

Final Sessions Slated Next Week For YMCA Summer Youth Program

The local YMCA summer youth program, directed by Bruce Hamilton, will conclude Aug. 17. Parents will be invited to final sessions of the Winston-Dillard girls and boys groups, and to the program for Roseburg youth on Friday.

Ribbons, swimming certificates and other recognition awards will be presented at these final sessions.

The Winston-Dillard final meetings will be held at the J. O. Ledgerwood swimming pool in Dillard, at 10:30 a.m. The boys' program will be held Wednesday and the girls' program Thursday.

On Friday Roseburg boys who have participated in the summer program and their families will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Central Junior High School auditorium for awards and recognition night.

The YMCA Youth Work committee, including Harry Sanislo, Richard Gilman, Richard Turley, Everett Wimer and Harry Hill, will present the awards, including awards for those who passed the National aquatic tests. David Jackson, assistant to Hamilton, will also be present.

A special Walt Disney movie entitled "A World is Born," will be shown during the program. The movie describes early plant and animal life.

According to Don Naden, secretary of the local YMCA chapter, 150 boys and girls have been enrolled in the summer recreation program. Out of this number 70 boys attended summer camp sessions, Naden said.

Stevenson's Big Lead Unweakened By Rivals

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cut down Stevenson's lead for the nomination to the point where there would be a series of convention ballots. Stevenson's backers have based their victory hopes primarily on a quick decision.

His opponents made minor progress here and there. But there was no sign they had lessened materially the long lead Stevenson built up early in the race or had offset the impetus given him by the withdrawal of Sen. Estes Kefauver of Tennessee.

Stevenson Counts 538

Stevenson forged above the 500-vote mark in first-ballot strength in the Associated Press poll of delegates willing to state public preference.

Latest figures showed Stevenson with 578 votes to 213 for Harriman, 27 1/2 scattered among favorite sons and others and 343 1/2 still uncommitted and unwilling to state a preference. The nomination requires 593 1/2.

The Harriman camp claimed 400 votes; Stevenson strategists stuck to their prediction of 600 to 630 on the first ballot.

After days of suspense, Truman announced late Saturday he regarded Harriman as the "best qualified" to be president.

Aided by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, who campaigned with him until midnight last night despite her 71 years, Stevenson kept up a drumming pace. By all odds, he was the favorite in the applause at gatherings where he, Harriman and others turned out.

From Sen. Richard L. Neuberger of Oregon, came a prediction that Truman will have "no more effect on the Democratic convention of 1956 than Herbert Hoover had on the Republican convention" four years ago when Hoover backed the late Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio for the GOP presidential nomination. Taft lost to Eisenhower on the first ballot.

Nordic Plywood Float Winner In Tenth Timber Days Parade

"Historical Events of America" moved through the streets of Sutherland on floats Saturday as the grand parade opened the second day of events of the tenth annual Douglas County Timber Days celebration.

Nordic Plywood's float, "Emancipation Proclamation" took top honors for the day. The blue and white float featured a flowing scroll inscribed with the numeral XIV, the Fourteenth Amendment to the U. S. Constitution.

Second place went to the Sutherland Lions Club entry of "P a l l Reverse." The scene showed the colonial hero stopped in front of a brick house warning the residents of the approach of the British.

The Statue of Liberty as depicted on the Woodmen's Circle float took third honors.

Close to 12,000 persons, as estimated by Sutherland police, watched the half-hour long parade which was headed by the Oakland Boy Scouts as color bearers.

Prettying up the march was the Timber Days court as headed by queen Sandra McCullough. Visiting royalty included the Yoncalia Rodeo court, the Roseburg R o s e Queen, and Myrtle Creek's Fall Festival princesses.

Red Reynolds, star of KVAL-TV, Eugene, acted as grand marshal for the parade.

The only float to break down never made it into the formation. The Lutheran Church's "Thanksgiving" entry was left setting beside the road as the rest of the parade went by.

This year, the kiddies parade was combined with the grand parade. Left to their own imagination, the boys and girls came in costumes of every description and color, as well as with their pets

and mounted on bicycles and tricycles.

A Quaker man and woman as portrayed by Flint and Lanning won first prize for the costume division. Second went to Pat Mullin's cave man and third to Joy Lilly for her Indian girl.

In the pet division, first prize went to the horse entered by Sara Sorenson. Trudy Downs' Indian girl was second and Sharon Bearber and Uranium were third.

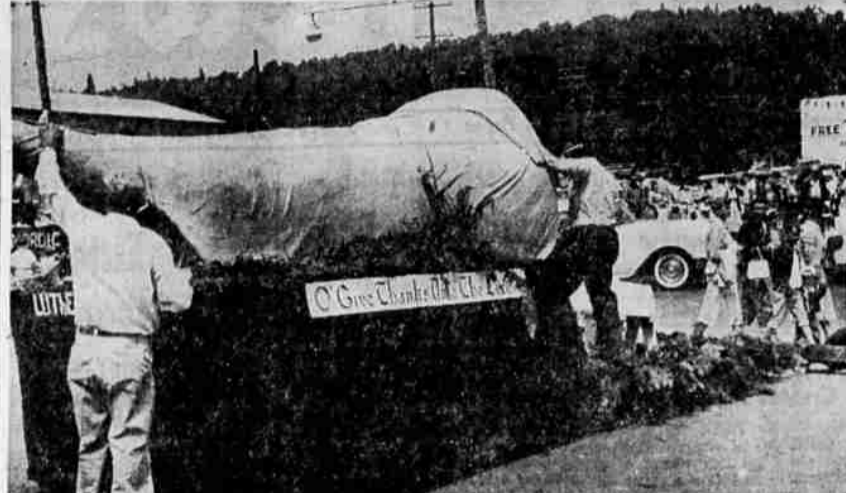
Bobby Adams won first for the

best decorated bike. Second was Peggy Palermo and third was Walter Erickson.

In the float division, an entry entitled "The Last of the Big Tops," took first. The boys' lastest Rangers' was second. Mason's "Forn" was second and third. Drove Judy Jepson won with her large float. Larry Sorenson received an award for his Keep Oregon Green entry and Karen Downs was honored for her entry of a skunk.

In the mounted groups, the Timberline Trail Riders from Sutherland were first. Second was a group known as "Five Girls, From Sutherland." They were Linda Carl, Nancy Dorman, Lorna Cummins, Donna Esselstrom and Ethel Pyles.

A side-light to the parade were the many decorated store windows along the route, with most of them showing logging scenes. The Golden Rule store received the trophy for the best window.



BROKE DOWN — This professional looking float didn't even get into the Timber Days parade before it broke. The only casualty of the day, the theme of the Lutheran Church entry was "Thanksgiving." The long object on top was a horn of plenty. (Paul Jenkins)

Kenneth Jacksons Of Dillard Back From Extended Vacation

By ROSA HEINBACH

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jackson returned to their home on Kent Creek in Dillard last week from an extended vacation trip to visit relatives in the East. They visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jackson, in West Virginia and with old friends and relatives there. In Baltimore, Md., they were guests of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jackson, and other relatives. They also visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jackson, and Mrs. Jackson's brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Syrov. Returning west they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Syrov in Dayton, Wash. Their visit was saddened there by the passing of her mother, Mrs. Jackson is on the teaching staff at Douglas High School.

Amos 'n' Andy Show Scheduled Here This Week

The television comedian team, will be in Roseburg with a troupe for a special benefit show sponsored by E L K s Lodge Wednesday and Thursday nights.

Both live stage shows will start at 9 p.m. at Central Junior High School. Proceeds will go into the Elks' charities.

The Amos 'n' Andy which will appear here aren't the originals of radio fame, Freeman Gosden and Charles Correll. But those two appointed the cast which is to appear here.

Amos in this case is played by Alvin Childress and Andy is Spencer Williams, both veterans of the theater and radio.

Lillian Randolph, as Madame Queen, and Johnny Lee as Lawyer Calhoun will be part of the cast. Background music will be by the nine-voice Lillian Randolph Choir.

The troupe will arrive here this afternoon, Tuesday, at 3:15 p.m., members of the cast will appear on KPIC-TV.

The doors at Central Junior High will open at 8 p.m. each evening. There will be no reserved seats.

Setback Requests Due Tonight At City Council

Two public hearings are set tonight on applications for waiver of Roseburg's setback ordinance by two residents. Both will be before the City Council, which starts a meeting in the city hall at 7:30.

Leonard W. Riley is seeking to build a house on front of the setback line in Kane Street. M. E. Croshing wants to build a carport extending past the setback line on Chapman Avenue.

The City Council probably will receive a report from its Citizens Advisory Traffic Committee, recommending measures to start construction of the Rose-Stephens one-way street couplet and of a new bridge to cross the South Umpqua River.

Miss Margaret Parrott came down from Salem, where she is working in the Public Health Dept., and visited over the weekend with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mays and son, Scotty, of Hood River visited last week at the home of Mrs. May's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hess on Pitzer Street, and took their older son, Ricky, home with them after his having spent a month with his grandparents.

Cave-in Victim's Rites Held This Afternoon

Gravestone funeral services for Sylvester Jones, 41, Sutherland, killed in a cave-in at Winston Friday, were held this afternoon.

Services were at Fair Oaks Cemetery, Sutherland, with the Rev. W. P. Griffith of the Union Gap Missionary Baptist Church officiating.

Jones was born Nov. 21, 1914, in Jones County, Tex. He was a member of the First Baptist Church at Reedsport, but had lived in Sutherland for about 10 years.

Surviving are his wife, Ruby; three sons, Aubrey, Lester Duane and Vester Wayne, and two daughters, Patricia Ann and Deborah Lee, all of Sutherland; his mother, Mrs. Bonnie Jones, Purdum, Tex.; three brothers, Richard of Napa, Calif., James of Palo Alto, Calif., and Marshall Thixton, with the government on Formosa; four sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Moler of Holy Ridge, Miss.; Ollie May Jayroe of Purdum, Roberta Miles of Wortham, Tex., and Charlene Forester of Corpus Christi, Tex.

Stearns and Little Mortuary, Oakland, was in charge of funeral arrangements.

Umpqua Grove No. 51 Plans Dist. Program

The Umpqua Grove No. 51 of the Supreme Forest Woodman Circle met last week with two state officers in attendance; Mrs. Phoebe McGuire, state president and district manager, and Mrs. Alice Christenson, state auditor of Roseburg.

During the business session the applications of transfer to the Umpqua Grove was voted for Mrs. Alice Christenson, both from the Nebo Grove, Roseburg.

The welfare chairman, Mrs. Mollie Welch, reported that a box of clothing had been given to the needy family in the community.

Mrs. Welch, president, reported on the trip that a group of officers made to Sweet Home recently to visit Mrs. Pat Manley and Mrs. Gene Hathaway, formerly of South Dillard. Those from the Umpqua Grove making the trip were Mrs. Phoebe McGuire, Mrs. Jessie Thomas, Mrs. Welch, Mrs. Rosa Heinbach, Mrs. Avis Warren from Eugene and Mrs. Zella K. Puckett from Portland. At that meeting plans were discussed for the state convention to be held in Roseburg in the spring of 1957.

Mrs. McGuire led in a discussion of plans for holding the district convention in Dillard and Winston, Saturday, Oct. 13. It was decided to hold the morning registration and afternoon meeting at the Dillard and Winston Methodist Church with a luncheon to be served there. A formal banquet will be served at the Evergreen Grange Hall by the Home Economics Dept. of the grange, and the evening meeting will follow there.

Mrs. Bella Holm invited the ladies to her home in Happy Valley for a garden party Monday, Aug. 20. Ladies are asked to come in a Chinese costume.

Refreshments for the evening were served by Mrs. Maxine Cantwell and Mrs. Beulah Gibson.

County Fair Details Enter Closing Stage

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the public eye include Gov. Elmo Smith, guest of honor at a free barbecue in front of the grandstand Aug. 25. He will speak in the fairgrounds pavilion after the big feed, according to present plans.

One of the most popular events in past fairs will be held again this year. That's a talent contest. Preliminaries will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday night, Aug. 23-25. The finals will be Sunday night, Aug. 26, in the pavilion.

The first-place performer will win \$100 and a television appearance over KVAL-TV and KPIC. Red Reynolds, KVAL-TV cowboy star, will emcee the show.

A daredevil stunt is that which will be made each evening by Ralph Wiggins. His act is to ascend in a hot-air-filled balloon. After reaching a certain height, he bails off the balloon's trapeze and floats to earth under the protective canopy of a parachute.

Other features on the fair program include horse racing Saturday and Sunday afternoons and a micro-midget racing the nights of Saturday and Sunday.

Site Prepared For Zirconium Plant At Albany

ALBANY, Ore. — The Wah Chang Corp. of New York is preparing a site here for construction of a plant to make zirconium metal used in atomic reactors.

Lawton Gieger, Atomic Energy Commission director for the Pittsburgh area, was quoted by a reporter here as saying in a telephone conversation that the government is ordering more zirconium. He did not disclose the amount.

Wah Chang took over the government's zirconium pilot plant here last year.

The Albany Democrat-Herald said it had learned unofficially that new equipment would be installed in the pilot plant to step up production of zirconium oxide. It then will produce more than can be handled at the pilot plant in the final two operations of chlorination and reduction, the newspaper said.

The new plant, to be built on a 45-acre site two miles northeast of town, will take over for the final two stages of the surplus zirconium oxide produced at the pilot plant, according to the newspaper.

Glendale Masons Attend Outdoor Communication

By MRS. GERALD B. FOX

Seven members of the Glendale Masonic Lodge were among some 350 Masons who drove to Crater Lake Saturday to attend the eighth annual outdoor communication. Meals were served at noon and in the evening by the Crater Lake Lodge, sponsor of the event.

Those from Glendale and Azalea who made the trip included Henry Gaedecke, Arthur Gaedecke, Robert Gaedecke, Dale Wright, Sam Flory, Victor Opperman and Howard Edison.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Karger of Eureka, Calif., visited with her mother, Mattie Heller, in Glendale last weekend.

Suffers Stroke

Douglas Lancaster of Albany, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Deltar Redington of Glendale, was taken to the Veteran's Hospital in Portland last week, suffering with a stroke.

Gordon Cox of Hugo, a former Glendale resident, is in San Francisco at the Southern Pacific Hospital for treatment for an injured hand. X-rays have been taken, preparatory to surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brickey and children of Glendale spent a recent weekend at their home in Harbor, Ore., on a business and pleasure trip. They visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ames. They were joined there by Mr. Brickey's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brickey of Grants Pass, by his sister, Mrs. Christina Reed and children of Sunny Valley, and by his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brickey and children, also of Grants Pass. They then visited Mrs. Brickey's brother, J. E. Smith, and his family in Brookings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan (Dutch) Barle and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gilberts spent a recent weekend at Crest on the coast and back through Yreka.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McNeel of

Hospital News

Mercy Hospital Admitted

Surgery: David Howard, O a k land; Louis Duquette, Dillard; Mrs. Thomas Tymcheck, Florence; Mrs. Walter Payne, Roseburg.

Medical: Mrs. Eugene Spring, Ray C. Laurance, Mrs. Gail K. Daley, Virgil Reetz, Roseburg; Mrs. Charles Owen, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Julia Elliott, Glide Mrs. Gilbert Maret, Sutherland; Mrs. Elwood B. Emerine, Dillard.

Discharged

Walter Davis, David Howard, Oakland; Laurence Stribling, Jack Reese, Mrs. Wesley Thompson, Sutherland; Mrs. John A. Parson and baby, Teresa Gault; Loren Collins, Mrs. Carol Curtis, Mrs. John Kelley, Mrs. Frank Couey, Mrs. Lucy Kruse, Mrs. Robert L. Carter, Fred Marshall, Mrs. John Decker, Roseburg; Mrs. James Roy Loper, Riddle; Mrs. Vernon Williams, Cecil Dugan, James J. Rose, Mrs. Frank Pack and baby, Juanita Marie, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Calvin Johnson and baby, Eddie Dean Mrs. Charles Nichols, Winston; Mrs. Norene Allen Walker, Dillard; Guy Moore, Camas Valley; Douglas Sutphin, Tiller.

Douglas Community Hospital Admitted

Medical: Mrs. Phillip Telford, Mrs. Curtis Day, Mrs. Robert Stead, Lewis Williams, Roseburg; Mrs. Blake Handy, Canyonville.

Discharged

Mrs. George Crocker and baby, Bradley John; Mrs. E. Yarbrough and baby, Rickie Lee; Mrs. Hap Linville, Vernon Waddie, Virgil Lynn, Delbert Oliviant, Roseburg; Mrs. Joe Hiffeshew and baby, Wendy Lee, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Fred Haskins and baby, Twila Colleen, Riddle; Mrs. Bruce Samuel, Sutherland.

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Limited Water Use No Longer Necessary

Manager Alton Andrews of the Oregon Water Corp. announced today the end of the voluntary water-use restrictions which had been called recently because of dwindling water storage.

Andrews extended words of thanks for "cooperation of customers" in the effort to conserve water. The plan used called for customers with even numbered home addresses to use water for sprinkling on even dates of the month and odd-numbered homes on odd days of the month.

Andrews said the restriction was no longer necessary since storage supplies are back at a safe level.

Swim Pool Burglars At Least Leave Hole

DENVER — About the only thing burglars didn't take in a weekend job, the manager of a swimming pool construction firm said today, was the hole itself.

Raymond P. Sweeney said the burglars drove off with 74 concrete moulds and a complete diving tower. The loot was valued at \$3,690.

RHS Band Practice Called For Tuesday

Members of the Roseburg High School marching band have been called for a practice in the band room at the school Tuesday night at 7 p.m.

The purpose of the practice is to prepare for the trip of the band to the Oregon high school Shrine All-Star football game in Portland this Saturday. The trip is being sponsored by the Roseburg Shrine Club.

Band Director Harold Withnell said the band will take part in the pre-game and half-time pageantry at the game.

Last Confederate Vet Rallies From Illness

FRANKLIN, Tex. — Old Soldier Walter Williams appeared to be fully recovered today from his latest illness and said he is looking forward to his 114th birthday next Nov. 12.

"I'm starting all over and there will be only 14 candles on the cake," the Confederate veteran said.

"I've got no time to go to the hospital. I'm too darn busy," he said, adding that he wanted to read the big stack of mail he received during his illness.

A siege of drowsy gave him a few bad days recently.

First Negro Presides Over Buffalo Council

BUFFALO, N.Y. — For the first time in this city's history, a Negro official presides over City Hall Monday.

Democratic councilman King W. Peterson, president pro-tem of the Common Council, became acting mayor with the departure Sunday of Mayor Steven Pankow and council president William B. Lawless Jr., for the Democratic national convention in Chicago.

Traffic Violator Draws Fine And Jail Sentence

Orville Clark Houston, 25, Scottsburg, was fined \$50 for basic rule violation, and given a 20-day jail sentence and assessed \$25 for driving while his license was suspended when he pleaded guilty to both charges in district court Monday.

State police said they arrested Houston Saturday after chasing him for three miles at a 100 mile-per-hour clip north of Winchester on Highway 99. Houston's operator's license was suspended for drunken driving in Reedsport Aug. 3.

Ex-Soda Jerker Hurls Tornado Money From Auto

LOS ANGELES — A litterbug with a slightly different attitude was taken to a hospital for observation after he was seen tossing pieces of green paper from his car.

Police said William Clark, 39, had torn up about \$200 to \$300 in \$20 bills and another \$400 in travelers' checks.

Officers said the only explanation he gave was that he quit his job as a fountain clerk at a Hollywood drive-in three days ago and was "feeling bad."

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