

Former Resident Visitor in City; Honored at Party

Mrs. Leonard Sorenson, Omaha, Neb., the former Paula Marshall, left Sunday night for Olympia, Wash., after visiting friends and relatives in Medford and Klamath Falls. Mrs. Sorenson, a sister of Edison Marshall, the widely known novelist, lived in Medford as a child and attended school here.

Mrs. Sorenson arrived Thursday and was a guest first of Mrs. Don Rutter. Friday she went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong, 122 Janney lane, and that evening a group of friends gathered at the Armstrong home to greet the visitor.

Attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Merriman, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Merriman, Mrs. Ralph Raymond, Mrs. George Bryant, Mrs. Diamond Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Higginbotham, Central Point; Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan Quackenbush, Mr. and Mrs. George Watson, Mrs. Charles Eisenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson, Mrs. Eva Armstrong, formerly of Medford and now of Dunsmuir, Calif., and the George Armstrongs.

Saturday the Armstrongs and Mrs. Sorenson went to Lake of the Woods where the Armstrongs have a summer home, and from there they went to Klamath Falls to visit Mrs. Sorenson's sister, Mrs. Victor O'Neill, the former Lucille Marshall, who is now a member of the Oregon State Board of Education.

The George Armstrongs and Mrs. Sorenson returned to Medford by way of Dunsmuir. In Olympia Mrs. Sorenson will visit her daughter, Virginia.

Medford Student Enrolls in School

Loma Linda — Miss Jewelle Aileen Thompson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Bernard T. Thompson, 28 Crater Lake avenue, Medford, is one of 24 students who enrolled this week in the School of Physical Therapy at the College of Medical Evangelists, Loma Linda, Calif.

This southern California medical education center is owned and operated by the Seventh-day Adventist church, and carries on a three-fold program of education, medical service and basic and clinical research. Since 1905, when CME was founded, a total of 5,571 students have graduated from its different schools, with 205 receiving certificates from the School of Physical Therapy.

Miss Thompson is scheduled to complete the two-year course in 1959. She took pre-professional studies at Walla Walla college, College Place, Wash.

Society

New Booklet On Market

"Creative Activities Simplified" is the title of a new booklet now on the market in Medford and the work of Mrs. Grover Corum, assisted by the Rev. George A. Trobough.

Mrs. Corum, superintendent of the junior department of First Presbyterian church here, has taught Sunday school and worked with children for many years. The Rev. Mr. Trobough is assistant pastor of First Methodist church here. Mrs. Corum prepared the text of the booklet and the minister made photographs and otherwise assisted.

The booklet provides a guide for teaching children how to make various objects with their hands using for the most part articles and materials found in the home. Mrs. Corum, in an explanation of the booklet, points out that children "learn by doing" and adds that the booklet will aid those wishing to teach the Christian way of life.

Mrs. Corum gives detailed information on how to make such articles as puppets from potatoes or paper sacks, how to use wallpaper cleaner as a substitute for the more expensive modeling clay, how to use pipe cleaners, paper which might otherwise be discarded and the tubes from rolls of paper in creative activity for children. The authors believe the booklet will prove useful to Sunday school teachers, leaders for youth groups and for parents of small children.

Mrs. Corum states that as she worked throughout the years as teacher and leader of groups, the need for such material became apparent. The new booklet is obtainable at Swen's store and Eby Book and Bible store. It is also being offered to publishers in other parts of the nation.

The author dedicated the work to her "twin sons and the grandchildren."

The foreword was written by Dr. D. Kirkland West, pastor of First Presbyterian church.

Fall Salad — Crisp fall apples make a wonderful salad with raisins, celery, walnuts and tiny chunks of cream cheese, all blended with mayonnaise thinned slightly with lemon juice.

Fruit Salad — Pretty as a picture for a buffet table is sparkling canned fruit cocktail molded in lime-flavored gelatin. Add lime or lemon juice for tartness. Serve with a bowl of creamy dressing.

Family Dinner Honors Couple On Anniversary

The fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harris, 340 Effie street, was celebrated at a family dinner at the Dardanelle in Gold Hill, Sunday, September 8. Places were set for 21 guests.

Vases of gladiolus adorned the table and a decorated anniversary cake served as a centerpiece.

The honored guests were presented an anniversary clock, a gift of the children; the grandchildren gave Mrs. Harris an orchid corsage and Mr. Harris a carnation boutonniere.

During the evening old-time musical selections were played on the piano.

Here for the party were Mrs. Ted McArthur of British Columbia, Canada, a sister of Mr. Harris, and Mrs. Chrissie Hancock, Oakland, Calif., his niece; Mrs. Charles Rowell and Mrs. Elizabeth Odgers from Butte, Mont., sisters of Mrs. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris were pioneer residents of Butte before coming to Medford three years ago.

Chapter Resumes Meeting Schedule; Member Reports

Xi Mu chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held the first fall meeting at the home of Mrs. John Nelson, 1816 Lenora avenue, September 11.

Mrs. Nelson reviewed the history and traditions of the sorority, and the duties of officers.

Mrs. Russell Budeau, new president of the chapter, appointed committees and also gave an account of her trip to the northwest regional convention held in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, the middle of June. Three other Beta Sigma Phis from Medford also attended.

Mrs. Nils Edin and Mrs. Robert Hubbard reported on the program for the coming year.

Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Miss Adabee Seiler.

Next meeting of the sorority will be held at the home of Mrs. Laurence Allen with Mrs. Helen Ashey as co-hostess.

Reception Planned In Central Point

Central Point — Teachers of the Central Point schools will be honored at a reception set for Thursday, September 19, at 3:30 o'clock in the Junior High school library. Teachers will be introduced by C. A. Meyer of Central Point Elementary school and George Johns of Jewett Elementary school.

Members of the executive committee will be hostesses; Mrs. John Champ will give the invocation.

Fruit Dessert

With a can of cling peach halves and an orange you have the essentials for a luscious dessert. Shred rind from orange, squeeze its juice, add brown sugar and a dash of cloves. Pour over peach halves and bake until well heated. Delicious warm, plain or with a spoonful of sour cream.

Potpourri

Potpourri's mail recently brought a letter from Fay Dierdorff whose husband, Dr. G. A. Dierdorff, is now a resident physician with a hospital in Des Moines, Ia. Mrs. D. wrote to say that the family was missing the beautiful mountains of southern Oregon, and longing to see the ocean again from Oregon's rugged coast.

"Jerry's just as busy as he can be," she wrote, "and that doesn't give him much time at home. We have no meals together except our evening meal when he gets his half day a week off. He does have every other week end off, and that helps some. Incidentally, the dietitian at the hospital where Jerry is resident is the sister of Dr. W. W. Stevenson." Mrs. Dierdorff asked for a copy of the paper containing the story of the wedding of the Stevensons' daughter, Martha, for her aunt.

Mrs. D. also wrote that since time is hanging heavy on her hands in the big city, she is considering enrolling at Drake university, and explained the school's Community college. She wrote "The college has made a real effort to reach working people in all parts of the state with an educational program that is both practical and valuable. Instead of having professional teachers in every instance, they will select a successful salesman to teach salesmanship, or a business man to teach that which he knows best. Seems to work out very well."

The Dierdorffs were planning a trip to Iowa City to see the R. H. Dennings, who formerly lived at Camp White, and were hopeful that Medford friends in Iowa would come calling.

A letter from the soldier in Berlin brought the news that the Army wife had arrived from New York and that they had been busy trying to see Berlin. "We went last night to a place known as the Eierschale (Egg Shell). It's a little cave, actually a cellar, which is a hangout for college students and artists. Somewhat Bohemian in flavor, and very noisy. We finally ended up sitting next to a couple of Russian officers who asked the waitress if we were American (yes) then if she knew our names (no) and finally if I was an American officer.

"The Russians themselves were very interesting, somewhat the Yul Brynner type, and very ominous. A German girl with us commented that she hated them."

"We have a nice apartment here, about six blocks from the barracks. There's only one questionable part. We live about two blocks from the Russian zone. It wouldn't be at all bad if we were near the Russian sector (the Russian occupied part of Berlin that we can enter, although it's not advisable) but with the zone you just disappear for a few years. It's the part of Germany itself that the Russians hold."

The soldier, with the 298th Army band, also wrote that "We play a weekly concert at one of the 52 (I believe it is) refugee camps here in Berlin. They are scattered throughout the British, French and American sectors. The concerts are the highlights of every week, for that's one concert we can always count on to have an appreciative audience, and we feel we're doing something worthwhile—an unusual sensation in the Army."

"Very few of the refugees speak any English and only four of us speak any German. As a consequence, I get to speak to many of them in my halting low German. The children are really the wonderful part, well behaved and very friendly. We usually try to take candy to them, and to them it's a precious item. It's fun just to watch them break out in smiles. They're usually quite quiet and sober—so unlike American children."

"I've found Berlin a wonderful place to be stationed. There's so much to see and do, and the people are friendly. There are a few that mutter 'schlechtes mann' as they walk by, but they are few and far between."

According to a UP release from Chicago, a man with matrimony in mind should look inside the lady's handbag before proposing. Thomas Rolfs, an accessory manufacturer, says "If her pocketbook reveals broken combs, overflowing compacts or tobacco-specked lipsticks beware. 'She is apt to spend more time looking in the mirror than washing it.' Mr. R. says that if a girl carries empty cigarette packages, old bus transfers, scribbled notes or one earring she'll never be a well-organized hostess or cook. Or if she carries old mementoes and souvenirs, it indicates she clings to the past."

Just in time the manufacturer remembered one bit of advice for the men. Don't let the bride-to-be discover pictures of an old flame in his billfold.

Excerpt from speech by State Senator Philip Lowry Monday for Jackson County Republican Women: "Take the state out of the real property tax field once and for all. The threat of a state property tax has caused the income tax to be excessively increased and has built surpluses. Large surpluses are undesirable as a principle of good government. The existence of such surpluses tends to cause unnecessary or undesirable expenditures to be made from taxpayers' funds. The state isn't much different from any family operating under its own budget. If funds are on hand and available, the pressures are tremendous and not usually resisted to expend them. Such a bill was supported by the Republicans at the last session, but defeated by the Democratically controlled house tax committee."—O.S.

Camp Fire Girl Organization Plans Fall Training Classes

Plans for the fall training courses for new Blue Bird leaders and Camp Fire guardians are being made by the Rogue Council of Camp Fire Girls. Courses will be given in Medford, Ashland and Eagle Point. Mrs. James Dawson, field director, will conduct the sessions in Ashland, and Mrs. Virginia Younger a member of the Medford district training committee, will conduct the Camp Fire courses.

The four basic sessions will include the seven crafts, group ceremonials, rank, symbols, record books and actual planning of program, according to Mrs. Ruth Gerety, executive secretary. Mrs. Milton Medcalf, a member of the district program committee, will assist on the memory book instruction and preparation of girls for passing rank.

Training sessions will take place at Mrs. Younger's home, 832 Palm street, October 2, 9, 16 and 23 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. A fifth session will be on the annual project "Meet the People."

A special session for the fourth grade leaders will be held October 29 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the Camp Fire office, 717 West fourteenth street.

Four basic Blue Bird training sessions will take place October 10 and 17 and November 14 and 21 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the Camp Fire office. Registration will be extremely important as the number attending may make a change of location necessary, Mrs. Gerety states.

A training session for sponsors will be held sometime during the week of October 21. Miss Gwen Harper, regional field advisor for Region 6, will make her annual visit to the Rogue council and will conduct the session.

Workshops on Halloween and Christmas craft work will be held at the October and November Leaders' association meetings. They are held the first Tuesday of each month. Orientation sessions will be given all new leaders during the month of September.

These courses are open to assistant leaders, sponsors, mothers of Blue Bird and Camp Fire daughters and anyone interested in becoming a member of the organization at a later date, Mrs. Gerety states.

Pudding Sundae

Sundae-loving children will enjoy a peach pudding sundae. Spoon canned cling peach slices over servings of vanilla pudding. Top with a sprinkling of chopped walnuts, too, if you like.

When preparing stuffing for poultry, allow 1 1/4 cups of stuffing per pound ready-to-cook, or 1 cup per pound of old-style dressed weight.

District Session Held by Groups

Shady Cove — Members of posts and auxiliaries of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in District 7, Department of Oregon, were in Brookings for a meeting Sunday, September 15. Those attending from Steelhead post and auxiliary were Mrs. Gene House, Mrs. Dale Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Oliver and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Krotz.

Steelhead post and auxiliary will have a potluck dinner Friday, September 20, at 7 p.m. All members attending are asked to bring a covered dish. A business meeting will follow.

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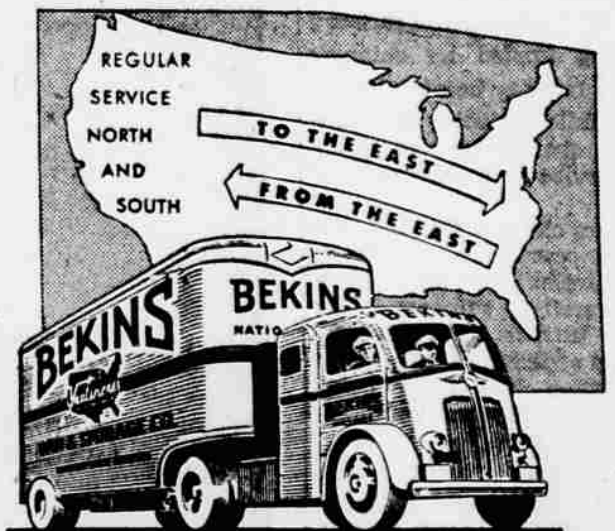
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