

Guatemaltecos Serious About Business of Food

By MARGARET SCHULER

Guatemala City, Guatemala — Eating in Guatemala, as in most European countries, is taken more seriously than in the States, which translated says, "He who eats and drinks well, performs his duty well." Nice comforting thought, but I wonder.

Certainly we enjoy eating at home, but we don't sit squarely at table and eat little four and five course meals twice a day in a leisurely, but businesslike manner. Quick lunch counters are almost unheard of in Central America.

Party Suits Now Popular In Brocade

United Press International — Newest idea for dress-up this winter: the party costume in lovely damask brocade. In deep jewel colors, the dress is made on slim lines with deep open neckline. Over it is shown a waist length jacket with wide, face-framing collar. St. Louis designers call this the theatre or party suit.

Cotton capes — showerproof — are made of poplin, duck and twill for casual, sporty wear. For more sophisticated wearing, there are capes made of soft corduroys, prints and cotton tapestries.

Many of the new velvetene tops are spot and crease resistant.

The major influence in sportswear is the coordinated look. Tops like tunics, ponchos, vests, shirts and sweaters color-tie with intricately pleated or slim skirts, knee-length jackets, jumpers, jackets and pants in different fabrics.

Never neglect a small rip or tear at a seam, buttonhole or edge in your fur. Little damages can result in large repair bills if left unattended.

Men's sweaters are sized according to chest measurement; boys', according to regular clothing sizes. Sometimes sweater sizes run smaller than those of other ready-made clothing because allowance is made for the stretch of the fabric.

Ninety per cent of hosiery business today is done in three major styles: the full fashioned and a couple of seamless styles.

Hundreds of teenagers flocked to see a "make your own magic" fall fabric fashion show recently in Washington. Featured were McCall's pattern styles as shown in Seventeen magazine. The young sewers purchased from two to five patterns apiece. They showed fabric preference for red woollens, both gold and putty wool jersey, reversible green wool plaid backed in gold, and wide wale corduroy. Women's Wear Daily reported.

To match the beaded dresses for elegant evenings, the makers of gloves are turning out beaded gloves. Many six-button gloves are beaded overall frontside. Cotton shorties sparkle via rhinestone and pearl bracelet inserts at the cuff.

"Marriage Is Different Today" by Pearl S. Buck



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Guatemaltecos allow two full hours for lunch. Offices and business houses close at one, and open at 3 (or three-thirty if it's more convenient). Schools close at 11:30 a.m.; all children go home and return at 2. The evening meal, la cena, is served from 7:30 to 9:30. Essentially the same food is served at both meals. Desserts are fruit in some form. In the seven months I've lived at the pension, I've never had cake or pie. One goes to a "Sala de te" for that sort of thing, at tea time, ordinarily.

Variety Limited

Guatemaltecos lack the variety of foods we enjoy — crisp salads of many kinds, souffles and breads, and they do not have any specialty for which they are famous, as the Mexicans, their tamales and tacos; the Italians, their spaghetti, lasagna and pizza pies; or the Viennese, the Wiener Schnitzel and pastries.

Restaurants, however, cater to people who enjoy these foods. There are several Chinese restaurants as well. Vegetables are good, simply cooked and tasty, but on the whole, to a foreigner, their food lacks spirit — garlic, spices, pepper and sautes.

Housewives — or rather the maids — (unless they live in luxury supermercado districts) buy groceries at the little shops or tiendas at the corner or in the block where they live. In one place they buy eggs, another meat, and still another, groceries. The big markets where the Indians buy and sell contain everything imaginable, but are too far away for a maid to run to buy daily necessities. In the mornings at 7:30, you will see pretty Indian girls with crisp white aprons going for fresh rolls for breakfast. They carry little bread baskets containing a white cloth. Everybody does this.

Markets Fun

It is fun to visit the big markets — to push and scramble and bargain. For bargain you must. No price is too low not to be lowered a little. Unfortunately, Americans are not too good at it, and lose face many a time by paying an asking price — 20 cents, for instance, for gardenias which the next fellow buys for five.

Instead of large sacks as we have, groceries are packed into huge round baskets. The maid then places a little round cloth pad on her head and the basket is lifted onto that. I have never ceased to wonder at what they can carry. This might be typical — four quarts of milk in glass bottles, a watermelon, several avocados, four or five pounds of potatoes, carrots, onions, and other odd items. One time I saw, on top of all this, two chickens (fully clothed), heads dangling over the edge and on top of them a bunch of Easter lilies — large, lovely and very white. Out into the street she then goes, firm arms swinging, and firm hips swaying. It is a picture of rhythm and dignity, fascinating to behold.

Mothers having posture problems with children might consider this method. I haven't seen a round shouldered Indian woman. They start as little children and it is amusing to see the tiny things carrying toy baskets filled with toy fruits and vegetables, and toddling along beside their mothers.

Out on the Reforma and Seventh avenue in the Supermercado district, it is a different story. I go gasping through these U.S. type markets and read the prices. Mayonnaise, one-half pint, 90 cents; angel food cake mix, \$1.40; peanut butter, \$1; marshmallows, 80 cents; canned peaches, \$1.25. You can buy any item you wish — if you can pay for it — and apparently there are plenty of people who can, as these markets are crowded, and the shopping carts full as they check out.

Guatemaltecos think we are queer, too. They say, "Do you really eat lunches, and drink coffee and have milkshakes in the (drug store) — la farmacia?"

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.

Friday:
7:30 p.m. — Southern Oregon chapter, Oregon Association of Nursery Education, home of Mrs. Robert Forbes, 409 South Groveland avenue.
8 p.m. — Order of Eastern Star reception for Mr. and Mrs. Morris Boughner, Hedrick Junior High school.

Saturday:
9 a.m. — District E, Lions auxiliaries, Rogue River Grange hall.



Paris — The sailor's knot is the theme of Guy La Roche's fall collection, slipping gracefully along the necklines of both casual and formal costumes, in a wide variety of shapes and fabrics. Here the sailor's knot is done in dark brown wool, trimming a brown and white flecked tweed for daytime wear. This is an exclusive, copyrighted fashion; copying is strictly forbidden. (UPI Telephoto)

Bethel Members Visitors Here

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Day the past two weeks were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jacobson and children, Joanne and Steven, and Miss Sheron Chapman, all of Daly City, Calif.

Mrs. Jacobson, with Joanne and Miss Chapman, were returning from the supreme session of the International Order of Jobs Daughters.

Miss Chapman, honored queen of Bethel 198 of Daly City, was chosen honorary supreme representative to Oklahoma. She and Joanne Jacobson were on the Bethel drill team which won first place in the military competition at the session.

Mrs. Jacobson is assistant patrol leader of the Bethel.

Mrs. Jacobson is the Day's daughter.

Also visiting at the Day home is Dale Day, Idaho Falls, Ida., a brother of Marshall Day.

Several Families Spend Holiday With Hornbrook Friends
Hornbrook-Visitors recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lemos were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Pedrotti, Windsor, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Carey, Chico, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jespersen, Fallon, Nev., formerly of Hornbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Shelley had as guests last week Mrs. Shelley's daughter and her family from San Pablo, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Duarte and children Joseph, Charles, Dorothy and Tony.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Visser of Torrance, Calif., visited briefly Monday at the home of several friends in this area. The Vissers were former owners of the ranch now owned by Frank Cardozo. Mr. Visser is now in the missiles division of the Hughes Aircraft Corporation in Southern California.

Group Attends Festival Play

Hornbrook — Labor Day weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Walsh were Miss Florence Cameron and Mr. and Mrs. William Nothelfer, all of Salem, Ore. The three women are sisters.

The trip south at this time was made in order for the group to attend together the closing night performance of "The Tempest" at the Shakespearean theater in Ashland on Saturday.

Medford Woman Is Show Judge

Mrs. Caryll (William O.) Gibbs went by plane to Salem this morning to serve as a judge in the 4-H club guide dog show being held as a part of the Oregon State Fair today. Members of these 4-H clubs have as their project the early training of dogs which later will be given the advanced training necessary for work with the blind.

Mrs. Gibbs, a member of the Southern Oregon Kennel club, served as a judge at Bellingham and Vancouver, Wash., dog shows and at San Rafael, Calif., earlier this year.

Women's News • Social Events

Duplicate Events Set By Clubs

Master point play of the American Contract Bridge league will be held Saturday evening, September 10, at Girls Community club. Many players from Grants Pass are expected to join valley residents for the game.

Medford Duplicate club also has scheduled a team-of-four tournament for Sunday, September 11.

High scores for monthly master point play September 6 were reported today. Winners in section A, north-south, were Mrs. Aito Pruitt and Mrs. C. L. Howard, first, 98; Mrs. Patricia Gilhouse and Mrs. Frank Baker, second, 88½; Mrs. Jack Barr, Mrs. Richard Milestone, Mrs. George Dean and Mrs. Fred Purdin, tied for third, 86½.

Section A, east-west winners were Robert Middleton and Roy Pruitt, first, 99; Howard Brock, Grants Pass, and Jack Barr, second, 97; Mrs. Sam Van Dyke and Mrs. John Dougherty, third, 94½.

For section B, north-south, Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Durand, Grants Pass, first, 116½; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hatton, second, 94; Lewis Sturges and Richard Smythe, Grants Pass, third, 87½. Section B, east-west — Mrs. H. J. Boyd and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson, first, 101; Mr. and Mrs. Berg Marten, second, 100; and Mrs. Ben Wright and Mrs. Dell Davenport, Grants Pass, third, 94.

Picnic Planned By Group Monday

Jackson County Retired Teachers association will open the fall season with a picnic in Lithia park, Ashland, Monday, September 12, at 12:30 P.M.

All members are requested to take a covered dish and their own table service.

Group Planning Women's Classes

The YMCA women's gymnasium class committee met Wednesday night with the women's director, Mrs. Lanell Wilkes, to plan the fall and winter activities. In addition to the regular program of exercise, volleyball, trampolining and swimming, there will be bicycle trips, potluck lunches, discussions and ballet instruction.

Former Residents Visitors in Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Borden and children, Mike, Sandra, Garry and Sherry, from Prineville, Ore., spent the Labor day week end visiting in Medford. They also visited their son, Dick who is an employee of the Oregon Food store, here.

The Borden family, former Medford residents, had a western band, and played for various occasions while living here.

Cucumber-Cool Tomato-Soup Shake



The Perfect Anytime-Of-Day Snack for every member of the family is a soup shake. This new soup drink is so simply made, so refreshing, and so nutritious! Combine a chilled can of condensed tomato soup, a canful of ice-cold milk and a squeeze of lemon juice; beat or shake and pour into glasses. Garnish with cucumber slices. Add crunchy potato chips, piquant olives and pickles and a few dainty sandwiches. Who could ask for better warm-weather nibble food?

Chive Cheese And Bacon Sandwiches
1 3-ounce package cream cheese and chives
4 slices crisp bacon, crumbled
8 thin slices bread
Blend cheese and bacon. Trim crusts from bread, spread four slices with the cheese mixture, cover with remaining slices and cut each sandwich into three strips.

Deviled Ham 'N' Egg Rolls
2 or 3 frankfurter rolls
1 family-size can Underwood deviled ham
1 hard-cooked egg, chopped
¾ cup chopped or grated process cheese
2 tablespoons diced celery

Split each roll and remove the soft inside part. Combine all remaining ingredients and fill the hollows in the rolls. Replace tops of rolls and cut each into four or six slices.

American Woman Lives In Guggenheim Palace

By ROSE MCKEE

Venice, Italy — A palace on the Grand Canal in Venice — what more could you ask in the way of a romantic setting?

But Peggy Guggenheim, an American woman who has just such a home, said it is like "living in a railroad station."

The daughter of Benjamin Guggenheim who was drowned on the Titanic in 1912, bought her 18th century palace in 1949 — and ever since has had nowhere to step from her front door but to a boat. Instead of a car parked before her home, she has her own gondola tied to a post.

After showing a visitor from the National Association of Home Builders in Washington, D. C., through her stunning palace and its adjoining gallery that displays one of Europe's most famous collections of modern art, she answered the question of "what is it like to live on the Grand Canal?"

"It's awful," she said. "It's so public. No privacy. There are too many motor boats and too many tourists. It's very noisy in summer. The tourists used to come separately but now they come in bands. The guides taking them up and down the Canal point at this place and say it's the Guggenheim palace. You have the feeling 'you are living in a railroad station.'"

Is Romantic
Nevertheless, her setting is not without romance for her. At another point she said, "This is a poetic place, a sort of dream world. A nice part is the waves splashing against the bedroom walls. In summer I wake up at 4 a.m. and watch the dawn. The light is so wonderful. The vegetable and fruit barges are passing under the window. I watch them, then pull the blinds and go back to sleep."

Peggy Guggenheim, who has been married several times and long has been an international figure, now has a satisfying career in helping young artists to "discovery." She displays and sells their works. Her own modern art collection, one of the most outstanding in Europe, eventually will be a gift to the city of Venice.

A woman in her early 60's, she loves turquoise blue, which seems to be the shade of her remarkable eyes. She uses the color for the walls of her bedroom, for the stripes on the gondola post in front of the palace, for the sash and arm bands of her gowns and for many of her own clothes. She wore a turquoise blue dress of silk crepe that fell in accordion pleats from a small yoke with a round, snug neckline. A long strand of carved turquoise blue beads and earrings completed her artistic costume.

She lives in Venice the year around, leaving only for short trips. Most non-natives,

she said, leave Venice in the winter "but I do not want to leave my home or my dogs." Her three dogs have the run of the palace.

Scene of Parties
It was built in 1749. The original owner was said to have kept lions in the garden at the rear. The palace has been the scene of many famous parties. Its present owner said that the cold and dampness of winter are hard on the old white stone structure and she spends every spring directing work to "revive it."

She has a big living room and a library, both in modern decor. The colors are black and white. Walls and ceilings are white. The furniture is white leather with wide, rectangular arm rests. A black and white fur spread is thrown over the sofa in the living room. There is a black rug on the rose marble floor.

Each of the four bedrooms has its own huge bathroom with floor and walls of either black or green marble. The kitchen is "half modern, half old" and the dining room is entirely "old Italian."

The palace is spacious, as a palace is expected to be but, its owner said, "I have no storage space." She keeps her supply of wine and the big catalogue of her art collection in one of the bathrooms.

Collects Earrings
The walls of her turquoise blue bedroom are hung with collections of earrings, displayed in an attractive manner. She has an immense number of earrings, collected around the world. Her bed is extra wide and it has a silver headboard in a lacay pattern of flora and fauna, designed especially for her.

Among the 14th and 15th century furniture of the dining room is an old Venetian buffet which she found in Venice 35 years ago "and took around the world with me wherever I lived and then brought it back to its natural home."

All of the dining room are a soft green. The high-backed dining room chairs have velvet seats and backs of the same green shade. The dining room is open to the public along with the art gallery three days a week because of the pictures in it.

Of all the nooks in her palace — a dazzling white structure in the brilliant Venetian sunshine — Peggy Guggenheim favors her rooftop. There she can sun herself and "feel remote from the world."

Dinner Funds To Buy Chair

The public is invited to attend a benefit dinner sponsored by Crater Lake aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and the auxiliary, Saturday, September 10, at the hall, 217 West Main street.

Proceeds from the event will be used to pay for a motorized wheel chair for a muscular dystrophy patient. The chair has already been purchased for Larry Thapp, 17-year-old Phoenix boy who will use it to travel between his home in Phoenix and the high school building, Batteries for the chair have been donated by M. C. Lininger and Sons, and A. W. Klatt.

Ham and turkey menus will be offered to those attending the dinner Saturday night. Serving will be from 5 to 8 p.m. and a dance will follow.

Moving About
New York — (UPI) — Thirty-five million Americans move every year, almost half the number during the peak months of August, September and October.

Local moves are charged on an hourly basis. A long distance move, however, is charged on the total weight of your possessions and the distance they have to be carried. Rates are set by the Interstate Commerce commission.

Tips for Grey Tops
New York — (UPI) — A tip for older women: Grey eyebrows will look more naturally colored if they are darkened with mascara instead of an eyebrow pencil.

When selecting a paint color from a small paint chip, remember that the color will look deeper when it is used on a larger area like a wall. For that reason, choose a color that is a bit lighter than the one on the chip.

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Gold Hill PTA Announces Dates

Gold Hill — Mrs. Jerry Herington, president of Gold Hill Parent-teacher association, reported that the first meeting of the unit's executive board will be held Monday, September 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Donald Meister. All members of the board and elective officers should plan to attend this session, she said. Others who are interested in PTA activities are also invited to attend the board meetings.

The first unit meeting will be held Monday, September 19 at 7:30 p.m. "Get Together" will be the theme of the evening.

Gold Hill Families Entertain Guests; Visitors Honored

Gold Hill — Several Gold Hill families were hosts to guests over the Labor day weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marsden had as guests over the holiday week end her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barney, Grass Valley, Calif., and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barney, Portland.

A family dinner was held at the Marsden home to honor the visitors on Sunday. Also attending were the Marsden's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Courtney, Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gray and children, Brut and Nancy Gray, spent the holiday week end visiting his mother, Mrs. Ellen Gray, at Santa Cruz, Calif.

En route the Gray family visited his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Marsche at Hayward, Calif.

Mrs. Forrest Bradford, her son, John Bradford and his daughter, Carol Bradford, all of Salem, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cameron over the holiday week end, at their home north of Gold Hill.

Group To Hear Attorney Speak

Medford Attorney James V. McGowan will speak at a meeting of the Christian Business and Professional Women's council of Medford Monday, September 12. The group will convene at 6:15 p.m. at Mon Desir Dining Inn.

Mrs. Alton Anderson of Andy's Jewelry store will present a short program on fall jewelry. Special music is planned.

Women wishing to make reservations for the event may call Miss Joyce Colvin, SPing 2-5985; Mrs. Charles E. Davis, MUdock, 5-8946; or Mr. Clarence Holdridge, KEystone 5-2793.

Dental Plan a Success
Chicago — (UPI) — A pre-paid union dental care program has been pronounced a success by dentists, patients and the union after three years, it is reported in the Journal of the American Dental Association.

The plan is operated by the Oregon State Dental Association for the children of members of the International Longshoremen's and Pacific Maritime union association. Aproximately 2,300 children and 355 dentists are involved in the plan.



Paris — Introducing an elegant "Beatnik" look for fall, Yves St. Laurent of the House of Dior captures the casual, turtle-neck sweated air of the coffee house habitue in an afternoon ensemble of bronze-green cheviot. Waffle weave wool jersey sleeves and shawl collar lend a sweater look to the straight, low-slung jacket with double-breasted side closing. The skirt is fully-gathered at the jacket hem and curves moderately to the knee. This is an exclusive, copyrighted fashion; copying is strictly forbidden. (UPI Telephoto)

Couple Arrives From Portland

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reed, Portland, are guests at the home of Mrs. Reed's mother, Mrs. Myrtle Gray, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Carney, 424 South Grape street. They are visiting also Mr. Reed's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Reed, and his mother, Mrs. Fannie Reed, Central Point. The Reeds are also spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGonagle, 101 North Eighth street, Central Point.

After leaving Medford, they plan to travel to the Deschutes National forest, and Lake Opal.

Mrs. Dale Harris Honored at Party

A shower was given recently for Mrs. Dale Harris, by her mother, Mrs. R. E. Bibey, Table Rock road. Games were played and prizes given.

Assisting Mrs. Bibey with the serving of refreshments were Miss Donna Colpitts and Miss Nancy Haas.

Attending were Mrs. George Allen, Mrs. C. W. Allen, Mrs. Howard Franklin, Mrs. Leonard Settel, Mrs. Dan Haas, Mrs. James Burt, Mrs. Arnold Black, Mrs. Paul Inlow, Mrs. R. Bibey, and the Misses Nancy Haas, Donna Colpitts, and Sherrel Harris.

Leaves
Gold Hill — Joe Pankey left last week for Forks, Wash., to visit his sister, Mrs. Daniel Sheer and family.

Birthday Party Given for Son

A birthday party honoring Jason Hord was given on his sixth birthday anniversary. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hord, 1010 Niantic street. Games were played and prizes given to winners.

Thurstons Home From California

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thurstons, Stewart avenue, recently returned from San Francisco where they attended the "Dance Caravan" at the Sir Francis Drake hotel. Danny Hector, who heads the Caravan, is a friend of Mr. Thurstons. The two men studied with the same teacher and once performed together.

Mr. Hector is a choreographer for a number of nationwide television shows.

The Thurstons have dance studios in Medford and Klamath Falls. Another will open September 10 at the Mark Anthony hotel in Ashland. Kindergarten and dance classes begin in Medford September 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurstons are members of the national dancers organization. Mrs. Clarence Miller, a university graduate and a specialized kindergarten teacher, is instructor at the kindergarten.

Council Session Set For Sunday

Reports of a recent hearing will be given at the monthly business meeting of Jackson Council of the Blind Sunday, Sept. 11, at 2 p.m. in the Guild hall at St. Mark's church, Fifth and Oakdale avenue.

The delegates who attended the recent hearings on state government reorganization will give a brief report.

Delegates to the annual convention of the Oregon Council of the Blind, which is to be held in Portland October 15 and 16, are to be elected.

Mrs. Alexander Marshall of Scotland, a sister of A. J. Munro of Medford, will sing for the group. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Eve Prentice of Medford.

Light refreshments will be served. All friends and interested persons are cordially invited.

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