

Sister, Brother Head Reames Chapter of OES

Officers for Reames chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, were installed in a ceremony at the Medford Masonic temple on June 30.

Taking office as worthy matron was Mrs. Gene Dyke, who succeeds Mrs. Lloyd Caton. Mrs. Dyke's brother, Ross Gilkison, was installed as her worthy patron. This is the first time in Reames chapter's history that a brother and sister have served as worthy matron and patron.

For the ceremony Mrs. Dyke wore a gown of golden rust slipper satin with beaded side panel in pearls and opalescent sequins. The draped bodice was also beaded. Mrs. Dyke wore a bronze orchid corsage.

Former Teacher Hornbrook Visitor; Visit Iron Gate

Hornbrook — Mr. and Mrs. Norman Martin, Covina, Calif., were recent visitors in Hornbrook. Mrs. Martin taught first and second grades, as well as music, in the Hornbrook school for several years before moving to southern California. She also conducted an adult Bible class in Hornbrook.

While here the Martins were taken to the Iron Gate dam by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Breceda. They also visited in Montague with Gene Breceda. Before leaving they were guests of Mrs. Anna Copin and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin left Thursday morning for Everett, Wash., and are also planning to visit friends in Canada.

Schmechels Home After 10-Day Trip

The A. H. Schmechel family, 441 Eastwood drive, is home after being in Portland, their former home, for about 10 days. Mr. and Mrs. Schmechel with their sons, Todd and Drew, made the trip north along the coast stopping en route at Yacats.

In Portland they were houseguests of the A. H. Schmechels Sr. and divided their time with Mrs. Schmechel's mother, Mrs. Lloyd Johnson, and Mr. Johnson; and her father, Montie Smallen, and Mrs. Smallen. They also were guests of Mrs. Schmechel's grandmother, Mrs. Ida Schmechel and Mrs. Fanny Brokenshire; and Mrs. Schmechel's grandmother, Mrs. Lontie Smallen.

Sister Arrives From Los Altos

Mrs. William C. Strang, Los Altos, Calif., a former Medford resident, is a houseguest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Holzgang, 626 Park avenue. She is accompanied by her son, Greg.

They arrived about a week ago and plan to be here for another week. Other visitors at the Holzgang home last week were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Fay Holzgang and their children, Michael, David and Mark, of Portland. Mr. Holzgang is a student at the University of Oregon medical school.

Talent Gardeners Plan Year Book

Talent — Plans were made by the Talent Garden club at a recent meeting for the completion of a year book. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. John Baldwin.

Luncheon preceded the business meeting. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Long will be hosts for the next scheduled meeting of the club, to be held August 1 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting is open to husbands.

Gold Hill Resident Host to Travelers

Gold Hill — Mrs. Laura Sander, San Antonio, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. Reed McKay, Trail, were recent visitors of Mrs. R. G. Wigle in Gold Hill. They were enroute to the World's fair at Seattle. While in southern Oregon Mrs. Sander had visited the historical museum at Jacksonville and Crater Lake National park as well as other points of interest.

Minnesota Picnic Set for July 15

Former Minnesota residents will hold a potluck dinner Sunday, July 15, at 1 p.m. in TouVelle State park. Coffee, sugar, and cream will be furnished. More information can be obtained from Mrs. C. R. Christiansen, 535-2394.

Past Presidents To Hold Meeting

Past presidents of the auxiliary to the Crater Lake aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles lodge, will meet Friday, July 13 at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. John Bowdish, 209 South Orange street.

Other officers installed were: Mrs. Stewart Pennington, associate matron; Stewart Pennington, associate patron; Mrs. Ray Bailey, secretary; Mrs. Walter Johnson, treasurer; Mrs. Don Ashpole, conductress; Mrs. Rodney Witham, associate conductress; Mrs. Floyd Hibbard, chaplain; Mrs. Earl Knight, marshal; Mrs. Norman Swensen, organist; Mrs. Dale Edwards, Adah; Mrs. Hazen Cram, Ruth; Mrs. William White, Esther; Mrs. George Burrell, Martha; Mrs. Delbert Harvey, Electa; Mrs. William Hatzl, warder and Hazen Cram, sentinal.

The officers wore gowns of buttercream yellow peau de sol with pearl beaded bodice and side draped skirts. Their corsages were of yellow and white daisies. Mrs. Dyke's flower for the year.

Installing Officers

Installing officers were: Mrs. E. G. Randolph, past matron and Carl Oestreich, past patron; Mrs. John Bradshaw, marshal; Mrs. John Esp, chaplain and Mrs. Steven Wiseman, past grand matron, organist.

Named as courtesy ladies for the ensuing year were: Mrs. Merlyn Harvey, captain; Mrs. Kenneth Phillips, co-captain; and Mrs. J. H. Creager, Mrs. Claude Hoover, Mrs. W. S. Spence, Miss Daurice Meyers, Mrs. Frank Knox, Mrs. Gladys Rammin and Mrs. Paul Mitchell. Their flowers were wristlets of yellow and white daisies.

The chapter room was decorated with yellow and white daisies and gladioli and in the East was word "faith," the worthy matron's theme.

Mrs. Dyke and Mr. Gilkison introduced their relatives. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gewiss, Eugene, daughter and son-in-law of Mrs. Dyke, her son, Roger Dyke, and Miss Pamela Gilkison.

During installation three solos were sung by Mrs. Martel Peters accompanied by Miss Vera Donnelly. Miss Gilkison, daughter of the patron, played several piano selections.

Mrs. Dyke's brother presented her with a gavel and the new corps of officers honored the new worthy matron and patron with an addendum which concluded with the presentation of a gift to each. Mrs. Dyke presented Mrs. Lloyd Caton with her past matron's jewel.

Seated in East

Members seated in the East were: Mrs. Hal McNair, past grand matron and chairman of the ESTAR awards committee of Oregon; Mrs. Wiseman, past grand matron, and W. Morris Boughner, past grand patron. Other matrons and patrons of the order present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Findley, Alpha chapter; Mr. and Mrs. Don Storres, Adarel chapter; Mrs. Marie Breckenridge and Hal Lloyd, Western Star chapter; Mrs. E. V. Goff and Russell Fair, Nevada chapter; and Mrs. Grace Branch, Valentine chapter.

Also introduced were: Mrs. Murray Gardner, queen of Zuleima temple, Daughters of the Nile; Mrs. Richard Mayfield, royal matron of Rosy Ann court, Order of the Amaranth; Dale Edwards, worshipful master of Medford lodge, AF & AM and Mrs. Merlyn Harvey, worthy advisor International Order of Job's Daughters, Bethel 14.

The benediction was given by Dr. George G. Roseberry. A reception followed in the Masonic dining room. Refreshments were served from a star shaped table decorated with yellow snapdragons and bronze chrysanthemums. Mrs. Roy Nordwick was general chairman for the evening assisted by: Mrs. H. E. Nulton, Mrs. Jennie Creager, Mrs. Etta McKinney, Mrs. Hazel Dickson, E. G. Randolph, Mrs. Ray Bailey and Mrs. Gilkison.



Mrs. Gene Dyke and her brother, Ross Gilkison, were installed worthy matron and patron of Reames chapter, Order of Eastern Star, in recent ceremonies. It is the first time in the history of the chapter that a brother and sister have held these offices. (Landis photo)

Seniors To Enter Exhibit; Slides Scheduled Monday

Mr. and Mrs. George Hammond of the Rogue Valley Manor will show colored slides taken during a trip in eastern United States and Canada at the Arm Chair Traveler's group Monday, July 9.

The session will start at 1 p.m. at the Senior Activity center, 801 East Jackson street.

The pictures will include scenes in Montreal, the New England states during the fall, Washington, D.C., and the Ozarks. This will be the second showing by the Hammonds who moved to the manor from the San Fernando Valley in California.

The showing is opening to all persons 50 years or older and is held each Monday afternoon. Dr. Frank Roberts is leader and Mrs. Lillian Greenman and Williams Jones are hosts.

Oil Painting

The members of the oil painting classes have been asked to exhibit as a group with the Southern Oregon Society of Artists on Saturday, July 14, during the annual Greenwich Village show at the Medford Library park. The group meets at 1 p.m. on Tuesday afternoons. New members are welcome.

The copper tooling class meets each Wednesday at 1 p.m. Mrs. Ethel Byers is the teacher.

Edward Root, director of the Senior Center orchestra, which now meets on Thursday mornings during the summer, announced last week that the orchestra has already been scheduled to give a concert in January, 1963. Several guests from both California and Washington listened during the practice last Thursday.

Craftsmen Program

The newest activity at the center is that of the Senior Craftsmen receiving committee which is available from 10 a.m. to noon every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday morning during July. They will register craftsmen who bring in their handcraft and apply for membership in this Oregon cooperative.

If accepted, their handwork will be sold for them at

To Picnic

Jackson County Retired Teacher association members will meet Monday, July 9 at 12 noon in Lithia park, Ashland. Those who attend are to take contributions of food for the picnic.

Members of the Klamath Falls unit, RTA, will be guests.

Tea To Be Topic Of Herb Society

O. C. Medicus, representative of the Spice Islands company, will lecture on teas at the meeting of the Rogue Valley Herb society Tuesday, July 10, at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. R. D. Abel, Cherry lane, will be hostess.

Roll call will be answered by naming an idea for an herb bazaar. Mrs. Melchoir Heckinger will prepare the exhibit for the day.

An all day workshop was held recently at the home of Mrs. Stephen Counts. Mrs. Counts lectured on "Herbs Used in Dyes." Guests at the meeting were Mrs. William H. Baker, Ashland, and Mrs. Mildred Watkins, Grants Pass. Assisting with the meeting was Mrs. Mattie Carson.

Mission Secretary To Speak Thursday

Mrs. Clarrisa Rollins, executive secretary of the National Advent Christian Women's Home and Foreign Mission society, will speak to the Missionary Ladies of the Advent Christian church Thursday, July 12, at 7:30 p.m.

To Meet

Mrs. Helen Kevorkian, a missionary from the Congo, will be guest speaker at a meeting of the Women's Fellowship of the First Baptist church Tuesday, July 10 at the Girls Community club.

Former Residents Overnight Guests

Hornbrook — Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Robertson of Placerville, Calif., were overnight guests Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Grieb. The visitors are former Hornbrook residents, who moved to Happy Camp about two years ago, and to Placerville about one year ago.

Party Planned By Beehive Club

Beehive club of Olive Rebekah lodge will hold a hobo party Monday, July 9, at the home of Mrs. Homer Vinzant, 848 Stewart avenue. All Rebekahs are invited to attend.

Year Book Wins Award for Club

Jacksonville — A year book prepared by the Jacksonville Garden club won second place in the class for clubs with 25 members or less at the Oregon Federation of Garden clubs recent convention in Salem. Mrs. O. V. Poe, Phoenix, Siskiyou district director, who attended the convention, brought back the news of the award.

Jacobs Home

Wonder — Mrs. John Jacobs and children Jo-Ella and John Jacobs Jr. have returned from a two weeks vacation in Eureka, Calif. They were guests of Mrs. Jacobs' mother, Mrs. Michel D. Fielding.

Aurora Temple Members Plan Coming Events

Yreka — Plans for the official visit of the grand chief of California, in September and initiation in August were made at a meeting of Aurora Temple, Pythian Sisters, at a meeting Wednesday night in the Odd Fellows hall.

Most excellent chief, Mrs. Lloyd Bishofberger presided. The grand chief, Mrs. Berta Fischer of Santa Barbara will visit Yreka on September 26. Also visiting here that evening will be Mrs. Myra Sadler, past grand chief.

Two candidates, Warren Smith and Mrs. Esther Smith, mother and son, will become members of the Pythian Sisters at initiation ceremonies on August 8.

Plans also were made for an outdoor barbecue at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Johnson on July 25. During the meeting Mrs. Ernest Johnson gave a review of the proper way to ballot and other lodge regulations. Cards were sent to Mrs. June Ager in Mount Shasta hospital and to Mrs. Clara Henderson, who has been hospitalized in Redding.

Hornbrook Couple Entertain Guests

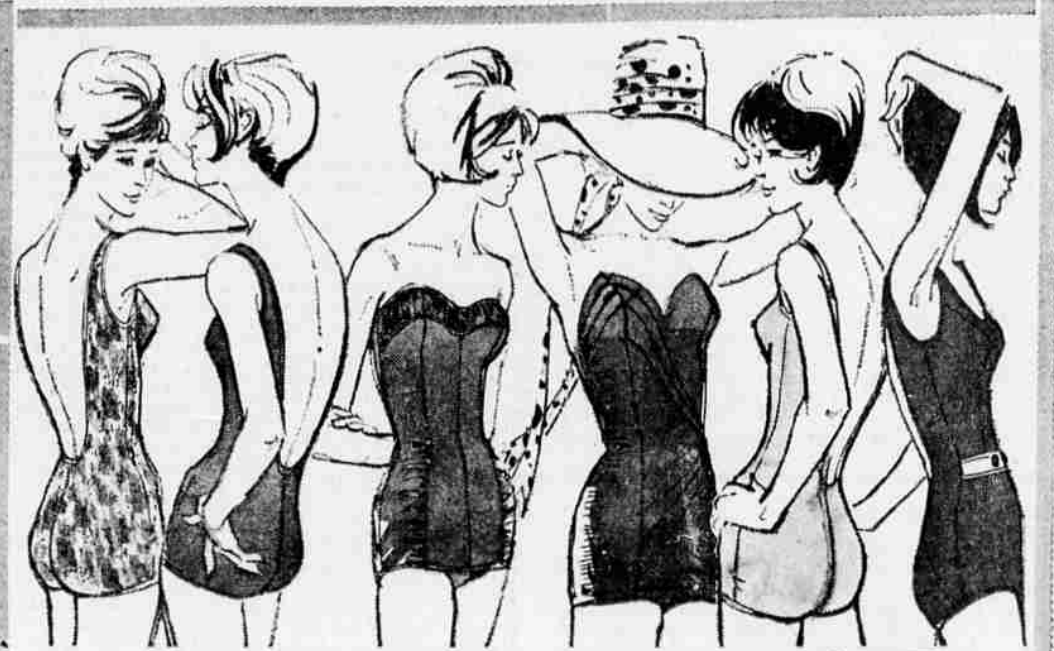
Hornbrook — Mrs. Merle Zink of Eureka, Calif., was an overnight guest on Tuesday at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith. Spending a week here recently with his grandparents, was Mike Smith of Orland, Calif. Mike is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Edward M. Smith.

Alaskan Visits In Gold Hill

Gold Hill — Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wolfe Kretzner of Alaska stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dungey in Gold Hill enroute to Moroban, Tex. recently. Mr. Kretzner resided here when he was a small child.

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