



Mrs. Lillian Salade (at left) and her sister, Mrs. Marjorie Pitts, took charge of arrangements for the annual New Year party of the Colony club, held last Sunday afternoon at the clubhouse on Geneva street. This is the annual guest event of the club, and about 75 attended. Colony club, formed in 1911, is one of the oldest organizations in the county for women and is both social and charitable in nature.

Miss Beverley Diane Ellis Bride of Paul Weert Worth

Miss Beverley Diane Ellis, 209 Tripp street, Medford, became the bride of Paul Weert Worth, route 2, box 202-C, Medford, in a ceremony held Saturday, December 21, in

Meeker Memorial chapel, First Methodist church. The Rev. George A. Trobough officiated at the double-ring eight o'clock evening wedding attended by 40 relatives and friends.

Holiday Ceremony Weds Pair

Cave Junction—A colorful Christmas day ceremony married Miss Shirley Ann Peninger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Peninger, O'Brien, and Russell Berkner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Berkner, Cave Junction.

The double-ring rite was held at Immanuel Methodist church, Cave Junction, at 3 o'clock. The Rev. Robert Kingsbury read the services as the couple stood before an altar lighted with white tapers. White wedding bells and satin bows, baskets of ferns and roses decorated the church.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin and lace. Her net veil fell from a coronet of satin and seed pearls and she carried a white Bible topped with an orchid. Her wedding costume included the traditional something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue.

Robert Shawhan, accompanied by Ronine Rausch, sang as the wedding party entered the church.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Richard Bliss, Brookings, who wore a white taffeta ballerina length gown trimmed with lace. Her corsage was of Christmas red carnations. Miss Judy Collman, bridesmaid, also wore white taffeta with red carnations, as did the candlelighters, Miss Susie Lemmon, a cousin of the bridegroom, and Miss Karen Berkner, his sister.

Richard Bliss, Brookings, was best man. Usher was Jim Peninger, brother of the bride.

Mrs. Peninger chose for her daughter's wedding a tailored dress of blue crepe worn with black accessories, and a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Berkner wore a black crepe tailored dress with matching accessories and a white corsage.

Hostesses for the reception, held in the church parlor, were Mrs. Bud Hoskins, aunt of the bridegroom and Mrs. Robert Kingsbury. Mrs. James Allen served the cake, while Mrs. Marilyn Sams and Mrs. Norma Campbell presided at the punch and coffee services. Mrs. Will Benjamin had charge of the guest book.

The bride chose for her wedding trip to San Diego a blue knit suit with black accessories.

The new Mrs. Berkner was graduated with the class of 1955 from Illinois Valley High school and has been employed at the Bank of Illinois Valley for two and one-half years. The bridegroom, also a graduate of the local high school, is stationed with the U.S. Marine corps in San Diego, where the couple will live.

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Annual Party Given Sunday By Colony Club

An event of last Sunday, December 29, was the annual New Year party of the Colony club. Cocktails and luncheon were served, beginning at 1 o'clock. Mrs. Marjorie Pitts, president of the club, was assisted for the party by Mrs. Lillian Salade, social chairman, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston.

About 75 members and guests attended.

Colony club is one of the older organizations for women of the valley, having been formed in 1911. It was organized as a convenience of women who lived on ranches and orchards at a distance from town and who were in need of a headquarters or club rooms in Medford. Headquarters were first in the Medford hotel; later an apartment in Cargill court was used and then the residence on Geneva street was purchased which the group still uses.

With the improvement of personal transportation, the club members found that the original purpose was less important. The club, small in membership, had always had a program of charitable work throughout the years the members have met once each week to sew for the Red Cross or other agencies. The club was one of the early supporters of the Jackson County Public Health association, and has aided other civic projects. The clubhouse is used for parties given by the club as a whole, or by individual members.

The late Mrs. Edmund Burke, mother of Mrs. Don Clark, was the club's first president and in some families, third generation members now belong.

Watch Service Held by League

The Ladies Home League of the Salvation Army held a combined dinner, soldiers meeting, and watch night service Tuesday at 236 North Bartlett street.

Dinner was served at 7 p.m. in the Junior hall to Home League members, families and guests. Following the meal Captain William Ricken, commanding officer of the local Corps, reported on work accomplished in 1957 and future plans for the group.

A film on the life of General William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army, was shown in the chapel. At 11 p.m. the watch night service was held conducted by Capt. Ricken.

Temple to Hold Stated Session

Zuleima temple, Daughters of the Nile, will hold a stated session Saturday, January 11 at the Masonic temple, Ashland, at 1 p.m.

A tea is to follow the meeting with Mrs. Foss Kramer as chairman. She will be assisted by Mesdames E. E. Brown, Clyde Caton, John Daugherty, Ned Marrs, R. E. VanVleet and Montana Trites.

Miss Kay Askwith Crowned Central Point Bethel Queen

Central Point — Miss Kay Askwith was crowned honored queen of Bethel 38, International Order of Job's Daughters, at a ceremony Monday, December 30, at 7:30 p.m. at the Central Point Masonic temple. Miss Helen Hood, junior past queen, was installing officer, and Dick Callender, master counselor of Crater De Molay, officiated at the coronation. The new queen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Askwith, 466 First street, Central Point.

Officers also installed were Miss Linda Warren, senior princess; Miss Donna Burnett,

bouquet of red roses. The queen chose as her theme, "The Angels are Lighting God's Little Candles," which was depicted in the decorations for the chapter room with evergreens, silver, and candles. Decorating committee were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Noel, and Mrs. Harley Dressler, chairman.

Refreshment committee members were Miss Laurel Setness, chairman; the Misses Sandra and Cheryl Ghelardi; Misses Patti and Carol Taylor; Miss Charlo Jo Meyer and their mothers.

Mrs. Dressler was courtesy musician and played preceding the installation. Miss Barbara Henderson was soloist. Miss Elaine Wilson and Miss Carole Crenshaw were candlelighters.

Choir members chosen for this term are Misses Arlene Chausse, Lorraine Scalberg, June Hopkins, Cheryl Ghelardi, Jan Bateman, Penny Taylor, and Bonnie Knapp.

Grand officers introduced were Miss Sue Knight, Medford, grand representative to Montana; Miss Gail Collins, third messenger of the grand Bethel of Oregon; and L. M. Manning, grand outer guard. Also introduced were Miss Carol Lee Selby, past queen, Bethel 55; Mrs. Darrel Grebb, past princess, Central Point; past guardians, Mrs. Paul Snook, Mrs. Al Setness, Mrs. Richard Stratton, all of Central Point; past associate guardians, Victor Noel, William Abbot, both Central Point, and Merritt Swing and Herbert S a m p e r t, associate guardians, Medford, Bethel 55.



Miss Kay Askwith (Brainerd photo)

Others introduced were Mrs. Harold Gordon, guardian Bethel 55; Mrs. Robert Morris, guardian Bethel 14; past queens of Shady Cove, Miss Roberta Dunlap, Miss Phyllis Briggs, and Miss Barbara Henderson; Mrs. Wallace Berry, matron, Nevita chapter of Order of Eastern Star, and Merritt Swing, patron, Nevita chapter.

Queens introduced were Miss Deborah Dunlap, Shady Cove; and Miss Sue Knight, Medford.

An addendum was given by the officers for Queen Kay at the close of the ceremony, with the choir singing.

Mrs. Chandler Drew To Be Club Hostess
Roxie Gardeners will meet Wednesday, January 8, at 1 p.m. at the home of Mrs. H. Chandler Drew, 3528 Delta Waters road. The program will include a panel discussion on gardening. Mrs. Clarence Childres will assist the hostesses.



Patricia Hanson (Landis photo)

Patricia Hanson To Be Installed

Miss Pat Hanson will be installed honored queen of Bethel 55, International Order of Job's Daughters, in a public ceremony to be held Tuesday, January 14, in the Knights of Pythias hall.

Miss Hanson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hanson, 703 Mae street, Medford. Assisting in the crowning ceremony will be the Medford chapter, Order of De Molay.

Hard Time Dance Planned at Camp

Ladies' auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars will hold a hard time dance at the Camp White domiciliary Monday, January 6, in the theater.

Prizes will be awarded to the two best old time or hard times costumes for both the men and the women. Music will be furnished by the Camp White orchestra.

Those wishing transportation may take the bus at the Trailways depot at 7:30 p.m.

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Groups Resume Rehearsals For Coming Concert

Southern Oregon Philharmonic orchestra and the women's chorus of Ashland will resume rehearsals this week for their coming concert January 26. Richard Werner is the orchestra conductor and Miss Helene Robinson directs the chorus.

"The Blessed Damsel" by Debussy will be performed by the orchestra with the chorus; Mrs. Ralph Matlack, soprano, and Lois Windsor, contralto, will be soloists and also on the program will be "The Carnival of Animals" by Saint Saens, which requires soloists and the orchestra and two pianos.

Angus Bowmer, founder and director of the Ashland Shakespearean Festival, will narrate verses by Ogden Nash in connection with the latter number.

Mr. Werner said the orchestra is seeking a xylophone for use by a musician in the coming concert. He asked that anyone having such an instrument call his studio at Spring 2-8761.

Show Chairman Calls Meeting

Rogue River—Mrs. Esther W. Shock, chairman for the Rogue River flower show, to be held April 12, has called a special meeting of all club members, Tuesday, January 7, at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Paul Hughes.

Study Club

Wednesday Study club will hold the first meeting of the year in Girl's Community club, Wednesday, January 8, at 2 p.m.

The program will be a book review and a biography of some well known person.

Past Noble Grands To Install Officers
Mrs. Clara Franklin will be installed as president of Past Noble Grands, club of Olive Rebekah lodge at a meeting Thursday, January 9, at 8 p.m. Mrs. Shirrell Doty will be installed as vice-president with Mrs. Ora Sweet as secretary-treasurer. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. E. D. Dameron's committee.

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