Miss Sue Knight Installed Honored Queen of Bethel 14

Miss Sue Knight was installed honored queen of Bethel 14, International Order of Job's Daughters, in a ceremony held Saturday, December 14, in Medford Masonic temple. Miss Knight is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Knight, 2115 East Jackson boulevard, Medford. Miss Susan Hubbard, retiring queen, was in charge of the meeting and was assisted by Michael Russell, master councilor of DeMolay and a corps of offices during the crowning ceremony.

Other officers installed were: Miss Sharon Blickenstaff, senior princess; Sylvia Morris, junior princess; Mickie Noble, guide; Marion Parsons, marshal; Carla Borough, chaplain; Margie Wonderly, treasurer; DeLores Williams, librarian; Caroline Denyer, Connette Hinesly, Mavis Strom, Julie Yoakley and Pam Gilkison, messengers; Barbara Morton, recorder; Martha Sanborn, musician; Cheryl Linn, inner guard; Susan Schuler, outer guard; Toni Spence, senior custodian; Janice Evernham, junior custodian; Carol Swan, soloist; Sandra Bates, assistant soloist; Cheryl Spence, lady-of-the-lights; Liz Howard, assistant lady-of-the-lights; Penny Linn, historian; Diane Evernham, prompter.

Miss Sue Knight
(Landis photo)

Choir members are Cheryl Brattain, Valerie Bevel, Patty Borough, Judy Hile, Iverne Iverson, Sharon Knight, Diane Lewis, Carole Lee, Barbara Nulton, Jean Pletch, Loralee Sutherland, Linda Wicker, Linda Jo Waltermire and Karen Walton.

Installing officers were Miss Bernice Skoog, guide; Miss Rosie Johnson, marshal; Miss Helen Hood, recorder; Miss Kay Askwith, chaplain; Miss Lou Elsa Voegtly, musician; Miss Sheila Spence, senior custodian; Miss Marcia Spence, junior custodian and Miss Sharon Walsh, soloist.

DeMolay members who assisted Mr. Russell during the crowning ceremony were George Schuler, Robert Pond, Willis Williams, Dale Forsee and the DeMolay guards.

Miss Knight introduced her parents and her brothers, Rich and Jimmy, who presented her an arm bouquet of red roses and the gavel of her office.

Also introduced were two queens, Miss Marcia Spence, Bethel 55, also grand representative to Colorado; Miss Helen Hood, Bethel 38, Central Point. Past queens introduced were Miss Rosie Johnson and Miss Bernice Skoog, both of Bethel 14; Miss Sheila Spence, Bethel 55. Escorted and introduced was Mrs. Jerry Askwith, guardian of Bethel 38, Central Point. Past associate guardians introduced included Dale Blickenstaff, Lem Manning and F. H. Evernham. Mr. and Mrs. Morris Boughner, worthy matron and patron of Reames chapter, Order of Eastern Star, and John Smith, district deputy of the grand master of Masons in Oregon for District 11 were introduced by the new queen.

The retiring queen was presented with the past honored queen's doll. The retiring and new queens were presented pins and gifts of silver from the Bethel.

The evening closed with an addendum honoring Miss Knight, following which a reception was held in the dining room which was decorated in red and silver, as was the bethel room during the installation.

Officers Elected At Bethel Session

Central Point — Miss Kay Askwith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Askwith, was elected honored queen during election of officers of Bethel 38, International Order of Job's Daughters, December 12. Others elected were Miss Linda Warren, senior princess; Miss Donna Burnett, junior princess; Miss Suzanne Hood, guide, and Miss Rachel Hamilton, Marshal.

Monday evening the bethel held a combination annual Christmas party and Queen Helen Hood's term party at the Masonic temple. Members played games and made candy. They also went to the County Farm home to sing Christmas carols and present a gift to the bethel grandmother, Mrs. Mary Moore.

Thursday, December 26, the bethel will meet in Central Point Masonic temple. Practice for installation will be held, the ceremonies having been set for December 30.

The retiring queen will be honored at a party January 14 at Tally Ho cafe. Reservations are to be made no later than January 10.

At a holiday open house or dinner, serve beverages in "Santa glasses." Decorate plain tumblers with cotton mustaches and painted eyes and noses.

If you do not have an egg slicer, cut hard-boiled eggs neatly with thread or dip a knife in boiling water first to prevent yolks from crumbling.

Children Want Dolls And Bicycles at Christmas

By GAY PAULEY
United Press Women's Editor

New York—(UP)—A stable note in our frantic world came today from one of the nation's busiest men at holiday time, the Santa Claus stationed in the Rockefeller Center area.

Modern children have just as firm a belief in Santa Claus as we did when were were small, said John Matison, 64, a sidewalk Kris Kringle for the Volunteers of America.

And their tastes in toys are just as old-fashioned, he said. This, despite the 1957 array of scientific and outer-space playthings from Sputnik helmets to satellite launchers.

Talking Doll Inevitable

"The girls inevitably ask for a walking or talking doll," said the rosy-cheeked Kris. "The boys, for trains and bikes. Same routine every year."

Matison, who at 240 pounds looks like a Santa right out of central casting, has been ringing the bell for the Volunteers for nine years, each year in the same area.

The Volunteers, a national social welfare organization, use funds tossed into the sidewalk chimneys to aid the homeless, rehabilitate the socially or physically handicapped, for special services to the aged, and such.

Matison, a native of Latvia, is a former sailor, bricklayer's helper and railroader. Now, when his Santa role ends Christmas Eve, he will return to work as a doorman.

"But I like being Santa," said Matison. "It keeps me from getting lonesome. This time of the year, everybody's smiling and cheerful . . . I often think it's a shame the Christmas spirit doesn't last longer."

Matison has no family other than a brother, 72, at Sailor's Snug Harbor, on Staten Island. The two will spend Christmas day together.

Asks Only Good Health

"What do I ask for Christmas? Only for good health," said he.

"We Santas find some skeptics, mostly among the older children," said Matison. "And there are a lot of greedy ones. I remember one little boy who summed up his wishes in one brief comment—'Everything in Macy's window.' Another one reeled off a list which would fill a warehouse.

"I told him, 'Well you can't get all that . . . but maybe some. I'll have to take it up with the big Santa at the North Pole."

"The grateful father standing nearby tossed a couple of bucks into the chimney," said Matison.

Then there are the shy children; these Matison says are instructed to write him a letter.

One small girl needed no such advice; she came with letter already written, and offered it after much prodding by papa.

Said Matison, "It read—'My mommy wants a new coat, I want a doll, and daddy says he wants a redhead."

Atomic Power Not To Affect Home Very Soon

By VIVIAN SANDE
United Press Correspondent

New York —(UP)— Industry is spending billions of dollars to build atomic power plants. How, and how soon, will this affect the household of Mrs. America.

Not as much, and not as rapidly as many women may think, said Vice Adm. Willard Kitts III, who manages the atomic products study for the General Electric Co. But the overall outlook is attractive, if not immediately spectacular.

Kitts sees atomic energy providing plentiful low-cost electricity, at first, and then improving the health of the family and conveniences of the home.

He said, "By far the most important benefit to the housewife of the atomic age will be a guarantee of our supply of plentiful low-cost electricity."

To Improve Products

This is not going to change cooking methods themselves in a hurry, for cooking with electricity produced by nuclear fuels is the same as cooking with the electricity made by the fuels we now use. The important thing, he added, is that we can count on always having the fuel we need, in the factory and in the home.

Kitts does see atomic energy working changes in the woman's world, changes that will be definite improvements in modern living.

He said the day is not too far off when atomic radiation will help retard fool spoilage and improve the farm products Mrs. America uses.

Also, the application of atomic radiation to plastics, chemicals and other industrial processes, will make our homes safer and easier to live in, through new germ-proof containers, dirt-resistant fabrics, and maybe even new, more beautiful miracle fabrics.

Kitts also sees the application of atomic energy in the field of medicine as bringing comfort to a woman concerned with the well-being of her family through new treatments and cures for dread as well as lesser diseases.

Princess Margaret Back With Sister

Windsor, England—(UP)— Princess Margaret appeared to be definitely back on the royal team Saturday.

Rumors of a rift between Margaret and her sister, Queen Elizabeth, were all but dissipated Friday night at the annual royal household ball at Windsor Castle.

Elizabeth and Margaret sat together, laughed, cheered and exchanged jokes throughout the evening. Before the party, Margaret had dinner with the queen.

Margaret had made headlines recently for apparently skipping traditional family get-togethers. She failed to attend the Buckingham Palace dance for the help last week for the first time in 10 years, reviving the rumors of a rift.

But if Friday night was any indication, sources said, Elizabeth and Margaret are either "brilliant actresses" or have healed any split — if there ever was one.

A LOT OF TEACHERS

Ann Arbor, Mich.—(UP)—The University of Michigan awarded 15,958 teachers' certificates from January, 1892 to June, 1956. Names of the graduates were gathered by the 75th anniversary committee for a special celebration.

Cranberry Festival Cakes For Holidays

New York —(UP)— Cranberry festival cakes brighten a holiday dinner table or open house buffet.

Cream ½ cup shortening and 1 cup sugar until light and fluffy. Add 1 egg, beating until thoroughly blended. Sift together 2 cups sifted all-purpose flour, 2 teaspoons baking powder and ¼ teaspoon salt. Stir ½ teaspoon vanilla into ¾ cup milk. Add dry ingredients alternately with the milk, mixing well after addition. Fold in 1 cup halved cranberries. Pour into greased 8-inch square cake pan. Sprinkle with sugar and bake in 350-degree oven 45 to 50 minutes.

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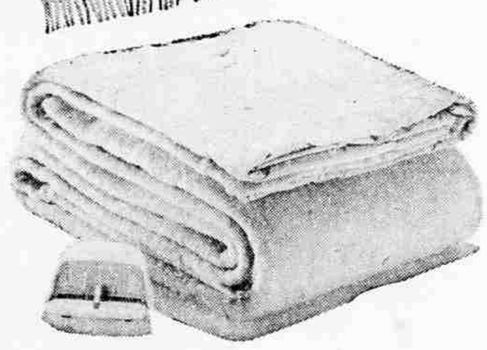

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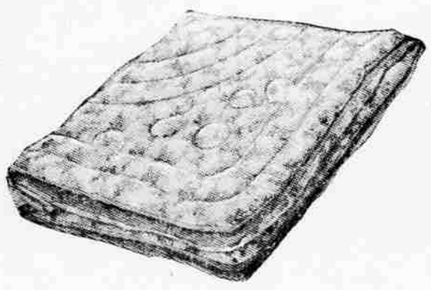

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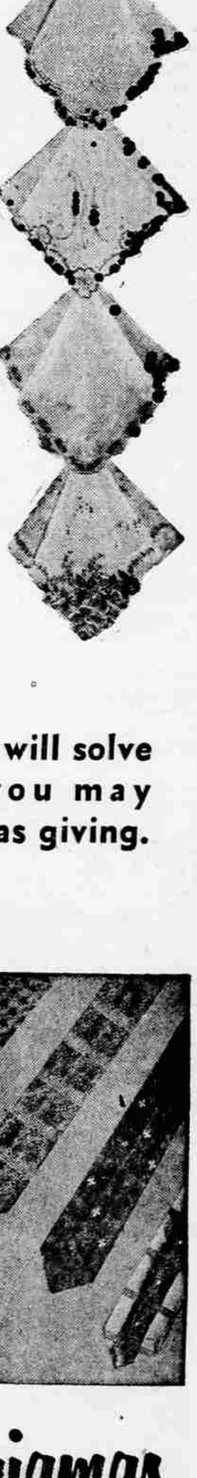

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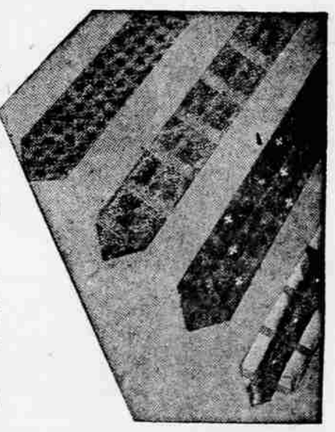

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