

Camp Fire Sale To Raise Funds For Camping Site

The annual sale of Miss Saylor's chocolate covered mints and of Circus peanuts has been announced by Camp Fire Girls of the Rogue Valley council. The sale, held each year to raise funds for the purchase of a summer camping site and for the council operating budget, will be held April 1 to 15. Mrs. Rex Stevens is sales chairman for the council.

Mrs. L. Lawrence, 895 Bidle road, is the distribution chairman for girls of Jackson, Wilson, Lincoln, Roosevelt, Hoover, Howard, McLoughlin and Hedrick schools. Mrs. H. Roberts, 132 North Main street, Ashland, will head distribution for Oak Grove, Jefferson and Washington schools.

Most recent major function of the council was the annual seven crafts carnival and Blue Bird fly-up ceremony, held in the Hedrick cafeteria. The ceremony was planned and conducted by the Ayuzunta Horizon club under the leadership of Mrs. Rufus Younger. Exhibits and demonstrations were staged by several Blue Bird groups, each having chosen one of the seven crafts.

Peppy Blue Birds, led by Mrs. Douglas Gordenier and Mrs. Larry Clark, iced cakes which they had baked, demonstrated correct table setting, flower arrangement, and how to properly make a bed.

Think and Do Blue Birds, led by Mrs. R. J. Wolfe, demonstrated the correct way to plant seeds. These two were home craft projects.

Demonstrating creative arts, the Busy Bee Blue Birds, led by Mrs. John Martin, exhibited sewing they had made. The Star Blue Birds, led by Mrs. Ray Simmons, demonstrated decorating of a girl's room at home.

For frontier crafts, Shining Blue Birds selected projects from a "Fun With Science" book and displayed an Indian village, making of which had been a fourth grade project. It will be displayed later in the window of Barker's store. Mrs. Leland Rauch is leader. Another frontier craft dem-

onstration was given by the Gay Blue Birds, led by Mrs. W. Troup and Mrs. Lawrence. They had made scrap books which showed the various types of transportation through the centuries.

For outdoor crafts, Honey-suckle Blue Birds of Phoenix, led by Mrs. Howard Puckett, had made equipment for outdoor cooking and demonstrated how to roll a bedroll.

For sports and games, Peppy Blue Birds, under the leadership of Miss Marianne Fletcher and Miss Peggy Keever, displayed items relating to volleyball, tennis and other games.

For the business crafts, posters had been made showing the various ways in which business beads might be earned.

Miss Martha Simpson, president of Ayuzunta Horizon club, was mistress of ceremonies. Blue Bird candles were lighted by Terry Fletcher, Junieta Cole, Kim Mauch, Wilma Toenniges, Kathy Lesus, Ramona Bielby and Kathleen Sybrant.

Camp Fire Ho-He-Lo Candles were lighted by Patti Clark, Pamela Hertager and Sonja Carnes.

Parents of the girls tied Camp Fire Neckerchiefs on their daughters during the fly-up ceremony. Miss Christy Allingham gave the Camp Fire credo and Miss Janice Taylor described the honor beads and their meaning.

Hand sign of the fire was given by Miss Ann Younger, and the candle response by Miss Susan Baize and Miss Jackie Chestnut. Miss Simpson presented the fly-up certificates.

Miss Anne Taylor closed the ceremony by extinguishing the candles.

May Day Party To Be Planned

Wenonah club will meet Thursday, April 2, at 10:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. James Wicker, 809 Adams lane. A covered dish luncheon at noon will be followed by a business meeting during which plans will be made for a May day card party.

Mrs. Hans Rammin, vice-president, will conduct the meeting in the absence of Mrs. Henry Dooms, who is vacationing in Florida. Mrs. Dooms is visiting her son, Robert, and family.

Girl Scouts Sell Cookies

Troop 181, St. Mary's neighborhood, Girl Scouts, sold Girl Scout cookies from a booth in the Groceteria. The troop has also chosen new patrol leaders. They are Linda Daniels, Mary Walsk and Faye Lewis.

On Girl Scout Sunday all the girls of St. Mary's neighborhood went to Mass at Sacred Heart church. At 11 a.m. they went to Kim's and had dinner.

The troop has also been practicing for the May Festival.

Alice Doyle, Scribe.



Miss Dewanda Winchell

Candidate Announced

Miss Dewanda Winchell, senior at Medford High school, has been selected by Medford chapter, Order of DeMolay, as the Medford candidate for district DeMolay sweetheart.

Selection of the sweetheart will be one of the activities of the annual spring convalesce of the DeMolay district to be held here Saturday, April 4. The winner will be announced and introduced during a dance Saturday evening.

The district winner will compete for state honors in May in Eugene at the annual state convalesce. She will be crowned Oregon DeMolay sweetheart.

Miss Winchell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Winchell, 471 Ross lane, Medford.

Fitted Coats Back in Fashion

The fitted silhouette is coming back to coats. Empire coats, which have a sure sign of a waistline, though high, have paved the way for the trend, say fashion analysts for Women's Wear daily. A trade publication, Belts, sashes, drawstrings, and multiple seaming provide the fitted look. The coats have short, rounded skirts or follow sheath lines like dresses worn underneath.

Look for fit in knits this spring. An important casual cover-up will be jacket-styled sweaters, in plain or looped mohair. Knitted dresses and suits vary from a relaxed sheath silhouette to the fitted waist, either natural or Empire, with a curved ribcage belt or self tie.

Check your long-range budget before deciding on the style of a mink coat, says Gloria Stone, president of a fur salon. A mink should be good for nine or 10 years with just one remodeling, perhaps on the collar and sleeves. The woman who expects this much service from the coat should stick to simple, classic styles and average fullness. Only women who can buy a fur every year or so can afford extreme styles, Mrs. Stone said.

The new look in casual furs is color, says furrier-designer Herbert Fishbein. He shows sleek, short-haired or sheared furs in shades ranging from pastels to bright turquoise. Also available are deep tones such as burgundy, bottle green and navy. One coat, a straight full-length type, comes in bright red moiré, with the skins sewn in rows of squares.

Time gets a new dimension in spring jewelry. One firm has come out with a collection of watches set in bracelets, fobs, necklaces, pins and cufflinks. Pins are shaped like roses, carnations, sunflowers, and peonies. All snap open to reveal a watch. Timepiece, bracelets, come in gold, trimmed with pearls, aurora stones and charms.

A Paris designer has been making straw - for days when the sun shines. Jacques Esterel shows a sleek green knitted straw coat for keeping out hot sun. It was inspired by thatched roofs.

Coffee Nog Coffee egg nog is easy to make for one person. Sprinkle 1 1/2 teaspoons instant coffee over 1 cup prepared chilled nog. Beat with rotary beater until thoroughly blended. For 3 quarts nog, add 2 to 3 tablespoons instant coffee, 1 tablespoon at a time, and beat well after each addition.

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Rubinstein To Appear In Portland

Portland — The last of the great romantic performers in music, Arthur Rubinstein will appear as guest pianist with the Portland Symphony orchestra on Monday, April 6, with Theodore Bloomfield conducting.

The world's favorite pianist will play two works with the orchestra, Beethoven's "Emperor" Piano Concerto No. 5, and de Falla's "A Night in the Gardens of Spain."

When Rubinstein appeared with the symphony two seasons ago, a new symphony attendance record was set. Wherever he plays, his concerts evoke unparalleled enthusiasm. He has broken box office records in Paris, London, Tel Aviv, Dallas and Chicago—setting all-time highs.

In Rome last year, lines formed at midnight before the morning tickets were put on sale.

Currently in the course of his annual North American tour, Rubinstein is booked for 50 concerts in America and Canada. The most widely traveled of contemporary artists, and one of the most widely recorded, Rubinstein is known around the world as the last of the pianists "of the grand manner of Liszt."

The Portland Symphony orchestra will also play two interesting works on April 6 at the Civic Auditorium: Scriabin's "Poem of Ecstasy" and Riegger's "Dance Rhythms."

This is the final concert of the Symphony's current subscription season, although a special festive "Farewell Concert" honoring Conductor Theodore Bloomfield is set for April 20. After four successful years with the Portland orchestra, Conductor Bloomfield goes to Rochester, N.Y., next year. Pierre Bellugi, dynamic young Toscanini protégé, will come to Portland for the 1959-60 season.

Knife-Fork Club Names Speaker

Ashland — "Passport to Unusual Opportunities" will be the title of Ned Burr McKenney, who will speak for Siskiyou Knife and Fork club April 9, at the Plaza cafe.

The speaker, who holds a master's degree from Hartford college, is a former professor of economics at New England college, Henniker, N.H. He is the winner of a Freedom Foundation award in 1955, and visited in Europe in 1950 as a member of a group that studied the Marshall Plan.

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 3 a.m. of the day for publication and for week day news is 5 p.m. the day before publication.

Wednesday:
7:30 p.m.—International Order of Job's Daughter, Bethel 14, Masonic Temple.

7:30 p.m.—Griffin Creek Mother's club, school cafeteria.

8 p.m.—Eagle Point High School Parent-Teacher-Student association meeting, high school library.

8 p.m.—Medford Branch, AAUW, home of Mrs. E. L. Harlow, Hillcrest Heights.

8 p.m.—Mt. Pitt Rebekahs, Odd Fellows hall, Central Point.

8 p.m.—Roxy Ann Home Economics club, Grange hall.

8 p.m.—Veterans of World War I Barracks 540 and auxiliary, Girls Community club.

10:30 a.m.—Wenonah club, home of Mrs. James Wicker, 809 Adams lane.

10:45 a.m.—Westside Home Extension unit, Central Point Grange hall.

1:30 p.m.—Medford Garden club, courthouse auditorium.

2 p.m.—Same Valley Ladies club, home of Mrs. Elwood Abbott, Highway 234.

Fifty Plus Club To Meet Friday

Fifty Plus club will meet Friday, April 3, at 12:30 p.m. at the Episcopal Guild hall. Alexander's String band will furnish music for the social hour.

The group observed Oregon's Centennial year last week, with about 50 members fashioned clothing for the event. Club members provided entertainment.

Philatelists Plan Swap, Sell Session

Southern Oregon Stamp club will hold a swap and sell session at the next meeting, Thursday, April 2, at the Girls' Community club. The business meeting will start at 8 p.m., presided over by Mrs. Russell Herbert, club president.

Visitors are welcome to attend any meeting if they are interested in stamps or stamp collecting. Refreshments will be served.

Leaves

Mrs. Bertha Penwell, 223 Beatty street, planned to leave today for Sacramento and Grass Valley, Calif., where she will spend two weeks with an uncle.

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Break With Coffee

Minneapolis — UPI — Housewives should take a few coffee breaks during the day, says Glenn Prickett, a safety specialist at the University of Minnesota.

Prickett said accidents in the kitchen are caused by the same errors which produce a large share of highway accidents—haste and fatigue.

Taking several brief rest periods during the day will pay off in increased energy and greater safety.

Brighten ready-mix coffee cake by adding 1/3 cup chopped marachino cherries to dry ingredients before adding liquid. Top with cinnamon crumbs and bake as directed.

'Why Don't They' Listed By Wishful Woman Writer

By GAY PAULEY
UPI Women's Editor

New York — UPI — Our scientists can put a satellite into orbit around the sun, but no one has produced an easy-to-get-at sardine container.

We can, in the jet age, fly from Chicago to San Francisco in four hours, but no one has figured a way to preserve the softness of brown sugar once the package is opened.

American manufacturers constantly search for ways to improve their products and the packaging, pay experts fat fees for their ideas, and still miss many of the obvious needs.

Just ask any homemaker. She has a list of "why don't they's" long as your arm. For instance — and all these are free:

Why don't they make attractive lunch bags for all the girls who take their own sandwiches. Sprinkle them with a floral design, or run them up in assorted stripes — navy and white, for instance, for the girl who has built her wardrobe around navy blue.

Pack brown sugar in 1/2 or 1 cup quantities, as called for in most recipes. There is waste for most of us cooks in buying even the 1-pound box because once opened, the leftover sugar soon hardens.

Put extracts, meat sauces, spices and syrups in shorter, fatter bottles that won't tip and spill and contents on shelves or table linens.

Package evaporated milk in cans that can be opened with the wall-type opener for those of us no longer using the spear-type.

Package meals for the one-member family as well as in family size for feeding six to eight persons. Numerous bachelors and old maids complain of the wasted bread, meats, canned and frozen goods from having to buy large packages.

While they're at it, write a cookbook designed for the one-member family, or else in other cookbooks specify how a recipe can be halved as well as doubled.

Make cup and spoon measurements on glass containers for such products as catsup, to prevent the trouble and waste of pouring into a measuring cup. And mark cup and tablespoon measurements on ALL oleo and butter wrappers.

Mark caloric content on food containers.

Peach-Pudding Tart

San Francisco — UPI — The California Foods Research Institute recommends this quick and easy dessert. Spread layer of vanilla cream pudding in the bottom of tart shells. Top with peach halves, round side up. Drizzle with strawberry preserves and garnish with a sprig of mint.

Dinner Sunday Marks Birthdays

Three Medford families and a visitor from California held an Easter Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Morse, 36 Ashland avenue. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Morse and their two children, Kenneth and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blaas, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bush and children, Diane and Bruce, Fred A. Stich, father of Mrs. Bush, and Mrs. J. W. Morris, San Carlos, Calif., a sister of Mrs. Bush.

The dinner also celebrated the birthday anniversary of Diane Bush, which was March 30, and of Mr. Stich, who will observe his 88th birthday anniversary today. Mr. Stich, born in Mt. Vernon, Ill., came west from Chicago 18 years ago.

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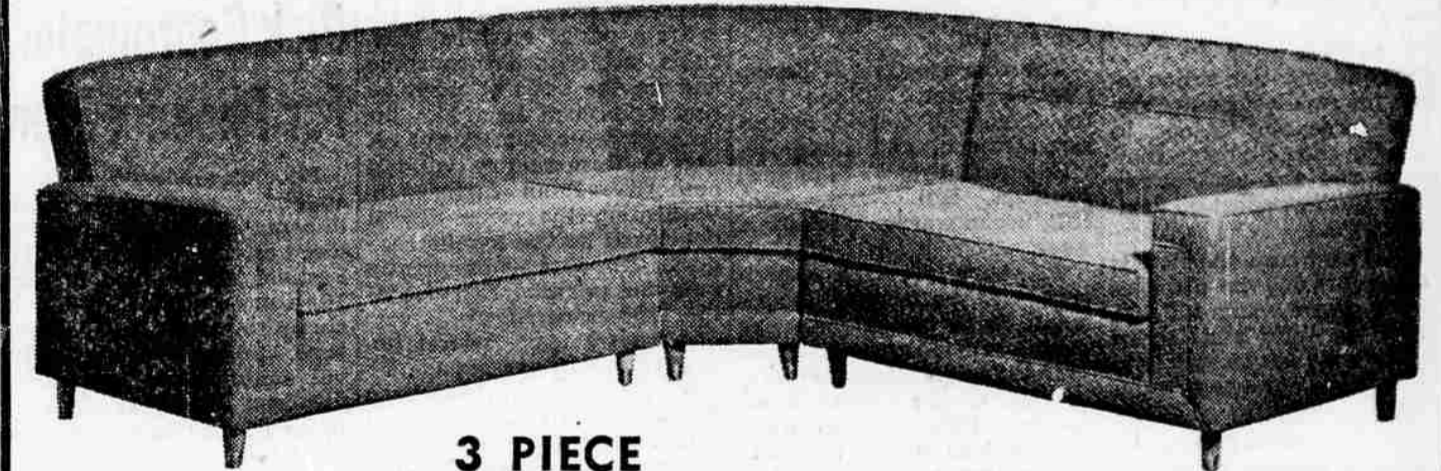
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