; and Mrs. Arthur Farra and Mrs. Harvey Pavlat, cleanup.

Reservations are not necessary but may be made by calling Mrs. Espey, telephone 2-6075.

Travel Program Planned for Club

The Retired Teachers association members will hear Mrs. Ivah Murray and Miss Amy Harding tell of their recent trip to the British isles when they meet Monday, November 8, at 1:30 p.m. The meeting is to be held at Girls Community club and the speakers will show pictures of the trip.

All former school teachers are invited.

MEETING ANNOUNCED FOR WANDERERS' CLUB

The monthly meeting of Wanderers' club will be held at the home of Mrs. John Fugill, 325 West Third street, Monday, November 8, at 8 p.m.



Miss Janet Monia (Brainerd photo)

Janet Rae Monia, Christian Minister To Wed in Spring

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence V. Monia, 711 King street, Medford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Janet Rae, to John Edwin Piper, son of the Rev. and Mrs. William Piper, The Dalles, Ore.

Miss Monia, a graduate of Medford High school in 1952, is now in her second year at Northwest Christian college, Eugene.

Mr. Piper, a graduate from Northwest Christian college in 1954, was ordained to the ministry in June at The Dalles. He is now assistant pastor at the First Christian church in Wenatchee, Washington.

Union Asks Donations For Children

Members of Medford Women's Christian Temperance union will devote the November meeting, set for Thursday, November 11, to the interests of the Children's Farm home, Corvallis, which the Oregon WCTU owns and supports. Thursday's meeting will be at 2 p.m. at Girls Community club.

The home, operated in Oregon since 1923, at that time had two cottages and could care for 40 children. It now has nine standard cottages and one emergency cottage, and can care for 186 children. Located on 285 acres of land, the home is open to children between the ages of 5 and 17 who by some misfortune have been deprived of their natural homes.

The home has its own accredited school, conducts non-denominational Christian services and in general provides a home "where honor, truth, industry and loyalty to God and man are taught..."

Local union members each year provide Christmas gifts for the children at the home. For girls articles of clothing, manicure equipment, girlish cosmetics, soap and perfume, hair ribbons, clips and curlers, crocheting and embroidery thread, patterns, sewing kits or dolls are suggested.

For boys such gifts as clothes, wallets, billfolds, shaving sets, shop tools or athletic equipment are needed. For either boys or girls articles suggested are art and handcraft material, musical instruments in good condition, Girl or Boy scout equipment, dentifrices, combs, brushes, pen or pencil sets, stationery, books, diaries, zipper notebooks, skates or fishing tackle.

For the home the director suggests bedding towels, napkins, yardage, aprons, attractive children's pictures, rugs or bath mats, small suitcases, pottery articles, flower containers, bulbs, plants or seeds, lamps, bedside stands or other furniture, or electric equipment.

Good used clothing is always acceptable. It is stated, and gifts of money are always appreciated.

It is pointed out that several Jackson county children are always at the home, and that donations of any kind from citizens or groups will be appreciated by the local union.

For Thursday's meeting Mrs. Sander will give devotions and Mrs. Ernest Santo will provide music. Mrs. Eva Low is refreshment chairman.

A parfait for dessert. Fill glasses with pistachio and vanilla ice cream. Garnish with orange and raspberry sherbet. Have these on hand in bulk form and store in the freezing compartment of your refrigerator.



Miss Mary Conn

Announce Trothal Of Arizona Girl To Milton Loros

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Conn, 413 West MacArthur street, Tucson, Ariz., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Adeline Conn, to aviation Cadet Milton A. Loros, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Loros, 1862 Delta Waters rd., Medford.

Miss Conn attended Tucson Senior High School, and is now enrolled in the American School in Chicago.

Cadet Loros, a graduate of Medford High school, is stationed at Williams Air Force Base near Chandler, Ariz., where he is undergoing jet pilot training.

The wedding is being planned for January, following the graduation and commissioning of Cadet Loros.

Hostesses Use Armistice Theme For Club Meeting

"Armistice" was the theme of the decorations for the Sojourners club meeting Thursday. Mesdames E. T. DiVecchio, J. H. Parker and J. Weedle were the hostesses.

Flags and miniature military figures were used as centerpiece for each table and flags with flowers and candles decorated the luncheon table. Flags of all nations were displayed.

Mrs. M. H. Parsons and Mrs. George Modoff became members and Mrs. Malcolm Hall was a prospective member present.

Mrs. Lottie Ransdell had as her guest, Mrs. L. Standly of Klamath Falls. Birthday greetings were extended to Mrs. DiVecchio and prizes were won by Mrs. C. M. Lee and Mrs. R. McNeil.

A miscellaneous auction was conducted with Mrs. S. D. Earhart as auctioneer.

Cards were played with Mrs. L. E. Juniper and Mrs. H. T. Boyd winning the bridge awards; and Mrs. A. J. Marineau and Mrs. J. H. Parker won the pinochle prizes.

Canasta winners were Mrs. H. W. Sturgeon and Mrs. A. L. McClure.

The next meeting will be held November 18 at the Medford hotel.

Tell Engagement Of Miss Hevelin, James Metternich

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hevelin, 609 West Thirteenth street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Hevelin, to James G. Metternich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant J. Metternich, 1109 West Main street.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Hevelin is sophomore at Medford Senior High school. Her fiancé is a graduate of the same school.

Farewell Dinner Honors Woman

Jacksonville—A farewell dinner party Thursday evening honored Mrs. Helen Sanford, who left Friday with her daughter, Kathleen, to live in Los Angeles. The event was held at Kim's restaurant, South Pacific highway.

During the evening she was presented a corsage from Miss Mary Berriman and Mrs. Donald Sanford, who were unable to attend the party.

At the dinner in addition to the honored guest, were Mrs. Job Berriman, Mrs. E. O. Graham, Mrs. Woodrow McCormick, Mrs. Elmer Adams, Mrs. Floyd Wyatt, Mrs. Bryan Sanford, Mrs. H. W. Edwards, Mrs. Alta Solomon and Mrs. Charles P. McBeth.

During the week Mrs. Sanford also was presented a gift from members of the Jacksonville Royal Neighbors lodge and the Brownie troop of which Kathleen Sanford was a member presented her a farewell gift.

Roses To Be Topic Of Phoenix Club

Phoenix — Phoenix Garden club will meet Friday, November 12, at 1 p.m. at the Community club building in Phoenix. Hostesses are Mrs. Walter Germer and Mrs. Walter Grochowski.

Mrs. George Crawford will be in charge of a program on "Roses—Fall Care and Pruning." Mrs. Charles W. Lewis will bring the flower arrangement for the month.

About 80 per cent of Costa Rico's cultivated land is in small holdings of from 10 to 100 acres.

Embossing Metal Topic for Groups

Four home extension units have scheduled meetings this week. "Embossing Metal" will be the project for all.

Members of the Medford unit will meet Wednesday, November 10, at 10:30 a.m. at the Community building at Priddy street and McAndrews road.

Each one attending is asked to take leather modeling tools or the following items, hard lead pencil, orangewood stick or tongue depressor, sandpaper, steel wool, 18-inch square of glass or wood for working surface, 18-inch square of outing flannel, 12-inch square of soft wood, scissors for cutting heavy paper, modeling clay, masking tape, small brush, rags and a picture to be used for the project.

Luncheon will be served at noon and table service is required. Child care will be provided.

Oak Grove—Mrs. Fred Sander, 408 Oak Grove road, will be hostess to the Oak Grove unit members Tuesday, November 9. Those attending are to take table service for a luncheon which will be served by Mrs. E. G. Trowbridge, Mrs. Roy Elmgren and Mrs. Richard Wilson. For information concerning child care members should call Mrs. G. W. Kellington, 87 Perrydale avenue.

Howard—Mrs. Verl Walker, 2642 Merriman road, will be hostess to the Howard unit members Wednesday, November 10, at 10:30 a.m. Child care will be at the home of Mrs. Malcolm McCarty, 2618 Table Rock road.

Anyone interested in becoming a member is invited.

Eagle Point—Mrs. A. T. Wat-tenberg and Mrs. Vernon Bonebrake will be in charge of the project for the Eagle Point Extension unit meeting Wednesday, November 10, at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Stanley. The session opens at 10:30 a.m.

Each member having extra flower bulbs from their garden is asked to take them to the meeting for an exchange.

Children will be cared for by Mrs. R. G. Mosby, South B street, Eagle Point.

Willow Springs—The members of the Willow Springs unit have set their meeting for 10 a.m., Friday, November 12, at the Willow Springs Community club house. All women interested are invited. Table service is required.

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MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—FIVE

Home No Place For Vogue-ism Says Decorator

By GAY PAULEY

United Press Correspondent
New York—(U.P.)—Let fashion have its Christian Dior and the other designers who constantly must create something new. There is no room for fads in home furnishings.

So says Melanie Kahane, a young and pretty New York decorator, who decries the way "fadism" is foisted on the housewife.

"Such fads," she said, as black wrought iron all over the place, venetian blinds, glass brick, mobiles.

"Leave the vogue-isms to fashion. They're too expensive for furniture."

But the changes, Miss Kahane said, should come about logically, as industry makes technological advances, as our economy changes, as our way of living alters.

"Such changes are healthy," she said, in an interview. "They are not whimsical as fashion can be."

The designer, a vice-president of the American Institute of Decorators, applauded such trends as those which have done away with the front parlor for show and have made every room in the house one for living; the elimination of the dining room, which she said cost too much to furnish for what use the family made of it; and the elimination of inside barriers.

"I don't mean lack of walls," she said. "I refer to the openness and airiness of today's homes. People have re-discovered bare floors and big windows."

Miss Kahane, who once used grey flannel for the wall-covering of a man's study, said today's housewife has greater chance for individuality in the home than ever before.

"First off," she said, "her taste is better than ever. And there are so many new materials to work with—the plastics, new wood finishes and metals, the washability and serviceability of fabrics and paints."

"And above all, there's color—colors to work with as never before. Use of color is the cheapest way to redecorate."

Miss Kahane has started some unusual color trends. She has combined pink and orange for pleasing and dramatic results, and set a bunch of women to copying when she came out with a black, white and orange color scheme for a living room.

Butte Falls PTA Plans Open House

Butte Falls — Open house will be the feature of a meeting of Butte Falls Parent-Teacher association set for 8 p.m. Monday, November 8. Parents are invited to visit their children's class rooms after which a short business meeting will be held in the high school auditorium. Refreshments will be served by mothers of high school students.



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