

Nevita Chapter Observes Anniversary

Central Point—Nevita chapter, Order of Eastern Star, celebrated the 50th anniversary of institution in ceremonies held Saturday, October 25, in Crater High school gymnasium. Eastern Star dignitaries from many parts of the state and hundreds of southern Oregon members attended.

Heading the list of visiting members was Mrs. Victor Thomsen, Hood River, worthy grand matron; Mrs. Richard Dickenson, Corvallis, associate grand matron; Morris Boughner, Medford, grand sentinel; and Mrs. George Page, grand Adah from Klamath Falls. Also here were Mrs. Dee White, Brookings, endowment committee member; Mrs.

Melvin McGrew, Medford, member of the pay of representatives committee; Mrs. Rex Note, Medford, grand representative of Rhode Island; Mrs. R. E. Van Vleet, Ashland, grand representative of Nova Scotia; Mrs. E. G. Randolph, Medford, grand representative of the District of Columbia; Mrs. Orval Shores, Medford, grand representative of Illinois.

Past grand matrons present were Mrs. Lorena McNair, Ashland, and Miss Carlotta K. Wiseman, Grants Pass. Sixteen Oregon chapters and six out-of-state chapters were represented at the gathering.

Given special honors during the evening were Mrs. George

(Mollie) Neale, charter member, and Mrs. H. T. (Betty) Pankey, past matron and senior matron of the chapter. Mrs. Edna Robnett, Portland, another charter member, was unable to attend.

Supplies Music
Miss Edna Dougherty, Ashland, past grand organist, supplied organ music for the ceremonies and Dr. Norman K. Tully of Central Point Presbyterian church gave the invocation. The Hillah Temple cantors, directed by John Lusk, Medford, sang.

Wyles Berry, associate patron of Nevita chapter, was flag bearer and the color guard was Leslie Goff, Richard and William Callander

and Roscoe Day, of Crater chapter, Order of DeMolay.

In her address of welcome Mrs. Merrill Harsh, worthy matron, explained the theme of the evening "Golden Chains of Life and Friendship." This was exemplified in the programs, decorations, and in a drill.

Mrs. William H. Holt, past matron, read a history of the chapter. She stated that the chapter was instituted by Mrs. Jennie Reames, worthy grand matron for Oregon at that time. She was assisted by Mrs. Nellie McGowan as grand marshal; Mrs. Ralph Woodford, grand secretary; and Mrs. Alice Watt, grand chaplain.

Charter Members
The sixteen charter members were William Leever, Warren Norcross, I. C. Robnett, James W. Myers, Lewis Hatfield, George Neale and Robert Kyle, Masons, and the Mesdames Hattie Hatfield, Lola Norcross, Edna L. Robnett, Isabel Leever, Kate Myers, Martha Frederick, Mollie Neale, Vinnie Kyle and Miss Alice E. Hanley.

Mrs. Hatfield was the first worthy matron, and Mr. Norcross the first patron of the chapter. Mrs. Robnett was elected associate matron. The first candidates initiated were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bursell.

Mrs. Reames named the new chapter "Nevita" meaning divinely protected. The new chapter first met in a room in the Cowly building rented from the Grand Army association and located across the street from the present city hall in Central Point. Later members met in the Central Point Opera house, located where the post office is now. In 1922 the present building was purchased from the YMCA.

By the fifth anniversary the chapter had acquired dishes, silver, table linen and an electric star. In early days the Masons and Stars held joint installation ceremonies, preceded by a banquet. From time to time a visit was made to Alpha chapter in Ashland, with members leaving early one day, taking food for lunch and supper, and returning.

Dancers Entertain
Dancers from the Thurston school entertained, and Mrs. D. G. MacDougall sang, accompanied by Mrs. Harold Head. Mrs. Wyles Berry, a past matron, introduced 20 past matrons and 11 past patrons of Nevita.

A birthday cake decked with a golden star and the figures "50" was presented and the candles were lighted by Miss June Hopkins and Miss Cathleen Harsh, members of Bethel 38, International Order of Job's Daughters. Other Daughters who assisted were Misses Victoria Lester, Elaine Wilson, Cora Bell Raveron, Carol Taylor and Janet Kilbourn.

Officers and Courtesy Girls presented an addendum, with each woman holding a chain of 50 links. Officers wore gowns of gold brocade, and the Courtesy Girls were dressed in taffeta and bittersweet color.

Russell Fair, worthy patron, presented the "good of the order" portion of the program. The ceremonies closed with the Mizpah benediction and a reception followed.

Anniversary celebration chairmen were Mrs. Paul Snook, Mrs. Frank Ward, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Luther Day, Mrs. Elva Edler, Mrs. Ted Flury, Mrs. Leonard Freeman, Mrs. Lewis Kilbourne, Mrs. Earl Corneli, Mrs. Harsh, Mrs. Richard Stratton and Mrs. D. Jackson.

The hall was decorated with a large golden star encircled by 50 golden chains on a back drop of pale green; the figures 1908 and 1958 were linked to the star by smaller golden chains. Mrs. Edler was decorations chairman. The dining room was decorated by Mrs. Kilbourne using golden chrysanthemums, bittersweet colored dahlias and golden chains. The refreshment table was centered with a large golden dish with floating flowers.

Visit Announced Of Grand Master
Wilford Beard, Salem, grand master of the Odd Fellows lodge in Oregon will pay his official visit to the Medford lodge Tuesday, November 4, at 8 p.m. He will speak on the activities of the lodges in the state and outline the program for the coming year.

It has been announced that no entertainment will be held since it is election day.

Music Teachers
Slate Meeting
Rogue Valley Chapter of the Oregon Music Teachers association will meet Monday, November 3, at 7:45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Effie Kurtz, 4 Newtown avenue, Medford.

Mrs. Karl Peterson, Ashland, will present information and details on the syllabus examinations which will be held in the spring.

Sarah Jo Diment and Linda Emery, pupils of Mrs. Norma Head, will play.



A huge birthday cake was served at the fiftieth anniversary celebration of Nevita chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, held October 25 in Crater High school. Central Point, and attended by several hundred members of chapters throughout the state.

Mrs. George (Mollie) Neale, (at left) is a charter member of the chapter; Mrs. H. T. (Betty) Pankey is senior worthy matron of the chapter and Mrs. Hensley Holt, read a history of Nevita during the evening.

Gardeners Plan Open Meeting

Medford Garden club will hold an open meeting in Girls Community club Thursday, November 6, at 1 p.m. An invitation is extended to members of neighboring garden clubs in the Siskiyou district to attend.

A program on holiday arrangements and decorations will be presented by Mrs. J. P. Weahunt and Mrs. J. O. Bennett. The silver tea to follow is in charge of Mrs. C. L. Miller, chairman and Mrs. Clare Austin.

Fiber Flower Craft To Be Program for Eagle Point Group

Eagle Point—Mrs. Clarence Davies will demonstrate fiber flower craft at the Eagle Point Garden club meeting Wednesday, November 5, at the home of Mrs. Augusta Perry, at 10 a.m.

A business meeting will be held at 1:30 p.m. Those attending the workshop are to take a sack lunch; dessert and coffee will be served by the hostess.

Materials may be bought through the club by persons interested in making fiber flowers of feather corsages.

Tea to Observe Day of Founding

A stated session of Zuleima temple, Daughters of the Nile, will be held Saturday, November 8 at 1 o'clock in the Masonic temple, Ashland. A tea, observing Founders' day, will be held following the meeting. Women are to take charge.

Mrs. E. Ronald Rice, queen of Zuleima temple, reminds all members of the temple to start collecting gifts for the Thanksgiving box for the Shriner's Childrens hospital in Portland. Details will be announced later.

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Talent Woman Sings for DAR
Mrs. Henry DeVoss, Talent, sang a group of vocal solos for a meeting of Crater Lake Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution at Girls' Community club in Medford, October 25. The regent, Mrs. Virgil Bolton, presided.

Hostesses for the afternoon was Mrs. Jesse C. Long, Jacksonville. She was assisted by Mrs. C. O. Lovejoy, Mrs. Carl Oestreich and Mrs. J. W. Kirby. Pouring were Mrs. Volney Dixon and Mrs. H. Stanley Chirwin.

The next meeting will be in the new home of Mrs. Glenn F. Schneider.

Secretary Flying To Staff Session
Mrs. Mahr Reymers, Ashland, executive secretary for the Jackson County chapter, American Cancer society, planned to leave by plane today for Salt Lake City to attend a training conference of the society.

Staff members from 15 states and Alaska will attend the conference. Sessions are to continue five days.

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