

Carriers, Auxiliary Meet in Medford; Officers Attend

About 40 members attended a district meeting of Oregon State association of Letter Carriers and auxiliary held here November 13. State officers here for the occasion were Mrs. Edna Caldwell, Klamath Falls, president of the state auxiliary; Mrs. Larry Rose, Medford, treasurer of the state auxiliary, and Larry Rose, a member of the state executive board of letter carriers.

Honored guests from out of this district who were at the sessions were Charles N. Coyle, Portland, a member of the board of directors of the national sick benefit association, and Edward Hitchens, Corvallis, president of the Oregon State association.

Other members attending from this district were Robert Caldwell, Klamath Falls, Mr. and Mrs. George Mason, Ashland, Arthur Strunk, Loren Beheymer and Jack Brown, all from Grants Pass.

Mr. Rose called on Mr. Hitchens and Mr. Coyle to speak to organizational work in state and the group and they told of organizational work in state and national levels, pointed out the problems and how to meet them.

The Medford chapter and auxiliary were hosts and women of the Medford group served a potluck dinner. Mrs. Walter L. Wilson and her committee had charge of the dinner.

Kell Ensemble To Play Here

Reginald Kell, world-famous clarinetist from whom even Benny Goodman takes lessons in classical technique, will play in Medford Thursday, December 2, with his instrumental ensemble. The concert is second in the annual series of Jackson County Civic Music association.

Formerly first clarinetist with Sir Thomas Beecham's London Philharmonic orchestra, Mr. Kell made his New York debut as soloist in 1948. He has since appeared as soloist with many orchestras and smaller ensembles, and has been acclaimed as one of the great Mozart interpreters of our time. He has recorded extensively for Columbia and Decca.

Mr. Kell brings with him Joan Rowland, Canadian pianist, Melvin Ritter, violinist, and Aaron Shapinsky, cellist, each of whom is a concert artist in his own right.

"An amazingly rich variety of beautiful music can be presented by these four instruments," Mr. Kell states. "If we play nine or ten numbers in a concert, we may have seven or eight different combinations. There is certainly no chance for monotony."

A distinctive feature of concerts by the Reginald Kell players is what might be called an after-the-concert music party or epilogue, in which Mr. Kell introduces his associates informally, and presents them in a series of unprogrammed solos or other numbers.

In California

Mr. and Mrs. Sharon Eichberger and son, Stephen, 2968 Jacksonville highway, left Wednesday afternoon for Sacramento, Calif., to spend the Thanksgiving weekend with Mrs. Eichberger's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis.

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VFW, Auxiliary Announces Events In Coming Weeks

Shady Cove — Coming events were planned and announced at the last meeting of Steelhead auxiliary, Veterans of Foreign Wars. Mrs. Frank Busch, president, conducted the session.

All auxiliary members were urged to attend a party to be given in their honor by their adopted veteran, Tommy Thompson, at the Camp White domiciliary November 29 at 7:30 p. m.

A "pill pal" party December 15 in the afternoon and a children's party and Christmas tree December 18 were announced. A meeting December 17 will be an open session, preceded by a potluck dinner at 7 p. m. Each person attending is to take a 50-cent gift.

Plans were made for a Thanksgiving dinner at the Post home. Mrs. Reed McKay was chairman.

Mrs. Gene House announced that the next sewing meeting would be December 1 from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Club Announces Winners Scores For Tournament

Camp White—Mrs. T. J. Fuson and Roy Pruitt won the open pairs tournament held last weekend by the Camp White Veterans' Bridge club. Their overall score for the two sessions was 308 points.

Second was taken by George Rode and B. L. Sanderson, who scored 302½ points, and third went to the William Kennedys, who score 300. Mrs. Frank R. Baker and Al Gilhouse took fourth with 289½ points, and fifth went to Mrs. Sanderson and T. J. Fuson with 283½ points. Mrs. B. B. Hughes and William Isaacs were sixth with 276 points.

First session winners and scores were Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, first, 175½; Mr. Rode and Mr. Sanderson, 169, second; Mrs. Howard Boyd and William Hickey, third, 152 points; Mrs. Fuson and Mr. Pruitt, fourth, 150½ points; Mrs. Hughes and Mr. Isaacs, fifth, 145½ points; and Mrs. Choates tied for fifth and sixth with 143½ points.

Second session winners were Mrs. Fuson and Mrs. Pruitt, first, 157½ points; Mrs. Sanderson and Mr. Fuson, second, 135; Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Gilhouse, third, 134; Mrs. Roy Pruitt and Mrs. Fred Purdin, fourth, 130½ points; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Love, fifth, 124½; Mr. Rode and Mr. Sanderson tied with Mrs. R. J. Conroy and Mr. Gilhouse for sixth, 122½ points.

E. K. Ricker is president of the club, and Roy Pruitt is tournament director.

A buffet supper followed Saturday evening's play. A Thanksgiving theme was used for table decorations, arranged by Mrs. Alto Pruitt. Mrs. Baker was chairman of the supper committee and was assisted by Mrs. Roy Pruitt, Mrs. Fuson, Mrs. Conroy and Mrs. Alto Pruitt.

Visits Sons

Mrs. Marjorie Green, 805 Cedar street, left Wednesday for San Francisco to visit for the week end with her sons, Harmon Green Jr., and Charles Green, both University of California students. They were guests of friends at San Jose for Thanksgiving day.

Announce Practice For Junior Bethel

Choir members and officers of the junior Bethel, Job's Daughters, are to meet at the Masonic temple Saturday, November 27, at 1:30 p. m. for practice.

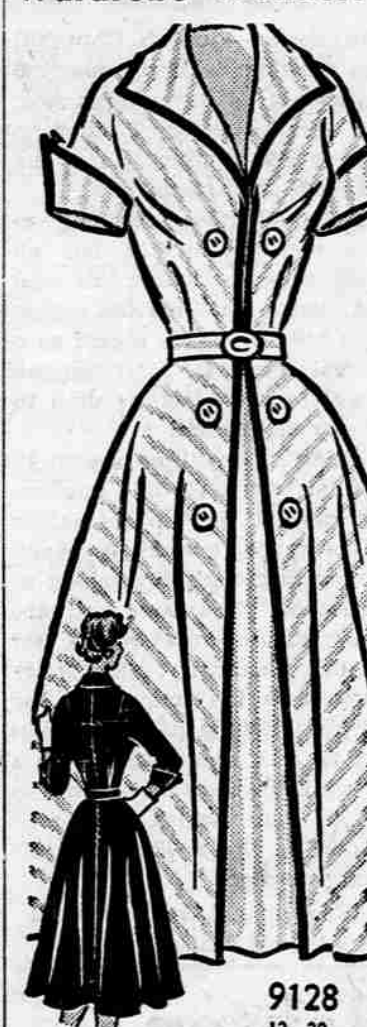
Initiation was held for Mrs. Zella Tullis, Trail, and the membership application of Mrs. Marion Otis, Shady Cove, was accepted.

It was reported that the party held November 13 was successful, with dancing and games enjoyed by a large number.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. Mary Loper and Reed McKay.

Next meeting of the post and auxiliary will be December 4.

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Session Planned By OEA Council

A special meeting of the executive council of Jackson county unit, Oregon Education association, has been called for Tuesday, November 30, at 7:30 p. m. in the office of the county school superintendent.

Mrs. Maxine Smith, president of the unit, states that purpose of the meeting is to instruct delegates who will attend the representative assembly of OES in the near future. The assembly is the policy-making body of OEA.

Mrs. Smith states that all teachers are invited to attend and that representatives of all teacher organizations should be present.

Gardeners Meet In Rogue River; Party Announced

Rogue River — A well attended meeting of Rogue River Garden club was held recently at the home of Mrs. Willard Tenney. The co-hostesses, Mrs. Cameron Parr and Mrs. Phil Strahan, served dessert to 22 members and one guest, Mrs. Marie Terpenning.

Roll call was answered with garden tips. These included: A general rule for separating plants which bloom in the spring is to separate them in the fall; dahlias may be dug up or allowed to remain in the ground; mix peat moss and bone meal in soil for bulbs; cut peonies at ground level, cover with ashes and in spring remove mulch and give a Bordeaux treatment; paint tools with a vivid color so when loaned out the borrower will be reminded that they do not belong to him; store gladiolus after corns are dusted with chlordane or DDT; bulbs may be planted as late as February, especially tulips and hyacinths; a branch of spirea dipped in liquid starch, sprinkled with snow, hung up to dry and then trimmed with tiny ornaments, makes an attractive decoration; cut off old stock of snapdragons when new shoots appear four to five inches high and new blooms will soon appear; oak leaves should not be cultivated around camellias as reported in last garden club publicity notes, but should be left banded up around plant at the base.

The conservation chairmanship was accepted by Mrs. Andrew J. Guffin. The program chairman, Mrs. Bede Davis, is to be assisted by Mrs. Paul Hughes, and the chaplain is Mrs. James Whipple.

The Christmas party will be December 13 instead of on regular meeting date, at the home of Mrs. Sam Bellah, Chairman for the day will be Mrs. Hayden Williams assisted by Mrs. Harold Dunham and Mrs. Everett Lapham. Gifts costing not over sixty cents will be exchanged.

Mrs. Lapham read the "Legend of the Lily of the Valley." A workshop for the purpose of making swags for Camp White and wreaths for personal use will be held at the home of Mrs. E. W. Shock, December 9 at 10 a. m. Members are to take a sack lunch and coffee will be served.

A cooked food and rummage sale will be held at Stamm's Feed and Seed store December 11. Members are to take rummage to Mrs. Hughes' home. Mrs. Hughes displayed a carnation rose brought from Watsonville in the Redwoods. She mentioned La Marne, which blooms all year; Margo Koster, which draws more attention than any other rose; baby gold star, a favorite of old rose collectors; pink crested moss rose; crimson glory, peace and apricot Cecil Brunner.

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