

# Women's Page

## Margaret Truman To Marry New York Newspaperman

Kansas City—(U.P.)—Former President and Mrs. Harry S. Truman today announced the engagement of their daughter, Margaret, to Clifton Daniel Jr., a New York newspaperman.

With a broad parental smile, Mr. Truman told newsmen in his downtown offices that the wedding would be in Independence, Mo., in April.

Reading from a prepared statement, Mr. Truman said "both Miss Truman and Mr. Daniel are residents of New York where Miss Truman has been engaged in radio and television broadcasting and Mr. Daniel is employed as assistant to the foreign news editor of the New York Times."

"My daughter's wedding is all

I want to talk about today," he said. "It is of vital importance to me, her mother, and our daughter."

Mrs. Truman was not present at the news conference.

The announcement was not wholly unexpected. Speculation circulated during the weekend that a romance for the 32-year-old daughter of the former President was in the air. Miss Truman and Mr. Daniel visited his parents' home in Zebulon, N.C., yesterday.

Neither would discuss the rumored romance. Miss Truman insisted she had gone to North Carolina "just for a quiet weekend."

After touring parts of North Carolina in the afternoon, Miss Truman and Mr. Daniel were guests of Jonathan Daniels, editor of the Raleigh, N.C., News and Observer for which Mr. Daniel once worked.

Miss Truman and her fiancé returned to New York last night. Miss Truman was graduated from Gunston Hill in Washington in 1942 and received a bachelor of arts degree from George Washington University in 1946.

The blonde coloratura soprano first went to Washington with her parents in 1935 when her father entered the Senate from Missouri. She remained there periodically until 1953 while Mr. Truman served successively as senator, vice-president and President.

Later, she achieved worldwide recognition as a radio and television singer and performer. She made her television debut in 1950 and recently was under contract to the National Broadcasting company.

Mr. Daniel was born Sept. 19, 1912, in Zebulon. He was graduated in 1933 from the University of North Carolina and since then has been a newspaper and news agency reporter, editor, columnist and war correspondent.

### CALENDAR

Calendar notices and news for the society section of The Mail Tribune must be submitted in writing and deadline for the Sunday edition is 1 p.m. Friday. Deadline for the weekly calendar is 9 a.m. of the day of publication and for week day news is 5 p.m. the day before publication.

- Monday**  
7:30 p.m.—SPEBSQSA, Grange hall, Phoenix.  
7:45 p.m.—Gorsline circle, home of Mrs. Helmer Tinseth.  
8 p.m.—Degree of Honor lodge, Redman hall.  
8 p.m.—St. Mark's Evening guild, Parish house.  
8 p.m.—NOW, 11 Newtown st.  
8 p.m.—Scottish Rite Women's club, Medford Masonic temple.
- Tuesday**  
10:30 a.m.—Oak Grove Home Extension unit, Mrs. George C. Wimer, 3595 Jacksonville highway.  
12:30 p.m.—Gold Star Mothers, Mrs. Archie Parker, 436 Laurel st., Central Point.  
12:30 p.m.—First Presbyterian churches circles, Charity, Mrs. George Osler, 719 Palm st.; Faith, Mrs. Joy Swartsley, 1150 Janes rd.; Grace, Mrs. L. P. Rentschler, 25 South Groveland ave.; Hope, Mrs. P. A. Chitwood, 1111 West 10th st.; Mercy, Fire place room, church; Temple, Mrs. William McAllister, 2615 Hillcrest rd.; Trinity, Mrs. Ken Denman, 104 Geneva ave.  
1 p.m.—First Presbyterian church circle, Bethany, Mrs. J. A. Cunningham, 119 Highland dr.  
1 p.m.—Shady Cove HEC, Mrs. Lewis Dusenberry, Trail.  
1:30 p.m.—Women's association of Phoenix Presbyterian church.

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## Old Household Equipment Brings Sighs of Relief

By ELIZABETH TOOMEY  
United Press Correspondent  
New York—(U.P.)—Some of the nostalgia is missing at the National Antiques show this year. Unless, of course, it is possible to find any woman who will become nostalgic at the sight of a wooden wash tub or a hand-pumped vacuum cleaner that is a combination of a churn, an automatic jack and a pogo stick.

The annual antiques show at Madison Square Garden keeps expanding to include memorabilia from more nations and knick knacks rescued from more attics. This year among the 500,000 items and 200 exhibits are two displays of household equipment dating back to 1806.

An antique technically is 100 years old or more, but in the field of household gadgets, even a brief 10 years turns an appliance into an antique in the eyes of most women.

So the sight of yesterday's "labor-saving" devices has so far brought only shudders and sighs of relief from women touring the antiques show.

The round wooden wash tub on display is dated 1806, and has a narrow, saw-toothed wooden washboard attached.

Life got brighter by 1889 and somebody painted a wondrous work-saving washer bright red. It was mechanical, so long as a woman's arm held out in a cradle-like basket fitted inside the wooden bowl. To wash the clothes a woman had to push and pull the basket across the

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## Riverside Club Names Winners

Mrs. Margaret Alcorn and Roy Pruitt scored 106½ points to top Riverside Bridge club winners for the last session. Mrs. Alcorn and Mr. Pruitt took north-south top honors, and Mrs. T. J. Fuson and Miss Isobel Stuart scored 94 points to head east-west players.

Other north-south winners were Mrs. Al Gilhouse and William Isaacs, second, 92 points; Mrs. George Choate and Mrs. F. R. Baker, third, 85½; Berg Marten and Mr. Gilhouse, fourth, 85.

Also winning east-west were Mrs. E. K. Ricker and Mrs. H. J. Boyd, second, 92½; Mrs. Edna Miller and John Solheim, third, 92; Mrs. Lloyd Johnson and Mrs. B. B. Hughes, fourth, 89½.

## Girl Scouts Skating Party

Brownie Troop 157, headed by Mrs. Harold Ricks and Mrs. Hugh Shurtliff sponsored a mother-daughter skating party at the Rogue Valley Ballroom. Other guests were friends of the girls. They have been engaged in making such gifts as felt bracelets and necklaces, gift cards and place mats and May baskets for friends at the County Farm.

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## Three to Attend Portland Meeting

This week Mrs. Richard Finch, Medford district chairman of Girl Scouts, Mrs. Thomas Eslinger, Saint Mary's neighborhood chairman and Mrs. Robert Smith, Illinois Valley district chairman will attend a regional training institute for Girl Scout neighborhood chairmen, district chairmen and field committee chairmen from Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana and Alaska. It will be held in Portland March 13.

The sessions will be held at the downtown YMCA, according to Mrs. Mary Aldrich, executive director of Rogue Valley Girl Scouts. Instructors for the institute will be Miss Marie Thebault, Madison, N.J., advisor of the organization division of national Girl Scout headquarters, and Miss Rosemary C. Murray, Seattle, Wash., Girl Scout national staff member.

## Women to Meet At Country Club

The March meeting of Women of Rotary will be held Wednesday, March 14, at Rogue Valley Country Club. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Royal Bebb and Mark Goldy, and members are to make their reservations with one of these no later than Tuesday morning.

To Visit Lodge  
Gold Hill—W. Robert Massey, Salem, grand master of the I.O.O.F. lodge of Oregon, will visit the Gold Hill lodge Tuesday, March 20. All I.O.O.F. lodges of the district are invited to be present. Refreshments will be served.

## Gold Hill Church Group Hold Monthly Session

Gold Hill—The Woman's Society of Christian Service held the last meeting at the home of Mrs. Wilbur Martin, Thursday, March 8. Mrs. Martin served a desert luncheon, and devotions were led by Mrs. Lawrence Smith.

Mrs. Melvin Burnett talked on "We Would Be True Disciple." Mrs. Martin conducted the business meeting. Plans were made for a ham dinner April 14 in the church.

A sub district meeting at Wilderville March 22 was announced. Mrs. Roy Eskey, Mrs. Frank Carter and Mrs. George Dorman were elected to the nominating committee.

## Camp Fire Birthday Observed

Camp Fire Girls of Medford opened the 46th annual Birthday Week with a dinner Friday evening in the Elks lounge. The week will be celebrated throughout the nation from March 11 to 18.

About 400 parents, board members, sponsors and Camp Fire Girl members attended.

Tables were decorated to fit the theme "Plant Seeds . . . Reap Friendship." Miniature dolls were dressed in native costumes of Burma, East Pakistan, Burma and Ceylon. Seed packets were in special arrangements awaiting shipment to these countries from the Camp Fire Girls. Birthday cakes were on every table.

Henry Enders, Ashland, a member of the Rogue council and also a National board member, was master of ceremonies. Honor guests were Mayor Earl Miller, an honorary Camp Fire Girl; Mrs. Jack Suksdorf, president of the Rogue council and Mrs. Enders. Dr. D. Kirkland West, a sponsor, gave the blessing.

Happy Jack Blue Birds sang "Pretty Little Blue Bird" and were accompanied by Mrs. Raymond Balcomb. Mrs. Elcho Redding, a missionary recently returned from India, gave an interesting talk on the Indian customs and their life in India. Her two small daughters, one of whom is a Blue Bird, sang two songs from that country and like their mother were dressed in native costume. Two Amicitia Horizon club members, Sharon Roberts and Oveta Walden, played two selections on their accordions.

Mr. Enders introduced the board members who were present. They were Mrs. William Luman, training chairman; Mrs. J. J. Rowan, extension chairman; Mrs. Lloyd Roberts and the Rev. Thomas McCamant, Blue Bird leaders and Camp Fire guardians and Horizon advisors were asked to stand.

Mrs. D. C. Hendrix and Mrs. Rufus Younger were co-chairmen of the dinner.

To halt squeaks in floor boards, work a little moist soap into cracks between the boards.

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## St. Martin's Guild Plans Variety Show At Postponed Session

Shady Cove—A variety show was planned at a meeting of St. Martin's guild of Shady Cove held March 7 at the home of Mrs. A. Myckelby. The meeting had been postponed two days because of road conditions.

Mrs. Arthur Hume led devotions and Mrs. James L. Hopkins conducted the meeting.

Members are requested to mail their questions either to the Rev. Robert Greene or Mrs. Hopkins a week before the next meeting.

Mrs. Frank Dolenshek will be hostess for the guild's next meeting, set for April 2. Visitors are welcome to attend the sessions.

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