

Bridge Tournament Set For Late September

It was announced during the monthly master point play of the Medford unit of the American Contract Bridge Club August 11 that the Rogue Valley Sectional Tournament will be played September 28 through 30 at the Rogue Valley Country Club, Medford. The event is held alternately each year in Grants Pass and Medford.

Auxiliary Has New President

Jacksonville—Mrs. Alfred Hancenkrit was installed president of the auxiliary to Centennial Post 100 of the American Legion, August 10 in a joint meeting with the post held in the Community hall. Mrs. Lind McBeth, past auxiliary president, was the installing officer.

During the joint meeting Wendell Frank, Medford, was elected first vice commander of the Legion to replace L. J. Watts, who soon will move from Jacksonville.

Jesse Long was elected second vice commander to fill the vacancy in that office made when B. C. Macey moved out of town.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Pack Trip Made By Large Group

Hornbrook—Dr. and Mrs. Edward M. Smith and children Mike and Karen, Orland, Calif., accompanied by Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Irene Cooney, San Francisco, arrived recently for a visit with Dr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Smith.

A pack trip to Little Elk lake in the Marble mountains from Sunday to Wednesday was taken by Dr. and Mrs. Smith and Mike, Dr. Smith's father, his brother Bob, Medford, his sister, Mrs. Albert Newton Jr., Yreka, her parents-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Albert Newton and John Burgess, also all from Yreka.

Dr. Smith and family and Mrs. Cooney left Thursday for San Francisco.

Woman Retires In California

Hornbrook—Miss Orpha Wagner, San Rafael, Calif., arrived here Sunday and is living in her house trailer at Ben Phillips Trailer park.

Miss Wagner came to California from Illinois in 1943 and taught school at Weed during the war. Since that time, she has been employed at the Marin county farm in San Rafael and has now retired. She is an aunt of Postmaster Wayne Cummins and of Jess Cummins.

The Friday, September 28 session will be the first of the open pairs championship and will be in the evening.

On Saturday, September 29 the afternoon session will include women's and men's pairs championship play, and the Saturday night play will be the final session of the open pairs championship.

On Sunday afternoon master pairs will play, with a requirement of 20 master points. The evening play will be made up of a team of four championships.

Dinner Planned
A buffet dinner will be served Saturday evening and a breakfast on Sunday morning. Golfing facilities will be available to the group on Saturday morning, with arrangements to be made with the Pro shop at the club by the individuals desiring to play. Social privileges will be available to all entrants.

During the August 11 master point event 11 tables of players participated with Mrs. Sam Van Dyke and Leland Clark taking first place in the north-south position. They scored 115 points.

Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Frank Baker were second with 108½; Chester Reavis and Richard Fimmel, third, 107; and John Shortridge and Walter Ensminger, Grants Pass, fourth, 104.

In the east-west position Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Judy, Grants Pass were first with 109½ points; Mrs. Paul McDuffee and Roy Pruitt, second, 102; Mr. and Mrs. George Bratton, third, 93½; and Mr. and Mrs. Holmberg, Grants Pass, fourth, 93.

Mrs. P. J. Finegan and Mrs. F. E. Bowman were hostesses.

Rebekahs Hold Friendship Night

Jacksonville—Ruth Rebekah lodge held a friendship night recently at the historic Jacksonville IOOF hall. The theme of the meeting was Hawaiian and everyone attending was requested to wear a muu muu.

There were 18 visiting members from Ashland, 10 from Grants Pass and 4 from Central Point. Due to an initiation being held at the Medford Rebekah lodge there were no members present from there.

Prizes of fresh pineapples were awarded to Mrs. Raymond Lathrop and Mrs. Mary Watts, both Grants Pass, for wearing the most authentic muu muus which they said they had obtained from Hawaii, as well as the appropriate jewelry they wore.

Refreshments were served by the Jacksonville lodge. The table was decorated with red gladioli.

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It is possible to travel in the United States on \$8 per day per person, as some advertisements in foreign lands have stated. Potpourri doubted this after our recent motor tour of several far western states, and we still think that most travelers will end up spending more than this sum.

After a recent column about the subject, we had a number of conversations about travel costs and from Mrs. C. L. Goodwin we learned about how foreigners were traveling in this country by bus under a "99 days for \$99" plan. Ida Goodwin said that her son, Robert, had met two young Frenchmen on a bus, by chance, had brought them home and from them learned about the low-cost travel plan for foreigners visiting the United States.

The two young men said they had purchased their tickets for \$99 each from the Greyhound bus company in Paris, and that the tickets entitled them to go anywhere the buses traveled in the United States, Canada or Mexico. When their books of blank tickets had been exhausted, they merely gave the form at the back of the books to a ticket agent, and received new ones.

When the Goodwins wondered why Europe didn't reciprocate, the young men were surprised that the plan wasn't known here and said the same service is available in Europe, only travel is by train.

Potpourri checked with Gene Teeling, district sales representative for Greyhound here, who said that his company's 99 days for \$99 excursion rate is part of the nation's country-wide plan to promote travel here by foreigners. He said that it is considered successful, and that the company now plans to extend it to its excursion program for those living in this country. Details are not yet final, but will be advertised later this summer, he believes. Mr. T. said that he had met many foreigners this summer, and he believes that President Kennedy's campaign to increase travel from abroad is beginning to bear fruit.

Mrs. Goodwin reported further that the young Frenchmen were saving money by not going to hotels or motels, but sleeping on the bus. Whenever possible, they planned their itinerary so that they went sightseeing by day, and traveled and slept at night. This is just fine for the young, but those with greying heads and arthritic joints are forced to pay for sleeping accommodations, at least part of the time. However, if one was spending but \$1 per day on transportation, the remaining \$7 might well be stretched over bed and board.

The French visitors were both students of economics and said they felt that a full knowledge of the English language will become even more of a necessity because of the Common Market developments. They believe English is fast becoming a universal language, and said they used their English in the Scandinavian countries, in Germany and in Mexico. However, when they went to Quebec, they discovered they could scarcely converse with the French Canadians whom they said were using a 17th century French comparable to English of Shakespeare's time. Because of frequent visits to London, the visitors spoke English with a British accent; Mrs. Goodwin says it "was beautiful."

While here, the two made a side trip to Crater lake. Mrs. Goodwin was fearful that the travelers might find an all-day stay at the lake boring, but she needn't have worried. Both are camera fans—the father of one works with a firm which makes lenses for the Bell and Howell company in this country—and they returned to Medford filled with excitement about Crater lake. They took many pictures not only at the lake, but of scenic spots along the way; the two reported that the obliging bus driver had made so many stops for them to shoot pictures that the tour was late in returning to Medford.

They made a tour of the Shakespearean theater but were not regretful over their failure to see a play; they thought their English might have prevented them from fully enjoying a production.

The Goodwins took the visitors to the home of the Leonard Mayfields, where they were welcomed and served refreshments. The young people made plans to correspond with Robert Goodwin and the Mayfield's daughter, Karen.

A recent New York Times reported about the travels of M. Francois Dessaux of Orleans, France, who with his wife had covered more than 4,000 miles in this country by bus. M. Dessaux, the "vinegar king" of France, and his wife were said to be enthusiastic about their bus tour. They had not traveled by plane because "it is too fast" and had been warned not to try a car tour because "American road signs are too enigmatic." They had dined elegantly in the home of friends, and on hamburgers and frankfurters in small cafes. They were enthusiastic about "le hot dog" but maintained a "civilized silence" when questioned about the bun on which it is served.—O.S.

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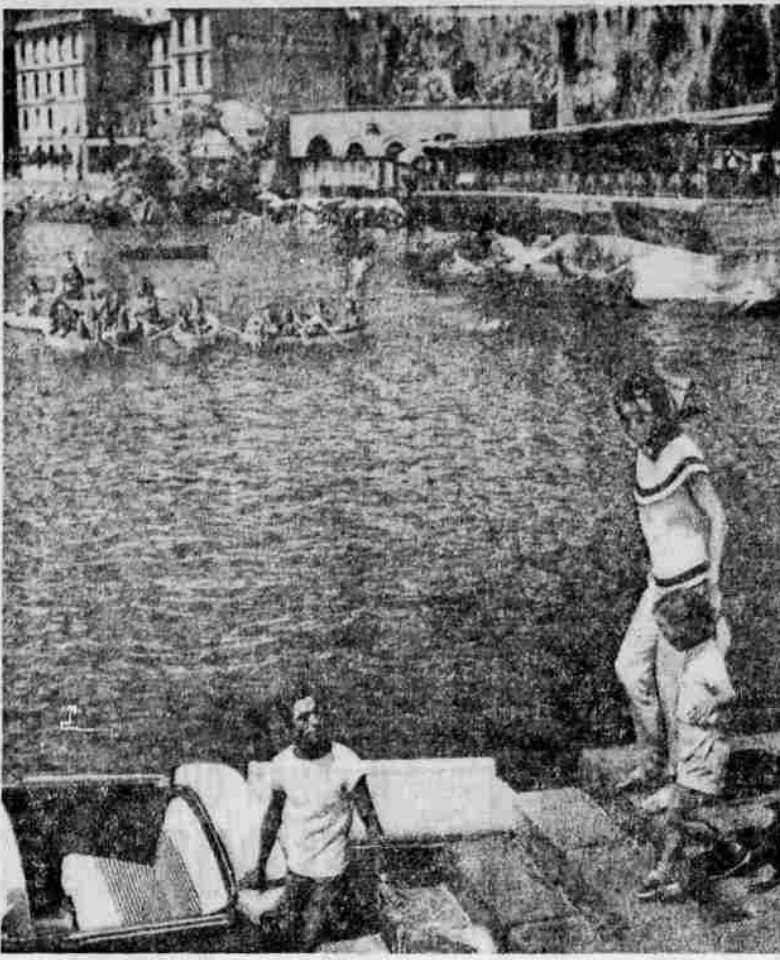
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MARGARINE MARGIN UP

New York—If Americans used enough margarine last year to "orbit" the earth almost six times with a belt of one-pound packages, according to Chemtron Corporation, leading process equipment manufacturer.

Try this for baby's soft and fluffy toys: after washing the plush menagerie in warm soap or detergent suds, rinse thoroughly and put the toys in your gas or electric dryer at the coolest setting for re-fluffing the pile.

Store nuts in airtight containers in the refrigerator. Because of their high fat content, nuts require refrigeration to delay development of rancidity.



Ravello, Italy—Mrs. John F. Kennedy is the object of all eyes from a restaurant and from sightseers in boats in the background when she and daughter, Caroline, prepared to take a boat to Conca dei Marina beach Sunday from the Amalfi pier in this picture.



Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fox and three daughters, Montrose, Calif., were honored at an open house given recently in Yreka by the James Steinhaus family. Mr. Fox, a son of Mrs. Dale Evans Rogers, television personality, and his family formerly lived in Yreka. The Foxes are members of the Christian Home league, an inter-denominational evangelical organization whose representatives accent the value of family prayer. The children are left to right, Candace, Julie, sitting front of her father, and Melinda.

Friends Visit Applegate Homes

Applegate Valley—A number of out-of-state visitors have been guests of friends and relatives in the community recently.

Miss Penelope Nichols of Santa Rosa, Calif., spent two weeks as a guest of her cousin, Miss Anne Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Reynolds, Wentworth, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. George Hooper and son and daughter, Carthage, Mo., were guests of the Reynolds' daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Dunshee and Mrs. William Betheny recently.

Also at the Dunshee home were Mrs. Fred Frank, Moline, Ill., who also was a guest at the home of her son, Charles Anderson, at Ruth.

Additional friends who visited Mr. and Mrs. Dunshee were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hirsch and son Jerry of Pierre, South Dakota.

Miss Melody Libby of West Covina, Calif., has been a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Clarence Roloff.

Guests Entertained At Riant Home
Hornbrook—Guests overnight Thursday and on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Riant were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Haug, Concord, Calif., who had been visiting since Wednesday in Talent, Ore.

Returns

Cave Junction—Kathy Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Keroy, has returned home after spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smart, Fresno, Calif.

In Hornbrook

Applegate Valley—Mrs. Ben Twiss, Star Ranger station, is spending two weeks visiting relatives in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Glen Travis and three sons recently visited her parents and other relatives in San Jose, Calif.

Dinner Guests

Cave Junction—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Edwards were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Scott and family Thursday evening.

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Give pancakes a south of the border flavor with cheese. Make pancakes with your favorite mix and add a label direct. Place one slice of processed cheese on each hot pancake and fold over. Top with heated canned chili.

MINTED VEGETABLES

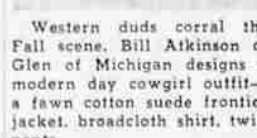
The pungency of mint complements the bland sweetness of fresh green peas. Melt 2 tablespoons of butter or margarine in a saucepan. Add 1½ tablespoons of dried mint leaves. Let steep 15 minutes. Meanwhile, cook 2 cups (2 pounds, unshelled) of peas uncovered for 5 minutes in ½ to 1 inch of boiling water seasoned with 1 teaspoon of salt. Cover and cook 2 minutes more, until just tender. Drain and mix with seasoned butter. Garnish with chopped drained pimiento. Serves 4.

FROM A TO Z CANNED

The more than 1,200 canned foods available in American supermarkets now include everything from abalone to zucchini. New canned cut summer squash, is packed in tomato sauce. It may be served as a vegetable or as sauce for meats or omelets.

Calendar

Monday:
7:30 p.m.—Golden Circle women's group, Gold Hill Christian church, home of Miss Jean Cunningham.
8 p.m.—Chrysanthemum circle, Medford Neighbors of Woodcraft, Engles hall, 217 West Main street.



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By BERNICE STRAWN Extension Home Management Specialist Oregon State University

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Smart Homemakers Tell Us: Avoid the annoyance of tangled electric cords from coffee maker, hand mixers and other small appliances when kept in a drawer. Loop each cord back and forth loosely, then push the loops through a cardboard tube (the core of a roll of waxed paper cut in half crosswise), much as you would put a napkin in a napkin ring. Label each tube with the name of the appliance and you'll be able to quickly find the cord you need. Even if cords are attached to the appliances you can use the tube to keep the cord coiled. Leave the plug hanging out, ready to connect.

If shirt sleeves get twisted in your washer, try buttoning the cuffs to the front band of the garment. This will prevent tangling and save wear and tear.

Clark Family Visits McBeths

Jacksonville—Mr. and Mrs. David Clark and family have left for their home in Springfield, Ore., after being guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. McBeth. Miss Carole McBeth, daughter of the Charles P. McBeths, recently returned from California where she vacationed for several weeks with friends in Los Angeles and relatives in Guadalupe, and San Luis Obispo.

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