

Society and Clubs

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Past Presidents Honored by PTA On Founders' Day

Elk-Trail — Six past presidents of Elk-Trail Parent-Teacher association were feted at a Founders' day tea held Friday, February 4 in the recreation room of the school. Past presidents attending were Mrs. Lewis Dusenberry, Mrs. Wilmer Ragsdale, Mrs. Tony Miller, Mrs. Frank Dolenshek, Mrs. Oscar Hanson and Mrs. Harry Harding, who is also a past county president.

Mrs. Harry Harding, Founder's day chairman, explained the meaning and background of Founders' day and compared the National Congress of Parents and Teachers with the "mighty oak tree." The trunk of the oak represents the national organization, the main branches are the state congress; the small limbs are the districts and councils; twigs represent the local associations and the leaves are the individual members.

Mrs. Arthur Humes read several articles from the PTA scrap book and Mrs. Lewis Dusenberry told of her experiences, some humorous, some serious, in early PTA work.

Two vocal numbers were presented by the girls sextette under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Moore.

Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Mrs. Dusenberry, Mrs. Dolenshek and Mrs. Tony Miller.

During a short business meeting Mrs. Evert Cushman, Mrs. Harding and Mrs. Harry Casebier were elected as the nominating committee.

DAV Announces District Session

District No. 5 of the Disabled American Veterans and auxiliary will hold a meeting in Medford Sunday, February 13, in Moose hall, 11 South Newtown street.

A potluck dinner will be served at 12 noon, with members of the auxiliary to Jackson County chapter serving as hostesses. Local members are asked to provide a meat dish for the from a distance will provide other dishes.

A business session for both the men's and women's groups will follow the dinner.

To keep a bowl from slipping while whipping cream, place it on a folded wet towel.

Central Point Women Honored At PTA Session

Central Point — Founders' day was observed at a meeting of Central Point Parent-Teacher Association held February 3 in the library of the Junior High school.

A chorus of sixth, seventh and eighth grade girls, directed by Mrs. Jean Carrothers, and accompanied by Miss Joyce Harger, presented three vocal numbers.

The invocation was given by Mrs. Carl Hover. The president, Mrs. Morris L. Frink, presided at the business meeting which followed. A total of 347 members was reported. The nominating committee to select officers for the coming year was elected. Elected were Mrs. Carl Lichti, Mrs. Clinton Charley and Mrs. A. M. Setness.

Mrs. Eugene Ferrell, vice-president, announced that a safety film would be shown at the March meeting and that the April meeting would be substituted by open house at the school. In honor of Founders' day, some of the past presidents of the Central Point PTA were presented with corsages and introduced. Those attending were Mrs. P. A. Tracy, Mrs. A. T. Lathrop, Mrs. E. C. Faber, Mrs. M. A. Adams, Mrs. C. W. Anhorn, Mrs. C. C. Thompson, Mrs. Julius Dobrot and Mrs. R. E. Watson.

Speaker was H. P. Jewett, superintendent of District No. 6, who spoke on the housing problems confronting school children of this district. With the aid of charts, he showed the immediate need for more rooms and facilities. He stated that he hoped to be able to present a definite proposed plan by the March meeting of the group.

The tea table, decorated with spring blossoms and pussy-willows, was arranged by Mrs. R. J. Pfaff and Mrs. C. W. Anhorn. Mothers of children in the fourth grade served refreshments.

Shipmates Class To Meet Friday

Shipmates class of First Methodist church will hold a potluck dinner, followed by a program and entertainment, Friday, February 11, at 6:30 p.m. at the church. Members are asked to attend and to take friends as guests.



Professor DeWayne Johnson of Southern Oregon college, who is engaged in research work for a doctoral thesis on UNESCO, will speak on this United Nations agency at a meeting tonight in the YMCA building. The session is sponsored by the Medford branch, Oregon United Nations association, and is set for 8 p.m. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

Clinic Worker Shows Film for Ruch Association

Ruch — A film on child emotion was shown by Miss Mary Vandenburg, psychiatric worker for the Southern Oregon Child Guidance clinic, at the last meeting of Ruch Parent-Teacher association. The picture showed causes of fear, anger, jealousy, etc., and ways of preventing some of the problems common in children.

A trial test of a television set for the school showed poor reception, it was reported, and children will continue to have motion pictures for recreation during PTA meetings.

It was voted that the Ruch organization would join Applegate PTA in being host to the county PTA council meeting at Applegate in March or April. The two organizations cooperated in a successful March of Dimes fund-raising campaign last month with a school basketball games as the project.

Mrs. Stanley Larson, president of the group, conducted the business session and read a letter from Medford Altrusa club announcing a \$250 fund available to an older woman wishing to enter or re-enter the business world.

She also announced a homecoming basketball game and dance at Jacksonville this month.

Mrs. Lawrence Snopce, fifth grade room mother, supervised the refreshment period.

Session Planned By Mothers' Club

Griffin Creek — Griffin Creek Mothers' club will meet Friday, February 11, in the school cafeteria at 1:30 p.m.

Plans for the annual smorgasbord and square dance, to be held in March, will be made.

Care will be provided for preschool children, and those needing transportation are asked to call 2-7748.

Refreshments will be served.

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Set a pail of water inside a newly-painted room and the paint odor will disappear faster.

Model's Life Unglamorous; Pretty Face Not Much Asset

By ELIZABETH TOOMEY United Press Correspondent New York — (U.P.) — Thousands of girls each year hear someone say, "you're pretty enough to be a model," and dream of the fame and five-figure income of a top model like Jean Patchett.

But the average onlooker has little idea of what it takes to climb to a \$50-an-hour fee, as Miss Patchett and a handful of other models have done.

"Being pretty has almost nothing to do with it," one top fashion photographer said. "Come along with me for a day," Miss Patchett suggested. "Then you can see for yourself what we do."

She is a tall, willowy blonde who stands five feet nine inches in her stocking feet, weighs 117 pounds and had had no modeling experience when she arrived here from Preston, Md., seven years ago at the age of 21. She married a young banker, Louis Auer, four years ago.

Day Starts At 10 a.m. Jean, accompanied by this reporter, arrived for her first appointment, which was to be a two-hour photography session for a fashion magazine. She had no idea what she'd be wearing.

For the first hour she knelt on a white leather bench in a bathing suit. She changed ex-

pressions often, shifted her position occasionally and never was caught unawares when the camera clicked, although the photographer snapped pictures rapidly with a small camera.

"It may look instinctive, but I learned it by hard work," she said later, changing into a white sharkskin dress.

"The first three months after I came here I didn't work at all. Then I signed with Eileen Ford's agency. She told me to lose weight and one of her other models taught me to put on my eyes. From then on I worked all the time."

By "putting on her eyes," she meant expertly outlining the upturned slant at the corners and using just the right amount of eye shadow. Now she also darkens a natural mole on the corner of her right eye.

"She has a sense of fashion," the photographer said. "She makes a plain white dress look elegant. On another pretty girl it could look like nothing."

"I imagine different situations," Jean explained later. "For that dress I imagined I was walking into a room filled with people, and I was the most elegant woman in the room."

After a calorie-conscious lunch of ground beef, Jean began her afternoon schedule at a second studio.

"For this picture you are to

wrap yourself in a towel and hold the cologne bottle," the photographer said. Jean frowned. She and other top models shun lingerie poses and anything else they think undignified.

"The towel can be up to your shoulders," he added hastily. So she spent the next hour perched uncomfortably on a battered green wooden bench, clutching a giant-sized bath towel around her with one hand and holding a plastic bottle gently next to her cheek. "A top model like Jean has the ability to make any given idiotic pose come to life and look natural," the photographer said.

From there she took a cab — she spends \$30 a week on taxi fares — to another studio to pose in a demure gorgandy dress for a pattern catalogue and finally to a fourth studio to be photographed in spring hats.

Then she went home to their one-bedroom apartment and started dinner — just like a few million other working wives.

CALENDAR

Thursday
8 p.m.—Medford branch, Oregon United Nations association, YMCA.
8 p.m.—Miriam circle, Zion Lutheran church, home of Mrs. Laurence K. Ellison, 793 Marshall ave.
8 p.m.—Reames chapter, OES, Medford Masonic temple.
8 p.m.—Past Noble Grand, club of Olive Rebekah lodge, Girls Community club.
Friday
10 a.m.—Willow Springs Home Extension unit, Community club house.
11 a.m.—Medford Truth Center Unity meeting, Room 203, Holy theater building.
12:30 p.m.—St. Mark's auxiliary-guild, Parish house.
1 p.m.—Phoenix Garden club, Phoenix Community clubhouse.
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