

Virginia Dodd, Glenn Benham To Marry Soon

Central Point—Mr. and Mrs. Lamar H. Dodd, route 2, Central Point, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Virginia Dodd, to Glenn Harold Benham, Eureka, Calif. The wedding is planned for the near future.

The engagement was revealed January 15 during a party in Medford given by friends of the couple.

Miss Dodd attended Crater high school and her fiancé is employed by Timber Incorporated, in Eureka. The couple will live near Eureka.

Former Residents Jackson County Mark Anniversary

Jacksonville—Old time residents of the valley will be interested in news of the 50th wedding anniversary observance of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Wolgamott, early day Jackson county couple. The couple has lived for about 15 years at Twin Rocks on the coast. The observance was held there Christmas day at the home of Mrs. Wolgamott's sister, Mrs. Etta Gunster.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolgamott were married at a home which was on Old Stage road, now the Michael Beck property, and in succeeding years the couple lived in various parts of the valley.

Mr. Wolgamott was born near Jacksonville. His parents had come here by wagon train in 1862 and they lived in Jacksonville until their deaths many years later.

Mrs. Wolgamott is the former Emma Oglesby, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Oglesby were pioneer settlers of the west. Her mother, Mary Armstrong Oglesby, was brought to Jacksonville in 1852 as a child of two years. Roscoe Oglesby arrived first at Cottage Grove in 1853 at the age of 16. In later years he became one of the first trustees of Oregon State college. He also was a minister.

At the celebration at Twin Rocks honoring Mr. and Mrs. Wolgamott were their two sons and two daughters. They are Walter Wolgamott, who came from Texas; Elvin Wolgamott, who was there from Eagle Point with his wife; Mrs. Bert Hartley, with her husband and two children, from Carywood, Ida.; and Mrs. Walter Randolph, with Mr. Randolph and their children, from Nehalem, Ore. Also there were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Braack and Bill Wolgamott; also five great-grandchildren.

Auxiliary-Guild Names Chairmen

New committee chairmen for St. Mark's auxiliary guild were announced last week and plans are being made for a luncheon meeting at 12:30 p. m., Friday, January 28, for members of the group.

The chairmen are Mrs. John Mann and Mrs. Lewis Wayburn, bazaar; Mrs. H. Gates, Council of Church Women; Mrs. W. B. Clegg, devotions; Mrs. Earl Tummy, hospitality; Mrs. J. C. Deaver, Mrs. R. V. Rickard and Mrs. G. F. Reigel, house committee; Mrs. Edith Garrett, missions; Mrs. F. D. Applin and Mrs. Margaret Fabrick, missionary box.

Mrs. R. K. Bailey, program; Miss Jane Sneider, publicity; Mrs. Ira Canfield and Mrs. H. C. Goldsmith, rummage; Mrs. M. M. Caldwell, telephone; Mrs. H. C. Beeler, W.T.O.; Mrs. Mann and Mrs. Gates, visiting; and Mrs. George R. V. Bolster, wedding.

Hostesses for the luncheon meeting Friday will be Mrs. Clegg, Mrs. Y. M. Dalen and Mrs. H. C. Beeler. Miss Amy Harding who resigned as recording secretary, has been replaced by Mrs. C. I. Drummond.

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Miss Patricia Reich (Brainard photo)

Patricia Reich, John Rutherford Engaged to Wed

Announced last week was the engagement of Miss Patricia Diann Reich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodson L. Reich, 1173 Casino road, to Johnny C. Rutherford, son of Mrs. Louise Rutherford, 103 Genessee street. Mr. and Mrs. Reich made the announcement.

Miss Reich is a senior at Medford Senior high school. Her fiancé is an airman third class in the Air Force and he is stationed at Parks Air Force base in California.

No wedding date has been set.

Nigls Announce Engagement of Daughter, Airman

Mr. and Mrs. Herman J. Nigl, 53 North Orange street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Shirley Nigl, to James W. Hill. Mr. Hill, airman first class in the United States Air Force, is a son of Mrs. Oscar W. Swanson, Central Point, and Mr. Hill of Gibbonsville, Ida.

Miss Nigl is a senior in Medford High school. Her fiancé is stationed at Fairchild Air Force base, Washington.

No date has been set for the wedding.



Miss Shirley Nigl (Brainard photo)

Annual Installation Ceremony Held by USWV Camp, Auxiliary

Department Commander O. F. Gullickson and Mrs. Gullickson, Mrs. Frank Pendergrass, department president, and Past Department Commander Pendergrass, all of Portland, were guests of Colonel Sargent camp and auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans, for a meeting and installation of officers Sunday afternoon, January 16, at the Redman hall.

Commander Gullickson installed the new commander of the camp, Robert Wilcox, Ashland, and his staff of officers. Mr. Pendergrass was master of ceremonies.

Mrs. James Cech, new president of the auxiliary, and her officers were installed by Mrs. Pendergrass. New officers include senior vice-president, Mrs. William Hodgson; junior vice-president, Mrs. Marian Parker; chaplain, Mrs. Bertha Nelson; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Frank Widner; historian, Mrs. Ralph Atwood; conductors, Mrs. Hans Rammin and Mrs. Harry W. Barneburg; guards, Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston and Mrs. Don Anderson; secretary, Mrs. Ruth MacCollister; treasurer, Mrs. Winifred Vall; musician, Mrs. Mildred Tolle; colors, Mrs. Audley White, Mrs. Mable Nicholson, Mrs. Z. N. Agee, Mrs. Ida Hollars and Mrs. Rosa Young.

Over fifty members and their guests were served dessert by Mrs. Frank Widner, and her committee. Mrs. Harry W. Barneburg, past department president, served as toastmistress and Miss Donna Unger sang.

Guests included Miss Virginia Wallis, president of Rogue River auxiliary of Grants Pass, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wallis, Mrs. Salie Cotter, Mrs. Ted Cotter, Ernest Cotter, Mrs. Katherine Sweetland and Mrs. Hazel Corneiler, Grants Pass, Mrs. Leroy Cline, Mrs. Geneva Schwan, Mrs. Dell Cline and Mrs. A. C. Allen, Medford.

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnstone, gila monster of Cebu swamp, Military Order of the Lizards, announced that the next meeting would be held at the home of Mrs. Florenz Breitemeyer in Grants Pass, Sunday afternoon, January 30. A covered dish dinner will be served at noon and Medford members are requested to take salads and desserts. The officers-elect will be installed by Mrs. Don Anderson, grand gila monster, assisted by Mrs. Barneburg, past grand gila monster.

Mothers' Group Installs Officers

Officers of the local chapter of the Blue Star Mothers of America were installed at a meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Olaf Severson, 837 West Second street.

Initiations preceded the installations and becoming new members were Mrs. Selma Rae, Mrs. Katherine Hopkins and Mrs. George Ware.

The new president is Mrs. Fred Middlebush; first vice-president, Mrs. Severson; second vice-president, Mrs. Ware; chaplain, Mrs. Frank Gleaves; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Jennie Pitts, and musician, Mrs. James Cech. Mrs. Cech also was installing officer.

At the business session plans were made for a work meeting to be held February 10, at the home of Mrs. Middlebush.

Those who plan to attend the meeting should take sack lunches, needles, threads and thimbles. The project will be making wool afghans for wheel chair patients at Camp White, from materials furnished by the members.

The hospital committee gave an outline during the recent meeting of their plans for a January party for the shut-in veterans. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Severson assisted by Mrs. Rae and Mrs. Cleve Ferris.

The next regular meeting will be February 14. The place will be announced.

Cotton Lace Curtains Returning to Fashion

Cotton lace curtains are skyrocketing to new fame in home fashions.

Reminiscent of the "good old days," but with an entirely different look, laces and embroideries have been re-discovered by the homemaker, market experts say.

If you take a look at your favorite curtain counter, you'll easily see why there's so much talk going around about something that has been taken for granted heretofore.

New laces are definitely style-conscious, woven in many new patterns and designed with a feel of true elegance. There are new sizes and types that blend with every interior, be it traditional, modern, or provincial.

Keeping step with the popularity of café curtains, many novel laces are offered in this category. Lace tiers are shown with beaded heading and matching panels and valances. There are all-over plaid patterns and even a stylized vine and grape design, a far cry from the traditional look in laces.

Many of these cottons have special finishes which make them stay crisp and wash easily.



Miss Vangie Freed (Landis-Shanghe photo)

Tell Engagement Of Vangie Freed To Waldo Harley

Prospect—The engagement of Miss Vangie May Freed to Waldo Harley Copley was announced last week by Miss Freed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Freed of Prospect. The bridegroom-elect is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Copley, 780 Queen's drive, Medford.

The news first was told at a farewell party for Waldo Copley January 3 at the home of his parents.

No wedding day has been set. The bridegroom-elect left January 4 and now is receiving basic training in the Air Force at Parks Air Force base in California.

The bride-elect is employed at Henry's Driveway restaurant in Medford and she is a Prospect high school graduate. She also attended Northwest Nazarene college at Nampa, Ida.

Her fiancé received his education at the Sandpoint Senior High school at Sandpoint, Ida., where he was graduated.

Lake Creek Unit Holds Meeting At Stanley Home

Lake Creek—Committee reports were made at a meeting of the Lake Creek Home Extension unit held last week at the Stanley home.

Mrs. J. Davidson reported on Associated Country Women of the World and Mrs. Leland Charley spoke regarding the unit sponsoring a young woman at college. Mrs. Wallace Ragdale, program chairman explained program planning for the next year and the finance committee members told of ways and means for raising money.

Mrs. J. D. Arens spoke regarding a three day "disaster relief" and members also were given information regarding biological warfare. Mrs. Davidson and Mrs. Grace Marshall gave a lesson on touching up wood furniture and lunch was served by the hostess and her daughter, Mrs. Larry Perry.

The February unit meeting will be at the C. C. Swagert's home in Antelope.

Mothers to Plan For Kindergarten

West Side—The West Side school kindergarten Mothers club meeting Tuesday, January 25, will be devoted to a discussion of plans for a second semester. The session will open at 9 a.m., and those interested in enrolling children in the kindergarten are asked to call Mrs. John Gates, route 2, box 455, Old Military road, telephone 3-5889.

Meeting Announced For West Side Unit

West Side—Miss Eula Wintermote, county home extension agent, will lead the topic, "Good Weight for Good Health," when members of the West Side Home Extension meet Thursday, January 27 at 10:45 a.m.

The session will be held at the West Side school. Members are invited to take neighbors interested in joining the unit. Table service will be required.

Knights, Pythian Sisters Install Officers for Year

Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters held installation of officers last Monday evening at the Pythian building.

Knights taking office were Walter Ferguson, chancellor commander; Ed Bostwick, vice-chancellor; Jim O'Duane, prelate; John Hibbard, master-of-arms; John Russell, master of work; Tom Davidson, secretary; Ora Meyers, financial secretary; Col. Harold Jordan, treasurer; W. L. Walden, inner guard and Joe Fritsch, outer guard.

John Russell, retiring chancellor commander, was presented a past chancellor's pin and a Knights of Pythias ring.

Installing officers who conducted the ceremony under appointment from Leroy Cline, district deputy grand chancellor, were Harry Bryant, grand installing officer; Carl Fichtner, grand vice-chancellor; Morley Lamp, grand prelate; George Bryant, grand master of work; John Fugill, grand secretary; Mr. Cline, grand master of arms.

Pythian Sisters installed were Mrs. George Thomas, most excellent chief; Mrs. Mildred Tolle, excellent senior; Miss Florence Baine, excellent junior; Mrs. Ed Bostwick, manager; Mrs. John Russell, secretary; Mrs. Floyd Murray, treasurer; Mrs. Audley White, protector, and Mrs. James Cech, guard. All the officers were presented corsages.

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Refreshments were served at the close of the evening by Mrs. Polly Offutt, Mrs. Fugill and Mrs. Carl Fichtner.

Grade Teachers To Hold Meeting

Medford Grade Teachers association members will meet Monday, January 24, at 7:30 p.m., at Washington school. "Benefits of OEA," will be the topic of William Ruch of the Phoenix school system, who will speak at the meeting. Miss Laura York, music instructor at Washington school, and Miss Anna Laura Honts of the Lincoln school faculty will both speak regarding OEA council meetings which they have attended.

An exhibition of square dancing will be on the program.

Golden Link Class Announces Meeting

Golden Link Bible class of First Baptist church will hold the monthly social and study meeting at the home of Mrs. L. J. Knox, 221 Portland avenue, Thursday, January 27, at 1 p.m. The meeting will begin with a dessert luncheon served by the Mesdames W. D. Roberts, E. J. Neumann and Frank Stinson.

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St. Mark's Guild Plans Coffee Hour

St. Mark's Evening guild will meet in the parish house January 24, at 8 p.m. for a coffee hour honoring mothers of the junior church school children.

All mothers of children attending the junior church school are invited to attend.

The program will be under the direction of Mrs. Paul Selby and Mrs. William Newhall, supervisors in the junior school.

Hostesses for the evening are to be Mrs. Robert Voegtly, Mrs. Victor Milnes, Mrs. Don McNeil, Mrs. Robert Rix, Mrs. Fred Carr and Mrs. W. O. Blackledge.

Plans for the annual Shrove Tuesday pancake supper which will be held the evening of February 22 will be announced at the meeting.

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