

Arnold-Leitch Wedding Rites Held in Portland

Of interest to valley residents is the wedding of Miss Gail Winslow Leitch, Portland, and Richard Schubert Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur A. Arnold, 1011 Reddy avenue, here April 10 at the Valley Community United Presbyterian church, Portland. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Langie S. Leitch, Van Nuys, Calif.



Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Leon Coggins (Lamb Photo)

Coggins-Blackburn Rites Held at Methodist Church

In a ceremony held Easter Sunday, April 17, Miss Judith Rea Blackburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Blackburn, Route 2, Box 321, Medford became the bride of Eugene Leon Coggins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Coggins, 1329 Beckman avenue.

Dr. George G. Roseberry officiated at the doubling ceremony held at 8 o'clock in the evening in Meeker Memorial chapel of First Methodist church, Medford.

The church and altar were decorated with Easter lilies and baskets of white lilies, gladiolus, calla lily and Dutch iris. White bows marked the ends of the pews.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full length gown of white Chantilly lace over net. The neckline was trimmed with pearls and sequins and the full skirt was designed with rose appliques of lace. The back of the skirt was designed with a cascade of net ruffles. She wore a strand of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom. A pearl and sequin tiara held her finger-tip veil. She carried a bouquet of white roses, stephanotis, and an orchid on a white ribbon.

Mrs. Arthur Pacholke was matron-of-honor for her sister. She wore a light yellow-waist-length dress of lace over taffeta with scalloped neckline and pleated skirt, and a yellow flowered headpiece. Her cascade bouquet was of white carnations with ribbon to match the dress.

Bridesmaids were Miss Rita Bateman and Mrs. Paul C. Coggins, sister-in-law of the bridegroom. Their dresses and headpieces matched that worn by the honor attendant. They carried cascade bouquets of white carnations with rib-

bons to match their dresses. Miss Bateman's dress was mint green and the dress worn by Mrs. Coggins was of orchid color.

Vivian Caldwell, Klamath Falls, cousin of the bride, was flower girl and Larry Igo, also a cousin of the bride, was ring bearer. Vivian wore a pink organza frock and scattered pink petals from a basket. The candles were lighted by Miss Susan Blackburn, sister of the bride, and Miss Sylvia Coggins, sister of the bridegroom. Their dresses were of light blue taffeta and their wristlets were of white carnations.

Paul C. Coggins was best man for his brother. Ushers were William C. Hayes, brother-in-law of the bridegroom; Thomas Roberts; Arthur E. Pacholke, brother-in-law of the bride, and Roger Blackburn, brother of the bride.

Soloist for the ceremony was Mrs. William C. Hayes, sister of the bridegroom, who wore a gold sheath dress. Gerald Moore played the traditional wedding music.

White lilies, lily of the valley and Easter lilies decorated the reception room. Mrs. Jerry Igo, cousin of the bride, and Mrs. Robert Madden, aunt of the bridegroom, cut and served the wedding cake. Mrs. Ethel Blackburn, Klamath Falls, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Charles Caldwell, Klamath Falls, cousin of the bride, presided at the punch bowl. Miss Karen Henderson poured the coffee. Miss Chere Madden, cousin of the bridegroom, was at the guest book and Mrs. Dale Flowers was in charge of the gifts. Miss Catherine Carter and Mrs. James D. Sanford were in charge of the decorations.

For the wedding and reception, the bride's mother chose a Copenhagen blue dress of lace over taffeta with blue and white accessories and pink orchid corsage. The bridegroom's mother wore a light beige dress of lace over taffeta with matching accessories and a gold orchid corsage.

The couple traveled to the Oregon Coast on their wedding trip. For traveling, the bride wore a pink wool suit with white accessories and the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

The bride, a graduate of Medford High school, attended Southern Oregon college and is a secretary for DeForest and Hansen. The bridegroom, a graduate of Medford High School, served with the United States Air Force and is presently employed by Singleton Construction company.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lena O. Howard, grandparents of the bride, and Paul C. Craven and Mrs. Edward McCracken, grandfather and grandmother of the bridegroom, all of Medford. Out of town guests included Mrs. Ethel Blackburn, Mrs. Charles Caldwell and daughters Pamela and Vivian, Klamath Falls; Rev. and Mrs. John F. Groth, Seiber, California, aunt and uncle of the bridegroom.



Mrs. Richard Schubert Arnold



Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schubert Arnold, who were married recently in Portland, left for their wedding trip in a downpour of rain. The bride is the former Gail Winslow Leitch of Van Nuys, Calif., and Mr. Arnold is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur A. Arnold, 1011 Reddy avenue, Medford.

Election, Practice Announced for Bethel
Bethel 14, International Order of Job's Daughters, will elect officers at a meeting Wednesday, May 4, at 7:30 p.m., in the Medford Masonic temple.

Choir practice is scheduled for Monday, May 2, 8:30 p.m. in the Masonic temple. Clarence Smith is director of music.

Among the out of town wedding guests were relatives of the bridegroom. They included Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Arnold, Medford, his parents; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Arnold, Crescent City, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schubert, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Johnson, all Klamath Falls; Gilbert Arnold, Los Angeles, and Mrs. Agneta Tucker Baker, all uncles and aunts. Others included Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Casel, Roseburg; Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheat, all Medford, and Mrs. Esther Hurn, Los Angeles.

Prior to the wedding, the bride was honored at several events. They included showers given for her by Mrs. Seymour Saperstein in Van Nuys, Calif.; Mrs. Orrin Brown in Medford, and by her attendants in Portland. A rehearsal buffet supper was given by the bridegroom's parents the evening before the wedding in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Williams in Portland. Mrs. Williams is a cousin of the bridegroom.

Couple to Wed in June Service

Mrs. Ruby M. West of Montebello, Calif., has announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of her daughter, Miss Dawn West, to James C. Collins, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Collins, 2224 East Main street, Medford.

The bride-to-be received her bachelor of arts degree from Whittier college, Whittier, Calif., and later attended Mills College, Oakland, Calif., where she received a master of education degree. She is a teacher in San Leandro, Calif.

Mr. Collins, a former officer in the United States Air Force, holds a degree from the California Institute of Technology and is a design engineer with the University of California's Lawrence Radiation laboratory.

The couple plans a family wedding in June and will live in the Bay area.

Shower Given in Eagle Point

Eagle Point—Miss Wange Groe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Groe, route 1, box 370, was honored recently by a bride shower at the home of Mrs. Ed Groe.

Miss Groe is the bride-elect of Terry Edmondson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edmondson, Lake Falls. A June wedding is planned.

Attending the shower were Mrs. Golden Zander, Mrs. Raphael Garden, Mrs. Irving Frey, Mrs. Ke Creek, Mrs. Frank Edmondson and Mrs. Buck Sutton, Bu. Falls; Mrs. Jack Fortin, Mrs. Claude Waddell, Mrs. Lee Damon, Mrs. Soledad, Mrs. George Kelly, Mrs. Frank Klinge, Mrs. Don Klinge, Mrs. W. W. Hannel, Mrs. Vieve Carter, Mrs. Leonard Bradshaw, Mrs. Everett

Mrs. Glenn Yost, Mrs. Jack Brophy, Mrs. Kenneth Dyfour, Mrs. Jim Martinson, Mrs. Kerby Grant, Mrs. Lloyd Dodehoff, Mrs. Ina Combs, Mrs. Tom Vestal, Mrs. William Glender, Mrs. Bob Robertson, Mrs. Merle McGraw, and the Misses Lena McGraw, Buggie McKean and Jeanette Robertson.

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