

Exchange Teacher Talks For Friends of Library

Lack of flexibility, resulting from centralized control by the state, is a problem for educators in Australia, according to John Smock, who spoke Monday evening for a meeting of the Friends of the Library of Jackson county. Mr. Smock, Medford High school teacher, spent the past year in Australia under the Fulbright exchange program.

A shortage of properly qualified teachers, also, is an acute problem. Mr. Smock said that many persons with little or no teacher training are engaged in teaching in Australia. At the end of what is equivalent to the junior year in high school in the United States, a student is eligible to attend a teacher training college in Australia. This training is for two years and results in inadequately trained 19 and 20-year-old teachers entering the elementary school field, the speaker said.

Mr. Smock feels, however, that the student who is eligible to enter Australian universities, graduates with an education equal, and many times the superior, of university graduates in the United States.

Australia spends three and a half per cent of the national income on education. Many new schools are being built and in Melbourne, alone, the number of high schools has tripled in the past few years. Mr. Smock stated that in one high school in which he taught, there were a thousand students but said Australians prefer smaller schools with

an enrollment as low as 600. He said his class enrollment averaged between 35 and 45.

Students eligible to continue their education in colleges or universities have available many scholarships both from state and private sources, he said. The matriculation examinations are extremely difficult and lengthy.

Mr. Smock said one pleasant aspect of teaching in Australia was the "tea break" both morning and afternoon for teachers and students.

The speaker was introduced by Jerry Martin, Hoover teacher, program chairman for the Friends.

A short business meeting of the Friends preceded the speaker. Omar Bacon, head librarian, announced the gift of an electric magnifying reader from the Crater Lions club to the library for use by persons with sight problems. He also announced the selection of the records purchased with a gift from the Friends.

Mrs. N. R. Deaver, president, appointed Miss Claire Hanley, Mrs. Leland Mentzer and Mr. Bacon as a nominating committee to select candidates for election for the coming year.

The evening concluded with a coffee hour.

Visit Scripters

Ashland—Week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Scripser, 283 Scenic drive, were their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Scripser, of Eugene, who attended the college Homecoming festivities. Mr. Scripser, a 1961 graduate of Southern Oregon college, is taking graduate work and teaching at the University of Oregon. Mrs. Scripser is the former Suzanne Bordeaux.

Marriage Rites Held in Eureka

From Eureka, Calif., comes news of the wedding of Miss Arlene Kasper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kasper of that city to Robert Bright, a former Medford resident. A group of relatives and friends from here attended the rites.

The bridegroom is a son of Mrs. Pauline Bright, 625 Franquette street, and Orvel Bright, Eureka.

The ceremony was performed October 6 in the Eureka Apostolic Faith church by the Rev. David McCollum.

Bronze and yellow pompon chrysanthemums decorated the church.

The bride given in marriage by her father, wore a full length gown of imported Chantilly lace and crystal with V-shaped neckline, and long sleeves. The skirt was designed with a lace front and scalloped hem line and the back had alternating tiers of lace and chrysanthemums which ended in a chapel train. Her fingertip veil of French illusion was held by a crown of pearls. She carried three

white orchids.

Her attendants were Mrs. Donald Jordan, Eureka, matron of honor and sister of the bride; Miss Betty Cotton, Portland, and Miss Kay Bright, Medford, sister of the bridegroom. All wore yellow brocade satin dresses with matching accessories. Their bouquets were of bronze colored spider chrysanthemums.

Vern Bright, Salem, brother of the bridegroom, was best man, and groomsmen were Mr. J. Jordan, and David Kasper.

Ushers were Floyd Kasper and Wayne Maples.

The wedding songs were sung by Mrs. Ray Robinson, Grants Pass, and Efton Jones, accompanied by Mrs. Floyd Kasper, organist.

The reception was held in the Eureka inn. Miss Linda Kasper attended the guest book and serving were the Mesdames Floyd Kasper, Efton Jones, George Martin, Ellis Ballard, Bonnie Nelson, Clarence Kasper, Michael Olufsen and Ray Robinson.

Attending the wedding from Medford were Mr. and Mrs. John Breazeal, and the Mesdames Carolyn Breazeal, Carol Brown, Sharon Hendrickson, Kathy Eriksen, and Kathy Moulton. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robinson were there from Grants Pass, and the bridegroom's uncle, Paul Bright, Boise, Ida., was among the guests.

The couple is living at 325 Del Norte street, Eureka, Calif., after their wedding trip to Los Angeles, Lake Tahoe and Reno.

The bride is a graduate of Eureka schools and the bridegroom attended Medford schools and is a graduate of Eureka High school.

The bride is employed as a teller at the Bank of America in Eureka and the bridegroom is employed at Taylor-Holbrook, Inc., there.

CBPW Schedule Guest Speaker

Roy Price, a graduate of Westmont college in Santa Barbara, Calif., will be guest speaker at dinner meeting for Christian Business and Professional Women's council of Medford Thursday, November 1. The event, to be held at 6:15 p.m., will be in Ping's gardens on Pacific Highway north.

Mr. Price also will sing.

The hair stylist, Glenn, of Hair fashions, will demonstrate hair styles to be worn with wigs.

Those wishing reservations should make them by Tuesday, October 30, with Mrs. Dewain Phillips, telephone 482-1070.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bright (Swanlund photo)

Lodge Official Visits; Project Is Explained

Mrs. Roy Terney, Pendleton, president of the Ladies association, Patriarchs Militant, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, spoke regarding her project for the year when she made her official visit to the auxiliary to the Siskiyou canton in Medford October 24.

The project is a purchase of a hospital bed for the IOOF home in Portland. All of the auxiliaries in the state contribute to this project, as well as give assistance to the purchase of an elevator for the home.

Mrs. Terney was accompanied by Mrs. Ruby Robertson, Portland, vice president of the Ladies association and reviewing officer.

Other association officers introduced were Mrs. P. M. Aldridge, banner bearer; Mrs. Albert Hackerl, guard; Mrs. Ethyl Garret and Mrs. Edward Pease, past presidents of the association, and Mrs. Riley Appelgate, past president of the Robekah Assembly of Oregon.

Also presented and introduced was Mrs. Carol Hollowell, Grants Pass, color

bearer of the association.

The work of the order was presented by the officers of the auxiliary assisted by the Chevaliers of the canton.

Mrs. Terney was presented a corsage of flowers in the lodge colors, purple and gold, with a gift of money. Mrs. Robertson also was presented a gift.

A dinner preceded the meeting when the tables were decorated in purple and gold.

Mrs. Terney and Mrs. Robertson left Thursday for Klamath Falls for a visitation there.

The next auxiliary meeting will be November 28 at 8 p.m. in the IOOF hall. A potluck dinner is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. in the dining room.

Leaves

Mrs. Harvey Weiman, the former Miss Mary Ann McCartney, left Tuesday for her home in Oceanside, Calif., after visiting for two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Leslie M. McCartney, 881 East Main street, Ashland, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo C. Long, 5156 South Pacific highway, Medford.

Food Buying To Be Studied

Two home extension units will meet this week to study food buying.

Mrs. George Mero and Mrs. Lewis Clark will give the lesson on food buying at the Griffin Creek Home Extension unit meeting Friday, November 2, at 10:30 a.m. at the Grange hall.

Hostesses for the meeting will be Mrs. Joe W. Casad and Mrs. Glen V. Allen. Those attending should bring a table service for a covered dish luncheon at noon.

Child care is provided. For further information on child care, members may call the unit chairman, Mrs. Arthur D. Savage, 772-7601.

Westside Unit

Westside unit will meet Thursday, November 1, at 10:30 a.m. in the Presbyterian church in Central Point. The program will be on food buying.

OSU Venison Recipe In National Magazine

Corvallis—An Oregon State university extension bulletin on preparation and cooking of venison is featured in a national magazine this month. Farm Journey magazine, published in Philadelphia, Pa., notes that Oregon cooks agree that venison can be tasty and tender when cared for properly.

Basis for many of the recipes featured in the magazine is the OSU bulletin "Treats With Venison." A teriyaki recipe developed by OSU home economists is one of the specialties recommended by the magazine.

The OSU bulletin, free to Oregon residents, contains information about cutting up deer plus 22 recipes including sauerbraten, swiss steak, mince meat and jerky. Copies are available from county extension offices.

Wildflower Talk Is Scheduled By Valley Club

Applegate Valley—Garden clubs of Rogue River valley and Ashland vicinity are invited to meet with the Applegate Valley club Thursday, November 8, to hear Neil Suttell, district forest ranger, speak on wild flower preservation.

Women of the local club have prepared a book of wild flower specimens of the area which was on display at Dutchman's Peak lookout this summer, and it is the desire of forestry men and the local club members to extend interest in the subject in other areas.

The meeting will be held at Upper Applegate Grange hall at 2 p.m., and all interested persons are invited.

Center Director To Be Speaker

"Jackson County Curriculum Material Center—Its Present Services and Future Developments" will be the topic that Dr. Richard Gilkey will use when he speaks to the Medford Parent-Teacher association Coordinating committee. The meeting will be Thursday, November 1, at 1:15 p.m. in the Curriculum Material Center in the Courthouse annex basement. Dr. Gilkey is director of the center.

The voting body of the Coordinating committee consists of the president, vice president and principal of each PTA unit in the Medford schools and superintendents, but any interested PTA member may attend the meeting. Mrs. A. J. Johansson is president.

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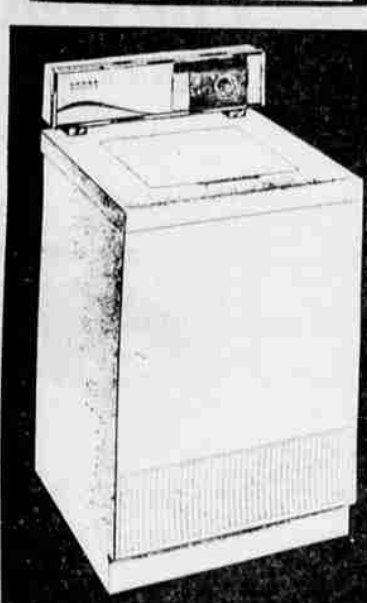
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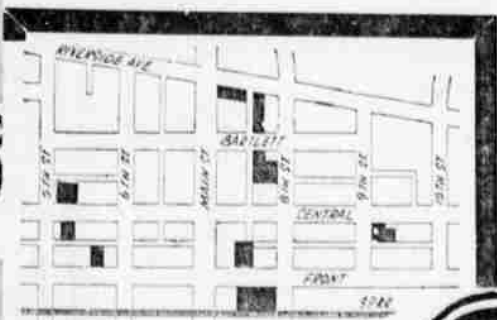
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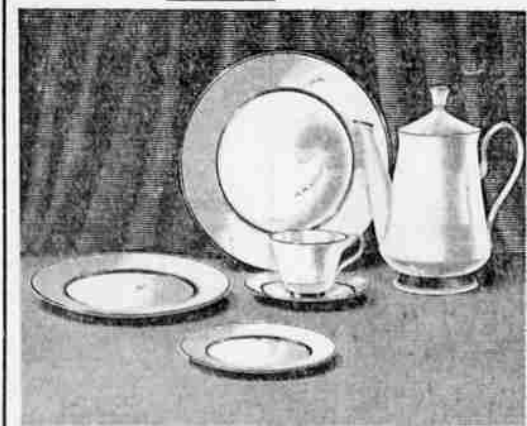
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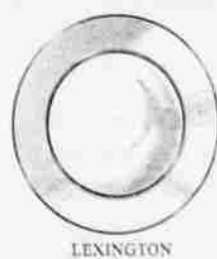
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