

Guest Players Attend Session Of Bridge Club

Two guest players were among those attending the Wednesday evening session of the Riverside Bridge club last week. They were Mrs. George Choate of Eugene and Mrs. Harry Nordwick of Medford.

Top honors in the north-south position went to Mrs. J. J. Beaman and Al Gilhouse with 103½ points while in the east-west position Mrs. H. J. Boyd and Mrs. Richard Milestone with 106½ points were high.

Other players and their scores in the north-south position were Mrs. F. R. Baker and Paul Hatton, 103; Mrs. Thomas Randal and Berg Marten, 100; and Dr. and Mrs. George B. Dean, 97½.

East-west position players and points were Mrs. George Choate and Mrs. George Rode, 96; Mrs. Dwight Seely and Mrs. B. L. Sanderson, 91; and Mrs. Fred Purdin and Mrs. Harry Nordwick, 90.

Meeting Announced For Mistletoe Club

Mistletoe club will meet on Wednesday, May 8, at the home of Mrs. Frank Hussong on Barneburg road, at 10:30 a.m. The planting to attend are asked to take a sack lunch. Work during the day will be on rummage sale items.

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Weekend Planned To Honor Mothers

Ashland—The annual Mother's week end at Southern Oregon college begins on Friday, May 10, with the SOC Player's production of "Alladin and His Wonderful Lamp." Sponsored by the Associated Women Students under the chairmanship of Miss Marilyn Bailey, Medford, this event is held each year at the college to honor mothers of students on the weekend of their day. A leisurely schedule of events has been planned for the week end, featuring an open house, luncheon, Mothers' club meeting and a coffee hour.

The luncheon, central event of the program, will be held at 12:30 p.m. on Saturday at Lincoln school under the direction of Miss Marjo Murray, Medford sophomore. The program will include announcements of special awards and honors, and installation of officers for the Associated Women Students. Dr. Roy McNeal will give the address following greetings to the mothers by Dr. Elmo Stevenson, president of the college. Chairman of the program is Miss Melba Snow, with reservations for the luncheon being arranged by Miss Barbara Wright.

Medford Student Weaves May Pole

Miss Janet Jamison and Miss Janet Perry, Medford, were two of the freshmen women selected to weave the traditional May Pole at Willamette university's coronation ceremonies this week end. The coronation festivities highlighted the 51st annual May week end at Willamette.

Miss Jamison, a music education major at the university and a member of Pi Beta Phi is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Jamison. A pre-nursing major, Miss Perry is also a member of Pi Beta Phi and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan F. Perry.

Meeting Announced For Parents Unit

Medford Parents Home Extension unit will meet Tuesday, May 7, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. L. Johnson, 1109 Winchester avenue. Project for the evening will be "Window Treatments." Mrs. Robert Billingsley and Mrs. L. E. McConnel will be leaders.

Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. Eugene Brooks and Mrs. L. Hayes.

Anyone interested in home extension is invited. Those wishing transportation are to call Mrs. William Jensen, SP 2-4890.

Roxy Ann Club To Hear Program By Paul Olsen

Paul Olsen will lecture on fossils at the Wednesday, May 8, meeting of Roxy Ann Gem and Mineral club at Redman hall, Fourth and Apple streets. Members are asked to take fossils to the meeting which will start at 7:30 p.m.

Dwight McCorkle and T. J. Riley will report on the display which won a trophy for the club at Eugene. The display will be shown at the meeting. The display which has been at the United States National bank for the past month which belonged to John Ross has been replaced with a mineral collection of Laurence Burnette of Talent.

Eagle Point Unit To Hold Meeting

Eagle Point—Eagle Point Home Extension unit will meet in the home of Mrs. Lyle Greenwood, Brophy road, Box 652, Thursday, May 9, at 10:30 a.m.

The project lesson on reupholstering of kitchen and dining chairs will be given by Mrs. Victor Hay and Mrs. John Ousterhout.

The new officers were installed at a joint ceremony held for all units at the home extension festival May 1 in Central Point. They are Mrs. Glenn Clymer, chairman; Mrs. Wallace Pianka, vice-chairman; Mrs. Larry Wilson, secretary; Mrs. Ben Hefley, treasurer.

Members attending Thursday's meeting are asked to take table service and the gold medal coupons which they have saved. It is stressed that child care will not be available at the home of Mrs. Edna Cunningham as usual, and that members needing this service are to call Mrs. Don Ashpole, HI 6-3302.

Meetings Planned By PEO Chapters

Two chapters of the PEO sisterhood will hold meetings this week.

A luncheon meeting will be held by Chapter AA of the sisterhood at the home of Mrs. Grace Collins, 1810 East Main street Wednesday, May 8, at 12:30 p.m.

Mrs. E. B. DeVoe and Mrs. O. Gordon Hudson will assist Mrs. Collins.

Chapter BE will meet Tuesday, May 7, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Orel A. Welsh, 1300 East Main street. Mrs. C. Mitchell is assisting hostess. Mrs. Allan F. Perry is in charge of the program.

Syracuse University has been competing in intercollegiate wrestling since 1922.

Shower Is Given For Newlyweds

Shady Cove-Trail—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Esten, who were married April 18 in Reno, Nev., were honored at a large shower party April 27 at Upper Rogue Grange hall. Hostesses were Mesdames Oscar Hanson, Morris Bush and Ted Shimek of Elk Creek; Mrs. Carl Richardson, Mrs. Randal Axtell of Trail and Mrs. Kenneth Lacy and Mrs. Charles Jantzer of Central Point. Over 100 guests attended.

Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Jantzer decorated the hall and tables and a wedding cake was made and decorated by Kenneth Lacy.

Square dancing was enjoyed, with Benton Boyce of Central Point calling. Gifts were opened during the refreshment hour.

Mrs. Esten is the former Mrs. Audrey Collier and has lived in Jackson county many years. Mr. Esten came to the Rogue valley from California in 1945. The newlyweds made a wedding trip to Lake Tahoe and southern California.

Among the guests were the bride's mother, Mrs. Cora Train of Shady Cove; her father, Orin Train of Trail; her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Train of Roseburg; an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall of Shady Cove, and her son, Ben Collier, who has just been released from Army service after 16 months in Germany.

Dolores Zeleznik Heads Committee

Marylhurst—Miss Dolores Zeleznik, junior from Medford, was chairman of registration for a regional meeting of the National Students association held at Marylhurst college May 4 and 5. The meeting included delegates from the 13 member colleges and universities, as well as representatives of non-member institutions.

Besides Marylhurst college and the University of Portland, which were co-hosts for the conference, the member institutions in Oregon are Portland State college, Reed college, and Southern Oregon college.

The Universities of Washington, Idaho, Alaska, Washington State college, Seattle Pacific, and Eastern and Central Washington Colleges of Education complete the roster.

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 8 p.m. the day before publication.

- Monday:**
12:30 p.m.—Reames Past Matrons club, Medford Masonic temple.
8 p.m.—Rebekah lodge, Odd Fellows hall.
8 p.m.—VFW auxiliary, dance at Camp White theatre.
- Tuesday:**
10 a.m.—Rogue Valley Navy Mothers club, home of Mrs. John Davies, 1220 Maple Park dr.
10:30 a.m.—Reese Creek Extension unit, home of Mrs. Joe Whipple, Delta Waters rd., Medford.
1 p.m.—Central Point Royal Neighbors, home of Mrs. D. R.

Scientist Predicts Big Missile Airliner 2 Generations Away

By GLENN STACKHOUSE
United Press Correspondent
Sunnyvale, Calif.—(U.P.)—Dr. Louis N. Ridenour, former chief scientist for the U.S. Air Force, predicted today that an 8,000-mile-an-hour guided missile airliner is only two aircraft "generations" away.

Within 30 to 40 years, he said, airliners will evolve into mammoth missiles, dwarfing today's piston-engine contraptions, that will rocket through the exosphere 600 to 700 miles above the earth to carry passengers on intercontinental business and pleasure trips.

The scientist, known as the "father" of the Air Research and Development Command, is director of the research and development branch of Lockheed Aircraft's missile division here.

The company's huge X-17 research missile was reported recently to have flown some 9,000 miles an hour in a test flight off Florida.

In an exclusive interview with United Press, Ridenour said he foresaw only two more "generations" of commercial aircraft ahead of the missile liner.

"We are already on the threshold of the first of these generations," he said. "This is the turbojet and turboprop, era, to be introduced within the next year by the advent of such planes as the Boeing 707, the Douglas DC-8 and the Turboprop Lockheed Electra.

The scientist said the time lag between aircraft generations would be dictated "less by technicians than by economics."

"The economic fact is that the

world's airlines are about to embark on a tremendous investment in their conversion to jets and turboprops—an investment that cannot possibly pay itself off before 1975," he said.

"By then it will be known how to make a Mach Two (twice the speed of sound) transport, and that will mark the beginning of the next generation."

Ridenour said the Mach Two aircraft, capable of speeds up to 1,500 miles an hour and altitude up to 100,000 feet, will be a "basically different" type of vehicle patterned after the stub-winged supersonic fighter of today.

Limit Reached

He said the logical step, after still another 20 years or so, would be a Mach Four (3,000-mile-an-hour) vehicle. But he said this speed is "about the limit" for flying through the atmosphere. And he added: "I think there may never be an air-breathing Mach Four vehicle."

This, he said, probably will be the time for the missile-type airliner which will travel in the outer space, and whip around the globe at speeds of 7,000 to 8,000 miles an hour.

Ridenour foresees this aircraft as a huge, windowless rocket with the passengers sealed inside and insulated against the tremendous blast-off shock and heat as it tears through the atmosphere toward the freedom of space.

Will it be a piloted craft? "Not in the present sense," he said. "There probably will be crew personnel, but mainly they will be along for the ride and possibly to control the landing."

The Lockheed missile chief said he envisioned such a plane as having stubby, retractable wings for an aid in landing once it has returned to the atmosphere.

Hendrickson on Merriman rd., Central Point.

1 p.m.—Lady Elks, Elks temple.

1:30 p.m.—Medford chapter of the Gold Star Mothers, home of Mrs. Clyde Sturgill, Hillcrest Orchards.

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