

'Mother Love' Seems Matter For Mother State In Russia

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NEW YORK (UPI) — Mother love seems to be a matter for the mother state in the Soviet Union.

So says Mrs. John Sprague Pauman, one of the first two women to participate in the cultural exchange program between the United States and the USSR.

"We were amazed the child-parent relationship seems to be thoroughly limited," she said. "The women with whom we talked were very sentimental about children in general, but saw little of their own."

"We rarely saw families vacationing together. Almost all of the women we met work. It was a rare sight to see a mother pushing a baby carriage, often a nursery is right close to the factory."

Mrs. Bauman and Mrs. Yarnall Jacobs, both of New York and both long active in women's organizations, visited Russia for 31 days this summer as guests of the Soviet Society for the Friendship and Culture with Foreign Countries—"They like long titles," she laughed.

The women are with the National Council of Women of the United States—Mrs. Jacobs as a vice-president, and Mrs. Bauman as chairman of its committee on Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy.

Full Schedule

They crowded in a lot of touring—visits to Moscow, Leningrad, Kiev, Yalta, Black Sea resorts, and collective farms in the Ukraine. They saw homes, apartments, youth camps, kindergartens, orphanages, maternity hospitals, housing projects, active churches, a subway, museums, and worker clubs.

The children in nursery, kindergarten or youth camps seemed to make the strongest impression on the women. In an interview, Mrs. Bauman said they found the youngsters "unusually healthy

and happy appearing and well-dressed."

"The school equipment is excellent by our standards; there was one teacher for every 25 children on shifts of six hours. The children are kept from 7:30 in the morning until 7:30 at night, and get four meals a day."

"The women we met insisted that the children were far better cared for... by the experts."

"I don't know what provision is made for the child who doesn't fit the system."

"But these children are the Soviet's investment in the future... and with the indoctrination I observed, and the spartan training in health and endurance, it gives one pause, for our next generation."

Go As A Delegate

Mrs. Bauman said she and Mrs. Jacobs concluded that if an American visitor wanted the grand treatment in Russia, the way to go was as a delegate for some organization. "The Russians seem to feel that the way to impress a people is from the top down, not from the grass roots up."

Tourists return complaining of the food and accommodations. But the word "delegate" meant an interpreter always at their disposal, and gifts, flowers, and refreshments wherever they went.

"Somebody was always drinking a toast to peace," she said.

As delegates, they found themselves at the head of lines for planes and trains and they got faster service in hotels and restaurants.

"It's the old flattery technique, of course," said Mrs. Bauman.

"I am sure the Russians want peace," she continued. "I'm also sure they want it on their own terms."

"But their system is working for them. The main ingredient lacking is freedom. They work to an end. To us, the means is just as important as the end."

Woman's World

MAXINE NURMI, Woman's Editor

New Minister Speaks Sunday At Local Christian Church

The First Christian Church of La Grande had their new minister in the pulpit Sunday. He is the Rev. Wallace N. Hastings, and comes to La Grande from Indiana. The Rev. Hastings is a native of Oregon, graduating from DuFour High School in 1941. He attended the University of Oregon and Northwest Christian College, receiving a Bachelor of Theology degree from the latter institution in 1952.

Pastorates that he has served are as follows: supply minister for the Christian Church of Centerville, Wash. in the summer of 1943; five years at the Woodland Christian Church of Woodland, Wash. (1943-1948); three years with the Central Christian Church of Prosser, Wash. (1948-1951); and one year as Associate Minister with the First Christian Church of Fullerton, Calif. He has just completed a six year pastorate with the First Christian Church of Sheridan, Ind.

Church planning group for the Greater Indianapolis Metropolitan area.

On this past June 8, Rev. Hastings received his Bachelor of Divinity degree from Christian Theological Seminary in Indianapolis, which is the largest Christian Church seminary in the country. On July 31, he received his Master of Arts degree from Butler University.



REV. W. HASTINGS
New Minister

Enroute to moving from Sheridan, Ind. to La Grande the Hastings family attended the International Convention of Christian Churches held in Denver, Colo. Prior to the opening of the convention, Rev. Hastings was a member of the Indiana Christian Church delegation on the convention's committee of recommendations. This committee on recommendations considers the business and resolutions which will later be presented to the general assembly and then recommends their acceptance.

Rev. Hastings has been active in the community life of Sheridan, assisting in Boy Scout work, United Fund Drives and youth activities. He participated for three years on the Indiana Campus Christian Life Commission for the Christian Churches and also served as a member of the Eight County

ographer in a large office building. I've held this job for two years. A certain man who is old enough to be my father works in the same building. I've seen him hundreds of times and he has said a pleasant good morning and nothing more.

Last night after work I was waiting for the bus and it was raining fairly hard. I had a rain coat but no umbrella. This man drove by and asked if I lived north. I said "Yes" and he offered to drive me "before I drowned to death."

He introduced himself but I was flustered and didn't get his name. He took me right home and that was that. My Dad asked who dropped me off and when I couldn't think of the man's name he really blew his top. He says this is the same as a pick-up and I should be ashamed of myself? Is he right?

—Indignant.

Dear Indignant: I think your dad is off base. The man was not a total stranger. You knew his face and place of employment. Your big mistake was not remembering his name.

versity. Mrs. Cleo J. Bevington Hastings received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Butler University July 31 cum laude. The Hastings were married in 1944.

Mrs. Hastings attended Northwest Christian College for two years, going to this college from her home in Boise, Idaho. The Hastings have two children, Kathleen, age 13 (eighth grader) and James, age 10 (sixth grader). They are making their home at the Christian Church parsonage, 1802 Walnut Street in La Grande.

Soroptimist Club Starts Meetings

The local Soroptimist Club held their first meeting for the coming season Thursday at the Sacajawea. It was in the form of a regular luncheon.

Reports on the annual smorgasbord were given during the business meeting. Riemna Laurence, president, presided.

The group also made plans for activities to be held at various times the coming year.

The next meeting will be held Sept. 10, at 12 noon in the Sacajawea.

Martha D. Hansen Rites On Thursday

Mrs. Martha Dorothy Hansen, 69, a housewife of La Grande, died this morning in a local hospital, following an extended illness.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Daniels Funeral Home. The Rev. Louis

Martha's Memos It's Not What Happens But The Reaction That Counts

by Martha Morgan

Tonight after school Ann, my 11-year-old granddaughter, came over to tell me she'd been defeated for vice-president in the school election—a keen disappointment to her. So I stopped baking and we sat down to talk about it over some warm raisin cookies and milk.

I explained to Ann—young as she is—that it isn't what happens to you that counts nearly so much as what you do about it. Losing that election at school is a big thing to her. But if she'll try, she can still make as big a contribution to her school out of office and have just as much fun. And that's the important thing. What's more, she'll be better prepared to meet other more serious disappointments later on. Rising above heartbreak or mishap can often take a person to heights she may never have reached otherwise.

By the time Ann had a few cookies in her, she was feeling much better, and she offered to bake the rest of the batch. In return I told her she could take a plate of cookies home for dinner. She impulsively asked if they were Morning Milk cookies, to which I answered, "Of course, that's what makes them so tender and moist. That's the first lesson you have to learn about cooking. Ann, is to use good ingredients. And Morning Milk is one of the best!"

I reminded her of Abe Lincoln, who, in one of his campaign speeches, said, "If the good people, in their wisdom, shall see fit to keep me in the background, I have been too familiar with disappointments to be very much chagrined." Yes, we all have our disappointments.

Country Club Holds Potluck

A potluck luncheon at the La Grande Country Club was attended by about 40 women, Wednesday.

Mrs. Kenneth Rodgers and her mother, Mrs. Alan Van Wormer, Tacoma, Wash., were guests of Mrs. Jack Denny, Mrs. Myrtle McNeil was a guest of Mrs. Kenneth Chatwood.

The winners for the afternoon of bridge were, Mrs. Ray Murphy, Mrs. Martin Fitzgerald and Mrs. August Stange.

Wilford Gilbert Rites Held Today

Wilford Dewey Gilbert, 61, a cook at the Foley Grill, died Saturday in a local hospital.

Funeral services were held in the Dempsey-Snodgrass Funeral Chapel, today. Bishop W. A. Bean officiated. Burial was in the City cemetery.

Mr. Gilbert was born in Utah, March 20, 1898, and had lived here six weeks. He was a member of the Elks.

Survivors are the widow, La Rue Gilbert, La Grande; two sons, Philip Andrew Gilbert, National City, Calif., and William Taylor Gilbert, San Diego, Calif.; three sisters, Anna Smith, La Grande; Martha Nickless, Salt Lake City; and Mary E. Glenn, Caldwell, Idaho. There are three grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Ida May Rutledge Dies At Colfax

Ida May Rutledge, 92, Colfax, Wash., died there Saturday. She had lived in La Grande from 1891 to 1953, when she moved to Colfax to live with a daughter.

Graveside services were held at the Island City cemetery today. E. Der E. Harms officiated.

Mrs. Rutledge was born in Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 12, 1867. She was a member of the Church of God and Legion Auxiliary.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. J. C. Baird, Colfax, Wash., and Mrs. Nina Owsley, Redmond; five grandchildren, eight great grandchildren, and two great great grandchildren. Iva Cox of La Grande is a sister-in-law.

Samson will officiate. Burial will be in the City cemetery.

Mrs. Hansen was born Dec. 25, 1889 and had been a resident of La Grande for 31 years. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church, Neighbors of Woodcraft and Royal Neighbors of America.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Vivian Carden, Portland, and Millicent Price, La Grande; one brother, Herbert Schumacher, Montesano, Wash.; and five grandchildren.



PEGGY M. MASTRUDE
Plans Wedding

Spring Wedding Plans Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Fisher of La Grande are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Peggy Marthene Mastrude, to Larry Dean Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson, also of La Grande.

Miss Mastrude is a senior in the La Grande High School. Johnson is a graduate of LHS and is now employed by the Union Pacific Railroad of La Grande.

The wedding is being planned for spring.

The costume suit (dress and matching jacket) is a prime favorite this fall. The prettiest get luxurious fur collars as trim.

LOCAL EVENTS

Dot Ann Anson left recently for Portland, where she will teach in Grant High School. Her subjects will be physical education and health. Last week was spent in orientation work, held at the high school for all new teachers. Tuesday they attended a luncheon in the Madison High School, where they met all teachers in the Portland school system.

The local American Legion Auxiliary will meet Wednesday at 8 p.m., in the Legion hall on Jefferson avenue.

Sue Anson recently returned from Winter, Wis., where she has been working in a Jewish privilege camp, Chickagani. She spent about 11 weeks there.

Three Links Club will hold a meeting in the clubroom of the Odd Fellows temple, Wednesday at 8 p.m.

LA to B of RT will hold a regular meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the IOOF hall.

Island City Ladies Aid will meet Thursday at 10 a.m. for an all day meeting in the home of Edna Anson. Bring a sack lunch.

Eagles Auxiliary officers and drill team will hold practice in the hall, Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

The Drivers License Examiner will be on duty in La Grande Tuesday, at 106 Depot street, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Persons wishing original licenses, or permits to drive are asked to file applications well ahead of the scheduled closing hour in order to assure the time for completion of the required license test.

World War I Widows club meeting has been postponed from Sept. 3, until Sept. 10. It will be a potluck held at 6:30 p.m. in the home of Shirley Drummond, 906 Main street.

Celebrating birthdays today are Lewis Rees of Cove; Ann Clemens, Union; Mrs. Gladys Culp, Edgim; Jane Mcronney, Caldwell, Idaho; Daniel Scott Camp, Ventura, Calif.; and Mrs. Harold Loy and Myron Stein of La Grande.

Church Conference Is Held At Cove

COVE (Special)—The Eastern Oregon Clergy Conference of the Episcopal Church is being held at the Ascension Summer School. The Rt. Rev. J. W. Hunter of Wyoming is the leader and guest. Also Rt. Rev. Lane W. Barton will be a speaker.

There is 17 clergy and seven wives and 10 children attending. Those in charge of the conference are the Rev. Louis L. Perkins, chairman, the Rev. William Woodman and the Rev. Richard L. Payne.

ANN LANDERS

Answers Your Problems

Dear Ann Landers: This letter is being written by three teenagers. We were shocked to read in your column that a boy who bleaches his hair is "jerk."

There are several swell guys in our crowd who streak their hair with ammonia and peroxide, and a couple of fellows have complete b'each jobs. We think it looks darling and can't see what you are yelping about.

Millions of girls bleach their hair and nobody thinks a thing of it. Why is it jerky for a fellow and not a girl? Please print your answer in the paper. A lot of us kids are mad at you. — Your Enemies.

Dear Enemies: If you kids have the notion that anything that's O.K. for girls is O.K. for boys, we'd better have a long talk. How would you like to see the fellows in earrings and high heels?

Each sex enjoys privileges accorded them by custom and convention. In my opinion, self-administered streaks, not to mention complete bleach jobs) on male heads get too close to earrings and high-heels. — Your Friend, Ann Landers.

Dear Ann: I'm an only child, married just three weeks to a wonderful fellow. We rented a

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By Ed Craig

There's not much that's more annoying than to take an otherwise clean garment from the hanger and discover a spot on it after just one wearing. "Where did it come from?" you ask. "Is it a food stain? Beverage? Perfume?" You have no way of telling.

When this happens, it's wise to get the garment to your cleaner as quickly as possible. While some stains are irremovable, most of them do come out with proper cleaning. Food stains, stains from tea, coffee, soft drinks and fruit juices, should be scientifically removed quickly, before they become oxidized by exposure to air and heat.

Dye stains are usually the most difficult to remove from dark and pastel fabrics. White fabrics yield to blemishes which can usually be removed by the stain. Oil stains come out easily when fresh, yet they are often impossible to remove completely after they have aged for a time.

A word of warning: never try to remove an unidentified stain by home cleaning agents. You might come up with a ruined garment! Proper cleaning by specialists costs less in the long run, makes your clothes last longer. Prompt pickup and delivery, or save on our "Cash and Carry" plan.

REMEMBER
Inspect

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