

Central Point Teachers Honored at Reception

Central Point-Teachers of Jewett Elementary school, Central Point Elementary and Junior High schools were honored at a reception given in the Junior High school li-

Unique Party Honors Woman; Couple Leaving

Gold Hill - A bon voyage party given for Mrs. E. C. Hoffman, president of the Gold Hill Community Methodist church, was a surprise to her as well as several other women of the community, including Mrs. James F. Eubanks Jr., wife of the pastor of the church.

Several women left domestic chores at home when the Rev. Mr. Eubanks sent out an unexpected message Wednesday morning that there was an emergency at the church. The group included Mrs. George Dorman, Mrs. Melvin Burnett, Mrs. Paul Molloy, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Oden Kellogg, Mrs. Ferd Jones, Mrs. Harriet Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, Mrs. Lawrence Smith, Mrs. S. M. Christensen, Mrs. Nora Wait, Mrs. Clyde Kell, and the Eubanks' two children, Eddie and Dauphne.

They arrived at the church about nine o'clock that morning, dressed as they were when receiving the message. Instead of finding trouble, which would mean work for them, the women were amazed to find that Mr. Eubanks had prepared a buffet breakfast for them.

The center arrangement for the table was a woven wicker canoe in which each person attending the party placed a note written as a tribute to Mrs. Hoffman.

Mrs. Hoffman, who will leave with her husband the last week in September for a two month vacation in various eastern and southern states said this occasion was truly the biggest surprise of her life. She was presented the canoe as a going away gift. She will save the messages until she begins her trip, and at the end of each day she plans to open and read one note.

First the Hoffmans will go to Minnesota, then to Cleveland, Ohio, where they will visit at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Klingler. Mrs. Hoffman has not seen her brother during the past 18 years.

Along the way they plan to see four families with whom they were friends, when the Hoffmans resided in Guam. They have not seen these people since 1954. In Houston, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman will visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Harding will stay at the Hoffmans' home here during their absence.

library, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Everett Young, Central Point Garden Club president, decorated the library for the occasion. On either side of the stage, she had placed tall baskets of deep red dahlias against a background of white snowberries. Small bouquets of autumn shades of chrysanthemums and bright zinnias added to the fall decor. An arrangement of chrysanthemums in blended shades of pale pink to deep rose were used in the centerpiece on the refreshment table.

Members of the executive committee acted as hosts of the affair. Mrs. Clifford Bailey was program chairman and Mrs. C. E. Chamberlain presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Stanley Parrish gave the invocation and the Girl Scouts lead the flag salute. The men teachers, in a group, led in the singing of "America the Beautiful."

Mrs. John Summerfield, Mrs. Scott Hamilton and Mrs. Eugene Ferrell had made for everyone name tags in the form of little open books. The color of the book indicated the grade in school in which the wearer was affiliated.

New members and first time visitors were special name tags and were greeted by the president.

Charles A. Meyer, District 6C superintendent, was introduced and he introduced William Brewster, principal of Jewett Elementary school and George Johns, principal of Central Point Elementary and Junior High school. The teachers were presented and gave brief personal introduction of themselves to the parents.

1959-60 Central Point PTA officers are Mrs. C. E. Chamberlain, president; Mrs. Clifford Bailey, first vice-president; Mrs. Don Bohnert, second vice-president; Mrs. W. C. Higinbotham, secretary and Mrs. Alvin Roberts, treasurer.

Two Join Group At Last Session

A scheduled Lithia park picnic became an indoor potluck luncheon, because of rain, when Jackson County Retired Teachers met recently in Ashland. Mrs. Carol Sabo opened her home for the group.

The 34 persons in attendance included two new members, Mrs. W. E. (Gertrude) Holmes and Mrs. Olen Arnspiger, both Medford, and seven guests.

Mrs. Bernice Kunzman, the president, asked for a moment of silence in honor of Mrs. Ruth McCollister, whose death occurred in July.

The president also outlined programs for the coming year. A game using the names of Shakespearean works was played, and reports of various committees given.

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Washington—After visiting the home of passed out souvenirs to a group of neighbor John Armitage, of the State Department's boring children who waited outside to Soviet Desk, Mrs. Nikita Khrushchev watch her leave. (UPI Telephoto)

Meeting Set For PTSA

Eagle Point - Mrs. John Huffman, president of Eagle Point High School Parent-Teacher-Student association, has announced that the first meeting of the 1959-60 season will be held Wednesday, September 30, at 8 p.m., in the high school library. Members of the executive committee will be hostesses for the evening.

Teachers of the Eagle Point High school, including several new members of the faculty, will be introduced at the meeting, as well as the officers and committee chairmen of the association. Also to be presented at this meeting are the P.T.S.A. representatives of the four classes, including Beverly Tresham and Gerry Hugo, seniors; Josephine Hume and Tom Perdue, juniors; Bonnie Goehring and Pat Meyer, sophomores; and Helen Vickoren and Charles Pomeroy, freshmen.

Business for the evening will include a demonstration on parliamentary procedure by members of the Eagle Point chapter of the Future Farmers of America, a presentation of the budget recommended by the executive committee, and a food sale, to which all persons attending the meeting are requested to donate.

HUNGRY STUDENTS

Norman, Okla. (UPI) - A herd of 600 cattle a year is slaughtered to feed the 3,000 students who live in dormitories at the University of Oklahoma. Also consumed during a year are more than 12,000 turkeys, chickens and capons, hundreds of pigs, enough fresh fish to stock a good-sized lake and thousands of cans of salmon and tuna.

Two Guilds Of Church Combined

Ruth Esther Wesleyan Service guild of First Methodist church has added to its rolls the women who formerly made up Gladson Wesleyan Service guild. At a meeting of the former group September 21, the president, Miss Voda Brower, welcomed women from the dissolved group.

The program chairman, Mrs. Dale Flowers, stated that "A new year with new responsibilities" was the evening's theme. She introduced Mrs. L. A. White, who reminded her listeners that "service" is the middle name of the guild, and noted the many opportunities for "after working hours" jobs for business women.

The four interdenominational books to be studied this winter by the guild and other Medford church groups were listed as an opportunity.

Mrs. Charles Adamson, Oregon conference guild secretary, made several announcements. She said the Louise Bunch-Boulah Faber memorial chapel at the Methodist home in Salem will be dedicated October 18. The public is invited to attend.

Also announced was the United Nations briefing session to be conducted in the Red Cross building Tuesday, September 29, at 7 p.m. Mrs. Adamson will show a film strip and present program materials for teachers of UN classes.

Mrs. Adamson urged members to attend the Western Jurisdiction guild "week end" in Portland October 23-24. It was also said that Medford is one of seven cities in Oregon chosen for a national pilot study of the employed woman and the church.

During the devotional service Mrs. Roy Gilbertson projected a color picture of Mt. Lassen, reflected in a lake, to illustrate the theme, "The Light Upon the Mountains." She read the words of a hymn.

During the business meeting, year-books prepared by Mrs. George Watson and Mrs. Dale Flowers were distributed.

Miss Annette Gray, chairman for Christian social relations, urged participation in the Human Rights council now organized in Medford, and said members should be informed on the trends toward disarmament and desegregation which are gaining momentum.

The secretary, Mrs. Ellen Lynner, extended an invitation to all to attend the public relations dinner of Medford Toastmistress club on October 14 in the Girls' Community club.

The president announced that Miss Viola Dietrich, a long-time member of the guild, would be married soon to Charles Hanson of Alameda, Calif., where the couple will make their home.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Emerson Anderson, Miss Carol Denny, Mrs. Marie Bloomfield and Mrs. Alberta Boardman.

Washington PTA Plans New Year

Washington Parent-Teacher association will hold its first meeting of the school year Friday, October 16, at 2:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

The theme for the year will be "PTA—where the children come first." "Active participation" will be the association's object.

Plans for the meeting were made last week at a meeting of the executive board at the home of Mrs. Donald Coltrane, 1116 Winchester avenue. Twenty-two members attended.

The October meeting will be a "get acquainted" event and Ron Weatherford, principal, will introduce teachers to the parents. The budget will also be presented.

Robert Hayworth, director of parks and recreation for the city of Medford, will speak on future recreational development in the city.

The public is invited to attend and child care will be provided.

About 10 of 100 American women over age 65 are steadily employed.

Federal Civil Defense Head Sets Up Radiation Shelter

By ROSE McKEE

Washington - The man in charge of the nation's program for the defense of civilians against a nuclear attack has set up a radiation shelter in his own new home.

Federal Civil Defense Administrator Lee Hoegh and his family have stocked their basement shelter with food and water to last them three days. An adjoining room to which they could go briefly without radiation danger, has supplies for two weeks.

Mrs. Hoegh told an interviewer from the National Association of Home Builders that the shelter "has given me such a sense of security—we hope we never have to use it for safety but of course no one knows what tomorrow may bring."

She expressed belief that a shelter of the same type would be of use to families living in areas hit by tornadoes and cyclones.

Hold Conference

The Hoeghs' decision to build a shelter, like other matters affecting their home, was made jointly by them and their two daughters, Kristin, 15, and Janis, 12. The former Iowa governor and his wife have long held family conferences for such decisions.

They live in a Washington suburb and only last November moved into a newly built colonial home which Mrs. Hoegh liked because it has a "central hall just like we had in our home in Iowa" and in other ways, recalled their Iowa home.

But at one point the Hoeghs and daughters took a formal vote to stay in the house in the same neighborhood in which they had lived since coming to Washington nearly two years ago. But part of the agreement was that they would make changes in the house. When a contractor told them that it would not be "good business" to make the changes, the family agreed to sell the house and buy a new one. The girls added an amendment that required that their new home be in the same neighborhood so that they would not lose their friends.

Mrs. Hoegh, an attractive woman with gray hair, brown eyes and a warming smile, said that the family conferences give the girls "a sense of responsibility and a feeling that the home is really theirs and everything isn't just Mother's and Daddy's."

West Side Club Meets Teachers

The first meeting for the new school year of West Side Mothers' club was held September 23 at the home of Mrs. Irvin E. Hogan, 1852 Neidermeyer drive.

Mrs. Robert L. Kagy, president, welcomed the principal and the three teachers new to West Side school this year, as well as all mothers with children attending the school for the first time. Mrs. Kagy introduced the teachers, who were presented with corsages. They are: Mrs. Goldie E. Davidson, first grade, Mrs. Pat Stewart, second grade, Mrs. Elmerine Upp, third and fourth grades, and Mrs. Florence Minshall, fifth grade.

Herbert G. Wing will teach sixth grade in addition to his duties as principal. Chairmen were announced. They are hospitality, Mrs. Rolf Holmstrom; room mothers, Mrs. C. R. Lemley; publicity, Mrs. Ellis Chartier; rummage sale, Mrs. Lee Niedermeyer; hobby show, Mrs. John Gates and Mrs. Bob Johnston; telephone, Mrs. John Fleeger; open house, Mrs. E. D. Davis; kindergarten, Mrs. Eugene Ray; Red Cross, Mrs. Dwight Wilson; Girl Scout, Mrs. Charles Shinn.

The business meeting was followed by refreshments and a "get-acquainted" hour. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Emmett Bullard, Mrs. Ralph Brindley and Mrs. J. R. Acheson.

DOWN WITH AUTOMATION Burlington, Vt. (UPI) - Re-belling against mechanization, Staff Sgt. Aubrey King, in charge of the Ethan Allen Air Force Base ammunition dump, bought two goats to relieve his men of the job of keeping the grass cut.

Registration Open For Dance Class

Registrations are still being accepted in a beginners square dance class at Kershaw square on Cory road, Kenneth Hood, Medford, reminded couples interested in learning to square dance.

The class is held each Tuesday night, and registrations will be accepted two more weeks. The course meets once each week for 12 weeks. Persons interested may contact either Mr. and Mrs. Hood at SPring 2-6971.

Roxy Ann HEC To Hold Meeting

Roxy Ann Grange Home Economics club will meet Wednesday, September 30, at 8 p.m. at the Grange hall. Refreshments will be potluck.

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Officers For PTA Introduced

Eagle Point—Officers who will serve Eagle Point Elementary Parent-Teacher association for the coming year were introduced at the first meeting of the group held recently at the school. The meeting followed a dinner, and supervised play for children was held in the gymnasium while parents attended the session.

The officers are Mrs. Lester McFall, vice-president; Mrs. Larry Davis, teacher-vice-president; Mrs. Oscar Frei, secretary; Mrs. Benny Hefley, treasurer; Mrs. John Sinder, historian.

Committee chairmen are parliamentarian, Mrs. Dale Ackerman; health, Mrs. Lois Burrill; family life, Joe Munshaw; Lee Hays, legislation; chairman of room mothers from grades 1 to 4, Mrs. Elbert Hefley; chairman of room mothers from grades 5 through 8, Mrs. Ray Chamberlain; magazine, Mrs. Ray Palm; program, Richard Wolgamott; safety and juvenile protection, Mrs. Wolgamott; ways and means, Mrs. Harold Hanson; Mrs. Vincent Vaughn; Mrs. Leonard Bradshaw; membership, Mrs. Lester McFall; publicity, Mrs. Keith Krambeal; hospitality, Mrs. William Pomeroy; tuition scholarship, James Collier. A number of new residents

introduced themselves and were welcomed by the president. They were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Scott, Mrs. Eugene Everett, Mrs. Max Goble, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Barton.

Teachers for the coming year were introduced. Mrs. William Pomeroy's sixth grade room won the penny drill for having the largest percentage of parents present.

Suggestions for the type of program desired were asked for.

Martin Jorde was presented his past president's pin from Mrs. Shelton.

Chapter Honors Former Officers

Past regents and charter members were honored at the last meeting of Idella Rogue santha, Nomads of Avradaka. Mrs. LeRoy Cline, rani of the group, welcomed these members and Mrs. Mabel Nicholson responded. Each honored person received a gift.

Past regent Edward Bostwick was recommended for imperial deputy.

Harry Bryant showed movies of a recent trip he and Mrs. Bryant made to Kentucky.

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