

News PTA Notes

JOSEPH CONGER
PTA activities for Joseph Conger were concluded for the school year May 19, when members and guests attended the regular session Wednesday, installed for the forthcoming year by the installing officer for the day, Mrs. Ray Keller, past president, were Mrs. James H. Wilson, president; Mrs. Carl Williams, vice president; Mrs. Dan Whitesell, secretary; Martha McLaughlin, treasurer.

Gifts of appreciation were presented to the teachers, to the officers for 1947-48, and to the newly installed officers and Augusta Parker in behalf of the teachers at Conger school expressed her appreciation of the fine cooperation on the part of the PTA officers and organization as a whole.

An appreciative "thank you" is due and extended to all those who assisted in making decorations used at the state PTA convention luncheon, but especially to Mrs. Max Hoyal who, in the absence of the appointed chairman, Mrs. James H. Wilson, assumed responsibility for the decorations.

The historian's report for 1947-48 was read by Miss Parker in the absence of Mrs. Haarbey Bechen, past historian.

The room count award went to Mrs. McLaughlin's first grade. Members voted to support the teachers in sharing the cost of a lovely silver tea service purchased by them for use at the PTA functions and displayed at the annual tea given by the teachers for mothers and guests.

Pouring at a prettily appointed table centered with a yellow floral arrangement, were Mrs. Myron Hull, past president, and Mrs. Wilson, president-elect. Martha McLaughlin, Betty French, Muriel Goodwin and Evelyn Jones, teachers of grades one, three and four respectively, and Augusta Parker, principal, assisted in serving refreshments.

As a final reminder, parents are invited to attend open house at Conger school Friday (tonight) at 7:30 p. m.

KENO
An interested group of 23 parents and teachers met at the Keno school gymnasium Thursday, May 13 and organized a PTA unit. The following officers were chosen after a spirited election. Mrs. Susan Wick, president; Mrs. Marie De-Grande, vice president; Mrs. Marie Jameson, secretary; Mrs. Cleona Hurlbut, treasurer and Miss Puckett, historian.

Mrs. Hugh Haddock, state vice president of region 6, Mrs. A. A. Montgomery, Klamath county council president, Mrs. Earl Sheridan, president of Shasta PTA and Mrs. R. G. Fisher, procedure and by-laws chairman for the county council, attended the meeting and assisted in organizational work. Discussion and planning carried over into the refreshment hour which followed.

Enthusiasm and community spirit are high over this new PTA unit, and Mrs. Wick has appointed a committee to work on by-laws, as well as a program committee for the next meeting, which will be held Wednesday, May 26, at 7:30 in the evening in the school gymnasium. An interesting program is in the planning, and fathers are specially invited.

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ROOSEVELT
The last meeting of the year for Roosevelt Parent-Teacher association saw an excellent turn-out with the new president, Mrs. Robert A. Thompson, appointing her committees for the coming 1948-49 year. Mrs. George Clark will serve as program chairman for next year and Mrs. Alvin E. Macartney is magazine chairman. Co-chairmen for the usual PTA teas are Mrs. Alba Kuykendall and Mrs. Edith Compton. Hospitality chairman is Mrs. George Condrey, past president of Roosevelt PTA, who will serve each meeting with her committee.

Budget chairman and head of ways and means is Mrs. Richard Maxwell. Mrs. Charles Larkin is chairman of social hygiene, Mrs. F. Cecil Adams, room mother chairman, and publicity, Mrs. Neal Stewart.

Summer Round-Up chairman is yet to be named. The executive board presented three recommendations to the group and all were passed. The measures included the following: that tea be served in the cafeteria instead of the auditorium, that the PTA set aside \$50 for the eight meetings at which tea is served, thus relieving individual members of the responsibility, and third, purchase of books amounting to \$75 for the library.

Tuesday's program opened with the presentation of the third grade singing four chorus numbers under the direction of Mrs. Sherman Carter. Later the room count was taken with winning rooms those of Mrs. C. F. Harris and Mrs. Hubert Kidd.

The past president's pin was presented Mrs. Arthur Reinhart by Mrs. George Condrey. Mrs. Reinhart having completed the past year as Roosevelt PTA head. Mrs. Clark then introduced Sam Smith, city recreation officer, who showed a film on recreation. Tea was served at the close of the meeting.

RIVERSIDE
Riverside PTA met Tuesday, May 18, at 2:30 p. m. for the final meeting of the school year.

The fourth grade under the direction of Mrs. Florence Pielke sang three folks songs and presented a folk dance. A report of the convention was given by Mrs. H. A. Moore. D. L. Golding, principal, spoke briefly on the improvements planned for the school and also expressed his appreciation to the PTA members for their cooperation during the year.

President Norma Tucker presented Mrs. H. A. Nitschelm with a bouquet of red roses, and expressed the PTA's thanks to Mrs. Nitschelm for her seven years of very active membership. New officers were installed by Mrs. Lewis Hornby, and each presented with a corsage. Those taking office were Mrs. H. A. Moore, president, Mrs. Gordon Loomis, vice president, Mrs. Leslie Lingschelt, secretary, and Mrs. E. C. Reed, treasurer.

Mrs. Norma Tucker, retiring president, was presented with a past president's pin and a corsage. Refreshments were served in the

WHY WE SAY



"ALL MEN HAVE THEIR PRICE"
Sir Robert Walpole (1674-1742) is thought to be the originator of this expression. At this time in history most politicians used bribery as a weapon. In fact, a price was more or less accepted as a phase of political life.

Indian Wins Honor From Scout Court

SEATTLE, May 21 (AP)—A member of Montana's Blackfoot Indian tribe was honored for service to boyhood Thursday by the National Court of Honor of the Boy Scouts of America. The silver antelope award was made to Francis X. Guardipee of Browning, Mont., at a regional Scout breakfast meeting. He has been an active member of the Boy Scout organization for 34 years.

Other members of region XI receiving the silver antelope award were Kenneth Morrison, Blaine, Wash.; Charles Morrison, Zillah, Wash.; Norton Clapp, Seattle, and J. R. Bruckart, Eugene, Ore. The presentations of the award were made in conjunction with the two-day national meeting of the Boy Scouts here.

Tribute will be paid Song Writer Irving Berlin this afternoon for his dedication of proceeds from the song "God Bless America" to the aid of boys and girls from low-income family areas. Recipients of the silver buffalo award for noteworthy service to boyhood of a national or international character will be announced at tonight's banquet.

The Pacific Northwest region won the Lorillard Spencer award for the largest percentage increase in membership in 1947—a 9 per cent gain. The award was presented at the council presidents' dinner last night to Alton F. Baker, publisher of the

cafeeteria by the teachers. The tea table and room were beautifully decorated with spring flowers.

COUNTY COUNCIL
Word has been received from the Oregon congress of re-appointment of A. L. Gralapp, superintendent of city schools, as state chairman for juvenile protection. Mrs. Earl Sheridan, president of Shasta PTA has also received appointment as state chairman for National Parent-Teacher publications.

Mrs. Hugh Haddock, state vice president of region 6, accompanied by Mrs. A. A. Montgomery, Klamath County council president, Mrs. R. G. Fisher, council chairman of procedure and by-laws, and Mrs. Earl Sheridan, went to Keno May 13 to assist in organizing the new PTA unit.

WATERBURY, Conn., May 21 (AP)
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Portland Stores To Stay Open
PORTLAND, May 21 (AP)—Six major Portland department and specialty stores said today they would not close Saturday afternoons this summer as they did last year. A day earlier, the city's largest department store (Meier and Frank's) announced it would close Saturday afternoons during July and August again this year. Another (Roberts Bros.) said Saturday afternoon closing was an annual fixture with it.

The other stores said they would reduce the working week, rotating employees to give all one short day, but would stay open for business full time.

St. Patrick's birthplace has been variously said to be Scotland, England, Wales and France.

Eugene Register-Guard, regional committee chairman, and O. D. Sharpe, regional Scout executive.

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