

Nineteenth Anniversary Observed by Sojourners

Observing the nineteenth anniversary of founding, Medford Sojourners' club held a birthday party Thursday with luncheon and cards at the Girls Community club.

Decorations in the Centennial theme honored Oregon's birthday also. The centerpiece on a blue and gold covered

table was a large cake decorated by the clubs vice-president, Mrs. Carl Borg. It depicted an "On to Oregon" scene with a stagecoach, horses, a trail and purple-hued mountains in the background. Oregon grape and printed mats and napkins were used at individual place settings.

Two charter members, Mrs. Glen Allen and Mrs. F. G. Hughes, were introduced. Ten past presidents attending were Mrs. Howard Boyd, Mrs. F. E. Cantrill, Mrs. Gene Chamberlain, Mrs. Eugene Ingram, Mrs. Clay M. Lee, Mrs. George Lovenberg, Mrs. E. F. Coleman, Mrs. John Mansfield, Mrs. M. H. Parsons and Mrs. James Winslow. Mrs. Bron Starcher, who became a member of the club shortly after its organization, was a special guest.

Prospective members present were Mrs. N. B. Shelley, Mrs. John Kuchler and Mrs. Ben Morcy.

After luncheon, served by Sojourner board members, cards were played. Bridge prizes were won by Mrs. Marvin Nelson and Mrs. F. Weddie. Canasta prizes went to Mrs. R. Wright and Mrs. K. Cate, and pinocchio prizes by Mrs. Owen Ludwick and Mrs. James Kirby. A special prize was awarded to Mrs. Ben Morcy.

The next meeting of Sojourners will be March 12 at Girls Community club.

Committees Announced

Standing committees for the year were appointed by the Jackson County Cow Belles at a meeting recently at the courthouse auditorium.

Mrs. Frank Hunt, Phoenix, was named beef promotion chairman; Mrs. Victor Stewart, publicity for the Ashland area and Mrs. Don Bradshaw for Medford. Mrs. Jack O'Brien, Jacksonville, will handle beef cookbooks and Mrs. George Nichols, Ashland, is in charge of the beef candy sales. Orders for the candy may also be made by contacting the secretary, Mrs. Eddie Meeker, Phoenix.

It was decided at the meeting that Mrs. John Bohnert, vice president, would attend the stockmen board meetings and serve as a liaison between the two groups.

A potluck dinner was planned by the Cow Belles for the stockmen at their next meeting. A cake auction was also planned.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Donald Nichols, president, was honored by a surprise shower. Gifts were opened and refreshments served which included a cake, decorated by Mrs. Richard Hein, Jacksonville, in the shape of a cradle.

Plan Dance

Ladies' auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars, department of Oregon, will sponsor a dance at the Camp White domiciliary Monday, March 2, at 8 p. m. in the theater.

Music will be furnished by Musicians' Local No. 597. Those wishing transportation may take the bus at the Trailways depot at 7:30 p. m.



Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Edward Niles (Ferebee photo)

Niles-Griffith Wedding Of Interest in Medford

A wedding of interest to valley residents was held February 1 in Klamath Falls when Miss Linda Ann Griffith became the bride of Bruce Edward Niles, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Niles of that city and formerly of Medford. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Isabel Williams and Rex Griffith, both Klamath Falls.

The Rev. Henry Beegan of Sacred Heart Catholic church officiated at the two o'clock afternoon wedding. Baskets of ivory carnations, snapdragons, stock and salal leaves decorated the church for the double ring ceremony. Mrs. John Heffley was organist.

The bride wore a gown of brocade fashioned with fitted bodice and harem skirt. Her face length veil was held by a crown of feathers and she carried a bouquet of ivory elf roses encircled by stephanotis leaves and desert spoons. Mr. Griffith escorted his daughter to the altar.

Miss Tekla Henningsen, Portland, was maid of honor. She wore an emerald green velvet sheath dress with matching headband and carried a bouquet of ivory elf and light pink roses encircled by stephanotis leaves. The Misses Sally and Susan Williams, sisters of the bride, were junior bridesmaids. They wore sheath dresses of light pink brocade with matching headbands and carried nosegay bouquets of light pink and ivory elf roses encircled with stephanotis leaves.

Roberts in Party
Robert A. Niles served as best man for his brother. Seating the guests were John Dickerman Niles, Medford, brother of the bridegroom, and Bryce Rutledge.

For her daughter's wedding and reception which followed in the parish hall of the church Mrs. Williams wore a silk print dress of blue and green with matching blue headband. Her corsage was of light pink roses. Mrs. Niles chose a cherry pink wool sheath dress with matching flower hat. A white orchid was her corsage.

Baskets of white carnations, snapdragons, stock and salal leaves decorated the rooms for the reception. Mrs. John Van Doren cut and served the tiered wedding cake while Mrs. J. D. Niles presided at the punch bowl. Coffee was poured by Mrs. Philip Adams, Portland, and Mrs. Isabel Mathews. Miss Grace Henry was in charge of the guest book. Small white satin pillows initialed in gold that held pieces of the bridegroom's cake were given each guest.

To Las Vegas
The couple traveled to Las Vegas and San Francisco on their wedding trip. For her traveling attire the bride wore a black wool sheath dress with black accessories and the elf rose corsage from her bridal bouquet. They are making their home at 80 High street, Klamath Falls. Among the out-of-town

guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Schonebaum, Bemidji, Minn., grandparents of the bridegroom; and Medford residents, R. C. Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Gladfelter, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Niles entertained members of the bridal party and relatives at a dinner at the Empire room of the Wi-ne-ma hotel the evening prior to the wedding.

Kiwanian Dames Present Check for Girl Scout Camp

Rogue Valley area, Girl Scouts, received a check for \$300 from Medford Kiwanian Dames at a luncheon meeting Tuesday at Girls Community club. Mrs. Edward P. Barnett, president of the club, presented the check to Miss Ruth Kilbourne, executive secretary of the Girl Scouts.

Kiwanian Dames' gifts to the Scouts has totaled \$6,200 since the aid was started several years ago. When the project first began, it was limited to a \$25 campship. Later money was provided for salaries of counselors at the established camp, Low Echo, at Lake of the Woods. In more recent years the funds have helped to buy boats, a canoe, have been used to improve the waterfront at the camp, to provide shower facilities, dishes and tableware. The money was applied one year on a refrigeration unit and another year on a fireplace.

Kiwanian Dames have helped complete the infirmary building at Camp Low Echo, and assisted with remodeling of the kitchen. Miss Kilbourne stated that this year the money will be used to help buy two new aluminum row boats, and an inter-communication system between the various camp units. This will be particularly valuable in time of emergencies, she stated, since the units are considerable distance apart.

Since the sum has reached as high as \$500 or more in the past, it was explained that money raised by Kiwanian Dames last spring was given to Medford Kiwanian club to aid the club's dental clinic.

Miss Kilbourne invited the members to attend open house at Camp Low Echo on June 28.

It was announced that Kiwanian Dames will hold the annual benefit luncheon and style show May 4. Mrs. Merle Foland and Mrs. Boyd Budge are chairmen.

Events Planned for Centennial State Meeting

Sixteen organizations of the Shady Cove, Trail and Prospect areas were represented at a luncheon held at Rogue River lodge, Trail, February 24.

Mrs. Wyles E. Berry introduced Clark Haydon, assistant state coordinator of the Oregon Centennial committee who spoke of statewide plans for celebrating Oregon's 100th anniversary.

The three Upper Rogue communities are formulating plans for local centennial celebrations to be held May through September.

Attending the meeting were Mesdames Ernest Seggessenman, Robin Adair, Paul Torrance, Allen Rodgers, Dale Sawyers, John House, Phillip Alicki, Delbert Spain, David Bergren, Archie McKillop, Earl Millard, Everett Shafer, John Sprague and Wyles Berry.

Also present were Ray Briggs, Ed Houston, Harry Goode, Allen Rodgers and Kenneth Oliver.

Barracks, Auxiliary Plan Business Session

Veterans of World War I, Barracks 540, and Ladies' auxiliary will hold the monthly business meeting Wednesday, March 4, at 8 p. m. at the Girl's Community club, 229 North Bartlett street.

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