



Mrs. Edwin Walter Gebhard (Hostkoetter photo)

### Ceremony In Missouri Weds Couple

Miss Helen Maxine Madsen became the bride of Edwin Walter Gebhard in a ceremony held Saturday, February 2, in the Maplewood Christian church in St. Louis, Mo. The Rev. Bernard Burry officiated at the ceremony. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Madsen, St. Louis. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Gebhard of Central Point. The bride wore a ballerina length gown of chantilly lace trimmed with iridescent sequins and pearls, and an heirloom lace cap held her veil of tulle. She carried a prayer book that was brought from Norway by a grandmother of the bridegroom and has been carried by brides in the family for two generations. Miss Jean Marie Laux was maid of honor for her cousin. She wore a rose taffeta dress with pink carnation corsage. John Pierce served as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The couple left on a honeymoon trip to New Orleans, Florida state, and points on the Gulf of Mexico. The bride is a member of the faculty of Normandy Senior High school of St. Louis as instructor of fine arts. She is a graduate of Southwest Missouri State college, Cape Girardeau, Mo., Washington university, St. Louis, Mo., and Columbia university, New York. She is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma and the American Association of University Women. The bride is a niece of the Jantzer families of Southern Oregon.

Mr. Gebhard is a graduate of Central Point schools, American Diesel School of Los Angeles and Coyne Electrical School of Chicago. He was employed for 10 years as a chief engineer in the Maritime Service on the Mississippi System. At the present he is with Gebhard Orchards of Central Point. The newlyweds will make their home in Central Point.

Receiving with Mrs. Green will be Mrs. Boyer, Mrs. Albert Straus, Mrs. Stanley Zapell, Mrs. William V. Deatherage, Mrs. Moore Hamilton and Mrs. Ernest M. Madden. Mrs. Green will leave by plane for Washington at 11:15 a.m. Tuesday.

### Doctors to Speak On Heart Surgery Sunday Afternoon

"Heart Surgery" will be the topic under discussion on the public health program presented on KBES-TV on Sunday, February 17, at 5 p.m. A panel of internists, Dr. Ralph E. Hibbs, Dr. Fred C. Lorish of Medford, and Dr. John Reynolds of Ashland, will describe the various types of heart lesions which are amenable to surgery.

Then Dr. Roland Mayer, surgeon, will explain the techniques of surgery employed to correct these lesions. Liberal use of charts and diagrams will make the discussion easy to follow for the viewing public. A heart patient, a young man who recently had radical heart surgery, will be introduced towards the end of the program. Dr. Oscar Heyermann, internist of Medford, helped prepare the script and will assist in the production of the program.

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### Guild President Lists Committees For Smorgasbord

Ashland — Committee appointments have been made for the Tudor guild smorgasbord that will be held Saturday, February 23, according to Mrs. William Dawkins, Ashland, president. Mrs. A. C. Allen Jr., Medford, and Mrs. E. N. Terrill are general chairmen for the event that will raise funds for an actors' scholarship which aids the Oregon Shakespearean festival. Publicity chairman is Mrs. Martel Peters, Ashland, food committee members include Mr. and Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Terrill, Mrs. Aubrey Hill, Mrs. Bernard Windt, Phoenix; Mrs. Harry Skerry, and Mrs. Marvin Kocks, Ashland, with the Tudor men in charge of clean-up. Hostesses for the event will be Mrs. Dawkins, Mrs. Angus Bowmer, Ashland, and Mrs. I. E. Schuler, Medford, one of the founders of Tudor Guild. The smorgasbord will be held from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m., at the Parish house in Ashland on Second street across from the post-office.

### Miss South Guest At Shower Party

Central Point—Miss Earlene South, whose wedding to Gordon Tidwell Jr., was set for Thursday night at First Presbyterian church, was honored at a shower February 5. Hostesses were the bride's attendants, Mrs. Gordon Mekvold and Miss Marla Abbott, and the party was held at the Mekvold home. Decorations were in the valentine colors of red and white, and these colors were also used for the wedding.

Guests were Miss Sally Elden, Miss Sharon Lilly, Miss Dixie Walker, Miss Marlene Burelson, Miss Joyce Hobbs, Miss Lona Bishop, Miss Nadra Moore, Miss Joanne Ritter, Miss Joan von der Hellen, Miss Norene Davis, Miss Linda Tidwell, Miss Marilyn Paul, Miss Judi Davis, Miss Betty Jo McCann, Miss Sherill von Buskirk, Miss Pat Snook and Mrs. Frank Saxbury. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry South.

### Members Added By Ladies' Troop; Event Announced

Three new members were welcomed at a meeting of Ladies' Mounted troop held at the home of Mrs. Mary H. Brown, Arnold Lane, Tuesday. The new members are Mrs. Betty Barnard, Miss Jo Woody and Miss Rosa Layton. After the business meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Brown and Mrs. O. D. Martin. Cards were enjoyed by the group after refreshments. A potluck dinner and square dancing are planned this evening at the clubhouse on Sage lane. This has become a regular Sunday evening event for troop members and friends.

### Plan Potluck Dinner

Crater Lake Post and auxiliary will hold a potluck dinner Tuesday, February 19, at 6:30 p.m. at the Veterans hall, 42 North Front street. A business meeting will follow the dinner.

### Couple to Wed In March Rites

Eagle Point—Mrs. Norman A. Dunford of Eagle Point announces the engagement of her daughter, Kay Luella, to John T. Sinsel III, son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Sinsel Jr. of Minden, Nebraska. Miss Dunford was graduated from Eagle Point High school, in 1954 and attended the University of Oregon where she was affiliated with Zeta Tau Alpha sorority. Mr. Sinsel attended school in Minden and served with the United States Army Engineers in Germany. He is now in business in Nebraska. The wedding date has been set for March 30 in the Eagle Point Community church.

### Pledged

Eugene — Miss Billie Lee Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Wood, 208 Hawthorne street, Medford, was one of 26 freshman women pledged by national sororities on the University of Oregon campus during winter term open rush here. Miss Wood was pledged by Delta Delta.

### Home Rites Held Here For Couple

White wedding bells and floral nosegays decorated the home of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Caldwell, 715 Lozier lane, for the wedding of Miss Faith Diederich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garth Diederich, 436 North Bartlett street, and the Caldwell's son, Roger Caldwell.

The Rev. James W. Neely of First Baptist church officiated at the wedding held Saturday, February 9, at eight o'clock in the evening. Close friends and relatives attended the ceremony. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a street length dress styled on princess lines in white with gold figure. Her veil was shoulder length. She carried a Bible covered with lace and white roses. Miss Letti-Ann Diederich was maid of honor for her sister. She wore a white and yellow print cotton dress and carried yellow carnations. Jack Qualls of Passadena, Calif., was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Caldwell home. Cake and punch were served. After a wedding trip to San Francisco the newlywed couple are making their home at 18 Hawthorne avenue in Medford. The bride attended schools in Kenosha, Wis., and Chico, Calif. She is now employed by the United States National Bank here. Mr. Caldwell was graduated from Medford High school and is employed by Gilman's dairy.

### Officers Elected By Mothers' Club

Mrs. S. E. Philips was elected president of the University of Oregon Mothers' club at a meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Allan Perry, 105 Geneva street. Other officers elected were Mrs. G. E. Kellington, vice-president; Mrs. Robert S. Rukovinda, secretary; and Mrs. G. S. Van Valzah, treasurer.

At the reorganization meeting presided over by Mrs. J. W. Barnard in the absence of Mrs. George V. Holzgang, former president, plans for the club were discussed in order to support the scholarships offered each year by the Mother's club a cooked food sale and rummage sale were planned for the near future.

### Leaving

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Hughes, Griffin Creek road, will leave Monday for Yakima, Wash., to make their home. The Hughes have lived in Medford for almost 20 years, Mr. Hughes having been employed in the fruit industry. In recent years Mrs. Hughes has been a dental assistant for Dr. C. C. Van Valzah. In Yakima the couple will reside at 1003 1/2 Glenside.

### To Be Hostess

Oak Grove Neighborhood club will meet at the home of Mrs. Ray Marks, 72 Renault avenue, for a dessert luncheon. The meeting will be Tuesday, February 19 at 1:30 p.m.

### Open House Held To Honor Mother

Phoenix — Mrs. Charles Spannaus was honor guest at open house February 12, her 63rd birthday anniversary. The event was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Furry of Phoenix. Mrs. Michael Wrede, granddaughter of Mrs. Spannaus, assisted the hostess. Almost 50 guests called between 2 and 5 o'clock. Mrs. Lettie Stansby of Medford, sister of Mrs. Spannaus, was among those present. Two other sisters, Mrs. Alice Cooper, Dorris, Calif., and Mrs. Mary Renker, Atwater, Calif., were unable to be present. Mrs. Spannaus, a former Phoenix resident, now makes her home in Yreka, Calif. She and Mr. Spannaus reside at 404 Butte street in that city.

### Medford Couple Home From Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen G. Nye returned home last week from a vacation in Mexico. They went first to Acapulco, and later spent some time in Cuernavaca and in Mexico City. In Mexico City they attended a performance of a Spanish ballet troupe and programs of native dancers, and saw the horse races and a bull fight. The Nyes joined other Medford couples spending winter vacations in the south, and from time to time met others by chance.

Miss Sheila Spence, freshman at Oregon State college, has been initiated by Beta Upsilon chapter of Alpha Phi sorority. Miss Spence is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Spence, 118 Florence avenue.

### Teachers to Hold Mad Hatter Party

Jackson county division, Oregon Education association, will hold the annual winter social Tuesday, February 19, at 8 p.m. Theme of the party will be "Mad Hatter" with members asked to wear unusual headdresses. At the party, to be held in the new H. P. Jewett Elementary school in Central Point, off West Pine street at Freeman road, prizes will be offered for the most original and most amusing hats for both men and women. Hats will be provided for those attending not wearing one. Games have been planned for the evening and refreshments will be served.

### Congresswoman Edith Green To Be Honored at Two Events

Congresswoman Edith Green, who will be guest speaker at the annual Student Government day dinner to be held at Medford Elks Temple tomorrow night, will arrive at the Medford airport tomorrow at 11:15 a.m. according to Democratic State Chairman Robert A. Boyer. Mrs. Green will fly here from a conference she is attending in San Francisco.

In addition to the Elks' sponsored appearance, the third Oregon district representative in Congress will be honored at two other events tomorrow to which the public is invited. At noon she will attend a no-host luncheon at the Medford hotel. Plans for this are in charge of Mrs. Albert Straus and Mark McKenzie, Democratic congressional committeemen. Reservations are being taken by Mrs. Moore Hamilton, phone 2-2801.

### Chapel Rites Wed Pair in California

Mrs. Margaret Day, 217 South Riverside avenue, Medford, became the bride of Dr. Steven P. Riley in a ceremony held Wednesday, February 6, in a Catholic chapel in Oakland, Calif. The Rev. John C. Potter officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride, a nurse on the staff of Sacred Heart hospital, came to Medford in October from the Oakland General hospital. Her home was formerly in Atlanta, Ga. Dr. Riley, a lieutenant commander in the United States Navy, made his home in Atlanta, Ga., before entering the service.

For her wedding the bride chose a navy blue dress with rose beige accessories. Her corsage was of white roses. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Weidman attended the couple. Mr. Weidman, a captain in the United States Army stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., and Mrs. Weidman are brother-in-law and sister of the bridegroom.

The chapel was decorated with white chrysanthemums for the wedding and traditional organ wedding music was played. A reception was held in the evening for the newlyweds at the Commissioned Officer's club at Treasure Island, United States Naval Base, San Francisco.

After a wedding trip to southern California, Dr. Riley left for Honolulu, Hawaii, where he will be stationed at a Naval hospital. Mrs. Riley will join him there in the near future.

After Dr. Riley's retirement the couple plan to live on their ranch south of Grants Pass.

### Band Announces Concert Friday

Ashland — Southern Oregon college band will give a "pops" concert at Churchill hall on the Ashland campus Friday, February 22, at 8 p.m. Solists for the evening will be Miss Judy Hall, Jacksonville, pianist.

A small charge will be made for the concert which will be used for band scholarships, according to Glenn Matthews, band director.

Refreshments will be served during intermission and are included in the admission price.

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