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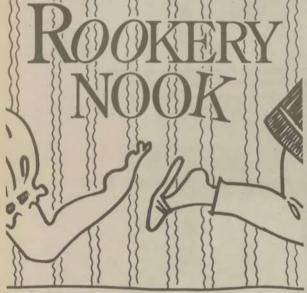
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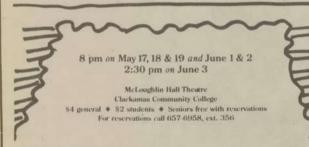
Actors Travis Box (Gerald Popkiss), Lorin Arendt (Harold Twine), and Dan Kerr (Clive Popkiss) rehearse for the Spring production "Rookery Nook." Gerald and Clive gently ask Harold to keep the young gal in the bedroom a secret from his wife in the fast paced farce written by Ben Travers and directed by Jack Sheilds. Photo by Tim Zivne



Opens Tomorrow



a farce! by ben travers - directed by jack shields



a developmentally appropriate program for

- * Convenient Orchard Center Site on campus

Folk story tells "unusually fishy scene"

by Sue Anne Walker **Contributing Writer**

Fish stories are a part of the history here in the Northwest. Anyone who has participated in the sport of fishing knows the enjoyment in reliving the experience by telling the story of the one that "got away," or perhaps the one that didn't get away.

The reaction of the audience has a lot to do with what is emphasized or embroidered upon throughout the story. If the story gets a good enough response, it is told and retold. By the time a good fish story has been polished and perfected to the satisfaction of the speaker, it may not be an exact accounting of the actual event ... but oh what a story! If the story gets passed around, a bit of folklore is born.

Folk stories aren't always lit-

with a truth and grow from there. Studies around the Chesapeake Bay area have revealed that when settlers were asked to recount events, their reports came surprisingly close to what had been recorded in the records at the courthouse. We are fortunate here at Clackamas to have many of our 'settlers" still on hand to question about the early days of Clackamas Community College.

It is no surprise that one of the stories in the history of the college is a fish story. On the mural in our school library, the hands of Nancy Travers created an unusually fishy scene. The inspiration for this scene grew from a joke that was made to lighten a tragic event.

One day long ago, an "accident" occurred and something got into the drainage system that filing Center pond and killed a bunch of baby salmon that Jerry Herrmann had over there. At the time, accusations flew and tension rose because no one knew for sure what had happened. Afterwards, it was suggested that, since Herrmann recycled everything anyway, he could take those dead salmon and, since they were tiny, have smoked salmon on a stick. John Hooley tried to talk a commercial art instructor Kevin Forney into creating a t-shirt with a "smoked salmon on a stick" design, but the whole idea never got off the ground. It was one of those situations where humor was used to lighten tensions. Currently, the ELC does hold smoked salmon bakes, but apparently they and the recycling activities are unrelated events ... and as far as we know there is no t-shirt

erally true, but they usually start ters into the Environmental Learn-Students artwork on display in Pauling

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Annually, the art students, faculty, and staff join together to display the talent of our students through their work in class.

This year, the Student Art Show will run May 17 through 30 and will represent work from each of the Art departments. Visit the Pauling Gallery to view paintings, drawings, sculpture, photography, calligraphy, and jewelry design.

Each year, this event allows students to get a feeling of the work behind getting ready for a show. Presentation of art is an important learning process for any artist, and this show gives the students hands-on experience

An open reception will be held on May 17 from 11-1 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come and talk with student artists and faculty while enjoying the refreshments.

