

Medford Thespian Troupe To Present Greek Drama

"The Birds," written by the Greek playwright, Aristophanes in 414 BC and modernized by Walter Kerr, has been selected by the Thespians of Medford High school for their spring production.

Even though the play was written centuries ago, its humorous satire of civilization, along with its tremendous color and movement, delights audiences today.

The setting is a rugged mountain-top a short distance from Athens where the land of the birds is located. Various levels are used in the staging of the production.

The story concerns two young men of Athens who are tired of taxes, laws, long-headed poets, political commentators, and other segments and pressures of civilization. They are searching for a "paradise on earth" in

which to live when they come upon the land of the birds. Their adventures and problems here compose a most delightful farce-comedy.

The selection of the play was based upon a production of "The Birds" presented by the University of Portland drama department in January. Members of Thespian Troupe 358 witnessed the performance while attending their regional convention.

Couple Here

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Carpenter arrived Tuesday by air from Waitfield, Vt., and are guests of Mr. Carpenter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred S. V. Carpenter, Topsides, Old Stage road. They will remain for the Easter holiday, and plan to return April 18.

Bethel Tea, Style Show To Be Today

Miss Carla Borough, senior princess of Bethel 14, International Order of Job's Daughters, extends an invitation to all members of Job's Daughters, their parents and friends, to attend the annual silver tea and style show sponsored by the Bethel.

The event will be today at two o'clock in the Medford Masonic temple.

Miss Borough announces that the clothes to be modeled in the style show are being furnished by Mann's and will consist of children's, youth and adult fashions.

Bethel members who will assist with the serving of the tea are the Misses Janice Taylor, Denna Taylor, Loreta Turman, Cheryl Potucek, Karen Corneil, Ann Donahue and Pat Kennedy. They are asked to be at the hall by 1 p.m. Sunday.

Proceeds from the tea will be divided three ways. One portion goes to the Oregon educational fund which provides scholarships for girls going into education beyond high school level, one third goes to the Oregon promotional fund and one third is retained in the treasury of the local Bethel for projects.

Assisting with the clean-up following the tea will be the Misses Cindy Anderson, Pat Borough, Kay Fields, Linda Blue, Venita Burch, Carolyn Poulos, Gayle Voight, Jane Stenson, Linda Nash.

Chapter Names New Officers

Mrs. R. W. Sleeter was recently elected president of chapter AA, PEO Sisterhood, for the coming year. Mrs. H. D. Christensen was elected vice-president; Mrs. S. J. Lacy, recording secretary; Mrs. D. B. Whalin, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. D. Jones, treasurer; Mrs. R. J. Cunningham, chaplain; and Mrs. D. K. Auxier, guard.

The chapter will have its regular meeting April 13 at the home of Mrs. Christensen, 183 Black Oak drive. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 o'clock, with Mrs. T. G. Polk and Mrs. J. A. Cunningham assisting the hostess.

Meeting Planned For Sojourners

Medford Sojourners club will meet at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, April 14, at the Girls Community club.

Newcomers to Medford and vicinity who have lived here less than two years are invited to attend and become members.

Bridge, pinocle and canasta will be played after dessert and a short business meeting.



Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gordon Carr (Hughes photo)

Carr-Truly Ceremony Held At Girls Community Club

Miss Elizabeth Ann Truly, 229 North Bartlett street, became the bride of Henry Gordon Carr, Kennewick, Wash., in a ceremony held March 27 at the Girls Community club.

Adarel Chapter Groups to Hold Luncheon Sessions

Adarel Social club and Adarel Past Matrons club of the Order of Eastern Star have scheduled meetings for the coming week.

The social club will meet Thursday, April 14, at the home of Mrs. O. L. Shores, Applegate, for a salad luncheon at 12:30 o'clock followed by a business session.

Mrs. Lloyd Hamlin, Mrs. Edward Gould and Mrs. Minnie Offenbacher are co-hostesses.

Past matrons will meet for a salad luncheon at 12:30 p.m. Monday, April 11, at 12:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Wallace Brill, 75 Lozier lane. Mrs. Charles Coggins will assist the hostess.

Association Slates Meeting, Practice

A business meeting and practice session will be held by the Degree of Honor Protective association at Girls Community club at 8 p.m. Monday.

Members will practice for their part in the coming state convention in Portland April 18.

Guests Here

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Secrist and small sons, Robert Jr. and Peter, are in Medford as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Pellegrini, 624 Dakota avenue. The Secrists came by plane from their home in Buffalo, N.Y.

Couple to Wed In April Rites

Tiller - The wedding of Miss Sharon Lohr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lohr, Canyonville, to David Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Howell, Tiller, is set for April 16.

Friends honored Miss Lohr recently at a pre-nuptial shower at the William Howell residence. Twenty-five attended.

The hostesses, Mrs. Carl Giles and Mrs. Don Newman, served refreshments following an afternoon of games and visits.

Music Teachers Continue Series

American composers will be the topic for a meeting of Rogue Valley district, Oregon Music Teachers, Monday, April 11, at 7:45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Effie Kurtz, 4 Newtown street.

Mrs. Karl Peterson, Ashland, will conduct the program, third in a series of contemporary music.

Pupils of Mrs. Harold Head will present musical selections.

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Kiwanian Dames Announce Show

"Magic Moments of 1960" will be the theme of the Kiwanian Dames annual fashion show, luncheon and card party to be held Friday, May 13, at the Rogue Valley country club.

The event will begin at 12:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Jerry Lausmann are co-chairmen for the event.

Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Paul Mitchell, SPRing 2-4042; Mrs. Lausmann, SPRing 2-8480; or Mrs. Branlund, SPRing 3-5459.

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