



Miss Jane Neely Engaged to Wed Michael Stradley

The Rev. and Mrs. James W. Neely, 5087 West Eleventh street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane Ann, to C. Michael Stradley, of Haines, Alaska.

Mr. Stradley is a graduate of the Bellingham, Wash., High School and is now a senior at Multnomah School of the Bible. He is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Frank Stradley, missionaries in Alaska.

Miss Neely is a graduate of Medford High school and also attended Multnomah School of the Bible.

A late August wedding has been planned, following which Mr. Stradley will attend LeTourneau Technical Institute in Longview, Tex. He will major in aviation in preparation for missionary aviation service.

Past Presidents Honored by Club On Anniversary

Past presidents of the Past Noble Grand club of Olive Rebekah lodge were honored at a meeting last week at the home of Mrs. Dana Bowers which observed the club's 33rd anniversary.

Mrs. Harry Turner, first president of the group that was organized March 13, 1924, was present for the meeting. Other past presidents in attendance were Mrs. Eber Weed, Mrs. Lona Pickell, Mrs. E. D. Scripser, Mrs. Floyd Murray, Mrs. Clarence Jordan, Mrs. Fred Daugherty, Mrs. George Howard, Mrs. W. H. Dyer, Mrs. Margaret Davis and Mrs. Carrie Milnes.

The program was given by Mrs. Clara Franklin, Mrs. Daugherty, Mrs. Ed Dameron, Mrs. Dyer, and Mrs. Davis.

Each past president was presented a cup and saucer by the club. Gifts were sent to Mrs. A. H. Gregory and Mrs. P. M. Aldred, past presidents, who were unable to attend.

Program For Concert To Be Light

The spring concert of the Philharmonic Society of Southern Oregon, which will be given at Medford High school Sunday, March 31 at 3 p.m. is of a lighter caliber than the usual serious symphonic fare according to its musical director and conductor, R. D. Werner.

The overture to "Martha", an opera by von Flatow which will open the program, is gay and tuneful, but in the grand opera style. Great singers have appeared in it including Enrico Caruso. It has long been a favorite and is in the regular repertoire of all major opera companies.

Joanna Lester, 17-year-old lyric soprano from Grants Pass, who recently won the Philharmonic Guild audition, will be soloist.

For her aria with orchestral accompaniment she will sing the Waltz Song from "Romeo and Juliette" by Charles Gounod. Later in the program she will sing a group of songs in English, French and Italian, with Bruno Pillegrini as accompanist.

Rounding out the first half of the program, the orchestra will play two pieces by Rachmaninoff, "Prelude in G Minor" and "Floods of Spring" along with two pieces by Wagner, "Adagio" for clarinet and string orchestra, the solo to be played by Huot Fischer of Ashland, and "Albumbliatt" for string orchestra.

The closing piece will be a "Suite Romantique" by Director Werner, which he describes as a distillation of youthful impressions and experiences. The suite has five movements: Promenade, Elegy, Valse, Nocturne and Fantasia a la Marcia.

Tickets are available at Purucker's Piano house, Swem's store, the Music Mart and the box office on the day of the concert.

Regional Director Child Evangelism To Be Guest Here

The Rev. Reidar Kalland, western regional director of the Child Evangelism Fellowship, will be guest speaker at a potluck supper Tuesday, March 19, at 6:30 p.m. in the basement of the First Baptist church, Fifth and Central streets.

The entire family is invited to attend the supper as the program will include something of interest for all age groups, it is stated. CEF is an interdenominational organization that conducts Bible classes for children in the area.

Youth Research Institute Says Teenagers are Old Fashioned

By GAY PAULEY United Press Correspondent New York—(U.P.)—This week in Manhattan:

That old-fashioned girl probably is the teenager next door.

The Youth Research Institute reported that although today's younger set is apt to label mom and pop fuddy duddies, the teenagers themselves are old-fashioned in many of their tastes.

The girls collect Elvis Presley records, and then vote Clark Gable, old enough to be their grandfather, as their favorite male movie star. Old timers Gary Cooper, Robert Taylor and Bing Crosby are runners-up.

The boys drive hot rods and then select Elizabeth Taylor and Grace Kelly as their favorite actresses. "Elizabeth Taylor is more like the girl next door," one 15-year-old youth in Pasadena, Calif. explained to the institute.

"Grace Kelly looks understanding," said a 15-year-old Philadelphian.

Not So Sophisticated "Marilyn Monroe is too obvi-

Five Units Plan Lesson On Seafood

A lesson on "Seafoods in Your Meals" will be given for five of the county's home extension units this week.

Sams Valley unit will meet Tuesday, March 19, at 10:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. Bill Duggan. The lesson on seafoods will be presented in the morning with the business meeting conducted in the afternoon.

The project leaders will show the entire process of preparing and cooking seafoods. Those attending are asked to take their own table service. Roll call will be answered by naming a favorite electrical appliance.

Wednesday, March 20, Rogue Elk group will meet at the home of Mrs. Audrey Collier on Laurelhurst road at 10:30 a.m.

The morning business meeting will be conducted by Mrs. Morris Bush and the hostesses for the noon luncheon, Mrs. Ranaid Axtell and Mrs. Collier, will demonstrate how to prepare and serve the seafood dishes.

The Central Point unit will also meet Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. A. Straus, 643 East Pine street, Central Point. Child care will be provided at the home of Mrs. Paul Jones, 235 Laurel street, Central Point.

Thursday at 10:30 a.m. the Eagle Point group will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed Hayes, Bigham road. A seafood luncheon prepared by Mrs. Otto Nagel and Mrs. Bert Dodenhoff will be served at noon.

Child care will be at Mrs. Edna Cunningham's on Brophy road.

The Lone Pine unit will meet Thursday at 10:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. W. M. Kelsoe, Route 3, Box 170B, Medford. Mrs. Kelsoe and Mrs. P. C. Dalton will give the project demonstration on seafood.

Girl Scouts Investiture Held

Elk - Trail Brownie Scout Troop 215 recently held an investiture for Linda Albert, Cheryl Barlow, Jackie Carlson, Jolene Casebier, Laura Dawson, Marie Oliver, Linda Robbins, Gloria Ragsdale, Linda Scott, Mary Jo Selto, Sharron Sikes, Alice Spence, Susann Turner, Delo Wild, Diane Martin and Sharon Oliver. Evelyn Oliver was absent.

According to Mrs. Loyd Turner, troop leader, each girl received a Brownie pin. Afterwards the troop played games, sang and ended by forming the friendship circle.

Several members of troop 158, McLoughlin Junior High school, attended the monthly skating party held at the Rogue Valley ballroom. The troop is working on the skating and good grooming badges. Mrs. Maurice Ritchey is troop leader; transportation was furnished by Mr. Ritchey and Mrs. Harwood. Guests were Sharon Ritchey and Margaret Doolen, fifth graders.

Members of the troop attending the skate were Anita Ritchey, JoAnn Johnson, Jaquette Jones, Lynn Peterson, Marilyn Harwood, Loleta Saateil, and Mary Dodge.

ous," said a 17-year-old boy. Lester Rand, head of the institute which studies youth's tastes and opinions, said these findings came from a recent study among 3,700 teenagers. A look through their institute statistics showed, he said, that "teenagers are not always the super sophisticates and ultra moderns they fancy themselves."

One national study showed most girls think it is wrong to telephone a boy. Another showed more girls are sewing and cooking than ever before.

Rand said one study found 77 per cent of the teenagers think parental consent is necessary before getting married; most of them believe in bringing up large families; and 80 per cent of the boys said they liked the old-fashioned idea that "woman's place is in the home."

New Jewelry One inventive jewelry designer is out with a two part necklace which can be worn 20 ways. Judith McCann termed her creation the "Twenty-Twenty, a sight for good eyes." The many variations are made possible by a patented gadget called the "shuv-on," a trick fastener in rhinestone, which enables the woman to arrange the two 20-inch strands as say a four-strand choker, and with fancy pendants, or chignon ornament. It also can be draped to play up square, round or plunging neckline.

Mrs. McCann makes the necklace in synthetic fresh water pearl, a glass bead with pearlized coating. She said fresh water pearl promises to succeed chalk white in popularity this summer, because women are tired of the latter season after season.

Designer Cecil Chapman has decided that in a year of fashions which expose the back, it is high time someone again bared the front. In her summer collection she included a formal chiffon gown with its halter neckline slashed to the waist. A separate bra provides the wearer with the necessary modesty.

Sisters to Hold Party Thursday; Session Planned

Final plans for a benefit party this week will be made at a meeting of Pythian Sisters Tuesday, March 19, at the Pythian building. The benefit event will be a smorgasbord and card party Thursday, March 21, at 12:30 p.m. at the Pythian building.

During Tuesday night's meeting first plans will also be made for the visit of the grand chief in April.

Mrs. William Michael and Mrs. Ida Ireland are the committee for the evening.

Past Chiefs' club will meet Wednesday at 1 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Emille Conrad, 632 Palm street, for a covered dish luncheon.

Pythian club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Don Ross. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Joe Cook. Cards were played with Mrs. Ruth Dodge winning first prize and Mrs. Emille Conrad second. Other prizes were won by Mrs. Harry Bryant, Mrs. Audrey White and Mrs. Ida Ireland.

Next meeting will be at First Methodist church parlors March 26. Dessert will be served at 7 p.m. At that time Mrs. Thatcher, Mrs. John Schroeder, Mrs. Harry Marshall and Miss Anna Streed will compete for the honor of representing the Medford club in a council "speak off" April 7 in Medford. The Medford winner will compete with speakers from Klamath Falls, Chemult, Grants Pass and Yreka.

At Tuesday's meeting Mrs. E. J. Klimko was toastmistress, Mrs. Don Bergman, lexicologist, Miss Streed, program evaluator and Mrs. F. W. Dorgan, hostess. The educational talk was given by Mrs. Effie Kurtz.

Church Has Five Groups For Women

St. Mark's Episcopal church now has five active women's organizations. Presidents of the different groups are Mrs. C. E. Hedberg, Altar guild; Mrs. G. R. Owens, Woman's auxiliary; Mrs. R. V. Rickard, St. Elizabeth's guild; Mrs. Eddie Simmons, St. Catherine guild; and Mrs. Raymond Fish, St. Teresa guild.

Several of the local members attended the Southern Deaneery meeting last week at St. Ann's church, Myrtle Creek. From St. Mark's were the Rev. John A. Bright, Mrs. William Clegg, Mrs. Rickard, Mrs. Owens, Mrs. William Isaacs, Mrs. H. P. Bosworth and Mrs. Fred Morhan.

Following the morning communion service luncheon was served by women of St. Anne's church.

Mrs. William Clegg, president of the Deaneery auxiliary, presided at the afternoon meeting and introduced the speaker, Mrs. H. M. Munger from St. Margaret's house in Portland who spoke on the work being done there.

The collection of \$37 for the afternoon was donated to the group from Shady Cove to be added to their building fund.

The first work meeting in preparation Friday, March 22, at 12 noon. Those attending are asked to take their own lunch, coffee will be served and work will be provided for those who wish to sew.

The annual spring rummage sale will be held Thursday and Friday, April 4 and 5 in the guild hall.

Chairman for the sale are Mrs. H. C. Goldsmith and Mrs. Ira Canfield, and they ask that all donations for the sale be sent or brought to the Guild hall as early as possible April 3.

Film To Be Shown For Navy Mothers

Rogue Valley Navy Mothers club will meet Tuesday, March 19, at 10 a.m. at the home of Mrs. E. E. Reames, 6236 Crater Lake highway.

A film will be shown during the meeting and a covered dish luncheon served at noon. Members are asked to bring their own table service.

All persons interested in the welfare work that the club is doing are invited to attend the meeting and mothers of Navy personnel are invited to join the group.

Weavers

Rogue Valley Handweavers guild will meet Tuesday, March 19, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Grigsby, Jacksonville. All weavers invited to attend.

Delta Zeta Plans Annual State Day

Alumnae and student members of Delta Zeta, 55-year-old national collegiate sorority, will hold the annual State day reunion and luncheon Saturday, March 30, at 1 p.m. at the Columbia Athletic club in Portland, according to Mrs. Charles Derthick, state chairman, Salem.

Mrs. Nella Hulet, province director of the Delta Zeta chapters in Oregon and Washington, will be guest of honor at the luncheon, speaking on "Education Within." Mrs. Hulet, who formerly lived in Seattle, Wash., and was president of the alumnae there, is now a Portland resident. She is with the U.S. Forest Service.

Preceding the luncheon, a student team will initiate Oregon members of Delta Sigma Epsilon sorority which merged with Delta Zeta last year.

Delta Zetas from this area who have received special invitations to attend are Miss Norma Brooks, Mrs. Roy Elmgren, Mrs. Earle Fichtner, Mrs. James Hall, Mrs. R. M. Hamilton, Mrs. Carol Hays, Mrs. James Johansson, Miss Elizabeth Kay, Miss Loretta Kelley, Miss Joyce Leech, Mrs. Allan Perry, Miss Donna Ross, Mrs. P. C. Shute, Mrs. Olan Sneed, and Mrs. Charles Sater of Medford; Miss Linda Obenchain from Central Point; and Mrs. John W. Horner, Jacksonville.

Schedules Session

Oak Grove Neighborhood club will meet at the home of Mrs. V. Turpin, 3533 Jacksonville Highway Tuesday, March 19, at 1:30 p.m. Dessert will be followed by a business meeting.

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