

# Order of Amaranth Holds Eighth Annual Ceremony

Roxy Ann court, Order of the Amaranth, installed its eighth royal matron at a service held in the Medford Masonic temple last Saturday evening, April 6.

Guests and members were welcomed and the court ceremonies opened by Mrs. Ira Canfield, royal matron, and royal patron Clarence Harwood with the 1956 officers. Introduced and escorted to the throne were J. J. Kennedy of Roxy Ann court and also grand royal patron of the Amaranth in Oregon, and Mrs. Willis Mack of Columbia court, Astoria, grand associate matron, acting in the absence of the grand royal matron, Mrs. Gideon Zimmerman of Mizpah court, Portland.

The unroving ceremonies followed with a past royal matron, Mrs. Dewey Queen of Oxford, Calif., formerly of Medford, serving as unroving matron. She was assisted by Mrs. William Barnes as crown bearer, Mrs. Tom Freed, standard bearer, Mrs. J. J. Kennedy and Mrs. Carl Oestreich as marshals. Jewels were presented to the retiring royal matron and patron and an addendum and gifts given them by the court and their 1956 officers.

**Guests Introduced**  
Distinguished members and guests introduced by the master of ceremonies and past royal patron, Carl Oestreich; were Hugh Templeton, grand associate patron; Mrs. Morris Martin, past grand matron and Jack Schultz, past grand patron; Dr. Joseph Blanc, royal patron of Ionic court, Portland; Mrs. Lucille Wirtz, royal patron of Friendship court, Klamath Falls and 12 of her members; Mrs. and William H. Treglow, matron and patron of Acacia court, Hillsboro; Mrs. Floyd Johnson, matron of Siskiyou court, Yreka and 20 of her members; Loran A. O'Neal, associate patron of Douglas court, Roseburg and 10 of its members.

Also introduced were John C. Smith, district deputy of the grand master for District No. 11, AF&AM; Fred A. Purdin, grand senior steward of the grand lodge, AF&AM; John Esp, master of Central Point lodge; Mrs. H. S. Bullock, Grants Pass, queen of Zuleima temple, Daughters of the Nile; Mr. Bullock high priest and prophet of Hillah temple, AAOONMS; Mrs. E. G. Randolph, junior past matron, Reames chapter, OES; Merritt Swing, patron, Nevita chapter No. 93, OES; Ole Skoog, master Table Rock council, R&SM; Ross Gilkison, Malta commandery, Ashland; Vernon A. Turpin, conductor of the grand council, royal and Select Masters in Oregon; Glenn Smith, orator of Grand chapter, Royal Arch Masons of Oregon; Mrs. Esther Miller, president of Royal Arch Widows; Mrs. Gilkison, guardian of Bethel 14, Job's Daughters; Miss Ann Garner, queen of Bethel 14; Mrs. Paul Selby, guardian and Arvid Athens, associate guardian of Bethel 55; Mrs. Margaret Selby, queen of Bethel 55 and grand marshal; Miss Marcia Spence, senior princess, Bethel 55 and Carl Oestreich, master of Medford lodge and master of Medford consistory, Scottish Rite Masons.

**Sextett Sings**  
Preceding the installation, a sextette of McLoughlin Junior High school girls, with Ray Lewis as their director, gave several numbers.

The court room was decorated in blue and white, the colors selected by the new matron for her year. Throne decorations were part of the decorations used at the grand court session in Portland, consisting of a large gold pallet with blue forget-me-nots, the flower chosen for the 1957 officers throughout the state, and the word "Sincerity," the motto which the grand royal matron has chosen for the year.

Thomas Turpin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Turpin and Warren Skoog, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Skoog, lighted the candles. The installing officers were Clarence Harwood, installing patron; Mrs. Glenn Linn, marshal and Jack Kennedy, aide to marshal; Mrs. John E. White, prelate; Mrs. Dewey Queen, secretary and Mrs. L. G. Frink, organist.

Installed were Mrs. Vernon A. Turpin, royal matron; Ole Skoog, royal patron; Mrs. Marshall Day, associate matron and Fred A. Purdin, associate patron; Lloyd Caton, treasurer; Mrs. Charles A. Hoppe, secretary; Mrs. Frank Little, conductress and Mrs. Frank Salyers, associate conductress; Clarence Harwood, Marshall Day and Merritt Swing, trustees; Mrs. Fred Graten and Mrs. Stanley

Jones, marshals in the east and west; Mrs. Clarence Harwood, prelate; Mrs. Lloyd Caton, standard bearer; Mrs. Milton Loros, Mrs. Harold Pierce, Mrs. Fred Lester and Mrs. Esther Coleman, ladies of the square; Stanley Jones, historian, Mrs. Corinne Robbins, musician, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carter, warder and sentinel.

After the matron's installation, Fred Graten sang "The Lord's Prayer" accompanied by Mrs. Robbins, and after Mrs. Turpin's coronation, Mrs. Robbins sang "Bless this home" accompanied by Mrs. L. G. Frink. Mrs. Elton Waldron acted as coronation matron, assisted by Mr. Turpin as marshal; Mrs. Tom Freed, standard bearer; Mrs. George Rehart, crown bearer; Elton Waldron, sword bearer; Mrs. Jack Kennedy and Mrs. Carl Oestreich, marshals in the east and west.

**Knights Assist**  
Wallace Brill acted as captain of the guards assisted by Sir Knights John Jensen, Glenn Linn, Charles Hoppe, Lem Manning, John Esp, Ernest Price and Ira Canfield. Honored Ladies taking part in the floral arch were Mrs. Lem Manning, Mrs. Wallace Brill, Mrs. Granvil Brittan, Mrs. Jack Clark, Mrs. Verne Lugnet, Mrs. Herbert Morris, Mrs. Ernest Price, Mrs. Edward Root, Mrs. G. G. Stagg, Miss Carolyn Endris, Mrs. Ole Skoog and Mrs. Raymond Reter.

After short addresses by the matron and patron, addenda were given for them by their officers and gifts presented.

In conclusion, officers and members of Job's Daughters, Bethel 55 took part in a ceremony of presenting the cross and John C. Smith pronounced the benediction.

A reception and refreshments followed. Pouring coffee were past royal matrons of the court, Mrs. Frink, Mrs. Queen, Mrs. Waldron and Mrs. Canfield.

## Students Listed On College Roll

Corvallis—Ten students from Medford and one from Gold Hill have been recognized for their outstanding scholarship by being listed on the winter term scholastic honor roll at Oregon State college.

They are Dale Coverstone, Henry F. Padgham, Charles E. Bray, Miss Sally Harris, Macy Overstreet, Jerry Peterson, Miss Meredith Foote, Miss Marianne Moore, Lee A. Spencer, and Edward F. Atkin. Gail P. Smith was listed for Gold Hill.

Among the 500 listed on the honor roll, 71 students made straight A grades. To be eligible for honor roll listing, students must maintain at least a 3.5 grade point average, with 4 points equaling straight A's.



In preparation for the Oriental theme dance which Rogue Valley Country club will give April 27, Willie Koo Tu instructs the feminine members of his committee how to eat with chopsticks. The menu for the event, which will be the annual spring formal dance, will include both Oriental and American foods. A cocktail hour is set for 7 p.m.

and the buffet style dinner will be served later in the evening. Planning the dance are (left to right) Mrs. George Lewis, Mrs. Frank Hopewell, Dan Hull (alias Willie Koo Tu), Mrs. Hull and Mrs. Sam Gilbert. The Hopewells and the Hulls are co-chairmen in charge of arrangements.

## Foreign Students Auxiliary Guests In Rogue River

Rogue River—Elisabeth Cellier of France and Fen Haulani of Bandjamas, Indonesia, two exchange students attending Grants Pass High school, spoke to Rogue River Lions auxiliary last week at the meeting 54 Brownies and their mothers of the Rogue River troop were guests.

Customs, religions, and education of France and Indonesia were discussed and comparison by the exchange students.

The president reported on the spring board meeting held in Salem and also her visit to the Oregon School for the Blind where she talked with the two children that had been "adopted" by the auxiliary. She also reported on the auxiliary's plan to send several members to the Summer Institute for the parents of the handicapped children. They will help with the baby sitting while the parents attend the classes.

Auxiliary members voted to send a Brownie girl from the Fly-up group of Rogue River to camp this summer for one week.

## Installation Set For Social Club

Reames Social club will install the new 1957-58 officers at the monthly luncheon meeting at 12 o'clock on Wednesday, April 17, at Masonic hall. The new officers are Mrs. Lloyd Caton, president; Mrs. R. G. Fowler, vice-president; Mrs. Frank Little, secretary, and Mrs. Gene Dyke, treasurer.

Mrs. Roy V. Nordwick is the retiring president. Cards will be played in the afternoon.

Mrs. Frank C. Roberts will be chairman for the luncheon.

## Gladson Unit Plans Meeting for Tuesday

Gladson unit of Wesleyan Service guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Lois Fretwell, 308 South Oregon street in Jacksonville Tuesday, April 16, at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. J. W. Wickman will be co-hostess.

Mrs. A. C. James will present the third part of the study book, "Church in Southeast Asia." Election of new officers will be held.

## Valley Ladies' Club To Meet on Thursday

Sams Valley—Sams Valley Ladies' club will meet Thursday, April 18, at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. C. C. Sanderson on McDonough road. Mrs. Ralph Koger will be in charge of the program.

At the last meeting of the group Mrs. Paul Shultz was program chairman.

## Handweavers' Guild To Meet on Tuesday

The April meeting of Rogue Valley Handweavers guild will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Houghton, 512 Dakota avenue, Medford, Tuesday, April 16, at 8 p.m. All weavers are invited to attend.

## Sorority Council Holds Meeting; Annual Sale Held

"April Showers and Flowers" was the theme used by Alpha Lambda chapter Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority for a meeting of the Southern Oregon District council last Saturday. Members from Alpha Iota and Gamma Rho chapters of Grants Pass, and Alpha Kappa chapter, Ashland, met with the local chapter at Rogue Valley Country club.

Mrs. L. J. Bean, a candidate for international parliamentarian, and Mrs. Dale Roles, Oregon education chairman, were special guests from Roseburg. Each spoke briefly and urged everyone to attend the state convention, April 27 and 28 in Pendleton.

Mrs. Cleo Browner, Alpha Iota, Mrs. W. B. Mc Monigal, Alpha Kappa, Mrs. Chester Jines, Gamma Rho, and Mrs. Lyman Smith, Alpha Lambda gave a report of their chapters' activities during the past year.

Mrs. W. H. Fischer was general chairman for the event with Mrs. Tom Makris, Mrs. Robert Shangle and Mrs. Smith assisting on the invitations, name tag and flower arrangements. Mrs. C. C. Peterson and Mrs. Russel Roseborough were in charge of registration.

Alpha Lambda chapter met Monday at the home of Mrs. George Ice. Mrs. Ice was elected health chairman for the chapter and four more members signed up for "sky watch" duties. Final plans were completed for the annual Lily day sale, which benefits the Oregon Society for Crippled Children and Adults. Mrs. Smith announced plans for a luncheon to be held at her home April 18.

Mrs. L. R. Thomas, president of the club, introduced Mrs. J. W. Ostrander, of the conservation committee, who gave the dedication.

Receiving the tree on behalf of the school were John Frohnmayer and Nancy Becken, president of the Student Body.

Vincent Bevis, principal of Hedrick school, also attended the ceremony.

Bacon waffles are delightful served with butter and hot maple syrup. For an especially tasty treat, substitute bacon drippings for the shortening in your favorite waffle recipe and add 1/2 cup partially cooked, chopped bacon.

## Book Group Plans Monthly Session

The monthly meeting of the afternoon book review group of Medford branch, American Association of University Women will be held in the home of Mrs. Milo Kubalek, 907 South Oakdale Avenue, Wednesday, April 17, at one o'clock.

Mrs. Nils Edin and Mrs. E. E. Larsen will assist the hostess in a review of the book "Courtroom," based on the life of the famous trial lawyer, Samuel Leibowitz, will be given by Mrs. Neil Davidson.

## Rogue River Club To Hold Meeting; Show Announced

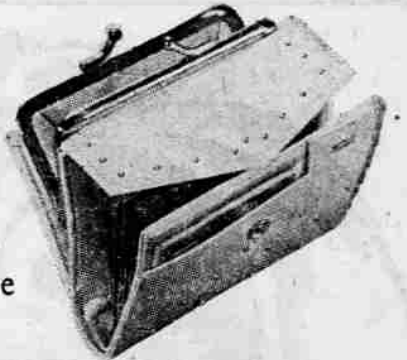
Rogue River—Rogue River Garden club will meet Tuesday, April 16, at 10 a. m. at the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall. A dessert luncheon will be served at noon.

The Primrose Matinee given by the club will be held Tuesday 1:30 p. m. at the VFW hall. Slides of primroses will be shown and primroses from Gresham, Ore. will be sold along with other plants.



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