

Holds Installation

Installation ceremonies were held recently for the new officers of the American Legion auxiliary, Medford unit.

Those taking office for the coming year are Mrs. Edward McGinty, president; Mrs. W. H. Sutter, first vice president; Mrs. Walter Collins, second vice president; Mrs. Earl Bigalow, recording secretary; Mrs. Ross Minnecl, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles Wiley, treasurer; Mrs. Margaret Kerr, historian; Mrs. Leo Williams, chaplain, and Mrs. Clark Walker, sergeant at arms.

The installing officer was Mrs. William Friend Jr., Grants Pass, District 4 president. She was assisted by the past presidents of the Medford unit, Mrs. H. L. Alford,

Mrs. Herbert Gifford, Mrs. M. W. Jarmin, Mrs. Everett Barlow, Mrs. Edward Leach, Mrs. Leon Haskins, and Mrs. Betty Fichtner.

Visitors from Ashland, Central Point, Grants Pass and Jacksonville attended. Mrs. Bigalow was presented a black onyx president's pin.

Mrs. McGinty announced her chairmen for the year. They will be Mrs. Alford, Americanism; Mrs. H. C. Goldsmith, child welfare; Mrs. Collins, civil defense; Mrs. Gifford, community service; Mrs. Fichtner, constitution and by-laws; Mrs. Haskins, education and scholarship; Mrs. Walker, girls' state; Mrs. Barlow, junior activities and Pan American; Mrs. Jarmin, legislative; Mrs. Sutter, membership; Miss Laura York, national security; Mrs. Bigalow, past presidents; Mrs. A. O. Floyd, poppies; Mrs. Minnecl, publicity; Mrs. McGinty, radio and TV; and Mrs. Leach, rehabilitation.

Following installation refreshments were served.

Scholarship To Be Given

Roxy Ann Gem and Mineral club will hold its annual potluck dinner at TouVelle State park Friday, July 12, at 6:30 p.m.

A short business meeting will be held, at which time the name of the winner of the Camp Hancock scholarship award will be announced and the check presented to a local boy.

The scholarship, an annual award, is given to the boy who submits the best letter on why he wants to attend the two week camp. The camp, held in eastern Oregon, is sponsored by the Oregon Museum of Arts and Science and instructs youth in mineralogy and geology.

Women Return From San Francisco Trip

Mrs. Bertha Neff, 811 Bennett street and Mrs. Hazel Rawles, 345 Apple st., have returned home following a vacation trip to San Francisco, Calif. While there, they attended the Ice Follies, toured Golden Gate park and visited many points of interest.

Visit Ashland Area
Ashland - Mr. and Mrs. Noel Deets and three children of Redmond were among holiday week end visitors in Ashland. They formerly made their home here.



The Oregon Shakespearean Festival company actors were entertained at a recent dinner served at North's Chuck Wagon restaurant. Among them were (left to right) Fred Chapman, Daniel Hoppe and Judy Hoppe. Mr. Chapman will play Dull in "Love's Labour's Lost" and Mr. Hoppe has been cast as Paris in "Romeo and Juliet." Mrs. Hoppe is a newcomer to the festival and has drawn the part of Mistress Page in "Merry Wives of Windsor." (Classic photo).

Houseguests

Ashland - Mr. and Mrs. James L. Newell, Altadena, Calif., arrived the first of the week and are guests at the home of Mr. Newell's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hulbert, 950 Garden Way. The Hulberts moved to Ashland last year from Whittier, Calif.

If some of your outdoor picnic guests are very young, provide poncho bibs to take care of accidental spills.

More Students Said Using 'Pay-As-You-Learn' Plan

New York - College students in increasing numbers will be studying on a "pay-as-you-learn" basis this fall as educational financing programs diversify and thereby open the doors of more of the nation's educational institutions to talented but financially strapped youths, according to a recent study.

"The drive toward higher education, spurred by the dire need of business, industry, government and science for college-trained personnel, is bringing to the college campus more students whose families require some form of financial assistance," said Robert J. Keir, president of The Tuition Plan, Inc., the pioneer and largest firm in the field.

Other factors behind the increase in the use of installment financing of educations are population growth and soaring college costs, Mr. Keir said.

The tuition plan, which has financed education for thousands of students since its founding 25 years ago and currently works with more than 600 schools and colleges, recently diversified its operations through the founding of Tuition Plan of New Hampshire, Inc., based in Concord, N.H. This plan operates nationwide, providing installment financing directly to parents to cover tuition and related costs in any approved school in the United States.

"Under this new plan, if the selected school does not already offer our established tuition plan through its catalog, parents may make direct application to the Tuition Plan of New Hampshire, Inc.," Mr. Keir said. Mr. Keir is chairman of the new firm, which, like its affiliate, is a

subsidiary of C.I.T. Financial corporation.

"As the babies of the post-World War II years reach college age in the next few years, the financing of education costs is expected to expand tremendously," Mr. Keir said.

Rise in Enrollments
Americans borrowed close to \$600 million for tuition and other college expenses during the 1962-63 academic year, according to recent estimates. In the 1957-58 academic year, student financing totaled about \$115 million, Mr. Keir noted.

Mr. Keir pointed out that 4.2 million students sought degrees this past year in the nation's colleges compared with 3.9 million a year earlier and 1.5 million in 1934-40. In addition, he said, the U.S. office of education reports that more than 50 per cent of the 1963 high school graduates had definite plans to enter college, compared with only 15 per cent in 1940.

Rise in Cost
"While the cost of living has roughly doubled since 1940, college costs have more than tripled during the same period. Many parents sending children to college for the first time are shocked when they discover the over-all cost," Mr. Keir said.

A freshman entering a private college last fall faced four-year costs averaging \$11,200, according to current estimates. This outlay compares with \$3,700 in 1940 and \$6,300 in 1950. These figures include tuition, board and room and such expenses as laundry, clothing, books, travel and recreation.

Similarly, a student who entered a state college last fall will pay about \$8,300 for his four years of education compared with \$2,600 in 1940 and \$6,200 in 1950.

Company

Ashland - Houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brown, 393 Granite street, have been their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Anderson and two children of Portland, and Mrs. Brown's nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Barr, Santa Monica, Calif.

Visits Parents

Ashland - Lt. Bruce Skibby and Mrs. Skibby are visiting with the lieutenant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Skibby, 611 Beach street. The Naval aviator is on leave before reporting for duty at the Pacific Missile Range facility, Kwajalein, Marshall Islands.

To Convention

Ashland - Mrs. John Scott Hall, president of Ashland auxiliary to the Guy Applewhite post, American Legion, will attend the state convention to be held in Pendleton. Delegates will be Mrs. Paul Proudfoot, Mrs. Emil Kroeger and Mrs. Ed Conover.

Tabers Visit

Ashland - Mr. and Mrs. William Taber, Burlingame, Calif., visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones, 151 Gresham street. Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Taber have been friends since childhood.

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