Lutheran Women's Group Holds Annual Conference in Medford

Southern Oregon conference of the Women's Missionary society, United Lutheran Church in America, closed the seventh annual meeting yesterday afternoon with a luncheon at Zion Lutheran church. Mrs. B. O. Treslstad, Salem, Ore., presided over the conference and Mrs. Olger Engen, Longview, was named to succeed her during the business sessions.

One new society was added during the conference, that of the Women of the Church, Shepherd of the Hills church, Stevenson, Wash.

Other officers elected were Mrs Chris Horn, McMinnville, Ore., vice-president and Mrs. Bernard Weiszhaar, Eugene, secretary-treasurer.

The Rev. George Flora, San Jose, Calif., was the main conference speaker, telling of his work in Liberia with the Loma people. Monday evening he told of the mission schools and seminary and showed colored films describing the work. He also described the witchdoctors and their work among the natives, saying in many instances how hard it is for the natives to overcome their fear of the witchdoctors.

Tuesday's address stressed the complete poverty of the people —not only in personal belongings but in their knowledge of how to live. The Rev. Mr. Flora displayed many interesting souvenirs and told of their use and value in the foreign field.

Soloists for the conference were Miss Gayle Turner and Otto Ewaldsen. Devotions were given by Mrs. H. Edwardsen and Mrs. Arthur Cummings all of Medford. Theme for the conference was "Evangelism."

Two skits were given, the first, "Two Copies of Lutheran Woman's Work," which is the official magazine of the society, was presented by the Eugene group. The second skit, "Nominating Committee at Work" was presented by the Klamath Falls group.

Mrs. L. H. Steinhoff, wife of Dr. Steinhoff, Portland, President of the Pacific synod of the United Lutheran church in America, was among the out-of-town guests and brought greetings from Dr. Steinhoff. Pastors and wives from out-of-town were the Rev. and Mrs. Baughman from near Vancouver, Wash.; the Rev. John Recher Jr., Klamath Falls, and Mrs. O. W. Ebright from Salem, wife of a former pastor here from 1950-1952.

About 100 delegates and visitors were served luncheon by the Women's guild and circles of Zion Lutheran church Monday evening a social hour followed the meeting, with Ruth circle members as hostesses. Mrs. I. Eitreim, guild president, and Mrs. Hannah Anderson poured at the tea table.

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Sectional Leaders Speak for Council

Mrs. Fred J. Walton of Portland presided at the Tuesday afternoon meeting of the nineteenth annual district Women's Missionary council now in session at the Assembly of God church on West Main street. A song service was led by Mrs. Edward Graftstrom, Glendale.

Mrs. C. J. Brent, Canyonville, sang a solo, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. V. Klemins, Roseburg.

Participating in a question and answer panel disucssion as to how WMC could best help home and foreign missionaries were several sectional leaders. Speaking were Mrs. F. O. Manning, Springfield; Mrs. Walter Smith, Dufur; Mrs. T. H. Fuller, Gresham; Mrs. R. M. Culbertson, Westport, and Mrs. Leo Gilman, Gold Hill.

Afternoon missionary speakers were Mr. and Mrs. Ward Woods, on furlough from the Gold Coast, Africa, and Walter Haydus, on furlough from Guatamala.

The WMC motto is, "We Minister as Unto Christ," and the slogan is "The Heart of the church with missions at Heart."

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Royal Neighbors District Meeting Held in Ashland

Mrs. D. T. Ferguson, Medford, was elected district oracle of the Royal Neighbors of America during a district meeting held last week in Ashland. A delegation of about 30 members attended from the Medford lodge.

Mrs. George Wendt, Jacksonville, was elected vice-oracle for the district, Mrs. Carl Pearson, Medford, was named recorder-receiver, and Mrs. Elsie Langmire, Klamath Falls, marshal.

Next district convention will be held in Medford.

A visitor at last week's meeting was Mrs. Mae E. Logan, Portland, state supervisor and district deputies attending were Mrs. Elsa Walker, Medford, and Mrs. Jessie Steele, Klamath Falls.

Mrs. Thomas H. Callahan, Ashland, retiring district oracle, conducted the sessions and Mrs. Henry H. Mayberry, oracle of the Ashland camp, opened the afternoon meeting. Mayor Richard Neil of Ashland gave the address of welcome, and the response was given by Mrs. Logan. Mrs. Logan stated that the Royal Neighbor lodge has been organized for more than 60 years and is one of the leading fraternal organizations in the United States.

During the sessions Mrs. Anna Schaffer, Klamath Falls, and Mrs. Harry Miller, Medford, were both honored for having been members of the lodge for 47 years. A school of instruction was conducted by the various camps under the leadership of Mrs. Logan during the afternoon session, and this was followed by a banquet in the Elks dining room.

Initiation was conducted by Mistletoe camp, Medford, during the evening meeting. Mrs. Irvin P. Patton, Mistletoe oracle, presided. Initiated were Miss Marcia Macklin, Miss Eula Stansbury and Mrs. Bess Cobb, Ashland; Mrs. Ada Ward and Mrs. Genevieve Workman, Central Point; Miss Irma Lawrance and Mrs. Ora Lawrance, Medford; Miss Fay Dowson, Miss Nancy Adams and Miss Doris Buck, Jacksonville.

A program given later was open to the public. Mrs. D. R. Allred of the Central Point camp conducted a memorial service, with Mrs. Ada Ward as soloist, and the new district officers were installed by Mrs. Logan, Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Steele.

The Klamath Falls lodge conducted the retiring march. Other program numbers were a drill by Job's Daughters, Central Point; Hill Billy band, Jacksonville camp; solo, Miss Ruth McDanal, accompanied by Mrs. Esther Smith, Ashland camp; drill, Job's Daughters, Ashland; drill, Medford camp; skit, Jacksonville camp; reading, Donna Smith, Jacksonville; drill, Klamath Falls.

The evening closed with presentation of gifts to distinguished visitors and an appreciation talk by Mrs. Logan.

Veterans' Bridge Club Announces Winners

Camp White —Camp White Veterans' Bridge club held the weekly session at camp Friday, and winners have been announced.

North-south winners were William Hickey and Virgil Temple, first, 72½ points; Mrs. Roy Pruitt and William Isaacs, second, 71 points; Mrs. Clay Cornett and Mr. Pruitt, third, 70½ points.

Winning players in the east-west position were Mr. and Mrs. Burton Sims, first, 71 points; John Sharp and Emery Wheat, second, 67½ points; Mrs. William Isaacs and Asa Kimball, third, 65½ points.

Girl Scouts

Visit Station

Brownie Troop 172, led by Mrs. Charles Rowan, visited the west side fire station recently. They were instructed in the use of fire equipment and told what to do in reporting a fire. The girls were asked to memorize the correct phone number.

Ida Harris is a new member of this troop. In the neear future the girls will visit Gilman's dairy.

Troop Picnic

Brownie Troops 180 and 166 journeyed to Ashland April 13, where they had a playtime and picnic in Lithia park. They returned home on Southern Pacific train.

Exhibit

For the past week Girl Scout Troop 22 of Junior high school has had an exhibit in the courthouse showing the function of the county health association. It is on display in the county health office. Mrs. A. N. Potter is leader of this troop and Mrs. Elliott Becken, assistant.

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Rogue Elk Unit Elects Officers Visits Court

Trail — Rogue Elk Extension unit elected officers at the April meeting held at Mallery Maples.

Elected were Mrs. Ranald Axtell, chairman; Mrs. Alma Mallery, vice-chairman; Mrs. Audrey Collier, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Glen Anderton, recording secretary.

Final plans were made for members to attend the annual Homemakers' festival to be held May 5 in Central Point.

Mrs. Harry Casebier and Mrs. Oscar Hanson gave the program on "Simple Home Repairs."

Luncheon was served by Mrs. Mallery and Mrs. Lee Merriman.

VFW Sewing Circle Will Meet Thursday

The sewing circle of VFW auxiliary, Crater Lake post, will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Lawrence, 1422 Euclid avenue, Thursday, April 28, at 8 p.m. Mrs. O. O. DeBarry will be cohostess. All auxiliary members and their friends are invited to attend.

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.

Wednesday

6:45 p.m. — Rotary International golden anniversary banquet, Elks club lounge.

8 p.m. — Bow Bells chapter, DBE, Girls Community club.

Thursday

9 a.m. — Registrations for state department convention, Blue Star Mothers of Oregon, Grants Pass library auditorium.

12:30 p.m. — First Christian church circles, all meet at Fellowship hall; program at 2 p.m.

p.m.—Golden Link Bible class, home of Mrs. Grace Roberts, 1011 West Tenth street.

Singing Time Held Today At College

Ashland — More than 1100 children, the largest number ever to participate in "Singing Time," the elementary school music festival for Jackson county, sang together in Memorial court at Southern Oregon college this afterooon. The festival director was Miss Helene Robinson of SOC who states the program was a prelude to Music week.

The program featured songs from several nations. Jim Baker and Lyman Pruitt assisted as student directors, and also assisting were a number of students from foreign lands including Miss Jeanette Bush, Miss Mildred Okamura and Miss Rita Wong of the Hawaiian islands and Miss Glorida Padilla of Honduras.

In addition to the main festival chorus, the Central Point Junior High school chorus, a girls' chorus directed by Mrs. Bertie Moore, a chorus from Sams Valley school directed by Mrs. Jeanne Carothers and the Talent Junior and Senior High school bands directed by Ralph Carroll also appeared on the program.

A quartet composed of James Baker, Dick Bonney, Lyman Pruitt and William Sparks sang, and the Singing Time radio group, composed of the Misses Helen Brown, Yvonne Claypool, Ina Feero, Ruby Gardner, Judy Hall and Esther Powell were on the program.

Accompanist for the festival chorus was Mrs. Charlotte Hannan. Schools participating were Applegate, Eagle Point, Elk-Trail, Evans Valley, Griffin Creek, Gold Hill, Howard Jacksonville, Phoenix, Prospect, Rogue River, Sams Valley, Shady Cove, Talent, West Side and Medford.

Auxiliary Group Attends Meeting Of State Board

Four members of Crater Lions' auxiliary, Medford, attended the annual spring board meeting of the Oregon State Lions' auxiliaries held recently in The Dalles. Mrs. Lowell Edwards, president, was the auxiliary delegate and she was accompanied by Mrs. Dan Dwyer, Mrs George Potucek, Mrs. Wendall Vaughn and Mrs. Howard Miller, president of the Rogue River Lady Lions.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. L. L. Hickock, state president. Most important feature of the business meeting was the presentation of the annual budget for the 1955 State Blind institute, by Water Dry, superintendent of the Oregon State School for the Blind.

This institute is supported and financed entirely by the Lions' auxiliaries and is to be held this year from June 3 through the 9 at the Oregon State Blind School in Salem. Purpose of the institute is to help parents of visually handicapped children to adjust themselves and be of assistance to their children before they enter the blind school. This year's budget was for $3,125, and the entire amount will be supplied by the Oregon Lions' auxiliaries.

Crater Lions' auxiliary held a benefit card party at the Rogue Country club Monday afternoon as one of their projects to raise their proportionate share of the $3,125 for the institute.

To Meet

Central Point — Job's Daughters will meet on Thursday, April 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the Central Point Masonic hall. Parents of members and all persons of proper Masonic relationship are invited to attend.

Monroes Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Adair Monroe have arrived in Medford to spend two weeks with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allyn A. Monroe and children, Old Stage road. The Monroes, who are from New Orleans, will be here two weeks.

A number of parties are being planned in honor of the couple.

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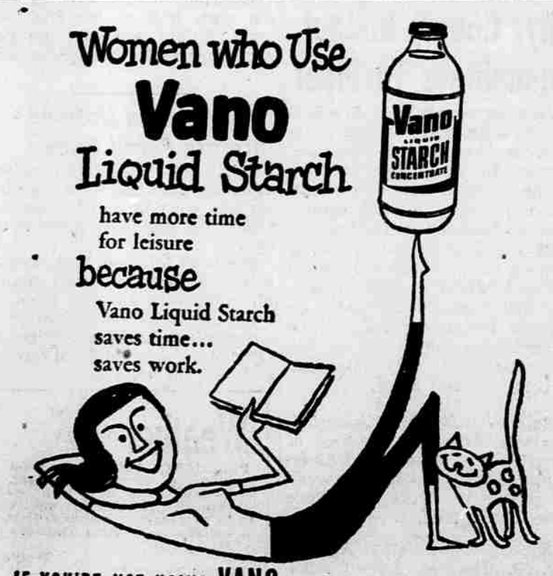

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Guests Leave

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Sumners of Colorado Springs, Colo., left for Seattle yesterday after having been here with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Long, 535 Pennsylvania avenue. The Sumners will return to Colorado from Seattle.

Last weekend the two couples fished in the Rogue river at Gold Beach.

Visits at Bend

Mrs. George Rehart, royal matron of Roxy Ann court, Order of Amarnath, traveled to Bend, Ore., last Saturday where she attended installation of officers of Mirror court of the order in that city.

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American Youth Day Elks Program Scheduled Thursday

The Boys' Glee club of St. Mary's school will furnish music at the annual American Youth Day program sponsored by the Medford Elks lodge Thursday night.

State Rep. Al Loucks, Salem, will give the main address. He is former mayor of Salem.

Awards will be presented to winners of the lodge's youth Scholarship and Leadership contests prior to entertainment in the party lounge for contest winners and more than 80 Jackson County high school students who participated in Student Government day last February.

To Give Awards

Awards will be presented by Charles Meyer, former member of the Youth Activities committee. Medford Mayor Earl Miller will introduce Don Robinson, who was mayor during Student Government Day, and County Judge Rodney Keating will introduce Harvey Hueners, who was student judge.

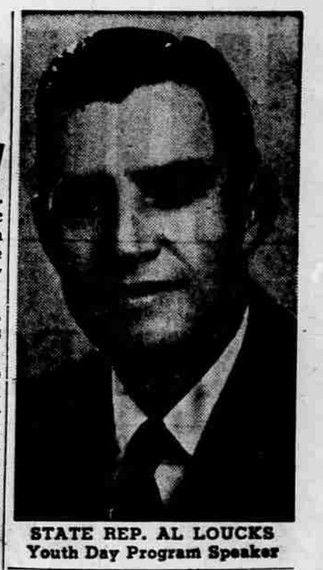
Exalted Ruler C. Aubrey Sander will greet the students, and past Exalted Ruler Frank Hussong will tell the significance of Youth Day. Also on the program are Mrs. Una B. Inch, assistant county school superintendent, and Mrs. Jo Anee Smith, teacher of economics at Medford High school.

Representative Loucks will be introduced by Diamond L. Flynn, president of the League of Oregon Cities.

The Boys' Glee club of St. Mary's school is directed by Dick Clark and accompanied by David Espy.

THIS JET AGE

Wahoo, Neb. —(U.P.)—A young man bought a new car but couldn't pick it up at the moment "because I've got to go to Japan." He said he would be back for it later in the week—and he did. Turned out he was a jet pilot based at Offutt Air Force Base near Omaha.



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