



London—Princess Alexandra of Kent is shown above as she rode today to her wedding. The wedding in Westminster Abbey in which she became the bride of Angus Ogilvy was held before Britain's biggest gathering of royalty in this century. (UPI)

Potpourri Sale Includes Old, New Items, Auction

Plans for the local Red Cross chapter Potpourri sale are in the final stages now with the Chapter house the scene of much activity. The sale will be conducted at the Red Cross building, 60 Hawthorne street, Friday April 26 from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m., and again on Saturday, April 27 from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Downtown businessmen had an opportunity to see one of the featured items of the sale in action on Main street yesterday afternoon. Mrs. O. A. Eden, chairman of volunteers, and Red Cross volunteers demonstrated a patio water broom. The broom sweeps and washes the patio in one operation and Mrs. Eden proved its effectiveness in cleaning the sidewalks in front of downtown stores. She stated that it is also excellent for washing shrubbery and the sides of houses. This is a new item ordered especially for the sale and not available through any local retail outlet. Orders for this item have been pouring into the office in advance of the sale.

As the name, Potpourri sale, indicates—a wide assortment of merchandise will be available. New merchandise donated by local merchants, old merchandise, garden and patio accessories, plants, trees, baked foods, furniture and electrical appliances. Merchandise is being sorted and labeled by volunteers and donations are still being accepted. A call to the Red Cross office will bring a volunteer to pick up contributions.

The garden sale will include a variety of plants and trees and garden accessories. Among the unusual trees included in the selection will be Hang Kow contorted willows. Resembling the weeping willow in form, these trees differ in that they have twisted branches and curled leaves.

Bamboo plants, lilacs and an assortment of other shrubs will be on sale, along with flats of plants and potted plants for the home. Plans include many unusual items such as ferns, rocks, herbs, and water bubblers, things not normally found in valley nurseries. Volunteers are experienced gardeners and will be able to offer suggestions to week end gardeners wishing to make selections.

On Saturday afternoon at 3 p.m., an auction will be conducted in connection with the

sale with a new hair dryer, orchid plants, a 1952 Chrysler New Yorker automobile, an Ansco camera and a number of surprise items going on the block. O. J. Brenner will be the auctioneer.

The two-day Potpourri sale is the major fund raising effort of the local Red Cross chapter volunteers for this year with efforts being directed toward meeting the balance of financial need for this year.

Table Settings Speaker's Topic For Sorority

Ashland—Mrs. Westley Van Buskirk was speaker at the meeting of Xi Alpha Kappa chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority, when members were entertained at the home of Mrs. Arthur Kreisman, 455 Liberty street. Her subject was, "Table Settings and Accessories."

Suitability is the keynote to correctness, according to Mrs. Van Buskirk. She suggested various types of appropriate table arrangements including flower centerpieces.

Pottery making from the crude form to delicate porcelain is a world-wide craft dating back for centuries. Oriental artisans were among the earliest makers of beautiful china in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. Western porcelain was made first in Germany than later in England where the names of Wedgwood and Staffordshire have long been famous.

The speaker traced the development of table utensils to modern flat sterling silver and emphasized the importance of choosing silverware of grace, proportion and design. She also touched briefly upon the making of glass and described some of the processes used in Venice and the Far East.

Plans were discussed for the annual Founders day luncheon that is to be held April 27 in the Colony restaurant, Medford. Reservations must be made by April 24 with Mrs. Neil Richardson, telephone 482-3652.

During the social hour at the close of the evening Mrs. Kreisman, assisted by Mrs. Van Buskirk, served refreshments.



Richard D. Werner is director of the Philharmonic Society of Southern Oregon which will present the romantic opera "Martha" at the Medford High school auditorium this week end. Performances will be Friday and Saturday, April 26-27 and tickets are on sale at Mann's Department store and Purucker's Music house. They will also be available at the box office each night. All seats are reserved.

Shasta Valley Garden Club Elections Held

Montague—Mrs. Edward Clement was reelected president of Shasta Valley Garden club at a recent meeting of the organization held in the home of Mrs. Aldee Davis in Little Shasta. Mrs. Ernest Williams assisted the hostess.

Other officers elected were Mrs. W. F. Church, vice president; Mrs. Henrietta Terwilliger, treasurer; and Mrs. Arnold Paul was reelected secretary. Installation of officers will be conducted at the May 3 meeting to be held in the home of Mrs. Terwilliger. The slate of nominees was given by Mrs. Laura Jones, nominating committee chairman.

During the meeting, conducted by Mrs. Clement, considerable discussion was held pertaining to the matter of the Mt. Shasta Garden club affiliating with the Cascade district of California Garden Clubs, Inc., in which the Shasta Valley Club is located. It was recommended that the members of the Evening and Afternoon sections of the Yreka Garden club be contacted to discuss the possibility of combining all Siskiyou county garden clubs into a separate district of its own, but still be affiliated with the California Garden Clubs, Inc. The Weed club is a member of the Cascade district.

Members of the local club received an invitation from the Weed club to attend an installation luncheon Tuesday, May 7. The state convention of the California Garden Clubs, Inc., is to be held at the Hotel El Dorado in Sacramento on May 8 through 11. Mrs. Terwilliger reported on the recent Cascade district meeting held recently in Chico. Mrs. Davis also made a few remarks regarding this session.

Because of inclement weather, the official visit of the district chairman, Mrs. Warren Messner, was postponed. The program for the afternoon was conducted by Mrs. Frank Kouts and Mrs. Williams, who spoke on wild flowers. To augment their talks, they had several specimens of wild flowers on display. Mrs. Di Raver was presented a birthday corsage.

Former Student To Be Speaker

Walter Knight, who as an exchange student for Lewis and Clark college, studied in France for three years, will be guest speaker for Women of Unity, Friday, April 26, at the Unity Church.

The theme for the program is "April in Paris." Mr. Knight will show slides of Paris that he took while living there, and will narrate. The program will be from 1 to 2 p.m.

Miss Sheryl Bramhall will sing two numbers. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Philip Anderson.

Mrs. Edgar N. Terrill, Talent, president of Women of Unity, will conduct a business session at 11 a.m.

The Rev. Katharine Bosworth will give the devotionals.

A buffet luncheon will be served at noon. Hostesses will be Mrs. Dorothy Bowen, Mrs. Everett Wynn, Miss Virginia Ravn, and Mrs. Ray Parker, Ashland.

This is a non-sectarian group, and any woman interested is invited to attend.

Miss Gandt Presented In Recital

Miss Julia Gandt, sophomore at the University of Oregon from Medford, is singing in a recital this afternoon at four o'clock at the school. Miss Gandt, who majors in voice, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Gandt, 1248 Eureka circle, and they planned to be in Eugene today to hear their daughter sing.

Miss Lottie Schuh, harpsichordist who is a graduate student from Houghton college, New York, will accompany Miss Gandt in a group of 17th and 18th century Italian songs. Miss Schuh will also play several selections from the Baroque period on the harpsichord.

Miss Gandt and Miss Schuh will begin the recital with "Vado Ben Spesso Cangiando Loco" by Salvatore Rosa, "Se Wel Ben Sempre" by Alessandro Stradella and "Danza, Danza Fanciulla" by Francesco Durante.

Miss Schuh will play Johann Sebastian Bach's "Partita V in G Major" and "Two Sonatas in E Major" by Domenico Scarlatti. Joseph Haydn's recitative and aria "With Verdure Clad" from "The Creation" will begin Miss Gandt's first group of songs, followed by "Du Bist Wie Eine Blume" by Robert Schumann and "Zueignung" by Richard Strauss. Her second group will include "Musetta's Waltz Song" from the opera, "La Boheme" by Puccini, "Do Not Go, My Love" by Richard Hageman and "Carmena" by H. Lane Wilson.

Miss Gandt is a graduate of Medford High school.

Two Families Visit Hornbrook Woman

Hornbrook—Visitors last week at the home of Mrs. Harry Chapman were Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Murphy of Sacramento, Calif., and their infant daughter, Paula, of Yreka.

The visitors lived in Hornbrook many years ago when he was in charge of the Fall Creek fish hatchery.

Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Earhart of Piedmont, Calif. Mr. Earhart was born and raised in Hornbrook. He and Mrs. Earhart observed their golden wedding anniversary on April 7. They were en route to Albany, Ore., to attend the wedding of a grandson.

Mrs. Roy Terrell Elected Chairman

Derby—Mrs. Roy Terrell was elected chairman of the Derby Home Extension unit at a meeting held April 11 in the home of Mrs. Porter Allen. Mrs. James Hunt was elected vice-chairman, Mrs. Robert Baugh, secretary, and Mrs. Daniel McKeen, treasurer.

Mrs. F. G. Haworth and Mrs. McKeen have charge of arranging the unit exhibit at the annual Homemaker's Festival being held today in Central Point. The group will exhibit projects demonstrated during their first five years as a unit, from 1958 to 1963. Mrs. Ralph Farrington will represent the unit during the Oregon Extension Council meeting to be held in Corvallis, April 29 through May 1.

Couple Visits

Hornbrook—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blanchard were Sunday guests in Grants Pass of his brother, Mr. W. M. Blanchard.

Election Held By Yreka Circle

Yreka—Election of officers was held at the last meeting of Lydia circle, Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church. It was held at the home of Mrs. Ronald Wilson, circle chairman.

Elected to serve as chairman was Mrs. Thomas Brackney; devotional chairman, Mrs. Clyde June, and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Earle Warner. Mrs. Warren Gaubatz will be card chairman.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Robert Buckner. The next meeting will be held May 20th in the home of Mrs.

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