

Columnist Returns

Mrs. I. E. Schuler has returned to her home on Highland drive here after an extended stay in Europe. Mrs. Schuler wrote the column, *Veni Vidi*, which appeared in The Medford Mail Tribune during her stay abroad, mostly in Rome.

After leaving Rome Mrs. Schuler and her grandson, Martin Trece, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trece, Portland, who had been attending school in Rome, toured in a number of European countries before returning to Oregon. Mrs. Trece accompanied Mrs. Schuler to Medford last week. Mr. Trece, with his daughter, Catherine, who attends Wellesley college, and younger son, Brian, flew to Medford for the week end in their plane, and the family returned home Sunday night.

Ashland Couple To Leave Soon

Ashland — Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Burdick, who recently sold their home at 122 High street to Mr. and Mrs. John McCollum, Berkeley, Calif., expect to leave this week for a visit with their sons and families in Oregon and Washington before motoring to southern California to make their permanent home at Palm Springs.

Mr. McCollum is to be on the faculty at Southern Oregon college. He and his wife have five children.



Fifty members and guests attended the recent picnic of Medford League of Women Voters, held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis L. Hopkins, Old Military road. Pictured during the picnic luncheon are (left to right) Mrs. Ray Dempster, a guest; Mrs. Robert Balk, member of the league board, and Mrs. Wesley White, a member. Mrs. Ogden Kellogg, league president, explained the program and purpose of the group, one of the best-known of the national groups for women in the United States.

Fashion Involving Toward Curves

By ALINE MOSBY
Paris — Women soon possibly next season — will look like women with curves again. This is the conclusion reached after the semi-annual two-week Paris fashion parade, which wound up in its usual hysterical way. If one is to examine the situation the way diplomatic observers look over the East-West tangle, one could come to the conclusion that fashion is evolving toward rounded, larger shoulders, fitted waistslines, slightly longer skirts and clothes shaped more to the bosom.

None of this season's changes was radical, but, as diplomatic observers say, they were "significant" straws in the wind.

The next two seasons may see sharper changes. The fashion shows loped along at first with not much difference from the "old" natural shoulders, shift dresses and unfitted suits.

The sole exception was Jacques Heim's mid-calf skirts, which did not stir up much enthusiasm. Bohan Makes Changes
Then designer Marc Bohan at Dior emerged with football shoulders and some fitted suits with long jackets and vented sides like English riding habits. In the next to the last showing, Hubert de Givenchy exploded with many fitted, shaped suits.

Bohan and Givenchy are two of the four most influential designers in Paris. The other two, Cristobal Balenciaga and Yves St. Laurent, stuck to the "old look."

But buyers expressed the opinion that the Dior-Givenchy fitted waists will win out within one or two seasons. "Women are tired of looking like little boys. They want clothes to fit the figure and look feminine," one California buyer said.

That same buyer six years ago was promoting the casual "little boy" look.

Buyers seek changes in Paris because changes get women into the stores by making old clothes obsolete.

Some designers, such as Gabrielle Chanel and Pierre Balmain, will continue making classic clothes and ignore all the changes.

Summing up the 1963-64 collections the dictates included:

Suits — Fitted in the waist or still loose, with shoulders generally larger. Sleeves to the wrist or three-quarters.

Skirts — Narrow and straight, covering the knee or one to two inches below, not much for trimmings on suits.

Coats — Narrow coats and back half-belts are still with us. The newer look is a wider coat with back fullness falling straight from shoulders to hem. Fuller shoulders. Some capelets, some attached scarves and many huge collars to cover up cold noses.

Afternoon Dresses — Extra-simple narrow shifts with long sleeves, usually unfitted

in the waistline except for Givenchy's new fitted "princess" dresses. Many tunics and jumpers worn over long-sleeved blouses. Not many loose panels, not much drapery.

Cocktail Dresses — Shirt-waist styles in dressy fabrics. Wool suits with lame or brocade blouses and linings, "little black" dresses bare in back but high in front. Some low in front but high in back and not much drapery.

Evening and Dinner Dresses — Long to the floor. Wool narrow shirtmakers for dinner or hostessing. Strapless ball gowns rich with beaded embroidery. Others with high necklines to the chin. Long wool evening coats.

Hats — Usually covering the hair. Fur caps.

Hair — Short straight pageboys.

Legs — Covered. Boots to the knee. Heavy wool stockings in ribs, stripes or checks. Lower heels for both day and evening.

Fabrics — Tweeds, and checks even in evening coats and long dinner gowns. Shiny artificial leather raincoats.

Newest Colors — Charcoal gray for day, purple or brown for evening, white, pink and Christmas green at all times.

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Women's News

Shakespearean Concert Set Wednesday Afternoon

Ashland — Danish soprano Anne Lisa will appear as guest artist Wednesday, August 7, when the Oregon Shakespearean Festival presents the second in the 1963 series of Music and Dance concerts. The performance is scheduled for 3 p.m. in the Caesar room of the Mark Antony hotel, with proceeds from the nominal admission to benefit the Festival's collection of instruments and scores.

Miss Lisa is a graduate of the Royal Conservatory of Music in Copenhagen, Denmark, and has studied with the Danish master Svend Methling and with Maestro Maestro Plas in Milan Italy. In Denmark, and in West Coast appearances, she has won critical plaudits for her performances. Her accompanist Wednesday will be Calvin Knapp, of the Pacific Lutheran University School of Music.

The Wednesday concert will again feature a full program of selections by the Festival musicians and dancers. Various selections from the August 4th premiere concert will be repeated, along with a major addition to the company's repertoire. In its first presentation by the Festival Musicians will be the "Trio Sonata, Opus, No. 1," written for two recorders, cello, and harpsichord by J. Loeliet.

Appearing from the music ensemble will be: Lee Ann Allen, soprano; Kathleen Barnes, soprano, harpsichord; John Getgood, oboe; Allan Hughes, recorder, clarinet; April Lewis, bass viol, harpsichord; Lucille Melinat, recorder; violin; Andrea Reeder, flute; Charles Richmond, recorder; Judy Bjorlie, cello.

The Festival dancers are Sara Covatt, William Gamble, Linda Lovering, Judith Oxford, Powell Shepherd, Toni Thompson, and Martha Wynd.

Ohio Girl Scout Is Chosen for Fair Committee

Of interest here is news of an honor achieved recently by Becky Prickett, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Scripser, 727 West Fourth street, Medford. Miss Prickett, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Prickett, Chillicothe, Ohio, was recently selected to serve on the Senior Girl Scout committee for the 1963 Ohio State Fair. A junior in high school, Miss Prickett was one of 10 Senior Girl Scouts throughout Ohio to be chosen for the committee.

As a representative from the Seal of Ohio council, Girl Scouts of the USA, Miss Prickett was chosen on the basis of her Girl Scout interest, personality and industriousness, news story stated.

Miss Prickett's mother, the former Anne Scripser, has been enrolled in the University of Ohio, Akron, to complete her work toward a degree in English and education. Before her marriage she attended the University of Oregon where she was a member of Alpha Delta Pi sorority.

Mrs. Prickett and her daughter spent June in Medford with the Scripsers.

Mr. Prickett is in the standard practice department of the Goodyear Atomic corporation in Chillicothe.

Military Orders To Hold Events

Rogue circle, Military Order of Lady Bugs, will assist with a cookout for the members of the Veterans Administration domiciliary, White City, set for Thursday, August 8, at 12:30 p.m. at the VA picnic grounds.

Other coming events are also announced by the group. The annual picnic of M.O.L.B. is set for August 13 at the home of Mrs. B. B. Ramsay, 2097 Roberts road. Members of the Military Order of Cooties and families are also invited. A potluck dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, August 11, is the date of the annual watermelon feed at the VA hospital, Roseburg, sponsored by the Military Order of Cooties. A group from here will go to Roseburg to assist with the event which will begin at 10:30 with games.

Californians On Visit Here
Mr. and Mrs. William Buckingham Jr., and their children, Sherry and Jimmy, El Segundo, Calif., arrived in Medford recently to visit Mr. Buckingham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Buckingham, 27 Lincoln street. The families then continued to Salt Lake City to spend some time with relatives, and have now returned to Medford.

The Californians are also guests of Mrs. Buckingham's mother, Mrs. Roy Cummins, Biddle road.

Central Point Women Appointed
Central Point — A nominating committee consisting of Mrs. Cora Card, Mrs. Owen Wilson and Mrs. Royal Greenman was appointed at a recent meeting of the Crater chapter of Grandmothers clubs held at the home of Mrs. Clifford Turvey, Gebhard road.

The next meeting will be a picnic at the home of Mrs. Wilson, Central Point, Monday, August 19.

Myrtle Creek Reunion Planned
The annual Myrtle Creek reunion and potluck luncheon will be held Sunday, August 18 at Skinner Butte Park, Eugene, at 1 p.m.

All former residents of Myrtle Creek are invited to attend and to bring their friends. Each family is asked to bring its own table service.

Arrive
Ashland — Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hitchin and sons, Ralph and Robert, Glendale, Calif., arrived Monday for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Moore, 1450 Tolman Creek road. Mrs. Hitchin is Mr. Moore's daughter.



Officers of the newly chartered Rogue Valley chapter, Parents Without Partners, are pictured here before the charter banquet held July 30 at Rogue Valley Country club. Shown are (left to right) William Wright, chapter vice-president; Mrs. Louise Hartley, treasurer; Mrs. Patricia Watson, secretary and Jacelyn Langston, chairman of the dinner and program.

Newcomers Are Invited to Club

Medford Sojourners club, a social organization devoted solely to the purpose of helping newcomers to the vicinity become acquainted, will meet Thursday, August 8, at 12 noon in Girls Community club.

Any woman who has lived in Medford not more than two years may become a member by attending three successive meetings.

Bridge, pinocle and canasta are played each meeting, and several special parties are given each season. Twice yearly the club entertains at an evening party for members and their husbands or escorts.

Further information may be had by calling the hospitality chairman, Mrs. Andrew Griffin, 772-2092, or the publicity chairman, Mrs. Clifton Green, 773-7084.

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Women's Group Views Slides
A picnic at the home of Mrs. Luther Davis, 1100 Barnett road, was held recently by the Jackson County association of Insurance Women.
C. O. Kelley, who with his family, now resides at 1817 Oregon avenue, Medford, showed colored slides of Saudi Arabia, where he has been employed for the past 15 years by the Arameco Oil company.
He also showed views taken during a trip through Italy, Switzerland and southern Germany, including pictures of the ruins of Pompeii.
On Saturday, August 17, members of the Jackson county group and the Rogue valley club, Grants Pass, will attend the Shakespearean festival to see "The Merry Wives of Windsor."
Mother Here
Mrs. Grace Callari arrived recently from Imperial Beach, Calif., to spend several weeks here with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Archer, 1211 Saling avenue. The Archer's are the parents of a son, their first child, born July 4. He has been named Wayne Michael.
Dinner Honors Local Women
A surprise birthday party was held recently for two local women who are twins, Mrs. William Dale Friend, Central Point, and Mrs. Miner Boshears, 408 South Grape street, Medford.
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hanscom, Central Point, were hosts for the dinner, at North's Chuck Wagon, which was attended by ten guests.
Calendar
Tuesday: 7 p.m. — TOPS club, Medford and Jackson County Public library, social room. 7:30 p.m. — Rogue Valley chapter, Panhellenic council, Mrs. Floyd H. Baker, 1917 East Main st.

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