

# Grand Officers Named at Session

### Last Meeting of Season for Aloha Chapter of Eastern Star Held Tuesday Evening

On Tuesday evening at eight o'clock Aloha chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, met in the Masonic hall for the last meeting before two months' vacation. Mrs. Charlotte Martin and L. K. Phelps presided.

After the regular business was taken up reports from the members who had attended grand chapter were given. Mrs. Martin reported that she was really proud of the record that Aloha chapter made in the work of the Red Cross sewing and knitting.

The grand chapter as a whole has made a major project this year of Red Cross work and in two particular cases brothers have made quilts and knitted sweaters.

Mrs. Viola Dickson reported on the drills which were especially colorful and beautiful. Sally Wood also attended some of the meetings and was much impressed with the work of the pages who were dressed in fluffy white net dresses, with camellias applied at neck line and hem. Virginia Brown, worthy matron of Cascade Crest chapter of Chiloquin, was a page at grand chapter.

Mrs. Mildred Bradford, worthy matron of Yolo, California, was introduced and escorted to the East. Mrs. Julia Hall from Grants Pass was also introduced and made a few remarks. She was a former secretary of Aloha chapter. Brother J. S. Orr was reported improving in health after a serious illness. He is one of the three remaining charter members of Aloha chapter.

Mrs. Martin read the names of the grand officers of grand chapter for the ensuing year as follows:

Worthy grand matron, Marjorie Simpson, Portland; worthy president, David O. Bennett, St. Helens; associate grand matron, Dr. June Martin, Marshfield; associate grand patron, Lloyd McRae, Portland; grand secretary, Stella Drake, Portland; grand treasurer, Isabella Low, Troutdale; grand conductress, Hazel Foster, Prineville; associate grand conductress, Hazel Graham, Tillamook; grand chaplain, Minnie Nunnenkamp, Portland; grand lecturer, Dora Slips, Beaverton; grand marshal, Hannah Rudd, Portland.

Grand organist, Dorothy Bennett, St. Helens; grand Adah, Pauline Brown, Drain; grand Ruth, Margaret Wallace, Molalla; grand Esther, Henrietta Hacker, Astoria; grand Martha, Esther Hartley, Jefferson; grand electa, Maxine Jeub, Coquille; grand warder, Rose Rutledge, Redmond; grand sentinel, Oliver Hurlig, Portland.

After the meeting refreshments were served by the officers to about sixty members and guests. The next meeting will be held on September the eighth.

## MRS. ZUMBRUN HOSTESS TO CARD CLUB

FORT KLAMATH — Members of the Wednesday Night Contract Bridge club enjoyed a delightful evening of cards on Wednesday evening as guests of Mrs. William Zumbrun, former member of the group, who entertained at a special party at her home at the Zumbrun ranch south of Fort Klamath.

Two tables of contract bridge were in play following the serving of dessert and coffee at seven-thirty. High score for the evening's play was given to Mrs. William A. Page, and Mrs. Harold Wilmer won second high.

Those playing were Mrs. Jerry Simpson, Mrs. Joanna Taylor, Mrs. William Page, Mrs. Eldon Brattain, Mrs. Alfred B. Castel, Mrs. Fred Zumbrun, Mrs. Harold Wilmer, and the hostess, Mrs. William Zumbrun.

At the next regular meeting of the card club on the evening of July the eighth, Mrs. Castel will entertain the members at her home in Fort Klamath.

## FRIENDS HONOR RAFFSONS ON ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Rafson were pleasantly surprised last Saturday evening when a few of their friends called at their home to honor them on the occasion of their seventeenth wedding anniversary.

The evening was spent enjoying games and music after which refreshments were served and Mrs. Rafson cut a beautifully decorated cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Rafson were presented with a gift from Mr. and Mrs. John Berg and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reinoldson, Mr. and Mrs. Birger Dalum and Harold.

## Auxiliary Elects

### Mrs. Otterbein Named Group

The American Legion auxiliary, at its regular meeting held at the home of Mrs. O. D. Matthews on June the sixteenth, elected the following officers to serve the coming year: Mrs. Paul Otterbein, president; Mrs. A. L. Paul, first vice president; Mrs. J. H. Gallagher, second vice president; Mrs. F. M. Hooten, secretary, and Mrs. George Rogers, treasurer. The executive committee includes Mrs. James Fowler, Mrs. J. H. Hunter and Mrs. George Britt. Mrs. Floyd Henriot will be junior past president.

The delegates to the state convention to be held this year at the Heathman hotel in Portland were named as follows: Mrs. Paul Otterbein, Mrs. A. L. Paul, Mrs. F. M. Hooten, Mrs. George Rogers, Mrs. George Hurn; alternates, Mrs. Fred Heilbronner, Mrs. Elmer Longmire and Mrs. J. H. Hunter.

The junior auxiliary also elected their officers for the coming year with Dorothy Laurens as president, Besse Pope, vice president, and Gloria Peterstener, secretary.

It was decided to enter a patriotic float in the Victory parade on July the fourth.

Joint installation will be held on Tuesday evening, July the seventh, with the Mallin Unit, Junior auxiliary and Klamath Unit No. 8 participating. Mrs. Earl J. Templar will act as installing officer assisted by Mrs. Fred Heilbronner.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. R. C. Dale, hostess.

## FRIENDS HONOR RECENT BRIDE WITH SHOWER

Mrs. Orville McFadyen, the former Gertrude Nyback, was honored recently at a miscellaneous bridal shower given by Mrs. Lynn Rasmussen at her home, 1814 Crescent avenue, Mrs. McFadyen was married in Boise, Idaho, on May the thirtieth. Her husband is now stationed with the United States army in Nevada.

Following several hours of games refreshments were served from an attractive table centered with a wedding cake. Gifts were presented Mrs. McFadyen from the guests including Mrs. William Edwards, Mrs. Arthur Solberg, Mrs. Glenn Townsend, Mrs. Glenn Evans, Mrs. Alden Sheridan, Mrs. A. Nyback, Mrs. Edward Heidland, Miss Veola Landers, Miss Gertrude Tolle, Miss May Gregg, Miss Ellen Upp, Miss Frances Kamerad and the hostess.



"KING"

Billy Sparks, eight-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sparks of 908 Walnut avenue, was a judged Supreme King in the recent baby contest sponsored by the Rebekah Social club.

—Kennell-Ellis.



IN GARDEN CEREMONY

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Clay Steers were married at the bride's home in a garden ceremony Friday of last week. Mrs. Steers is the former Adele Frances Powers.

—Kennell-Ellis.

# Toastmistress Club Has Monday Meet

### "Shaping America's Future" Topic of Discussion As Group Hears Various Speakers

"Shaping America's Future," a Reader's Digest program outline, claimed the attention of Toastmistresses at the regular meeting Monday evening. The subject which, in its various phases, is discussed daily in newspapers and magazines by well known writers, was presented in an interesting manner by the speakers of the evening.

Mrs. Paul Buck, Toastmistress said, "While this subject is a deep and vital one and requires the utmost in profound thinking, we, in our small way may also express our thoughts in striving for a solution to the many problems confronting us."

Mrs. Dean Miller presented "Should Labor Have Glass Pockets?" expressed the belief that unions should have some form of regulation just as other large businesses do, but that we should move slowly in regulating them. The free enterprise system, and the free labor movement are both branches of our democracy and must be saved together. They must each learn to "give and take."

"The conviction that free enterprise can still be the best provider of happiness and prosperity for our country is held by many millions of Americans," said Mrs. Coleman O'Laughlin in telling of the "Plan for Post-war America." Dislocations in labor, industry and agricultural system of economy, and now is the time to plan skillfully for the transition from war to peace-time production in order to save our system of free enterprise from state control."

In the absence of Mrs. Emmett Chidester, a short summary of the subject "Bring Our Youngsters into the Community" was given by Mrs. Paul Buck, who stated that children should be given more of the responsibilities of making decisions, with gentle guidance in the home and in the school, thereby enabling them to use good judgment in the forming of opinions, as "the future of our race marches forward on the feet of little children."

"Chronicles of Americanization," was presented by Mrs. W. R. Boyd. Opening her story with the picture of our Goddess of Liberty standing with upflung arm and torch lighting the way to freedom, Mrs. Boyd described the difficulties encountered by thousands of immigrants who came to America with the idea that gold lay in the streets. Then, disillusioned they reshaped their dreams and by toil and perseverance have become a part of this great country. The failure of some of our foreign population is due in part to our failure to appreciate them. Becoming an American means not only accepting America—but accepted by America.

A round table discussion followed the talks of the evening, in which all the members expressed their views on the several very interesting subjects.

A quotation from Mrs. Jes-

# Klamath Girl Bride

### Adele Powers Weds Percy Steers in Garden Ceremony

Adele Frances Powers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Powers of 5060 Harlan drive, became the bride of Mr. Percy Clay Steers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steers of Crest street, in a garden ceremony read at the powers home at eight o'clock Friday evening, June the nineteenth.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white crepe frock with a red-tinge of ashes of roses lace. A small beige hat with a brief veil and a bouquet of sweet peas and snapdragons, completed her costume.

Miss Edna Marie Griffith of Tulelake was the bride's only attendant. She wore a Venetian blue crepe frock and carried a bouquet of sweet peas, snapdragons and rosebuds.

Little Nellie Marie Steers, sister of the groom, was the flower girl. She wore a soft blue taffeta frock and a wreath of blossoms in her hair. Ring bearers were Linda Ann Ellis and Carol Ann Steers, both of whom carried rings in the hearts of red roses.

Mr. Hugh Kafton was best man.

The double ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Arthur C. Bates of the First Christian church, as the young couple stood beneath a bower of white roses with a bank of white gladioli and ranos on either side.

Just before the ceremony Mrs. Dean Stevens sang "Because," by d'Hardlot. Miss Betty Yaden was the accompanist and she played Wagner's wedding march and during the ceremony DeBussy's "Claire de Lune."

Immediately after the service a reception was held with close friends and relatives attending. The bride and groom cut their wedding cake which was served by Mrs. Otto Ellis, aunt of the bride. Following a wedding trip to Grants Pass, the couple returned to Klamath Falls to make their home. Both are graduates of Klamath Union high school with the class of 1941.

## TULELAKE COUPLE WED IN NEVADA

TULELAKE—The marriage of Audia N. Lickie of Boise, Idaho and Ralph A. Colby, Salinas, California at Reno Nevada on June the eighteenth was announced here this week. Mr. and Mrs. Colby, both employed at the Japanese reception center will leave soon for Salt Lake City where they will continue in the employe of the Ford J. Twalts Construction company. They were accompanied to Reno by Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Darling, also temporary residents of Tulelake who were attendants at the ceremony.

The ring service was read by Rev. Bert C. Williams, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.



ONE YEAR OLD

Sharon Kay Owings, one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Owings of South Sixth street, has a big smile for the world. She had her first birthday June the nineteenth.

—Bell studio.



RETURNS FROM SOUTH

Mrs. Clyde W. Wooten, the former Gloria Hartley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hartley of Modoc Point, has returned here with her husband from Benet, California. They have resided there since March the eighteenth when Mr. Wooten returned from Midway Island where he spent eight months. Both are well known here and will make their home at Bonanza.

## Wedding Solemnized

### Catherine Lyon Becomes Mrs. John Lake In June Rites

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lyon of this city have announced the marriage of their daughter, Catherine, to Mr. John W. Lake, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lake of Portland.

The ceremony took place Saturday evening, June the thirteenth, at the Presbyterian parsonage in Portland by the Reverend Bearde officiating. The young couple were attended by Miss Velda Williams of Tillamook and Mr. William Ward of Portland.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Lake are graduates of Pacific university. The groom will leave for active duty with the United States navy following their return from a fortnight's honeymoon which will take the young couple through Oregon and Washington.

For her wedding the bride wore a rose sheer frock of afternoon length with a corsage of roses.

## VALLEY WOMEN MEET AT DEARBORN'S

LANGELL VALLEY—Mrs. Harry Frazier, Mrs. Mike Dearborn and Mrs. Claude Murray entertained at the home of Mrs. Dearborn on Friday afternoon with a shower in honor of Mrs. Frank Brown. A social hour and humorous stunt preceded the opening of the gifts.

Those present were Mrs. Brown Hammond, Mrs. Ruby Charles, Mrs. Charles Revell, Mrs. Frank Dearborn, Mrs. Earl Gruell, Mrs. Bruce Bieler, Mrs. Merle Brewster, Mrs. Oscar Campbell, Mrs. Paul Monroe, Mrs. Lloyd Gift, Mrs. Roy Davis, Mrs. Lyman Fitzhugh, Mrs. Reg Thomas, Mrs. Claude Brown, Mrs. Mary Dearborn, Mrs. John Haney, Mrs. John Campbell, Mrs. Joe Potucek, Mrs. Everett Malone, Mrs. Emery Johnson, Mrs. Lula Brown, Mrs. Wesley Dearborn, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Charlotte Dobler, Mrs. Daisy Huntley, Mrs. Jane Lintz, Mrs. William Noble, Mrs. Charles Partridge, Mrs. Lester Leavitt, Miss Mary Ann Gift, Miss Willie Mae Randall, Miss Gloria Noble, Miss Catherine Dearborn, Miss Hazel Gift, Miss Doris Leavitt, Miss Irene Brewster, Miss Deanna Campbell, Miss Edith Gift, Miss Ruth Thomas, Miss Mary Malone, Miss Elma Fitzhugh, Miss Mary Ann Leavitt and David Thomas. Billie Dearborn, Allan and Rodney Gruell and LeRoy Bieler.

## RNA CLUB MEETS TUESDAY FOR PINOCHE

The Three R club, Royal Neighbors of America, met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anna McCormack, 4205 Tieda street. Dessert was served at half past one o'clock, followed by three tables of pinocle. There was also an exchange of pollyanna gifts.

High score was received by Mrs. W. J. Steinmetz, second high by Marjorie Perkins and Frances Killian. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Steinmetz, 917 Walnut street.

## PINOCHE CLUB MEETS AT HOME OF MRS. EVANS

The Club Thursday Pinochle met June the eighteenth at the home of Mrs. Katherine Evans in Riverview addition. Luncheon was served by the hostess at one o'clock. Prizes were received by Mrs. Wanda Heath, Mrs. Kathryn Billings, Mrs. Nettie Good and Mrs. Kate Crossman.

Others playing were Mrs. Vera Good, Mrs. Agnes Lowe, Miss Nona Hall, Mrs. Estella Smith, Mrs. Mary Martin, Mrs. Florence Young and Mrs. Louise Borton.

The next meeting will be held July the sixteenth at the home of Mrs. Heath in St. Francis park. Members are requested to meet at half past twelve o'clock at the home of Miss Hall for transportation.

## MRS. CURTIS HOSTESS TO MERRY MIXERS

The Merry Mixers club met Thursday evening, June the eighteenth, at the home of Mrs. Elinor Curtis on Darrow avenue. The evening was spent in finishing a quilt for the Salvation Army, and later games were played.

Mrs. Lizzie Little received the first prize, and Mrs. Billy Walker the second. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Ruth Anderson, Mrs. Dee Salyer, Mrs. Pearl Paup, Mrs. Lillian, Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Alberta Allen.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Pearl Paup on Lincoln street and a dish shower will be held for the hostess.

The Thimble club of Neighbors of Woodcraft met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mamie Steinseifer, 1726 Johnson street. Pinocle followed a brief business meeting with awards going to Mrs. O. E. Schupp, high, Mrs. C. O. Dryden, second high, and Mrs. Dicksy Weed, low.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. O. E. Schupp, 530 North Tenth street, July the seventh, at two o'clock.

# Dr. Harris Is Speaker

### Conservation of Eyes Topic Heard by Soroptimists

"Conservation of eyesight" said Dr. Harris, in speaking to the Soroptimist club Thursday, "is the first thing the new born babe experiences, and the last thing which is done for the aged by modern medicine. With proper precautions taken at birth, many eye ills are avoided, and with operations for cataracts the vision is frequently extended until death." Dr. Harris spoke to an interested audience, basing his talk on "Conservation of the Eyes."

Asking members of the club if eyesight would not be the one of their senses which they would normally cling to most tenaciously, he received a unanimous assent. He then started them by the statement that eyesight was rated as secondary to the sense of touch, stating that our welfare depends more upon the sense of touch than upon the sense of sight.

"The blind individual is handicapped," said Dr. Harris, but if a person were deprived of the sense of touch even with the best of eyesight, his chances of living to a good old age would be materially lessened. Most of the automatic actions of life are done by the sense of touch more than by vision, as witness the operation of a typewriter, a computer, or the playing of a piano."

Dr. Harris touched briefly on the strides made in conserving eyesight, citing instances of earlier factory aid when pieces of steel were removed from the eyeball by means of a powerful magnet, with little regard to injury of the tissues, while today every effort is made to preserve the tissues and to retain the sight of the eye.

Conservation of sight must not stop with the first treatments given the new born babe but must be continued through life if the individual is to have the best that modern methods can offer him. Much depends upon diet and nutrition, with exercise, surgery, and medicine each contributing their part, the speaker pointed out. Mention was made of various helpful organizations quietly doing much for this important work, among others being the Committee for the Prevention of Blindness.

Several interesting discussions were brought out by questions from the club members, and, in answer to a question, Dr. Harris touched upon color blindness, thought to be a handicap in aviation, telling that the colorblind aviator has one distinct advantage over others in that camouflage does not register with him, as he still sees things as they are, not as they are disguised, and he can point out to his comrades fortifications which may be invisible to them.

"There is no cure for color blindness since it is caused by an anatomical deficiency," said Dr. Harris.

Enjoying Dr. Harris' talk besides the local Soroptimists were several visitors, Mrs. Zula Currin, Mrs. Mary McCullough Lee, a member of the Portland Soroptimist club, Acting as chairman hostess, Lydia Fricke Howard introduced the speaker.

Telegrams from the delegates at the Cleveland convention were an interesting part of the program, and the musical numbers given by Mildred Buzaid, a recent addition to the club, were much enjoyed.

## LUTHERAN CHURCH SCENE OF WEDDING

Miss June King, daughter of Mrs. Myra King of this city, and Corporal John L. Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Stewart Sr., of Bayard, Iowa, were married at the Lutheran church in Burlingame, California, at half past eight o'clock Wednesday evening, June the seventeenth.

The Rev. Albert R. Kuriz read the service in the presence of relatives and intimate friends.

The lovely bride wore a deep blue silk suit with a matching hat with white accessories. Her corsage was fashioned of pale pink sweet peas.

The bride's attendant was Miss Elsie Louise Hertager, formerly of this city. She wore a rose silk suit with white accessories and a corsage of white orchids.

Corporal Philip J. Plinter of Tatoran, California, was the best man. Both the groom and his attendant wore the uniform of the United States army.

The bride and groom are now at home at 218 Howard avenue in Burlingame, where Corporal Stewart is stationed.

## IN DEL MONTE

Mrs. W. H. Hibbard, Riverside avenue, left Thursday to attend the International Toastmistress convention being held this weekend at Del Monte, California.

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