

CHILDREN - ANIMALS: An initial prize winner is Mrs. Minnie Baker of 470 S. 21st st., Salem, who used an Eastman 120 camera with Super xx film to get this photo of Andrea Gall Baker and her dog, Faye. Shutter speed was 1/25 at f4.



PORTRAIT - CHARACTER STUDY: First place in this classification goes to Ted Stook, 275 Fisher rd., Salem, for this photo of Donna Alm. It was taken with a Ciroflex, f5.6 at 1/25, with two No. 2 floods on Plus x film last January 15.

Three amateur photographers who won a place in the sun of last year's Statesman Photo contest stepped out today to take initial honors in the 1949 competition—but they weren't so far ahead of the field as in some instances a year ago.

Entries in the first week of the six-week contest were considerably above par, as compared with 1948, and several runners-up all but stole the show, particularly in the highly-competitive children-animal category.

The judges' choice the first week were these:

Children-animals classification, Mrs. Minnie Baker, 470 S. 21st st., Salem, who won a third place last year.

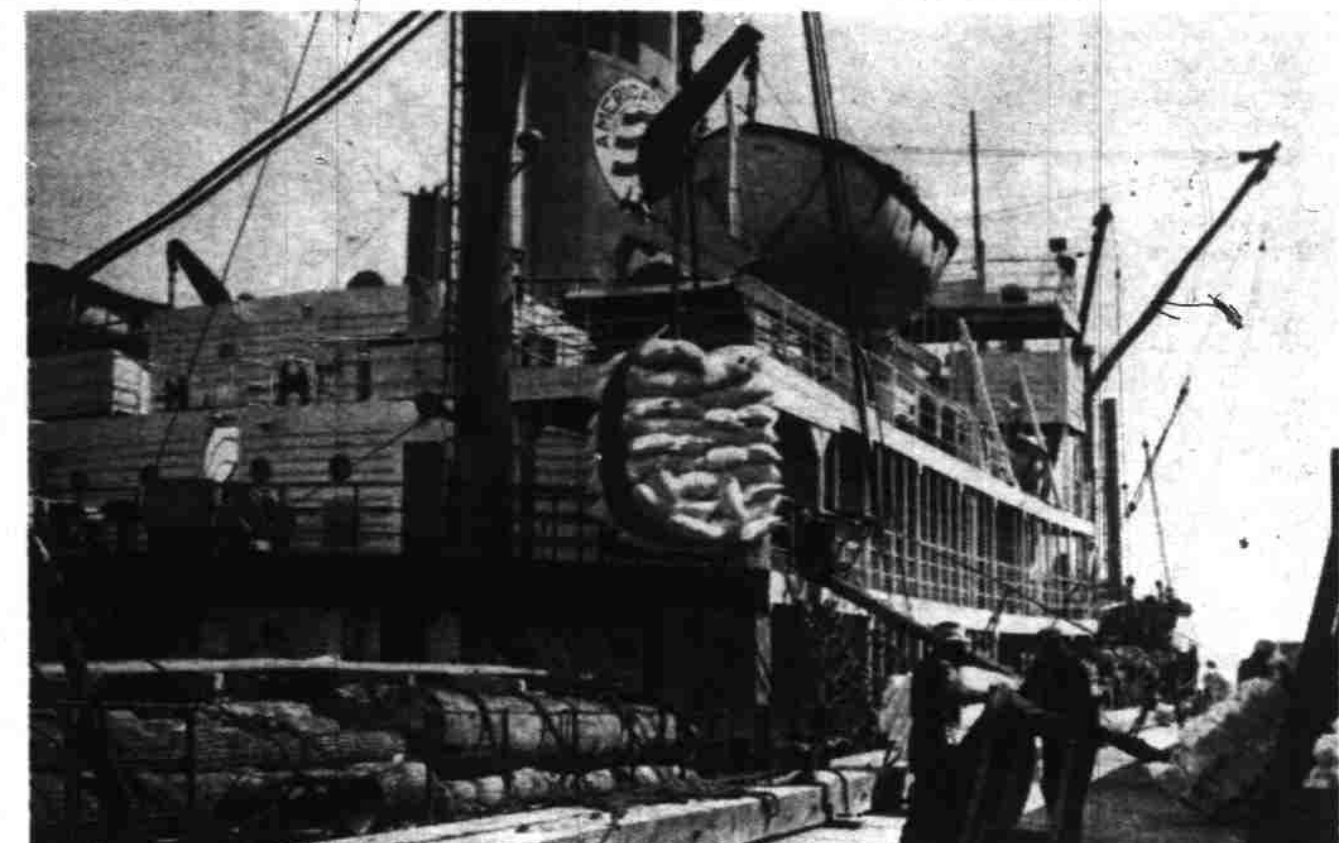
Portrait-character study classification, Ted Stook, 275 Fisher rd., Salem, who took one first place and a grand prize in 1948.

Pictorial-scenery classification, A. A. Taylor, 300 Culver lane, Salem, who shared top money honors with Gardner Knapp in the over-all competition of a year ago. To each of the three winners goes a check for \$7.50.

The judges also named five honorable mentions — Mrs. William Balch, 1245 Waller st.; Faith D. Gepner, route 2, box 562, Salem; Dr. Henry Morris, 1520 N. 5th st.; Mrs. E. C. Russell, 1635 State st., and Mrs. Clifford Herman, 4019 Beck ave.

Deadline for entries in the second week's contest is Wednesday midnight, June 22.

One rule will give everyone a chance—it is that no one person can win more than two weekly prizes during the contest.



PICTORIAL - SCENERY: Tops in this classification was this photo of a ship loading flour at Astoria for Japan. It was taken by A. A. Taylor, 300 Culver lane, with a Speed Graphic on Arrow Pan film at 1/100, f11, with a K2 filter.

Detroit Logger Fractures Arm In Accident

DETROIT — Keith White broke his right arm on Friday when he was thrown from a log while setting chokers for Noyes Whitten. He was taken to Stayton in the Industrial Hospital ambulance.

Visitors at the Frank Wilson home last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith and Mrs. Ben Larkin of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Burt drove to Waldport over the weekend to visit their son Delmar and his family. Mrs. Burt had spent the previous week with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Cruise, at their home in Lebanon.

Realtor Operating Job Service for Jefferson Area

JEFFERSON — Iyan Sutton, realtor, is advertising a free labor bureau service to farmers and laborers of this community. He plans to post a blackboard at his office on Main street, and help and jobs wanted will be listed each day.

Attending the Willamette Valley Firefighters association meeting Wednesday night at Scio were Chief Gilbert Hoevet, Bob Magart and George Richardson. Slides were shown of the Oregon Firechief's convention at North Bend. This was the last meeting of the association until October.

Monarch butterflies are seldom eaten by birds because they have a bad-tasting chemical in their bodies.

Jefferson Girl Host at Party On Birthday

JEFFERSON — Joan Turnidge entertained five of her school friends at a party celebrating her 11th birthday Thursday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Turnidge. The girls played softball and croquet, followed by ice cream and cake and opening of Joan's gifts. Present were Patricia Rieb, Sue Daulton, Anne Wilson, Martha and Paula Harris and Joan Turnidge.

As a birthday gift from her parents, Joan and Mr. and Mrs. Turnidge left early Friday morning on a motor trip to San Francisco, returning home Tuesday night. While in the Bay city, Joan especially enjoyed Golden Gate park and the zoo.

Mrs. A. R. Blinston entertained Thursday night at supper honoring her sister, Mrs. George Potts, Jr., Mr. Potts, Gary and George, who are moving to Jordan Valley. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Al Gurgurich and Delene, Mrs. Edna Reeves, the honor guests and Mrs. Blinston.

A. R. Blinston, Harold Super and Lawrence Finlay of Talbot are being different this week. They are fishing at Paulina lake instead of Crane Prairie reservoir.

Members of Sidney-Talbot Farmers union at their regular meeting Friday night, made plans for their annual community picnic. It will be held on the Fourth of July and the committee will meet Friday night in the school house to plan the place and entertainment.

Valley Briefs

Monmouth—Benjamin F. Wiles, jr., son of Mrs. Ben Wiles of Monmouth, is now serving aboard the escort aircraft carrier USS Rendova engaged currently in anti-submarine maneuvers in the Pacific theatre.

Four Corners — E. W. Schwitgenberg of Salem has purchased the residence property of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith 4140 Durbin ave. The Smiths have purchased a residence at 1285 Park ave., Salem and are at home there.

Auburn—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson were in Portland on Sunday to attend the Hanson family reunion.

Detroit—At a meeting of the Santiam aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, held on Wednesday, Vernon Farnse, James P. Cross and James T. Weatherspoon were initiated.

Auburn—Mrs. Stuart Johns entertained six members of the Monrore ave. sewing club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Four Corners Bible School Closes Sessions

FOUR CORNERS — The daily vacation Bible school of the Four Corners Baptist church held its closing program on Thursday in the church.

Theme of the program was "Time and Talents. There were fifty-four enrolled with an average daily attendance of forty-one. On Friday a picnic lunch was given in the church annex. The Rev. Julius Herr is pastor.

OSC Graduate Visits Parents At Buena Vista

BUENA VISTA—Virginia Busby, a 1949 graduate of Oregon State college, recently spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Busby, before leaving for Lost Lake in Washington where she will conduct a Girl Scout class.

DeLores Hultman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hultman, and Mary Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy, spent a few days recently with Shirley Armsberry at Redmond.

East Salem Club Holds Final Meeting

EAST SALEM—The last meeting before summer vacation for

members of the Merry-go-round club was held Thursday in the home of Mrs. Ernest Crum on Hollywood drive.

Mrs. Clyde Gotchell was assistant hostess. Officers for the new club year were elected. Serving will be Mrs. S. Rehfield, president; Mrs. Melvin La Due, vice-president, and Mrs. Crum, secretary-treasurer.

The annual family picnic will be held the second Sunday in August at Paradise Island. Present for the evening were Mrs. S. Rehfield, Mrs. Wilson Biles, Mrs. Gordon Beecroft, Mrs. Oscar Forgard, Mrs. R. M. Proudfit, Mrs. Jack Lindeman, Mrs. Sides, Mrs. Harold Holler and the hostesses.

Monmouth—Prof. Anton Postl, Oregon College of Education science instructor, returned from Vancouver, B.C., recently after taking part in formation of the Western Section, American Nature Study society.

Santiam Bean Festival Plans Set at Stayton

STAYTON — This community's annual salute to the growing of snap beans in this locality, the Santiam Bean Festival, will be held here July 26 to 30. This year's

festivities will be the tenth annual celebration since its inception in 1939.

Instead of the usual queen contest, this year there will be a "Jack of the Beanstalk" contest when some small boy between the ages of six and eight, will be chosen to rule as "Jack."

L. H. Wright is chairman of the association, Gilbert Schachtsick, secretary; Mrs. Sue Tuel, Mrs. Marie Freres, Edw. J. Bell, Ernest Dozier, Roy Philippi, John Chris-

tensen, Harold Pendleton, Wright and Schachtsick, directors. Gene Malecki of Salem is manager.

Other features will be dances, the grand parade, horseshow and parade, and the Browning Amusement company's carnival. A "Bean-Hole Beans Feed" will also be an added attraction this year.

The ants has two stomachs; one for himself, and the other for food to be shared with other ants in the nest.

Valley Births

SILVERTON—Born at the Silverton hospital June 18, sons to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kulmeyer and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Rich, the latter of Woodburn; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brandbury; June 16, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rich, Woodburn, and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. William Cunningham (Evelyn Johnson); June 14, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Tomlin.

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