



WALLACE LEE HUG, shown with his mother, Mrs. Patricia Hug, is perhaps envied by other 10-year-olds for his friendship with Sal Mineo who played the title role in the picture, "Tonka." Wallace was a member of the cast of this production which was filmed near Bend. He is looking forward to another role this summer. In the meantime he enjoys the usual interests of boys his age, baseball, swimming, building model airplanes and ships, TV and comic books. He will spend the summer months with his father, Cmdr. Wallace Hug, in Los Angeles. Wallace's one regret is leaving his pets, Princess, a Dalmatian, and Thumper the rabbit, with his grandmother in Salem.

The two were recent guests at the Carl Yancey home. Mrs. Hug served as secretary to Rep. John Kerbow during the last legislative session while on leave from her position as office manager for Security Pictures in California.

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FAREWELLS were said this week to members of a well known family who have been long time residents of this city. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swansen and family left Monday for their new home in Santa Barbara where they have purchased the Terrace Court Trailer Park. Mr. and Mrs. Swansen are pictured with three of their children. Margaret, left front, will enter high school as a freshman and her sister, Marilyn, right front, will be a senior student. Standing behind his parents is Robert, who attended Southern Oregon College this year and will transfer to the University of California at Santa Barbara. Another daughter, Diane of Carmel, teaches at Monterey and will attend the university this summer working toward her master's degree in art. The popular family, all active in Klamath Falls social and civic affairs and members of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, has been honored at numerous affairs prior to their departure.

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SEEING THE UNITED STATES for the first time are three visitors from Soderhamn, Sweden, who have been guests at the Eugene Bailie home on Eldorado Street. From the left, Mrs. Agne Sjöberg, her mother, Mrs. Elsa Persson, and Agne Sjöberg. Agne Sjöberg, cousin of Mrs. Eugene Bailie, is an air traffic control officer in Soderhamn. The trio flew to New York and have motored across the country visiting relatives in Chicago and Boise. This week Mrs. Bailie and her mother, Mrs. Karin Carlson, accompanied their guests to San Francisco and to San Jose where they will be guests of Mrs. Bailie's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Erik Carlson. The travelers will visit points of interest on their return to New York from where they will leave by plane for their home in about three weeks.

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MRS. GEORGE FLITCRAFT, right, wife of the exalted ruler of the Klamath Falls Elks lodge, presents orchid leis, left to right, to Mrs. J. H. (Bunk) Moore of Prineville, wife of the new president of OSEA; Mrs. Fred Stefani of Oregon

City, wife of the second vice president of the state association; and Mrs. Jack Judson from Ontario, whose husband is the immediate past president of the group.



COLORFUL GARDEN UMBRELLAS added to the charm of the garden atmosphere of the Champagne Tea held Friday for the Elks ladies. Just before the fashion show started this trio was photographed, left to right, Mrs. Claude Biehn, Mrs. Robert Luse and Mrs. D. H. Dickinson.

—All Elks Photos by Ellis

Elaborate Decorations Highlight Social Affairs For Visiting Elks Ladies

Many adjectives are needed to describe the decorations at the two social affairs given for Elks Ladies at the convention held here last week.

At the Mixer on Thursday evening, held in the Pine Grove Room of the Willard Hotel, many friendships were renewed and new ones made. Clever wall decorations which provided conversation topics were done by ladies of the outlying areas under the direction of Mrs. Carl Coulson Jr. of Merrill. Beverage glasses, all sizes and shapes, were given as many facial features, and were imprinted with the names of each participating lodge. The gay drawings were given as souvenirs of an evening of fun while the menfolk attended lodge session.

The Champagne Tea on Friday was held in an atmosphere of garden-like beauty. Guests entered the foyer of the Klamath Auditorium, which could well have been the entrance to a beautiful estate. Green and yellow Victorian rose trees flanked the doorway while a decorated fence, iron garden bench and sun dial completed the charming picture.

Flown from Hawaii were orchid corsages for each lady and orchid leis for officers' wives, which were presented to them by the hostesses.

Thousands of paper roses in shades of pink, lavender and blue were used for trees which stood about the rooms. Branches blooming with roses lined the walls. Guests were seated in garden furniture and at tables under colorful umbrellas. A draped blue ceiling hung with silver stars added the finished touch to the picture. Small rose trees and trailing ivy centered the coffee and punch tables where wives of past exalted rulers presided.

For the guests' pleasure a fashion show was presented by many stores, both men's and women's, of the city. Models made their entrance through a stage door outlined in pink brick and descended to the floor over a pink carpeted stairway.

Compliments, still being received, are rewarding the many women who worked for months under the direction of Mrs. Mike Balsiger, general chairman, to make the affairs long remembered.



THE MIXER, opening function for the lady Elks at the recent convention, was held Thursday evening at the Willard Hotel. Shown standing before the clever wall decorations, left to right, are Mrs. Mike Balsiger, general chairman of the ladies events, Mrs. Jack Shannon of Condon; Mrs. Ian Jamieson, wife of the exalted ruler of Condon; Mrs. Earl Popplewell from Coos Bay; Mrs. Jack Judson, Ontario; Mrs. Fred Stefani of Oregon City.