



Members of First Church of the Nazarene honored Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy House at a party December 30 in celebration of their golden wedding anniversary. The Houses have both been active in the work of the church for 35 years. (Knackstedt photo)

Celebration at Church Honors Medford Couple

The Activity building of First Church of the Nazarene was the scene of a celebration Friday, December 30, which honored Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy House on their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. House have made their home in Medford for 35 years.

Entertainment included a skit presented by friends. Setting for the living was a simulated 1910 room in which the group portrayed the way "it might have been" when the Houses met, courted and were married. Dialogue, poems and songs were of the 1910 era. Listeners were brought "up-to-date" by friends who have known the Houses during the years they have lived in Medford.

The refreshment table held the traditional wedding cake, gold candles and artificial love birds in a gilded cage. The cage was presented to the Houses as a gift.

Mrs. Fred Hall and Mrs. O. L. Tompkins cut and served the cake. Mrs. Clyde Richmond poured coffee and Mrs. Charles Leschensky served punch. Mrs. Myrtle King, wife of the pastor at the time the Houses joined the Nazarene church, had charge of the guest book. About 150 friends and relatives attended.

LeRoy House and Mattie Mahoney were married December 30, 1910 at the Methodist parsonage in Redding, Calif. Six months after their marriage they went to Chile, South America, where they lived for three years.

Mr. House was employed by California Oregon Power company for 32 years and is now retired.

The Houses have been members of the First Church of the Nazarene since coming to Medford. Both have been active in church work, and both served on the official church board at one time. Mrs. House, now serving on the board, has been a member continuously for the past 30 years. She has also been active in youth groups in the church, taught a Sunday School class for many years and served as church treasurer for eight years.

The Houses have two children, a daughter Mrs. Irving (Geraldine) McDonald, Eden, Idaho, and a son Capt. LeRoy House, Fort Bragg, N. C. There are six granddaughters, Irva Dee and Kim McDonald; Brenda, Charlotte, Donna and Kelly Marie House.

Applegate - John Pernoll, Fairbanks, Alaska, arrived home recently to spend several months with his mother, Mrs. Laura Pernoll. Mr. Pernoll is a construction contractor.

Extension Units Plan Meetings

Six Home Extension units have scheduled meetings for this week. Family relations and guidance of the adolescent will be lesson topics.

Oak Grove
Oak Grove unit will meet at the home of Mrs. Lyle Thurman, 10 Fair Oaks drive, at 10:30 a.m. January 10. The project leaders will be Mrs. Robert Wobbe and Mrs. Robert Hubbard.

Women in charge of luncheon are Mrs. Walter Wilson, Mrs. Roy Hoover and Mrs. Jack Coffin. Members are to bring their own table service. A special prize will be awarded at the meeting.

Child care is available by telephoning Mrs. Wobbe, SPring 2-2454.

Wilson Park
Lessons and tips on child guidance will be given by Mrs. Dwight Albright and Mrs. Ronald White at the Wilson Park unit meeting Tuesday January 10, at 7:45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Oliver Smeltz, 1049 Ingrid street.

Mrs. Darwin Durr and Mrs. Gary Conrad will be the co-hostesses for the evening.

Nightlighters
The Nightlighters unit will hold its next meeting January 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. C. L. Walter, 855 Beall lane.

Mrs. W. H. Colley and Mrs. C. C. Peterson will give the lesson, Mrs. W. H. Colley and Mrs. W. Herzberg will serve refreshments.

Medford
Medford unit will hold the first meeting of the new year Wednesday, January 11, in Santo hall on Columbus avenue. The meeting will open at 10:30 a.m. with a planned luncheon.

All members are to bring table service. For the program four films will be shown. All women in the Medford area are invited.

Phoenix
Members of the Phoenix unit will meet at 10 a.m. Thursday, January 13, at the Presbyterian church in Phoenix. Mrs. Warren Kelson and Mrs. Frank Kivet will be leaders.

Those attending are to take a sack lunch and cup for coffee which the club will provide.

A tailoring class will be started in the afternoon.

Howard
Howard unit will meet at the home of Mrs. J. S. Lydiard, 2390 Crater Lake highway Thursday, January 12, at 10:30 a.m. The lesson will be given by Mrs. C. E. Chisum and Mrs. D. H. Steinmetz, project leaders.

A short "Eye-Opener" lesson on care of tile and linoleum floors and cleaning carpets will be given by Mrs. Howard Lind in the forenoon.

Child care will be provided at the home of Mrs. Clifford Freisen, 2341 Table Rock road, phone SPring 2-4257. Anyone interested is invited to bring table service. Lunch will be provided.

Women To Hold Luncheon Tuesday
The Insurance Women of Jackson County will hold a luncheon and business meeting at the Jackson hotel, on Tuesday, January 10, at 12 noon.

Mrs. Lois Stephen will present a film on consumer finance entitled "The Littlest Giant." Frank Wilkinson of Crater Finance will be present to answer questions.

During the last meeting Mrs. Roberta Martin, Mrs. Irene Ostrander, Miss Carolyn Bagley and Mrs. Lois Stephen, past presidents of the local group, were honored.

Mrs. Leah Knutsen, a member of Rogue Valley Insurance Women of Grants Pass, was a guest.

A Christmas gift exchange was held. Mrs. Zoe Peters played and sang and led the group in carol singing.

Medford Family Returns Home
Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bandy and children, 2417 Springbrook road, have returned home after a two weeks vacation.

In Bovina, Texas, they visited Mr. Bandy's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bundy. In Anson, Texas, they saw Mr. Bundy's 88-year-old grandmother, Mrs. J. J. Roberts. They then spent some time with Mrs. Bundy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Park in Texaco, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Park are former Medford residents.

In route home, the Bandys were guests in the home of Mr. Bundy's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bundy, Gila Bend, Ariz.

Ashland - Mr. and Mrs. Homer Moore of Bellview returned from Richmond, Calif., where they spent a week with their son Karl Moore and his family, former residents of Medford. Miss Barbara Moore accompanied her parents.



A reception January 2 at Girls Community club honored the Rev. and Mrs. Albert Milton Rhoads on their golden wedding anniversary. The Rhoads, married in 1911 in Grants Pass, have made their home in southern Oregon and Northern California since that time. (Landis photo)

Pastor and Wife Honored On Fiftieth Anniversary

The Rev. and Mrs. Albert Milton Rhoads, who now make their home in Roseburg, were honored here Monday, January 2, at a reception celebrating their golden wedding anniversary. Over 200 friends, relatives and members of the Apostolic Faith church attended the event, which was held in Girls Community club.

Floral arrangements in gold shades decorated the rooms.

Highlight of the afternoon was a religious service conducted by the Rev. Loyce Carver, pastor of the Medford Apostolic church, in which the couple renewed their marriage pledges. The Rev. James E. Seeley, pastor of the Apostolic church at Roseburg, sang, accompanied by Mrs. Clifford Iverson. Group singing was led by Mrs. Roy Robinson and Mrs. Rodric Malard.

Mrs. Rhoads, the former Ellen Burleson, was born February 6, 1892, in Indian territory which is now Bradley, Oklahoma. Mr. Rhoads was born at Plainville, Ill., March 2, 1887. They met in 1900 in Rawlins, Wyoming, when they were traveling west with their families via covered wagons. They were married January 1, 1911, in the Grants Pass Baptist church. The Rev. R. Lovett officiated.

The couple spent a part of their early married life in and near Medford and later moved to Klamath Falls, where they assisted in formation of the Apostolic Faith church. They later assisted in furthering the church interests in Eureka, Calif.

Several years ago they moved to Roseburg, where the Rev. Mr. Rhoads served as pastor after helping establish the church there. He was ordained a minister July, 1937, and both the Rev. and Mrs. Rhoads devote their time to church work.

Children of the couple who attended the reception were Mr. and Mrs. Doran C.

Williams Home Scene for Tea
Williams - Mrs. A. D. Fitzpatrick gave a silver tea for the Williams Grange at her home December 29.

The money raised by the event will be used by the Home Economics club.

Mrs. A. L. Lathrop poured for the tea.

Newlywed Pair Now Living In Jackson County

Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Dye are making their home at 3628 South Pacific highway following their wedding in Klamath Falls Lutheran church. The bride is the former Kayleen O. Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester E. Moore, 2033 Madison street, Klamath Falls, and the bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Dye, Route 2, Box 650, Central Point.

The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Leroy Redal, James Chance, Merrill, was soloist, accompanied by Mrs. Marie Oberchain, Klamath Falls, organist.

The bride's gown was of lace and shirred tulle and she carried a bouquet of pink cymbidium orchids, white roses and stephanotis atop her white Rainbow Bible. She also wore an opal necklace, gift of the bridegroom.

Miss Carolyn Strunk, Bonanza, was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Linda Hall and Miss Alma Palmer, Klamath Falls. A Melinda Moore, sister of the bride, was flower girl and Neil Dye, brother of the bridegroom, was ringbearer.

Another brother of the bridegroom, Wayne Dye, Klamath Falls, was best man. Ushers were Victor Ivie, Wocas, Oregon, and Harry Janssen, Klamath Falls. Candlelighters were Robert Johnson, Astland, brother of the bride, and Blayne Dye, brother of the bridegroom.

The young couple traveled to northern California and the southern Oregon coast on their honeymoon. The bride is a graduate of Henley High school and is a past worthy advisor of Rainbow for Girls assembly 57, Klamath Falls.

The bridegroom was graduated from Bonanza High school and Oregon Technical institute. He is employed at Parson's Dodge agency, Medford.

Monday Session Set for Group

The January meeting of St. Mary's Grade School Parents' club will be held Monday, January 9, at 8 p.m. in the activities room of the school. Usually held the first Monday of each month of the school year, the meeting was postponed to the later date this month because of the Christmas holiday.

Parents of all students in the parochial school, particularly newcomers, are invited to attend these meetings and to become acquainted with each other, with the teachers, and to join into the discussion of the issues coming before the group.

Chairman of greeters will be Mrs. John J. O'Connor.

A social hour will follow the business session, with refreshments being served by Mrs. Joe Zarosinski and Mrs. Adam Richter, room mothers for Mr. Duane Daley's fourth grade, and Mrs. Duane Kraft and Mrs. Herbert Dungey, room mothers for Mrs. Mary Metz' second grade.



Kurt Singer will speak at the January meeting of Rogue Valley Knife and Fork club set for Thursday, January 12, at Rogue Valley Country club.

Considered one of the nation's leading experts on espionage, Mr. Singer's topic will be "Traitors and Spies." Reservations are to be made by club members no later than Monday, January 9, according to the club secretary, Mrs. Richard House, 15 Corning court.



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