



Pictured at the tea table during the fiftieth anniversary observance of the College Women's Club of the Rogue River Valley, January 12 are Mrs. Amos Willis, Ashland, (seated) who compiled and read the history of the club; Miss Florence Gifford, treasurer, standing at left, and Mrs. Stanley Chirgwin, secretary.

Children Aided Through Gold Hill Woman's Group

Gold Hill - Mrs. E. C. Hoffman, vice president of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Gold Hill Community Methodist church reported on the group's cancelled stamp collection project which benefits underprivileged children, during a meeting of the group recently.

She stated that information received from Mrs. Clyde Hicks, district secretary of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, to whom the local group mails the stamps, revealed that during August, 1962, \$859.40 worth of stamps were sold. Each dollar buys \$38 of surplus food, (300 pounds or 7500 cups of milk) which is used for the children.

All cancelled commemorative stamps and all over four cents are sent to Mrs. Hicks. All other cancelled stamps are being sent to Mrs. Gabriel Kieppe, stamp secretary for Sons of Norway. These include, one, two, three and four cent stamps, and small air mail stamps. These stamps are sent to Norway and from there are sold all over Europe. The proceeds are used for children's tuberculosis hospitals.

Anyone may participate in this stamp collection program by saving cancelled stamps, being careful to cut or tear around the stamp leaving a margin so that no perforation is damaged, Mrs. Hoffman pointed out.

Further information may be had by contacting her, or Mrs. Ivan Smith of the local society. Anyone in the society will accept stamps for the purpose. The Gold Hill group is among many groups who send cancelled stamps to Mrs. Hicks, as it is not just a WSCS project.

Mrs. Melvin Burnett reviewed the book, "Dimensions of Prayer," by Douglas V. Steere, a book recently read by a study group within the society. Mrs. Lochlen L. Gregory and Mrs. Paul Molloy sang and Mrs. Roy Eskew, president, conducted the meeting. Mrs. J. G. Kofahl was hostess in her home on Highway 99 north, assisted by Mrs. Hoffman.

Mrs. Samuel Jones will be hostess for the next meeting in her home, also on Highway 99 north, Wednesday, February 13. Dessert luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m., and the business meeting will open at 1 p.m.

Musicians Reelect Officer

J. Vernon Marshall was reelected secretary - treasurer and business agent of the Medford Musicians union for the twenty-first consecutive year during a dinner meeting of the musicians, and their husbands and wives. The event, held January 15 at the Rogue Valley Country club, was attended by about 100 persons.

Randolph Huguahl was reelected president; Dale Luman was named vice president, and Roy Taylor Sr., sergeant at arms.

Reelected to the post of steward of Josephine county and delegate was Clifford Harris, and elected as Jackson county delegate, who will serve with Mr. Marshall, an automatic delegate, was Alvin Maple.

Other elections included Mr. Marshall, Mr. Maple and Mr. Harris, delegates to the northwest conference of musicians to be held in late April in Pasco, Wash.; and Mr. Marshall and Mr. Huguahl, who will attend as delegates the international convention in June in Miami Beach, Fla.

The best bands award for 1962 was won by Mr. Stough and his group, the Dixie Drifters. The band won the title earlier by public vote in competition with other bands from Jackson, Josephine and Curry counties.

Robert H. Padgett was appointed chairman of the executive board and Jafus Stough received the appointment of subordinate executive board member.

Africa Subject For Ashland Study Club

Ashland - The contrasts found in today's chaotic continent of Africa were described by Mrs. Clarence E. Litwiler when she reviewed "Drawn in Color" by Noni Jabovu for members of Fortnightly Study club at their recent first January meeting.

Mrs. Litwiler's hour-long talk was based upon the recent story of a woman torn by two loyalties, the one to South Africa where she was born, the other to England where she was educated. The author tells of life in East and South Africa and of the contrasts, saying that prejudice is by no means limited to the white race. She describes tribal beliefs and customs that hamper progress in many areas. The author lives in England with her British husband and is a prominent figure in the television and journalistic world of London.

The review was given an added personal touch by Mrs. Litwiler who spent several months in Africa a few years ago and has much firsthand knowledge of conditions in contemporary Africa.

The short topic by Mrs. R. L. Crosby was suggested by Art Linkletter's book, "The Secret World of Kids." This book covers many of the amusing and amazing problems encountered in his television show and also gives advice by one who knows much about children - as the father of five.

The club meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Ruth King, 108 South Pioneer street, and followed a dessert luncheon. Mrs. Alice Willis conducted a brief business meeting.

Phoenix Club Plans Meeting Thursday

Phoenix Thursday club will hold the monthly meeting January 24 at the home of Mrs. Douglas Roach, 208 South Groveland avenue. Assisting will be Mrs. Vaughn Quackenbush and Mrs. Bert Stacliffe.

Thank you gifts for the club "hoodoo" will be presented, and names for 1963 will be drawn. Mrs. Jessie Barkley, MJB chairman, asks members to take accumulated bands to the meeting.

Meeting Announced

The annual meeting of the Rogue Valley Art association is planned for Wednesday, January 30 at 8 p.m. in the Red Cross building auditorium. Three board members will be elected and an amendment to the by-laws will be presented to the general membership.

Retiring board members are William Barker, Dr. Richard Porto and Ben Trowbridge.

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Group to Hear Counselor Talk

Tom Goff, marriage and individual counselor, will talk on "Psychological Aspects on Choosing a Partner" for the Parents Without Partners group meeting Monday, January 21, at 7:30 p.m. at 209 South Oakdale avenue.

Refreshments will be served following the discussion. Transportation arrangements may be made by contacting Roy Rasumssen, 772-2645.



Shown as they arrived at the Girls Community club January 12 for the fiftieth anniversary observance of the College Women's Club of the Rogue River Valley, are Mrs. C. R. Adamson, left, club music chairman, who arranged a musical program of selections and songs of the 1913 era for the event, and Mrs. C. R. Carter, who was the social chairman for the observance.

At Homes Announced

With the opening of the Oregon state legislature Mrs. Mark O. Hatfield has announced the schedule through April of the wives of legislators who will assist her at her weekly "at homes" at the Hatfield home in Salem.

The events are held each acquainted with local work.

Assisting at the event Tuesday, January 22, are Mrs. Sidney Bazett, Grants Pass, and Mrs. Edward Branchfield, Medford.

Mrs. John R. Dellenback, Medford, will assist at the event February 5 and Mrs. James A. Redden, Medford, April 16.

Pouring at the event April 9 will be Mrs. L. W. Newbry, Ashland, and on April 16, Mrs. E. D. Potts, Grants Pass.

Luncheon Set By DAR Chapter

A covered dish luncheon at 1 p.m. will precede the regular meeting of Crater Lake chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Saturday, January 26, at the Girl's Community club. Members are to take service to the luncheon.

Delegates to the state conference, March 4, 5 and 6 in Salem and to Continental Congress in Washington, D.C. in April will be elected at this time.

Mrs. Ray K. Bailey, national defense chairman, will lead a panel discussion on the 1962 resolutions passed by Continental Congress.

Hostesses will be Mrs. E. L. Miller, Mrs. J. M. Rice, Mrs. Lawrence McDaniel and Miss Cora Maxfield.

College Band to Present Concert

Forty-one members of the Lewis and Clark college concert band from Portland will appear in a program of original band music at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, January 27, in the First Presbyterian church.

This first annual tour of Oregon towns is directed by Allen B. Skei, instructor of music, and will include concerts in Springfield, Gold Beach, Astoria, Tillamook and Glide. Mr. Skei is currently completing his dissertation for a doctorate in philosophy degree in musicology at the University of Michigan and formerly taught at Gustavus Adolphus college in Minnesota.

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