

College to Give Gilbert-Sullivan Operetta in Spring

Ashtand — Plans have been laid at Southern Oregon college for a college-community presentation of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta "The Mikado" March 3, 4, and 5, 1955.

The production chairman, Miss Helene Robinson, states tryouts for performers will be held during the week of November 29 at the college with the auditions to be judged by members of the music faculty. Performers, insofar as possible, will be chosen from college students. Townspeople will also be urged to participate in the production.

Committee assignments were announced by Miss Robinson. Musical work will be under her direction and that of Glenn Matthews, Oscar Bjorlie and Mrs. Caroline Werner with technical assistance from Miss Mildred Peck and Dorothy Stolz.

Dances will be directed by Miss Beverly Bennett; stage sets are to be prepared by Otto Wilda and Ralph Burgess; and costumes to be handled by Mr. Burgess and Stafford Thomas. Working on makeup problems will be Miss Peck, Miss Stolz, and Mrs. Werner. College alumni and local contacts for the production will be handled by Bill Hansen and business manager will be Don Lewis. Publicity director for the show will be DeWayne Johnson.

Postpone Meeting

Jackson County Republican Women will meet Monday, November 22, rather than November 15, the usual meeting time, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. Stephen G. Nye, president of the organization.

Methodists Announce Appointment Of Organist, 'Evening of Music'

The appointment of William Edgar Holdridge as organist at the First Methodist church has been announced by church officials.

Mr. Holdridge is a graduate of the University of Minnesota, where he received his bachelor of science degree; the Oberlin Conservatory of Music, where he received the bachelor of music degree; and the graduate school of Columbia university, where he was awarded the master of arts degree. He has pursued



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Song Evangelist

At Phoenix Church

Phoenix — Mrs. Beatrice Yoakum, Medford, is serving as a song evangelist at the Phoenix Church of the Nazarene during services which will be conducted through Nov. 21.

The Rev. T. H. Stanley is the speaker. Services are scheduled each evening at 7:30 p. m. The Rev. W. V. McArthur is pastor of the church.

Church of God Speakers Slated

The Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Patterson, longtime missionaries to the Spanish speaking people in Texas and Old Mexico, are to be the guest speakers at the First Church of God, Haven and Holly sts., Sunday, Nov. 14, at 7:30 p. m.

The Pattersons have assisted in many mission stations and are familiar with the life of the Spanish speaking people. They have lived many years in and near Old Mexico. They will show colored slides of their church work.

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Program Given At Camp White

"Parade of Memories" was the theme of the program presented by the Eve Prentice Accordion band Monday evening in the theater at Camp White.

The stage was arranged with a candle-light banquet table around which were seated members of Medford Last Man's club. Background music was played by Sandra Buxton, Sharon Roberts, Oleta Walden, Karen Britton, Margie Hall and Mrs. Prentice.

"Memories" and World War I music introduced Gerald Fanger, wearing a World War I Army uniform loaned by Col. W. H. Paine. Lynn Miller, wearing a Marine corps uniform loaned by Richard Schultz, paraded to the music of the Marine hymn and Richard Cooper, dressed in an authentic sailor suit of World War I loaned by James Wicker, paraded to the music of "Anchors Aweigh."

Joe Bailey, wearing an Air Force uniform also supplied by James Wicker, paraded to the music of the Air Corps song. "Memories" was played as interlude music throughout the scene.

To close the presentation men of the Last Man's club stood and gave a salute to their departed comrades, with Richard Schulz and Merrill Beneka leading. Mr. Schulz then gave a history of the club, and each member present spoke briefly of his military service.

A march medley was played as the curtain closed.

Chancel Choir Plans Concert Sunday Night

The Chancel choir of First Methodist church will present a concert of sacred music Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. C. R. Adamson will direct the choir members, with William Edgar Holdridge at the organ, and Miss Elizabeth Shields at the piano. The choir will sing a Bach chorale, "O, Rejoice, Ye Christians Loudly," the anthem, "Hide Not Thy Face" by Farrant, an arrangement of scriptural words set to the Beethoven "Moonlight Sonata," with organ and piano accompaniment; a Thanksgiving anthem entitled "Our God Is a Rock," by K. K. Davis; and "The Heavens Are Telling" from Haydn's oratorio, "The Creation."

A double quartet from the choir will also present an unusual arrangement of the hymn, "Now Thank We All Our God," with contrasting accompaniment of organ and piano, using a Bach chorale.

Assisting on the program will be the ladies triple trio from First Presbyterian church, directed by Mrs. Harvey Field Jr., with Mrs. H. L. Drew at the piano. The trio will sing a Negro spiritual, "Lift Thine Eyes" from "The Elijah" by Mendelssohn, and "Great Is Thy Love" by Carl Bohm.

Violin numbers will be given by John Drysdale of Medford High school faculty, accompanied by John Lusk, and a group of organ numbers will feature the church organist, William Edgar Holdridge, a member of the Ashtand public school faculty.

The public is cordially invited to attend the concert, and a coffee hour which will be held in Wesley hall immediately following.

Two Women Join Rogue River Club; Program Presented

Rogue River — Mrs. Hayden Williams and Mrs. Harold Dunham became members of Laurel Garden club at the last meeting.

It was held in the home of Mrs. Frank Stamm, with dessert served at 1 p. m.

Other visitors present were Mrs. E. E. Lapham and Mrs. Demery.

Mrs. Gus Ruehling, chaplain, led the group in prayer and Mrs. Charles Babcock, president, conducted the meeting.

Mrs. William White read an article on conservation and Mrs. S. Combs reported on road side cleanup.

Mrs. Jim Whipple, horticulture chairman, displayed chrysanthemums brought by herself and Mrs. Shock, and Mrs. White spoke on the care of camellias. Mrs. Shock demonstrated the use of bamboo to strengthen stems in flower arrangements.

Mrs. Claire Douglas demonstrated the making of Christmas bells from can lids and said these were useful as outdoor decorations.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party December 1 with other garden clubs, and a special meeting will be held December 9 to make wreaths and swags. Those attending are asked to take a sack lunch.

Show to Have Holiday Theme

A holiday theme has been chosen for the Crater Lions' auxiliary fashion show and dinner to be given Tuesday, November 16, in the Pioneer room of the Jackson hotel.

Latest fashions for men, women and teenagers will be shown. Costume accessories and gifts for the family are to be displayed.

Auxiliary members hope to make the holiday fashion show an annual event to aid them in welfare projects. Oregon's state school for the blind is the state philanthropy for Oregon Lions, and the various clubs also do local service work. Thanksgiving and Christmas are busy times for Crater Lions' auxiliary as the members supply needy families with food and clothing. At Christmas time toys and gifts are also given.

Reservations for the auxiliary's fashion show may be made by calling Mrs. Lloyd Evans, 2-9881.

Medford Student To Be Featured In Band Concert

Keith Mirick, Medford, will be one of the featured musicians in a concert to be given tonight by the Willamette university band as one of the opening events of the university's 33rd annual Homecoming week-end.

Young Mirick is a member of the band's trumpet trio which will play "The Three Cardinals." Other member of the trio are David Doerksen and Lawrence Kimble, both of Salem.

Young Mirick is a son of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Mirick, 509 West Eleventh street.

SOC Students Elect Officers

Ashtand — Mrs. Norma John Martin and Miss Clarice Chapman have been elected to vacant student body offices at Southern Oregon college.

Mrs. Martin was named first vice-president by the students while Miss Chapman was installed as the new secretary.

Mrs. Martin is a 1951 graduate of Roseburg high school and is a senior in teacher education. Miss Chapman, a sophomore in teacher education, was graduated from North Bend high school in 1953.

CALENDAR

Friday
6:30 p. m. — Shipmates class. First Methodist church, at church.

7:30 p. m. — Pocahontas lodge. Redman hall; card party at 8:30 p. m.

7:30 p. m. — Roxy Ann Gem and Mineral club, Girls Community club.

Saturday
9:45 a. m. — Junior Degree of Honor Junior club, Lincoln gymnasium.

12:30 p. m. — Zuleima temple. Daughters of the Nile, Medford Masonic temple.

6:30 p. m. — Canton, Siskiyou and auxiliary, Patriarchs Militant, IOOF hall.

You can clean porcelain with salt sprinkled on a flannel cloth.

Rose to Conduct Portland Concert

David Rose, internationally known composer and conductor, will direct the Portland Symphony orchestra in a special "Pops" concert November 19 at 8:30 p. m. in Portland auditorium.

Mr. Rose will present a program of symphonic favorites, a varied selection of his own arrangements and compositions.

As a conductor, Mr. Rose was the first musician to employ the echo chamber, attaching a tonal effect which became the basis of an entire new school of popular music. After success with his echo chamber effect on radio, Mr. Rose adapted it to recording and introduced it in what became one of his most successful records, "Holiday for Strings", his original composition.

Tickets for the Rose concert are on sale at J. K. Gill box office.

Jacksonville PTA Meets Wednesday

Jacksonville — Jacksonville Parent-Teacher association made tentative plans to purchase a record player for the new grade school at a meeting Wednesday night at the high school. Plans were made also to purchase pictures for the various rooms.

Carl Totman, science instructor, dismissed the science courses offered Jacksonville students. The program also included singing by Betty and Phyllis Stevens. Mrs. Rupert Maddox was the piano accompanist.

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