

# Women's News • Social Events

## New Club Conducts Installation

Rogue River — Mrs. Harold Strawn, Portland, president of the Oregon Federation of Women's Republican clubs, installed officers of the newly organized Rogue River unit of the group last week. The ceremony following a luncheon at Rogue Riviera on South Pacific highway.

The Rogue River club is the newest of 40 which make up the Oregon federation.

Mrs. Carlton Sandeen was installed president. Other officers are Mrs. Sam Bellah, first vice-president; Miss Marcella McCullough, second vice-president; Mrs. Cedric Rambo, secretary, and Mrs. Beryl Ingle, treasurer. Their term of office is for two years.

Tentative plans were made for a "candidate's night" later in the season. This will be a dinner meeting. Republican candidates of the area and the general public will be invited.

Guests from the Republican Women's club of Grants Pass were Mrs. Franklin Smith, chairman of the Republican Central committee of Josephine county, Mrs. Fayette I. Bristol and Mrs. Morris Milbank.

Guests from Gold Hill were Mrs. Dale Collins, Mrs. MacLeod Maurice and Mrs. F. E. Bolt, all of whom became members of the club.

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## Auxiliary Elects Valley Members

Two Rogue valley women now hold office in the auxiliary to the Oregon Osteopathic association.

They are Mrs. Milton Snow, Medford, second vice president, and Mrs. P. H. Rutter, Phoenix, secretary. Mrs. Snow is the retiring president.

Mrs. J. R. Woodmansee, Portland, was made president-elect during a recent session, and will assume the presidency in 1961. Mrs. D. B. Bond, Eugene, is now president.

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Mrs. Nesbit, a 51-year-old manufacturer from Somerset, England, said "Old Henry and his wives are the most popular with collectors everywhere."

"A customer will start with Henry and just a couple of his wives—usually Ann Boleyn, the one Henry beheaded, and Catherine Parr, Henry's last," she added. "But they always come back for the other wives sooner or later."

"I don't know what it is about Henry," she said. "Maybe personality. Maybe his bad reputation."

Mrs. Nesbit, a tall, graying woman, mother of two grown children, began her doll business by chance.

Started with Pottery

When the children started school, she began working to supplement her husband's income as an accountant and help with the youngsters' education. Her first job was selection of designs for pottery (she pronounced it "potry").

"I am not a true artist," she said in an interview, "but I've always loved colors and fabrics. One day I sat down and started making costumes, and from costumes I got into personalities."

Today, there are 150 personalities in production at plants in England and Scotland. They sell at the rate of 50,000 a year, she said. Most are replicas of famous figures in British history, but she also makes dolls attired in costumes typical of other nations.

The British group includes a 12th century queen of the Norman period, Mary Queen of Scots, the first and second Elizabeths, and Mrs. Antony Armstrong-Jones. All are in court costume except Mrs. Jones who is in her wedding dress.

"We didn't do Tony," said Mrs. Nesbit. "He'd make a rather dull doll attired in morning clothes."

Researches Carefully

Mrs. Nesbit, widowed since last year, has researched the authentic dress and features of each character. A staff of artists molds the face and figure in clay, then a plaster cast is made, and finally the figure is cast in metal to make a mold. The dolls are reproduced in plastic.

Henry comes complete with scowl. Princess Margaret wears the same topknotignon she wore on her wedding day. A Scots piper wears kilts of authentic black watch plaid.

"I spent a whole afternoon with a piper to learn details of his costume from the shoes up," she said.

"Oh, I put it, 'then what do Scotsmen wear under the kilts, if anything?'"

"Trews," she laughed. "Trews around town. But when they're on a march, nothing."

Mrs. Nesbit came to New York to participate in the British exhibition at the collection and to expand her United States outlets. One of the figures at the exhibit is that of Sir Winston Churchill, minus cigar, and attired in a flowing, floor-cloak-his uniform of the Cinque ports.

## Hornbrook Women Travel to Dorris For Recent Session

Hornbrook—Ten members of the Women's Society of the Hornbrook Methodist church traveled to Dorris, Calif., recently to hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. George Brautlaucht.

Making the trip were Mrs. Ardon Burns, Mrs. Ernest Adams, Mrs. Minnie Bloomingcamp, Mrs. Oscar Bradford, Mrs. H. H. Chapman, Mrs. Helen Clawson, Mrs. Loren Cummins, Mrs. Clara Howard, Mrs. Dudley Killingsworth, and Mrs. Mary Taggart.

After luncheon, the meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Killingsworth. Plans were made for the group's annual picnic, which is scheduled for July 21 at Lithia Park in Ashland. The next regular business meeting will be August 11, with Mrs. Loren Cummins as hostess at her home.

Mrs. Brautlaucht was a member of the society for several years, until her husband was transferred about a year ago, and they moved to Dorris. She has retained her membership in the local group, and continues to be active, each year making many articles to be sold at the fall bazaar.

## Gold Hill Couple Returns Home After California Vacation

Gold Hill—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paulsen have returned to their home on Sardine creek after a ten day vacation spent in California visiting at the homes of relatives.

They were guests of her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. D. G. Benton at Turlock. In Sonora the Paulsens were guests of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Brylla, and at Sutter Creek they visited at the home of another brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hornley. The two women are the former Harta and Harriet Paulsen.

Before returning home the Gold Hill couple were also guests of his brothers and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Herner Paulsen at Stockton, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Paulsen, Sacramento.

The Paulsen family is well known in southern Oregon. The parents of Harta, Harriet, Henry, Harry and Herner came to Sardine Creek from Sweden in 1908. Harta attended her first year of school near Stockholm prior to coming to the United States, and to Sardine Creek. She learned to speak English while attending school in the first school house that had been built on Sardine Creek for youngsters of the early day settlers. She is now employed by the division of motor vehicles for California.

## Elmer Lee Marsden Visits Grandparent

Gold Hill—Elmer Lee Marsden is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marsden and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dungey, in Gold Hill. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marsden Jr., recently of Tucson, Ariz. The Marsdens are moving to Roseville, Calif., while Elmer Lee is visiting in southern Oregon.

## Hornbrook Club Entertained at Medford Cafe

Hornbrook—Mrs. John Griffin was hostess for her bridge club June 21. For the last meeting of the season, Mrs. Griffin entertained the group at a luncheon at John North's Chuck Wagon restaurant in Medford.

Members of the club attending were Mrs. Bertha Bradley, Mrs. Grace Quigley, Mrs. Henley Clawson, Mrs. Marshall Horn, Mrs. Ivon Howard, Mrs. Dwan Hamner, Mrs. Lester Nye, Mrs. L. E. Jeter, Mrs. Fred Mills, and Mrs. Frank Ohlund of Yreka. In Medford, they were joined by Mrs. Griffin's daughter, Mrs. Mills' cousin, Mrs. C. M. Anderson.

After luncheon, the club adjourned to Mrs. Rukovina's home at the Medford Plaza apartments for an afternoon of bridge. Holding high score was Mrs. Quigley, who also won the traveling prize. Mrs. Howard held second high.

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## Vacancies Listed For Scout Camp

The first camping period at Girl Scout Camp Law Echo has been filled to capacity, according to Miss Irene Knox, director. There are still vacancies in the second session, July 14 to July 24, and in the third and fourth sessions, July 25 to August 4, and August 5 to August 15.

Registration forms are available from any Girl Scout leader or from the council office, 500 East Main street, Medford. Any girl, aged 10 to 18 is eligible to attend.

Miss Knox advised that only girls who have been awarded a campership for the first session may still register for that period.

## Group Planning Summer Program

Members of Talisman council, Pythian Sunshine Girls, are planning a summer of fun and recreation as a contrast to the hard work and preparation for the recent convention of the order's grand council, held here April 30 and May 1.

A slumber party will be held Wednesday, June 29, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bostwick, 3273 Bidde road. The group has already held two skating parties, and a swimming party. Other events will be held later.

The girls will also hold regular twice-monthly meetings. At the last meeting, Linda Severson entertained with a tap dance.

Miss Lanae Bostwick is royal princess of the group, and Mrs. Bostwick is advisor.

## Unusual Altar Used by Group For Ceremony

An unusual altar was used by Ruth Esther Wesleyan Service guild for a ceremony held at the last meeting. The altar was a folding one used in pioneer days by "circuit rider" ministers serving churches in Oregon.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. George Roseberry, and the pledge ceremony was conducted by Mrs. C. R. Adamson, Medford, conference secretary of the Wesleyan guild in Oregon.

Miss Karen Pashke was guest soloist for the event.

Miss June Wheaton led the devotions, using recordings by the gospel singer, George Shay, and Mahalia Jackson's recording to "The Lord's Prayer."

A business meeting was conducted by Miss Voda Brower, new president. Plans were completed for a rummage sale in July and announcement made concerning the annual Guild week end at Camp Magruder July 22-23-24.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Clara Mall, Mrs. Wallace Peabody and Mrs. E. E. Nil.

Guests included Mrs. J. R. Green, Santa Rosa, Calif., and Mrs. H. B. Strang.

Wesleyan Service guild is open to all gainfully employed women. Ruth Esther guild meets the third Monday of each month.

## Birthday Party Is Trip to City

Illinois Valley — In celebration of her 12th birthday anniversary, Connie Orton invited a group of friends for a trip to Medford. Her father, Don Orton, provided transportation.

The group had luncheon at Larry's Drive-In, Grants Pass, and then continued to Medford where a tour of the television station, KBE-TV was made. Whitey Pullen's Swingers and the Collins Kids were staging a program during the tour.

The young people shopped in downtown Medford for birthday gifts which were presented to Connie, and then attended a movie. Dinner was eaten at the Airport dining room.

## Calendar

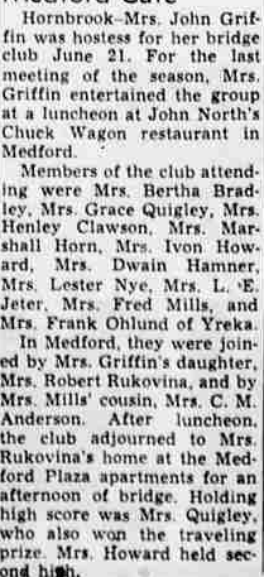
Calendar notices and news for the society section of The Mail Tribune must be submitted in writing and deadline for the Sunday edition is 1 p.m. Friday. Deadline for the weekly calendar is 9 a.m. of the day of publication and for week day news is 9 p.m. the day before publication.

Tuesday: 8:30 p.m. — Reames Past Matrons club, home of Mrs. Vernon Turpin, Old Military rd.

7:30 p.m. — Oregon recital, Westminster Presbyterian church.

8 p.m. — Nevita chapter, Order of Eastern Star, Masonic temple, Central Point.

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## Siskiyou District Clubs Win Convention Awards

Several Siskiyou district garden clubs won awards during the 33rd annual convention of the Oregon Federation of Garden Clubs held in Pendleton last week.

Ashland Garden club won the purple ribbon award for excellence in a single flower show for their August 1959 show. "Oregon, Pacific Wonderland." This is a national award with only two being given in the state each year.

Ashland also won the first award blue ribbon rosette and a traveling loving cup for the best bird scrapbook with Grants Pass placing second.

Mrs. Richard Westerfield of Ashland won an honorable mention rosette for a horticultural essay.

Central Point took the first award blue ribbon for its wildflower scrapbook, plus a first award for a junior conservation poster. Rogue River captured the first award for a printed yearbook with Medford placing second. Talent won an honorable mention in the hand-made yearbook division.

Mrs. T. R. Nichol, Medford, is the retiring district chairman for Siskiyou, and during the closing of the convention, Mrs. C. O. Long, Talent, was installed as the new chairman.

Guest speakers for the convention included Mrs. J. J. Gallagher, regional director; Mrs. Gordon Gose, national council vice-president, and Mrs. Walter E. Wilhelm, past president of the Oregon Federation who told how the myrtle woods were saved for posterity in 1946 through a campaign conducted by the federation.

The keynote of the convention was fellowship and new friendships made between members of far flung garden clubs.

Convention table favors were in keeping with the region and featured cowboys, Indians, wheat and peas. Program features included songs by the Pendleton Women's chorus, dances by Indian children and a flower arrangement demonstration by the Willamette Arrangers' guild. Some delegates also visited the Pendleton Woolen mills.

Mrs. Verne I. Brader, Chemult, federation president, conducted the meetings, held in the new Pendleton High school. "Building on the past in the present for the future" was the convention theme.

A particularly enjoyable trip was afforded those attending from southern Oregon. Mrs. A. O. Floyd, Medford, federation treasurer and president of the Medford Garden club, chartered a Greyhound bus which picked up delegates all along the way from Medford to Portland.

## Cartoon Drawing Demonstrated By Local Artist

Drawing and "building" of animated cartoons was explained by Bill McCorkle, Medford commercial artist, at the last meeting of the Southern Oregon Society of Artists. It was held at Girls Community club.

Mr. McCorkle, who worked five years with the Walt Disney staff in Hollywood, said that character animation is to do with anything that is to be represented as living. He explained that the dialogue in a cartoon is written first, then the animation or movement of the characters is drawn to the dialogue.

The stories are worked out in a fashion similar to comic strips, with general action in each scene, the speaker stated. Mr. McCorkle said that building an animated cartoon involves 24 drawings for every second of filming.

Development of a character in a cartoon movie is done by a group of artists assigned to that character; the group discusses the personality of the character, drawings are made, undesirable ideas are discarded and finally the characteristics of a cartoon personality emerges.

Mr. McCorkle showed the group model shapes on large sheets of paper and demonstrated the finishing of a character, which turned out to be the lovable character "Dopey" from Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs.

The speaker said that two Medford high school students, Van Welty and Audre Knutson, are quite proficient in the execution of animated characters, and he is encouraging them to take advantage of the opportunity offered in that field.

Refreshments followed the meeting, with Mrs. John Pleisch, Mrs. Fred E. Rankin and Mrs. Harry Marx as hostesses.

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## Lodge Elects Representatives

Mrs. Ruth Walden was elected grand representative and Mrs. Carl Fichtner was named alternate at a meeting of Talisman temple Pythian Sisters held recently at the Pythian building. Members having birthdays in June and July were honored. They were Mrs. Harry Barneburg, Miss Florence Bain, Mrs. Joe Fritsch, Mrs. Lillian Walter, Mrs. Edith Bertram and Mrs. Ruth Walden.

Mrs. Walden, president of the Past Chief club, announced a meeting of the club would be held at the home of Mrs. Harry Barneburg, 1297 Sunset avenue, Tuesday, June 28.

Mrs. Mildred Blachley Jewett of San Francisco, a member was welcomed.

No temple meetings will be held during July and August.

Refreshment committee for this meeting was Mrs. Dorothy Johnston, chairman, Mrs. Della Littlefield and Mrs. Edward Bostwick.

Meeting Cancelled

A meeting of the Agate Home Extension unit scheduled for June 30 has been cancelled. It will be held later in July.

## New Officers Nominated By Speakers' Club

Officers for the coming term were nominated and convention delegates elected at the last meeting of Medford Toastmistress club. Mrs. Richard Williams was nominated for the presidency and Mrs. Ethel McIntyre, a past president, was elected delegate to the Toastmistress International convention. Mrs. C. E. Wilson was named alternate.

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