

### Family Finances Should Be Partnership, Expert Says

By GAY PAULEY  
United Press Correspondent  
New York — Love, honor, obey — and promise to tell all concerning money matters. This is just about the way the marriage ceremony would go, if Margaret E. Kennedy had her way. Mrs. Kennedy, one of the few women in active partnership with a New York stock exchange firm, says a man should make his wife partner in all financial planning.

But the sad truth is, she added most of them don't. "I know," the men reply that sure their wife knows about the family's finances; she gets their weekly paychecks. But I am talking about life-time financial planning," she said.

**Wife In Dark**  
"A husband who keeps his wife in the dark about money, and a wife who permits him to do so are asking for trouble for themselves and their children," she said in an interview at her offices with Seligman, Lubetkin and company.

For the grim fact is, a wife may one day have to take over as head of the family," she continued.

"I don't mean that the wife has to become an expert, but she needs a working knowledge of money. She should be with her husband when he buys securities; she should know all the details of insurance policies; she should know what his investments in stocks and bonds are, and why they were made. Mrs. Kennedy said that everyone's investments need constant examination, and change as the nation's economic picture changes."

**Should Brief Children**  
She also believes in letting the children in on family finance.

"I don't mean that children must know their father earns \$327 a month and that \$67 of that goes for a mortgage payment," she added. "But it should be impressed on them that the family purse isn't bottomless; that some money must go for essentials, leaving only a certain amount for other things."

Mrs. Kennedy, a vivacious woman in her early 40's, was widowed in her 20's, with two small children to support. But she had early training in finance; her father is an investment authority in Kansas City, Mo.

### Ruhls Return

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ruhl have returned to their home at 2404 East Main street after spending the past three months in the east. The Ruhls visited their two daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. C. Herbert Simmons of Mt. Kisco, and Mr. and Mrs. John R. MacArthur of Massena, N.Y. En route home they made stops in Denver and in San Francisco.

### Jumper-Dress!



by Marian Martin

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### Medford Couple To Wed Saturday

The wedding of Miss Darlene Ann Kroening to William B. Clegg, Jr., will be an event of Saturday, Aug. 3. The ceremony has been set for 3 o'clock at St. Mark's Episcopal church, and the reception will be held at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William B. Clegg, 2238 Oakwood dr.

Relatives of both young people are arriving this week to attend the ceremony. Miss Kroening's mother, Mrs. Lucille Kroening, will come from her home in Lakeview, Ore., and others arriving will be her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Bunsell, formerly of Medford and now of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kimble and Erwin Kimble, uncle and an aunt, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kimble, cousins, all of Coos Bay, Ore.

Arriving Thursday will be Mrs. Adam Volkman and daughter Janice, sister and niece of Mrs. Clegg, from Ottawa, Ill., and Friday Miss Margaret Clegg, sister of Mr. Clegg, will arrive from Palo Alto, Calif.

Earlier this summer Mrs. C. O. Lovejoy was hostess for a shower which honored the bride-elect, inviting guests to a showery home on Old Military rd. Dessert was served, following which Miss Kroening was presented a shower of miscellaneous gifts for her new home. Thirty guests attended the shower.

### Newest Slip Covers



by Alice Brooks

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## Society

### Extension Leaders Trained

State council reports and the program for the coming year were discussed at a training meeting of home extension leaders held today at Crater High school, Central Point. Miss Betty Jane Sedgwick, state extension agent from Oregon State college, Corvallis, was present to assist in the training.

New officers of the county extension committee were introduced. They are Mrs. Rollin Jones, Medford, chairman; Mrs. Dora Krouse, Applegate, vice-chairman; Mrs. Ted Fredenburg, Butte Falls, secretary; Mrs. Walter Reinking, West Side unit, treasurer; Mrs. C. A. Wilson, Trail; Mrs. Arnold Gosnell, Gold Hill, and Mrs. Paul Snook, Central Point.

State council reports were given by Mrs. Veri G. Walker, Medford, citizenship; Mrs. N. B. Wade, Evans Valley, research; Mrs. Roy Elmgren, Oak Grove, Associated Country Women of the World; Mrs. Krouse, 4-H; Mrs. Jones, Azalea House; Mrs. Fredenburg, publicity; Mrs. Arthur Straus, Central Point, health and safety.

Duties of officers, effective leadership and chairmanships were discussed during the session.

The study program for the coming year will include a clothing workshop and projects on food preservation, understanding of consumer credit, consumer buying of foods, pastry, meat cookery, coordinated wardrobe and skin care. Program topics are selected by unit members.

Other meetings planned include a District 5 meeting of Jackson, Josephine and Klamath counties on Wednesday, Aug. 28, in Ashland, and a follow-up meeting on the series on family business and the law held last spring. The subject will be preventive law, and members of the Jackson County Bar association will again assist in presenting the material.

Membership in extension units is open to all women. Anyone interested is asked to call the county home extension agent, Miss Mary Pat Lucy, SP 2-5264, or to contact unit members in their community.

### Salad Treat

Salad treat... slice raw mushrooms and add to a salad of mixed greens. Dress with tarragon-flavored vinegar and oil dressing.



ALL THE WORLD LOVES A LOVER—Alaskan pioneer Jack McCord, 74, and American lady lawyer Grace Doering, 66, do a little hand-holding in London just before their wedding. The ceremony climaxed a courtship that stretched over almost half a century from the Yukon to Piccadilly. They met at the San Francisco Fair in 1915. Miss Doering was recently installed as president of the U. S. National Association of Women Lawyers.

### Medford Family Home From South

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hill and daughter, Donna, returned home recently after spending several weeks in Florida. They visited in Daytona Beach, Orlando, Tampa and Tallahassee.

Mrs. Hill and her daughter spent two months in the southern state, while Mr. Hill joined them for the last month. The trip home was by car. Mrs. K. L. Jones, Daytona Beach, mother of Mrs. Hill, accompanied the family home and will remain here for several weeks.

The Hills report that prices of food in Florida are much lower than those of the west coast, and that Florida is experiencing a building boom.

### CALENDAR

Calendar notices and news for the society section of The Mail Tribune must be submitted to 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.

Wednesday: 8 p.m.—Roxy Ann Home Economics club, grange hall.

### In Hillsboro

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carter and family, 730 Broad street, spent last week end at Hillsboro, Ore., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Brock and family, formerly of Medford.

### Raised Buckwheat Cakes Popular in South Dakota

Miller, S. D.—"Raised" buckwheat pancakes are popular with South Dakota farm families. Mrs. Marie Collins uses this traditional recipe.

Equal parts of buckwheat and white flour are mixed with a tablespoon of sugar, a tablespoon of shortening and a pinch of salt. Enough milk is added to make a stiff dough, into which is put a package of yeast which has been soaked in a fourth cup of water.

The batter sets overnight. Then add a teaspoon of soda and enough milk to make the dough of the consistency desired for pancakes.

A cup of the batter is prepared for a starter for the next batch. Mrs. Collins said this starter should set for at least three days before it is used instead of yeast in the next batch.

### Woodcraft Neighbors

Announcement Meeting  
Phoenix—Oak circle, Neighbors of Woodcraft, will meet at Phoenix Grange hall Thursday, August 1, at 8 p.m. Refreshments will be served by Mesdames Drake and Cobligh.

### Here

Mrs. Trudie Bable of Hammond, Ind., is in Medford for an indefinite stay with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snedden, 1200 Mt. Pitt avenue.

### Kidnaping Is Inspiration For Inter-Com

By VIVIAN SANDE  
United Press Correspondent  
New York — A kidnaping that shocked the world helped play a large part in the remarkable career of Miryam Simpson, a pioneer in the world of electronics.

It happened on March 1, 1932. Miryam was 19 years old, a radio "ham" and a dreamer. Radio was in its infancy and Miryam, even though she was a girl, was learning all she could about it. She built her first crystal set at the age of six, and from that time on her career was cut out for her.

The girl had an idol in those days, a man who believed in another kind of dream, and made it come true; Charles Lindbergh. That first day of March in 1932 Miryam never left her self-made wireless as the tragic news of the Lindbergh baby kidnaping filled the air. In the months that followed she couldn't get out of her mind the idea that there should have been some way to protect the baby.

**First Model**  
The following year Miryam made her first model of an intercommunications set for the home — a device that carries sounds from one room to another.

The same model still appears in the catalog of Miryam Simpson's products.

Miryam Simpson now is president and general sales manager of Masco, a Long Island firm that makes 207 different electronics communications items — her plant grosses about \$2,000,000 a year.

During the last war Miryam Simpson was a dollar-a-year-woman in Washington, and she still is the only woman member of the exclusive Gaslight Club of top executives in the electronics field.

She readily admits it's hard for a woman to crack this field which still is almost exclusively a man's world. But she credits some of her own success in it to the fact that she is a woman; particularly the pioneering she has done in the home intercommunications field.

### An Accident

Some of her customers use the small intercom to talk to their dogs in the back yard, protect their poultry against thieves — or to listen to what the neighbors are saying on the front porch. But Miryam Simpson believes her invention is a "wife-saver," something that could save the housewife many steps; and an "electronic nurse," making it possible for a mother to keep in touch with her child through walls.

Miryam Simpson is a hearty

### Few American Foods Suit Everyone's Taste

Chicago — Except for steak, ice cream cones, and ham and eggs, there seem to be few truly American foods that suit everyone's taste.

"Regional preferences still play an important role in deciding what foods will sell best in what areas," said Mary Hale Martin, home economist for Libby, McNeill, and Libby. However, she said recent shifts in population, and increased travel seem to be making a melting pot of American foods.

"Perhaps the last stronghold of regional tastes is in the south, but even so, some of the special items are finding acceptance in the north, just as fried chicken did years ago," she said.

"With continued population shifts," continued Miss Martin, "it seems reasonable to predict that some day soon we will all speak the same language in food as well as the same mother tongue."

woman. But five years ago she was in an accident that nearly took her life. It incapacitated her for a year, and left her with metal pins and plates in her body. She says the experience taught her a lot.

"I was cocky until then," she said. "Then I learned that we human beings, no matter who we are, are inconsequential in the large scheme of things. We can be wiped out in a second."

### Sherry Eggnog

Sherry Eggnog is for sophisticated. In a shaker place 4 ice cubes, 1 egg, 1 cup whole milk, 1/2 cup sherry wine and a dash of sugar. Shake and remove ice and pour two servings.

### Dream Kitchen of 103 Women Built as Model By Private Industry

St. Louis — The government recently asked 103 women what they wanted in their kitchens and private industry promptly built them a model.

The air-conditioned, "bright and cheerful" kitchen was on display recently before 4,000 home economists meeting in St. Louis. Designed by Household magazine and built by General Electric, it has laundry and sewing units near the U-shaped appliance center.

A GE spokesman said the 103 women queried listed these wants:

Modern appliances with lots of storage space and countertops all arranged in a U-shape.

Laundry equipment near the kitchen but not in it.

A family eating spot. In hot climates, air conditioning.

The survey of women's wants was conducted by the U. S. Housing and Home Finance agency.

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