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Mr. and Mrs. Forrest K. Clark
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Talent Friends Church Scene of Wedding Rites

Talent - Miss Kathleen Kerns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William K. Kerns, Route 1, Box 88, became the bride of Forrest K. Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clark, Kilmichael, Miss., in a double-ring ceremony the afternoon of January 10.

About 150 guests attended the service, which was read by Pastor A. Clark Smith at Talent Friends church. Pink and white chrysanthemums and candles provided a setting for the wedding.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a ballerina-length gown of lace with a scoop neck and three-quarter length sleeves. A cascade of net ruffles accented the back. A pearl crown held her finger-tip length veil of tulle. She carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations and a handkerchief which her maternal grandmother had carried on her wedding day.

Mrs. John Logston, maid of honor, wore a pink brocade gown styled with a scoop neck and full skirt. She also carried white carnations.

Miss Barbara Bland, Redding, Calif., the bride's cousin, lighted the candles. She wore a dress of white brocade taffeta with pink trim. Lynne Kerns, the bride's sister, who served as flower girl, wore a dress of pink embroidered organza.

Dea Cox, Evans Valley, was best man. Richard and John Kerns, brothers of the bride, seated guests.

Neil Pierson, was soloist. The bride's parents gave a reception for the young couple following the wedding. Mrs. G. A. Bland, aunt of the bride, cut the cake. Miss La-Nora Downey was at the guest book and Miss Sandra Dickinson had charge of the gifts.

The bride and bridegroom traveled to Mississippi on their wedding trip and will make their home at Greenville, Miss., where he is employed by the United States Gypsum company. For traveling the bride wore a navy blue suit.

The bride attended Talent High school and Southern Oregon college and was employed by Lea Motors, Medford. The bridegroom attended Kilmichael High school and Southern Oregon college.

Coming from out of town for the wedding were Mrs. Clara Bland and Mrs. Estella Kerns, Woodburn, Ore., the bride's grandmothers, and Mr. and Mrs. Gwynn Bland and family, Redding, Calif.



Miss Janice Linker

Parents Announce Engagement News

Central Point—Mr. and Mrs. James Linker, Box 262, Orr drive, announce the engagement of their daughter, Janice, to David Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Johnson, route 1, box 476.

Miss Linker is attending Crater High school. Her fiancé, a graduate of Malvern, Ark., High school, is employed by Jeddell Brothers Sued Mill, Inc., Gold Hill. No wedding date has been set.

Mistletoe Club Holds Ceremony

Mrs. Arthur Johnson was installed as president of Mistletoe club recently following a dessert luncheon and business meeting at Girls Community club.

Mrs. Harvey Rowden was installed as vice president; Mrs. Alvin Lehman, secretary; and Mrs. Frank Gidney, treasurer. Mrs. Ruby Mallory was chairman of the committee in charge. A prize was won by Mrs. Anna McCormack.

Mrs. Thomas Mee, outgoing president, was in charge of the business meeting and presented a gift to each of her officers.

The group's next meeting will be January 27.

Betrothal News Told at Dinner

Central Point—The engagement of Miss Deborah Rose Nelson and David G. Moursund was announced at a dinner at the Sigma Kappa house on the University of Oregon campus January 7.

The table was decorated with red carnations and individual white swan dishes which contained candy hearts. A candle was passed.

Miss Nelson is a daughter of Mrs. Glen Watson, 3519 Grant road, Central Point, and Bert Nelson, Butte Falls Star Route, Box 2, Eagle Point. She is a graduate of Crater High school in Central Point and is a senior at the university.

Miss Nelson, who is majoring in mathematics, is affiliated with Sigma Kappa social sorority.

Mr. Moursund is the son of Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Moursund, Eugene. He is a graduate student in mathematics at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

No date has been set for the wedding.



Deborah Rose Nelson

Play Dates Announced

Production dates for "Pygmalion," senior class play of Medford High school, have been set for February 18 and 19.

The title of the play was taken from a classical myth in which Pygmalion, a king and sculptor of Cyprus, made an ivory statue of a beautiful maiden which Aphrodite, Greek goddess of love, brought to life.

In the play, Higgins, a professor of phonetics, picks up a poor flower girl off the streets of London and transforms her into a beautiful and elegant young lady.

"Pygmalion" was first produced in Berlin in 1912 and was especially written by Shaw for a famous English actress, Mrs. Patrick Campbell. It has been presented many times since with great actresses such as Lynne Fontanne and Gertrude Lawrence playing the leading role.

The play was made into a movie in 1939 starring Leslie Howard and Windy Hiller, and has since been made into a musical, "My Fair Lady," by Loerner and Lowe.

Club Holds Installation

Mrs. Ellen Lynner was installed president of the Medford Toastmistress club at a meeting Wednesday at the Girls Community club.

Other officers installed by Mrs. James Vandersteen were Mrs. Thomas Ball, vice president, and Mrs. Jack Cummings, secretary. Each new officer received a corsage and a copy of her new duties.

Two new members, Mrs. William E. Acord, and Mrs. James Beams, were welcomed into the club.

Mrs. J. W. Poage was lexicologist for the evening and Mrs. George Watson was toastmistress. Christmas cards were the subject and members gave talks on unusual cards they had received.

Mrs. Jack Cummings started a get-acquainted program by calling on Mrs. Edith Whillock and Mrs. Meiba Marin, two of the newer members, to give their autobiographies. Miss Anna Streed presented highlights of history and Mrs. Thomas Ball had "The Night is Silent" for her subject. Mrs. Elmer Ness, retiring president, spoke on education using as her subject "Your Voice."

Mrs. Roy Rolls reported on the programs of the past year.



Dianna Cummings

Miss Cummings, George Hunt Jr. Engaged to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cummings, 707 Midway road, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dianna, to George A. Hunt Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Skyrman, Gold Rey road, Central Point.

Miss Cummings is a senior at Crater High school. Mr. Hunt, who also attended Crater High school, is now stationed with the United States Army at Fort Ord, Calif.

They plan a late fall wedding.



Miss Georgene Hicks

Hicks Announce Betrothal News

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hicks, 720 West 11th street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Georgene Ann, to Walter Lonnie Sewell Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Sewell, 5202 Table Rock road, Central Point.

The bride-to-be attended Medford High school and is a junior at Seattle Pacific college, where she is majoring in education. Her fiancé, a graduate of Crater High school, is employed at Cascade Wood Products, Inc., White City. The wedding is planned for next fall.

Valley Residents Serve As Patrons for "Elijah"

A large number of valley residents will serve as patrons for this afternoon's production of the sacred oratorio, "Elijah." It will be presented by the Philharmonic Society of Southern Oregon at 3 p.m. in the Medford High school auditorium.

The patrons who will have paid an extra sum for their tickets, will be seated together in a special section of the auditorium. On the list are Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Adamson, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Anderson, Dr. and Mrs. B. Brandt Bartels, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bashaw, Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. Royal E. Bebb, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Fayette I. Bristol, Grants Pass; Mrs. C. Reese Braley, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred S. V. Carpenter, Dr. and Mrs. L. G. Case, Dr. and Mrs. Ray L. Casterline, Mrs. Yvonne Dalen, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Day, Mr. and Mrs. William Dawkins, Ashland.

Also Mrs. A. Z. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. DeVoe, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Edson, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Fish, Mr. and Mrs. George Flanagan, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Frohnmayer, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Houghton, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Isaacs, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Jorgensen, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Konschot, Dr. and Mrs. Earl L. Lawson, A. C. Leighton, Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Lemery, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lizberg, Dr. and Mrs. Fred C. Lorish.

Others are Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lovejoy, Mrs. J. W. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen G. Nye, Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Pierce, Mrs. Sprague Riegel, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reichstein, Mr. and Mrs. John Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts, Mrs. Lillian Salade, Dr. Roy Schweiger, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stong, Dr. and Mrs. E. N. Terrill, Ashland; Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Dyke, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Voegtly and Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Woods, Ashland.

Members of the board secured the patrons and the list was announced by Mrs. Bebb. Ushers will be the Misses Pamela Gilkinson, Karalee Selby, Linda Slessler, Ruth Coovert, Marcia Barrell.

Study Club

Mrs. R. T. Nichol will review B. Elizabeth Thomas' book "Harmless People" at the meeting of The Wednesday Study club, January 20 at the Girls Community Club. Mrs. Jack Swem will present a selected subject.



Richard D. Werner will direct a performance of the oratorio "Elijah" to be presented today at 3 p.m. in Medford High school auditorium. The box office will open at 2 p.m.; coffee will be served at intermission.

Pamela White and Karen Mayfield.

Musicians from all parts of southern Oregon will take part in the production. Composed by Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy, "Elijah" is a dramatic story based on the Bible. It is presented with chorus, orchestra, vocal solos, trios and quartets. Richard D. Werner directs, and Bruno Pellegrini will be at the organ.

Coffee will be served at intermission.

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Medford Couple Honored On Fortieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Oval McClanahan were honored on their 40th wedding anniversary by relatives and friends at their home at 2304 Spring street, Sunday, January 10.

A tiered wedding anniversary cake, made by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ellis, son-in-law and daughter of the couple, was served with coffee and punch.

Mr. and Mrs. McClanahan were married January 10, 1920 by Judge Gardner, in the Jacksonville courthouse, and have made their home in Jackson county since that time. They were married on the wedding anniversary of Mrs. McClanahan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Yocom, early day settlers of Jacksonville.

The couple's five daughters, Mrs. Roy Heath, Mrs. Harold Ellis, Mrs. James Mulhollen, Mrs. David Haggard and Mrs. Charles Workman were present for the occasion and served the refreshments.

Three sons, who were unable to attend, include Floyd McClanahan, Sandy, Ore.; Richard McClanahan, in the service in Florida; and Dale McClanahan, in the service in Germany. A fourth son, Lloyd, was killed in World War II.

Also present for the occasion were Mr. Heath, the Harold Ellis children, Hal, Linda and Sherry; Mr. Mulhollen and daughters, Cathy,

Shirley and Teresa; Mr. Haggard and daughter, Terri; Mr. Workman, and Mr. and Mrs. James Heath, all sons-in-law and grandchildren of the honored couple.

Approximately 70 persons attended.

Program Given On Conservation For Garden Club

Talent—Mrs. E. G. Taylor presented a quiz on conservation and horticulture at a meeting of Talent Garden club January 6 at the home of Mrs. C. S. Barrett. Mrs. Phillip Hoyland was co-hostess.

Mrs. R. T. Nichol, director, Siskiyou district, Oregon Federation of Garden Clubs, and Mrs. Lloyd Haney were guests. Mrs. Nichol spoke concerning the advantages of judging garden club flower shows.

The next meeting of the club is scheduled for February 3 at the home of Miss Bertha Hayman, with Mrs. Ormy Goddard as co-hostess.

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