

Jackson County Teachers Attend Regional Meeting

Several Jackson county teachers have returned from Portland where they attended the Northwest Regional Conference of the Department of Classroom Teachers held last week end. Approximately 400 conferees attended from Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington and Wyoming.

Presiding was Miss Irene Smith, Idaho Falls, Idaho, regional director. Theme of the conference was "Teaching, a Profession, Spotlight on the Child."

National president of the Department of Classroom Teachers, Miss Rita Jacoby, New Jersey, gave the keynote address, stating, "Our (teachers) primary purpose is to give service to children. If we are to achieve this objective, we as individual members of the profession must constantly strive to improve and increase our professional skills. Equally important is the climate in the school system. Among the factors that contribute to such a climate are manageable class load, time to teach, democratic determination of school policies, and a reasonable degree of economic security. These come as a result of united action by a total profession."

Workshops were held for discussion and planning in seven categories: professional negotiations, ethics, urbanization problems, conditions of work, teacher competence and evaluation, preparing for retirement, and responsibilities of TV teachers.

Among the guests of the conference was Miss Smith, now of Portland, who was national president in 1959. She also was the director of the first Northwest Regional conference to be held.

Dr. Donald W. Statler, supervisor of science, Portland public schools, was the speaker for the closing banquet meeting. In his address "The Challenge of Change," he noted that our survival depends on our attitude toward

change. He added, we must develop a society that can see change and put such into active channels of use; education will be changed drastically in the next ten years if we want to survive, and real civil defense is in the child's mind.

The nation that can gear itself to the acceptance of new ideas in the child's mind and education, and in the least time formulate the most productive uses of its ideas, will prevail in control of the world. A natural scientist who had a natural birth and managed to keep his birthright, his natural curiosity, initiative, and interest in observation, the supervisor said. An optimistic picture of the universe seems to be that it is programmed by the Creator to keep creating life. We are lucky ones on such a planet, he said in closing.

Attending the conference from Jackson county were Alyce Archer and Eitel Jacobs of Rogue River; Zelma Foote and Shirley Drysdale of Central Point; Charlotte Wisely of Eagle Point; Esther Oehring, Otis Hussey, Allene Ingling, Lois May, Cora Neill, Neil McDowell, and Paul Wright, all from Ashland; and Precia Medley, Dora Mae Shepard, Marjorie Votaw, and Maxine Smith of Medford.

Ceramic Vases To Be Awarded At Style Show

Mrs. Herbert Wilson, chairman for the Alpha Rho chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority style show, Cafe de la Fashions to be staged March 9 in Rogue Valley Country Club, also has charge of the decorations. A ceramic enthusiast, Mrs. Wilson has made flower vases to be used as centerpieces and given as prizes to winners at cards during the event.

The style show and luncheon is the chapter's fund raising event for a nurse's scholarship. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. William Kennedy, telephone 779-1440 or Mrs. Gerald McGrew, telephone 773-3170.

A workshop recently was held by the chapter in Mrs. Wilson's home. At a recent meeting in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Smith, 1379 Brookdale avenue, two programs, one on art and one on people, were given. Mrs. Emil Knutson presented the art program with slides showing the various periods of art. The slides were on loan from the curriculum material center.

Mrs. Vernon Craft presented the program on people from the book, "Epic of Man" from editions of Life magazine.

Mrs. Frank Lisika assisted the hostess.

JUICE FIZZ
Mock champagne punch combines apple juice and gingerale. Mix one quart each of chilled apple juice and chilled gingerale. Pour into champagne glasses.



New York-Maraya Manning models an original "pillbox" hat of the Renaissance, made in the sixteenth century of red velvet with rich silver metal embroidery. This hat has inspired designers through the centuries. Mrs. John F. Kennedy, wife of the president, adopted it as her personal preference in 1961 and it has since become identified with her. (UPI photo)

Nothing New in Styles, Says Fashion Historian

By GAY PAULEY
UPI Women's Editor

New York - UPI - There's nothing new in fashion, only new adaptations of the old, says a fabulous fashion historian.

The mink coat can be traced to the first bearskin worn by a cave woman.

As for the new spring hats, they're old hat, says Charles Lederman. Even the pillbox which Mrs. John F. Kennedy has made her personal trademark is ancient — Lederman traces it back to the Egyptian Queen Nefertiti's headdress 3,500 years ago.

Ancient Fashions
More than a dozen of the hats in the Lederman collection of ancient fashions are on display this week at the nineteenth annual National Antiques Show at Madison Square Garden.

They include:
—A pillbox dating to the Renaissance of the 16th century — a red velvet number with rich, silver-metallic embroidery.

—A gold brocade turban 400 years old, examples of which have shown through the centuries including during the reign of Napoleon, when the Empress Josephine adopted it. The turban is a hit hat fashion again for spring 1963.

—A beret from the reign of Queen Mary Stuart of Scotland. The beret has been in vogue for centuries.

—An original lace hat of Martha Washington, dating about 1785. Lederman said the wife of the first President admired the laces worn by the Cardinal Richelieu's court and introduced them as trimming on women's apparel.

Bonnet Hat
—A biege silk bonnet with

flower trimming dating from 1800. Queen Luisa of Prussia liked the bonnet hat. And, another straw bonnet of the Civil War period, 1860.

—An original automobile hat, used to keep milady from being windblown in the early, open cars.

Lederman said Queen Victoria produced the "little hat," flower-trimmed, and the style was favored during her reign. Flowered hats are perennials on the spring scene.

Men's hats are just as old hat, Lederman said. The Puritan hat, which Benjamin Franklin introduced to the French when he was an ambassador, was the forerunner of the Lincoln-type stovepipe and today's top hat.

Fashion History
Lederman, 66, educated in history at the University of Berlin, has been interested in fashion's history since and has been collecting almost since his student days.

European royalty, presidents of countries, have presented him with some of the items in his collection. Others he gathered himself while living in Germany and since he and his wife migrated to America in 1939.

Today, his collection includes 10,000 items from 45 nations. "Fashion above anything else betrays the wishes, dreams and ideas moving a certain time," he writes in his "You and Fashion," a history.

"Dress just as much as art and literature reflect a country's culture," said Lederman, whose collection probably classes as the most extensive one of fashion in the world.

It includes 2,000 years of handbags, gloves, hosiery and hat styles; 4,000 years of fabrics, needlecraft, art needlework, cosmetics, jewelry and table settings. Men's fashions, corsetry, lingerie, beachwear, and children's fashions also are included.

Spanish Gloves
Lederman called the collection priceless — "How can you replace a Spanish glove from the 15th century?" he asked.

It is Lederman's greatest dream that one day his collection can be put on display in total — in a fashion museum where millions could study apparel through the centuries.

Lederman said the Americans contributed the sewing machine, clothes sizing, patterns, mass production and most of the new synthetics to fashion. But he added that the French grabbed, and have held on as the most influential internationally, because during the reign of Louis XIV they "were the first people to realize what a powerful force fashion was to become."

It was then that he mentioned the influence of Mrs. Kennedy on what American women wear.

I asked Lederman why she, as one woman, could set off such a multitude of copyists. "Because," he said, "she has knowledge." The inference was that some of the rest of us do not.

Public Invited To Card Party

Weatonta council, Degree of Pochontas, will sponsor a public card party Friday, March 8 at 8:15 p.m., in the Redman hall on Apple street. Bridge, pinochle and canasta will be in play.

Reservations are not needed, officers announced. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Ben Ashton, Mrs. Leo Mitchell and Clarence Swearingen. A council meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m.

A garlic skin will come off easily if hot water is poured over the garlic bud.

Calendar

Calendar notices and news for the society section of The Mail Tribune must be submitted in writing and deadline for the Sunday edition is 1 p.m. Friday. Deadline for the weekly calendar is 9 a.m. of the day of publication and for week day news is 5 p.m. the day before publication.

Thursday:
6:15 p.m. — Christian Business and Professional Women's Council, Rogue Valley Country Club.

6:30 p.m. — Central Point Presbyterian church, dinner at church.

7:30 p.m. — Mistletoe camp, Royal Neighbors of America, at Pythian hall.

7:30 p.m. — Winchester Extension unit, with Mrs. Donald Coltrane, 1116 Winchester ave.

7:30 p.m. — Roosevelt PTA, at school.

7:30 p.m. — Griffin Creek PTA, at school.

8 p.m. — Phoenix-Talent PTA at school.

8 p.m. — Mothers of Twins, home of Mrs. Ray Schwartz, 1497 South Stage road.

8 p.m. — Adare chapter, Order of Eastern Star, Jacksonville Masonic temple.

8 p.m. — Neighbors of Woodcraft of Phoenix, Phoenix Community hall.

Friday:
11 a.m. — St. Elizabeth's guild of St. Mark's Episcopal church, at church.

1:30 p.m. — Past Presidents of Eagles auxiliary, with Mrs. Floyd E. Lewis, 710 Sherman st.

2:30 p.m. — Oak Grove School PTA, school cafeteria.

2:30 p.m. — Lincoln PTA, at school.

2:30 p.m. — Jefferson PTA, at school.

Hobby Show Announced

Talent — Entries still are open for the third annual hobby show to be sponsored by the Talent Federated Women's club Saturday, March 16 from 1 to 8 p.m., in the Talent City hall, officers have announced.

No entry fees are charged for entering the show and no admission is charged for viewers. Ribbons will be given in various divisions and the show is open to both junior and senior categories.

Those interested in entering should call Mrs. Ray Burnett, telephone 535-1892, or Mrs. Mae Lowe, 535-1421, to make reservations for their exhibit and space.

Several stamp collections and a collection of spoons have been entered. M. E. K. Witt is to enter a coin collection and women have entered handmade and quilted covers, knitting and crocheting. Other exhibits planned are of agate jewelry and plastic and leathercraft.

The Talent club is a member of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs.

Illinois Valley Church Members Complete Study

Illinois Valley-Members of the Immanuel Methodist church concluded a four-week study on "The Rim of Asia," March 3 when a dinner featuring oriental foods preceded the program. Mrs. Edward Oliver had charge of the dinner.

A film was shown to introduce the lesson on Hong Kong. Mr. Oliver led the devotions and Lester Archer conducted the program assisted by Mrs. John W. Smith and Mrs. George Jochim.

Edward Kentfield displayed handcrafted articles purchased in Hong Kong and Mrs. Archer concluded the study with a general summary of the four weeks of study on missions in Korea, Okinawa, Ryukus, Taiwan and Hong Kong.

Nurse Attends Workshop Held For Officials

Mrs. Robert Bass has returned from Portlan, after attending a workshop for officers of the district nurses associations. Mrs. Bass is president of District 4, Oregon Nurses' association.

The workshop conducted by the Oregon Nurses association focused on improvement of patient care through the organized efforts of members of the profession of nursing, according to Mrs. Bass, president of District 4.

"Current legislation, nursing in disaster, the code of ethics for professional nurses, and responsibility of the profession for the quality of practice of its members were among the items under consideration," Mrs. Bass said.

"We need to recruit more young men and women into the nursing profession, but we must constantly seek ways to help nurses meet their obligations to the patient and the community. The role of the nurse is constantly expanding. The knowledge and skills acquired ten years ago no longer meet the requirements of today's practice," the president stated.

The nurses were urged to study HB 1257 which provides for state financial aid to local health departments. "Disease respects no county boundary lines," the nurses were told.

"Optimum health in our state can be achieved only by effective public health programs at the local level. The counties cannot maintain these vital programs without financial assistance."

Twistin' Teens Sponsor Dance

The Twistin' Teens Square Dance club will sponsor a dance Sunday, March 10 at the Country Square on Colver road between Phoenix and Talent.

Dancing will be from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Those who attend are to take food for a potluck lunch. All interested persons, teenage or adults, are invited. Floyd Workman will do the calling.

Art Show Is Opened

Ashland — An exhibit of watercolors and graphics by Bill Colby was opened for public viewing Wednesday in the Britt gallery at Southern Oregon college.

A frequent exhibitor in national shows in Boston, Philadelphia, Portland, San Francisco, Seattle and Washington, D.C., the artist is particularly noted for his watercolors and graphics, the latter including woodcuts, etchings,

serigraphs and lithographs. Mr. Colby, a member of the art department staff at the University of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Wash., has prints in the permanent collection of the Library of Congress, Wichita Art museum, Bradley University, University of Washington, Northwest Arts association, Seattle Art museum, Tacoma Art league and in foreign embassies.



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