

OBSERVATIONS FROM THE SIDELINES

By Kathryn H. Bogle

The Sandpiper Gallery, in Sandpiper Square at Cannon Beach, is host to an exhibit extending through November 18 for the sculptures and drypoints of Al Goldsby, popular Oregon metal sculptor.

Mr. Goldsby has been in attendance daily at the gallery hours of 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm.

The Jane Jefferson Democratic Women's Club of Multnomah County observed its 25th anniversary with an informal reception on November 10, in the Daylight Gallery of the Dekum building.

Founders Peg Clark, Tash Livingston and Maurine Nueberger were honored during the afternoon. Tribute was paid to them for developing an organization with a public "issue-oriented" leadership where the membership deliberated on critical issues of the day and, sometimes, sought political office.

Listed among the honored deceased members who "faithfully served Jane Jefferson" was the name of Gustavia Thompson, well known in the Black community for her civic contributions.

Currently serving as president for this concerned group of women is J.M. Gates (Mrs. Osly J. Gates). "The Jane Jefferson Club of Multnomah County continues to emphasize political issues and candidates through educational programs and participation," says Mrs. Gates. "We are studying public legislation and school integration including the significance of economic achievement and racial diversity."

The club is endeavoring to expand membership and is planning seasonal activities toward that goal.

We thought this speech by Dorothy I. Cutler to the Oregon Episcopal Diocesan Convention could be repeated with benefit.

By Dorothy I. Cutler

I am here today because 36 years ago a young Vicar reached out to a group of multi-colored urchins in an unfashionable neighborhood in Los Angeles.

According to the National Commission on Hispanic Ministry, Hispanics will be the majority in the United States by the year 2,000 and is one of Oregon's two largest ethnic minorities.

Hispanics have basically only two things in common: the Spanish



Dorothy I. Cutler
(Photo: Richard Brown)

language and a Christian religious heritage of Roman Catholicism. The Episcopal Church is in a unique position for ministry to Hispanics because we have an expression of catholicity that fulfills the need in Hispanic culture.

In February of this year, Bishop Matthew Bigliardi honored me by appointing me to chair the Task Force. With Fr. Phil Getchell and a dedicated group of persons from many parts of the Diocese, we began meeting every two or three weeks.

With funds appropriated at the 1978 Diocesan Convention, a bilingual seminary spent the summer in the Tualatin Valley. The Tualatin Valley was selected as the site for the seminary for two reasons: first, the majority of Oregon's Hispanics live in rural areas and small towns and therefore, what could be learned in the Tualatin Valley would be characteristic of much of the Oregon Diocese. Secondly, because of the limited time the seminary was available, it was felt that a more concentrated experience in a smaller geographic area would render truer information than could be obtained from a larger area.

The seminarian, Tom Davidson, was supervised in the field by Fr. Neff Powell and met twice monthly with the Task Force. He picked strawberries in the fields, was an outreach worker for Virginia Garcia Clinic in Cornelius and learned from Hispanic and Anglo, church and community workers, from migrant farm workers and permanent residents.

Some of the things learned:

---Washington County, in a conservative estimate, has 3,000 permanent Hispanic residents. This number is increased by 7,000 when seasonal farm workers come in May to September. Though accurate figures do not exist, it is estimated that there are 60-100,000 Hispanics in Western Oregon.

---Though many are Roman Catholic, there are four Spanish-speaking Protestant congregations in Forest Grove and Hillsboro alone. However, many persons remain unchurched. Protestant clergy and laity are supportive of an Episcopal ministry.

---The quality of life for migrant farm workers is poor as evidenced by poor health and nutrition, substandard housing, illiteracy, inadequate income, and a myriad of other problems resulting from chronic poverty, and racial discrimination which is alive and well in Oregon.

What we see for the future is a full-time missionary in the Tualatin Valley who will celebrate the Eucharist and other offices in Spanish; provide leadership to the congregations to enable members to reach out into the community and perform ministry, taking the love of the Gospel to their neighbors who live half a block away or a mile away in a labor camp conveniently hidden by a row of trees in order not to offend our sensibilities. We perceive that models of ministry will then be replicated in other areas of the Diocese.

We want to see Hispanic ministry employ the same zeal as our Church has done to help the Indochinese refugees. I believe that Hispanics, Native Americans and Blacks are refugees in this, our country.

The two-day symposium, scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, November 17 and 18, at the Portland Art Museum at Southwest Park and Madison Street, will open there Friday evening when the public is invited to meet some of the distinguished participants at an "opening night" reception. The hours: 8:00 pm to 10:00 pm.

This separate affair will have as honored guest his Excellency Benoit Bindzi, Cameroonian Ambassador. The Saturday and Sunday symposium, free of charge to the public, draws from an impressive list of outstanding persons distinguished in the international field of African Studies.

The varied aspects of ancient African art offer tremendous range for exploration. Topics to be discussed, along with the book, "Art of the Cameroons," and photographs taken by Dr. Paul Gebauer on location in Africa for over 30 years, will be presented through the many approaches and disciplines of the researchers of African art who will speak.

Following the 9:30 am coffee hour on Saturday, Dr. Roy Sieber will formally open the symposium at 10:00 am.

Lunch at the Museum will be available both days through advance reservation.



Group of Maizebeer brewers from Fumban Casters community, Bamuni Area of Cameroon. (Photo: Portland Art Museum)



Bev Willis has joined Socolofsky & Summer, Inc., Realtors as a salesperson. Ms. Willis, a Portland resident, is vice president of Vernon School PTA and a pilot parent for the Multnomah Association for Retarded Citizens. Before entering real estate, she was a nurse at Emanuel and Providence Hospitals. She has worked with the mentally retarded at St. Vincent de Paul. She has attended the Los Angeles Valley Junior College.

AKA sponsors Disco Show

Zeta Sigma Omega is Portland's alumna chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Community projects sponsored by the Portland chapter include supporting the United Negro College Fund, sponsoring a group of high school girls' cultural and academic development and raising funds for scholarships and travel grants.

As a means of financing these community service programs the Sorority is presenting a Disco and Variety Show Saturday, November 17, 1979. This event will be held at

The Flamingo 9727 N.E. Sandy from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. For a \$5.00 donation you can come and dance and see the variety show which highlights the most talented performers in our community.

Tickets may be purchased from any Alpha Kappa Alpha woman and will be sold at the door. Mrs. Deborah Berry is the fund raising chairperson and Mrs. Bobbie Nunn is president of Zeta Sigma Omega chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc.

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