



WEDDING PLANS are being made at Jewish Home for the Aged in Los Angeles as Mrs. Hinda Jubas, 95, and Myer Krich, 98, obtained a marriage license. Krich has been a widower 5 years, Mrs. Jubas a widow for 40. (International)

Reports Required for Household Employees

Employers of household help were reminded today by W. V. Nusbaum, manager of the Medford social security office, that they are required to report earnings of any employee earning \$50 or more during a calendar quarter.

There have been some indications that this provision of the social security law has not been thoroughly understood in this area, he said.

People who worked regularly in one household have been covered by the law since 1951. The 1954 amendments brought under social security, beginning in 1955, all household workers who are paid cash wages of \$50 or more in a calendar quarter even though they may not work regularly for the employer, Nusbaum said.

Employers having household help for whom they are not already making reports should request a copy of leaflet OASI-21 from the Medford social security office, he said. This leaflet discusses the household employer's duties under the social security law and contains a tear-off postcard to be used to get on the mailing list for regular report blanks.

When an employee's earnings are not reported properly, not only does he or she fail to get credit for the earnings for re-

irement purposes, but the employer is subject to penalties prescribed by law in such cases, Nusbaum added.

Grange Notes

Upper Rogue Grange

Upper Rogue Grange met Aug. 2. Lyle McMurray of Medford, showed moving pictures of the recent Rose Festival and parade in Portland, also the 1955 Pasadena Rose parade, Grand Canyon, Yosemite and Lassen National parks, after which a business meeting was called to order by Master Caroline Harding.

The use of the Grange hall was permitted to the Shady Cove Jobs daughters for a dance Aug. 4.

At the next regular Grange meeting which will be Thursday, Aug. 16, the public is invited. Carl Finstrom will give a talk on the revolution in Argentina. Mr. and Mrs. Finstrom are here on a visit from Buenos Aires and expect to leave for their home Aug. 18. The Finstroms bought the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barber several years ago but will not retire for another two years then they expect to make their home on Rogue River. Finstrom is the port superintendent for Moore-McCormick Steamship lines in Buenos Aires.

After the business meeting refreshments were served by Sister Mary Boothy and Sister Hazel Ulrick.

Pickin' Pears

News and Notes From Camp White

By BILL HURN

Honor recognition to the service group for this week goes to VFW auxiliary according to the proclamation on the main corridor display plaque.

Phoenix Grange ladies were at VA Domiciliary Wednesday afternoon on sewing and mending assignments. Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Dinsmore, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Bates comprised the party.

Medford Red Cross chapter ladies conducted Aphasia class and held a recreation hour at the infirmary Wednesday. Mrs. Martin Luther and Aimee Duell were aided by Mrs. R. E. Carley of Sams Valley, who is the oldest active Gray Lady of the area, and a wearer of a 30-year pin. Mrs. Carley is reviving Stamp club activity for the domiciliary members, the first session to be held Monday.

Capt. John K. Ricker, Mrs. Ricker and children, Sharon, 9, Ricky, 7, and Kim, 5, left Thursday to return to Ft. Lee, Va., following a three weeks visit here with his parents, E. K. Ricker, manager of the VA Domiciliary, and Mrs. Ricker. Sightseeing tours of Rogue valley scenic and recreational spots filled the vacation.

Capt. Ricker, upon his return from 38 months of Japan and Korea service, is now with quartermaster corps in charge of parachute maintenance section at Ft. Lee.

Ricker, manager of VA domiciliary, has announced that in the renovation and alterations incidental to the vacating of building 202 by arts and crafts the VA Domiciliary post office is now established in enlarged quarters in 202. The credit union office is also being put in readiness in 202. Space has been established, painted and made ready for the registration and voting of Jackson county precinct 73 as a permanent fixture.

The commodious room will house the voting booths specially built to the convenience of the members. It has also been designated to be the office for "Pickin' Pears" columnist. VA administration through special services has established and opened its own photographic dark room in building 223 for general use of the facility. The dark room is fully equipped with enlarger and facilities for reproduction work. Jerry Gambie is in charge.

On Friday evening, Twin Plunges at Ashland was the

scene of the summer picnic of VA Domiciliary employees with about 75 in attendance. Swim, games and contests were followed by a potluck feed and a watermelon-bust.

The committee having charge consisted of Caroline Vincent, Bud Ash, Joan McCready, Al Birman, Dale Vincent and Ted Nicholson.

Navy Court Martial Convicts Commander

Norfolk, Va. —(U.P.)—A Navy general court martial board convicted of negligence the commander of the destroyer escort Easton which collided with the battleship Wisconsin during a maneuver.

The board decided that Cmdr. Richard B. Varley was negligent in taking over command of his ship without first checking her course and speed. She was running a collision course with the Wisconsin at the time.

The court martial board deliberated two hours before finding the 37-year-old veteran of World War II guilty of negligence which allowed the two Navy ships to collide in fog-shrouded seas during a training maneuver.

ACTRESS EXPECTING

Providence, R.I. —(U.P.)— Actress Martha Wright said today she is expecting a baby in February.

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