

Piano Trio To Play In Medford

The American Piano Trio, one of the most interesting ensembles of the American concert stage, is the next attraction scheduled to appear this season in Medford under the auspices of Jackson County Civic Music Association. The concert, which will be held in Medford Senior High school auditorium, will be the third in the current music series, and it is expected to be one of the highlights of the current series.

The trio is made up of three brilliant keyboard artists, each of whom has established an enviable reputation for himself, or herself, as soloist on the recital stage before joining with the others to form this outstanding piano trio.

The founder, and sole male, Stephen Kovacs, is a former winner of the famous European Franz Liszt piano competition, a pupil of Hungary's leading composer, Zoltan Kodaly, the leader for four years of the extraordinarily successful Four Piano Ensemble that toured from coast to coast. Annette Coroi is a scholarship student of Mme. Olga Samaroff, who did so much to bring music to the millions, has given successful recitals in Paris, New York and on the American radio. Esther Fernandez is winner of an impressive list of awards, a scholarship student at New York's Juilliard School and the Berkshire Music center in Tanglewood, and has been greeted from coast to coast as soloist with the highest critical acclaim.

The ensemble is famous for its unique programs. Colorful, dynamic, and rhythmically varied, they range from Bach to boogie. In addition to pieces which were originally written for three pianos by such greats as Bach and Mozart, Kovacs has made transcriptions of some of the best-loved works of music literature. One of the foremost arrangers of music masterpieces for the multiple piano literature, Kovacs' transcriptions were used extensively by the Four-piano Ensemble in its phenomenally successful concert tours, and he has made arrangements for most of the leading two-piano teams, Luboshutz and Nemenoff, Bartlett and Robertson, Appleton and Field.

Powdered dry mustard, mixed with butter, adds flavor to cold meat sandwiches. It's good with canapes, too.

Episcopal Guild Of Shady Cove Announces Dance

Shady Cove — St. Martin's Episcopal guild women made plans for a public square dance to be held February 11 at Upper Rogue Grange when they met recently at the home of Mrs. Ray Briggs in Shady Cove. The event will begin at 9 p.m., and admission will be by donation.

Committee chairman for the year were announced by Mrs. James Hopkins, chairman of the group.

Mrs. Randle Axtell will have charge of publicity; Mrs. Art Hume, devotions and historian; Mrs. Dale Sawyer, hospitality; Mrs. Frank Dolenshek, UTO; and Mrs. Ralph Lane, altar guild.

An annual variety show to be held in March or April also is being planned.

Mrs. Ed Brown was appointed to represent the guild at a meeting for planning of a Community service committee for the Shady Cove-Trail area.

The Rev. Robert L. Greene closed the meeting by offering a prayer.

The next guild meeting will be February 6 at the home of Mrs. Briggs. Mrs. Hopkins will be hostess. Visitors are invited.

Gold Hill Women Announce March

Gold Hill — The annual Mothers' march for the March of Dimes drive in Gold Hill this year is being sponsored by Amethyst Rebekah lodge and will be held Tuesday, January 31.

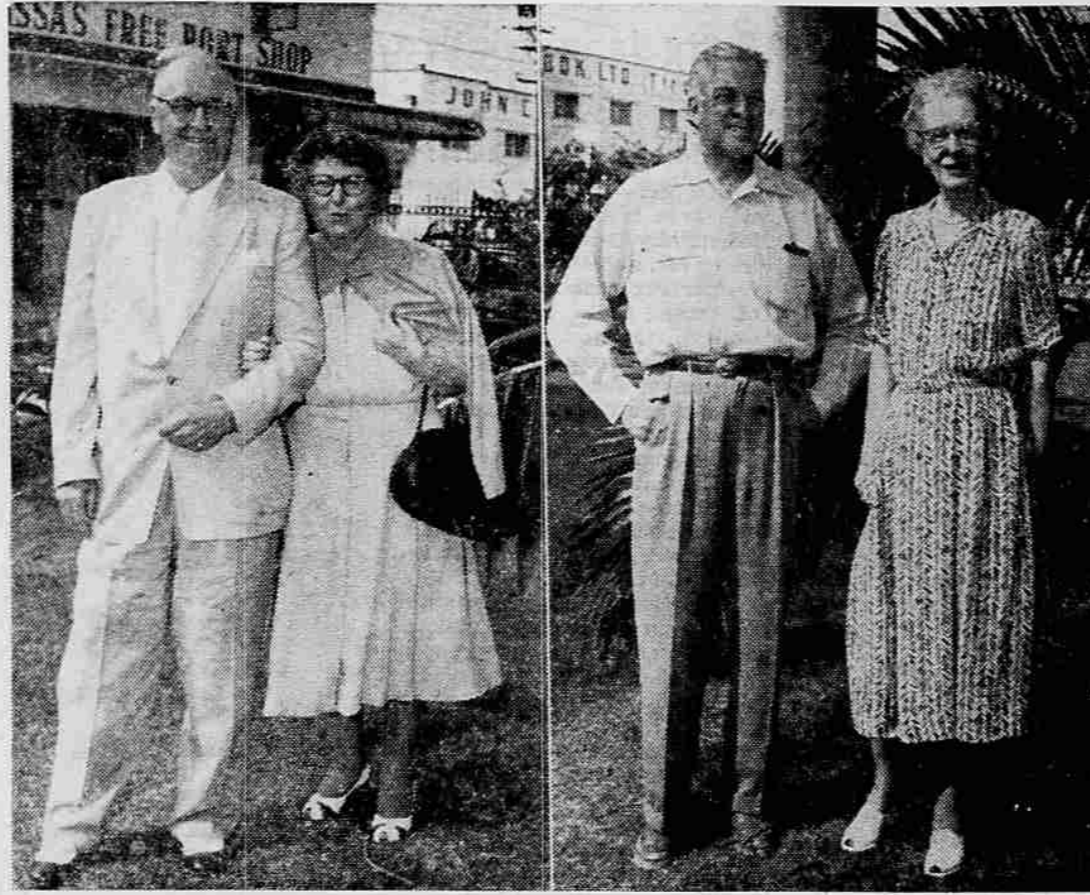
Residents in the rural areas will be called on during the day and workers will call in the evening at homes in the city of Gold Hill. Those wishing to donate to the drive should turn on their porch lights between the hours of 7 to 9 p.m.

Mrs. Lester Parker and Mrs. Harry Newnam are in charge of serving doughnuts and coffee to workers after the march is completed.

Rebekahs interested in assisting with the work are asked to telephone Mrs. Wilmer Bailey or Mrs. Clarence Parsley.

PEO Supper

Chapter CG, PEO, will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert L. Lee, 1818 Woodlawn, on Wednesday, February 1, for a seven o'clock supper. Mrs. N. H. Gladfelter will assist Mrs. Lee as hostess.



Among the valley couples spending winter vacations in sunnier climates are Mr. and Mrs. George M. Roberts (at left) and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Luther. They are pictured here in the gardens of the Myrtle Bank hotel, Kingston, Jamaica, B.W.I., where they have been

vacationing in recent weeks. The two couples are leaving Jamaica soon for Florida and will return to Medford in February. This was the first visit the two couples had made to the British West Indies.

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs Hold Installation Ceremony

New noble grands of the Olive Rebekah and Medford Odd Fellows lodges were installed at joint ceremonies January 24 in the IOOF hall. They are Mrs. J. D. Brummond, who heads the Rebekah order, and E. B. McNew.

Mrs. Brummond's staff, also installed at the same ceremonies, are Mrs. O. S. Walden, right supporter to the noble grand, and Mrs. Margaret Davis, left supporter; Mrs. Homer Vinzant, vice-grand; Mrs. Rozella Theesfeld, the vice-grand's right supporter, and Mrs. Alice Garrett, left supporter; Mrs. Esther Coleman and Mrs. Floyd Murray, inside and outside guards; Mrs. Dana Bowers, chaplain.

Mrs. Elsie Lewis, musician; Mrs. Alice Smith, color guard; Mrs. Fred Daugherty, recording secretary, and Mrs. Riley Appelgate, financial secretary; Mrs. L. O. Howard, treasurer; Mrs. J. A. Thomasson, warden; and Mrs. Lewis Thompson, conductor.

Those who will serve with Mr. McNew and who also were installed to office Tuesday evening are: W. H. Dyer, right supporter to the noble grand; E. W. Pease, left supporter; J. A. Thompson, vice-grand; Homer Vinzant, right supporter to the vice-grand; Forest Samples, left supporter; Emil Buhl, chaplain; Duane Curtis, warden; Frank Clayton, conductor; Thomas A. Banks, secretary; Jack Huston, treasurer.

Don Platt, musician; Lawrence Horton, and C. E. Naffziger, outside and inside guards, respectively. Right scene supporter is Melvin Thomasson; left scene supporter Marcus McKenzie; planning committee, R. L. Appelgate, E. D. Scripser, and Jack Huston, and publicity, E. D. Perkins.

In charge of installations were Harry Newnam, Gold Hill, district deputy grand master, and Mrs. Riley Appelgate, district deputy president. They were assisted by members of the installation teams.

Mrs. Norman Gail, Gold Hill,

furnished songs and whistling numbers.

Thomas A. Banks, retiring noble grand and now junior past noble grand, was presented an IOOF pin by A. J. Hanby. Mr. Banks addressed the officers who served with him.

Mrs. Frank Chapman, retiring noble grand, and also now junior past noble grand, was given a collar of the Rebekah order by the Olive Rebekah members. Mrs. John Daniel made the presentation. The retiring junior past noble grand, Mrs. Floyd Murray, was given a past noble grand's pin and invited to join that group's club.

Mrs. Murray then presented Mrs. Appelgate a gift from the club.

The new noble grand, Mrs. Brummond, gave each of her officers corsages.

Refreshments were served by a committee from the IOOF and the lodge. The tables were decorated in lodge colors.

Young Traveler To Speak Here

Robert Christopher, young world traveler who accepted the challenge of Collier's and started on a trip around the globe on \$80, will be guest speaker at a meeting of Rogue Valley Knife and Fork club Monday, February 13. The dinner meeting will be held at Rogue Valley Country club.

A former navy man who served as a combat photographer, Mr. Christopher took just 84 days to make his globe-circling trip. In that time, he travelled 28,000 miles, crossed two oceans, visited 17 foreign lands, and came back to these shores with money in his pocket.

How he did it, where he went, and what he saw, will be related to club members under the title "Around the World on \$80."

New Bethel Receives Charter

Shady Cove—Charter night of Bethel 55, Job's daughters, Shady Cove, was observed January 19 and the Bethel charter was presented by Mrs. Velma Joy Green, Portland, grand guardian. She and Roy Osbourne, grand associate guardian, conducted inspection work of the officers preceding the presentation.

Assisting Mrs. Green in giving the charter, were Mrs. Everett Faber, Central Point, vice-grand guardian, as grand chaplain; Mrs. Charles Clary, Ashland, grand third messenger, acting as grand marshal; and Mrs. C. D. Elhart, Ashland, past grand guardian who was grand guide for the ceremonies.

The grand guardian was presented a gift.

Guests introduced included Lem Manning, associate guardian of Bethel 55; William Massey, master of Cascade lodge, Trail; Miss Anita Conger, junior past honored queen, Bethel 38, Central Point; and Miss Sheila Spence, junior past honored queen of Bethel 55, Medford.

Initiated during the evening were Miss Loretta Rone, Miss Kathy Snider and Miss Shirley Bedingfield.

The Bethel room was decorated by Mrs. Ray Chubb, Mrs. Frank Allen and Mrs. Ray Briggs.

The theme of good luck was used for decorating incorporating gold leaves, four-leaf clovers and horse shoes with large scroll and quill as a backdrop.

Refreshments were served.

Meeting Scheduled By Wednesday Club

Wednesday Study club plan to meet Wednesday, February 1 at 2 p.m., in the home of Mrs. C. L. Cole, 708 Park street. Mrs. H. S. Chirgwin and Mrs. O. H. Breneman will conduct the afternoon program.

Leadership Training Session Set for Tuesday at Church

All group leaders in Jackson county are invited to attend a leadership training session to be held Tuesday, January 31, from 9:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. at First Methodist church in Medford. The meeting is planned by Jackson County Public Health association in cooperation with parent-teacher groups in the county.

Mrs. Walter Bish and Mrs. Robert Minear, co-chairmen of the association's family life education committee, state that the program is planned especially for PTA presidents, study group chairmen, church leaders, and anyone interested in learning new techniques for developing participation in group discussions.

Several of the techniques which will be demonstrated include role-playing, "brain storming," and discussion flow charts. The role that group members should play in a discussion will be considered, so that leaders may have a better understanding of group action.

Those attending will have an opportunity to observe the planning committee in session and to suggest topics which they would like to have discussed. Members of the planning committee include Mrs. Leigh Gustison, secretary of the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers, Miss Dorothy Huskey of the health department, Mrs. Riley Cook, Mrs. Chester Fitch of Ashland, Mrs. Minear and Mrs. Bish.

Several study group chairmen will give reports during the day to summarize how their groups have progressed since the previous training session in October. Those giving reports will include Mrs. Chester Fitch, Ashland; Mrs. Norman Gail, Gold Hill, and Mrs. William Garner of Lone Pine school district.

A nursery for small children will be furnished at the church, and those attending are asked to bring a sack lunch. Coffee will be served.

The Jackson county mental health committee radio program continues on station KYJC Monday at 2 p.m. The topic this week will be "Discipline in the School Age Child." Miss Mary Vandenburg of the Child Guidance clinic will discuss this with Mrs. William Garner, Mrs. James Tungate and Mrs. Clayton Ruhl.

Moffats Return From California

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Moffat have returned to their home on Berkeley way after a stay in Southern California. Mrs. Moffat left December 28 for Altadena, Calif., where she was a guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Moffat Jr.

The young Moffats are the parents of a son, their first child, born Christmas eve. The infant weighed seven pounds and two ounces and has been named Peter William. Mrs. Moffat is the former Mary Jane Pitts of Portland.

Later Mr. Moffat Sr. joined his wife in Altadena and the Medford couple also spent some time in La Jolla, Calif., before returning north.

Shower Party Given Wednesday At Minger Home

Mrs. Clyde Minger, 781 Marshall street, entertained Wednesday evening at a shower party honoring Mrs. Melvin E. Minger, Central Point. Only members of the honored guest's family attended with the exception of a friend of the Minger family, Mrs. Vern Jackson.

Others there were Mrs. Nell Bean, Prospect, grandmother of the honored guest; Mrs. Wayne Griffith, also of Prospect, an aunt; Mrs. Jesse Vincent, Medford, a great aunt; Miss Lea Padgett, Central Point, a sister; Mrs. Robert Padgett, her mother; Mrs. I. B. Millard, Mrs. Gale Johnson, both Medford, and Mrs. Alton Minger, Central Point, all sisters-in-law; and Mrs. Ray Minger, Central Point, her mother-in-law.

Refreshments were served and games were a diversion of the evening.

Brethren Church Announces Dinner As Benefit Event

The public is invited to attend an annual "ground hog" dinner Tuesday, February 2 at 6 p.m., at the Church of the Brethren, 345 North Mary street. The event is sponsored by women of the church and proceeds will be divided equally between building funds for the Rogue Valley Memorial hospital and the church for redecorating purposes.

A special price will be made for family groups.

The "ground hog" dinner, held each year on Ground Hog day, is a special event of the church and a sausage menu is served.

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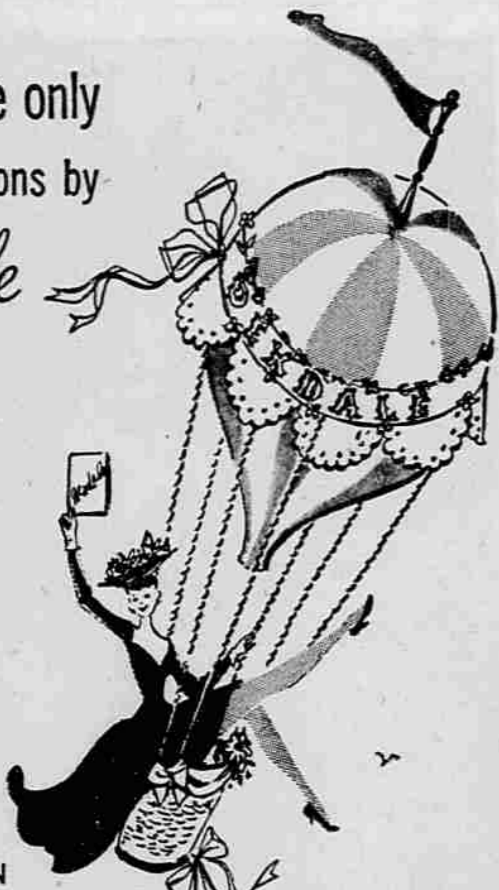
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