

WORK SMARTER — NOT HARDER

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More leisure time for today's homemakers — that's what some people say. But many of the women we know don't agree. "What leisure?" asked a mother of two lively pre-schoolers.

True, there is less manual labor for homemakers today, but time is still pressing for young mothers and women who work outside the home. There's much more to know now, more to decide, more to manage, if you're going to keep a smooth-running home. And what about all the community organizations? They take time too.

Being an up-to-date consumer is no small matter when you face the fact that half the products on the grocery shelf weren't there a few years ago.

Take detergents, for instance. You'll find from 50 to 100 different brands and package sizes on the market shelves. One of the newest is the detergent tablet, sometimes lightly called "elephant aspirin." What about the price, we are asked. And do they get clothes clean?

First, the cost. Once for ounce, these ready-measured products will cost you a few pennies more than the granular product. But since some women waste detergent by not measuring, they may end up at about the same price per wash load in the long run. There are also homemakers who use too little granular detergent and are disappointed in their results. A pre-measured product will help get the right amount and better results. As for getting clothes clean, the tablets do

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the job, but as always, be sure to read the directions on the package. What this all amounts to is—if you want to save money, measure your own.

If you would like to know more about all these new products, write me at Oregon State University, Corvallis, and ask for the new bulletin "Today's Soaps and Detergents." It's free.

At this time of year we get calls about window cleaning after a season of lawn spraying. Water spots due to minerals seem to have "squatters rights."

There is no one answer, because it all depends on which minerals are in your water. Sometimes the glass is actually etched and the only solution is to replace it. Perhaps one of these ideas will work for you.

First, we'll assume you've already tried the standby remedies—ammonia, vinegar, or commercial window cleaners. Next, try powdered water softener or conditioner—the kind that doesn't form a scum. Don't use any other cleaner with it. If this fails, sprinkle a little rust remover powder on a wet cloth and apply a little elbow grease. You'll find several brands of rust removers in shaker cans in supermarkets. Some people have successfully cleaned these mineral deposits with kerosene and water. Happy experimenting!

Smart Homemakers Tell Us: To clean narrow neck vases which can't be washed with a dishcloth or bottle brush, give this idea a whirl. Put a few grains of raw rice in the vase with warm suds and shake well. The friction will loosen the soil. Do this twice. Empty and rinse. Finally, "sweeten" it with a little baking soda in the rinse water.

If a zipper gets stubborn, rub it with a bar of soap. This lubricates the track, makes fastener glide smoothly.

Carnival Announced

Tiller-Drew — Final plans for a Halloween carnival were discussed at the Tiller-Drew Parent-Teacher association meeting Tuesday, October 2.

The carnival will be held in the school gymnasium Friday, October 26, starting at 6 p.m. There will be fun booths, food booth, games, and prizes.

There will be costume prizes in four age groups — preschool and kindergarten; grades 1, 2 and 3; grades 4, 5, and 6; and grades 7 and 8. Judging of costumes will be completed and prizes awarded at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Robert Clausen, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Richard Williams, Mrs. Hillard Lillgren, Mrs. John Godby, and Mrs. Robert Squires reported on the state convention, which they attended.

Mrs. Paul Brady and Mrs. John Wilson are a committee to collect all standing rules of the Tiller-Drew PTA into a compact form.

Mrs. Lillgren, and Mrs. Earl Tibbets are two members of a committee to work out a budget for the coming year.

Mrs. Donald Olsen was elected PTA representative to the kindergarten committee to replace Mrs. Robert Clausen, who resigned.

A film "Workshop for Peace" was shown. Mrs. Kenneth Thompson and Mrs. Robert Clausen gave added information about the United Nations program.

The next meeting of the PTA will be October 30, since election day comes on the regular PTA night.

Refreshments of cookies and coffee were served by the eighth grade mothers.

Shirley Christie Honored Guest
White City—Miss Shirley Christie, bride-elect of John Terry, was honored guest at a shower given October 3, at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Beers.

The wedding is set for October 27 at 3 o'clock at the Meadows church. Refreshments included a bride's cake, and the house was decorated in blue and white.

Guests included Miss Christie, her grandmother, Mrs. R. Christie, Mrs. Jess Terry and daughter, Mary, Mrs. Kay Barrow, Mrs. Iva Foster, Mrs. Venson Hunt, Mrs. Carl Bergman, Mrs. Kurt McCrae, Mrs. Jack Steels, Mrs. H. Klutensbecker, Mrs. W. F. Griffith, Mrs. Robert McAllister, Mrs. Lester Wilcox, Mrs. Gene Wingham, Mrs. Kenton Adams.

Women's News ♦ ♦ ♦ Social Events



Miss Erlinda Rivera is living at the Girls Community club after her recent arrival in Medford from her home on Kauai, Hawaii. Arrangements to live at the girls club were made by her parents after the young woman had decided to come to the mainland to study. She is enrolled in the secretarial course at the Robertson School of Business, and is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Rivera of Kauai.

Hawaii Student Arrives Here

Three weeks ago this week and Miss Erlinda Rivera arrived from her home on Kauai, Hawaii, to attend school in Medford and live at the Girls Community club during her stay here.

She was graduated last June from the Kauai High school and is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pedro Rivera. Her brother, Artemio Rivera, is a junior student at Kauai High school.

Miss Rivera is enrolled in the secretarial course at the Robertson School of Business, a point which she learned through the Honolulu Business college.

When it was planned that Miss Rivera would come to

Honor Students

Ashland—Southern Oregon college senior women, who are student teaching, were honored at a tea given recently by members of the Omicron chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa, teachers honorary.

The hilltop home of Mrs. Ella Elle in Ashland was decorated with lavender and yellow asters and chrysanthemums for the occasion. Punch and tea sandwiches were served by Mrs. Eleanor Briggs and Mrs. Ruth Granby.

The guests were acquainted with the history, aims and requirements of the honorary group. Each of the college students attending were presented with a booklet of explanation.

Mrs. Charlotte Sweet greeted and introduced the guests. Mrs. Pat Colley took care of the guest book. Background music was furnished by Mrs. Kathryn Larison at the piano.

Mrs. Barbara Hanel was general chairman for the event. Also helping were Mrs. Pearl Farnsworth and Mrs. Suzanne Schulz, decorations and Mrs. Virginia Ferguson and Mrs. Jane Snodgrass, invitations.

Following the tea a brief business meeting was conducted to make final plans for the Founder's day luncheon to be held October 13 at Rogue Valley Country club.

Pi Phi Group Attends Event

A group of Medford members of Pi Beta Phi sorority were in Klamath Falls Saturday to attend a dessert tasting party and sale of articles made in a settlement school supported by this group. The women returned to Lake of the Woods where they were joined by their husbands and spent the remainder of the week end.

In the group were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thieroff, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Bush, Dr. and Mrs. Billy Blackstone, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wood.

Community Day Plans Are Made

First plans for the annual World Community day were made at a meeting of Medford Council of Church Women held at Ascension Lutheran church.

The observance is set for November 2 and the theme will be "Deepen the Channels to Peace." The World Community day festival will be held at Zion Lutheran church beginning at 11 a.m. During and after the luncheon program, sewing kits and gifts of sarongs and blouses for the women of Asia Minor will be accepted and dedicated.

Greeters Group To Honor 'Beep'

Mrs. F. R. Faulkner, member of Medford Business and Professional Women's club being honored as Beep of the Week for the 1962 Business Women's week observance here, will be a guest at the weekly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Greeters' club.

It will be held Thursday between 9 and 10 a.m. at the Rice and Barker Real Estate office, 767 South Riverside avenue. Usually the group meets at the Medford hotel.

The week-long observance will conclude Sunday morning with a breakfast in Mrs. Faulkner's honor.

Couple Returns From Illinois

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Merrill, 119 South Holly street, have returned from a three-week trip to Monmouth, Ill., where they visited Mr. Merrill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Merrill, and attended a family reunion.

En route east they went by way of Yellowstone park and on the return trip west they traveled to Painted Desert, Ariz. In Long Beach, Calif., they visited an aunt of Mr. Merrill, Mrs. Mabel Groom, and from there went to San Diego to visit relatives.

At San Luis Obispo, Calif., they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hackett, former Medford residents.

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

Wednesday:

7:30 p.m. — Alpha Phi alumnae group, home of Mrs. William Duhaime, 133 White Oak rd.

7:30 p.m. — Medford Lions auxiliary, home of Mrs. Edward Ashton, 863 Murphy rd., Medford.

8 p.m. — Xi Mu chapter, beta Sigma Phi, home of Mrs. Everett Ballard, 1796 Stewart ave.

8 p.m. — Medford Toastmistress club, PPL building, West Main st.

8 p.m. — West Side Mothers club, school cafeteria.

Thursday:

10 a.m. — Phoenix Home Extension unit, fireside room, First Presbyterian church, Phoenix.

10:30 a.m. — Agate Home Extension unit, home of Mrs. Richard Hamilton, 68 Oak dr.

10:30 a.m. — Howard Home Extension unit, home of Mrs. D. L. Mosier, 728 West Summit ave.

10:30 a.m. — Lone Mountain Home Extension unit, O'Brien schoolhouse.

10:30 a.m. — Willow Springs Home Extension unit, home of Mrs. Lawrence Moody, 100 Kings Way, Central Point.

12:30 p.m. — Medford Sojourners club, Girls Community club.

3:30 p.m. — Medford Zonta club, Town House.

Hornbrook Couple Attend First Games

Hornbrook — Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith returned Sunday evening from San Francisco where they went to see the first two games of the World Series. The Smiths accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wedin and Mrs. Pearl Ling, Yreka, and in San Francisco, were joined by their son-in-law and daughter, Siskiyou county district attorney Albert H. Newton Jr. and Mrs. Newton.

Tuckers Return From Long Trip

Prospect—Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tucker, Prospect, returned recently from a two-month business and pleasure trip that covered most of the northern United States. They stopped in Yellowstone park en route home. The Tuckers have now traveled in all the 48 states and Canada.

Mr. Tucker is founder of the Tucker Sno-Cat firm and his two sons operate the plant during his absences. One son, Morris Tucker, recently completed a new home on the Rogue river above Prospect and it is now occupied by the family. His son has entered Prospect grade school.

The E. M. Tuckers plan to leave soon for California.

Roosevelt PTA To Hold Session

Roosevelt School Parent-Teacher association will meet Thursday, October 11, at 7:30 p.m. at the school.

A short business meeting will be followed by introduction of teachers and a program on legislation.



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