



Mrs. Treavell M. Turpin, president of Jackson PTA, is a busy homemaker as well as PTA worker and also finds time to collect cups and antiques. She holds a silver cup which was given to her grandfather by General Grant, and the old spinning wheel is a family heirloom. The cup will some day belong to the Turpin's son, Daniel, a fourth-grader at Jackson.



Mrs. Warren Lesseg, who gardens, knits and plays golf in addition to her household duties, is president of Roosevelt PTA. The Lessegs have three children, Jim, in the fifth grade in Roosevelt annex; Kathy, who started school this year, and Jan, who is 4 years old. Mrs. Lesseg was president of Women's Golf association of Rogue Valley Country club last year.



Mrs. George Paul, president of Lone Pine PTA, says that PTA telephone calls, cooking, canning and other family chores keep her busy practically the clock around. The Pauls have three children, Linda Sue, in the third grade at Lone Pine; Greg, a second grade pupil this fall and little Connie, 5. Mrs. Paul took time out from cooking to pose.



Pictured here are Mrs. Ray Alder (at left) and Mrs. Roland Holmes, talking over the coming enrollment campaign. Mrs. Alder is Washington Parent-Teacher association president, and Mrs. Holmes heads the Medford PTA City council this year. The Alders have one child, Judy, in the sixth grade at Washington, and the Holmes have a son, Curtis, in McLoughlin Junior High school and a daughter, Joann, also in the sixth grade at Washington. Mrs. Holmes stressed that PTA does not have a membership drive, but a membership enrollment and added "It is a privilege to be enrolled in Parent-Teacher association; PTA ranks reach over 9,000,000 in the United States alone and it is estimated that one out of every 19 people in the United States is or will be a member of this great PTA organization."



Membership chairmen of the several city PTA units met recently for workshops to learn how to conduct the annual enrollment. Pictured here, at the home of Mrs. Golden Noble, who conducted the workshop, are (left to right) Mrs. George Schuler, Roosevelt membership chairman; Mrs. Robert J. Buckles, Oak Grove chairman; Mrs. H. Chandler Drew, Lone Pine; Mrs. J. W. Beacham, Jackson; Mrs. Frank Harden, McLoughlin Junior High school chairman; Mrs. Roland F. Hogue, Lincoln chairman, and Mrs. Herbert McCary, Washington chairman and chairman of the group.

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PTA Enrollment Month

By Olive Starcher

October is parent and teacher enrollment month throughout Jackson county. Parent-Teacher associations of the Medford PTA council, which had an enrollment of 2,775 last year, are looking forward to increased growth this year.

The council will also have two new associations represented, because principals of the new Hedrick Junior high school and Jefferson Ele-

mentary school have requested organization of units in those schools.

PTA is an educational organization which has as its sole purpose promotion of the welfare of children and youth in the home, the school, church and community. This is accomplished through its parent education program, study groups and workshops where parents and teachers learn of the needs and problems of schools and children, and how to solve these problems. (Brainerd photos)



Mrs. Kenneth Bramhall, president of the Lincoln unit, helps her husband run their business, The Cleaning Bar, in addition to her household duties and PTA work. The Bramhalls have two children, Cheryl, 7 years old, and Donnie, 9, both at Lincoln school. Lincoln PTA has evening meetings, is proud of its "father participation."



Robert C. Taylor, shown here at his desk at the Dean-Taylor Pontiac company, is one of two men serving as PTA presidents in the Medford council this year. Mr. Taylor, president of the Oak Grove group, presided at his first meeting Monday night, with a large attendance. The Taylors' children are Lynn, in the second grade, and Scott, attending the fourth grade at Oak Grove school.



Horace M. Doolen, McLoughlin Junior High school PTA president, is greeted here by David, youngest of the four Doolen children, as he arrives home from his work in the accounting department of Bear Creek orchards. Sue Donna Doolen is a junior in Medford High school, Rosemary is a ninth grader at McLoughlin, Margaret is in the fourth and David the second grade at Jackson school.