

# Performances of one-act plays begin

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Rhapsody Editor

George Hurlburt is an 84-year-old student here at Clackamas will have one of his one-act plays performed in the theatre beginning today.

Hurlburt came to Clackamas three years ago and enrolled in classes in the theatre department. Since then, he has not taken any classes that were not theatre related.

The play, "The Princess of Ahlden," is a modern day account of "one day in July of 1694 when King George I of England locked up his wife, Sophia, accusing her of infidelity," Hurlburt said.

This is the only one of his five plays which has ever been produced, although one of his plays made it to the finals of a contest sponsored by the Columbia The-

atre, but unfortunately no further.

Although he enjoys play-writing, Hurlburt says that it "takes a lot of time." He also said that he has received a great deal of help from Jack Shields, of the Communications and Theatre Arts Department here at Clackamas.

Hurlburt also enjoys studying genealogy. He has traced his family history back to the early 18th century and has done the same with his wife's. He has not had much time for genealogy lately, however, since play writing takes up most of his time.

The play will be performed along with three other one-acts, all directed by students. The student directing Hurlburt's play is Elizabeth McDougall, which is a point that Hurlburt wanted made clear, as that fact was overlooked in a local newspaper.

Appearing in the play will be Kenye North, Paul Cook, Michelle Hagen, Tonya Cartmill, and Roger Hancock.

Also playing today and tomorrow will be "Seascape with Sharks and Dancer," directed by Adam Jarvey and featuring Tonya Cartmill and Roger Hancock; "Jesse," directed by Christina Bryant and featuring Jim Nicodemus and Travis Box; and "Minnesota Moon," directed by Jim Nicodemus and featuring Jeff Cibula and Travis Box.

"The Princess of Ahlden," will be playing today at 12 noon, along with "Jesse." "Seascape with Sharks and Dancer" and "Minnesota Moon" will play at 12:30 p.m. tomorrow. Then, at 7:30 tomorrow night, all four one-acts will be performed. There is no charge for any of the performances, and everyone is welcome.



Mary Bennett has found an economical and recycleable way to make furniture.  
Photo by Lane Scheideman

## Bennett creates unique, economical furniture

by Angela Wilson  
Feature Editor

When taking a trip back east, Mary Bennett noticed that there were lots of wasted bails of hay sitting in fields and laying around. "They were wasted because they were moldy," Bennett said.

Bennett figured out a way to use the wasted bails of hay; make them into furniture. Bennett figured out how she could wrap material around the bails of hay and they could then be made into economical furniture.

"I'm hiding the hay from the horses with my furniture," Bennett said.

"The furniture is safe and durable," Bennett said. "If you get tired of it you can put it out in your garden or feed it to the horses."

The hay used in the furniture is Blue Grass Hay. Bennett uses triple twine hay packed solid and free of mildew.

"Straw is too coarse and doesn't pack solid and alfalfa

hay tends to mold," Bennett said. "My first try at this I used alfalfa and it molded on me."

An important step in Bennett's process of making this furniture is letting the hay dry. The hay is dried for a month or more.

The furniture pieces can be stacked in a variety of ways to make different kinds of furniture. It absorbs odors, insulates well, and is rough and durable.

Bennett makes the furniture in her home and stressed that it can appeal to everyone in style and price. There are a variety of different materials used and some of the pieces are painted on or stenciled on.

"It is refillable, recyclable, and most important economical to everyone," Bennett said.

Bennett has applied for a Poor Man's Patent and the patent is pending.

"I haven't found any furniture like this anywhere," Bennett said.

## Spring term final exam schedule

CLASS TIME	EXAM DAY AND TIME		
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
8-9 MWF	8-10		
8-9-30 TTH		8-10	
9-10 MWF			8-10
9:30-11 TTH		10-12	
10-11 MWF	10-12		
11-12 MWF			10-12
11-12:30 TTH		12-2	
12-1 MWF	12-2		
1-2 MWF			12-2
1:30-3 TTH		2-4	
2-3 MWF	2-4		
3-4 MWF			2-4
3-4:30 TTH		4-6	
CONFLICTS	4-6		4-6

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