

Pythian Sisters Hear Description Of Guest Cruise

Yreka — A talk by Lee Morford and honoring of past chiefs highlighted the last meeting of Pythian Sisters.

Mrs. Ernest Johnson, most excellent chief, conducted the meeting and a letter was read from the grand chief of California about plans for the annual convention which will be held May 19-22. The convention will be attended by the supreme chief of Pythian Sisters, and will be held at the Statler-Hilton hotel, Los Angeles.

Mrs. Lee Morford was elected delegate and Mrs. Pete Schlueter alternate, to represent Aurora temple at the convention.

Eleven past chiefs were escorted and each was presented a corsage. Mr. Morford told the Knights and Sisters of his experiences as one of 12 guests on a week's guest cruise on the aircraft carrier Hornet. There were 2,500 officers and men aboard. The captain, Ellis J. Fisher, is Mr. Morford's brother-in-law. There is every service aboard ship that you might find in a small city, he said, such as doctors, dentists, a post office, hospital, barber shop, chapel with both Catholic priest and protestant minister, and a movie every night.

The planes practiced day and night, landing and taking off from the carrier. At the end of the week the guests were flown back to land and the carrier went on to sea.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Kenneth Bley, Mrs. Wayne Ralston and Mrs. Ernest Johnson. The next meeting will be April 10. The program will be in the Easter theme and a plant sale will be held. Members are asked to bring plants or slips to be sold.

Women's Editor Leaves Today

Mrs. Olive (Bren H.) Starcher, women's editor of The Medford Mail Tribune, left this morning for Portland to attend the 18th annual Matrix Table of The Sigma Phi, national professional honor society for women journalists. Mrs. Starcher has been a member of the group since her sophomore year at Washington State university, Pullman.

From Portland Mrs. Starcher plans to continue to Centralia, Wash., where she will spend a few days with relatives.



The annual membership campaign of Jackson County Civic Music association was highlighted this week by a concert by a group of Spanish dancers and musicians, and a party which followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lusk, 1810 East Main street. Pictured during the reception are (left to right) Mrs. Darrell Huson, association president; Mrs. Herbert M. Cecil, Ashland, chairman of the campaign for that city; and Howard Gang, Medford, Mr. Gang, proficient in Spanish, served as interpreter during the evening since some of the troop

spoke no English. Mrs. Lusk, general chairman, reported this morning that the membership enrollment is going well and reminds music lovers and patrons that the event ends Saturday, April 6. Season memberships are \$8 for adults and \$4 for students. Four or five concerts will be booked. Already signed are the Vienna Boys' choir. One of the best known singing groups in the world, and the Paris Chamber orchestra in France. Headquarters are at the Red Cross chapter house on Hawthorne street.

Daughter Is Mrs. Montana

News has been received by Mr. and Mrs. George Gundlach, Lozier lane, that their daughter, Mrs. Thomas (Gloria) Heggen Jr., of Ekalaka, Mont., has been chosen as Mrs. Montana, and will be the state's contestant in the Mrs. America contest, in Miami, Fla.

Mrs. Heggen will leave for Florida April 22. The contestant is a sister of Mrs. Caesar Muzzioli, 517 Newtown street. The Gundlachs moved to Medford last September.

At Meet

Mrs. John Boyle, president of Providence guild, Sacred Heart hospital, and Mrs. L. W. McDonald, area representative for Providence guild, are attending a meeting of the executive board of the Oregon association of Hospital auxiliaries in Corvallis. The meeting, which opened this morning, is being held at Good Samaritan hospital there.

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 8 p.m. the day before publication.
- Friday — 8 p.m. — Weatanka council, Degree of Pochontas, Redman hall, Apple st.
 - 8 p.m. — Roxy Ann Gem and Mineral club, Girls Community club, 229 North Bartlett st.
 - 8 p.m. — Derby Hoedowners, Derby Community hall.
 - Saturday — 8 p.m. — Nativity shrine, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, Grants Pass Masonic temple.
 - 8:30 p.m. — Open hoedown square dance, Country Square, one mile west of Talent Junction on Colver rd.

Master Point Winners Listed

Al Gilbousen and James Morgan scored 138 1/2 points to win the April 3 Riverside Bridge club master point play. Other winners in the north-south position were Mrs. F. R. Baker, and John Shortridge, 133 1/2; Mrs. G. B. Dean and Mrs. E. K. Ricker, 129; and Mrs. Glenn Harrison and Paul Hatton tied Mrs. H. M. Conroy and Mrs. Jack Mitchell with 125 points.

Footlighters Announce Coming Play

"Five Finger Exercise", by Peter Shaffer a drama with a touch of comedy, is to be the next Medford Footlighters little theater group production, officers have announced. Frank Buchter, long associated with the group, will direct. Dates have been set for April 16 through 20. The play will be given in the group's little theater opposite the Medford armory.

Tickets will be available at Purcklers Piano house, Mann's Department store, the Rogue Valley Art gallery or any Footlighter member. Interested persons are invited to attend rehearsals held Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays at the little theater. An invitation is extended to anyone who is interested to participate in activities of the organization.

Those who want further information regarding the group may contact, Mrs. Max Wimer, telephone 772-5098, or Miss Helen Ashley, 773-2018.

Try a rolling pin and a plastic bag for preparing cracker crumbs. Place crackers in bag, then roll to desired fineness.

Bridge Club Announces Party

Medford Duplicate bridge club members have announced a Pear Blossom Party for Saturday, April 20 when all interested duplicate players are invited to attend. The event will be held at 7:45 p.m., in Girls Community club.

The next master point play will be Saturday, April 13. During the April 2 master point session two sections of players competed.

In Section A, north-south position the winners were Mrs. John Dougherty and George Rode, 130; Mrs. Alto Pruitt and Mrs. Ben Todd, 119; Mrs. R. J. Conroy and Mrs. Frank Baker, 118 1/2; and George Polski and Ray Wise, 115 1/2.

East-west winners in that section were Mrs. William Mansfield and Mrs. L. L. Sawyer, 137; Mrs. and Mrs. J. S. Wolke, Grants Pass, 120 1/2; Gary Peterson and Mr. Mansfield, 115; and Al Gilbousen and James Morgan, 111.

Section B, north-south winners were Paul McDuffee and Richard Finnell, 141 1/2; Mrs. Dolph Phipps and Mrs. E. L. Miller, 132 1/2; Millard Allen, Portland, and Leland Clark, 126; and Mrs. Sam Van Dyke and Mrs. Paul McDuffee, 125 1/2.

Scoring in the east-west position, Section B were Mrs. William Wertz and Mrs. Marvin Slavens, 136; Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Durland, 120 1/2; Mr. and Mrs. Berg Marten, 111 1/2; and W. C. Purdin and William E. Duhaime, 105 1/2.

Local Woman At Session of Peace Group

Mrs. Harlan P. Bosworth Jr., Applegate, was to leave today for Portland where she plans to attend the Northwest Peace conference to be held at Portland State college April 6-7. The conference is being sponsored by the Portland Students for Peace and Portland Women for Peace.

Speakers and panel members will include Mrs. Ruth Gates Colby, expert on the Middle East countries where she lived for a number of years and a former employee of the United Nations agency, UNICEF; Richard Ward, editor of a magazine, Sanity, edited in Wisconsin; Dr. R. H. Nussbaum, faculty member and philosopher, Portland State college; Dr. Franklin Stahl, University of Oregon faculty member; the Rev. Dan Taylor, Portland; Charles O. Porter, former congressman from the Fourth district, and Lester Josslyn, Portland attorney.

Anyone interested in the peace movement is invited to attend.

Autobiography Is Reviewed For Study Club

Ashland — "What Time is the Next Swan," Walter Slezak's autobiography, was the book which Mrs. Frances Hardy chose to review at the Monday afternoon meeting of Ashland Study club. Mrs. Will Dodge was the hostess and Mrs. R. Drew Lamb conducted the business session.

Slezak, known principally for his cinema roles, writes in most hilarious vein of his childhood in Austria. His father was a famous opera singer and his mother, also a talented musician, relinquished fame to become his wife. The family's journeys in Europe and to the United States, their close friendships with such "greats" as Caruso and Marconi, and their exciting adventures are woven into a highly entertaining and sometimes spicy tale.

Against his father's wishes Walter auditioned for a part in the motion picture "Sodom and Gomorrah" directed by Michael Curtiz and at the age of 19 came to this country. New York stage plays followed and then he came Hollywood where he met his wife (to whom he has been happily married for more than 20 years.)

Miss Gertrude Eng opened up many new avenues of information for club members with her half-hour selected subject, "The Romance of Man and Sheep." She showed the interdependence of the two from earliest recorded time and gave a history of sheep herding, processing and uses of woolen, closing her talk with a Basquet shepherd's interpretation of the Twenty-third Psalm.

Of particular interest was the century-old history of the woolen industry in Oregon, first introduced by Joseph Wait, who drove more than 300 sheep across the continent to The Dalles from St. Joseph, Mo. in 1844, and the Ashland Woolen Mills which flourished for many years under the ownership and supervision of ancestors of several of the club members.

The April 8 meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Harry Skerry Jr., 580 Morton street.

Blind to Hold Session Sunday

The monthly business meeting of Jackson Council of the Blind will be held Sunday, April 7, at 2 p.m. in the Southwest District office, Oregon, Commission for the Blind, at 248 East Stewart avenue.

Members are asked to note the change of date for this month's meeting. President L. E. Jeffries states there is important business on the agenda.

Light refreshments will be served by the social committee. Those needing transportation are to call Dorsey Lowe, 772-8938.

BLUE CHEESE DRESSING
Blue cheese dressing complements sliced or diced fresh cucumbers. Mash one cup of blue cheese in about one-fourth cup of olive oil. Blend in one tablespoon each of Worcestershire sauce and lime juice and one teaspoon of tarragon vinegar. Shake well before serving.

Social Events ♦ Women's News



An exhibit of paintings by the child prodigy, Janel Lesing, whose father is a vice-president of the Walt Disney company, is now displayed at Rogue gallery, 220 West Main street. Only 12 years old, Janel has been the subject of much discussion by artists and critics in recent years. Her paintings and drawings show imagination and perception much beyond her years, and in spite of impaired vision, she has already produced a great amount of work. Her paintings have been displayed in many schools, a four-page article in The Saturday evening Post called attention to this unusual artist and she is the first child to have a one-man show at the important Ankrum gallery in Los Angeles. The gallery is open Tuesday through Saturday and hours are from 12 noon until 4 p.m.

To Meet

Nativity shrine, Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, will meet Saturday, April 6 at 8 p.m., in the Grants Pass Masonic temple. Mrs. Wyles Berry, worthy high priestess and Wyleys Berry, watchman of shepherds will preside.

On Leave

Ashland-Miss Judy Minear has been spending a 10-day leave in Ashland at the home of her mother, Mrs. Bert Kinsey, 605 Elkader street. Miss Minear is a dental technician with the WAVES and is stationed at the San Diego, Calif. naval base.

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