

# Women's Page

## Help Yourself to Happiness

Readers are invited to present their questions in this column. All queries will receive individual attention and should be accompanied by a stamped, self-addressed envelope. Send to: MARY HARRIS, SIX-FIFTY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF FAMILY RELATIONS, 1282 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles 27, California.

### Are You a Perfect Husband—or Wife?

You were having trouble in your marriage," admits Bob. "But everything would be fine if Susan would be sensible and do what I tell her. Our difficulties all come from her being herself," as she calls it. Pure stubbornness! Now, if she'd just do what I say, we'd never have an argument...

Here at The American Institute of Family Relations in Los Angeles, we see many husbands and wives who assure the counselors that their marriages would not be on the rocks if John or Mary would but listen to their partners' advice, do things their way, or be sensible echoes of their opinions. They forget that carbon copies make dull companions. They fail to remember that marriage is a cooperative enterprise, with both parties contributing, both exercising their powers and judgments as individuals. Marriage is and must be both a togetherness and an individualness. If it is to endure and be creative and productive...

### Bargain Land Buyers Must Boost Offers

Portland—UP—Persons who picked up bargain basement parcels of land in an auction conducted by the General Services Administration in Portland recently must boost their offers or lose the property.

Officials of the GSA said today that the bids offered for eight parcels and dwellings at Mill City do not meet with what the government thinks the properties are worth.

Also included in the underbid category on which checks are being returned are the former Navy radio station at Young's Bay near Astoria and a plot of land near Walla Walla, Wash.

Under the administration's operation, the auctioneer is allowed 30 days to find a buyer who will meet the price expected, otherwise the properties will be offered for sale again.

### Iowa Girl Wins 'Miss U.S.A.' Title

Long Beach, Calif. — (UP) — Carol Morris of Ottumwa, Iowa won the "Miss U.S.A." title Wednesday night at the fifth annual Miss Universe pageant.

Miss Morris, a blue-eyed, brown-haired student at Drake University, earlier had been voted the most popular contestant by her competitors.

She will compete with 29 foreign beauties during the next two days for the Miss Universe title.

"I didn't deserve it, but thank God," Miss Morris said on learning she had won the American title.

### PICNIC PLANNED

The Fleet Reserve association will hold a picnic at TouVelle Park Sunday, July 22 at noon. New officers for branch 186 will be installed by the regional vice president during the afternoon. Members of both branches 186 and 68 are invited to attend with their families and bring a pot luck dish and their own table service. Games and refreshments are planned.

### CALENDAR

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

Thursday  
8 p.m. — Courthouse auditorium, meeting of those interested in good will project for Mexican harvest workers this summer and fall.  
Friday  
11 a.m. — Unity Truth Center meets, Room 203, Holly Theater building.  
8 p.m. — Ladies Auxiliary to the VFW Shady Cove, in Shady Cove VFW hall.

### Safeway Stores List Second Gain of Year

Safeway Stores, Inc. Tuesday reported their second gain of 1956 in net earnings over those for the same periods of last year. Earnings per share were \$1.41 for the 12 weeks ending June 16, 1956, the report said. This was 26 per cent larger than the 72 cents reported for the second 12-week period of 1955.

## Taxpayers League In County Files Incorporation

Articles of incorporation were filed with the county recorder Wednesday morning by the Jackson County Taxpayers League.

The organization, it is to protect taxpayers against discrimination, unfair, unjust and unnecessary taxation. Those filing the articles yesterday were Van R. Williams, Homer A. Conger, and Hugo Weilmann.

The incorporated group grew from a tax study group that was formed earlier this year. The group felt, according to Williams, that the public has not been efficiently informed regarding taxation matters.

"The league," Williams said, "wants to cooperate with all groups on taxation problems and will not 'politic' them. They stand ready and willing to help with all tax problems."

### Declaration of Principles

The declaration of principles of the league states, "The Jackson county taxpayers league is dedicated to the principles of good government, honesty, integrity, and economy in taxation and a fully informed public on all tax measures. We are opposed to all such methods of approving and voting tax measures. Favoritism in taxation for the benefit of the few at the expense of the many. Taxation above legal limitation is not approved by the people as a whole. Special election for the purpose of personal gain and benefit to holders of public office. Unfair and unjust taxation on real property. We will be on guard against violations of public trust by holders of public office and take legal action so as to protect the public interest. We will work to maintain a line of decent distinction between liberty and license."

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LES BOARDMAN  
Teller-Actor



MARY IRIS HULSE  
Visiting in Area

## New Faces to Appear In Play 'Late Love'

Mary Iris Hulise, 14, visiting here this summer from Thermopolis, Wyo., and Les Boardman, 23, commercial teller at the Medford branch, First National Bank of Portland, two new faces in the Medford Footlighters, will furnish the young romantic interest in the three act comedy, "Late Love," at the Fairgrounds theater for five nights beginning Tuesday, July 24.

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## Guide Dog Trials Slated August 9

About 100 4-H children in California, Oregon and Nevada are expected to participate in the second annual field day at guide dogs for the blind, San Rafael, Calif., Thursday, Aug. 9.

All 4-H members currently raising a puppy for guide dogs for the blind as an accredited 4-H project have been invited to compete in the obedience and conformation trials.

Dogs will be judged both according to their breed standards and according to guide dog standards. Ribbons and trophies will be presented winners.

The event will be an all-day affair with a free picnic lunch donated by local business organizations for the 4-H entrants, and their families and advisors. Approximately 300 guests are expected.

Jackson county 4-H participants are Nyla Murray of Medford, Jim Martin of Medford, Bill Gillette of Medford, Patricia Gillette of Astland, and Nancy Lusk of Astland.

Dunking Lampshades  
To wash a fabric lampshade, prepare a deep tubful of warm soap or detergent suds. Then rinse by dunking the shade up and down in warm, clear water until clean, repeating in fresh suds, if needed. Rinse, shake well, and set on a bath towel to dry.



NEAL CURRY  
New Cashier

## Curry Is Named Cashier at Bank

Neal A. Curry, 306 South Peach st., was elected cashier of the Rogue Valley State bank by the board of directors July 12.

Curry, a resident of Medford from 1926-39, when he attended Medford schools, started his banking career in 1927 with the First National bank of Medford and Astland and stayed with them until 1942.

During the war Curry was in the Army and between 1946 and 1950 he worked for the First National bank in Salem. Until 1953 he was in Europe and for the last three years he has been with the Oakland, Calif. office of the Crocker First National bank.

Curry replaces Thomas Shearin, who has been associated with the bank for 10 years. Shearin resigned to attend the Pacific Coast Banking school in Seattle, Wash.

Ronald Gordon, who has been associated with the bank for the past year, was elected assistant cashier. He is a graduate of Oregon State college.

Also at their meeting the directors declared a semi annual dividend of \$4 per share.

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## Tips for the Back Seat Driver

Washington, D.C. — There's a new look in family motoring this year. The "back-seat driver" has gotten herself promoted. She has the new role of co-pilot—and she can be a real help in making this year's vacation a safe one.

The authority is no less than Mrs. R. L. C. Prout, president of the general Federation of Women's clubs.

"While it is true that men do more driving than women, the intelligent woman will see to it that the trip is made as comfortable—and safe—as possible," says Mrs. Prout, whose organization represents more than 11 million women throughout the country.

"With the peak driving season at hand, and with today's super, high-speed highways and modern cars, it is extremely important that drivers keep alert so as to reduce the appalling number of needless accidents," Mrs. Prout stated.

"Women should remember that they are more than just passengers along for the ride," she warned. "A car driver has enough to do just driving safely and can use help with other safety precautions. That is where the co-pilot comes in."

Mrs. Prout offered seven rules for women to follow when auto passengers:

1. Make sure car doors are locked. It is a good precaution and may prevent children from falling out.
2. Keep the children from distracting the driver. And see that they do not fiddle with door handles or push buttons.
3. See that the driver stops every 100 miles or two hours to stretch his legs, have a cup of coffee, walk around. Safety stops like this do much to combat the fatigue and monotony of long trips.
4. Give the driver a break. If you are a licensed driver, take a turn at the wheel.
5. Be sure there is plenty of fresh air in the car. Manage the ventilation yourself.
6. Conversation is fine, as it helps keep the driver alert. But avoid worrisome topics. Above all, don't argue. It's better to lose the argument than to lose your life by upsetting the man at the wheel.
7. And help keep an eye on the speedometer. Don't fail to remind the driver to slow down and live.

### PROGRAM DIRECTOR

Portland—UP—Tom Hoover today was named program director for radio station KPOJ in Portland.

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