

## Twenty Inducted Into New Offices

Rebekah Chapter Holds Formal Installation Before Large Crowd Thursday

Before a large crowd in the IOOF hall on Thursday evening, January the fourth, the new officers for Prosperity Rebekah lodge were inducted into office by Mrs. Martha Baker, district deputy president, and Mrs. Harriet Estes, the installing marshal.

The other installing officers for the evening included Miss Katherine Ess, Mrs. DeeVee Stinton, Mrs. Marguerite Wiard, Mrs. Alfredo Steinmetz, Mrs. Mary Harrison, Mrs. Anna Bean and Mrs. Core Kennedy.

Assisting with the ceremony and presentation of gifts and flowers were Mrs. Lina Moteschbacher, Mrs. Maude Shuey, Mrs. Frances Munnell and Mrs. Frances Kangas.

Those who will serve the lodge in their respective offices for the coming six month's period are Mrs. Kate Hogue, noble grand; Mrs. Madge Coan, vice grand; Mrs. Alice Goeller, recording secretary; Mrs. Nellie Wattenburg, financial secretary; Mrs. Sadie Rand, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Ginsbach, musician; Mrs. Charlotte Martin, chaplain; Mrs. Myrtle Hart, past noble grand; Mrs. Lucille Helfer, warden; Mrs. Myrtle Finley, conductress; Mrs. Nina Beck, inside guardian; Mrs. Laura Uerling, outside guardian; Mrs. Jennie Hurn, right supporter to noble grand; Mrs. Effie Redkey, left supporter to noble grand; Mrs. Lula Hill, right supporter to vice grand; Mrs. Addie Sandell, left supporter to vice grand; Mrs. Harriet Estes, captain; Mrs. Martha Baker, district deputy president; Mrs. Lina Moteschbacher, press correspondent and Miss Lillian Redkey, chairman of banquet committee.

Adding to the impressiveness of the evening was the presentation of flowers and gifts to the various officers as tokens of appreciation. The noble grand, Mrs. Hogue, was given a beautiful bouquet of red roses, and the vice grand, Mrs. Coan, was presented with a lovely necklace. A gift to the outgoing noble grand was a cyclamen from Mrs. Margaret Smith and Mrs. Margaret Belden.

A necklace was a gift to Mrs. Estes from the district deputy president, and gifts were presented to each of the installing officers. Mrs. Lund presented Mrs. Goeller, Mrs. Wattenburg and Mrs. Coan with sweet pea bouquets.

### THURSDAY CONTRACT CLUB MEETS

The Thursday Contract club met January the fourth at the home of Mrs. Clara McPherson in St. Francis park. Luncheon was served by the hostess to Mrs. Eva Jones, Mrs. Pearl Yorkland, Mrs. Beulah Aree, Mrs. Bertha Hewitt, Mrs. Edeline Schupp, Mrs. Myrtle Dunham and Mrs. Stella Dryden. Contract scores were given. High to Mrs. Jones, second high to Mrs. Aree and the traveling prize to Mrs. Dryden. The club will meet again January the eleventh at the home of Mrs. Bertha Hewitt on Manzanita street.

The homemaking committee of the Women of the Moose held a regular meeting Friday afternoon, January the fifth, in KC hall with a pot luck luncheon. There were sixteen members present at the meeting. It was voted each member of the committee to draw for a "silent sister" for the year 1940. Each member is to bring a child's apron to the next meeting to be sent to Mooseheart.

## "Ramona" To Be Read

Miss Van Cleave To Be Presented at Church Thursday

Miss Naomi Van Cleave of Woodburn, Oregon, will present the story of "Ramona" at the Presbyterian church Thursday evening, January the twenty-fifth, at eight o'clock. In her original abridgment of Helen Hunt Jackson's famous novel, Miss Van Cleave presents the four outstanding episodes in the life of Ramona, the beautiful half-breed who, though brought up on a spacious Spanish estate, finally chose the life of her own people by marrying a proud full blooded Indian.

Misfortune and the death of Ramona's husband, Alessandro, are vividly portrayed. Finally she is rescued by her childhood friend, Felipe. It is a simple story, yet with a poetic and dramatic sweep that is irresistible, turning back the pages of history to the transition period of southern California when the "gringo" came, armed with the authority of legal documents and guns, to end forever the idyllic, pastoral era when the Spaniards held kindly sway.

Miss Van Cleave is a graduate of Wheaton college, Wheaton, Illinois, where she was the expression pupil of Florence M. Cobb. Her reading was first given as her graduation recital there.

Indian love songs appropriate to the evening's theme will be sung by local musicians. Tickets may be obtained at the door, through members of the Presbyterian social study group, or at the chamber of commerce.

### SIMMERS HOME SCENE HOLIDAY PARTY RECENTLY

KENO — During the Christmas holidays Mr. and Mrs. Ross Simmers entertained with a turkey dinner for members of the Oregon Hill Billies orchestra and other friends. Guests were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gordon; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Corbell; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Colley; Miss Duncan; Miss Blair; Buster Gordon; Frank Niles; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moore; Mr. and Mrs. George Klemens; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Putnam; and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Waybrant.

Evergreen and Christmas bells were used for decoration. The guests played 500 and pinochle. Mrs. Monte Moore took high prize in pinochle, Mrs. Colley took low. High prize in 500 went to Mrs. Gordon, low to Mrs. Martin.

Members of the orchestra presented Mr. and Mrs. Simmers with a beverage set.



OFFICERS OF PROSPERITY CHAPTER

Grouped about the chair of the presiding officer in the IOOF hall are the new officers of Prosperity chapter of the Rebekah lodge who were formally installed at a Thursday evening ceremony, January the fourth. In the back row, from left to right, is Mrs. Sadie Rand, Mrs. Effie Redkey, Mrs. Martha Baker, district deputy president and installing officer; Mrs. Harriet Estes, Mrs. Kate Hogue, noble grand; Mrs. Madge Coan, vice grand; Mrs. Lula Hill, Mrs. Addie Sandell, Mrs. Myrtle Hart and Mrs. Nellie Wattenburg; from left to right in the front row are Mrs. Nina Beck, Mrs. Mary Ginsbach, Mrs. Laura Uerling, Mrs. Alice Goeller, Mrs. Charlotte Martin, Mrs. Lucille Helfer, Mrs. Jennie Hurn and Mrs. Myrtle Finley, also among the new officers, were unable to be present for the installation.

### MISS BRINSON BECOMES BRIDE OF O. BASTIANI

Miss Copra Brinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brinson of Medford, became the bride of Mr. Otto Bastiani shortly after the nine o'clock mass Sunday morning, December the thirty-first, at Sacred Heart church.

The bride wore a fitted suit of black wool with a white satin blouse, a small black hat with shoulder veil. Her corsage was of rosebuds and lilacs of the valley.

Miss Lois Brinson, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and best man was Mr. Dino Bastiani.

The groom is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sari who entertained with an Italian dinner at the Lucca cafe following the ceremony.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bastiani, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brinson, Miss Lois Brinson, Mr. and Mrs. Dino Bastiani, Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carruthers, Mrs. Marina Sari, Miss Renata Sari, Mrs. Emilie Buzard, Mr. James Brinson, Mr. H. David, Mr. Dominic Frazer, Mr. M. A. Rapalli, Mr. Ernest Cambonih, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Sari.

Following a wedding trip to San Francisco the young couple will make their home in Altamont where they have a new home under construction.

### AUXILIARY HAS MEETING ON THURSDAY

The Eagles auxiliary held a regular meeting Thursday evening at the Eagles hall with Madam President Annette Hall presiding. All members who have been ill were reported improving including Hazel Sladin. There will be a regular initiation of candidates Thursday evening and refreshments will be served after the meeting. Pinochle parties are given every Tuesday afternoon for the public in the Eagles hall. It was announced that the drum corps would start practicing Tuesday evening at seven o'clock at Balgier's.

### HOIE-KELLAR

On New Year's eve in the First Presbyterian church and in the presence of a large group of friends, a ceremony took place at nine o'clock, when Mr. Clarence Irvin Hoie and Miss Margaret Louise Kellar, both of Klamath Falls, were married. A sister of the bride, Mrs. Chester L. Ellis, was maid of honor, and the best man was a brother of the groom, Palmer Hoie. The single ring was used. The couple, after a brief honeymoon, are to reside at 2424 Darrow street. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Hoie, Mr. and Mrs. Chester L. Ellis and Kenneth Ellis, Lester Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bodenhamer and Jean Bodenhamer, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Bodenhamer, Mr. and Mrs. Homer G. Stiles, Miss Pearl Peery, Mr. and Mrs. John Franks and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Williams.

The Thimble club of Neighbors of Woodcraft will meet Tuesday, January the ninth at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ellen Ely on Nevada street. The regular business meeting will be held with election of officers. Pinochle will be played following the meeting. All members and friends are invited to attend.

### WEED COUPLE MARRIED IN DUNSMUIR

WEED—Mrs. Gertrude Musalem and Darrell Papst, both of Weed, were married at the Lutheran church in Dunsmuir on Saturday.

The attendants were the bride's sister, Miss Freda Schneider of Medford, and the groom's father, Frank F. Papst of St. Shasta.

The bride wore a blue frock and her flowers were white gardenias.

Miss Schneider wore a black dress trimmed in pink with a corsage of red rosebuds.

The couple is well known in Weed. Mr. Papst is the manager of the California Oregon Power company office here. Many friends wish them happiness.

### LODGE GROUP HAS BUSY WEEK IN JANUARY

The Women of the Moose sponsored a public card party Friday afternoon, January the fifth, in KC hall with eight tables at play. High score was held by Mildred Bickers, second high by Mrs. Bakken. Guest prize was awarded to Mrs. Crapo. Refreshments were served at the close of the play.

### STALLINGS-IRVIN

A quiet ceremony was read at the home of Rev. Arthur Charles Bates of the First Christian church on Sunday afternoon, December the thirty-first, at two o'clock when Miss Mary Katherine Irvin and Mr. Ward Allen Stallings were married. Attendees were Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Namitz.

Neighbors of Woodcraft will hold the next regular meeting in the KC hall Monday evening, January the eighth at eight o'clock. All members are urged to attend. The juveniles of Woodcraft will meet at four o'clock, January the eighth, in the KC hall for their business meeting.

The Women of the Moose are to meet in regular session Tuesday evening, January the ninth at eight o'clock in KC hall with Senior Regent Blanche Dixon presiding. Committee chairmen for membership, publicity, Mooseheart, Moosehaven and library are to make their reports.

The ritualistic committee is to hold a regular meeting Monday evening, January the seventh at half past seven o'clock at the home of Oaple Blehn on Lakeshore drive. All members are asked to be present.

The alumni committee held a regular meeting Wednesday afternoon, January the third, at the home of Blanche Dixon with twelve members present. Cards were enjoyed by the group. High score was held by Marie Peterson, second high by Bertha Hewitt.

### PETRASEK-PERRIN

Miss Zola Mae Perrin became the bride of Mr. Paul Petrasek of Malin at a simple church ceremony read at half past eight o'clock Friday evening, December the twenty-ninth, in the First Christian church with Rev. Arthur Charles Bates reading the service. Twenty-five guests attended the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Petrasek were the couple's witnesses.

## Among the New Books

At the City Library

By MRS. EMBERT FOSSUM

THE SILENT DUCHESS, by Anne Green—This is a historical novel which tells, in the first person, the life story of a member of the French aristocracy during the last half-century before the revolution, ending with an account of the trials and tribulations of the duchess under the terror. From a historical standpoint, one can hardly quarrel with Miss Green. The amount of material which she must have digested is staggering to contemplate, and the deft, charming use which she has made of it is wholly admirable. She has aped the tone of the eighteenth century memoirs to perfection. All this is very fine, but the fact remains that the movement of the story is stiff and formal, and the action is as slow as a heavily ornamented coach on an ill-kept road. It's too good a story to bore you, but it is definitely not the story with which to kill that idle two hours.

INCREDIBLE ERA, by Samuel Adams—This is a biography of Warren G. Harding, which is at the same time a study of American politics in the era beginning with the World war and ending with the death of Harding. This book provides an appalling account of the failure of good natured mediocrity to weather great responsibilities. It is, of course, a thoroughly unavailing story, not only because of Mr. Harding's personal indiscretions, but more importantly because of the lurid light thrown on men of position who should have been above such scandalous actions. Mr. Adams tells the story dramatically and well, though it could do with a bit more coherence and continuity. But that this is an honest attempt to evaluate and comprehend an interesting period in American history, there can be no doubt. It is a period that does us no credit.

Following dinner cards were enjoyed. Guests included Mr. George Brown, Mr. Joe Clark, Mr. Richard Muskopf Jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Muskopf, Miss Dorothy Jondahl, Mr. Mel Muskopf and Mr. Fischer.

FRYER-HALL

Mrs. Laura Ellen Hall and Mr. Loren Albert Fryer, both of Merrill, were married late Thursday afternoon in the study of Rev. Arthur Charles Bates of the First Christian church. Attendees were Mrs. Harriet Ballie and Mrs. Elizabeth McCall. Mr. and Mrs. Fryer left immediately for Sacramento on a wedding trip. They will make their home in Merrill.

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and the book brings home to us the sins of omission and commission committed by the voters of this country.

MOMENT IN PEKING, by Lin Yü Tang—Another book by the scholarly Chinese, this time a chronicle of life in China from 1909 to 1938, as evidenced in three wealthy upper middle class Chinese families. Beginning with the exodus of the Yao family from Peking at the news of the Boxer rebellion, the narrator follows in detail the lives of the members of all three families, down to the epic flight of China's millions to the interior in 1938.

This is really an unique literary achievement for it is the quintessence of Chinese life. It is a remarkable panorama—so full of people, habits, architecture, customs, relationships, that it is impossible not to absorb something of China in the reading of it. It must be read slowly—dashing from cover to cover of this book is about the only way I know that its effect can be ruined. For it is vividly told, the author is skillful in depicting scenes of dramatic intensity as those of routine charm.

CARIBBEAN TREASURE, by Ivan Sanderson—After a busman's holiday-honeymoon in the West Indies, the author, an English zoologist, and his wife, spent most of the year 1935 in Dutch Guiana, making frequent trips into the jungles to collect specimens and study the habits of wild animals. The book is in three parts, from Trinidad, through Haiti to Surinam. Mr. Sanderson is a distinguished scientist and a gifted artist (the animal illustrations are part of this book's charm), and he can be considerably more entertaining about animals than I would have believed anyone could be. The naturalist will, of course, find "Caribbean Treasure" very edifying, but it's far more than a treatise for the learned. It's imaginative and exciting, and Mr. Sanderson's sense of humor adds considerably to the enjoyment of his book.

Unless we are ready to accept complete totalitarianism, I believe that an American health program should operate from the periphery toward the center. —Dr. Nathan B. Van Etten, president-elect, American Medical association.

### BOWLING TEAM ENTERTAINED BY FISCHER

Mr. Claude Fischer entertained members of his bowling team at his home, 735 Mitchell street, on Wednesday evening when his mother, Mrs. Mary Harrison, served a turkey dinner at half past five o'clock.

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## Wise Woman Knows How to Choose Hose With Eye for Economy and Good Looks

By DOROTHY PRICE

It's a wise woman who knows how to choose her hose with an eye to her pocketbook and a flare for pleasing the masculine eye.

If you've been spending a neat percentage of your clothing budget for hose with a hazy idea of the meaning of such terms as gauge, weight, standard length, circular knit, fashioned, and full-fashioned, then it's high time that you take yourself in hand and absorb "hosiery facts" like the proverbial sponge.

That mysterious word "gauge" may have been puzzling you, but take heart, fair lady; it simply means the number of needles on a certain portion of the "needle bar" of a knitting machine. High numbers may mean finer construction, but not necessarily better wearing quality. Think twice before you consider buying hose with an extremely high gauge at a very low price. Something has been sacrificed.

Stockings with a high gauge, 52 to 58 loops, may have a place in your wardrobe if you need an extremely fine hose, but 45 to 52 loops are of good quality and are actually stronger and better wearing. 39 to 44 loops tell you that the manufacturer was probably skimping on silk.

Weight is determined by the number of threads used. A recent survey revealed that the average sheer two thread stocking has a life expectancy of ten wearings. Three thread hose were discarded after eighteen wearings, four thread after twenty. Obviously the number of threads has a bearing on stocking longevity.

Fortunately, women aren't all the same height. Yet, for economy's sake, some manufacturers make all stockings the same length. Buying the "long stockings in the box" is little assurance of your obtaining true length because hose of this type have been "boarded" or stretched. Back they go to the standard knit length of 30 inches after a few washings. Your only assurance of a 28 inch short length or a long length of 33 inches is to buy hose actually knit those measurements.

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The German race—that is our faith. It has higher rights than all others. —Dr. Robert Ley, head of German labor front.

God could suppress all war mongers in an instant but He does not do so. —Michael Cardinal von Faulhaber, archbishop of Munich.

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DECEMBER BRIDE

Miss Cora Brinson became the bride of Mr. Otto Bastiani on Sunday morning, December the thirty-first, at Sacred Heart church. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at Lucca's cafe for twenty guests.

—May King



● The milk that is delivered to your door step bright and early every morning is wholesome, sweet and nourishing because it is FRESH and sealed in a sanitary bottle.

● The loaf of TRIPLE "T" that you get from your grocer today is equally fresh and wholesome. It can't be otherwise because it is made of only the finest ingredients, scientifically baked, with all of its tempting aroma and flavor sealed in. If you want GOOD bread that stays soft and fresh, ASK FOR TRIPLE "T".



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Romance lived and Cupid cut a rug when word came out of Boston, Mass., of the engagement of blonde Betty Hutton, above. She's the hi-de-ho songstress and she'll marry Teddy Powell, swins hand leader.