

ANNIVERSARY OF HUNT THEATRES BIG SUCCESS

The anniversary celebration of the Geo. A. Hunt theatres which is now in full swing is proving to be one of great success, both to the theater patrons and the theaters. After witnessing the first week of anniversary attractions, which were climaxed by the opening presentation of Penion and Marco's beautiful revue at Hunt's Craterian yesterday, everyone is becoming quite enthused and are watching with keen interest the coming features on the two theater programs for this week.

At Hunt's Craterian.
The first two days saw Colleen Moore in her latest contribution, "Oh Kay!"

Wednesday only the usual weekly bill of vaudeville.
Starting Thursday, one of the real big attractions of the coming year, "Wings," a picture that is now breaking all attendance records throughout the United States.

At Radio Theater.
The Radio program opens with the big Rex Beach special, "The Mating Call," for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Thursday and Friday will show King Vidor's much praised production, "The Crowd," starring Ellnor Boardman.

Saturday, for one day only, Karl Dane and Geo. K. Arthur, that great comedy pair, are with us again in their latest comic, "De-festives."

Such a line of programs in three theaters is ample assurance that much effort is being put forth by Managers Hunt and McJannet to give Medford show-goers the best anniversary program possible.



Speaking of "close" harmony—

Here's a picture of the "General Independence"—radio's latest novelty entertainment—who are appearing on the air each Friday night at 8 o'clock through stations of the NBC system.

The four pianists, whose ensemble playing is an outstanding contribution to these programs sponsored by the General Petroleum Corporation, present a feature absolutely unique in broadcasting on the Coast. The vocal part of these popular entertainments is taken care of by the Rounders, a group of male singers whose work is familiar to radio listeners throughout the West.

ONE IN THREE COPCO PATRONS COOK WITH JUICE

The development of electric cooking has been most rapid since its first inception only a few years ago, the first electric cooking being done at the Crystal Palace in London in 1899 as a remarkable experiment. Today, millions of meals are prepared electrically every day in this country alone, not to speak of the electrical cookery that is becoming common in almost every other civilized nation in the world. Right here in southern Oregon and northern California electric cooking is being used to a marked degree. Figures obtained from the local power company show that more than one out of every five customers on the Copcon system uses electricity for cooking.

HUMAN FEATURES DECORATE COMICE; HAS PHOTO TAKEN

Introducing the Duc de Comice, brought into the Mail-Tribune news department by Mr. and Mrs. Lyle M. Fisher, orchardists of Sams Valley. The crowned gentleman with the plioceratic jaws and pugilistic



nose peered out from the midst of the more normally formed members of the Comice family and demanded recognition.

After a couple of weeks had passed, and the features and personality of the strong minded Comice became more pronounced and insisted, he was crowned by Mrs. Fisher and taken into the city for a screen test. Here he proved almost a complete flop. As friend Elmer Glyn would say when it came to showing up in a cut, the Duc de Comice didn't have "it." He is now on display personally in the Chamber of Commerce window.

LOCAL STUDENTS BECOME PLEDGES OREGON COLLEGE

OREGON STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Oct. 8.—Five students from Medford have become fraternity pledges as the result of the first three days of rush week at Oregon State college. Edward Lang and Fred Greene have pledged Sigma Chi, while Stan Hiben and Andy Prevaloski are pledged to Sigma Nu and Beta Theta Pi. Oregon State has 55 fraternities and 10 independent clubs.

Laurance F. Clemson of Medford has been pledged to Kappa Psi, social fraternity. Ralph Pease is one of the 25 living pledges for men on this campus.

Paul Allen of Medford has been appointed to the editorial staff of the Oregon State student directory by Forrest Pickett, editor of the guide. The new directory will contain the full social schedule, registration figures, the college calendar, and other data.

GRANGE AND FARM BUREAU MEETING BE HELD TONIGHT

The marketing committee of the eight granges of Jackson county will meet at the Farm Bureau building this evening at 7:30 o'clock, to complete the plans for the re-organization, re-appointment and placing on a cash basis of the Farm Bureau. An agreement to this effect has been drawn up, and awaits the formality of signatures this evening. The Granges and Farm Bureau heads have been working on the plans for some time.

The purpose of the changes is to increase the efficiency of the farm bureau, by closer co-operation and providing better facilities for marketing for farmers for all their products.

Under the agreement the capital stock of the Farm Bureau will be increased from \$30,000 to \$50,000, and the words "Farm Bureau" dropped from the organization name.

The granges will launch a campaign for members at once, and hope to have every farmer in Jackson county on the rolls. The granges are also obligated to purchase \$17,500 of stock.

The movement has been under the direction of Clay Barker, manager of the Farm Bureau, and all groups heads.

The new organization also plans to broaden their fields of selling activities and to adopt a co-operative marketing plan.

Daily Meteorological Report

Monday, October 8. Forecasts: Medford and vicinity: Partly cloudy, possibly rain tonight or Tuesday. Continued mild. Oregon: Unsettled, with rain in north and west portions tonight and Tuesday. Continued mild.

Local Data.	Yesterday	Today	5 P. M.	8 A. M.
Temperature (68°)	74	78	74	74
Highest (last 12 hrs.)	78	78	74	74
Lowest (last 12 hrs.)	51	51	51	51
Rel. humidity (48%)	51	47	51	51
Precipitation (10")	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
State of weather	P. Cldy, Clear	P. Cldy, Clear	P. Cldy, Clear	P. Cldy, Clear
Total precipitation since September 1, 1928	2.02 inches.			
Sunrise today	5:41 p. m.			
Sunset Tuesday	6:17 a. m.			
Sunrise Tuesday	5:49 p. m.			
Sunset Wednesday	6:19 a. m.			
Observations taken at 5 A. M., 120th Meridian Times				

World Series Diamond Dust

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 8.—(AP)—Any world's series the New York Yankees and their head man, Babe Ruth, participate in is bound to be a record-breaker. The current affair is no exception, with at least a dozen records shattered so far. In a half hour more in prospect, not the least of which would equate with another four-straight triumph for the disabled soldiers of Gotham.

In the World of Sports

BACKFIELD NEED OF OREGON TEAM SEEN SATURDAY

That Oregon has a better football team than it had last year, but that it must develop a stronger backfield before it can make much of a dent in the Pacific Coast conference, seemed the general opinion of those Medford people who saw Stanford beat the Wolfpackers at Eugene Saturday, 28 to 12.

Oregon made but one first down in the entire game, and scarcely gained a foot in the backfield. The backfield appeared to be dead on its feet. The men were slow in starting, failed to hit the line hard, and refused to fight ahead when tackled. Oregon virtually had no offense except in its aerial game, and its only earned touchdown was made in this way.

Oregon's line is good. Stadleman, of course, is an all-coast center. Colbert, tackle, and Hagan, guard, are above the average, and the other forwards, with more experience should be able to give a good account of themselves.

Medford people, of course, were particularly interested in Woodie Archer at end, former Medford high school star. In the first half Archer played a fine game, stopping play after play without a gain. His teammate, Wood, at the other end, was not so good, and throughout the first half most of Stanford's gains were made on that side of the line.

Probably the Medford boy tired toward the end of the second half, for he was not taken out until a few minutes before the final whistle blew. At any rate, he was tackled in one play, and slowed up appreciably in getting down the field on kicks.

All in all, however, Woodie played high class football, and Medford fans here, who with a little more experience and more aggressiveness he will develop into one of the best ends Oregon has had in many years. Archer is fast, fearless, always in perfect condition, and never a grandstander—something that can't be said for several others on the Wolfpack squad. In fact, some of the Medford people who saw the game think he is not enough of a grandstander. That he shows a tendency to hold back, when his position is not threatened, instead of smashing in on every play.

However, that may be, the local boy, in his first big game, played a brand of football of which he has every reason to be proud, and his friends in Medford are justified in expecting great things of him.

It was an interesting game to watch, full of thrills, something doing every minute, and the enthusiasm of the Oregon stands was intense, particularly during the first half. There were many lucky breaks. Oregon got one at the kick-off when the ball went bounding over Wilton, Cardinal back, just touching his hands, and Stanford star seemed to be completely flabbergasted, following the pigskin over the line and then looking at it speculatively, while Medford's O'Grady, who is not threatened, instead of smashing in on every play.

Then in the second half Woodie, for Oregon, made a pass directly into Muller's arms, and the Cardinal sub who had just entered the game, romped off to an easy touchdown.

But the breaks on one side pretty well neutralized the breaks on the other. As the two teams now stand, Stanford is just about two touchdowns better than Oregon, but thanks to Pop Warner, we fear the advantage will be increased before the season is over.

The Cardinals showed one surprising weakness—that is in their kicking game. Hoffman was away off, both in punting and in place-kicking. Oregon, however, was unable to take advantage of this weakness, because her backs were inexorably milled in their tracks, while Stanford backs, particularly Wilton and Clark, brought the ball back for good yardage every time.

As the conference now stands, we would back U. S. C. to grab the honors this year. Stanford was lucky to beat the Trojans in 1927. They look as though they will need still more luck to prevent a defeat this year. Any team that can beat this year's O. S. C. on September 19-20 is going to land pretty close to the top of the heap.

O'GRADY TRAINING HARD FOR BATTLE FRIDAY EVENING

Expecting one of the toughest battles of his career, Gene O'Grady, the Ashland whirlwind, is in the midst of a hard training program for Gene Hottinger, the knockout king, whom he will meet at the new Phillips arena next Friday night in the main event of a 27-round promoter, the second of the present boxing season. Pat Padelford of Medford and William Wilson of El Paso, Texas, will mix gloves in the semi-windup of six rounds. Next Friday's smoker will mark O'Grady's first appearance in Medford for over a year and since then he has been having remarkable success in the ring. He has never been beaten, won numerous decisions and several draws. Hottinger, out of 34 fights, won 13 knockouts and 17 decisions and was awarded 24 draws. Hottinger has never appeared before in Oregon and is expected to be one of the flashiest men ever seen in a local ring.

NEW WOMEN'S GOLF CHAMPION



Glenna Collett, new national women's golf champion, with the cup she received after defeating Virginia Van Wie in the finals of the championship at Hot Springs, Va.

Signs on the high individual batting mark for one series. For three games their marks were 456 and 556, respectively, with Ruth especially having a good chance to display the record of 247 made by Sergeant Hank Gowdy while catching for the Braves in their gallop over the Athletics in 1914.

A record players' pool of well in excess of \$400,000, a mark never before reached, seems assured. The "pot" for the world's series performers, as well as for the second, third and fourth place in each league, was up to \$337,500 for the first three games.

Since \$91,111.50 was added to the pool yesterday it would take only a majority of this amount today to beat the record of \$329,450.67, made last year.

Frankie Frisch and Ruth started this series games and never lost one, in a modest chat. Before the series opened, the left-hander was approached by a friend at the Yankee stadium.

"How are you, Zach?"

"As good as I ever was, not that that's saying much."

It was saying a good deal in the third game, if the testimony of Cardinal batsmen may be accepted as authoritative.

Miller Huggins continued to call on his defensive strategy, sending Leo Durocher to second base in place of Tony Lazzeri when the Yanks forged ahead in the third game. If worked, for after Harry and Holm singled in succession in the eighth, Durocher took Koenig's loss on Wilson's roller and completed a lightning double-play. Lazzeri's ailing shoulder has slowed him up to a walk on double-play.

THREE ELEVENS WEATHER STORM COAST FOOTBALL

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8.—(AP)—Three Pacific coast conference eleven's have weathered the first clashes of the 1928 season and emerged victorious looking to the coming tilt of this week-end and while another two have been beaten back to patch up injuries and perfect weaknesses.

The two threats from Oregon, the University of Oregon and Oregon State college, fell before broadsides of two California teams by scores far more added than followers expected. Northern California sent the Beavers back to Corvallis after a burning away with a 19 to 0 victory, while Stanford outbid the University of Oregon at Eugene 26 to 12.

Washington State kept in the winning column by defeating the University of Montana Grizzlies 26 to 6. Superior weight showed on the Missoulian and in the third period the cougars pushed over three touchdowns.

In the non-conference tilt the University of California crushed St. Mary's college 7 to 0 before a crowd of 60,000 persons. The University of Idaho and Gonzaga university tied, 7 to 0. The University of California at Los Angeles had little difficulty in winning, 29-0 from California Tech.

J. C. Penney Profits
NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—(AP)—J. C. Penney company, national chain department stores, in the last nine months made total sales of \$112,842,130 against \$95,229,529 over the corresponding period in 1927.

SOLONS WIN FLAG FOR SECOND HALF IN COAST LEAGUE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8.—(AP)—The Sacramento Solons are champions of the Pacific coast league for the second half of the split season.

By permitting four San Francisco Seal pitchers for a total of 13 hits, the Seals won, 19 to 7, in the second game of the three game play-off here yesterday, having taken the first game Saturday in the state capital.

Some 12,000 fans saw the game, in which the visitors took the lead in the first inning. The Seals made a six-run drive in the eighth, but the Solons' lead was too great to overcome. Sacramento made four home runs, with Koehler, Mouton and Osborne doing the honors.

As a result of Sacramento's victory, the two teams will play a seven-game series for the championship of the league. The games will be as follows: Wednesday, October 10, San Francisco; Thursday and Friday Sacramento; Saturday and Sunday, San Francisco; Tuesday, October 16, Sacramento; and Wednesday in San Francisco if the series is even at that point.

PORTLAND GOLFERS TO PLAY HERE SATURDAY

Twenty Portland golfers will come to Medford this weekend and engage in a two-day tournament at the local club, according to an announcement made by Dave Wood, president of the club, today.

This will not be a team match, but the visitors will simply enter the local course as individuals, playing whatever they may draw, either local golfers or golfers from the Rose City.

H. Chandler Bean, who invited the Portlanders to come down, does not know as yet the make-up of this Portland aggregation, but will know in a few days. Whether or not handicaps will be used will not be known until the exact personnel of the visiting team is announced.

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To introduce my 24-page Fall Catalog of Tulips, Narcissus, Hyacinths, etc., in Natural Colors, I am giving away several thousand Giant Darwin Tulip Bulbs. Send this coupon with 10c in coin or stamps to cover packing and mailing charges. I will send you three Top Size choicest Darwin Tulip Bulbs in three different varieties and colors. Labeled with name, color, and variety. Send to: WARRLEN BULB NURSERY, 1325 Third Ave., Seattle, Wash.



Child Breaks Leg
REDFORD, Ore., Oct. 8.—(AP)—Mary J. Caley, a little daughter of C. C. Caley, broke her leg when she fell while dancing in her own home as her mother was playing the piano.

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