

Dad's Night Program Presented

The April meeting of Roosevelt Parent-Teacher association, held Thursday evening in the school auditorium, featured "Dad's Night" and the program was presented by the fathers.

In keeping with the theme "Parents Should Relax" the program began with a mock executive board meeting with husbands taking the place of their wives. Members of the "board" present were Warren Lessee, Otto Frohnmayer, Joe Wittenberger, Stewart Milne, Harper Hamilton, Frank Benesh, George Schuler, John Childers, Harvey Field and Charles Lewis.

A humorous recitation was given by Dr. J. Scott Heatherington. A song and dance routine in costume was presented by a chorus consisting of Sam Richardson, David Koblick, Tod Tibbutt, R. B. Thierolf, Robert J. Cunningham and Dr. Heatherington.

An orchestra made up of some of the fathers of the unit played several selections. Those playing instruments were Ray Johnson, Dick Schuchard, Charles Lewis, Todd Tibbutt, Dr. B. Brandt Bartels, Irv Mirick and Al Huntemann. Pianists were Dr. Edward W. Sickels and Mrs. Schuchard.

It was announced that three delegates from the unit will attend the Oregon Congress of Parents and Teachers convention in Eugene this week. They are Mrs. Jerry Adfinger, Mrs. Nick DeWitt and Mrs. Charles Lewis. Announcement was also made that the unit's publicity book was chosen from the Medford schools to be taken to the convention.

Room count was won by Miss Kathleen Silver in the upper grades and Miss Margaret Jones in the lower grades.

Women's Page

Guest-Detective Put To Work On Jewel Thefts in Monaco

By ELIZABETH TOOMEY United Press Correspondent Monaco—(UPI)—A New York detective invited by Prince Rainier to attend his wedding was put to work today with four French inspectors in an attempt to stop the jewel thefts that have plagued guests of the prince's marriage to actress Grace Kelly.

The detective, Frank Cressi, acted as the prince's bodyguard on his recent New York visit. Rainier developed such an admiration for the combined linguist-detective who had guarded other visiting royalty he invited him to the wedding.

The latest report was the theft of about \$8,000 worth of jewels from Mrs. Maree Pamp, wealthy Philadelphia socialite and one of Miss Kelly's bridesmaids. The jewels were removed from a black zippered bag in her room at the swank Hotel de Paris.

They were originally estimated worth \$10,000 to \$20,000. Rumors are flying it was the second theft reported by police, but rumors swept the principality that several other guests had been robbed.

Police refused even to discuss the known thefts, let alone discuss the rumored ones. The first theft was that of \$45,000 in jewels from the suite of Matthew McCloskey, publisher of the Philadelphia News and treasurer of the Democratic National committee. Monegasque police said at first they knew nothing of that robbery.

Mrs. Pamp said she left the zipper bag of jewelry in one of her dresser drawers when she left for church Monday to take part in the rehearsal for the wedding. She returned to her room late in the afternoon and discovered it was missing.

The jewelry was insured. It included a set of pearl earrings, a diamond bracelet, a necklace of cultured pearls, two gold bracelets and a watch. Doesn't Tell Grace "I don't know what I'll do," she sighed.

However she did not tell Miss Kelly about the theft when she attended a bridesmaids' party Monday night at the palace since she said she did not want to dampen the wedding spirits, already upset by the McCloskey theft.

Police redoubled their guards at the Hotel de Paris which has been reserved for the guests, most of them wealthy. The prince called in Cressi and four inspectors of the Nationale, the French federal police.

The tension at the glittering hotel rivaled that in the Grace Kelly movie "To Catch a Thief" which was a story of Riviera jewel robberies. Police tried to hush up the crime, but admitted the theft after the blonde Mrs. Pamp told friends about it.

Officer Speaks For Meeting of Legion Auxiliary

Mrs. Kay Crowell, chief probation officer for Jackson county, was guest speaker at the April meeting of the American Legion auxiliary. She spoke on juvenile delinquency and stressed the need for more foster homes in the county.

Mrs. Leo Williams, Camp White hospital chairman, reported that she had received orders for 305,700 poppies which are now being completed and shipped to various units in Oregon and Alaska in preparation for poppy days in May. Each year on the Friday and Saturday preceding Memorial day these poppies are offered to the public to wear in memory of the men who lost their lives in the World Wars.

Mrs. Ed Leach, Girls State chairman, announced that five girls would again be sent from Medford to attend the 15th annual Girls State, a program of training in democratic government, to be held on the Willamette university campus June 11-17. These Junior girls are picked on the basis of leadership, cooperativeness, physical fitness, scholarship, character, honesty and courage.

As in previous years, the auxiliary is sponsoring two girls, St. Marys Parents Club one, Zonta Club one, and the combined League of Women Voters, Democratic Woman and Republican Women one. It is hoped that it will be possible to film the program this year in order to educate the public regarding this youth program.

Mrs. Herb Gifford, president of the Medford unit, stated that the nominating committee for next year's officers would be Mrs. Earl Bigalow, Mrs. Merle Jarmin and Mrs. Clark Walker.

Following the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Jarmin and Mrs. H. C. Goldsmith.

Program Given For PTA Unit

Square dancing and tumbling demonstrated by fifth and sixth grade students directed by their coach, Morris Jimenez, and several songs from the forthcoming spring operetta, "Roaring 20's," directed by Mrs. Hazeldean Hohnesse, made up the program at the April meeting of the Lincoln Parent-Teacher association.

The students presented two dances, the boys then demonstrated the forward, backward and monkey rolls in tumbling, followed by a pyramid. Three songs from the operetta, to be presented about the middle of May, were sung.

During the business meeting, Mrs. Eric de Place, Mrs. J. J. Jones, and Mr. Derald Verley were appointed to the auditing committee. It was announced that Mrs. Mike Morris will represent Lincoln at the Oregon PTA Congress convention to be held April 17-19. Mrs. Kenneth Bramhall, retiring president, is also attending, but as a delegate from the county unit of which she is vice-president.

Mrs. Bramhall explained the duties of the executive committee to the association as there had been some inquiry as to what the committee did. Mrs. Walter McMahan explained the new plan for summer roundup of children starting to school in September. Medford has been asked to change their plans to coincide with the way it is done in the rest of the state. Mrs. Roy Lilly displayed the historian's book and invited the members to examine it.

Roy Gilbertson, principal, thanked the PTA for the staplers for the schoolrooms and stated that what helps make work easier or better for the teachers also helps the children. The staplers were given in lieu of the annual teacher luncheon. Mr. Gilbertson also made several announcements of coming events at the school. There will be a track meet April 19, and another, city-wide, on April 26; the Girl Scout court of awards dinner will be April 27; Health day is May 4, at 1 o'clock; the band and orchestra will present a program at the May PTA meeting.

Mrs. Bramhall urged members to attend the twilight concert of the Medford Mothersingers to be held April 29 from 4 p.m. until 5 p.m. in the Hedrick Junior High cafeteria.

Serving refreshments after the meeting was Mrs. E. V. Hurt, Mrs. Earl Hall, Mrs. Walter McMahan, Mrs. Robert Selby, and Mrs. George Ortiz. Pouring was Mrs. Marion Rice, and Mrs. McMahan. The guest book was handled by Mrs. Howard Pierce and Mrs. William Johnson. Mrs. Jack Edmonds was chairman of hospitality.

The presentation of the colors was by Troop 111, second grade Brownies, led by Mrs. W. O. Burnette and Mrs. Anna May Arnold. Mrs. Hurt gave the opening prayer. Room count for the most parents present was won by Miss Anna Laura Honts' room.

Coming Programs Planned for PTA; Professor Talks Gold Hill—Programs dealing with family relations, mental health and speakers from other vicinities are planned for next year's Gold Hill Parent-Teacher meetings. The decision was made last Thursday evening at a meeting of the group when Mrs. O. E. Kellogg, program chairman for this year, led the unit in a planning session for the future programs.

Leon Mulling, associate professor of speech at Southern Oregon college, spoke on speech difficulties. Part of his talk was devoted to the physical reasons for speech difficulties and the means which parents can use to help children at home. A question and answer period was conducted.

Room count revealed that students in the fourth and sixth grades tied for a prize by having the most parents at the meeting. Refreshments were served by mothers of seventy grade students.

Military Order Names Delegates To State Meeting

At a joint meeting last week in Medford of Gladiolus circle, Military Order of Lady Bugs, Grants Pass, with the Roguette circle, Medford, delegates to an MOLA state convention to be held soon at Roseburg were elected. The order is a subsidiary organization of Veterans of Foreign Wars auxiliary.

Mrs. John Schuster and Mrs. Ivan Lusk, Central Point, will represent the local Roguette chapter, and alternates elected are Mrs. O. O. DeBerry and Mrs. Bernice Rodgers, Ashland. Reservations for housing at Roseburg during the convention should be made at once through the VFW department housing chairman, Mrs. Russell Zundel has announced.

Mrs. Schuster won a prize during the meeting and in charge of the event was Mrs. Harry Newman, Ashland, president. Mrs. Lusk, hospital chairman at Camp White domiciliary, stated that the recent hobby fair held there was successful and that a project conducted at the domiciliary by the Cooties, was being well attended.

Chapter CP Chapter CP of PEO will meet Wednesday, April 18, at 12:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. C. H. Paske, 1010 South Oakdale avenue. Assisting her will be Mrs. George Polski.

To Hold Auction Gold Hill—Items for an auction should be taken by members of Amethyst Rebekah lodge members to their meeting Wednesday, April 18 at 8 p.m., officers have announced.

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.

- Tuesday 7 p.m.—Assembly of God Women's Missionary council, at Church. 8 p.m.—Pythian Sisters, Pythian bldg. 7:30 p.m.—Medford Truth center, "Unity," Room 203, Holly bldg. 7:30 p.m.—FOE auxiliary officers, Eagles hall. 7:30 to 8:45 p.m.—Howard school open house. 8 p.m.—Beta Sigma Upsilon sorority, Mrs. Gerald Von Ting, 1853 Delta Waters rd. 8 p.m.—Lydia circle, Zion Lutheran church, Mrs. Robert Glathar, 61 Vashti way. 8 p.m.—Mary circle, Zion Lutheran church, Mrs. B. Kent Blackhurst, 24 South Keeneway dr. 8 p.m.—Carnation club, Mrs. Matilda Dietrich, 939 North Central ave. 8 p.m.—OES district meeting, Ashland Masonic temple. 8 p.m.—Jackson county salon, 8 and 40, Mrs. Clark Walker, 1765 Stewart ave. 8 p.m.—Chapter BE, PEO, Mrs. F. Wilson Wait, 220 Vancouver ave. 8 p.m.—Eagle Point Grange, Grange hall. Wednesday 9:45 a.m.—LWV morning study unit, Mrs. Fred Carr, 16 Florence ave. 10:30 a.m.—Rogue-Elk Home Extension unit, Mrs. Chester Wilson, Elk Creek rd. 12 noon—Reames Social club, Medford Masonic temple. 12:30 p.m.—Townsend Auxiliary club, Carpenters' hall, 123 1/2 West Main street. 1 p.m.—Get Together club, Moose hall. 1 p.m.—Chapter CG, PEO sisterhood, Mrs. Stephen R. Mosher, 332 Ardmore ave. 1 p.m.—Past Matrons club, Nevita chapter, OES, Medford hotel. 1:30 p.m.—Esther circle, Zion Lutheran church, Mrs. Paul Rynning, 16 Rose ave. 1:45 p.m.—Contemporary Book club, Ross lane. 2 p.m.—Wednesday Study club, Mrs. Jack Swem, 38 Ross court.

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Group to Attend Meeting of Board At Portland Club

A group of valley women will attend the annual spring board meeting of Oregon Lions Club auxiliary to be held tomorrow at the Columbia Edgewater club in Portland. There are 74 clubs in the State of Oregon with membership well over 2000.

Attending from this area will be Mrs. John Cook, Mrs. Norman Williams, Mrs. Leonard Carlson and Mrs. Jake Welch from Phoenix Lions' auxiliary, Mrs. Bruce Pingle and Mrs. Warren Hartley from Butte Falls Lions' auxiliary and Mrs. George Hubbard from Prospect Lions' auxiliary.

Reports from the state officers and a report from the convention chairmen, Mrs. Norman Ross, will be given at the meeting. The adoption of the budget for the annual institute for the parents of visually handicapped preschool children, which is the project of the state organization, is also included in the business to take place at the meeting.

Crater Gardeners To Hold Election Crater Garden club will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, April 19, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Thomas Smith, 135 South Big-ham lane, Central Point. Officers will be elected and a fall flower show discussed.

Roll call will be "What I am doing in my garden now." Flower and country of the month will be the maple leaf and Canada, given by Mrs. Henry DeVoss. Program for the evening will be a speaker on insecticides from a leading spray company. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. Dorothy Kelley and Mrs. Charles Meyer.

Officers Elected By Extension Unit

Officers elected for Howard Extension unit to serve next year are Mrs. J. R. Campbell, chairman; Mrs. L. R. Bailey, vice-chairman; Mrs. Robert Ottman, secretary; and Mrs. Albert Stocks, treasurer.

At the last meeting, The lesson on "Drapery Making" was given to 18 members by the leaders, Mrs. William H. Seibert and Mrs. John Benson. Members made sample lined draperies during the lesson.

Hostesses for the meeting, which was held in Harmony Hall of the Friend's church, were Mrs. Paul Robertson and Mrs. E. A. Walton.

Retiring officers of Howard unit are Mrs. Ernest Gleason, chairman; Mrs. Bailey, vice-chairman; Mrs. Seibert, secretary; and Mrs. Stocks, treasurer.

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