



Women's News • Social Events

We're absolutely sure this suggestion is being made in vain. But we're going to make it, anyhow. Potpourri suggests that political meetings, particularly those involving meals and important candidates, be stream-lined. The candidates are on a very tight schedule, and so are the busy people who go to hear them. If we had our way, there would be fewer introductions of lesser candidates who are living in the county and available all the time, and none of this business of thanking this and that person for planning the meal, decorating the tables and running other errands.

Even though the luncheon given for Mrs. Maurine Neuberger Friday was far better than some we've attended throughout the years, many of those present were forced to leave before Mrs. Neuberger was through speaking. Advertised for 12 o'clock, it must have been 12:30 before Mrs. N. and her entourage arrived from Ashland, and then luncheon was served, etc. Before Mrs. Neuberger, who is a Democratic candidate for the United States senate, rose to speak it was almost 1 p.m.

Potpourri and a co-worker from the news room, due back at the office and yet anxious to hear Mrs. Neuberger, started the honored guest and Tom Reeder, who was introducing her, by getting up right in their faces and lip-ticking away. Neither of us left, however, but took seats in the back of the room where we decided we could sneak out without disturbing Mrs. Neuberger when she was in the middle of her talk.

Why wouldn't it have been possible for the candidate to have been on hand when the guests began arriving a few minutes before 12, and have the waitresses serve each person as he was seated, and when the group seemed complete, have the program begin? We apologized to Mrs. Neuberger later when she visited the Tribune office, and the understanding woman said she knew some persons had to hurry back to work and often had fretted herself over the time wasted trying to engineer meetings, meals and speeches all in to one hour or so. Mrs. Neuberger said she would gladly have spoken while the audience had luncheon, leaving her own meal until later. Under that arrangement, more voters would have been able to hear her entire speech.

Potpourri was especially interested to hear Mrs. Neuberger speak about her "food for peace" plan. Like the candidate, we strongly believe that in some manner or the other, the United States must share more of her food with the rest of the world. To waste so much food, when so many millions are starving, has always seemed downright sinful.

Mrs. Neuberger, who wore a peach colored shirtwaist type dress with a gorgeous white orchid presented by her Jackson county admirers, used a pair of the new "half" glasses while reading her notes before she rose to speak. This was the second pair we've seen. Last week Mrs. Kenneth Baker came in with a League of Women Voters' story, and put on a pair while at our desk. Mrs. Baker said her husband bought them for her while he was in a teasing mood, but she likes them.

These spectacles, with half-lenses to be used while reading, or looking downward, may be very comfortable, but they give the wearer a strange look. Our table companion, EO, said "It makes women look grandmotherish—as if they were wearing spectacles on the end of their nose and peering over the top."

Apology: When the make-up men put all the weddings, engagements, golden and silver wedding anniversary stories and the family reunions in Sunday's edition, there wasn't any room left. So Potpourri, along with several other stories and six pictures, was left out.—O.S.

Overcast Sky, Chill Wind Accompany Festival Concert

Ashland—Overcast skies and a chill breeze cut attendance at yesterday's weekly concert of the Oregon Shakespearean festival.

Ten Festival singers, wearing colorful, flowing robes, sat around a long refectory table. They sang lively Elizabethan rounds and folk songs.

Susan Shively, who plays the old-style viol de gamba, and Rossmie Taylor, luteist, presented a duet. These instruments, which require much tuning, were barely audible in the fourth row of the amphitheater in spite of the use of an electric amplifier and much of the plaintive beauty of the number was lost.

Shelia Schuermann, mezzo-soprano, sang a group of songs by Edward Purcell and other English composers. Miss Schuermann has a pleasing voice, but one which lacks the volume required for an outdoor performance. She was accompanied on the harpsichord by Mrs. Taylor.

The program also contained vocal solos by Mrs. Taylor, who accompanied herself on the lute. Here again Mrs. Taylor's voice and commentary were often inaudible to the audience. Her numbers included a French-Canadian folk song particularly appropriate for the lute.

One number which the audience could hear and which was enjoyed was Henry Purcell's "Trumpet Voluntary," played by Ted Lawson. He was accompanied by Stanley Plummer on the harpsichord.

Birthday Party

Townsend club members having birthdays in August will be honored during the weekly meeting Wednesday, August 24. It is set for 12 noon in Hawthorne park. Those attending are to take a picnic lunch and table service. Visitors are welcome.

At last week's meeting Ed Cofer, North Bend, Ore., long-time club member, was a visitor. Two new members attended.

In the afternoon club members gathered at Walker's Dreamland hall for a program of music and dancing.

Tuesday, August 23, the new Grants Pass club will hold a picnic luncheon in their city park on the banks of the Rogue river. Mr. Cofer reported that a caravan was being formed to attend the Fourth district council meeting at North Bend August 21. Finis Snodgrass, state director, planned to attend.



Mrs. Carolyn Bowles, Portland, (at left) national president of the Women's Council of the National Association of Real Estate boards, was in Medford last week for presentation of a charter to the newly organized Women's Council of the Medford Board of Realtors. The ceremony followed a dinner at Rogue Valley Country club. Pictured with Mrs. Bowles are (standing) Mrs. Mary Fasel, president of the new group, and (seated left to right) Mrs. Dollie Cornell, Beaver-ton, vice-president of the Oregon council; Mrs. Dorothy Sayles, Portland, Oregon council; Miss Ann Rice, secretary of the Medford council and Mrs. Mary Maas, vice-president.

Installation Conducted For New Women's Group

The Women's Council of the Medford Board of Realtors became official Tuesday evening with the installation of officers and the presentation of the charter at Rogue Valley Country club.

Mrs. Carolyn Bowles, Portland, national president of the Women's Council of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, was installing officer and presented the charter. H. O. Martin delivered the invocation.

Mrs. Mary Fasel was installed as president; Mrs. Mary Maas, vice-president; and Miss Ann Rice, secretary-treasurer.

Among guests introduced by Mrs. Fasel were several who were helpful in organizing the Medford group. They included Mrs. Dorothy Sayles, Portland, state president of the Women's Council of the Oregon Association of Real Estate Boards; Mrs. Bessie Koeh, president of the Springfield chapter; Mrs. Marcella O'Bryen, president of the Springfield Board of Realtors; Mrs. LaRelle Fairchild, vice-president of the Springfield chapter; and Mrs. Mary Williams, Monroe.

Mrs. Bowles announced that the Medford chapter was the second to be organized in Oregon this year, and that membership in the state numbers 145 women brokers and saleswomen, the third largest state membership in the country. She explained that the real estate business is relatively new for women and that "they have been very successful in this field as they are always interested in doing their best for their clients."

Unice Shriver To Help Brother

Washington—UPI—Sen. John F. Kennedy's sister Unice will pinch hit for his wife when the Democratic presidential candidate gets his campaign into full swing.

Unice Kennedy Shriver, 39, who bears a remarkable resemblance to her brother, will be more than just a political stand-in for Mrs. John Kennedy, who is expecting a baby.

Mrs. Shriver, a former social worker, stumped for Kennedy in 1952 when he ran for the Senate. She also was active at the 1956 Democratic convention when he sought the vice presidential nomination.

In this year's campaign she won't be separated from her husband, Robert Sargent Shriver, vice president of the Merchandise Mart in Chicago. Shriver has taken leave to serve as a political adviser to his brother-in-law.

Kennedy's sisters Jean and Pat, and his mother, Mrs. Joseph Kennedy, also will be tapped for vote-getting appearances. They all helped out in the successful primary fights waged by the senator.

Mrs. Shriver is tall, slim with stylishly coiffured reddish blonde hair. She dresses smartly and casually. She rarely wears a hat. She keeps up on political issues and is regarded as a good public speaker.

Medford Woman Returns Home After Trip East

Mrs. H. R. Prentice has returned to her home on South Oakdale avenue after a trip east to attend conventions and to visit with friends.

In Chicago Mrs. Prentice, an accordion teacher, attended the annual National Musicians' trade show and convention and the annual meeting of the Accordion Teachers' guild. Mrs. Prentice is a charter member of the guild, which celebrated its 20th anniversary during the Chicago meeting.

Mrs. Prentice made the trip from Medford to Chicago by air, and from there continued to New York City by car with friends. In Mt. Kisco, N. Y., Mrs. Prentice was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Gerstner. Mr. Gerstner is publisher of the magazine, "Accordion World."

In Swansea, Mass., she was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Dutton.

The traveler then went to Chester, W. Va., and en route west, stopped in Independence, Mo., for a visit with the Rev. and Mrs. Dale Ward. The Rev. Mr. Ward is a former Medford resident and former pupil of Mrs. Prentice. He is now pastor of a congregation of the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints in Independence and associate editor of a daily newspaper. The minister is a son of Frank Ward, Gold Ray.

Mrs. Prentice and the Wards toured the Truman library and called on former President Harry Truman. During the interview with the former president, he autographed one of his books for Mrs. Prentice.

The Wards took their visitor to hear Patrice Munsel sing in "The Merry Widow" and attended a baseball game played by the New York Yankees and the Kansas City Athletics.

After arriving in Oregon Mrs. Prentice spent some time with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Prentice, before returning to Medford. Last week Mrs. Guy Rogers, Portland, a sister of Mrs. Prentice's hostess in Swansea, visited here with Mrs. Prentice and the two attended performances of the Oregon Shakespearean festival in Ashland.

Leaves

Mrs. Maude Boswell has returned to her home in Culver City, Calif., after having been a guest in Medford of Mrs. John Sener, 1132 West Main street. Mrs. Boswell formerly lived in Central Point.

To make soap powders "sneeze-proof" put 1 teaspoon of salt in dishwasher or laundry before adding soap powder. If this doesn't work, God bless you!



Mrs. Ralph M. Spencer (center) was honored at a tea August 13 which celebrated her 80th birthday anniversary. The party was given by her sister, Mrs. Chester C. Leonard, at the Leonard's home in Hillcrest road. Mrs. Franklin Van Pelt (pouring) assisted her mother as hostess. Mrs. Spencer has made her home in Medford for 33 years.

Tea Celebrates 80th Birthday

Mrs. Ralph M. Spencer was guest of honor at a tea which was held at the home of her sister, Mrs. Chester C. Leonard, 2529 Hillcrest road, August 13. Mrs. Leonard and her daughter, Mrs. Franklin H. Van Pelt, were hostesses for the event which observed Mrs. Spencer's 80th birthday.

A group of Mrs. Spencer's close friends called during the afternoon. A birthday cake was served by Mrs. O. H. Brennehan from the tea table which was decorated with pink gladiolus, white chrysanthemums and baby breath.

The guest of honor wore a chartreuse and black silk print afternoon frock to which she pinned the orchid corsage presented to her by the hostess.

Mrs. Spencer, now widowed, has lived in Medford for 33 years coming here with her husband on his retirement from the hotel business in McCloud, Calif. Her parents, the George W. Baldwins, lived near the Oregon Caves for more than 50 years.

Party Favorite

New York—UPI—Orange-cheese topping makes oatmeal bread a summer party favorite. Prepare 1 package of oatmeal bread mix according to label directions. Cut into 1/4-inch slices. Spread with one 8-ounce package of cream cheese softened with 1/4 cup of orange juice. Cut slices into small triangles. Top each with a small piece of orange. Makes about 60 tidbits.

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. — Gamma Phi Beta sorority alumnae, home of Mrs. John Crawford, 1503 East Main street.

Tuesday
9:30 a.m. — Woman's Society of Christian Service, First Methodist church.

1 p.m. — Rogue Valley Herb Society, Ping's Gardens.

1 p.m. — Past Chiefs club of Pythian Sisters, home of Mrs. Walter Michael, 475 Charlotte Anne road.

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