

Extension Units To Hold Sessions

Mrs. Irvin Ross will be installed chairman of Rogue Elk Home Extension unit at the meeting May 21 at the country playhouse.

Other officers to be installed will be Mrs. Charles Moorehead, vice-chairman; Mrs. Kenneth Lacy, second vice-chairman; Mrs. A. W. Worth, secretary; Mrs. Oscar Hanson, treasurer; and Mrs. H. R. Corliss, corresponding secretary.

At the meeting Mrs. Ersal Myers and Mrs. Frank Dolenshek will give the lesson on sign care. Members attending are asked to take a comb, brush, hand mirror, large towel and individual cosmetics. They should also take their own table service.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Alma Mallory and Mrs. Fred Morgan.

At the last meeting members donated \$25 to aid the 4-H member scholarship fund for summer school at Corvallis.

Shady Cove—Shady Cove Home Extension unit will meet Monday, May 19, at the Turner home in Shady Cove. A potluck luncheon will be served.



A tea was held during the annual flower show of Ashland Garden club May 12 at the Ashland Civic clubhouse. Pictured during the event are (left to right) Mrs. R. H. Westerfield, club president; Mrs. Douglas Fiske, Mrs. John Millers and Mrs. Roy Frazier, hostess chairman. The centerpiece was of pink and yellow snapdragons and yellow candles. Among those pouring were Mrs. I. D. Fitzgerald, Medford, director of Siskiyou district, Oregon Federation of Garden clubs and Mrs. Otto Nagel, Eagle Point, assistant director.

Variety of Entries Marks Flower Show in Ashland

Ashland—Ashland Garden club's first standard flower show, held May 12, was considered an outstanding success by the club, with 194 entries, both competitive and non-competitive. A total of 86 first, second and third prize

ribbons were awarded in the competitive division; 24 ribbons were awarded for arrangements and 62 for horticultural specimens.

Mrs. Clarence Mathes was general chairman. Mrs. O. V. Poe, Phoenix, garnered six blue ribbons, more than any other person entering. Mrs. John Holmer, Medford, won 11 ribbons in all, including five blues, and Mrs. Fred Whited, Ashland, and Mrs. Poe each won a total of 7.

Many garden clubs, as well as individuals, participated in the show.

The staging committee, headed by Mrs. Omar Hill, transformed the interior of the Civic clubhouse where the show was held. The stage was made into a park scene, with trees, grass and a bird bath, and at one side stood a bandstand with musical instruments. To carry out the theme, "In the Spring a Young Man's Fancy," couples from the community took turns sitting on the park bench on stage.

Tables of exhibits were divided down the middle with white fences, and the classifications were marked with small signposts bearing printed placards. Arrangements placards also bore a few bars of music from the song which each represented. The music was written by Mrs. R. H. Westerfield, club president.

At 2 p.m., a program of flower songs was given by Mrs. Lucille Mackay and Miss Edna Daugherty.

Assisting Mrs. Hill with the staging were Mrs. Robert Asher, Mrs. W. D. Jackson, Mrs. Jere Girard and Mrs. L. Peers Wilmet.

A plant sale and silver tea

Public Invited To Demonstration

Prucker's Piano house invites anyone interested to attend a demonstration Monday, May 19, at 8 p.m. at the store of a new record-playing device in stereophonic sound. For some time past the music-loving world has been hearing reports of the new equipment, and it has now been received by Prucker's.

The new phonographs are designed to use both the new discs and conventional records; the new records, which look like the conventional ones now in use, are as easily played and are said to give a range of high-fidelity realism to music unknown in the past.

The manufacturer states that instead of fussing with tapes the operator may now place a stack of the new stereophonic records on the turntable and enjoy music for a number of hours.

The manufacturer has also developed a conversion system which enables the addition of speakers and amplifiers to any of its already-in-use high fidelity phonographs and radio-phonographs.

Following a demonstration in Portland last week, it was reported that listeners indicated "that music reproduced from conventional records played on the stereophonic equipment gained in tone quality." The stereophonic records, some of which will be available for about \$1 more than their monaural counterparts, are expected to be produced by all major companies soon. It is said that music from the new equipment seems to emanate from the room as a whole rather than from the box.

were part of the show.

Mrs. E. W. Jermak of the Ashland club gave a luncheon for the judges. They were Mrs. Hugh O'Connor and Mrs. Scott McKendree, Klamath Falls; Mrs. R. T. Nichol, Medford; Mrs. E. A. Bay, Ashland; Mrs. Lester Gorden, Central Point, and Mrs. M. C. Overgaard, Wolf Creek.

Many visitors commented on the wide variety and quantity of flowers at this time of year. They were in every variety of form and color from majestic arrangements of iris to miniatures with tiny flowers. They included massive heads of rhododendrons in pink and deep purple, monstrous oriental poppies, pink and white dogwood, branches of golden chain, flowering crab, drifts of wisteria, a black bowl with dozens of multicolored tulips, baskets of fruit, dried arrangements, driftwood, camellias, giant pansies, three foot delphinium heads, sweet peas and roses.

The belief known as Arrianism was first preached in the Fourteenth Century.



Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Ryde, 24 Jeanette avenue, are pictured here cutting the cake served at the reception which observed their golden wedding anniversary. The cake was made by a friend in Alameda, Calif., and flown here for the event. The Rydes' grandchildren made golden letters which spelled the couple's first names and they were part of the table decorations. (Classic photo)

Reception Honors Rydes On Golden Anniversary

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Ryde, 24 Jeanette avenue, was celebrated at an open house Sunday afternoon, May 4, at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rucker, 25 Quince street, Medford. More than 120 guests called during the afternoon.

Hosts and hostesses for the event were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hill, Grants Pass; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rucker, Medford; and Randall Ryde, Roswell, N.M., children of the couple. They presented Mrs. Ryde a white orchid corsage.

The tiered anniversary cake was designed and flown to Medford by Ralph Gableman of Alameda, Calif., who owns a bakery there and is a long-time friend of the family. Double golden wedding rings centered in a large basket of gold snapdragons decorated the table.

Two granddaughters, Mrs. Larry Johnson, Pasadena, Calif., and Mrs. Robert Kellenbeck, Cave Junction, poured the punch. Coffee was served by Mrs. Major Benson, Hoisington, Kans.; Mrs. Harry Cole, sister of Mrs. Ryde, and Mrs. Louis McLoughlin, Medford. Mrs. Loren Soderlund, granddaughter, was in charge of the guest book.

A gold colored family tree, hung with gold bells representing children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren was displayed on the mantel. Also displayed were the original wedding gown and slippers worn by Mrs. Ryde and some of the wedding gifts.

Among the gifts received by the couple was a gold clock received by Mrs. Ryde's parents on their golden anniversary 36 years ago. Mrs. Ryde will retain the clock until the next golden anniversary in her family.

Also viewed by the guests was the copy of the original wedding story in the Rush county newspaper of LaCrosse, Kans., for May 6, 1908.

Fred L. Ryde and Lena M. Conrad were married in LaCrosse, where Mr. Ryde was in business for himself for 23 years. They moved to Colorado than to the West coast before moving to Medford in 1944.

Following the open house, a dinner was served the family by Colonel and Mrs. Harry Cole of 10 South Keeneway drive, Medford.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Owen Walker, Roseburg; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Melton, Grants Pass; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Niles, Klamath Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kellenbeck, Cave Junction; Mr. and Mrs. Ray J. Castle, Murphy, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Johnson, Pasadena, Calif. Also guests for the open house were Mr. and Mrs. Major Benson, Hoisington, Kans., guests at the wedding of the couple 50 years ago.

Faculty Member To Be Speaker For Howard PTA

Dr. Phyllis Plichta, Southern Oregon college, will be guest speaker at the last meeting this school year of the Howard Parent-Teacher association Tuesday, May 20.

The meeting will be held in the multi-purpose room at the school at 2:30 p.m.

Parents of pre-school children starting Howard school in September may register their children at 1:30 p.m. Child care will be provided during the meeting.

Wednesday, May 21, at 12 noon first graders and their parents will be guests for lunch and an afternoon visit in the first grade rooms.

In the early history of Brazil, drinking hot coffee brought a severe penalty as it was then considered an intoxicating drink.

Class to Receive Masonic Degree; Dinner Planned

Fred A. Purdin and cast will officiate at 8 p.m. Monday, May 19, when the 30th degree of Scottish Rite Freemasonry will be presented in the Masonic temple for a reunion class. This is the terminal degree for the Council of Kadosh.

Friday, May 23, at 8 p.m. Charles H. Thurston Jr. and cast, under the direction of Fred M. Gatter, will confer the 31st degree.

A no-host dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, May 24, for the class of candidates and members of the rite. At 8 p.m. following the dinner, Carl H. W. Oestreich and cast, directed by John J. Kennedy, will present the 32nd degree. This will conclude the ritualistic work for the spring class.

The reunion banquet will be served by members of the Scottish Rite Women's club. Mrs. Frank Salyers is general chairman.

Plans for the dinner were made at the last meeting of the women's group, attended by 25 members. Mrs. Ralph Lue won a prize. Mrs. Edward Pease was general chairman.

Club to Hear Talk On Care of Lawn

Henry Sommerer of Monarch Seed and Feed company will speak on lawn care at the May meeting of Crater Garden club. The meeting will be held Tuesday, May 20, at 7:30 p.m. at the Carroll Stevenson home on Willow Springs road. Mrs. Charles Taylor will be co-hostess. Mrs. Alma Mallory will take the flower arrangement for the month.

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