



CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Flournoy of Likely celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on Oct. 14.

Likely Pair Wed 60 Years

ALTURAS — Sixty years of marriage were celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Flournoy at Likely on Oct. 14. Arthur Flournoy and Lute E. Long were married in 1903 at Shumway, Lassen County, Calif., by Pastor M. C. Church of Susanville. Both are native Californians and son and daughter of pioneer ranching families. After a brief honeymoon in San Francisco the Flournoys returned to Likely where he continued his ranching business with his father and brothers. The Flournoy holdings were extensive in the Likely and Jess Valley area's of Modoc County. During the early 1900s before the arrival of the railroad in Likely, the ranchers were vir-

tually isolated from other Northern California communities except by long and arduous trip in buggy or horseback.

He tells of the days when the automobile first came to Likely around 1911. The gasoline would be shipped into Likely via horse and wagon freight in five-gallon and one gallon cans. With cans of gas loaded aboard, the new and modern auto would take over until bogged down by muddy or impassable roads.

Mrs. Flournoy explained the unique road clearing used for snow removal. When she and her husband wished to come to Likely from their Jess Valley home, they would drive a herd of horses in front of the buggy to trample the snow and clear the way for the buggy.

Taking the cattle to market set everyone to traveling in the late 1890s. The neighbors would gather together and drive 500 or more cattle to market in Marysville. This would entail 22 days of rugged work through mountains and desert country. After the cattle were sold the supplies were bought for the home ranch for the next year and loaded into the large freight wagons for the trip home. In those days flour was purchased by the ton.

After continuing to extend the cattle holdings his father had established, Arthur Flournoy retired in 1945. Since that time the Flournoy ranching enterprise has been carried on by his sons, Robert, Kenneth, Don and Warren. Another son, Harry, runs the Flournoy general merchandise store in Likely which was owned and run by his uncle before him. The Flournoy children, 10 in all, are still living in the Modoc area with the exception of John who lives in Reno and Mrs. Mabel Mitchell who now resides in Santa Monica. Daughters Helen Able and Hazel Dorris live in Alturas. One child, Georgie, is deceased.

The Flournoys have 25 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Older grandsons are also carrying on the family tradition as cattle ranchers in Modoc and Lassen counties.



RECENTLY WED — Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Curtain II were married recently in the chapel at Stead Air Force Base. Mrs. Curtain is the former Sally Ayers of Eagleville. —Photo by Pied Piper Studio

Wedding Date Is Set

TULELAKE—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fleming Ayer, have announced the coming marriage of their only daughter, Mary Jane, to Walter Harry Calvin Smeal of San Francisco.

The two o'clock ceremony will be performed in the Old First Presbyterian Church, Sacramento and Van Ness Avenue, on Dec. 15.

The bride-to-be, a graduate of the Tulelake Joint Union High School, who attended Shasta Junior College, Redding, is employed with Pacific Telephone in San Francisco. Her fiancé is affiliated with the Crocker-Anglo Bank in the Bay city.

Soroptimists See Dancers

Young students of the Ruby Kjuac Dance Studio, Malin, presented a clever dance and short play for the Klamath Falls Soroptimist Club Oct. 24. Lorraine Johnson was program chairman.

Mrs. Kujac presented four small girls in "The Milk Maid Dance," and a group of beautifully costumed children in the play, "Me Ling and Her Emperor Wu," the Chinese interpretation of the old Cinderella story. A myrtle wood gavel and stand, made by Klamath Millwork and engraved by J. C. Renie, jeweler, will be sent with colored slides of members of the Klamath Falls Club, to the sister city club in Rotorua, New Zealand. Pictures taken by Rhoda Harnden and Olive Corbett, were shown during the luncheon meeting of the club Oct. 24.

Sally Ayers Recent Bride

ALTURAS — Sally Ayers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ayers, Eagleville, and Paul W. Curtain II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Curtain, Washington, D.C., were married Sept. 21 at Stead Air Force Base Chapel.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a floor length gown of delustered poile de seau and Chantilly lace. Pearls and sequins outlined the Sabrina neckline. The full skirt was of lace with three soft tiers of poile de seau bordered with medallions of lace which formed the chapel train. Her veil was a scalloped bonnet edged with sequins and dotted with pearls and petals of tulle. She carried a lavender orchid surrounded with Stephanotis.

Lucile Laxague was maid of honor and Mrs. Douglas Bucher, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. They were dressed alike in lace sheath dresses of cotton blue over light blue with lace overskirts. Each wore a matching blue veil.

Lucinda Sue Bucher, niece of the bride, was flower girl.

Ernest L. Curtain, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Joe E. Ayers was usher.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the NCO Club. Serving were Carolee Hironomous and Ken Kuhns. Linda Stewart attended the guest book.

The new Mr. and Mrs. Curtain are residing in Reno.

confidential observer and Tammy Beutel, outer observer.

Past worthy advisers provided the installing team. They were Rose Hughes, retiring worthy adviser; Linda Ridgeway, chaplain; Jacqui Winter, recorder; Christine Graves, treasurer; Karen Cummings and Patsy Jordan, marshals. Other past worthy advisers present included Mary Ellen Bryan and Donna Parsons.

Mrs. Vera Parsons and Mrs. Ione Hughes, hostess and mother adviser, welcomed the guests. The officers-elect were escorted by members of Dunsuir chapter, Order of DeMolay. Refreshments and dancing followed the ceremonies.

Nuptial Vows Are Recited

MOUNT SHASTA — Norma Jean Holden, daughter of Mrs. Frances Newton Holden and the late Ralph Holden, Mount Shasta, became the bride of William E. Wood on Oct. 19 at the Community Methodist Church. The Rev. Karl H. Schwarzenberg officiated.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Lester Brubaker. The bridal gown of white peau de sole was fashioned with Sabrina neckline, trimmed with pearls, three quarter sleeves and bouffant skirt with chapel train. A crown of pearls secured her three tiered illusion veil. She carried a bouquet of Fuji chrysanthemums and apricot roses.

Maid of honor was Kim Stevens, Dunsuir, and bridesmaid was Vicki Petrovics, Dunsuir. Both are cousins of the bridegroom. They wore frocks of

GARDEN CLUB MEETS
NEW PINE CREEK — The State Line Garden Club met last week for a Christmas decorations workshop. Mrs. Elna Follett of Lakeview demonstrated the making of Christmas wreaths.

apricot nylon with matching slippers and veil headdresses held by pearl bands.

Andrea Miller, San Mateo, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. She was dressed like the other attendants and carried a basket of pompons.

Steven Miller, San Mateo, was ring bearer.

Lance Wood, Weed, was best man for his brother. Ushers were Glen Stevens, Dunsuir, and Dale Welch, Weed.

The reception was held in the church parlors, after which the newlyweds left for a honeymoon. They will make their home in the Angel Apartments in Mount Shasta.



BRIDAL PAIR — The former Norma Jean Holden and William E. Wood are shown after they exchanged wedding vows Oct. 19 at the Community Methodist Church in Mount Shasta. —Photo by J. O. McKinney

WOM Have Chapter Night

Thelma Lynam was initiated into the Women of the Moose, Chapter 18, on Tuesday, Oct. 15. Fourteen members were present at the session. Pro-tem officers for the evening were Lucille Gray, musician, and Rose Baley, assistant guide.

Leta Stolt reported on the last Lion's Club dinner served and which she chairmanned on Oct. 7. The next dinner will be served by the Women's Drum Corps, with Joanne Gestvang as chairman.

Recorder Leta Stolt read a letter announcing the WOMT convocation to be held in Roseburg on Oct. 27. Registration will start at 9 a.m. with rehearsal at 11 a.m. A luncheon will precede the afternoon meeting, under the auspices of the College of Regents.

A special prize was won by Rose Baley. Refreshments were served by Ada Matney, Mable Craig and Jeannette Humphrey. The Library Committee will be in charge of the next meeting, Nov. 5.

VFW SOCIAL CLUB

MALIN—The VFW Social Club met recently at the home of Merle Kirkpatrick with two tables in play. Prizes were won by Katherine Isensee, high, and Margaret Peckham, low.

Others present were Alverta Williams, Arlene Williams, Mary Alice Stastny, Helen Whitman and the hostess Merle Kirkpatrick.

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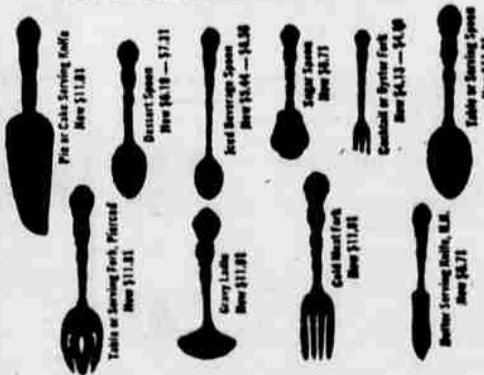
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