

Soroptimists Honor President

Women in Defense Keynote of Talk by Mrs. Bennett; Anniversaries Observed

What women will be expected to do in national defense was the keynote of a talk Friday evening by Jean Bennett of Washington, D. C., national president of the Federation of Soroptimist clubs, who was complimented by the Klamath Falls club and members of the Venture club at an anniversary dinner at the Willard hotel. Mrs. Bennett was introduced by Ida Monyer Odell, a past president of the local club, and Ruby Lyle who is now serving as president, presided at the speaker's table.

"We've seen the handwriting on the wall and it cannot be ignored," stated Mrs. Bennett. "Women of this country must be united in their efforts to face the national crisis."

The speaker told of plans being shaped by the federation in conjunction with other women's federations in order that a finger may be placed on the exact person required for a certain job, the woman best able, through past experience, to fill that job; and of the importance of cooperating with other organizations already prepared for emergency work, such as the Red Cross and Bundles for Britain, instead of striking off into new fields of endeavor that are unorganized.

"Many of us would like to do something spectacular," she said, "but I believe the best thing to do at present is to keep on efficiently with one's own work."

Mrs. Bennett pointed out the importance of women keeping informed on events. "Know what's going on and take a hand in it," she urged. "Don't be like a little French woman who said that France didn't want to give in to Germany but the French people didn't know what was going on."

The president stressed the home as the first line of defense against communism or any other undermining influence, asking that there be more love and more laughter within the home. And she pleaded for teamwork in industry "where patriotism has been made to look a little lopsided."

"Our forefathers depended upon God; we depend on about everything and everyone else—disregarding too greatly our spiritual needs. The United States builds a wall of defense but does it build character; does it build men and women who will pull together? Is this thing called democracy worth working for—worth fighting for? As loyal Soroptimists and loyal Americans liberty and faith should be our theme song. Let us get ready for the good days ahead!"

Mrs. Bennett who is founder and director of the Children's Emergency Home and Camp Bennett and is superintendent of the Central Union Mission in Washington, has been on a presidential tour since April the thirtieth, visiting Soroptimist clubs in Canada, the central and south-central states and California. She left on the Friday evening train for Portland and from that city will go on to Washington and western Canada, followed by visits to Idaho, Denver, Nebraska and numerous other points en route east. She remarked on the huge snowdrifts that she saw at Crater lake Friday afternoon and said that they were certainly something to write home about, and that while the lake may not have presented its most sparkling smile for her, it was a most beautiful sight.

In behalf of the club, Clara

Shaw presented a gift to Mrs. Bennett as a memento of her visit to Klamath and urged that upon her return to Washington, "please tell everybody that Crater lake is in Oregon."

This dinner meeting was a double event, not only in that it honored the national president, but observed the third anniversary of the founding of Soroptimism in this city and the first anniversary of the Venture club. A large, decorated birthday cake was cut and served by Miss Dorothy O'Sullivan, president of the Venture club, and two numbers were sung by the Venturists.

Table and room decorations were most outstanding. Centering the speakers table was an oblong white bowl of white, yellow and rich blue calla lilies, flanked by tapers of the same shades. Smaller bowls of these lilies and lighted tapers were used on each table, and adding to the colorful note were yellow rose nut cups and a corsage of a single yellow rosebud and forget-me-nots at each place. On the fireplace mantel was a white ship under sail, surrounded by purple bachelor buttons and yellow roses. These flowers were also used on the top of the piano. Sylvia McClelland and Sophie Kenoffel, in charge of the decorating, were complimented for the lovely arrangements. They were assisted by Mrs. Pearl Schultz and Miss Lois Schultz.

CARD CLUB ENJOYS PLAY AT HALL HOME

The Lucky Thursday Pinochle club met June fifth at the home of Miss Nona Hall on East Main street. Dessert was served at one o'clock to Mrs. Katherine Evans, Mrs. Kathryn Billings, Mrs. Mary Martin, Mrs. Florence Young, Mrs. Nettie Good, Mrs. Vera Good, Mrs. Louise Borton, Mrs. Fannie Goddard, Mrs. Helen Wardle, Mrs. Estella Smith, Mrs. Maggie Upton, and a guest, Mrs. Kate Crowson.

Awards went to Mrs. Vera Good, and second to Mrs. Nettie Good, traveling to Mrs. Upton, and low to Mrs. Evans. The club will meet June nineteenth at the home of Mrs. Kate Crowson, 2243 Darrow avenue.

CONTRACT CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. HEWITT

The Thursday Contract club met last week on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Bertha Hewitt on Darrow avenue with luncheon served followed by bridge. Honors went to Mrs. Schupp, high, Mrs. Dryden, second, and Mrs. Dunham, traveling. The group will meet Friday, June thirteenth, at the Schupp home on Alameda street. The date was changed due to a meeting of the Friendship club on that day.

Playing were Mrs. Doline Schupp, Mrs. Emma Martin, Mrs. Eva Jones, Mrs. Myrtle Dunham, Mrs. Stella Dryden, Mrs. T. J. Webb, and Mrs. Pearl Yorkland.

NEEDLE CLUB MEETS AT HOME OF MRS. SWEET

The Oregon Needle club met at the home of Mrs. William Sweet, 1340 Wilford avenue when birthday gifts were presented to Louise Borton and Myrtle Hart.

Yellow roses provided the centerpiece with the motif carried out in the same color. The following members were present: Mrs. Thomas Hart, Mrs. H. V. Borton, Mrs. Ed Propst, Mrs. Alrick Nyback and daughter, Mrs. Fred Blehn and daughter, Mrs. M. Donelson, Mrs. Glenn Inman and son, Mrs. Ray Langham, Mrs. David Bridge and daughter and the hostess.

The Friendship club will meet Thursday, June twelfth, at half past one o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ray Jones, 813 Lincoln street. Dessert will be followed by auction bridge. A short business meeting will be conducted by the president, Mrs. C. O. Dryden. Hostesses will be Mrs. J. H. Dunham, and Mrs. T. J. Webb. Members and friends are invited.



Mrs. Marshall Farmer



Mrs. Lon Hunt

Mrs. Poole Speaker At BPW Meeting

Business and Professional Women Hear Interesting Discussion of Klamath Theatre History

Recognizing the rapid progress of local theatres in the commercial world of Klamath Falls, the Business and Professional Women's club requested Mrs. Rose Poole of Klamath Theatres, Inc., to address their regular business meeting on Monday night, June second, on the subject of theater history of this city. Mrs. Poole gave a most interesting talk on the attainments of theater houses throughout the civic development of this section, with many amusing incidents of early day trials and annoyances, and sad recollections of the burning of the pioneer Houston theater. Her talk brought a vivid realization of the marvelous development in the entertainment world in a comparatively few years, and the members experienced a deep appreciation of the present-day beautiful, and commodious, structures which house the local crowds seeking diversion.

Dena Backes, as program chairman, introduced Mrs. Poole, a well known member of the club, and Marianne Lion, daughter of a member, who entertained delightfully by singing "Ave Maria" and "I'll See You Again."

Miss Lion was accompanied by Marie Obenchain. Mrs. Backes also introduced Maxine Lisk of the Winema group of Camp Fire Girls who has received signal honors in city, county and state organizations for outstanding Camp Fire work. As a special reward for her high rank in cooperation, citizenship, attendance, and dependability, Miss Lisk is to enjoy a week at the Camp Fire Girl state camp, held at Silver Lake in August, when Senator Dorothy McCulloch Lee will be the instructor. The Business and Professional Women's club sponsors the Camp Fire Girls organization of this city. Maxine's mother, Mrs. Dave Lisk, was a guest at the dinner, as were Estella Schultz, Ethel Storm, and June Williams.

Following the program, President Flo Ann Eaton presided at the business meeting. Paul Landry was presented in an appeal to the BPW club to cooperate with Klamath County chamber of commerce in advertising the banquet to be held Tuesday evening, June the tenth, at seven o'clock at the Willard hotel. It is desired that the public should enjoy the opportunity of attending this banquet, and the BPW club members agreed to sell tickets to the affair on Friday of this week in the business sections where they are employed. Lillie Darby was appointed chairman of the committee engaged in selling tickets.

Talisman roses were used in the table decorations, with red candles in pine standards. Mrs. Eaton, who is closing a successful year as the popular young president of the club announced the next meeting for Monday evening, June



PAST OFFICER

Mrs. Charlotte Martin, junior past president of the association of Ladies Auxiliaries, Patriarchs Militant of the state of Oregon, returned the early part of the week from Baker where she attended the Rebekah assembly.

the sixteenth, with dinner served at six-thirty o'clock at the Willard hotel.

Past presidents, Isabelle Brixner, Jean Porter, Leda Gardner, Ruth Bathiany, and Emma Carter, are in charge of the program and the impressive installation ceremony which will induct into office the following officers: president, Elenora Weatherford; first vice president, Lillie Darby; second vice president, Dorothy Baile; treasurer, Nedra Hunt; corresponding secretary, Isabelle Milne; recording secretary, Esther Lawler.

It is desired that all employed women who are interested in the club should realize the importance of joining at the beginning of the club year, and enjoying all the benefits to be derived from attendance during the full year. As the International Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs number in membership over one hundred thousand members, located in twenty-five countries, with 88,000 in the United States alone, it can readily be seen what an instrument club membership is for acquiring benefits for employed women in the business world, and what an influence it can be, and is, in the international political field. Striving always for the benefit of all women and the prevention of detrimental factors to the home, the Business and Professional Women's club takes pride in its achievements in the commercial world, its educational programs, its fellowship and understanding of women's problems in general. As Miss Evangeline Philbin, well known in Klamath Falls, has been reelected to the state presidency, those acquainted with her delightful personality and wonderful work in the clubs throughout the state feel assured of an outstanding year opening in June.

The local group, which is the second largest club in Oregon, is most enthusiastic over the program outlined for the forthcoming year, with Miss Weatherford as president, for she, with her assisting officers, has taken an important part in the club for a number of years and is well known for her friendliness and strict attendance to business details. Mrs. Eaton, the outgoing president, has likewise worked hard for the club interests for many years and has attained her present position by unusual devotion to detail work of the club. All employed women who are interested in joining the club are cordially invited to attend one of the regular meetings, enjoy the program and contact the members before joining, or application may be made to the president or officers.

The Thimble club of Neighbors of Woodcraft will meet Tuesday afternoon, June tenth, at the home of Mrs. Ellen Ely on Nevada street with Mrs. Earl Smith as hostess. A business meeting is called for two o'clock with pinocle to follow. Members and friends are invited.



Mrs. A. C. Lundy

Mrs. Marshall Farmer was elected president of Sojourners. Mrs. Lon Hunt is vice president, and Mrs. A. C. Lundy, treasurer of the organization. Mrs. C. H. Poiran Jr., was named secretary.

WHIST PLAYED AT NEIGHBORS PARTY MONDAY

Neighbors of Woodcraft met in the KC hall Monday evening of this week followed by whist. Honors were held by Mrs. Elsie Ramsey. The next meeting will be held June sixteenth at which time a birthday party has been planned following the business session. All members having birthdays the first six months of the year will be entertained by members whose birthdays fall the last six months. Mrs. Ida Mochetaz is chairman assisted by Effie Redkey, Mildred Largent, Amelia Jacobson, Ruth Daw, Sylvia Brannan, Jessie Spindler, Charles Spindler and Stella M. Persell.

All members are urged to attend this party.

MRS. GODDARD HOSTESS TO STUDY CLUB

The Independent Study club met Thursday of last week at the home of Mrs. Fannie Goddard on Darrow avenue with Mrs. Helen Wardle as hostess. The business meeting followed hours of sewing.

Present were Mrs. Katherine Evans, Mrs. Estella Smith, Mrs. Katherine Billings, Mrs. H. S. Stone, Mrs. Nettie Good, Mrs. Bernice Hanson, Mrs. Maggie Upton, Mrs. Goddard, Mrs. Lizzie Little, Mrs. Helen Elting, Mrs. Louise Borton. Visitors were Mrs. Irene Ross, Mrs. Kate Flynn, Mrs. Zenith Powell, Mrs. Lena Liles, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Upton, 2346 Kane street, June twelfth with potluck luncheon at noon. Members will meet for transportation at half past eleven o'clock at the home of Miss Nona Hall, 915 East Main street.

RED CROSS WORKER IS SPEAKER

The Congregational Community circle met Wednesday afternoon for a neighborhood tea and Red Cross sewing. Mrs. W. L. Larson was hostess to the group at her home on Eberlein avenue.

Tea was served to Mrs. A. G. Pearson, Mrs. W. C. Little, Mrs. E. L. Mitchell, Mrs. H. J. McGilvray, Mrs. W. O. Lohrey, Mrs. C. M. Reynolds, Miss Charlene Reynolds and Miss Lois Larson. Mrs. George Gardner, a Red Cross worker, spoke on nursing lessons available to anyone interested in the project. The circle will meet again for sewing June eleventh at the home of Mrs. W. O. Lohrey, 2144 Eberlein avenue, at two o'clock. The group will tie quilts also.

Miss Pearl Poppy, accompanied by Mrs. Veri Cameron, has left for a two week vacation in Los Angeles and other California cities. Miss Poppy will visit with relatives and friends and will participate with a team of Klamath Falls women in the national bowling tournament. Mrs. Cameron will spend most of the two weeks visiting with her sister in Los Angeles.

Mrs. John Hessig was to leave this weekend for San Francisco to visit her daughter, Miss Jo Hessig, and also in San Jose with another daughter, Mrs. Howard Hornbuckle and grandson, Roger.

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Members Honored

Beta Sigma Phi Sorority Compliments Three At Party

A party complimenting three members of Beta Sigma Phi sorority was given at the home of Mrs. Joseph Lemen, 2355 Wantland street, Wednesday evening, June the fourth. Those who assisted Mrs. Lemen were Mrs. Arthur Moore, Mrs. Van Thome, Mrs. Russell Brackman and Mrs. Don Divens.

Miss Eleanor Smith, one of the members of the sorority who was honored, had recently announced her engagement to Mr. Donald Setterberg of this city. Miss Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Smith of Miles City, Montana, and has been making her home in this city during the past year. Mr. Setterberg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Setterberg of Portland, Oregon, and is a member of the teaching staff at Altamont Junior high school. Their wedding will be solemnized at the chapel of Reed college, Portland, on Saturday, June the twenty-eighth. Miss Smith was presented with a gift of glassware from the sorority.

Mrs. Leonard Loetterle (Eleanor Donofrio), whose wedding was an event of Saturday, May the thirty-first, at Columbia Edgewater Country club, Portland, Oregon, was also presented with a gift of glassware from the sorority.

Mrs. James Crapo, who will be leaving Saturday, June the seventh, to make her home in Vancouver, Washington, was presented with a chest filled with lovely handkerchiefs.

Whist was played during the evening, with high prize awarded to Mrs. Howard Listoe and consolation prize going to Miss Jessie Johnson. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Those present were Mrs. Howard Pernel, Mrs. Vern Whitlatch, Mrs. Lorn Dalcour, Mrs. Howard Listoe, Mrs. Gene Snyder of Berkeley, California, who is a house guest of Mrs. Arthur Moore, Miss Isabel Thayer, Miss Jessie Johnson, Miss Billie Haley, Miss Irma Wauchope, Miss Isabel Jones, Miss Evilo Thrasher, Miss Eleanor Smith, Mrs. Leonard Loetterle, Mrs. Jim Crapo, and the hostesses, Mrs. Joseph Lemen, Mrs. Don Divens, Mrs. Russell Brackman, Mrs. Arthur Moore and Mrs. Van Thome.

SHOWER GIVEN FOR MRS. CHAMBERLAIN

Mrs. R. P. Chamberlain was honored with a miscellaneous shower Wednesday afternoon of last week when Mrs. Clifford Case entertained for her at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Allen on Orchard Way. Friends honoring Mrs. Chamberlain were Mrs. Gordon Rewy, Mrs. Tony Amundson, Mrs. Melvin Amundson, Mrs. Ray Cummings, Mrs. Thomas Jamison, Mrs. Arthur Schuck, Mrs. Earl Fink, Mrs. Lloyd Allen, and Mrs. Case.

A contest game was played with honors going to Mrs. Schuck. Gifts were presented to the honor guest with luncheon served later.



SUZANNE

All of four months old is Suzanne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Elliott Blehn of 4650 Crosby street. The picture was taken on May the twentieth.

—Kennell-Ellis.

Mrs. Zumwalt Plans Voice, Piano Recital

Students To Appear in Annual Spring Musicales in Library Auditorium Saturday Evening

This is the season of music recitals as the year draws to a close and students look forward to vacation hours and summer months. Mrs. Don J. Zumwalt will present her voice and piano students this evening (Saturday), in the library auditorium at eight o'clock. Guest artist will be Mr. Harold Ayres, outstanding pianist and member of the Klamath Union high school faculty, who has been heard in many recitals on the Pacific coast previous to making his home in Klamath Falls. Violin obligato will be presented by Miss Elizabeth Burton. The public is cordially invited. Following is the program:



MAY BABY

LaVonne Evelyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ramos of 133 North Tenth street, observed her first birthday anniversary on May the fifteenth.

—Kennell-Ellis.

June Wedding Solemnized

Anne Eskildsen, Kenneth Holbrook Exchange Vows

A lovely June wedding took place at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Frost at Macedoel, California, on the evening of June the second when Miss Anne Eskildsen, sister of Mrs. Frost, and Mr. Kenneth Holbrook, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Holbrook of Malin, were united in marriage by Rev. D. D. Dod of Malin.

The single ring ceremony took place on the lawn before a background of pine boughs and forest greenery. The bride's gown was fashioned of white satin with a short train, complimented by a long silk net veil, held in place by a wreath of net and flowers. Sweet peas formed her bouquet. The bridesmaid, Miss Catherine Eskildsen, sister of the bride, wore pink taffeta and carried a bouquet of summer blossoms.

Mr. Steve Eskildsen, brother of the bride, acted as best man. The ceremony was preceded by violin and piano numbers, and two vocal selections by the bride's sister and brother.

Nearly fifty guests were present at the ceremony and at the reception which followed in the flower decorated rooms of the Frost home where the bride cut a beautiful wedding cake and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Holbrook left for a wedding trip along the coast and will be at home after June the tenth three miles west of Macedoel.

The Rebekah Social club will hold the second of a series of pinocle parties Wednesday, June the eleventh, in IOOF hall. Dessert will be served at half past one o'clock. Cards will be played at two o'clock. Mrs. Curtis is in charge of arrangements and all members are asked to sponsor one or more tables.

Miss Mildred Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Williams, is visiting in Medford for a short time as the guest of her aunt.

Piano, "Drifting," Williams; "Song of the Mermals," Williams; "Haste, Merry Willstream," Williams, Marjio Ogle.

Piano, "A Sea Chantey," Bernarr-Wagners; "Long, Long Ago," Buyl; "Home on the Range," Cowboy Song Arr. by Guilen, Neil Olson.

Songs, "Jennie With the Light-Brown Hair," Foster; "Memory Lane," Spier-Connrad, Lola Marie Whisenant.

Piano, "Starlight Waltz," Thompson; "Carry Me Back to Ol' Virginia," Arr. by Thompson; "Moths," Thompson, Marilee Crawford.

Songs, "On the Road to Mandalay," Speaks; "In the Garden of Tomorrow," Deppen, Dale Hunsaker.

Piano, "Dark Eyes," Folk song; "Theme From Liebestraum," Liszt, Barbara Schultz.

Songs, "Just A Wearyin' for You," Bond; "Morning," Speaks, Mrs. Christine Callendine.

Piano, "Dorothy," Smith; "Serenade," Schubert, Arr. by Thompson, Mary Ellen Wright.

Songs, "The Lass With the Delicate Air," Arne; "O, Dry These Tears," Del Riego, Joy Kent. Violin obligato by Elizabeth Burton.

Piano, "Spinning Song," Ellenreich; "Barcarole," from "Love Tales of Hoffman," Offenbach, Marjorie Schultz.

Songs, "Still wie die Nacht," Bohm; "Florian's Song," Godard, Joyce Riker.

Songs, "None But the Lonely Heart," Tschalkowsky; "Sunset," Dudley Buck, Anna Lee Zell.

Piano, "Flower Song," Lange; "Turkish March," Beethoven, Mary Lou Van Riper. Songs, "Ave Marie," Bach-Gounod; "A Song of India," Rimsky-Korsakov, Edna Bethwell Kent.

Piano, "Mignon," Bohm; "Cradle Song," Brahms, Arr. by Thompson, Don Hunsaker. Songs, "Bist Du bei Mir," Bach; "I'll Sail Upon the Dog-Star," Purcell, Wendell B. Smith.

Songs, "Sans Toi," d'Hardelet; "Solveig's Song," Grieg, Dorothy Stevens Kuykendall. Piano, "Romance in F Sharp Major," Schumann; "All Wien," Godowsky, Harold Ayres.

The next regular meeting of the Congregational Community circle will be held in Moore park. A potluck picnic luncheon will be served at one o'clock. The group will meet at the community hall on Garden avenue for transportation at a quarter to one o'clock on Friday, June the twentieth. Hostesses are Mrs. Z. W. Dixon, Mrs. C. W. Henry, and Mrs. E. H. Love.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Smith have returned to their home on Conger avenue from Portland where they have spent the past several weeks.

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—Comart.