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Needless to say, George, the Jubilee was a rousing success... and heading the list of those successes was the melodrama "Curse You, Jack Dalton." In the production's two performances it grossed \$484... and netted a few bucks over \$400 that will be put to helping finish the new community building. Director Gloria Priebe and the cast deserve a mighty appreciative "well done!", both for their outstanding effort and their desire to assist in the building program.

All the activities that were held in the building over the Jubilee overwhelmingly support its need in the community... for sure. And that need points up the fact that its completion needs to be expedited. Funds are still needed, George!

The newly-formed Community Theatre Group will hold its first business meeting in the building on Wednesday, July 28, at 7:30 p.m. and all charter members are asked to attend. Election of officers and discussion of the next production will be on the business agenda.

If you are not a charter member of the group, for only \$1, you have until July 31 to become one. After that date, the yearly membership will jump to \$5. You can mail your dollar now, along with your name and address to P.O. Box 152, or bring it to the meeting. It'll be a buck well spent.

A factory employing 150 people generates enough business in a community to support between 1,000 and 1,200 persons, economists say. Residents earning their living as a result of the factory will need 300 homes, and ordinarily will want about 320 automobiles. Families gaining a livelihood because of the factory will have children enough for an 18-room school.

Such a community will support 33 stores, it is estimated, and will allow 23 professional people to live and serve in the community. It will pay \$53,000 to the local transportation facilities to transport the goods produced by the factory. It will buy the produce of 6,000 acres, involving the farmers about the community and giving them a market for their produce. It will lay down a revolving payroll of more than \$200,000 and establish a \$2,500,000 foundation for taxes.—Reprint from 1954 IAPES News, so inflation will increase all these figures by about 150 percent.

Deadline for entries in the Curry County Fair Junior Queen Contest has been extended to July 15, mainly, so I hear, because there aren't yet any entries from Langlois or Port Orford girls. Any girl between the ages of 7-9 is eligible to enter by submitting their name, address, school, age, phone, and a recent photograph. One girl will be chosen from each grade school in the county to try for the queen's crown at the Pageant to be sponsored by the Brookings Soroptimist Club.

The information and photo should be mailed to: Curry County Fair Junior Court, P.O. Box 537, Gold Beach, Or. 97444.

Come on you north Curry girls, lets get them entries in now. The 15th isn't far off!

I didn't have room for all the Jubilee photos this week so I'll finish publishing them next week. Hope you can stand the suspense. I don't think I can because I had flash cord problems and a lot of the photos were taken inside. But there are also more parade shots on the film so I know some of 'em will be good. Next week, George.

It's a pleasure to welcome Mabel Edwards back as a correspondent this week... after many years of absence. Mabel is a former writer for the News, you see... back when I first started this paper in 1958. She wrote a local column then called Do Tell... which she resumes this week. If you have some interesting news, give her a call at 332-5952. We'd both appreciate it.

PICNIC SLATED
Saturday, July 17, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. there will be a "potluck" picnic (bring food and table service) at Sunset Beach. Maxine and Jamie France will be present. Mrs. France was formerly the C.E.F. Director of Coos County and Jamie pastored the First Community Church in Port Orford. Mr. France is now the state C.E.F. (Child Evangelism Fellowship) Director of Oregon. The whole family is invited. Coffee and Kool Aid will be provided.

SHOP HOME TOWN STORES FIRST

LETTERS to the Editor

TO THE EDITOR:

Special Thanks
To the House of Remnants, Humbog Lodge, Laura Wilson, Bob and Helen Sutton, and Bandon High School for the items donated to help make "Curse You, Jack Dalton" a success.
Gloria Priebe

TO THE EDITOR:

Just a few words in praise of all those in the community who contributed to the success of our one-in-a-lifetime reunion and tribute to a fine and gracious lady.

Neonta originated the idea, and the response was overwhelming! I'll cry a little for awhile, when I check our empty mailbox.

My niece who came miles to bring my sister, Lela, and knew no one but our immediate family, said it was worth every mile to see the expression on the faces when they read the name tags and embraced each other! Maybe she summed it up about right when she said she had never seen so many "oldies" that were such "goodies." What a weekend!

Our thanks to you, too, Paul, for all the publicity.

Sincerely,
HAZEL CRAM

TO THE EDITOR:

There were celebrations all over our great Nation during the past weekend in observance of our Bicentennial year. Surely none of them with limited population and resources, such as our beloved city, expended more effort and energy than was manifested in our miniature Metropolis.

I wish to say "Hats Off" to those who did so much. As a side-liner and "Enjoyer," I feel sure my gratitude expresses the sentiments of many hundreds of present, and former, residents.

It was wonderful seeing old friends whom I had not seen in thirty six years. Meeting and hearing the honored teacher Ruth Clark was an hour that I shall ever remember. Seeing and hearing long-ago classmates squeal with delight upon spotting an old pal was heart warming. Since there is no way to thank each participant in the entire program who made our July 4th celebration so outstandingly successful, one can only say you heeded the call and did it nobly!

GOD BLESS AMERICA... and YOU.

LORAIN HAINES

Quilts Earn Cash Prizes

Margaret Meyer won first prize in the hand-pieced division of the Jubilee Quilt Contest. She received \$10 from the Port Orford Variety Store.

In the applique or embroidery division, Audra Wiechmann took first for a \$10 prize from the House of Remnants.

Norma Ellis won \$10 from The Wooden Nickel for taking first prize in hand quilting and best of show.

A \$5 gift certificate was awarded Virginia Fowler as a prize for originality from the House of Remnants.

\$1,200 Paid For PO Cedar

District Ranger F.W. Burgess announced the sale of timber from two areas on the Gold Beach Ranger District of the Siskiyou National Forest. The apparent high bidder for the Stonehouse sale on June 29, 1976, was South Coast Lumber Company. The advertised price was \$115.28 per MBF for 9,300 MBF Douglas fir, \$93.21 per MBF for 400 MBF Western red cedar, and other coniferous species, and \$27.82 per acre for 296 acres of all species subject to per acre pricing. South Coast Lumber Company bid \$152.00 per MBF for Douglas fir. Other bidders on the sale were Hank Westbrook, R.L. Matthews, and Champion International.

Sourdough Helicopter was the second sale on this date immediately following the Stonehouse sale. The apparent high bidder for the Sourdough Helicopter sale was Columbia Helicopter, Inc. The advertised price was \$63.23 per MBF for 550 MBF Port Orford cedar, \$127.86 per MBF for 430 MBF sugar pine, \$41.52 per MBF for 5,480 MBF Douglas fir and other coniferous species, and \$1.86 per acre for 264 acres of all species subject to per acre pricing. Columbia Helicopter, Inc. bid \$1,200.00 per MBF for the Port Orford cedar and although the Douglas fir was a biddable species it sold at the advertised rate of \$41.52 per MBF. Other bidders on the sale were Hank Westbrook, Bald Knob Land and Timber, The Murphy Company, R.L. Matthews, Erickson Air-Crane, Evergreen Helicopter and Champion International.

Cliff Lang Is Best "Pitcher"

Cliff Lang of Langlois was declared winner of the Jubilee horseshoe pitching contest during Saturday afternoon's Jubilee events. The winner received an inscribed myrtlewood plaque containing a "golden" horse shoe.

Winning certificates for second and third place were Darrel Robison and Fred Reavis.

Pre-School Clinic Set

The importance of detecting hearing and visual impairments as early as possible has been well established. Early medical care for hearing impairment is most productive in returning hearing to normal, and in the prevention of more serious problems. Early treatment for visual conditions such as amblyopia is also essential for satisfactory corrections.

A Pre-school hearing and vision screening clinic for children from three to five years of age will be held at the Curry County Health Department in Gold Beach on July 29. Appointments may be made by calling 247-7011, Ext. 315, in Gold Beach, or toll-free from Brookings 469-4600, Ext. 315, or from Port Orford 332-6171, Ext. 315. This will be the only clinic of this kind to be held in Curry County this year, and since appointments are limited, they should be made today.

On Honor Roll

Michael D. Murphy of Langlois was named to the honor roll for spring term at Southwestern Oregon Community College. Students must maintain a grade point average of 3.5 or higher to qualify.

Solid Waste To Be Topic

Utilization of the 280 tons of solid waste generated each day in Coos and Curry County will be the subject of discussion at the July 14 meeting of the South Coast Recyclers. The meeting slated for 7:30 p.m. will be held at the Star of Hope recycling center located on the corner of Airport Lane and Colorado Street above North Bend Municipal Airport.

Guest speaker, Tim Davidson of the Department of Environmental Quality, will discuss plans for the proposed solid waste steam plant. John Good, executive committee member of the South Coast Recyclers, will present alternative methods of solid waste recycling, stressing in-home separation.

Representatives from the county commissioners as well as citizen involvement groups in Coos and Curry county have been invited to attend. All interested citizens are urged to attend to share information and ask questions.

The recycle center is currently accepting bundled cardboard and newspapers, no more than 12 inches high and tied in both directions. There are drop boxes at the site for use at anytime. For more information call 756-3451.

Food Stamp Limit Hiked

Individuals living in one or two person households, who were denied July food stamp benefits in June because their incomes exceeded maximum standard, may now be eligible for the program, according to Oregon Food Stamp Program Director Dwayne Prather.

In a June 29 telegram from the Western Regional Office of the Food and Nutrition Service, Oregon was notified that the maximum incomes for eligibility have been raised from \$215 to \$245 a month for a one person household, and from \$307 to \$322 for two person households. Maximum incomes for larger households were not affected by the new requirements.

"We urge all Oregonians of one and two person households who applied for food stamps in June but were denied because their incomes barely exceeded the maximum incomes to reapply at their local offices," said Prather.

Individuals wishing further information are encouraged to contact their local food stamp offices or call Jean Stryker in Salem at 378-3193.

Bi-C Express Due Coquille

The Bicentennial Express, a 45-foot highway semi-trailer, will arrive at United States National Bank of Oregon's Coquille Valley branch, 209 North Central, for a two day stay, July 13-14. This is one of the four stops during the year for the Express which carries the story of the advance of humanity in Oregon.

The free exhibit is funded and sponsored by the United States National Bank of Oregon in cooperation with the Oregon Historical Society, the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission of Oregon, and the Oregon Trucking Associations. The OTA is providing free transport of the trailer from one location to another throughout Oregon.

Hours generally for the Express are 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

ATTEND CONVENTION

George and Belva McDonald attended the Oregon State Grange Convention as delegates of Sixes Grange, at The Dalles on June 14-18. Following the convention, they traveled to Pocatello, Idaho, to visit their son Bill and family.

On the return trip, Mr. McDonald took sick in Eastern Oregon and was taken to Southern Coos General Hospital in Bandon where he was confined for several days.

AT HORSE SHOW

At a 4-H horse show held in Myrtle Point Saturday June 26, Port Orford contestants Kori Yoder took second in pole bending and third in Texas barrels. Kelly Kennedy was third in the key hole race.

Also attending the event were Muffi Burkett, leader, Tami Kadelbach and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yoder.

Minerals Appraisal To Be Made Of Kalmiopsis Area

The Interior Department's Bureau of Mines will conduct a minerals appraisal of the Kalmiopsis Wilderness and proposed additions in southwest Oregon this summer. Anyone with information about minerals in the area is asked to contact the Bureau.

The Bureau of Mines is evaluating the mineral potential of the area as required by the Wilderness Act. The study area in southern Oregon includes the headwaters of the Chetco River and the Big Craggies Botanical Area, and is encompassed by such prominent landmarks as Mount Billingslea, Pearsoll Peak,

Make Honor Roll

Names of local students who made the scholastic honor roll spring term have been announced by Oregon State University.

A total of 614 students earned straight A's (4.0) and another 1,481 earned a B-plus (3.5) or better to make the honor listing. Students on the honor roll must have earned a 3.5 or better on at least 12 graded hours of coursework.

Curry county students on the honor listing included:

James M. Samudio, senior, liberal arts, Port Orford; Alan W. Burgess, freshman, business, and Cynthia D. Coldiron, senior, liberal arts, Gold Beach; Blanche V. Grover, senior, agriculture, and Tamara A. Loring, junior, business, Brookings.

GUESTS OVER WEEKEND

Guests at the home of Mrs. Audrey Gebauer over the July 4 weekend were her son, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gebauer of Salem; grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Gebauer, Salem; sister, Mrs. Arthur Hitt, Grants Pass; nephew, John Hitt, Eugene; niece, Sharon Little and daughter Shanon and friend Rhonda Lane, of Eugene.

CHILDREN VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ellis enjoyed having their children and grandchildren home on their vacation over the past two weeks. From Bothell, Wn., was their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Fuller and two children. Their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Ellis and three children are from Spokane.

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REVENUE SHARING CHECKS ARRIVE

On Tuesday, the U.S. Treasury Department's office of revenue sharing paid Oregon state, county and local government units a total of \$16.7 million in the fourth quarterly distribution of revenue sharing money for fiscal year 1976. This brings the total of funds distributed in Oregon to date to \$269.3 million.

Because I believe in targeting federal dollars where they can do the most good, and I believe local communities should reap the benefits of our federal tax system, I have supported revenue sharing extension all along. The House of Representatives passed a renewal bill on June 10, and the Senate is expected to begin its work on the measure soon.

Quarterly payments for the quarter of April 1 to June 30, 1976 are as follows for Curry county and cities: Curry County, \$13,638; Brookings, \$13,342; Gold Beach, \$6,774; and Port Orford, \$6,240.

be appreciated. Persons wishing to give such information should write the Western Field Operation Center, U.S. Bureau of Mines, East 315 Montgomery, Spokane, Washington 99207.

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