

Five Bethels Hold Meeting For Inspection by Guardian

Central Point—A joint inspection of the Grants Pass, Medford, Ashland, Kerby and Central Point Bethels, International Order of Job's Daughters, was held recently in the Central Point Junior High school gymnasium. The events was termed "Operation Friendship."

Mrs. T. A. Crump, Portland, grand guardian, attended and conducted a school of instruction and practice in the morning. About 150 daughters attended. At noon luncheon was served by Nevita Social club of Central Point, and the inspection ceremonies followed.

Introduced were Miss Edna Neese, queen of the Grants Pass Bethel; Miss Alexa Hibbard, Medford Bethel queen; Miss Beverly Barksdale, Ashland queen; Miss Merrill Simington, Kerby queen and Miss Melva Chew, Central Point queen. Also introduced were Miss Lee Anne Leach, Ashland, and Miss Belva Chew, Central Point, past queens.

Mrs. Crump, who is also supreme chaplain, a past honored queen and past guardian of Bethel 3, Portland, and Glenn Fairfax, Portland, associate grand guardian, were introduced and escorted.

Other special guests included Mrs. C. D. Elhart, Ashland and Mrs. A. J. Young, Roseburg, past grand guardians; Andrew Stevens, Ashland, past associate grand guardian; Mrs. Ward Green, vice-grand guardian; Mrs. Everett Faber, grand guide; Mrs. Conrad Schild, grand marshal; Mrs. Irene Jacobs, grand treasurer; Mrs. Glenn Fairfax, grand chaplain; Mrs. W. S. Spence, Medford, grand second messenger; Roy Colburn, vice-associate grand guardian; Frank Mayes, grand inner guard.

Bethel guardians present were Mrs. W. C. Unrath, Roseburg; Mrs. Earl Wymore, Portland; Mrs. B. H. Mann, Riddle; Mrs. Leslie Hislop, Grants Pass; Mrs. Wallace Brill, Medford; Mrs. J. R. Clary, Ashland; Mrs. Henry Simington, Kerby and Mrs. Richard Stratton, Central Point.

Associate guardians in attendance were Bennett Hill, Grants Pass; Dale Blickenstaff, Medford; Leo Yandell, Kerby and Victor Noel, Central Point. Past guardians attending were Mrs. Floyd Adams, Portland, Mrs. Lew Hammer, Kerby and Mrs. C. L. Chew, Central Point, while past associate guardians present were Mr. Hislop, Grants Pass; Merritt Swing, now worthy patron of Nevita and past associate guardian of the Medford Bethel and Conrad Schild, Portland.

Mrs. Jack Ward, matron of Reames chapter, Medford, and Mrs. Luther Day, matron of Nevita chapter, Central Point, attended.

Each Bethel conducted a specific part of the ceremony, with the Grants Pass members in charge of the opening ceremony; Ashland, escort and roll call; Central Point, initiation; Medford, communications; Kerby, closing ceremony.

The Misses Lee Stotts, Sandra Guss, Rebecca Ferrell, Ellen Ward and Rachel Hamilton, Central Point, and Suzanne Rogers, Prospect, were initiated.

Following the meeting a reception was held which honored Mrs. Everett A. Faber, Central Point, grand guide and charter guardian of the Central Point Bethel, and the Misses Vicki Noel, representative to British Columbia and Nadra Moore, representative to New Mexico.

An addendum was given by all Bethels in honor of Mrs. Crump, and she was presented a gift of money. Mr. Fairfax, associate grand guardian and Frank Mayes, grand inner guard, were presented honorary memberships in the Central Point Bethel.

Miss Barbara Henderson, Central Point, sang and Miss Margaret Selby, Medford, played piano selections.

The program concluded with an addendum honoring Mrs. Faber. Officers of the Central Point Bethel participated, Miss Henderson sang and Mrs. Faber was presented an honorary membership in the Bethel by her daughter, Mrs. Richard Stratton. Queen Melva Chew presented her a bouquet of pink carnations. Decorations were sprays of aqua colored straw flowers ar-

Society

Phoenix Church Women's Group Holds Election

Phoenix—Mrs. Roscoe Owens was elected president of the new Women's association of Phoenix Presbyterian church at a meeting last Sunday.

Mrs. Al Morin was named first vice-president and program chairman; Mrs. Walter Bolz, second vice-president and fellowship chairman; Mrs. Lester Igo, secretary and Mrs. Rex Nicodemus, treasurer.

The new association will meet Wednesday, February 16, at 10 a.m. at the church. Luncheon will be served at noon.

Mrs. Jack Sides, a past president of the Medford association will be present to explain how such groups operate and advise the new organization. Mrs. Roy Martin, Jacksonville, will install the new officers and Mrs. W. M. Poley, Ashland, will dedicate the new group.

All women of the church are cordially invited to attend this important meeting.

It is pointed out that first plans for a sack lunch have been changed, and a planned meal will be served instead. A nursery for small children will be provided.

Last Tuesday Mrs. Owens, Mrs. Morin, Mrs. Igo and Mrs. Nicodemus attended Presbyterian circle meetings in Medford.

State President Council of Blind To Visit Medford

George Howeller, president of the Oregon Associated Council for the Blind, will attend a meeting of the Jackson county chapter of the council Sunday, February 13. It will be held at 2 p.m. in St. Mark's church Guild hall, Fifth and Oakdale streets.

Sam Evans, Jacksonville, president of the Jackson county chapter urges members to attend and states that friends of members or anyone interested in working with the visually handicapped is cordially invited to attend.

A social hour and refreshments will follow the meeting in order that everyone may have an opportunity to meet Mr. Howeller.

Lodge Announces New President; Meeting Planned

Mrs. Serena McMahan was installed president of Medford Degree of Honor lodge recently at a meeting in Ashland when joint installation ceremonies were held with the Ashland lodge.

Mrs. Clara B. Gertson, Portland, state director of the lodge, was installing officer, assisted by Mrs. Harold Elliott, installing past president; Mrs. Esten Krause, installing usher and Miss Adabee Seiler, installing pianist.

Corsages and gifts were presented the installing officers by the Ashland lodge.

Next meeting of the Medford lodge will be Monday, February 14, at 7:45 p.m. in Redman hall on Apple street.

Butte Falls PTA To Meet Monday

Butte Falls—A Founders' day program will highlight a meeting of Butte Falls Parent-Teacher Association Monday, February 14, at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

A silver offering will be taken. These funds are used to promote parent-teacher association units in communities where there are none at the present time.

Refreshments will be served.

Dance Club

Pioneer Square Dance club will meet Saturday, February 12 at 8:30 p.m. at Kershaw's. Potluck refreshments will be served.

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Retired Teachers To Hold Meeting

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Lodge to Honor Charter Members

Gold Hill—Charter members will be honored by Amethyst Rebekah lodge when the group meets Monday, February 14. The three living charter members are Mrs. Carrie Puhl, Gold Hill; Mrs. Katherine Kellogg, Medford, and William Carter, Portland.

Mrs. Cecil Johnson will be in charge of the program. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Johnson, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Robert Cook, Mrs. Harry Quinn and Mrs. Lester Thompson.

As We Live

By ELIZABETH HURLOCK, P.H.D.

Too Many Duties Can Tax Child's Strength

How much work should young boys and girls do at home on school days if they are to do good work in school and be healthy? A mother writes:

(Q). I have a daughter, 12 years old, who is our only child. Her father tells me I'm spoiling her because, when she comes home from school—she is in junior high—I don't make her do work around the house. I am not doing this to spoil her, but it seems to me that she works hard enough in school all day. When she comes home I want her to go out and get fresh air. After supper she's got to do her homework, and at nine o'clock, I want her to go to bed. Please tell me if I'm wrong or right.

A) I think you are absolutely right about not expecting your daughter to help with household work after a long day in school. If you were sick or some emergency arose, it would be a different story.

With only three in the family, the housework should not be too heavy for you unless you have a job that keeps you away from home all day. Under such conditions, not only your daughter, but your husband should help you.

A girl of 12 is in a rapid-growth period of her life. Much of her strength and energy goes into growing, both in size and in her internal development. Over-taxing her strength at that time can lead to a breakdown, anemia, tuberculosis, or any number of other physical ailments.

On week ends and during vacation periods it would be wise to ask your daughter to help with the housework. Every girl should know how to take over the management of the home, should her mother be ill or be called away from home by the illness of a relative.

At times when she is not going to school, you will not have to feel that your daughter is overtaxing her strength if you ask her to do several hours of work spread out over the day. You and she can decide what tasks she will assume and make it a pleasant experience for her, not a duty.

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CALENDAR

Calendar notices and news for the society section of The Mail Tribune must be submitted in writing and deadline for the Sunday edition is 1 p.m. Friday. Deadline for the weekly calendar is 9 a.m. of the day of publication and for week day news is 5 p.m. the day before publication.

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

8 p.m.—Lions' auxiliaries, interclub card party, Medford hotel.

8 p.m.—Oak Grove varieties, school gymnasium.

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

1 p.m.—DAV Jr. auxiliary, Mrs. Harvey Cassman, Central Point.

2 p.m.—Rogue River College Womens club, Mrs. Elizabeth Burr, 1012 Queen Anne ave.

2 p.m.—Zuleima temple, Daughters of the Nile, Grants Pass Masonic temple.

6 p.m.—Auxiliary to FOE, Eagles hall.

8 p.m. to 1 a.m.—Valentine formal dance, Rogue Valley Country club.

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