

Gold Hill Unit Plans Ceremony

Gold Hill - New officers will be installed at a meeting of Gold Hill Parent-Teacher association set for tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Multipurpose room of Patrick Elementary school.

They are Mrs. R. R. Kallista, president; Mrs. B. E. Brown, vice-president; Mrs. John Miller, Sams Valley, secretary; Mrs. Ida von Buskirk, treasurer.

This will be the final meeting of the school. All parents of children entering school for the first next fall are especially invited.

The PTA unit will sponsor an achievements and awards dinner Thursday, May 23, at Patrick school. The dinner will honor boys and girls who have excelled in their school work during this year and have been on the honor roll.

Artichokes, the educated thistle, are in plentiful supply from February through May, says the Western Growers association.



Mrs. Reul Riens Jr., (at left) wife of the new exalted ruler of the Medford Elks lodge, and the wives of other officers were honored at a luncheon given last week at the lodge temple by Ladies of Elks. Mrs. Wayne Turpin is the president of the women's group for the coming season.

Marketing Specialist On Staff

Corvallis - Mrs. Velma Seat has been named food marketing specialist for Oregon State university extension service. She replaces Barbara McCandless, who resigned to do graduate work.

Mrs. Seat will work with Mrs. Zelma Reigle Neugart, food marketing specialist directing an educational program aimed at increasing the efficiency of marketing food at the producer, processing and consumer levels.

For the past 3 1/2 years Mrs. Seat has been Washington county extension agent. As part of her extension program she conducted programs for large audiences of homemakers and 4-H club members featuring foods grown or processed in the county. She held a chicken and egg school for two years at the request of the Washington County Egg Producers; holiday schools featuring locally grown foods, and food preservation and freezing schools.

The new extension specialist was born and reared in Washington and was graduated from Washington State University in home economics. While in college she was



Mrs. Velma Seat

elected to Omicron Nu, home economics honorary, and Phi Kappa Phi, scholastic honor society.

For several years before moving to Oregon, she was home economist for Puget Sound Power and Light, the Carnation Company, and

Frigidaire Corporation in Seattle.

Currently a member of both the Oregon and American Home Economics Associations, she served as chairman of two other professional organizations when she lived in Seattle. They were Home Economists in Business and the Electrical Womens Round Table.

Double Children's Bubble-Blowing Fun

To double the children's bubble-blowing fun, stretch a piece of wool cloth over a table. Then show them how to let their soap bubbles come down gently to rest upon this soft surface.

The sudsy globes will remain intact for quite a while, displaying their beautiful iridescent colors.

Orange Cream Frosting is made by mixing together three tablespoons butter with one and three-quarter cup powdered sugar and blending in three tablespoons sour cream, 2 tablespoons orange juice, one-fourth teaspoon vanilla and a pinch of salt.

Central Point Unit To Hold Installation Wednesday Afternoon

Central Point - Mrs. Ron Van Dolah will be installed as president of Central Point Home Extension unit at a meeting Wednesday, May 15, at the home of Mrs. Vincent Swinney, 1478 Spring street, Medford, at 10:30 a.m.

Other officers to be installed are Mrs. Gene Olsen, vice president; Mrs. Lester Wertz, secretary; and Mrs. Ben McManama, treasurer.

Miss Data Hochhalter, county home extension agent, will present the program on wills and estates. She will also be installing officer.

A panel consisting of Mrs. E. E. Reames, Mrs. Vincent Swinney, Mrs. Lester Wertz and Mrs. Ron Van Dolah will report on the recent 1968 meeting of the Oregon Home Economics Extension council held in Corvallis.

Baby sitting is available at the home of Mrs. Roger Carpenter, 3210 North Pacific highway, Medford. All interested persons are invited to attend the meeting.

Low Calorie Dressing
Have you tried this creamy low-calorie dressing? Whip or blend one and one-half cups cottage cheese until smooth; add two tablespoons each of

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By MARGARET SCHULER

Rome - Just as at New Year, the little men in the blue uniforms had all the bottles, and accumulation of revelry cleaned off the streets by seven o'clock the next morning, so did they have the streets cleared of paper the morning the elections began. It is a remarkable feat really, when you think that all Rome was inundated with pamphlets, and that they were swept and carried off in tin cans - swept with little homemade brooms into dustpans, and dumped into the containers. There are no big sweep cleaners in Rome.

The election took two days, beginning on Sunday morning and ending Monday afternoon. It is all over, but the shouting - the shouting of the Communists. At this moment they are parading, wearing red hats and carrying banners, saying "vittoria" (victory).

Prospect Seniors Plan 'Skip Day'

Prospect - The Prospect High school senior class will observe its "skip day" starting Friday. The 11 graduating seniors will drive to San Francisco.

Mrs. Frank Boothby and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Aiken are going as chaperones. The group will be gone three or four days. Prospect high's baccalaureate will take place May 26 and graduation May 29.

know, say it was a protest against Premier Fanfani's leftist policy; his joining NATO, his acceptance of U. S. missile program, and his nationalizing electricity. The big Christian Democratic party did maintain its role as the government party even though it is with a diminished margin.

The Christian Democrats are backed by the church. The Liberals and Neo-Fascists want more individual enterprise, and the Communists claim that if any one can run a leftist government, they can. So that it was the falling out on both ends of the Christian Democrats which caused them to suffer such a let down.

The great increase in Communist vote was around Rome and Bologna, not Calabria or Naples where there is more poverty. Rome is bursting with prosperity. The Communist party is the second largest party in Italy.

Thousands of Italian workers poured into Italy for the elections. Extra trains carried them on leave from their jobs in Switzerland, France and Germany. Election voting is mandatory in Italy, but the government makes it as easy as possible for them. They get free rail fare.

Any of the thirty-four million voters who fail to use their privilege, get police records.

School children must love election time, because they have vacation from the Wednesday before voting to May 2. Voting booths are in the school buildings. May 1 is the labor holiday. No buses, no work on that day.

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