

High School News Notes

By CYNTHIA RUKOVINA

Medford Hi teachers literally let down their hair Friday, and presented a hilarious skit for the last regular pep assembly for the year. Mimicking the Pep team, basketball team, coaches and referees, they entertained the student body, accompanied by an all-teacher band. The assembly gave the Black Tornado a rousing send off for the championship play-offs with Crater High this week end.

The first six weeks of the second semester were climaxed in a flurry of exams Thursday and Friday. Tests in Social Studies, Languages, and math were given Thursday and English, commerce, and science Friday.

The senior Hi-Y sponsored a dance for Medford and Crater high students after the game Saturday night at the YMCA. Jim Pederson was chairman of the affair.

Amendment Passed

The Student council proposed a change to amend the Associated Student Body constitution last week, and the student body passed it, 651 to 72.

It changed Article XII, Section 3 to read: "Major awards may be awarded in minor sports under the following conditions: Tennis, first or second places in district singles meet, or first in district doubles; golf, member of the winning or second place team in the State contest or member of the all-state golf team; wrestling, first or second place in district contest."

The HECA, History, Economics, and Civics association, will hold its annual initiation of new members Tuesday evening at Melissa Jennings' home. New members are admitted if they have done above average work in any phase of Social Studies.

Mrs. Johnnie Van Scoy is advisor for the club.

The Order of M and the Pep club will sponsor a dance next Saturday night in the Girl's gym at school. The King of Hearts, elected by the Pep club, and the Queen Tornado, elected by the Order of M, will be crowned at 9 o'clock.

Contest Announced

The student body was presented a movie on teen-age driving Monday afternoon in the auditorium. An announcement was also made this week that all interested students are invited to enter a state contest on safe driving. Contestants are to submit an essay on "My Code for Responsible Driving." The first prize is a \$250 defense bond and the contest ends April 15.

Three Medford Hi boys, Dennis von Ting, Macy Overstreet, and Warren Deakins, have passed physical and mental tests and are awaiting the outcome of a reviewing board interview concerning their admission in the NROTC. Final word on state selection choices will come around April. If accepted the boys will receive during four years of college \$600 per year, tuition, books, supplies, and uniforms. After graduation they will be taken into the Navy as ensigns and serve three years active duty plus five more in the reserve.

Torch Honor, Medford branch of the National Honor society, is planning a private initiation of new members. Because of a change in the constitution, allowing students to be admitted who have received a semester grade of C in physical education, upperclassmen as well as sophomores will be initiated. Four members, Elaine Sorum, Stan Culy, Dan Kellington, and Don Robinson are applying for the Torch Honor scholarship. The club also took part in the national nomination for Hall of Fame entries by entering the name of Peter Marshall as a nominee.

As We Live

By ELIZABETH HURLOCK, PH.D.

True Hospitality

A Frame Of Mind
Some people may entertain lavishly without showing true hospitality. Their guests are ill-at-ease and may even have a feeling of guilt about the trouble or expense they have caused.

Many people believe that the only way to show true hospitality is to put on a show, as it were, for their guests. They work frantically to have everything right, from ridding the house of every speck of dirt to preparing the most elaborate refreshments.

Then, when their guests arrive, they are tired, tense, and nervous. They are so afraid that something will go wrong that they cannot keep their attention on what their guests are saying. The result is that no one really enjoys himself.

Contrast this with the approach of the hostess who prepares for guests by trying to think up interesting things to talk about or to do. She has things reasonably clean and orderly, and she prepares food

she is sure her guests will enjoy—perhaps something different, but always simple.

Ready To Greet Guests
Then, when the guests arrive, she is relaxed and ready to greet them with a smile. She can devote her time to entertaining them and not feel she must hover over this or that detail of the refreshments for fear something will go wrong. She is able to create the impression that her guests are very welcome, and that it is fun to have them, and that she has not been inconvenienced either in work or money spent.

One of the best ways to give guests the impression that they are truly welcome is to accept their offers of help, from putting up a card table to washing the dishes after the refreshments have been served. Guests feel guilty if they must sit by while the hostess works, and they leave with a guilty feeling when they remember the stack of dirty dishes their hostess must face after the last guest has gone.

LETTERS FROM READERS
Impressing Others: "What is the best way to impress others? I know boasting is quickly seen through."

(A) Any attempt to impress others, regardless of how subtle it may be, is likely to be seen through just as boasting is. The best way to impress others is to be yourself and act in a friendly, natural manner. People will be more impressed by your manner than they ever could be by anything you said or did with the specific thought in mind of creating a good impression. Good impressions come mainly from sincere, natural behavior.

Slapping In Public: "My husband slaps the children in public if they are rude, impertinent, or say what he calls 'dirty words'. I have tried to explain to him that this antagonizes and embarrasses the children. His argument is that it is better to have them antagonized and embarrassed than to have people think he is a lax parent. Who is right?"

(A) You are definitely right about this matter. Your husband may be creating the impression that he wants to create, namely that he is a strict disciplinarian, but most people today do not admire that type of discipline. It seems cruel to slap a child and give him no chance to explain or to hit back. A gentle reproof or a show of disapproval on the parent's part creates the impression that the parent is on his toes and trying to teach his children how to behave, and it does not antagonize or embarrass the children.

Card Sending: "I think sending cards to people on all occasions is getting to be a racket. Do they really appreciate this?"
(A) Anything that shows a person he is remembered and thought of enough to have a card sent to him inflates his ego and thus pleases him. It may be regarded as a "racket" by those who send cards just because it is the "thing to do" but most people regard it as a sign of friendship.

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Chapter AA
Mrs. C. I. Drummond, Ross lane, will entertain Chapter AA, PEO sisterhood for 12:30 p.m. luncheon, Wednesday, March 9. Mrs. J. A. Cunningham and Mrs. R. D. Dames will assist the hostess.

Election of officers will be the business of the meeting.

Wardrobe Gem!



Sunday, March 6, 1955

MEDFORD (OREGON) MAIL TRIBUNE—NINE

Past Presidents To Be Honored

Past presidents of the Past Noble Grands club will be honored at a club meeting Thursday, March 10 at 8 p.m., in the Girls Community club. Mrs. Floyd Murray will preside for the session.

Mrs. Riley Applegate will have charge of the evening's entertainment and Mrs. Margaret Davis, Mrs. Claude Cooper, Mrs. Ivan McCoy, Mrs. John Black and Mrs. Dolly Love will serve refreshments.

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Medford Sojourners To Meet on Thursday

Medford Sojourners will meet Thursday, March 10 at 1 p.m., at the Medford hotel.

An invitation is extended to all inactive members to attend. Newcomers to Medford and vicinity who have lived here less than two years are eligible for membership and are invited to attend and become members. The organization is purely social and has for its main purpose helping newcomers to become acquainted.

Any newcomer who has not been contacted will be welcomed at the meetings or can obtain more information by calling Mrs. Earl Crismon, 2-2729.

Obligation night will be observed at a meeting of Nevita chapter, Order of Eastern Star, to be held Tuesday, March 8, at 8 p.m. in Central Point Masonic temple. Visiting members are invited to attend.

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STAR GAZER
By CLAY R. POLLAN
Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.
To develop message for Sunday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

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