

### Travel Expert Explains How to Pack in One Case

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New York—(UPI)—Take a leaf from the book of one well-traveled miss when you do your own vacation packing.

Use luggage "leaves" to ease the job. The "leaves" are the do-it-yourself variety—layers of non-woven material which you can buy at any yard goods counter and which seamstresses use for clothes inter-facing. Cut several layers to fit your suitcase—seven will do for most packing jobs—and stitch on handles, or lifts, made of the same material.

**Leaves to Trays**  
The "leaves" become lift-out trays, separating into layers various parts of the wardrobe. Use a ballpoint pen to label each handle according to contents of the tray.

"The leaves help in three ways," said Carol Lane, who is women's travel director for the Shell Oil company. "They give a flat surface so you can get more in a suitcase, they absorb wrinkles, and they provide a filing system so you can lift out an item without disturbing everything else."

Miss Lane travels 60,000 miles a year gathering information on vacation spots, and talking with women's groups about packing methods or traveling with children. She said that with the layer method a girl can get all she needs for a two weeks vacation into one 26-inch suitcase.

#### One Basic Color

She suggested that any packing start with a list. Stick with one basic color—black, navy, gray or beige—in suits and dresses and use bright accessories.

For the two weeks at a summer resort, Miss Lane would divide a wardrobe into five basic parts:

—The travel suit with scarf, blouse and necklace for a change of its appearance;

—A costume which can go from day into evening, preferable a two-piece dress with a flared skirt if the travel suit has a straight skirt;

—A costume for spectator sports; it could be a cotton knit or a sheath which you can "dress up or down" with other accessories.

—A simply cut skirt, reversible if possible, and three or four blouses to go with it.

—And active sportswear of one or two bathing suits and Bermuda shorts.

Pack all heavy items, such as shoes, travel iron and cosmetics other than those you will need for an overnight stop, in the bottom of the suitcase.

Pack jewelry in small flannel bags normally used to protect silverware. This way, necklaces and earrings don't get tangled, and there is no danger of tarnish if you are vacationing at the seashore.

Use household aluminum foil crumpled together into a tube for stuffing dress or suit sleeves and in between folds in skirts. Miss Lane said foil worked better than tissue paper at keeping down wrinkles.

Put stockings inside gloves to prevent snags. Pin blouses, like men's shirts, on cardboard from the laundry. Pack lingerie and nightwear in small plastic bags to keep them from slithering around in the suitcase.

And tuck a washcloth in with your shower cap. Miss Lane said that this necessity often is lacking at hotels and motels.

**Playing The Game**  
New York—(UPI)—A National Recreation Association study shows that persons with hobbies are better adjusted than those without.

Those with hobbies "take leisure as an opportunity to accomplish things they haven't had time for in the past."



Mrs. George (Rosemary) Murphy, "Mrs. Indiana," was named "Mrs. America of 1961" at Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., during ceremonies there last week which ended in the crowning Friday evening. Mrs. Murphy was crowned by last year's "Mrs. America," Mrs. Margaret Priebe of Des Moines, Iowa. Mrs. Murphy is of Kentland, Ind. Second runner-up for the title was Mrs. Lillian R. Clemens, "Mrs. Georgia," and first runner-up was Mrs. Pat O'Connor, "Mrs. Minnesota."

—(UPI Telephoto)

**PEO Chapters Plan Sessions This Week; Reports on Agenda**  
Three chapters of the PEO sisterhood will meet this week. Members of Chapter BE will be guests of Mrs. Jeffrey Shute, 1767 Old Military road, Tuesday evening, June 14. They will meet at 7 o'clock. A report on the state convention will be given.

Chapter CG will meet for 7:30 o'clock dessert at the home of Mrs. John Kent, 922 South Oakdale avenue, Wednesday, June 15. Mrs. S. R. Mosher will be in charge of the program.

A meeting of Chapter AA will be held at 12:30 o'clock Wednesday at the home of Mrs. H. B. Murphy, 3188 Ross lane. Mrs. John Dellenback and Mrs. Don Auxier will assist the hostess.

A report of convention will be given.

To keep hubby from getting grease on his sleeves when tinkering with a car motor, make sleeve protectors. Cut off the sleeves of a worn jacket and put elastic in each end so the protectors will hold in place on his arms.

### Lodge Members Are Appointed; Ceremonies Set

Gold Hill—Three members of Amethyst Rebekah lodge have been named to serve on the staff of officers for the 1961 District 12 convention of Rebekah lodges of Oregon, by Mrs. Kathryn Sweetland, Etna lodge. She was elected and seated as the new chairman during the 1960 annual convention held recently in Medford. Her home lodge in Grants Pass will be host for the 1961 convention.

The Gold Hill women appointed to her staff are Mrs. Jerry Herrington, conductor; Mrs. Daniel Stewart, inside guardian; and Mrs. Clarence Parsley, left supporter to chaplain.

During the 1960 convention activities, the Gold Hill Rebekah lodge exemplified ad-

mission to membership of the order by transfer. Exemplification was given by Mrs. Daniel Stewart, noble grand; Mrs. Walter McLean, vice-grand; Mrs. William Gossman, chaplain; Mrs. Jerry Herrington, recording secretary; and Mrs. James Clement, inside guardian. Courtesy candidate was Mrs. Riley L. Appelgate, Olive Rebekah lodge, who is vice-president of the Rebekah Assembly of Oregon.

Mrs. McLean also served as color bearer on the staff of district convention officers in Medford.

Mrs. Herrington was among district deputy presidents that were introduced.

The next regular meeting of Amethyst Rebekah lodge will be held Wednesday, June 15 at 8 p.m. at the Odd Fellows hall on Fourth ave. This will be the final session until Wednesday, September 7.

Services of all members of the lodge who have died dur-

ing the past year will be held. Mrs. Walter McLean will be in charge of the rites.

Reports of their attendance at the Rebekah Assembly of Oregon will be given on that date by the lodges two delegates, Mrs. Clarence Parsley and Mrs. Jerry Herrington.

Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Edith Thompson, chairman; Mrs. Wilbur Martin and Mrs. A. A. Walker.

**Mrs. Ray Jones Hostess for Party**  
Mrs. Ronald Tepovac, Central Point, was honored at a shower at the home of Mrs. Ray C. Jones, 428 North Holly street, June 6.

The serving table, decorated with pink and blue, was centered with a large stock. Games were played and refreshments served. Fifteen women attended from Medford, Central Point, Ashland, and Gold Hill.



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