



Three members of an Oregon interim legislative committee on local government, accompanied by the executive secretary, spoke for a citizens' meeting sponsored by Medford League of Women Voters February 18 at the Jackson hotel. Pictured here during the special meeting, which was in preparation for an official hearing of the committee in Medford March 1, are (left to right, standing), Judge Raymond Lathrop, Grants Pass; Representative V. E. Johnson, mayor of Eugene and Secretary Kenneth Tollenaar; and (seated) Mrs. Dunbar Carpenter, league member, Mrs. Robert D. Hiatt, league president and State Senator Paul Geddes, Roseburg. —(Brainard photo)

Sixteenth Birthday Party Held by Sojourners' Club

Vecchio from the Klamath Falls Sojourners' club and Mrs. Edgar Bacon.

At cards prizes for bridge went to Mrs. A. N. Cornsbruck. Ninety members, inactive members and guests were present for Sojourners' club sixteenth birthday luncheon and card party held Thursday at the Medford hotel.

Eight past presidents were seated at a table which was centered with an arrangement of large daffodils, acacia and pussy willows. Candelabra holding yellow candles were placed on each side. The birthday cake held sixteen yellow candles. Other decorations were pastel butterflies placed around the room.

Mrs. Meredith H. Parsons, president, introduced the following past president: Mrs. A. L. McClure, Mrs. Clay Lee, Mrs. John Mansfield, Mrs. A. E. Stout, Mrs. Benjamin F. Coleman, Mrs. George Lovenborg, Mrs. H. J. Boyd and Mrs. F. E. Cantrell. Each was presented a corsage of violets.

Hostesses were Mrs. Kirk Denton, Mrs. Duane C. Goodman, Mrs. John C. Graves, Mrs. Ivan Nicholson and Mrs. Eudora Morris.

Prospective members attending were Mrs. Erhardt Blind, Mrs. Otto Schlueter, Mrs. W. H. Cramer, Mrs. Harold Jaffrey and Mrs. Wallace J. Pianka. New members introduced were Mrs. Kenneth C. Phillips, Mrs. Harry Barker, Mrs. Duane Zaback, Mrs. Paul Dorf, Mrs. Fred Baggenstos and Mrs. Richard Knoll.

Guests included Mrs. Tom Fillmore and Mrs. Emil T. Di-

Honor Society Pledges Student

Corvallis — Miss Loretta E. Kelley of Medford was one of 74 students and faculty to be selected for membership in the Oregon State college chapter of Phi Sigma, national biology honor fraternity.

The honorary recognizes interest and outstanding academic achievement in the biological sciences and closely allied fields. Miss Kelley will be initiated March 8.

Majoring in medical-technology at OSC, Miss Kelley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orval P. Kelley of 1629 Thomas road, Medford. She is a 1933 graduate of Medford High school where she was an honor student.

Women Golfers To Open Season

Women golfers of Rogue Valley Country club will open the 1935 season with a luncheon Thursday, March 1, at 12 noon at the clubhouse. The luncheon is for all members, social as well as golfing members, and reservations are to be made with Mrs. E. B. Padzweit, telephone 2-9423.

The committee states that no pairings will be made, but that play will follow luncheon. Mrs. Ray Frisbie is chairman of the women golfers for this season.

and Mrs. A. B. Davis; pinochle prizes to Mrs. Chet Taylor and Mrs. Dwight Butler; canasta to Mrs. Thomas C. Reid and Mrs. Joe Walden. Special award was won by Mrs. Kenneth C. Phillips.

The next meeting of the club will be held March 8 at the Medford hotel. All newcomers who have lived in Medford and vicinity less than two years are cordially invited to attend and become members.

First President Installed by Group

Mrs. Robert L. Daniel was installed first president of the newly organized Insurance Women of Jackson County at ceremonies Tuesday evening following dinner at Kim's restaurant. Mrs. Eva Browler, Portland, organizational chairman for the state, was installing officer.

Mrs. Mary-Elizabeth Cronin is the new vice-president, Mrs. Lois Stephen secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Jean Larson, parliamentarian.

The new group has 22 charter members. The next regular meeting will be March 6.

The Rev. J. Thomas Dixon offered the invocation and a closing prayer. Other guests were G. C. Tafeloff, London assurance, Portland, and Carl Beebe, Medford. Mrs. Mary B. Maass was toastmistress.

Farewell Party At Local Church Honors Fowlers

Following recent evening services at Central Church of Christ in Medford, members and friends of the church met in the Social hall and gave a farewell reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fowler and their three children, Margaret, Bruce and Frances.

The Fowlers have been active in the work of the church since coming to Medford four years ago. Mr. Fowler is an elder and a trustee and Mrs. Fowler has been a youth sponsor.

Mr. Fowler, an engineer employed by the U. S. government in the geological survey, is being transferred to Boise, Ida.

The family will move to Boise as soon as arrangements can be made for a home.

Murphys Return From Trip South

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Murphy, Ross lane, arrived home last week from a trip to southwest states. They visited in the Rio Grand valley and at San Antonio and El Paso in Texas.

En route home they stopped at Indio, Calif., to attend the annual Riverside County Fair and Horse show held in connection with the annual date festival there.

WOODCRAFT NEIGHBORS ANNOUNCE MEETING

Chrysanthemum circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft, will meet for a social evening Monday, February 27 at 8 o'clock in the Devaney home, 1012 East Jackson street.

VFW Auxiliary Make Plans for District Session

A district meeting of Veterans of Foreign Wars will be held May 6 in Medford, it was announced by Crater Lake post auxiliary officials last week.

The local post and auxiliary will be the host groups. Sessions will be held in the VFW hall, 42 North Front street during the afternoon and evening.

Auxiliary members will meet Thursday, February 29 for auditing of paraphernalia and work session for cleaning the hall. This will be an all-day meeting. Mrs. Ivan Lusk, president of the auxiliary, announced.

At a dinner February 21 past commanders of the post and past presidents of the auxiliary were honored.

Commanders to be honored were Ira Canfield, first commander and later department commander; Etha Wall, Burt Hukill, Merrill Benka, William Coons, Charles Holbrook, Ed Branchfield, Ed Smith and Cecil Bell, who is the present commander for a second term. Also honored was Richard Schulz, who is a past commander of the Watertown, S. D., VFW post.

Auxiliary members honored were Mrs. Canfield, second president; Mrs. Wall, Mrs. Hukill; Mrs. Albert Hall, Mrs. Schulz, Mrs. Fred Lawrence, Mrs. Lusk, Mrs. O. O. DeBerry, Mrs. Benka, Mrs. Nora Walters, Mrs. J. Kula and Mrs. Ruth Beard. Also honored was Mrs. John Brummond and Mrs. Pearl Burneige, who have served in other states.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Werder. Mr. Werder is the Medford Navy recruiting officer and the couple entertained the group by showing Navy and construction battalion pictures.

Also at the meeting were Henry G. Albrecht, Rogue River, District 7 junior vice-commander, and Mrs. George Pence.

Mrs. Phyllis Brownlee of Del Rogue auxiliary, Grants Pass, was a guest. She is department color bearer.

Toastmistress Club To Hear Contest Talks At Meeting on Monday

Contest speeches will be given by Medford Toastmistress club women at a meeting Tuesday, February 28 at 7:45 p. m., at radio station KBOY.

Presiding will be Mrs. Edward Klimko.

Mrs. A. C. Cameron will speak on "Visiting Churches of Mexico"; Mrs. Jaes Welch, "Our Neighbors About Us"; Mrs. John Schroeder, her autobiography; Mrs. J. R. Sieler, "The Visitor"; Mrs. James Van der Steen will be toastmistress and Mrs. Arnold Bohnert, topicmistress.

Any woman interested in attending is invited.

Ashland Couple Married

Ashland—Miss Frances Cordelia Hess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mordecai Hess of Ashland, became the bride February 12 of Kenneth Alton Mickle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mickle, also of Ashland.

The 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon ceremony was performed at the First Methodist church in Ashland by the Rev. Ross Knotts.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her gown was of embroidered nylon tulle over white satin made with full fashioned skirt. A cap of Mary Stuart lace held her illusion veil and her bouquet was of pink sweetheart roses and white hyacinths.

Miss Kathleen Hess, a sister, was maid of honor. Her pink dress was of crystalline and she carried pink elf roses.

Miss Barbara Simmonds, bridesmaid, wore a crystalline gown of pink matching the one worn by the honor attendant and also carried pink elf roses. Both wore pink bandeaux on their hair.

Glenna Lee Logan, niece of the bride, was flower girl, while her brother, Charles Dennis Logan, was ringbearer. The flower girl's dress was of pale pink nylon and she carried a basket of rose petals.

Donald Cullop was best man and Donald Wolf and the bridegroom's brothers, Gerald Mickle and Ronald Mickle, served as ushers.

Richard Wilson, a nephew of the bride, and William Mickle, a brother of the bridegroom, lighted the tapers. Music was furnished by Mrs. Frank Davis and songs by Eugene Gosson.

Basket arrangements of pussy willows, eucalyptus and deep pink snapdragons and carnations decorated the church.

The reception was held in the church fireside room and the same color scheme was used.

Mrs. Cullop and Mrs. Glen Logan served the cake and pouring coffee was Mrs. Larkin Grubb. Punch was served by Mrs. Richard Hawkins and Mrs. Roy Rawe.

The bride's mother wore an afternoon dress of navy blue crepe with ecru lace trim and navy accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses and white carnations. The bridegroom's mother wore a lace and crepe dress of peacock blue and her accessories were heather pink.

The bride is a 1934 graduate of Ashland high school. She was employed by the Bell Telephone company in Los Angeles and now is a student at Southern Oregon college.

The bridegroom was graduated from the same high school in 1949 and served for four years in the Navy air wing. He is employed by the J. Hickey Construction company.

Kiwanian Dames Aid Scouts

A check for \$550 was presented to the Girl Scouts at the annual Girl Scout luncheon of Medford Kiwanian Dames, held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. E. Ronald Rice, 215 Signaw Drive. The check, presented to the area for the established camp, Low Echo, brings to about \$5,000 the sum which Kiwanian Dames have contributed to scouts for the camp over a period of many years.

When the project was first initiated, Kiwanian Dames donated a \$25 campship each year. Later, money was provided for counselors and in recent years the checks have helped to buy two boats, a canoe, have helped to improve the waterfront, provide showers, buy dishes and tableware, have been applied on the refrigeration unit, a fireplace, completion of infirmary building, remodeling kitchen, and last year, to purchase four new row boats.

The check was presented to Mrs. Maurice Ritchey, representative of the Girl Scout Area camping committee, by Mrs. John Pietsch and Mrs. Lou Cranston, co-chairmen for the "doll project" through which the money was raised.

Mrs. Ritchey spoke on plans for the 1935 camp. The money this year will be used for new cooking and sanitary equipment for the kitchen, equipment for the dining room and infirmary.

Other guests at the meeting included Mrs. Michele Rossi, president of Rogue Valley Area council and Miss Mary Aldrich, executive director. Mrs. Boyd Budge, president, conducted the business meeting.

Soden-Wallace Wedding Held In Eagle Point

Central Point — Miss Roberta Jeanette Wallace, Cummings, Calif., was married February 15 to Ellis Elmer Soden, route 2, box 81, Central Point. The ceremony was held in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. D. E. Millard, Eagle Point, at 7 o'clock in the evening.

The couple made their wedding trip down the coast to San Francisco and will live in Central Point at route 2, box 81.

The bride wore a baby blue and grey checked suit with grey accessories and her corsage was of pink and white carnations.

Miss Earline Soden, a sister of the bridegroom, was the honor attendant. Her suit was grey-green and her accessories white. She wore a corsage of white carnations.

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Millard furnished music and songs. About 35 persons attended the double ring ceremony and over 50 were at the reception held at the home of the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Violet Soden, Central Point.

Mrs. George Myers, Central Point, grandmother of the bridegroom, served the cake and punch was poured by Mrs. Minnie Blaess, great aunt of the bridegroom.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Haggard, Cummings, and the bridegroom's father, Elmer Soden, lives at Shady Cove.

The bride attended schools in Eugene, Gold Beach and Drain and the bridegroom received his education at Shady Cove and Eagle Point schools. He is employed by the Robert Oglesby Logging company.

Lee Greenleaf Guest of Family

Lee M. Greenleaf, Menlo Park, Calif., visited in Medford briefly last week with his mother, Mrs. W. L. Greenleaf, 103 South Holly street, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith, 1033 Reddy avenue.

The visitor made the trip by plane.

Mr. Greenleaf, an official of Morrison-Knudsen Construction company, will leave tomorrow by plane for San Francisco for an around-the-world trip by plane, accompanied by his wife. In Turkey he will attend the dedication of a large dam which the firm recently completed.



Two Medford women who have each served on the board of the Jackson County chapter, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, for 21 years, were honored at a dinner meeting Monday evening at the Medford hotel. The two women are Mrs. Lewis Ulrich (at left) and Mrs. C. Elwood Hedberg. Mrs. Ulrich has been the chapter treasurer since its organization in 1935, and Mrs. Hedberg has been chairman of the women's activities for the same period. Both are retiring from the board. They were presented gifts from other board members, with Mrs. Moore Hamilton, secretary, making the presentation. Twelve attended.—(Brainard photo)

Medford Women To Visit Europe

Travelers continue to provide interesting news, and two Medford women leave soon for visits in Europe. Mrs. Samuel D. Earhart, 11 North Peach, leaves Medford Tuesday, February 28, and Mrs. Russell Herbert, 9 East Jackson street, will leave March 4.

Mrs. Earhart travels by plane to New York from where she will sail on the Queen Elizabeth for Southampton, England. After a stay of several days in London and other English cities, she will go to Holland and from there tour 11 countries of Europe.

At the completion of the tour Mrs. Earhart will go to Pattonville, U. S. Army post near Stuttgart, Germany, for a visit of several weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Chief Warrant Officer and Mrs. Herbert Herbert.

Mrs. Earhart will return in June.

Mrs. Herbert will leave Medford March 4 and after spending a few days in New York will sail for Italy March 17, arriving in Naples March 25 where she will be met by her family. Mrs. Herbert, a native of Italy, will spend two months with her family in Rome, and arrive back in New York June 9.

It has been nine years since Mrs. Herbert has seen her family.

Farewell Party Given on Friday At Country Club

Mrs. George Weir was honored at a farewell luncheon and bridge party Friday afternoon at Rogue Valley Country club. Mr. and Mrs. Weir, who have lived in the valley for many years, are leaving Medford today to make their home in Salinas, Calif.

The no-host party was arranged by Mrs. Merton Lyster and Mrs. Herb Crain, and 17 attended. Prizes for bridge went to Mrs. Ray Wright, Mrs. Cal Webber, Mrs. Jack Lewis and Mrs. Austin Layman.

The Weirs have lived at 115 Highland drive in recent years, and the home has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. Weir have two sons, George Weir Jr., now in the Army and stationed at Boston, Mass., and Allen Weir, who with Mrs. Weir and their two children are living in Hayward, Calif.

Topics Announced For Garden Club

Medford Garden club will meet Thursday, March 1, at 2 p. m. at the Pythian hall, Fifth and Grape streets. Topics will be "Pestiferous Weeds and Grasses," and "Seedlings and Their Care."

Slides will also be shown.

The club executive board plans to meet Monday, February 27 at 1:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Charles Stearns, 522 West Fourth street.

Birthday Party Held by Chapter At Denton Home

A birthday party was enjoyed by nearly 25 members of Alpha Rho chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Monday evening. The party is an annual event, and this year observed the fourth anniversary of organization of Alpha Rho chapter.

Mrs. K. L. Denton held the festive party in her home, 805 West Second street, and it was in the form of a potluck dinner. Three different cakes were decorated with four candles each. Mrs. Ed Bunnell, the chapter's first president, cut the cake.

After a program given by Mrs. Paul Dix, individual cup cakes, topped with the chapters significant yellow rose and a lighted candle, were passed around as favors for the evening.

As gifts are synonymous of birthdays, each member had brought a gay gift to exchange with her secret pal, and at the conclusion new names were drawn for the coming year.

Doctor to Speak For Nurses' Group

"The Proposed Rogue Valley Memorial Hospital," will be the topic of Dr. Edwin R. Durno's talk before the Licensed Practical Nurses association of Jackson County when the group meets Monday, February 27. The meeting will be held in the Community hospital penthouse at 7:30 p. m.

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