



Washington, D.C.—President and Mrs. John F. Kennedy are shown as they leave the White House for the Inaugural ball. Mrs. Kennedy's costume included a floor length cape and sheath of white silk peau d'ange veiled with white silk chiffon. The hip length bodice is richly embroidered in silver and brilliant and covered by a trans-

New First Lady Wears Smiles, Elegant Clothes for Inauguration

By HELEN THOMAS
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Washington—UPI—He looked at her and she smiled back. He, John Fitzgerald Kennedy, had just become the President of the United States. And she, Jacqueline Bouvier Kennedy, was the new First Lady of the land.

She smiled often and held her head high. The masses of spectators were happy for her. But hearts ached for a woman who sat two seats away from Mrs. Kennedy and who could barely hold back her tears.

She was Mrs. Richard Nixon, the woman who might have been First Lady. Her face was a mirror of sadness. At times she tried to smile but most of the time she closed her eyes and tilted her head to the side. Once in a while she heaved a heavy sigh. Her disappointment was not for herself but for her husband, retiring Vice President Nixon, who lost out to Kennedy in an incredibly close election.

Is Elegantly Dressed
Mrs. Kennedy, 31, lived up to her reputation for being chic and elegantly simple in her dress. She wore a primly fitted beige coat with a round collar, a pill box hat of matching beige sitting on the back of her dark long hair, and carried a matching mink muff. The sleeves of the coat were three-quarter length and she wore long white gloves to cover her arms against the bitterly cold day.

She looked delighted and doll-like throughout the ceremony in front of the Capitol. She kept a small smile on her face, and during her husband's moving inaugural address her gaze never left his face.

The new mistress of the White House had President Eisenhower on her left and Mrs. Lyndon Johnson, wife of the new vice president, on her right. Mr. Eisenhower smiled benevolently at her and occasionally made remarks to her that brought bright smiles to her face.

Mrs. Kennedy also chatted

with Mrs. Nixon, who wore a bright royal blue satin ribboned hat and a Persian lamb coat. Mrs. Johnson, wife of the new vice president, wore an olive green suit, a matching pillbox hat and a new mink coat — gift of her husband.

Mamie Enjoys Herself
The outgoing first lady, Mrs. Dwight Eisenhower, seemed to be enjoying herself. She appeared to have no regrets about leaving the White House, her home for the past eight years.

She beamed often and listened intently to every word of Kennedy's speech. Mrs. Eisenhower wore a Chinese red hat and a mink coat. She frequently had to hold down her little hat in a struggle against the wind.

The petite and pretty Jacqueline seemed in the best of health and spirits. Her complexion was glowing and while other women on the platform clutched their coats closely around them she did not seem to mind the cold at all.

She made the sign of the cross when Richard Cardinal Cushing, who had married her to President Kennedy, began the invocation.

As she sat on the platform and looked out at all the people who were staring at her, she no doubt was wondering, "Is this what it is to be the first lady?"

Washington—UPI—The inaugural dance is a misnomer. It should be called the inaugural stand-around.

The thousands of couples who attended the five balls all over town Friday could have danced all night — but they didn't.

Instead they preferred to stand en masse, in their elegant garb, and stare at President Kennedy, his wife Jacqueline and his family.

The scene was the same everywhere. Finally, President Kennedy and Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson expressed one unfulfilled ambition — "to see someone dance."

The music was great for dancing. The champagne flow-

ed. But word that President Kennedy and his party were on the way seemed to paralyze the crowd.

The President and his wife, a vision in white, started out at the Mayflower hotel inaugural dance and planned to take in the four other affairs. But the First Lady, still recuperating from the Caesarean birth of a son in November, went home to the White House — her first night there — after taking in only three of the dances.

The Kennedys were gracious in the face of the white tie gawking. Most of the time they smiled and waved and were friendly. But sometimes they just stared back.



Miss Satterfield

Betrothal News Told at School

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Satterfield, 1815 Prune street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Shirley Lois, to Fred A. Heideman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Heideman, Seneca, Kan.

The announcement was made at Hawthorne-Walton hall at the University of Oregon, January 9, with a candle-light ceremony and serenade by the University Singers of which she is a member.

The bride, the present Miss Jackson County, is a graduate of Medford High school and is now enrolled as a music major at the university. Her fiancé was graduated from St. Peter's and Paul's High school, Seneca, Kan., and is employed by the Medford branch, First National bank.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Ashland Woman Flies To Islands

Ashland—Mrs. J. Walter McCoy, 311 North Main street, flew to San Francisco last Sunday night where she took the jet flight to Hawaii the following morning. She expects to spend two weeks on the islands and for part of the visit will be with Mr. and Mrs. Dom Provost Sr., Ashland vacationers already established there for the winter season.

Social Event Set by Riders

The Medford Trail Riders will hold a social meeting February 11 at the Willow Springs school house. A potluck dinner will be held at 7 p.m. followed by movies of the Riders' activities during the past several years.

The group meets the second Saturday of each month.

Student Pledge Of Fraternity

Anthony A. Monroe, student at Stanford university, has been pledged to Mu chapter of Zeta Psi Fraternity of North America, a release from the group announces.

Young Monroe, a sophomore in engineering and science at the California school, is attending the school under a full Navy scholarship. He is a son of Mrs. Dorothy Monroe, 1845 Old Stage road, and a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts, Crown avenue.

Mu chapter of Zeta Psi was established in 1892; the fraternity was founded in 1847 at New York university.

Couple Returns From Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. William V. Skyrman, Gold Ray Dam road, Central Point, returned last week after spending a month in Mexico. They camped at Guaymas and Hermosillo, Mexico, prior to returning to the United States. They also visited in Yuma and Tucson, Ariz.

Couple Holding Party Series

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Bolton are holding a series of open house parties at their home, 1701 Panorama drive.

The Boltons, who moved to the new home in early December, invited to the first party the staff of the Medford laboratories, which they operate.

The second event was a housewarming attended by about 20 members of the Medford Rifle and Pistol club. The Boltons are long-time members of the club, and the group presented their hosts several bushes to start a rose garden.

Sunday, January 15, Mr. and Mrs. Bolton invited another group of friends to an open house. Assisting them for this were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heidenreich. During the afternoon Mr. Bolton presented each woman guest an orchid blossom from his greenhouse.

The Bolton's new home is located on the slope of Roxy Ann at a spot which commands an extensive view of the Rogue valley and the mountains surrounding it.

New Organization Here Is For Mothers of Twins

Many new organizations have been formed in the Rogue valley in recent years to serve the special interests of various individuals. One of the unique groups is Mothers of Twins club, formed by a small group of Medford women who have twin sons or daughters.

The club held election of officers recently, and named Mrs. R. L. Wooten president. Mrs. Herbert Daniken is vice-president; Mrs. Neil Jackson, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Roy Swartz, publicity chairman. Other members are Mrs. Donald Parton, Mrs. Gordon Morris, Mrs. Joe Vigel, Mrs. Lee Hubler, Mrs. Vincent A. Flores, Mrs. Martin Spielbusch and Mrs. Robert Doecher, one of the founders.

The goals of the group are "to promote interest in and knowledge of twins; to help new mothers of twins by exchanging ideas about caring

for their babies; to provide an equipment exchange among members; to help needy families having twins with equipment and clothing."

Mrs. Wooten states that any mother of twins is eligible to become a member.

At the club's meeting, members discuss problems concerned with the rearing of twins. The club plans a panel discussion in the near future, and also has discussed a newsletter for mothers of twins.

A coming social event will be a valentine party February 11 for twins and their mothers. It will be held in the Activities room at St. Mary's school.

In California

Ashland—Mrs. Don Whitney, 387 Hargadine street, is spending the winter in southern California with her daughter, Marietta Whitney.

Kennedys Reveal Plans For White House Living

By HELEN THOMAS
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Washington—UPI—The nation's new first lady, who has a flair for interior decorating, revealed Saturday her plans for re-doing the White House, already one of the nation's most redecorated buildings.

Mrs. John F. Kennedy said she plans to have the walls of the presidential apartment done in pastel tones. She also is in the process of selecting draperies, probably gay English and French chintzes, and rugs.

Mrs. Kennedy plans during the next couple of weeks to move in a number of her personal pieces of furniture, many of them French antiques of various periods. Most of her personal wardrobe and mementos and paintings already have been moved in.

Pierre Salinger, Mr. Kennedy's press secretary, said the Kennedy children, Caroline, 3, and John F. Jr., nearly two months old, will remain with their nurses in Palm Beach, Fla., for at least two more weeks. Nurseries for the children in the upstairs family quarters of the White House still are being readied for the children.

Kennedy told a UPI reporter neither he nor Mrs. Kennedy expect to return to Palm

Beach to pick up the children. Caroline is in the care of her regular nurse, Miss Maude Shaw, and the baby, now close to 10 pounds, is being watched over by Mrs. Elsie Phillips of Kensington, Md.

Both children remained at Kennedy's parents' seaside villa at the Florida winter resort during the fast-paced inaugural activities.

Mrs. Kennedy, who started her day Saturday less than eight hours after she toured three of five inaugural dances Friday night, met her household staff for the first time at the start of the day.

The staff of 70 persons, introduced to her by White House Chief Usher J. Bernard West, will stay on duty at the executive mansion under the new administration, according to Pamela Turnure, Mrs. Kennedy's press secretary.

However, the Kennedys will add to the staff Mrs. Kennedy's longtime maid, Provi, the President's valet of many years, George Thomas, and the children's nurse, Maude Shaw.

President and Mrs. Kennedy also will get their social schedule under way tomorrow evening when they give a dinner party for former Rep. Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr. and his wife, Sue. A few other

Ladies of Elks Extend Invitation

Medford Ladies of Elks are invited to be guests of Ashland Ladies of Elks at a luncheon and card party Wednesday, February 8, at Ashland Elks temple. A social hour starting at noon will precede the luncheon.

Medford members are requested to have their reservations in by January 30. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Bruce Blew, SPring 3-5761; Mrs. Mabel Wright, SPring 3-2998 or Mrs. Sam L. Jones, SPring 2-9220. The regular meeting of Medford Ladies of Elks will be held on February 7.

In South

Ashland—Mrs. Leonard Anderson, 427 Terrace street, is spending several weeks in southern California with friends and relatives. She formerly made her home in Hollywood.

personal friends will be invited to the dinner which starts at 8 p.m.

Mr. Roosevelt, reportedly in line for a Kennedy administration post, visited the Kennedy villa in Palm Beach twice during the President's recent stay there before the inauguration.

'Many Moons' Productions Set For Early February

Ashland—The SOC Players and American Association of University Women in Medford and Ashland are in the midst of plans to present the annual children's plays. The 1961 play is the Charlotte Chorpenning dramatization of James Thurber's "Many Moons" and production dates are February 3, 4 and 7.

Ashland branch of AAUW

Thetas To Mark 91st Anniversary

The 91st anniversary of the founding of Kappa Alpha Theta, national collegiate fraternal organization, will be observed Thursday, January 26.

In celebration, a Founders' day dinner will be held at Rogue Valley Country club Thursday at 8:30 p.m. All members of the Southern Oregon Alumnae association of Kappa Alpha Theta are invited to attend.

Members who have not been contacted and wish to make reservations are to call either the alumnae association president, Mrs. Richard McLoughlin, SPring 3-2763, or Mrs. Gregory Hornecker, SPring 3-3597.

will sponsor two productions for school children of that city February 4 at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. The Medford branch will bring the Players to the Craterian theater February 7 for two afternoon performances.

Dr. Dorothy Stolp of Southern Oregon college is director.

It is pointed out by AAUW members that a double purpose is served in presenting the children's play. Live drama is provided for school children, and the branches also raise funds for their fellowship and scholarship needs.

Party Observes 89th Birthday

Mrs. Robert Buckles entertained recently at her home, 424 Newtown street, in honor of Mrs. L. F. Slavens, who was observing her 89th birthday anniversary.

Guests were Mrs. Mamie Schrack, Mrs. Edna Grants, Mrs. Stella Shepherd, Mrs. M. J. Austin, Mrs. W. T. Poff, Mrs. K. J. Knutson, Miss Jean Kent, Mrs. Gary Conrad, Mrs. Jack Grieves, Mrs. E. L. Cantrell, Mrs. Minnie Bowers and the honor guest, Mrs. Slavens.

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