

Social Events ♦ Women's News

Ashland Teacher Receives Degree

Ashland - Harry Wright was a visitor in Ashland last week on his way north to spend some time with relatives after receiving his master's degree from Stanford university June 10. Mr. Wright will return in September to teach in the Ashland High school science department. He formerly taught in the junior high school and has been studying for his master's degree on a National Science foundation grant.

Family Home From Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. James Rowan, 828 Minnesota avenue, are home after vacationing for two weeks with their children, James Rowan Jr., and John and Mary Rowan, at Waikiki Beach, Hawaii. They returned June 24. They also visited with friends, Captain and Mrs. Stuart C. Jones who live at Pearl Harbor where Captain Jones is stationed with the Navy. The group also made tours of the island of Oahu on which Waikiki Beach is located.

Ashland Bethel Conducts Installation of Officers

Ashland—New queen of Bethel 22, International Order of Job's Daughters, is Miss Janie Clark, whose installation took place in the Masonic temple recently. She is the youngest daughter of J. P. Clark, 4450 Highway 66. Retiring Honored Queen Carol Bjork served as installing officer. With the exception of one sister, Mrs. Al (Patricia) Cook, Decatur, Ill., all of Queen Jane's brothers and sisters attended the ceremonial rites. Present were Mrs. Charles (Jarmaine) Warren, Oroville, Calif.; Mrs. Harold (Jeanne) Phillips, Yreka, Calif.; Mrs. John (Lola) Kufner and Mrs. Don (Cathy) Wolff, Ashland; Kay Clark, Lakeview, and Mike Clark, Ashland, brothers. Several nieces and nephews took part in the service.



Miss Janie Clark (Brainard photo)

Installed with the new queen were the Misses Kathy Zimmerman, senior princess; Helen Colwell, junior princess; Kay Newton, guide; Tana Laird, marshal; Beth Iba, recorder; Linda Prescott, musician; Linda Allen, Maria Drew, Sheri Swing, Nancy Dayton and Diane Benson, messengers; Kandy Korthase, senior custodian; Barbara Jones, junior custodian; Cindy Wright, librarian; Patricia Lorton, treasurer; Donal Ann Brace, outer guard, and Mary Brostad, inner guard.

Those who assisted in the installation were the Misses Sara Vandenburg, Diane Everham, Patricia Ellis of Medford Bethel 14; Mrs. Della Weber, Miss Betty MacDonaid, Miss Pamela Trowbridge of Medford Bethel 55; Bob Sikes, De Molay counselor; Mrs. John W. Mills, Bethel 22 guardian, and Ed Grimm, associate guardian. "Hearts and Roses" is the year's theme chosen by Queen Janie, who paid tribute to her mother's memory as she placed a full blown white rose on the altar during the ceremony. During the addendum presented after the installation, 16 nephews and nieces carried pink and red roses to the queen. Candelighters were John Kufner and Jeff Warren, nephews.

On Vacation

Ashland - Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goshka and son Gary, 131 Church street, left Sunday for a vacation in Washington and British Columbia. They expect to visit the Seattle exposition and to take a Puget Sound and Vancouver Island cruise.

while wMh8 ess.randw nd c while two nieces, Jody Warren and Mara Slack, bore the Bethel crown, and little Shannon Wolff escorted the Bible. The Rev. James Sinclair was the soloist and Miss Jane Hennick was narrator. Miss Lyn Silverwood was in charge of the guest book and the hall decorations were arranged by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. William Weber and their daughter Linda had charge of decorating the downstairs dining room where refreshments were served before dancing began. Mrs. Mabel Brace was in charge of the social hour and was assisted by Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Wolff and Mrs. Kufner, the queen's sisters, who afterward chaperoned the dance.

Students Make Tour

Ashland—Two Ashland students, Dixie Revel and Michiel Rountree, left Sunday to join a group of 70 young people from the northwest who will tour Europe this summer. Miss Revel, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Glenn Revel, 131 Terrace street, is a sophomore pre-law student at Southern Oregon college. Young Rountree, who will enter the University of Oregon in the fall, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Rountree, 552 Beach street.

The tour is directed by the American Heritage Foundation, a non-profit organization, which conducts educational student pilgrimages in this country and abroad. Both Ashland students have been chosen previously for trips to historic American shrines and famous places in the United States.

The teen-age group will travel to New York by chartered bus and from there will fly to Europe. Their vacation tour will be mostly by bicycle with over-night stops at youth hostels.

Medford Family Has Many Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wise, 1600 Stratford way, have had a number of guests in recent days.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Halstead and daughters Sherrill, Marla and Lorna, Santa Ana, Calif., were dinner guests last Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Wise. Mr. Halstead is district agent of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company, and Mr. Wise serves the company in the same capacity here.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Uran and family, San Diego, were guests Saturday afternoon at the Wise home. They were en route to Seattle to attend the Century 21 exposition. Mrs. Uran is a cousin of Mrs. Wise.

Mrs. Lois Stolz, Eugene, was a guest last week end of the Wise family. Mrs. Stolz, housemother of the Sigma Kappa sorority on the University of Oregon campus, was en route south to spend the summer in Monterey, Calif.

Artists To Hear Ashland Woman

Mrs. Malvina Vandervalle of Frames, Inc., Ashland, will be guest speaker for a meeting of the Southern Oregon Society of Artists to be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Girls Community club.

Mrs. Vandervalle will speak on "Aspects of Framing." Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. Keith Frances, Talent; Mrs. Victor Lantis, Ashland, and Mrs. N. A. Jenne, Ashland. Anyone interested in art is invited to attend.

Veni-Vidi

By MARGARET SCHULER.

Like Medford, Rome has an "alley" art show, or it would be if they called narrow streets "alleys."

But there are no alleys here; they are just narrow streets, behind other narrow streets, so that what appears to be one-so cobbled, inauspicious and old-of-ten turns out to harbour some old palace, a famous restaurant, or an antique shop. As you walk through this street you may see wondrous things, like old escutcheons, coats-of-arms, murals or statues. Such a place is where the outdoor art show is held - Via Margutta, the street of the artists.

It is the home of hundreds of artists. Behind the walls, up steps (old worn, stone steps) are fantastically charming gardens, studios, little gates and fences twined with roses, flower beds, old lights, fountains, and even old gnarled trees, growing out of - I can't imagine-what. And all this from the alley front. Other stone steps lead to poor looking, cobweb studios-perhaps more as they were in days gone by.

Heterogeneous Collection
For four days each year, artists, or anyone who fancies himself an artist, may display his wares on the walls and along the sides of the street. And what a display! It was a heterogeneous collection of everything that could possibly come under the heading of art.

It so happens that the Via Margutta is directly behind the famous street of the antique shops so that the backs of their buildings face the Margutta. But instead of dirty windows, rubbish and customary refuse of back doors, the owners have opened onto the street great picture windows displaying, thereby, their furniture and objects of art.

As for everything occurring in the evening, the Italians turned out en masse, and with two other women, one of them a French person who had her little dog with her, we wound our way in and around the crowds, trying to take in everything we could. Occasionally we lost one another, and at one point, someone stepped on the low little dachshund and he yipped, which caused the French woman to lose her temper and loose a volley of Francese onto the bystanders.

Wonderfully Interesting
I don't know anything about art. I only know what I like, and I didn't like much of what I saw. Perhaps there was too much, but nothing on the street looked as good to me as some of Eugene Bennett's or Robert Bosworth's. Some of the paintings in the studios were wonderfully interesting.

For more interesting to me than the paintings, was the Via Margutta itself. Had I an artist's aptitude and urge, I would have attempted to recreate the scene-a vista of the long narrow street, old lamps of wrought iron hanging from walls, the numberless heads peering at, and studying art efforts. I would have included (but they couldn't have been seen, really) the poor artists themselves squatting beside their creations. Alas, I have no talent, and no inclination.

Finally at 11 o'clock we staggered to the end, and went to eat our dinner at Otello's, the outdoor restaurant of my choice.

Bracciano Exhibit
At any rate there are lots of people interested in being painters in Rome. And that is not all the artists here about. Sunday we drove to the ancient town of Bracciano to see another exhibit. Here the paintings were to be of the town, or surrounding countryside, and there were artists of many countries - even the United States.

The paintings were displayed at the old 15th century castle which dominates the town - on an outside wall. Even without the inducement of art-to climb to this story-book castle, perched on top of the town with the quaint, crooked streets, on a sunny summer afternoon - was unadulterated pleasure - the green gardens, the numerous people strolling about, or sitting on the grass, the trip through the castle, the view from the turrets.

Orchards and Farms
Down below the hill were olive orchards, little farms with curious neatly piled haystacks, and on a bit farther, a lake, busy with water skiers, motor and sailboats and

Bridge Winners Are Announced

North-south winners for the weekly session of Medford Duplicate Bridge club were headed by Mrs. Frank R. Baker and George W. Rode who scored 113 1/2 points under the Mitchell system. Ten tables took part.

Other north-south winners were Mrs. George Dean and Mrs. Ben Todd, second, 128 1/2; Mrs. R. J. Conroy and Mrs. W. W. Stevenson, third, 123 1/2; Mrs. Glen Harrison and Chester Reavis, fourth, 122.

East-west winners were Mrs. Jack Mitchell and Millard Allen, Portland, first, 126 points; George Polaki and Robert Middleton, second, 124 points; B. L. Sanderson and Roy Pruitt, third, 117 1/2; Mrs. Larry Espey and Berg Marten, fourth, 116 points.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Thayer, Footh Creek, were guest players.

Grants Pass Women Winners

Two Grants Pass women won the Riverside Bridge club championship during the June 20 play of the club. A one-winner scramble. Mitchell movement was used. The women, Mrs. C. M. Durland and Mrs. T. H. Reddick, scored 145 points.

In second place Mrs. F. R. Baker and Mrs. John Dougherty scored 142 1/2 points. Winning third place were Mrs. A. W. Lingaas and Mrs. Benjamin Todd with 136 points, and fourth place went to Mrs. Jack Mitchell and Mrs. Dolph Phipps with 134 points. Fifth place was won by Mrs. Mary Trout and Mrs. Paul Hatton, who scored 132 1/2 points.

Notes Are Given On Wedding Gifts

New York - (UPI) - Notes for those who will be giving wedding gifts this season:

When the gift is sent before the wedding address it to the bride. If there is any delay in sending the gift, it is polite to include a note of explanation. If you plan to send china or silverware, check with the bride's mother or a local bridal registry for the pattern choice and pieces she needs. The bride should remember: if she displays gifts, do not show the card identifying the giver since this invites comparison. Never display gifts in a club or a hotel, only at home. Thank you notes always should be hand-written.

Families Visit At Hutchins Home

Hornbrook—Guests at the home of Mrs. Alberta Hutchins and children Bob and Beverly are Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hutchins and sons, David and Joe, who arrived Saturday from Los Angeles. Other visitors during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gene Hutchins, Newbury Park, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pacheka, Thousand Oaks, Calif. The latter two couples were en route to the Fair at Seattle.

Immunization with influenza vaccines is 60 to 75 per cent effective, the Health Information Foundation reports.

lots of outdoor umbrella cafes.

We rode over the highway from Florence at sunset, and I saw a little old outside garden where, 17 years ago, I had sat and loved Italy, as I drank the Vino di casa.

Besides all this there is one of the world's biggest art exhibits this week end at Venice. Thirty-two artists are to display, including Russia and their communist countries. This is to be in the beautiful public gardens of Venice. President Segni is opening the festivities.



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Travelers Return From Island Stay

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McKee, 1107 Reddy avenue, accompanied by their granddaughter, Miss Joan Eslinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Eslinger, 110 Willamette avenue, are home from a 16-day trip to Hawaii.

The group spent their time at Waikiki Beach, where they were guests at the Moana hotel.

Family Arrives

Hornbrook - Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shinar and children Debbie, Jackie, Kelly and Glen Jr., Sacramento, arrived Sunday. The children will remain here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Shinar, while their parents take a few days' vacation.

A luminous switch plate that glows in the dark makes it easy to locate light switches at night.

Past Chiefs Club Meeting Scheduled

Past chiefs of the Westonka council, Degree of Pocahontas lodge, presided for a council meeting Friday, June 22 in the Redman hall. Presiding as Pocahontas was Mrs. Charles Dooms; as Wenonah, Mrs. Charles Susich, Ashland; as prophetess, Mrs. Don Ivie, and Powatan, Mr. Ivie. A ham dinner preceded the meeting.

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