

Sorority Announces Awards

Alpha Lambda chapter, Epsilon Sigma Alpha International sorority, won a second place award at the sixteenth annual international convention held last week in Spokane, Wash. The award was given for a poster to promote magazine subscriptions. Those responsible for the poster were Mrs. Kenneth Oliver and Mrs. Chester Peterson, assisted by Miss Lydia Work. Mrs. Delbert Cantrill and Mrs. W. H. Fischer attended from the chapter. Other Oregon chapters which received awards were Beta Epsilon, Portland, education; second, Beta Upsilon, Portland, rushing, third. The Oregon sorority won a third place award in history, and the three area council philanthropic awards all were won by Oregon chapters. Pendleton area, first; Portland area, second, and Eugene area, third. Oregon as a state placed second in philanthropic work. The main project on the state level is aid to the crippled children's hospital school in Eugene which was given over \$11,000 last year through the organization. Campships to Camp Easter Seal amounted to \$875. Most chapter members work with the Easter Seal society in their annual drive. Many chapters sponsor the drive in their counties.



Mrs. Claude Benson (Prism Picture)

Ashland Catholic Church Scene of Wedding Rites

Ashland — Wedding vows were exchanged by Delores Westgaard and Claude Benson June 22 at Our Lady of the Mountain Catholic church. The 11 o'clock double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. William Walsh in the presence of more than 60 guests. Mr. and Mrs. John E. Westgaard, 95 Meade street, Ashland, are parents of the bride. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Benson Sr., Yuba City, Calif. The bride's floor length gown of white Chantilly lace was fashioned with tiered skirt and her fingertip veil, a French import, was held by a tiara of crystal beads and seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white roses and stephanotis. Mr. Westgaard

gave his daughter in marriage. Pastel street length frocks of crystalline in shades of yellow, blue, lavender, green and peach were worn by the bride's attendants. Each carried a nosegay of white carnations with ribbon streamers to match her dress and net hat. Miss Sandra Westgaard was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Judy Eberhart and Miss Peggy Parsons of Ashland and Miss Frances Holmes of Medford, Miss Christine Westgaard, a younger sister of the bride, was junior bridesmaid. Rodney Fuller served as best man and Dale Mininger, Richard Callahan and Robert Nichols were ushers. White gladioli decorated the main and side altars. Miss Marilyn Fellers was the organist. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Fellers were hosts for the reception. For their trip to the coast the new Mrs. Benson wore a three-piece blue suit. Upon their return the couple will be at home at Yuba City. Both are graduates of Ashland High school and during the past year the bride has been a student at Oregon Technical institute, Klamath Falls.

Women Visit Medford Group

Yreka-Ten members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Yreka Methodist church were guests of the Medford WSCS at their regular monthly meeting, Tuesday, June 25 at the church in Medford. The president of the Medford society appointed each guest a sister for the day, to sit with her, help her to get acquainted and take her to lunch which was served at noon in the banquet room. The Yreka members presented a skit entitled "Blue Monday Wash" based on the subject of social relations. Medford members also took the Yreka women on a tour of the church. Those attending from Yreka were Mrs. Hartsel Gray, Mrs. Esther Smith, Mrs. Jim Elsea, Mrs. Donald Donihue, Mrs. Walter Mearns, Mrs. Larry Hennig, Mrs. James Sullivan, Mrs. Fern Van Over, Mrs. Ray Penney and Mrs. Clarence Robinson.

Sacramento Visitors At Cushman Home

Tiller-Trail-Guests of the William E. Cushman of Tiller-Trail are their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Cushman and three children, Sacramento, Calif. The son is employed by the Aero-Jet corporation, manufacturers of missile components. Talent-Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Delsman and daughter, Pat, Vallejo, Calif., spent a week with Mrs. Delsman's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bailey. While here they made a trip to Crater lake.

Garden Wedding Held At Katzenbach Home

Williams-Miss Roberta Lee Katzenbach became the bride of Ronald Norman Webb in a garden wedding held June 12 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Katzenbach, 17610 Williams highway, Grants Pass. The evening double ring ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. Roy Price, pastor of the Williams Community church. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Webb, Powell Creek road, Williams.

The bride was escorted to the altar in front of a rose covered archway by her father. The archway had been built by William Lemon, grandfather of the bridegroom.

The bride wore a gown of white nylon fashioned with lace bodice, scoop neckline, cap sleeves and pleated cummerbund. The floor length skirt was of nylon and net and the back was accent by a tiered bustle. Her single strand of pearls was something borrowed. Her nylon net veil was held by a rhinestone tiara and she carried a bouquet of white carnations and orange blossoms encircling an orchid.

Three Attendants Miss Donna Wiss, Eugene, Alpha Mu sorority sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were the Misses Shirley and Sharon Sowell, cousins of the bridegroom, and Barbara Webb, sister of the bridegroom. They wore ballerina length frocks of nylon lace and net with white accessories. Miss Wiss's frock was yellow and she carried a bouquet of yellow Ester Reed daisies. The bridesmaid's dresses were in pink, blue and green and they carried bouquets of pink, green and white Ester Reed daisies with streamers to match their frocks. Pamela Katzenbach, Medford, served as flower girl for her aunt. She wore a multi-colored frock. Stephen Graham, Medford, was ring bearer.

Larry Webb served as best man for his brother and William and Charles Katzenbach, Medford, brothers of the bride, and Philip Anderson, Murphy, were ushers. Mrs. G. H. Collins played the organ wedding music and Mr. Richard Katzenbach, Grants Pass, soloist Edward Swing, Ashland, played an accordion solo.

Wears Blue

Mrs. Katzenbach wore an Alice blue eyelet dress over taffeta with pink accessories for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. Webb chose a powder blue lace dress with white accessories. Their corsages were pink rosebuds. More than 100 relatives and friends attended the reception which followed the wedding. In addition to the garden flowers, baskets of rhododendrons, roses and white wedding bells decorated the area.

Mrs. Lynn Stone cut and served the wedding cake which she had made and decorated. Assisting with the serving and reception were Mrs. Lee Graham, Medford; Mrs. Percy Sowell, Mrs. A. D. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. A. J. Lindquist, Mrs. Merritt Swing, Miss Cheri Swing, and Mrs. C. O. Booth.

The couple traveled to Miller lake in the Greyback range on their wedding trip. Both are graduates of Grants Pass High school and are students at Oregon State university. During the summer she will be employed at a drug store in Corvallis and he will attend summer school.

Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Webb, Berkeley, Calif., the bridegroom's grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Morris, San Diego, Calif., uncle and aunt of the bride; and Pashang Zand, student from Iran at the Oregon State university who was a week end guest at the Webb home.



Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Norman Webb (Glunz photo)

Anniversary Observed

Central Point-Mr. and Mrs. George H. Davis were honored at a recent open house which observed their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. The event, in the form of a surprise was given by their daughter, Miss Paula Davis, and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Douglas Davis of Ashland. About 70 guests called on the honored couple during the afternoon event which was held in their home at 102 Windsor way in Central Point. The couple was married June 1, 1938 in Delano, Ore., and they have lived in the Central Point area for about 17 years. They are parents of three children, Douglas Davis,

Derwin Davis and Miss Paula Davis, one of the hostesses. For the open house Mrs. Davis wore a white sheath dress and her corsage was of red carnations.

Miss Prather Chosen As Representative

O'Brien-Miss Judi Prather was chosen grand Bethel representative to the District of Columbia for the ensuing year at the recent thirty-ninth annual grand session of International Order of Jobs Daughters in Portland. She was accompanied to Portland by the Misses Judi Prather, Linda Versteeg, Rae Thrasher and Linda Wells.



A Medford High school teacher, Mrs. Paul R. Smith, is serving on the five-member editing committee for the 42nd annual meeting of the representative assembly of the National Education association. Mrs. Smith, a past president of Oregon Education association, left Friday to attend the assembly sessions in Detroit, Mich. (Knackstedt photo)

VFW Auxiliary Members To Hear Convention News

Mrs. B. B. Ramsey and Mrs. Ben Allison, delegates to a convention of the auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars held recently in McMinnville, will give reports on the session at the local auxiliary's next meeting, Tuesday, July 2. The meeting will be held at 8 p.m. in the VFW hall, 42 North Front street.

Mrs. Ramsey is president of the group. Mrs. Edward Face, Prineville, was elected state president at the convention. At a recent meeting of Past Presidents club, held in the home of Mrs. Mary Weber, Mrs. Amy Randle was honored with a shower of birthday cards and gifts. Cards were played and plans were made for a picnic in July to be held in Lithia park, Ashland.

Teacher Serves On Committee

Mrs. Paul R. Smith, Madrona lane, teacher of German at Medford High school, departed from Portland Friday, June 29, to attend the forty-second annual meeting of the representative assembly of the National Education association being held in Cobo hall, Detroit, Mich. Mrs. Smith serves on the five-member editing committee the function of which is to edit the resolutions which may be presented by any of the 800,000 NEA members or any state, county or local association. This year the committee was also mandated to rewrite the platform which states the principles, policies, and goals of the association. The platform and resolutions govern the officers and staff of the association and guide members in their professional activities. From Detroit Mrs. Smith will travel to New York City where she will be a guest of Dr. Jane Day Northrup Ferguson, former Oregonian. Mrs. Smith will visit the Goethe Institute to investigate study abroad opportunities and will also visit commercial and governmental outlets of audiovisual equipment and materials for the instruction of foreign languages.

Doctor, Family To Arrive Here

Lt. Thomas Gail, who recently completed his medical internship in the Balboa Naval hospital in San Diego, is expected in Medford Tuesday with Mrs. Gail and their two sons, Barney and Harvey. They will spend three weeks here vacationing with Lt. Gail's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Budd W. Gail, 416 South Groveland avenue. The Gails will sail from San Francisco July 28 for Manila, where Lt. Gail will be stationed for two years as a naval doctor with the Joint U.S. Military Advisory group.

From Seattle

O'Brien-A guest from Seattle, Wash., at the home of relatives in O'Brien, the James Cookes, and in Kerby, the Ed Cookes, is Michael Cooke. He was graduated from high school this spring and is going on to Arcata, Calif., to visit an uncle, Joe Cooke.

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