

# Valentine Party Enjoyed By BPW

Business and Professional Women club members enjoyed an informal evening together Monday, February 18, when a Valentine party and square dance was held in the Willard banquet room, with Gwen Everitt, chairman of the publications committee, in charge of arrangements.

A scrambled word contest was held immediately after the dinner hour, which was won by Isabelle Brixner. This was followed by an hour of dancing, waltzes and polkas, with Winifred Gilten acting as caller and Blanche McGillivray at the piano.

President Hazel Morrison announced that February 23 has been declared International Day when there will be a trans-Atlantic broadcast from BPW club in France, England and other European countries over the Columbia network from 12:30 to 12:45.

A request was made for stamps to be sent to Los Angeles for servicemen to exchange, and for old Christmas cards to be sent to the New York children's center. Both these items can be turned in to Lucile Tweed, the international relations chairman.

Mrs. Brixner, southern Oregon representative for the state federation of BPW, stated that the spring district conference will be held at Roseburg on April 7, and urged as many members as possible to attend.

New members introduced at Monday night's meeting included Florence McConahey, the new Girl Scout executive, Marguerite Grove, Edna Olsen, Wilma Hemperley and Della M. Kelley.

Guests were Nevarie M. Smith, Virginia Emery, Lorraine Dolan, Elizabeth Thomson, Rose Mathers, Mary Pape and Kathleen Altman.

Announcements were made that the Edith Cunniff book club will meet for dinner at 6:30 p. m. Monday, February 25, at the home of Coral Sabo, 73 Pine, with Catherine Brumbaugh to give the review, and the Minerva book club will meet next week, the date to be announced later, at the home of Mayme Johnson when Asta Kierulff will present the review.

Meeting Set

The Women's Association of the First Presbyterian church will meet in the church parlor at 2:15 p. m. Thursday, February 22, at the home of Mrs. W. M. Campbell, president of the Presbyterian of Southwest Oregon, discuss the program for the coming year and the objectives of the women's organization.

Election of officers will be held and all of the 1945-1946 elected officers are requested to bring a written report of their year's activities as set forth in the constitution of the Women's Association.

Mrs. Claude Ferguson will lead the worship service. Mrs. Philip Hitchcock and Mrs. Marvin Nerseth will sing. Tea will be served.

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Appointed

MERRILL—Dovie Reeder of the Merrill chapter 18 of the Women of the Moose, recently received from the national office the appointment of Associate Regent of the College of Regents for the state of Oregon.

Mrs. Reeder has been active in the order for a number of years having joined the Bend chapter in 1925. At the time the order was known as the Women of Mooseheart Legion. She served that chapter as senior regent and past senior regent.

When WOTM was organized in Merrill in 1937 she was appointed graduate regent and served three years in that office and five years as treasurer. In 1940 she was awarded the friendship degree of the Academy of Friendship for activities in committee work. She received the college of regent degree in 1942 and became known throughout the state for her encouragement to the chapter in its relief work.

In 1945 she received the appointment from the national office of associate Dean of the Academy of Friendship for Oregon and visited nearly every chapter in the state in the interest of gaining in membership.

Birthday

Phyllis, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dannelley of 922 Fulton, observed her sixth birthday anniversary with a St. Valentine's party at her home last week. She is a student at Fairview school.

Guests at Phyllis' party were Judy Danielson, Monty Voight, Mary Ann Munson, Paul Munson, Laura Lee Chandler, Jay Montgomery, Alona Custer, Mary Lou Williams, Bobby Greenleaf, Florine Womsted, Jeanne Womsted, Beula Welcher, Billy McGill, Barbara Van Branner and Charles Workman.

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FRANCES KAMARAD, sister of Mrs. Alfred Carleton Merrill, had her poem dedicated to service men of World War 2, accepted to be engraved on a memorial plaque. Miss Kamarad is a former Merrill and Malin resident now living in the south.

Hostess

For a number of years Mrs. L. J. Brink of 2241 Orchard has been hostess to the Senior circle of the Community Congregational church in February and again this year the circle met with her. Assisting Mrs. Brink were Mrs. M. Dexter and Mrs. Glenn Silvers, and other members and guests who attended were Mrs. W. C. Little, Mrs. H. S. Stone, Mrs. Lee Sutton, Mrs. W. Revell, Mrs. S. H. Goddard, Mrs. White-man, Mrs. J. J. Pex, Mrs. A. A. Myers, Mrs. William Larson, Mrs. George Randall, Mrs. William Morgan, Mrs. Catherine Levings, Mary Eckstein, Mrs. Godfrey Matthews, Mrs. L. E. Henry, Mrs. H. C. Brown, Mrs. John Marin, Mrs. R. Chase, Mrs. Fred Horn, Mrs. C. M. Timms and Mrs. S. R. Berry.

Merrill Program

MERRILL—Betty Mitchell, artist in ballet, tap and acrobatic dancing, and a recent arrival from San Diego, will be presented during the program planned for open house, Monday night, February 11 at which the Merrill grange will be host. All farmers and their families living in this community are invited.

Betty appeared in numerous USO canteens and before large audiences elsewhere during the war, dancing in many of the principal cities in California. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Bevins, of Merrill.

Past Matrons

Members of Aloha Past Matrons club will meet in the Masonic temple Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Hostesses will be Mrs. Charles Gilbert, Mrs. Elizabeth Norris, Mrs. H. F. Murdoch and Mrs. C. L. Harvey.

Married Here

Gertrude W. Harlan of Columbia, Missouri, became the bride of Eugene LaDage in a ceremony read at 8 o'clock Saturday evening by the Rev. Victor Phillips of the First Methodist church in the parsonage.

Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil E. Veitch, and Mrs. Lula LaDage and Mrs. Phillips were also present. The couple is now at home at 2124 Bienn street.

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## Circles Meet

The Womens Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church held the circle meetings on Thursday, February 14, all meetings for 1945, at 1:30 p. m. Ruth circle was entertained at the parsonage with Mrs. Victor Phillips and Mrs. A. G. Proctor, the hostesses, using the Valentine motif for dessert. Mrs. Walter Herndon was in charge of the devotions. Mrs. Calvin Hunt, chairman, conducted the business meeting and Mrs. Phillips led the study period. Twelve attended, and Mrs. Rice and Mrs. Elliott joined at this time. The circle meets next with Mrs. Elliott at 12:40 Mon. Claire.

Martha circle met at the home of Mrs. C. H. Barnstable of 123 High, and Mrs. A. W. Cowman was the assisting hostess. Mrs. L. J. Brink led the devotions, Mrs. Taylor, chairperson, presided over the business session and Mrs. Cowman was in charge of the study hour. Fourteen members attended. Mrs. Harry Briggs of 2080 Eberlein will be hostess for the next meeting.

Members of Esther circle met at the home of Mrs. J. D. Gillespie of 60 Nevada, and she was assisted by Mrs. Thomas P. Windham. Mrs. Gillespie conducted the business meeting, Mrs. Windham was in charge of the devotions and Mrs. John Yador, Mrs. E. H. Baisiger and Mrs. L. A. Brannan presented the days' lesson. Nineteen members were present. Mrs. A. L. Barker of 314 Laguna will be hostess for the March meeting of the circle.

Rebecca circle has changed its name to the Mary circle. It met at the home of Mrs. Lee McBride of 407 N. 9th, and she was assisted by Mrs. Harry Johnson, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. McBride Jr. There were eleven members and four guests, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Brazzousky, Mrs. Riker and Mrs. McBride Jr. The first three all became members at this meeting. Mrs. E. W. Mocabee and Mrs. Earl Redman led the devotions.

Miriam Smythe and Mrs. Riker were in charge of the study hour and Mrs. Mocabee, chairman, presided over the business period. Attention was called to the magazine subscription contest which closes in March, and which will give a cash award of \$5.00 to the circle turning in the greatest number of subscriptions to the "Methodist Woman" and "World Outlook." Mrs. M. J. Noble will be the next hostess. All circles are studying "The Cross Over Africa."

Married Here

Neighbors of Woodcraft held a short business meeting in the KC hall Monday evening, February 18, followed by a Valentine party to which guests were welcomed. A number of amusing games were played and Sylvia Clayton, June Tilton, Luana Smith and Ruth Hull received awards. Later Stella Dryden, Mildred Smith, Alta Clark, Erma Miller and Martha Gilchrist served appropriate refreshments. The next meeting will be held on March 4.

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DIANE LEE MEADE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Meade of 3039 Cannon avenue, celebrated her first birthday New Year's Eve.

## Pythian Club

The January meeting of the pythian club was held at the home of Mrs. Helen Schaefer on Friday of last week. Members present were Mrs. Velma Permin, Mrs. Ofa Smith, Mrs. Viola Herman, Mrs. Della Thatcher, Viola Messick, Mrs. Nina Beck, Mrs. Gladis Hunt, Mrs. Nell Messer, Mrs. Edna Jensen, Mrs. Anna McDonald, Mrs. Eva Hedkey, Mrs. Mildred Moses, Mrs. Della Thatch, Mrs. Wanda Elliott, Mrs. Leola Daley, Mrs. Lucille Aderholt, Mrs. Helen Schaefer.

Guests of the club were Mrs. Frances Hall and Mrs. Caroline Kienas and Mrs. Bertha Boggs of Colorado Springs. Mrs. Della Thatcher and Mrs. Leola Daley were appointed to the committee in charge of the pre-Easter sale. After the business meeting, potluck lunch was served.

Mrs. C. A. Whitley of Piedmont heights left February 3 for Atlanta, Georgia, and Chattanooga, Tennessee, for an indefinite stay. On her return home she will visit in Fort Smith, Ark., her former home, and later in Oklahoma City and Callon, Missouri. She is making the trip for the benefit of her health.

Mrs. Paul Gaster entertained her sewing club at her home, 5140 Cottage, on Wednesday, February 13, with a Valentine party, using the same motif for refreshments. Attending were Mrs. Cliff Jackson, Mrs. Warren Mason, Mrs. Ira Zirkle, Mrs. Herbert Kurre, Mrs. S. A. Gaster, Mrs. C. W. Tooker, Mrs. Paul Harker, Mrs. John Weber, Mrs. Ray Keller, Mrs. Earl Cullemore and Mrs. McKoen.

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## Junior Circle

Mrs. Don W. Rice was hostess last Wednesday at her home, 1930 Huron, to the Junior Circle of Community Congregational church. There were 16 members present including Edith Van Doozer, president.

Velma Mitchell entertained the Friendly circle at the home of Nona Hall, 915 East Main, on Thursday, February 14, and luncheon was served at 1 p. m., followed by a social afternoon. Fourteen attended and Helen Wardle, a former member who has returned to Klamath Falls, was reinstated into membership. Valentines were exchanged and the birthday of Pearl Marin was observed with gifts. The place for the next meeting is still undecided.

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