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"Oliver Twist", "East Lynn" and the Ashland Lions Shakespearean Festival... three great contributions to the Drama of this generation. The Festival had its world premiere last Friday night in the rain-soaked open air chauntauqua theater, to a drama-hungry crowd. Even the conspiring elements at their fiercest couldn't keep away the real lovers of Shakespeare and certainly their fidelity was rewarded by an inspired performance. This original presentation was produced by the Lions club to raise funds for its many charities. The script, written by Dyer Huston and Winston Marks, was a slap-happy blending of some of the greatest scenes from the works of the Bard of Avon, put together with a studied disorder. All of the Pequot sheets in Ashland were on display as togas in one of the Roman senator scenes from Julius Caesar.

Writers of history will be interested to note that Caesar killed Brutus, Hamlet and Laertes both succumbed to wounds following their celebrated duel, and one of the lions from the arenas of Rome was successfully tamed by one of the club members in an action-studded scene. Romeo on roller-skates breathed new meaning into the age old balcony scene, giving it a faster pace. The stage, lights and sound equipment were all donated, as well as were the talents of the actors taking part. The success of this year's venture has prompted the club to consider this as a yearly adjunct to the Shakespearean Festival.

Police Court

Dexter Layton, 14, of Eureka, California, was arrested Tuesday night on charges of no operator's license. He forfeited \$10 bond for failure to appear in police court Wednesday morning. Also arrested was George William Large of Gold Hill, who was picked up at 2 a.m. Wednesday morning for violation of the basic rule. A \$10 bond was forfeited for his failure to appear in court.

Mrs. William Healy and daughter, Mary Pat, are presently in Bellingham, Washington. They were called there Sunday by the illness of Mrs. Healy's mother, Mrs. J. Ward Finnley. Mr. Healy who drove the two of them to Bellingham returned Tuesday to Ashland.

TALENT TOPICS

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Welsh and small daughters are living on the premises of Mrs. Mary Higgins in a Traller house, Mr. Welch is employed at the Tiller sawmill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cochran and son, Keith of Eugene were called here last week by the death of Mrs. Cochran's grandfather, Mr. Tom Lamb. They returned home Sunday evening.

The Methodists are preparing to start construction on the new parsonage. The building will be made of hollow tile and is to be located on Wagner avenue adjoining the church.

Mrs. Elmer Niswonger and her nephew, Claude Willis and wife visited Jacksonville last Thursday. They visited landmarks known to Mrs. Niswonger's father, Dr. Licius Danford, who was one of Jackson County's first doctors. The Willis reside in Los Angeles.

Lieutenant Larry Hargrave who is stationed in Georgia was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lowe, Wednesday Larry will visit friends in Butte Falls and will return to his base the latter part of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Cochran and family of Crescent City visited friends and relatives in Talent, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt O'Conner of The Dalles are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Long. Mrs. O'Conner is Mr. Long's sister.

Ladies Missionary Union Holds Sale

Talent, Sept. 4—The Ladies Missionary Union of the Talent Friends church held a cooked food sale last Saturday at the Talent Locker and Grocery store. Reports are that the sale was a success.

TEACHERS NAMED FOR 1947-48 SCHOOL YEAR BY LELAND LINN

That the faculty is practically complete for the Ashland schools was stated today by Leland P. Linn, superintendent of schools. He expressed himself pleased with the staff that has signed up for the coming term which starts September 8.

Ashland High school staff includes: Roland L. Parks, Principal; Louise Brown, English; Vivian Collins, Social Science; R. W. Gardner, Shop; Edith Good, Science; Giles Green, Librarian; Mary McLarnan, Homemaking; Mary Ellen Medical, Commerce; Frank O'Neil, Physical ed.; Bob Sheridan, Athletics; Dorothy Underkofler, Physical ed.; Marlen Yoder, Social science; Ervin Lesser, Band; and O. C. Bjorlie, vocal.

Teachers of Junior High school include: Joseph Fader, Principal; Nana Cahill, Physical ed.; E. S. Corthell, Science; Leslie Grant, Physical ed.; Edna Kennedy, Social Sc.; Mildred Million, English; V. E. Mittag, Shop; Ethel Reid, Math; Maxine Stephen, Homemaking; Kathleen Smyth, Library; Gaylord Vestal, Math; Elaine Schaefer, Art; and Niles B. Smith, Science.

Lincoln School staff consists of: Clifford Williams, Principal; Florence Allen, 6th; Bertha Stephens, 4th; Mrs. Betty Powell, 3rd; Clara Fader, 2nd and 3rd; Neva West, 2nd; Velma Cress, 1st; and Lillian Nicholson, 1st.

Washington school faculty includes: Chester C. Squire, Principal; David Barker, 6th; Ailene Inlow, 5th and 6th; Aleta Lichtersand, 5th; Juliana Bond, 4th; Erma Bohn, 4th; Myrtle Chapman, 3rd; Madge Mitchell, 2nd; Marie Prescott, 2nd; Alice Willis, 1st; and Eugenia Carson, 1st.

CORRY'S RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Corry returned Wednesday from a ten day vacation which took them through San Francisco, to Yosemite, Reno, Nevada, Mt. Lassen National Park, Shasta Dam and home.

Corry states that he spent two days in San Francisco studying the Golden Gate Park and inspecting Fleishacker's Zoo. The trip home brought him through Lassen National Park where he was at one time foreman of road beautification.

Ernie Davis, and three classmates from Fullerton college, California have been spending the week with Mr. Davis' mother, Mrs. Burge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Herbert spent Sunday in Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Herbert spent the week end in Klamath Falls with friends.

Bender-Provost Morning Rites

In a setting of white gladiolas, Sylvia Elma Provost, 349 East Main St., Ashland, sister of Dom Provost, 99 Union St., Ashland, was married to John William Bender, also of Ashland today (Thursday) at 9 a.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church in a ceremony conducted by the Rev. A. H. MacDonnell.

The bride wore a dove gray suit with a corsage of pink roses. She was given in marriage by her brother, Dom Provost. Mrs. Dom Provost attended the bride as matron of honor.

Attending the bridegroom as best man was Al Simpson, Southern Oregon College coach.

A wedding breakfast was held immediately after the ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dom Provost at 99 Union Street.

Bender is currently employed with the Veteran's Administration. The bride was recently employed as bookkeeper at S.O.C.

The bridegroom attended Western Maryland College, Westminster, Maryland where he obtained his A. B. degree in education in 1939. The bride is a graduate of Stanford Lane School of Nursing.

Out of town guests at the wedding included Mrs. Mary Meikle, Berkeley, California, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Prosser, Los Altos, California, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Schubert, San Francisco, and Cora Barstad of Albany, Oregon.

Auto troubles? Call 5901 and ask for Vince. He'll fix your auto, cheaply too. 1401 Siskiyou.

BELLVIEW JUDGING TEAM AIMS AT INTERNATIONAL

The Bellview 4H judging team consisting of Stanley True, Don Kerr, Bernie Engel, and Ted Willoughby, who is an alternate, did not attend the State fair which is being held in Salem this week. According to Fred Engel Bellview rancher the boys are saving up for the Pacific International which will be held in October.

EUNICE HAGER NEIL RESIGNS FROM SCHOOL

Eunice Hager Neil's resignation has been accepted by the Ashland school board. No successor has been elected to the position at this time. For the past eight years Mrs. Neil has been third grade teacher in the Washington school. Her vocal work with the students of that school has received much favorable comment. Leland Linn, superintendent of schools stated today.

Soroptimists Will Send Two to Butte

Mrs. Francis Worth and one, as yet unselected delegate, will attend the regional Soroptimist meeting at Butte, Montana in October, it was announced at the first fall meeting of the Soroptimist club held Wednesday noon. Mrs. Worth, who is president of the organization, reported on the district meeting which was held in Klamath Falls during the summer months.

Visiting at the D. D. Sheldon home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred McLeod and daughter's, Audrey and Beverly and nephew, David, all of Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. McLeod is a cousin of Mrs. Sheldon's.

Mrs. Hugh McKeever is presently at her home convalescing from an operation which she underwent last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Franzen, of Salem, were Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Borden, 167 Harrison street. Mr. Franzen is city administrator of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Cullen and Mr. and Mrs. Kenton Robbins visited in McMinnville, Portland, and Amity Sunday and Monday. They returned Monday evening via Crater Lake.

Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Borden and Mr. and Mrs. Carryl Wines went to the Applegate country Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Robeson and family left Wednesday for Enterprise, Oregon, where Mr. Robeson will manage the Safeway store.

Miss Dorothy Underkofler who has been vacationing in Washington recently underwent an operation.

Mrs. Giles Green returned from a trip to Boise Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Reinholdt left Wednesday on their vacation which will consist of a leisurely trip along the Oregon coast to Seaside, Oregon and return. Reinholdt is the manager of radio station KWIN.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gustafson of Eugene and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gustafson of Medford were visitors Sunday at the residence of Mrs. William Peterson of Ashland, Kenneth and Oliver Gustafson visited with their mother, Mrs. Karen Gustafson who is currently staying with Mrs. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. Zupan and daughter, Cloma of 440 B. Street spent the Labor Day Holiday in Salem visiting friends. They were accompanied by Mrs. Dott Williams.

OWEN'S TAKE VALLEYVIEW 4H TEAM TO STATE FAIR

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Owens and daughter, Allene, Valleyview are attending the Oregon state fair in Salem this week. They are being accompanied by the Valleyview 4-H judging team which includes, Miss Owens, Clyde Williams, and Robert Lytle, Jr.

Also in the party is Katherine White who is exhibiting a Jersey heifer at the fair, and Alta Williams.

Three Businesses Planning to Move

E. G. Sommer of the Ashland Accounting and Tax Service reports that remodeling has begun in the Oregon Hotel building to make modern offices for three local business services.

Remodeling is expected to be finished about September 20th at which time the offices will be occupied by Sommer's Accounting and Tax Service, Cecil Pitts, realtor, and Howard Wiley, insurance agent.

Sportsmen Gunning For Pigeons & Doves

With this, the first week of the open season on band-tailed pigeons and doves, several local gunmen have been out trying for their limit. Dusty Winn got his limit Monday, opening day.

Walt Michaels, Paul Folks, and Vetch Grimes were also out Monday. Michaels bagged five pigeons and six doves. Limit is eight for pigeons and ten for doves per day or in possession at any one time.

Ray Dale and his son were out in the fields Monday as were Elton Petrie and Joe Mason.

The pigeon season is open till September 30. Dove season closes September 15.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sawyer and family are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Galatin at 148 Central avenue. Mrs. Sawyer is a daughter of the Galatins. She graduated from AHS in 1916.

4-H CLUB FAIR

VALLEY VIEW AND BELLVIEW KIDS TAKE FIRST PLACE IN 21 EVENTS

Bernie Engel Three Place Winner; First In History of Fair

Proud boys and girls exhibiting sleek, shining animals last week crowded the fairgrounds. In the background were mothers and father's and friends of the 4-H club members. The Jackson county fair grounds at Medford where the fair was held saw more action than it had for several years.

Bernie Engel, a Bellview lad, waked off with three showmanship championships, winning the hog, beef, and sheep divisions. Rufus Cate, 4-H club leader said that Bernie was the first three place winner that the fair had ever seen.

Valleyview and Bellview winners in the various events include: Livestock judging: Fat hogs - Chester White, Wendell Hayes, Valley View; Light Duroc, Boyd Davis, Bellview; Hampshire, Bernie Engel; Hereford, George Franklin, Valley View.

Corriedale sheep - Champion and first two-year old lamb, Carol Zediker, Valley View; aged ewe, Kenneth Bigham, Valley View; Shropshire sheep - ewe lamb, Allene Owens, Valley View.

Beef fitting top honors in all breeds went to Wayne Watkins; Valley View.

In beef showmanship Bernie Engel won the Senior division. Larry Kerr, Bellview-all breeds, in the Junior division.

First in dairy showmanship in senior division, Ayreshires went to Donald Gresham, Bellview.

Sheep showmanship firsts were: Southdown, Allene Owens, Valley View; Hampshire, Bernie Engel.

Swine showmanships firsts were: senior division - Duroc, Ted Willoughby, Bellview; Chester White, Bob Willoughby, Bellview and all other breeds, Bernie Engel, Bellview.

Allene Owens, Valley View had the junior champion in the Hereford beef class, and also placed first in the production event.

Bernie Engel won first in the heavy Hereford class.

Yovonna Stimson, Valley View placed first in the poultry class with a pen of New Hampshires. In the rabbit event Andy De Korte exhibited the best junior buck.

Willette Harnden, Bellview, entered in the home economics event, won first for the best formal.

Gatlin's Lose Shirt And All In Blaze

A fire in the Veteran's Village Wednesday caused considerable damage to the apartment occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Thane Gatlin. Although the fire was confined to one bedroom the rest of the unit suffered much smoke damage, and Mr. and Mrs. Gatlin and infant son lost all their clothing and personal possessions except what they were wearing.

The cause of the fire remains unknown. Gatlin had left the apartment at six-thirty to go to work and at twenty minutes to eight the fire was reported. The fire was estimated as having caused \$300 damage to contents and \$500 damage to the building.

Thane (Tex) Gatlin was a star end on Southern Oregon's victorious football team last season. During the summer he has been working in the Macklin and Henderson lumber mill.

According to William Bender, Veteran's representative, all the clothing and bedding belonging to the family, was destroyed by the fire, as well as a \$100 terminal leave bond and all of Gatlin's army papers.

Bender stated that anyone who was interested in contributing to help Gatlin and his family could call him at Southern Oregon college and that any assistance would be appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Buel and daughter, Mrs. Fowler and grandchildren who have been visiting Mrs. William Byrd and family of Klamath Junction, returned Friday night to their home at San Fernando, California.

Potential Kiwanis Members To Meet At Lithia Friday

WALT BOSSHARD ACTING AS CHAIRMAN OF NEW CIVIC ORGANIZATION

A Kiwanis meeting will be held this Friday night in the Lithia Hotel under the direction of the temporary chairman Walt Bosshard at which time the embryo group will elect officers and form committees. The group has recently acquired enough signatures on a petition to gain a charter. The charter will be held open for 30 days after the date of grant to admit Charter members.

Members of the club met last Thursday night with members of the Medford group at the Lithia Hotel to discuss plans for development of the local group.

During the evening John McCabe of Medford gave a talk about the training and de-training of dogs in the Army K-9 corps. Ed Niles also of Medford spoke to the organization about Kiwanis and what it means to the community.

Entertainment for the Friday meeting will be provided by the Medford and Klamath Falls chapters of Kiwanis with Vic Milness in charge from Medford. Phil Hitchcock of Klamath Falls will be the principal speaker.

Henceforth the meetings will be held as luncheons on a day to be established at Fridays meeting.

Acting in conjunction with Walt Bosshard in setting up the meeting are Lee Bullis and Cecil Knight.

Pro-Sales Tax Group Begins Campaigning

Mr. Victor Sethers, secretary of the Jackson County Sales Tax Promotion Committee reports that a meeting of the committee was held Tuesday in Medford to formulate a pre-election campaign. He also stated that the Jackson County unit is a part of the Oregon State Sales Tax Promotion Committee located in the Dekum Building, Portland, Oregon and that before full campaigning begins they are to be informed as to the monetary allowances and will acquire prominent speakers for their cause.

Morse & Ellsworth Will Speak Monday

Senator Wayne Morse and Harris Ellsworth will speak at the dinner meeting of the regular quarterly state board meeting of the council of Oregon Republican women which will be held at the Medford country club Monday, September 8th.

Medford and Ashland council units are sponsoring the meeting. Mrs. Curtis Hopkins is chairman of the Medford unit and Mrs. H. C. Galey is carried on state rolls as chairman of the Ashland unit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Engel are remodeling their home in Bellview. Williams and South are doing the carpentry work, Carl Dalkenberg is doing the painting and Shasta distributors of Talent are doing the plumbing.

Mrs. William Byrd of Klamath Junction returned Sunday night, August 24 from a visit with friends in San Francisco.

heavy Duroc, Maryann Gassaway to Grange Co-op, \$66.56 (208 at 32); fifth Chester White, Bob Willoughby to Kerr's Market \$66.88 (209 at 32); fifth Hampshire, Milford Gassaway to Ed Pierce, \$70.72 (221 at 32); sixth Hereford, Jim Williams to Luman and Dawson, \$62.62 (202 at 31); sixth light Duroc, Ted Tonney to Fred Engel, \$55.60 (180 at 31);

Poland China, Wade Harnden to Elbert Bigham, \$47.12 (157 at 31); Duroc, Ted Willoughby to John Niedermeyer, \$61.38 (198 at 31); Joe Dale to Kerr's market, \$62.93 (203 at 31); Mary Lou Willoughby to Kidd's shoe store, \$65.67 (199 at 33); Virginia Faler to C. C. Hoover and sons, \$48.96 (153 at 32); Joe Fenton to Mr. Franklin \$51.52 (161 at 32); Jack True to Earl Jossy, \$46.20 (154 at 30).

In the Chester White class LeRoy Faler to Luman and Dawson, \$87.84 (212 at 32).

Beef Sales At Fair Total \$25,637.45; As Hogs Gross \$5,173.41

4-H club members sold much of their livestock at an auction held during the club fair last week at the Jackson county fairgrounds. The total beef sale amounted to \$25,637.45, with 129 head of stock being sold.

Seventy-four hogs were sold at an average of 32.5c per pound for a total of \$5,173.41.

Valley View and Bellview 4-H club members who sold beef at the auction included: first heavy Hereford, Bernie Engel to Elk Lumber company, \$483.75 (1075 at 45); second light heavy Hereford of Stanley True to Walter Levereite, \$450 (1000 at 45); second light-heavy Hereford of Allene Owens to Steve Nye, \$480.38 (915 at 52.5); second light Hereford of Donald Kerr to Hubbard-Wray, \$387 (860 at 45); third light-heavy Hereford of Ted Willoughby to Kerr's market, \$528 (960 at 55); third Angus of Bob Willoughby to Kampfer's market, \$382.50 (900 at 42.5); third heavy-light Hereford of Rodney Tweddell to Cooksey motors, \$396 (880 at 45).

Wayne Watkins sold his fourth heavy-light Hereford to Everett Balley, \$407.25 (905 at 45); fifth light-heavy Hereford of Joe Fenton to Medford Elks club, \$401.63 (945 at 42.5); fifth Angus of Larry Kerr to Ashland Elks club, \$373.50 (830 at 45).

Hogs Sell High, Too

In the hog sale Bernie Engel sold his reserve champion to Kerr's market for \$99 (264 at 37.5); champion Chester White of Wendell Hayes was sold to Riverside market for \$69.38 (185 at 37.5); champion Hereford, George Franklin to J. F. Barnes \$83 (275 at 32); first light Duroc, Boyd Davis to Gail's market, Rogue River 62.08 (194 at 32); second Hampshire, Gail Taylor to Mr. Joseph, \$71.68 (224 at 32); second Hereford, Clyde Williams to Ralph Cook, \$82.56 (258 at 32); second light Poland China, Sam Bell to Crater Meat company \$61.69 (199 at 31).

Donald Grimes sold a third Hampshire to Kerr's market at \$63.36 (198 at 32); third Hereford, Kenneth Bigham to John Deaver, \$62.40 (195 at 32); third light Duroc, Stanley True to Kerr's market, \$59.83 (193 at 31); fourth Hampshire, Vernon Tenney to Safeway, \$68.51 (221 at 31); fifth