

Society and Clubs

First Lady and Guest Wear Same Dress; Designer Wails

New York—(U.P.)—The dress-maker who did it said today she'd "just like to drop dead" over the coincidence which put Mrs. Mamie Eisenhower face to face with her own dress at a party.

"I'm simply miserable," wailed Mollie Parnis. "I'm going right home and crawl under the rug."

The coincidence, which Mrs. Eisenhower noted gaily while the embarrassed Washington reception guest tried to disappear into the wall in her matching green print dress, was in a million chance, Miss Parnis said.

And it will never, never, never happen again, she swore shakily on a stack of paper patterns.

"It's taught me a lesson. I didn't think it could happen, but it did. And it shouldn't. I don't think Mrs. Eisenhower or any other first lady should ever find someone else wearing her dress."

Miss Parnis said the first lady didn't have to worry about meeting the rest of her wardrobe, however. The designer usually selects a special fabric for Mrs. Eisenhower's dresses.

But this imported print, she said, "was so pretty and so right for her, I just didn't want to change it. And I didn't have enough of it to make many dresses."

Miss Parnis said she guessed she had made up 90 copies which had been distributed to perhaps a dozen stores around the country.

Hornbrook

Hornbrook, Calif. — Mrs. Thomas Collier and son Tommy will leave April 2 for Washington, Kans., to attend the 50th wedding anniversary of her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fischer. Mrs. Bertha Bradley will accompany her.

Miss Dorothy Smith who teaches at Hill leaves April 1 to visit her brother, Edward M., and family at Davis, Calif. On Monday Miss Doris Cooney will accompany her to Santa Barbara, Calif., where they will visit her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith. They plan to visit friends in Los Angeles also.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hodge will spend Easter vacation with their son, Oliver and family at Dixon, Calif. Before returning Mr.

Hearing Aid Authority to Hold Free Consultations in Medford — April 2nd

LEONARD HARTMAN, a recognized hearing aid authority will hold free consultations to help the hard of hearing with their hearing problems. Mr. Hartman will explain why hearing losses are as different as finger prints, and as an added service, Mr. Hartman will rate your hearing on Beltone's exclusive audio-selector, the electronic instrument that determines the pattern of hearing losses and shows how a correctly fitted Triple Transistor Beltone Hearing Aid will improve ones hearing ability.

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If you are suffering from defective hearing, or if the hearing aid you now own isn't giving you the satisfaction you think it should, Mr. Hartman would like very much to talk to you. The few moments you spend with him may be the means of proving to yourself that to hear again is to live again. Paid Adv.

Washington—(U.P.)—Mrs. Durie Crane had planned to go home after a fashion show-lunch and change her dress before going to a reception in honor of Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

But she didn't. And before she knew what was happening, she was shaking hands with a woman in the very same dress, Mrs. Eisenhower.

Mrs. Crane clutched her fur cape around her and tried to slip by with a handshake and a smile. But the first lady was too quick for her.

"Oh, you're wearing the same dress. I just love it, don't you?" said the first lady.

"I just hope I look one-third as nice in mine as you do in yours," said a blushing Mrs. Crane.

Mrs. Eisenhower wore the distinctive Molly Parnis green print silk taffeta with its bow tied at the neck. Mrs. Crane, wife of a Washington businessman, wore the neck open.

"It's not really the same..." began Mrs. Crane.

"Oh, yes it is," Mrs. Eisenhower said opening up Mrs. Crane's tightly clenched jacket. "You just took off the bow. What a good idea."

Mrs. Crane told reporters at the tea yesterday she was "so embarrassed I could die." She kept her jacket on for the rest of the party and stayed as far away from Mrs. Eisenhower as she could.

The petite blonde, a friend of Mrs. Eisenhower's sister, Mrs. J. Gordon Moore, said she would have "ducked" out of the receiving line if she had noticed the first lady's dress in time. But she didn't.

To Hold Meeting

Reames Past Matrons' club, Order of Eastern Star, will meet at the home of Mrs. V. A. Turpin, 3533 Jacksonville highway, Monday, April 4. The committee includes Mrs. Turpin, chairman, assisted by Mrs. E. M. Gray, Mrs. J. R. Woodford and Mrs. H. U. Lumsden.

Dessert will be served at 12:30 o'clock.

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Hodge will go to San Francisco for a medical check-up.

The Knitters Club met March 29 at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Breceda. Members present besides the hostess were Mesdames Harry Chapman, L. C. Walsh, Rush Greive, Marshall Horn, L. E. Jeter, J. W. Hodge and Edward C. Smith.

CALENDAR

Saturday 8 p.m.—Women of the Moose, style show at Moose hall, 11 Newtown street.

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Scouts Selected For Camp Trip With Girl Guides

Grants Pass Girl Scout Troop 54, led by Mrs. Bernice Ullian, is one of three troops from Region 11, comprising Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and Alaska, chosen to do "across the border" camping in British Columbia this summer. The troops will camp for two weeks with Girl Guides from Vancouver, B.C.

A patrol of eight girls and one leader, who have shown themselves capable of primitive camping by carrying out a high-quality scouting program over a period of years, is eligible to participate in the camping activities. Mrs. Ullian has been leader of Troop 54 since the group started as Brownies in the second grade, giving them almost nine years of scouting experience together. The girls are now high school sophomores.

Scouts who will make the trip with Mrs. Ullian are Deanna Broer, Deanne Dayton, Diane Dayton, Ann Evans, Judy Fleishman, Robyn White, Judy Wilbur and Pat Wilson, with Judie Newman and Bette Ullian as alternates. All the girls are equally qualified for the trip, but since only eight may go, two girls who have already had outstanding opportunities in the scouting field were named as alternates. Judie Newman went to the all-state encampment at Cody, Wyo. last July, and Bette Ullian attended the regional convention at Sur Valley, Ida., last October.

The area council will provide apart of the funds for the trip, and the girls are required to earn the rest.

Rogue Rangers Plan Paper Chase

The newly formed riding group, Rogue Rangers, will hold a ride Sunday, April 3.

Members and guests will leave the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson promptly at 9 a.m., the committee states. The ride will be in the form of a paper chase, with the riders to find and follow a paper marked trail to their hidden lunches.

Each rider is asked to take his lunch to the Gibson home Saturday evening.

Further information may be had by calling 3-1664 or 2-5567.

POCAHONTAS LODGE TO MEET TONIGHT

Pocahontas lodge will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in Redman hall. A social hour and refreshments will follow the meeting.

Rent a Brand New Gulbransen Spinnet PIANO from the Valley Music Co. 523 Crater Lake Ave.

Club Plans Conference in Medford

Medford Business and Professional Women's club will be hostess for the spring conference of Southern Oregon district, Business and Professional Women, which is to be held here on April 2 and 3.

Registration will begin at 6 p.m. Saturday at the Medford hotel, and the conference will officially open with a 7 o'clock banquet at the hotel. Mrs. Mable Winston, dean of women at Southern Oregon college, will speak on the "Status of Women." Mrs. Natalie Burns, Springfield, state president, and Mrs. Cora Pirtle, Eugene, state first vice-president will be honored guests.

Registration will open again at 8:30 a.m. Sunday at the Rogue Valley Country club followed by a breakfast session at 9 a.m. Dr. Eleanor Gutman, Portland, state second vice-president, will speak on "Business Women and How They Tick." Reports will be given by presidents of various clubs in the district. Mrs. Imogene Boothby, Klamath Falls, district chairman, will preside during the conference.

District clubs to be represented are Medford, Glendale, Grants Pass, Klamath Falls, Lakeview, Merrill-Malin, Roseburg and South Umpqua.

Guild Announces Tea on Sunday At Black Oaks

Members and friends of St. Mark's church parish are invited to attend a silver offering tea to be given at Black Oaks conference center Sunday, April 3. Hours will be from 2:30 until 5 o'clock.

St. Mark's Evening guild is giving the tea as a benefit for the scholarship fund of St. Helen's hall, Portland. The event was planned at the request of Bishop Benjamin Dagwell, who wishes to see that more scholarships are available to girls desiring to attend St. Helen's hall.

The grounds and buildings

will be shown to those attending the tea. Black Oaks, recently acquired by the church, is situated about 12 miles from Medford on Rogue River. Those needing direction are asked to call 2-5666.

It is stated that punch and cookies will be served for the children of families wishing to attend.

Mrs. Robert Corbin and Mrs. Paul Chinn of evening guild are chairmen in charge of the tea.

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