

# Colorful And Expressive May Fete Of Schools Entertains Huge Throng At Finlay Field

By DAN MINDOLOVICH

All the superlative adjectives used by motion picture producers to describe their latest film creation would be needed to fully describe the May Fete, produced jointly last night by Senior High School and Roseburg grade schools, under the supervision of Cece Sherwood, athletic director, and C. A. Ricketts, music director, of the Roseburg school system.

A crowd that overflowed beyond the cindertrack filled the huge Finlay Field grandstand. The rafters were literally filled, with spectators even jamming the press box on the stadium roof.

The grand entrance, headed by the Roseburg band and majorettes, was impressive, as nearly 600 students marched onto the field. The vari-colored costumes, the stalwart youth togged in gymnasium suits, the backdrop of lights and trees, the musical backdrop provided by the High School Band and the green carpet of grass all added up to a spectacle of pageantry rarely seen in this area.

If the Russian leaders could have seen the local May Fete, they would undoubtedly have shot the promoters of their own May Day extravaganza in Red Square, for sheer incompetence.

Following the grand entrance, Queen Sue I and her entourage motorized into view in two sleek convertibles. Sue Motschenbacher was selected by Senior High School students to rule the Fete. Senior princesses were Betty Burr, escorted by Clinton Agee, and Raeda Reece, escorted by Jim Poirot.

Junior princesses were Zona Wilshire, escorted by Bob Barrows, and Joanne Taylor, escorted by George Packard. Sophomore princesses were Esther Owen, escorted by Ervin Stritzke, and Lola Rae Byrd, escorted by Bill Wagner.

D'Ann Fullerton was flower girl and Robert Giliek was crown bearer. Train bearers were Carolyn Turner and Pamela Schoenleber.

Dick Bonebrake, Queen Sue's escort and president of the High School student body, placed the crown upon Her Royal Highness' head.

As the Queen's company hove into view, the High School Triple Trio harmonized "Make Way, Here Comes the Queen of May." The Queen's throne was located to the left of that portion of the field set aside as the stage. To the right, a temporary stage had been constructed to house the band.

Performances Delight Grade school performers started the action. Especially crowd-pleasing was the Ringling Brothers' relay, as staged by the Fullerton Elementary School. They conducted a race, that included various physical contortions and exercises. At one portion of the race two runners grasped a stick, ran on either side of their line while holding the stick parallel to the ground. This made it necessary for those in line to jump as the stick cut toward their shins.

In the heat of the race, one small stick-holder ran "like mad" so his team could get ahead of the competing team. As those in line jumped successfully, it created a smooth rhythmic pattern that was also humorous to observe.

Mass exercises, as performed by boys' physical education classes,

# KRNR DIAL-LOG

'T'would seem we're currently engaged in the battle-of-the-bop . . . or at least there's a cold-war attitude toward this seemingly nit-wit stuff the record companies are making a haul on. We'll admit that bop isn't going so well around the country . . . its fans are centered only in certain sections of New York, Hollywood, and Chicago . . . with a tiny sprinkling here and there throughout the rest of the U. S. Those in the "Night Riders in the Sky" and "Buttons and Bows" school of music undoubtedly won't like bop. Acceptance of the bop pattern is definitely small's pace . . . as it was with swing in the beginning. Bop-king Dizzy Gillespie first introduced the instrumental version . . . and was followed up by Dave Lambert and Buddy Stewart with their vocal version . . . a difficult to accomplish voice-used-as-musical-instrument interpretation. Still don't know what we're talking about? Well, you may hear some of it tonight on "Rhythm Rendezvous" at 11 . . . then draw your own conclusions.

Don't miss "Comedy Playhouse" tonight at 7:30; "The Affairs of Peter Salem" at 8; and "The Fishing and Hunting Club of the Air" in its new time . . . 8:30. At 9:30, KRNR's remote facilities are put to work on another broadcast direct from the Shalimar Room featuring the vocal and instrumental interpretations of Gordon Clark.

New show tomorrow morning at 8:45 . . . "Sentimental Memories" sponsored by Oakland's Marshall-Wells Hardware Store. And, speaking of new shows, the bunch in the Continuity Department, the Program Department, and John Hardiman of Lawson's have their heads together making plans for a surprisingly different and new kind of program which will benefit everybody in general with good listening—and engaged couples in particular—with an assortment of wonderful gifts. Will provide details on this when the time comes.

Don't miss the new give-away show on KRNR tonight. Listen to "Here Comes the Bride" at 8:00 tonight. It's sponsored by Lawson's Jewelry. This new show will be heard tonight at 8:00-8:30 p. m., one time only, to be re-scheduled later.

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REMAINING HOURS TODAY		FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1949	
4:00-Fulton Lewis, Jr.	11:00-Rhythm Rendezvous.	6:00-Sunrise Serenade.	6:15-News.
4:15-Frank Hemingway.	11:30-Sign Off.	6:30-Music.	6:30-Two Ton Baker.
4:30-Passing Parade.		6:45-Auction Activity.	7:00-News.
4:45-News.		7:15-Breakfast Gang.	7:30-Breakfast for Two.
5:00-Straight Arrow.		7:45-Local News.	7:50-Local News.
5:15-Captain Midnight.		8:00-Riverside Review.	8:15-Vector H. Lindhart.
5:45-Tom Mix.		8:15-Book of Bargains.	8:30-Man About Town.
6:00-Gabriel Heatter.		8:45-Book of Bargains.	9:00-Music.
6:15-Mutual Newsreel.		9:15-Book of Bargains.	9:30-Man About Town.
6:30-Sports Page.		9:45-Book of Bargains.	9:50-Shopper's Guide.
6:45-Local News.		10:00-News.	10:15-Gospel Singers.
6:45-Three-Quarter Time.		10:30-Melody Matinee.	10:45-Day Acre.
7:00-Sportscast.		11:00-Ladies First.	11:30-Queen for a Day.
7:15-States You Remember.		12:00-Music at Noon.	12:15-Sports Page.
7:30-Comedy Playhouse.		12:25-Music.	12:40-Local News.
8:00-Affairs of Peter Salem.		12:45-National News.	1:00-Man on the Street.
8:15-Fishing and Hunting Club of the Air.		1:15-Party Line.	1:30-School Program.
9:00-News.		1:45-Request.	2:00-Johnson Family.
9:15-Lenny Ross.		2:15-School Program.	2:30-Show Time.
9:30-Shalimar Room.		2:45-Local News Show.	3:00-Fulton Lewis, Jr.
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10:00-Concert Master.		3:45-Say It With Music.	3:50-Fraction and Melody.
10:30-The Falcon.		4:00-Captain Midnight.	4:15-Magic Garden.
		4:30-Mutual Newsreel.	4:45-Sports Page.
		4:55-Local News.	5:00-Three-Quarter Time.
		5:15-Music.	5:30-Bill Henry.
		5:30-Captain Midnight.	5:45-Sammy Kaye Showroom.
		5:45-Local News.	6:00-Ciclic Kid.
		6:00-Magic Garden.	6:15-Straight Arrow.
		6:15-Mutual Newsreel.	6:30-Carmen Cavallera.
		6:30-Sports Page.	6:45-Bob Eberle Show.
		6:45-Local News.	7:00-News.
		6:45-Three-Quarter Time.	7:15-Hi Neighbor.
		7:00-Bill Henry.	7:30-Fulton Lewis, Jr.
		7:00-News.	7:45-Local News.
		7:15-Sammy Kaye Showroom.	7:50-John Steele, Adventurer.
		7:30-Ciclic Kid.	11:00-Rhythm Rendezvous.
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were impressive to watch. Coach Jack Newby directed the drills. The performance was smoothly executed with one exception, Jack Mathis, football star, had some difficulty in coordinating his movements with those of group as a whole. Newby later reported Mathis received an A for effort.

Especially acclaimed was talented Joan Rutter's ballet interpretation of walking a tight rope. Hers was the only solo performance, and a neat one it was!

Choral numbers, a skating exhibition by Charlene Deets and Joan Blosser, baton twirling, tumbling acts and many other exhibitions rounded out the two and one-half hour program. Neil Sheet's clown act during the tumbling performances was effective. Only a competent tumbler could put on an "incompetent" tumbler act, as he did.

A highlight to the Fete was the presentation of corsages to Miss Lois Fitzgibbons and Mrs. Joe Toman for their "untiring efforts" in getting the Senior High girls in shape for the Fete. Miss Blosser made the presentation.

Spontaneous contributions amounting to \$149.95 "plus a lot of pennies" were donated by pleased spectators.

As a grand finale, senior girls of Roseburg High danced around three May poles.

(Pictures on page 8)

Only the male nightingale sings.

**Two Highway Projects Turned Down By Board**

PORTLAND, May 19. (AP)—State Highway Commissioners have thumbed down a \$7,500,000 project to complete the Wilsonville cut-off between Portland and Salem.

The exact estimate came from Engineer R. H. Baldock who said a Willamette bridge and ten miles of paving would be needed to finish the route.

Earlier the Commission also rejected a new highway route down the east side of the Willamette Valley and also a plan to widen Highway 99 east to Four Lanes.

Salem's grid-system highway routing plan—ultimately to cost up to \$8,000,000—got tentative green light. Chairman T. H. Banfield said plans may go ahead for a new bridge linking Salem with West Salem. He said the Commission could not bind future commissions to the whole project, however.

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# Young Men Of 18 Reminded Of Duty To Register

Local Board No. 14, Douglas County, Selective Service System, beginning June 1 and continuing through the month of June, will be open three days a week, Tuesday, Wednesday and Fridays, it was announced today. The hours will be 8 a. m. to 12 noon and 1 to 5 p. m.

Young men are reminded that they are required to register with the local board as they become 18 years of age. They have a period of five days after their 18th birthday in which to register.

The whereabouts of the following listed registrants is unknown to the local board, and they or anyone knowing where they are should contact the local board at once. The list and last known addresses includes:

Thomas Oscar Harvell, Toketee Falls; Raymond Clifford Bane, Tiller; James Ernest Mickels, Hot Springs, Ark.; Mickey Mack McLaughlin, Myrtle Creek; James Vernon Williams, Dumas, Tex.; William D. Matthews, Azalea; Shelby Ray Sears, Glendale; Billy Johnson and Leslie Earl Brant, Reedsport; Arden Wayne Weaver, Scottsburg; Alan Russell Cox, Sutherlin; Chalmer Murry Staten Jr., and Charles Franklin Ellis, Glendale; Jack Norman Carter and Harold Everett Scribner, Reedsport; Kenneth Ray Willis, Reedsport; Howard Emmons Rogers, Gilie; Millard Arlington, Days Creek; Luther Jesse James, Azalea; Johnny Evan Aseltine, Klamath Falls; Donald William Logan, Days Creek.

# University Of Alaska Chooses New President

AIRBANKS, Alaska, May 19. (AP)—Terris Moore, treasurer of the Boston Museum of Natural Science, is to be the new University of Alaska president.

The board of regents announced his appointment to succeed Dr. Charles E. Bunnell, who retires July 1.

Moore is a Harvard graduate in business administration and a former instructor at the University of California at Los Angeles. Until recently he was president of the Boston Museum. He has acted in the past as consultant to the governors of Connecticut and Massachusetts.

He has visited Alaska a number of times on mountain climbing expeditions with Bradford Washburn and as a civilian consultant to the military during a 1942 ascent of Mt. McKinley.

Cambridge, Mass., is his home. The regents also authorized preliminary steps for creation of a University of Alaska graduate school by September, 1950. It also passed a resolution to allow the Executive Committee of the Board to borrow up to \$500,000 on the college assets, at four percent interest, for essential construction.



**ASSISTANT MANAGER**—Roy A. Abrahamson, above, has been transferred to Roseburg from Grants Pass as assistant manager of the local Montgomery Ward and Co. store. Thirty-one years old, he also has served Ward's at its Everett, Wash., and Klamath Falls stores. He is a native of North Dakota, married, and a veteran of two years in the Navy. Tom Jackson, formerly assistant manager here, has been transferred to Albany in a similar position. (Picture by Clark's Studio).

# East Germany Swat At Communism Upsets Soviet's Strategy Plans

By DEWITT MACKENZIE (AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)

The Kremlin must have been set rocking by the election in the Soviet Zone of Eastern Germany, where more than a third of the voters balloted against hand-picked, Communist-approved candidates for the new "People's Congress."

The Red command had anticipated the usual favorable vote of virtually 100 per cent in such elections. This was to be a triumph for presentation at the forthcoming meeting of the Big Four foreign ministers' Council in Paris.

Moscow's strategy was to lay before the Council this "People's Congress" of 2,000 delegates which would match the federal republic of Western Germany. Not only that, but the Congress contains 500 delegates specially designed to represent Western Germany.

In short, the "People's Congress" was to have been put forward by the Russians to represent all Germany.

What line of strategy the Muscovites will pursue to offset this upset is a matter of keen speculation in Western diplomatic circles. Certainly the so-called "People's Congress" has lost any magic which it might have held for Western Germany had the election been practically "unanimous" as planned.

This revolt of the German voters in the Soviet Zone is in itself a momentous development, but it seems to me to fit into a picture of much broader significance. Last weekend this column analyzed the statement by Paul G. Hoffman, director of the Economic Cooperation Administration, that "our way of life will be secure if Europe is strong and free in 1952."

Display Backbone Now comes this rebuff to the Russians in Eastern Germany which was supposed to have been thoroughly Communized. We see that there is a powerful anti-Communist element in that zone, and that it dares raise its head.

Then take a look at Yugoslavia. This Balkan state was supposedly the most thoroughly Communized of all the satellite states. It was Communism's forward theater for training and supply in the "cold war." But Moscow's hold on that state cracked up on the rocks of Yugoslav nationalism.

Marshal Tito and his followers subscribed to Communism, but doggedly clung to nationalism rather than acknowledge Moscow as the seat of sovereignty. The Cominform launched a drive against Tito—and thus far has been beaten at its own game.

In neighboring Bulgaria there have been purges of prominent Communists, then Bulgarian Premier Georgi Dimitroff—one of the big Reds—recently went to Russia. One report had it that he was seeking medical treatment, but there has been widespread

# Start Urged On Armed Services Housing Agenda

WASHINGTON, May 19. (AP)—Defense Secretary Johnson Wednesday asked Congress for authority to go ahead with a \$623,125,682 housing and building program for the armed services. He said the need is "critical."

Simultaneously, a presidential committee reported that in many places, "servicemen are forced to pay penthouse rents for chicken coop homes in the slum areas that have grown up near military installations in recent years."

The money that would be spent in Johnson's program has been included in President Truman's \$15,000,000,000 defense budget for the year starting July 1. But Congress had not yet approved the appropriations.

The program calls for housing for servicemen and their families both at home and abroad and for construction at various airports and other military establishments. It also includes \$14,529,000 for a secret "special weapons" project.

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