

Trying to Save Luggage Weight; Skip the Capris

It's travel time; and wherever in the world you go, go with trunks of femininity, not just a few old pounds. Today, with air travel, you can very easily be penny wise and pound foolish. For many of you a trip to Europe is the culmination of a lifelong ambition. You're going with stars in your eyes, guidebook in your hands, and comfortable shoes on your feet.

But, my dears, don't forget that you're also going for the romance of it, and romance doesn't come to plain Janes except, perhaps, in the movies.

Whether you're manned or unmanned, let the part of the world you're visiting know that you're something very special and proud of your specialty.

Do yourself a favor by planning your wardrobe, not by the pound but by the pleasure you expect to have. Forget that little advice from airlines, if that is to be your method of travel, which tells you "You're limited to 40 pounds." Who's limited? Not the smart woman. You want to see the ruins, but that doesn't mean that other lands have to see you looking like a ruin yourself.

If you want to save a bit on poundage, first eliminate anything from your wardrobe that remotely looks like slacks, Capris, shorts or other unreasonable facsimiles. They actually weigh about the same as attractive dresses.

There are many, many things you can leave out of your luggage. Make lists every day, starting months before your departure date. Go over them again and again. Ask yourself, "Is this item truly necessary?" If you so much as hesitate, draw a line through it.

Don't take perfumes. In glass containers, they explode or evaporate, and the glass weighs heavily on that scale. Leave most of your cosmetics at home; buy them abroad.

As long as you're spending money for travel, extend that budget to include overweight on your luggage. An extra \$50 can mean the difference between traveling like a queen or going as a pauper.

Go regally and elegantly, as you should. Pack at least one full-length formal gown, a minimum of four cocktail dresses — flamboyant and terribly feminine — no less than seven daytime dresses and one suit. Save packing room by buying your shoes, lingerie and hats abroad.

Don't make the common mistake of planning to buy your wardrobe abroad, especially if your time is limited. Fittings take days in many cases, and you may discover to your horror that all you do have to wear is that terribly unchic basic black. And to wear black in Europe or South America is to indicate you're in mourning. All men respect mourning, and you'll find very few passes being made in your direction. It could ruin your entire holiday.

Those advertisements that tell you "half the fun is getting there" should add that even more fun is what you do when you get there. And if you dress the part you'll find much more to do.

Armed Forces

Navy Reservist Commander Richard J. Lange of 107 Desford St., and Navy Reservist Lt. Comdr. Robrt Smith of 4904 Asteria, are undergoing two weeks active duty training with Transport Squadron 773 at the Naval Air Station, Los Alamitos, Calif.

Airman 2/c James D. Ross, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis L. Ross of 1638 W. 204th St., has graduated with honors from

the technical training course for U.S. Air Force missile guidance system mechanics at Chanute AFB, Ill.

Army PFC William L. Moreland, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Moreland, 435 W. 219th St., participated in Exercise Desert Strike, a joint Army and Air Force maneuver involving 100,000 troops. The exercise was held in the tri-state area of California, Arizona and Nevada.

Law in Action

Contempt Power Of Court Cited

As a rule, under the Constitution, no court may imprison a man for failing to pay a debt; but a court can order him to do something to pay, "or else." The court can jail a person or fine him for "contempt of court," that is, for disobeying a court order.

A court uses its "contempt powers," as a rule, only when somebody wants special "equitable" relief, like ordering a person to do, or not to do, a particular thing; to perform a contract or to get rid

of a nuisance. These powers are seldom used in cases involving only money damages.

Courts sometimes use contempt powers to make a divorced husband pay alimony or child support. For failure to do so the court may jail him.

But not always. It depends. Recently California courts drew a line between court ordered alimony and payments to be made because of a "property settlement" which is a contract between hus-

band and wife in contemplation of separation or divorce.

Court ordered payments may be enforced by contempt proceedings, but a property settlement is enforced like any other contract without the sanction of jail or fine.

With court ordered alimony in marital cases the court can also raise or lower the payments. Ordinarily, a property settlement binds the husband and wife and cannot later be changed by the court.

child support payments.

Parents, particularly the father, have the duty to support a child until he becomes of age or gets married. No property settlement can abolish this duty.

Failure to support a child can also be a crime and may call for a criminal prosecution. District attorneys most often prosecute where offenders leave the state to avoid supporting their children.

Note: California lawyers offer this column so you may know about our laws.

Principals Will Give 'Y' \$3,000

Members of the Torrance Elementary Principals Assn. will present a gift of \$3,000 to the Torrance Family YMCA building fund tomorrow. Joe Wilcox, executive secretary of the "Y," will accept the gift from Robert Allen, newly elected president of the group.

Presentation of the check will be made at the principal's breakfast meeting at Caesar's Restaurant. Mrs. Kenneth E. Watts, a member of the Board of Education, will speak at the meeting.

Unity Church To Celebrate Anniversary

Torrance Unity Church will join the world-wide commemoration of the 75th anniversary of the church Sunday through Friday.

"The Little Things" will be the lesson topic Sunday at services to be held at Walteria Park Building, 3855 W. 242nd St. Classes for children are held at the same hour.

Women of Unity will meet Tuesday at Church House, 2256 Torrance Blvd., at 11 a.m. Emma M. Muffley, minister, may be contacted at 320-4871.

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<p>DI CARLOS SPRINGFIELD BREAD</p> <p>5 for \$1</p>	<p>FARMER STYLE SPARE RIBS 49¢ lb.</p> <p>RIB END PORK CHOPS 49¢ lb.</p> <p>ROUND STEAK 79¢ lb.</p> <p>BONE-IN RUMP ROAST 69¢ lb.</p> <p>CUBE STEAKS . . . 98¢ lb.</p>	<p>DETERGENT TREND</p> <p>GIANT SIZE 35¢</p>
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<p>HORMEL'S VIENNA SAUSAGE . 5 for \$1.00</p> <p>KRAFT'S - 10-OZ. JAR ASST'D. PRESERVES 3 for \$1.00</p> <p>LIQUID BLEACH - 1/2 GALLON PUREX 39¢</p> <p>SPRINGFIELD - NO. 303 CAN CORN CREAM or WHOLE KERNEL 7 for \$1.00</p> <p>HEINZ - 14-OZ. BOTTLE KETCHUP 19¢</p> <p>NABISCO - LB. PKG. PREMIUM CRACKERS . . 27¢</p>	<p>C.H.B. SUGAR</p> <p>5-LB. BAG 45¢</p> <p>POWDERED or BROWN - 2 1-LB. PKGS. . . . 35¢</p>	<p>GERBER'S STRAINED BABY FOODS</p> <p>10 FOR 99¢</p>
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<p>PRODUCE SPECIALS</p> <p>CENTRAL AMERICAN BANANAS . . 2 lb. 25¢</p> <p>GREEN ONIONS or RED RADISHES BUNCH 5¢</p> <p>WHITE ROSE Potatoes 10 lb. 49¢</p> <p>BROWN ONIONS . . . 5¢ lb</p>	<p>FOREMOST BUTTER Grade AA 67¢</p> <p>ICE CREAM 1/2 Gallon 59¢</p> <p>ICE CREAM Family Style 1/2 Gallon 69¢</p> <p>ICE CREAM Premium 1/2 Gallon 79¢</p>	<p>LARGE GRADE AA EGGS</p> <p>Dozen in Carton 35¢</p>
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