

# Social Events ♦ Women's News

## Central Point Flower Show Is Large Event

Central Point-The scent of roses and song of birds from stereo recordings presented a garden atmosphere as the many visitors to the flower show of the Central Point Garden club last week, entered Jewett school, scene of the show. The theme "Salute to Our Schools" was carried out by artistic designs suggested by school subjects, horticulture of the Rogue Valley and an exhibit featuring the beautification of the Jewett school yard.

This past year members of the sponsoring club studied "Nature's Color Wheel" in all phases of gardening. At this show the values of red stood out predominantly in the many roses, sweet Williams and peonies exhibited. The values of blues were present in the stately delphiniums, bachelor's buttons and larkspurs. The other colors were present in the many other flowers and foliage.

Chairmen of this show under Mrs. Wallace West as president and Mrs. L. C. Gordon as general chairman, were Mrs. Gaston Floux, schedule; Mrs. Steven Benston, staging; Mrs. Eugene Orr, properties; Mrs. Bert R. Elliott and Mrs. R. D. Kay, classification; Mrs. Curtis Hopkins, entries; Mrs. Everett Young, placement; Mrs. C. W. Anhorn, publicity; and Mrs. A. O. Floyd, hospitality.

**Nine Judges**  
Serving as judges were Mrs. O. V. Poe and Mrs. R. T. Nichol of Medford, Mrs. Drew Lamb and Mrs. E. A. Bay of Ashland, Mrs. Hugh O'Connor, Mrs. Scott McKendree and Mrs. Will Blackman, Kinmath Falls, and Mrs. E. C. Schweitzer and Mrs. Earl J. McFall, Tulelake, Calif.

The nearly 400 horticultural entries were in exceptionally fine condition and color because of the cool weather previous to the show. Sweepstakes winner in this division was Mrs. Bert Elliott, followed by the close competition of Mrs. Edith Updike's roses.

Members of the junior clubs, Little Gardeners, West Side Home Improvement club and the Daffy Dills, helped about the show at the tea table and guest book as well as making entries. Those assisting were Misses Marlies Gordon, O'Connor, Susan McCoy, Diane Jantzer, Sandra and Debra Mayfield, Corinne Florey, Louise Herzog, Winniford and Catherine Anhorn.

In the hall bonsai and other patio planters were displayed by the S and H Nursery and a miniature farm and supplies were on display by the Central Point Grange Co-op. These D attractions received special awards.

Colored slides entitled, "Trees, Our Heritage," presented the tree planting project of the club at Jewett school. C. C. Hoover's tree presentations and other local conservation views. This stage and the educational feature, "Plant a Tree," were arranged by Mrs. Bohnert and Mrs. Kay with the assistance of Bill Brewster, principal of Jewett school.

Refreshments were served from a table arranged with white snapdragons and red roses in a silver bowl and lace cloth. Individual tea tables were centered with miniature red schoolhouses on pastel cloths. In charge of the tables and service were Mrs. J. Cornutt and Mrs. Purdy. Pouring during the show were officers from the valley garden clubs—Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Clifton Green of Medford, Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. S. M. Christianson of Gold Hill, Mrs. Green and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Crater, Mrs. O. V. Poe and Mrs.

Leo Thomas of Phoenix, Mrs. C. C. Hoover and Mrs. Ted Flury of Eagle Point and Mrs. Ira Fitzgerald and Mrs. L. C. Cline of Siskiyou district.

**Horticultural Prizes**  
Ribbons for horticultural entries were presented as follows:  
Blue: Mrs. Elliott, red and Mrs. M. Lasher, Medford, yellow.  
White: Olga Johnson, Grants Pass and Mrs. Benston, blue; Mrs. Gordon, red and Mrs. Benston and Mrs. Cliff Green, yellow.

**Parasols**—Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. Floux, blue; Mrs. Purdy, red and Mrs. Floux and Mrs. Green, yellow.  
**Sweet Peas**—Mrs. John Holmer and Mrs. Elliott, blue; Carroll Stevenson and Mrs. Harry Tom, red and Mrs. J. Stevenson, yellow.  
**Dianthus**—Mrs. West, Mrs. Bohnert, Mrs. Johnson, and Mrs. Floux, blue; Mrs. Green, Mrs. T. Wilson, and Mrs. Benston, red; and Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Floux, Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. Anhorn, yellow.

**Heuchera**—Mrs. Floux, blue; Mrs. David Crawford, Grants Pass, red and Mrs. Sturgeon, yellow.  
**Centaurea**—Mrs. Green, blue and Mrs. Benston, red.  
**Larkspur**—Mrs. Elliott, blue; Mrs. Mabel Van Horn, red and Mrs. J. Stevenson, yellow.

**Daisies**—Mrs. Benston and Mrs. Elliott, blue; Mrs. Bohnert and Mrs. Floux, red; Mrs. H. Wallin and Mrs. Johnson, yellow.  
**Evergreen**—Mrs. Elliott, blue; Mrs. Gordon, red and Mrs. Sturgeon, yellow.

**Veronica**—Mrs. Ivan Skyrman, blue; Mrs. Green, red and Mrs. Sturgeon, yellow.  
**Lathyrus**—Mrs. O. T. Wilson, red.  
**Peony**—Mrs. Purdy, blue; Mrs. Arthur Straus, red and Mrs. Hopkins, yellow.

**Papaver**—Mrs. Green and Mrs. Benston, blue; Mrs. Floux, Mrs. Green, red and Mrs. Herbert Sims of Medford, yellow.  
**Melancholia**—Mrs. Floux, blue; Mrs. Green, red and Mrs. Anhorn, yellow.  
**Antirrhinum**—Mrs. Hopkins, blue; Mrs. R. J. Kay, red and Mrs. Anhorn, yellow.

**Campanula**—Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Glen Ward and Mrs. Wilson, blue; Mrs. Green, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. V. Bush of Medford, red and Mrs. Hopkins, yellow.  
**Columbine**—Mrs. Holmer and Mrs. Elliott, blue; Mrs. Sturgeon, red.

**Roses**—Miniature, Mrs. Updike and Mrs. Bohnert, blue; Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. Anhorn, red and Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Updike, yellow.  
**Florida**—Mrs. Bohnert, blue; Mrs. Benston, red, and Mrs. C. Norhouse, yellow.  
**Polyantha**—Mrs. Updike, blue and Mrs. Gordon, red.

**Climy**—Mrs. West, blue; A. D. VanHorn, red and Mrs. Bohnert, yellow.  
**Grandiflora**—Mrs. Updike, blue and Mrs. Straus, yellow.  
**Hybrid**—White and yellow, Mrs. Updike, blue; Mrs. Kay, Mrs. Young, red and Mrs. Benston, yellow; Mrs. H. Hughes, Medford, blue; Mrs. E. L. Wilson, red and Mrs. Updike, yellow; Pink—Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Updike, yellow; Mrs. Updike, blue and Mrs. Gordon, red; Peace—Mrs. Anhorn, blue; Mrs. O. T. Wilson, red and Mrs. Benston, yellow. Any other—Mrs. Bohnert, blue and Mrs. Lasher, red.

**Ris**—Mrs. Bush and Mrs. Wallin, blue; Mrs. Bohnert and Mrs. Ricks and Mrs. Elliott, yellow.  
**Lilies**—Mrs. Sturgeon, blue; Mrs. Bohnert, red.  
**Hemerocallis**—Mrs. Bohnert, blue and Mrs. Kay, red.

**Foxglove**—Mrs. Johnson, blue; Mrs. Sturgeon, red and Mrs. Elliott, yellow.  
**Delphinium**—Mrs. Homer, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Sturgeon, Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. Straus, blue; Mrs. Sturgeon, (2), Mrs. Gordon, (2), and Mrs. Skyrman, red, and Mrs. Young, Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. Wallin, yellow.

**Any other bloom**—Mrs. Green, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Skyrman (2) and Mrs. Straus, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Kay and Mrs. Skyrman, red, and Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Wilson (2) and Mrs. Skyrman, yellow; Mrs. Gordon, (2) and Mrs. Benston, honorable mention.

**Artistic Designs**  
Those entering artistic designs used the usual bowls of metal, ceramic and glass, on bases of rock and wood, but also in this show were used an elaborate German beer stein, a French antique bowl, a blue Wedgewood dish and authentic model dolls from many countries in the social studies section. Winning the sweepstake ribbon in this division was Mrs. Gordon with Mrs. Kay as a close competitor.

Ribbons were presented to designs by the following arrangers: Languages—Design suggesting a Latin race—Mrs. Kay, Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. Holmer.



Mrs. L. C. Gordon (at left) was sweepstakes winner in the artistic designs division of the recent flower show held by Central Point Garden club in Jewett school. Mrs. Gordon, pictured here with Mrs. Arnold Bohnert, one of the show chairmen, was also general chairman of the event. Because of the long, cool spring, flower colors are generally deeper this year and many who attended the show commented on the unusual beauty of the horticultural specimens and arrangements.

Design using a container from France, Germany or England—Mrs. Green, Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. Anhorn.  
**Music and Art**—Free flowing motion, Mrs. Cornutt, Mrs. Floux and Mrs. Shere, Broken rhythm, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Shere and Mrs. Floux, Color from Nature's Color Wheel, Mrs. Kay, Mrs. Skyrman, Mrs. Holmer and Mrs. Cornutt.  
**Social Studies**—Rock in America—Mrs. Kay, Mrs. Floux, and Mrs. Holmer, Geology—Rock container or base, Mrs. Cornutt, Mrs. Sturgeon and Mrs. Green, Black and white with rock accents, Mrs. Shere, Mrs. Charles Jantzer and Mrs. Bohnert.  
**Mathematics**—Round or oval container, Mrs. Holmer, Mrs. Gordon, and Mrs. Leo Ghelardi, Square or rectangular container, Mrs. Floux, Mrs. Kay and Mrs. Shere, Vertical container, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Cornutt and Mrs. Anhorn.

**School Vacation**—Seashore, Mrs. Skyrman and Mrs. Floux, Mountains, Mrs. Skyrman, Mrs. V. Westfield, Ashland and Mrs. Kay, Miniature—Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Holmer and Mrs. Floux.  
**Small**—Mrs. Holmer, Mrs. Kay, Mrs. Gordon and Mrs. Elliott, A design representing a classic from English Literature—Medford Garden Club, Ashland Garden club and Grants Pass Garden club.

**Junior Division**  
The Junior division, under the chairmen, Mrs. Walter Ricks and Mrs. Anhorn, required a separate room to display the 79 entries of horticultural specimens, artistic designs and corsages, plus educational features of conservation posters and essays. Special green ribbons were awarded to James Anhorn for his conservation board of Oregon, featuring Oregon scenery, and to Catherine Anhorn for her special exhibit of growing African violets from leaves. Outstanding Junior exhibitors were Miss Cindy Gordon and Miss Anhorn who each received three blue ribbons.

Ribbons received in the horticultural section were:  
**Annual or perennial bloom**—Brenda Morgan, Anna Thompson and Myrna Young, blue; Mrs. Anhorn, Miss Young and Marilyn Winans, red and Miss Winans and James Anhorn, yellow.  
**Plant rooted in water**—Rick Korner and Marsha Wilson, blue; Tommy West and Andrea Roberts, red and Miss Anhorn and James Anhorn, yellow.

**Potted**—Tommy West and Louise Herzog, blue and Miss Anhorn and Lee Korner, red. One potted tree, Cindy Gordon, blue and Nanette Ferrell, red. Four potted trees, Miss Anhorn and James Anhorn, blue; Jane Ayers, and Miss Roberts, red; Rick Korner and John Fleischer, yellow; and Lee Korner and Miss Wilson, honorable mention.

Ribbons were presented for the following designs:  
**Social Studies**—A foreign country, Sharon Deuel, Mrs. Ferrell, and James Anhorn, blue; Wren Winniford, Brenda Morgan and Sharon Thompson, red.  
**Language**—Diane Jantzer, Marlies Borden and Miss Roberts, yellow and Rick Korner, blue; Anhorn, Susan McCoy and Miss Martha Wilson, honorable mention.

**Science using rocks**, Cindy Gordon, blue; Mrs. Anhorn and Christine Gordon, blue; Marlies Gordon and Miss Wilson, yellow, and Mrs. Ferrell and Miss Herzog, honorable mention.

**Recess, showing movement**—Miss Anhorn and Christine Gordon, blue; Marlies Gordon and Susan Morgan, red; Nancy Holbrook, Miss Ferrell and Miss Wilson, yellow and Miss Ayres and Miss Young, honorable mention.

**Family Attends Graduation**  
Several Medford residents were in Portland last week to attend the University of Oregon dental school commencement exercises when Melvin Morris Johnson, former area resident, received his degree in dental science. He is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson of Jacksonville, and attended Rogue Valley academy.

From Medford were his aunt, Mrs. R. E. Keller; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fjarli and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fjarli. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Fjarli, Los Angeles, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Cate, Eugene.

The graduate's wife is the former Miss Elmina Fjarli, daughter of the Elmer Fjarlis. He plans to enter dentistry practice in Albany, Ore.

**Mrs. John Jacobs Visits Mother**  
Wonder—Mrs. John Jacobs and her daughters, Darlene and Jo-Ella and son John are guests of Mrs. Jacobs' mother at Eureka, Calif. for two weeks.

**Calendar**  
Wednesday  
6:30 p.m.—Phoenix Grange HEC, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hockersmith, 3860 Calhoun rd.  
7 p.m.—Veterans of WWI, auxiliary, Girls Community club.  
8 p.m.—Roxy Ann HEC, Mrs. Beattie Wight, 2347 Howard ave.  
8 p.m.—Round dance lessons, Country square, Talent.

Thursday  
12:30 p.m.—Medford chapter, Blue Star Mothers, Mrs. Frank Gleaves, 1170 West McAndrews rd.  
1 p.m.—Wenonah club, Mrs. Roy Thompson, 3315 Bursell rd., Central Point.  
1:30 p.m.—WCTU, First Presbyterian church fireplace room.  
1:30 p.m.—Jacksonville Garden club, Mrs. A. G. Mottschbacher, 1729 Old Stage rd.

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## Educator Is Speaker For Group

School superintendent of District 6, C. A. Meyer, talked for Jackson County Retired Teachers at the Girl's Community club, Saturday, June 8. Mr. Meyer told of the trip that he made last summer in company with several other superintendents and some college representatives. They visited various schools and inspected their teaching equipment and talked to the teaching personnel. Some of the schools visited were in Norwalk, Conn., Lexington, Mass., and Chicago, Ill.

The schools in the eastern part of the United States receive many grants which the Oregon schools do not, according to Mr. Meyer. Oregon is in need of more money than is available, he declared.

Mr. Meyer thinks that teachers should spend their time entirely with teaching, and not with clerical work and other duties. He stressed the importance of the schools devoted to the training of teachers, and told of the four areas in which the group of visitors was especially interested. The four areas are team teaching, flexible scheduling, intern teaching and teaching aids.

He spent much of his time discussing team teaching, which consists of a leader, who is an experienced teacher, a teacher's helper, and a business executive.

Although some Oregon school districts are poor, the speaker believes that we have nothing for which to apologize. However, he recommends a sales tax, to be earmarked for education.

The hostess for the afternoon was Mrs. Sanford Richardson, who was assisted by Mrs. Ethel Fleischer, Mrs. Jack Terrill, Mrs. Margaret Wilson, Mrs. Hazel Atkins, Mrs. H. P. Jewett and Mrs. Julia Dow.

The group of women sang many old songs. The singing was led by Mrs. Ruth Bolton. Pouring at the tea table were Mrs. Elizabeth Settle and Mrs. Mae Wells.

## Mavis Peters On Trip East; To Visit Here

Jacksonville—Miss Mavis Peters, Tempe, Ariz., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Christianson of Jacksonville, is spending six weeks this summer sight-seeing and visiting friends in the Chicago area and in Washington, D.C.

Miss Peters will arrive in Southern Oregon in August to attend the marriage of her brother, Leland B. Peters, also of Tempe, Ariz., to Miss Betty Carol Young of Medford.

Miss Peters, a graduate of Arizona State university, is employed by Creighton School district in Phoenix as a special education teacher of mentally retarded children.

The Perry Institute is a public day school staffed by teachers from eight different districts and the Arizona Foundation for the Handicapped. Included in the program are pre-school through a self-aid workshop facility. The past school year Miss Peters has had a class of ten, ages 6 through 8, of trainable children.

Miss Peters is a graduate of Jacksonville High school.

**Prospect Club Plans Art Show**  
Prospect—Plans for a Prospect art show to be held August 1 were discussed at a meeting of the Prospect Art Club, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Tucker Jr. in Ashland.

Mrs. Victoria Staley, who is a well-known artist from Eagle Point, was a guest and commented on the pictures as they were exhibited.

A dessert luncheon was served by the hostess, Mrs. Tucker.

The next meeting will be held at the Katy-Did Ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wrigglesworth, July 9, at 1 p.m.

**Derby Dance To Be Friday**  
Derby—The Derby Hoedowners will hold a regular club dance on Friday, June 21, at the Derby Community hall. Dancing will start at 8:30 p.m., and potluck refreshments will be served. Edwin Cavin will call. All square dancers are invited to attend.

**Arrive**  
Ashland—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker, and sons, Steven and Scott, Fullerton, Calif., and Mrs. J. L. Zittercob and daughter, Joy Zittercob, Palm Springs, Calif., arrived Sunday to vacation for a week with Mrs. Zittercob's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Goswick, 1821 Siskiyou boulevard, Ashland. The Goswicks are grandparents of Mrs. Walker.



Miss Joanne Callaghan of Eagle Point, selected to represent the Rogue valley in the annual Miss Oregon contest at Seaside next week, has been busy with wardrobe fittings in recent days. Valley merchants are providing her suits, gowns and accessories, and she is pictured here wearing a white pique suit from Town and Country, White City, and shoes from Parker Woods Leon's store. Miss Callaghan, who will wear this suit for the judges interview, poses at the entrance to the Colony restaurant. Miss Rogue Valley is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Callaghan, 124 South B street, Eagle Point. (Cinematography photo)

## Families Visit Ashland Homes

Ashland—Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Dews and two little daughters visited last week with Mr. Dews' mother and grandmother, Mrs. Ruth Dews and Mrs. Grace Turner, 470 Siskiyou boulevard. They were en route to Victoria, B. C.

Other guests arriving Monday were longtime friends, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stillings of Tucson, Ariz., who stopped in Ashland on their return from visiting a son in Salem.

## Reunion Plans Are Continued

Additional plans have been made for a reunion for members of the 1953 graduation class of Medford High school. It is set for July 13 at 6:30 p.m. at the Rogue Valley Country club.

All members and husbands and wives of members are invited to attend. Further information may be obtained by calling Mrs. Loren Soderlund at 773-3229.

## Couple Honored At Housewarming

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Whitman, 191 Mace road, were honored recently at a surprise housewarming. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Varner, Mrs. John Strawn, the Rev. and Mrs. K. L. Mathewson, Mr. and Mrs. William Barlow, Mrs. Erma Clutter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lemings, Mrs. James Trimble and Gail, Mrs. Nadine Archer and Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Max Pinkard, Mrs. William Snow, Mrs. Henry Snow, and Mrs. Louise MacAbee.

Assisting with the serving were Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Mathewson and Mrs. Trimble. The Whitmans were presented cards and gifts.

## Shower Honors Dorothy Rhymes

Miss Dorothy Rhymes was honored at a shower given June 12 by Mrs. James Kelley at her home on Jasmine road. Miss Rhymes is the bride-elect of Thomas Gallagher and the nuptial mass and marriage ceremony are set for Saturday, June 22, at Sacred Heart Catholic church here.

Table decorations were in the shower theme. Guests at the party were Mrs. Robert Kelsch, Mrs. Thomas Merriman, Mrs. Justin M. Smith, Mrs. Don Wilkinson, Mrs. Duane Gleaves, Mrs. Edmund Setzer, Mrs. Cleo Taylor, Mrs. Jack Moad and Mrs. Alan Keaton. Refreshments were served.

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