



A group of Medford women who published "The Rogue Chef Cook Book" in order to raise funds for the library of St. Mary's school, brought the venture to a successful close recently and announced that more than \$2,100 had been realized. More than a thousand copies were sold. Three of the women called on Sister Superior Gerard Mary of the school to check on the use of the money. Pictured are (left to right) Mrs.

Byron Dibble, Mrs. R. E. Randolph, Sister Superior, and Mrs. George Davy, chairman of the project. Rogue Chef Cook Book was sold in all parts of the nation, the women report. It is a practical collection of recipes from women of the valley and features a special section on cooking pears in varied ways. The women and their husbands recently held a dinner at Kim's restaurant to celebrate the completion of the project.

'Television in Review' Is Spring Flower Show Theme

Ashland—All interested persons as well as garden clubs of the valley are invited to participate in the standard spring flower show, "Television in Review," to be staged by the Ashland Garden club. The show will be Tuesday, May 17, from 2 until 9 p.m. with registration at the Women's Civic club building on Winburn Way at the entrance to Lithia Park. Entries will be accepted between the hours of 7 and 10 a.m. Flower arrangements will be displayed in the civil club building while horticultural specimens will be exhibited in the adjacent American Legion hall.

Mrs. E. A. Bay is general chairman of the show assisted by Mrs. Roy Frazier. All the arrangement classes are named for popular television programs such as "Maverick"

for novices, "Father Knows Best" for men only, "A Small World" for miniature arrangements five inches or under, "Sea Hunt" for designs using driftwood or other gifts from the sea, and "Guiding Light" for a religious theme. A special class or channel for other garden clubs is "Dangerous Assignment," an arrangement or composition suggesting timely news.

Sweepstakes Awards

Sweepstakes awards will be given for the most blue ribbons in arrangement and horticulture divisions. Grand champion ribbons will be awarded the outstanding arrangement and the outstanding horticultural specimen if in the opinion of the judges such awards are merited.

An added feature of the show will be an exhibit on

iris hybridization by Mrs. Allen Harris, president of the Southern Oregon Iris society. There will also be a silver tea, plant sale and educational exhibits. For further information call Mrs. Bay, MURdock 9-6306; Mrs. Roy Frazier, MURdock 2-4862; or the president, Mrs. Clarence Mathes, MURdock 5-8441.

Circles to Meet During Week

Central Point—Two circles of the Central Point Presbyterian church will meet this week. The Woman's Christian circle will meet with Mrs. W. J. Gebhard, 4978 Gebhard road, Thursday at 1 p.m. Mrs. Mary Smith will be in charge of the topic and Mrs. O. T. Wilson will continue the study of the Psalms.

Members of Faith circle will meet at 8 p.m. Monday at the home of Mrs. Donald Braund, 1193 East Pine street.



Spokane—Raus has been our companion since our arrival in Spokane Monday night. Raus is an almost grown Welmaraner with a beautiful gray satin coat, long hound-like ears, bluish-green eyes with a sad look and an exceedingly playful disposition. To express his pleasure at our arrival, Raus rose up and with one quick swipe ran an eager tongue over one cheek. He nibbles on toes and fingers, nips at the heels and otherwise shows his affection.

Raus is actually a rather well-behaved dog and is beginning to show the results of the obedience classes which he and his mistress have been attending. It seems that he "heeds," sits and stays at command very well in class, but has decided that this behavior is meant only for the Grange hall in which the classes are held. His owners have a little trouble convincing him that the commands mean something when he is at home or on the streets.

Raus' eating habits are somewhat strange. He turns up his nose at most dry dog food, except when it has been seasoned with bacon drippings, has been known to lap up a couple of spoonfuls of wine with relish and enjoys several vegetables—he eats onions with great relish. We really had fun playing with Raus and even dallied with the idea of taking him for a walk, but after finding out how strong he is and how much pull it takes to keep him in hand if he happens to see a stray cat, we gave up the idea.

At the time we lived in Spokane, we were not as interested in flowers and failed to appreciate the yards and gardens as we do now. The lilac plantings are especially outstanding, and we learned this trip that the city has an annual lilac festival which will be held this week end. Even in this neighborhood of small homes and modest gardens, almost every yard boasts at least one large lilac bush, and some have lilac hedges.

Like the rest of the northwest, Spokane had a cold and rainy April, but the warmth of the last few days (today was 81 in Spokane proper and 86 out here in the Dishman area) has brought the blossoms out and they should be in full bloom for the festival.

Wednesday afternoon Potpourri and daughter ventured out on the freeway and over to the officers' quarters near Geiger field where we spent a couple of hours with Mrs. Douglas Wall, the former Laura Mae Huson of Medford. First Lieutenant Wall is procurement officer for the post and the couple and their two small sons have recently moved into new quarters. The house is well-designed and constructed, and makes a nice setting for the Walls' Swedish-type furnishings.

Randy, about 3, soon tired of the adult company and after a quick trip outside returned to ask his mother for his boots. Mystified why he should want boots on a hot day, Mama Laura Mae nevertheless found them and put them on the small boy. Randy knew perfectly well what he was about. He proceeded to the street and started to wade in a stream of water overflowing down the gutter from someone's garden hose. A small boy, a stream of water and a warm day add up to only one thing—perfect contentment.

Wednesday night Pappy and Potpourri did what thousands of parents and others are doing all over the United States. We attended a musical event staged by the faculty and pupils of a high school. This program was given by Mead High school where our son-in-law teaches and directs the band. For the past three years the school has given a dinner as a year-end event and the student musicians entertain while their parents and other guests are being served. They serve the food and mingle among the guests as hosts. Following dinner a short program of vocal and instrumental music closes the evening.

Last year's program was in the German theme, with the students and directors wearing appropriate costumes and playing and singing German music. This year the theme was The Old South; the girls were in full skirts and pantalettes; the boys added ruffles to their white shirts, or dressed as "poor white trash" or field hands.

The Mead district is situated on the outskirts of Spokane proper and the high school has about 400 pupils. It is not yet as overcrowded as the city's high schools, Lewis and Clark, for instance, where classes are being held in near-by buildings to take care of the overflow. During the course of the program the directors supplied verbal "program notes."

Mead, said the director of vocal music, attempts to provide a music curriculum which will interest all the pupils, and this year more than one-third of the boys and girls are participating. During the evening four different pianists served as accompanists, and four boys and girls were featured as vocal soloists. Mead attempts to emphasize music as much or more than athletics, and is expanding its band room and practice rooms for next year.

These classroom teachers we know who complain that sometimes administrators and school board and architects forget who is going to use the facilities—the teachers and the pupils, will be interested to know that the music directors were consulted and their ideas incorporated into the plans and specifications for the new music rooms.

Both the vocal and instrumental directors also make this comment—in choosing music representative of the deep south they discovered that the southern states have produced little but Negro and folk music—the upper classes wrote virtually no music which is considered worthwhile. Also, research showed that many of the selections which are generally associated with the South were written by musicians in New York, Chicago and California, musicians who had never lived in the southern states.

Potpourri suffered a humiliating experience Wednesday while guiding Doll T. among the freeway traffic. What with the unfamiliar course, and heavy traffic, etc., we almost ran a red light and brought the little car to a screeching halt a few feet over the line.

A woman, of over-powering size and forbidding face, hove up on our port side and ground out with "Get that heap out of my way!" O.S.

Chapter Has New Officers

Mrs. Ernest Flakus was installed president of Alpha Beta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi at a meeting Tuesday, May 10, at the home of Mrs. O. A. Eden, 211 Genessee street.

Other officers installed were Mrs. Harold A. Ames, first vice-president; Mrs. John Watkins, second vice-president; Mrs. George Polski, recording secretary; Mrs. Lionel Guy, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Fred Stock, treasurer; and Mrs. David Irving and Mrs. Ronald Hall, city council representatives. Mrs. Floyd Eastwood, outgoing president, was presented a gavel guard.

A swimming party will be held May 20 at the home of Mrs. Ernest Flakus, 612 J street. Guests will be two ritual of jewels members of the chapter, Mrs. Dale Curfman, who is moving to La Grande, and Miss Jean Cardona, who will sail for Ireland June 2.

Guests of the chapter at a recent meeting were Mrs. Eugene Parker, a transferee from Roseburg; Mrs. Willard Chinn, a transferee from The Dalles; and Mrs. Richard Frye, a transferee from Roseburg.

The Friendly Venture chapter in the Phoenix-Talent area, sponsored by Alpha Beta chapter, has been invited to a model meeting May 24 at the home of Mrs. Floyd Eastwood, 940 Shafer lane. A pledge ritual will be held for the group on May 16 at 7:30 p.m. at Ping's Garden.

New Agent To Attend Meeting

The Jackson County Extension Alumnae association will meet at 1:30 p.m. Monday, May 16, at the home of Mrs. Alma Meyers, 20 West Tenth street, Eagle Point.

Women planning to attend are advised to turn left at the first street north of the Oasis to reach the Meyers home.

Mrs. Leona Lee Sheehan, the new county home demonstration agent, will attend the meeting.

Visiting

Hornbrook—Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Acosta arrived recently from their home in Calexico, Calif. They plan to spend a month here with Mrs. Acosta's mother, Mrs. Florence Greive, and son, Charles. Mrs. Greive, who will be 92 years old this month, has been bed-fast for the past nine years.

Slides For Monday Event Announced

Mrs. Eugene Thorndike will show colored slides of the southern and eastern United States resorts Monday afternoon at a meeting of the Arm Chair Travel group. The program is scheduled for 1 p.m. in the Senior Activity center, 601 East Jackson street. Membership in all activities at the center is open without fees to any adult over 50 years of age.

United States forest service pictures of national forests in Alaska were shown last week. Registration is now underway for a copper tooling class which will be organized in June. Persons interested may contact the center on Tuesday or Thursday afternoons.

Drama Coach Needed
A drama coach is still needed for a drama group which is already registered for Wednesday classes.

New schedules for the summer months will be given at an open house at the center Sunday, May 22. Each person attending is invited to take an older person who would like to become acquainted with opportunities at the center.

The Wednesday woodcarving class has been cancelled so members can attend the inter-club party at the Camp White domiciliary.

Paintings and woodcarving articles are to be brought to the center Wednesday from 10 to 12 a.m. so the oil painting group and their teacher, Mrs. Victoria Staley, can arrange an exhibit for the open house.

Thursday Meeting For Welcome Wagon

A meeting of the Welcome Wagon club will be held Thursday, May 19, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Robert E. Moss, 1196 Ross lane, north. Mrs. Richard Bates and Mrs. James Tiffie will be hostesses. Card games will be played.

All women who are new residents of Medford are invited.

Persons with contributions for the rummage sale May 18 at the Fehi building may call Mrs. Hal Schmechel, SPring 2-5018, for pick-up.

Installing Officer

Mrs. Frank Christian, Talent, vice-president of the Oregon Auxiliary, Lions club, was in Roseburg Friday evening to serve as installing officer for the Umpqua Lions auxiliary at the Roseburg Country club.

Traffic Safety To Be Major Project

Women from all parts of Oregon met on the Oregon State college campus the first week in May for the annual Home Extension State council meeting. They voted that all units of the state would stress as a major project for the coming year an educational program in traffic safety. This program would be carried out under the direction of the safety division of the Oregon state motor vehicle department. Other states have had similar programs which resulted in a marked decline in traffic accidents.

Mrs. Riddell Lage, Hood River, was elected the new president of the state council. She will serve for three years. Twenty-six women from Jackson county attended the meeting.

Last Dance

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars will sponsor their last dance of the season Monday, May 16, at 8 p.m. in the Camp White domiciliary.

Music for this occasion will be furnished by the Musician's Local 397 with the Marshall orchestra in charge.

Those wishing transportation may get the bus at the Trailways depot at 7:30 p.m.



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