

ANNUAL SCHOOL MUSIC FESTIVAL OPENS THURSDAY

Ashland Will Be Scene of Two-Day Program With 1700 Children Participating—Sponsored by SONS

ASHLAND, May 1.—(Sp)—Nearly 1700 children will take part in the music festival, orchestras, bands, and dances which are features of the seventh annual music festival sponsored by Southern Oregon Normal, at the junior high school gymnasium here Thursday and Friday, May 2 and 3.

More than 1250 children will be present on Thursday, grade school day, and will take the large gym to capacity. The number to attend this year exceeds last year's total of grade school children by 100. Approximately 400 high school students are to attend on Friday.

The event is one of the most important educational activities sponsored by the Normal and has attracted wide attention. Schools all over Jackson county, with many from neighboring counties and northern California, reenter their students each year. Hundreds of parents and friends will also be guests of the city during the two day period.

Some 600 children will sing in the chorus of unchanged voices on Thursday afternoon, with 272 scheduled to take part in the folk dancing. The junior high chorus will be made up of 317 members, and 100 will play in the junior mass band. Practice is scheduled for the morning with programs arranged for each afternoon. The public is invited and no charge is made.

Schools to be represented on Thursday include: Phoenix, Talent, Klamath Falls, West Side School at Medford, Independence, Beaver Creek, Nell Creek, Griffin Creek, Wagner Creek, Derby, Lone Pine, Riverside school at Grants Pass under direction of Miss Ellen Franco, former Normal student; Jacksonville, Mapleton, Oak Grove, Gold Hill, Rogue River, Prospect, Medford Junior high, North Phoenix, Yreka and Weed, and the Ashland Lincoln, Washington, and Junior high schools. This is the first year that Jacksonville has taken part in the festival.

Thursday's program is as follows: 1:30—Address: Mayor Thornton Wiley. Address: Dr. Walter Redford, president S. O. N. S.

directed by Evelyn Nye, Medford Junior High music: "Sky Voyagers" C. E. Spellman "The Jolly Beggar" Elridge "I'll Sing These Songs of Araby" Frederick Clay

3:30—Special numbers: "Over the Top" (march) Grainger "Country Gardens" Grainger (Junior band, Weed, California, directed by Don Colvig)

3:45—Junior massed bands, directed by Don Colvig, Weed, Calif.: March "Blue Eagle" Johnson Revere "Evening Idyl" Weber Overture "Energy" Bennett High School Program for Friday

1:15—Address: Mayor Thornton Wiley Address: Dr. Walter Redford, president of S. O. N. S. 1:30—Massed orchestras, (directed by Ward Croft, Ashland): Overture "Italians in Algeria" Rossini

"Marche Heroique" Franz Schubert "Ballet Music from Rosamunde" Franz Schubert 1:45—Special Numbers: March, "Fairest of the Fair" Sousa Selection, "Die Fledermaus" (The Johann Strauss Band, Weed, Calif., directed by Don Colvig)

Overture, "Don Juan" Mozart "Prelude" Beethoven (Orchestra, Klamath Falls, directed by Harry Borel) "National Emblem" (march) E. E. Bagley "May, Ray and Jay" (selection) M. F. Pullon (Band, Dunsmuir, Calif., directed by M. D. Stanley)

"Marche Militaire" No. 1 F. Schubert "Tannhauser" (selection) Richard Wagner (Orchestra, Dunsmuir, directed by M. D. Stanley) "The First Primrose" Grieg (Girls' Glee club, Jacksonville, directed by Florence Hunsaker) "Swing Low Sweet Chariot" Boys' Glee Club

"On the Lagoon" Girls' octette (Medford high school, Esther Church Leake, director) 2:45—Girls' chorus (ensemble), directed by Mrs. Madge Cooney, Klamath Falls high school: "Heigho Maid of the Mill" (Treharne folk-song) arranged by Treharne "Star Lullaby" Welsh folk-song, arranged by Treharne

"The Bracket" (a cappella) David Stanley Smith "Hymn to the Night" Elinor Rimmick Warren Boys' chorus (ensemble), directed by Dorothy Reynolds, Ashland: "The Rovers" (folk-song of Finland) Arr. Treharne "All Day on the Prairie" Gulon-Bleger

3:15—Special number: "Stars" Ware-Harris "Light of Dawning" Tschalkowsky-Federlein "The Holiday" Curran (Girls' chorus, Klamath Falls, directed by Madge Cooney) 3:30—Mixed chorus (ensemble), directed by Esther Church Leake: "Ship on the Ocean" (Italian folk-song) Arr. by Treharne "Queen of the May" (folk-song of Alsace-Lorraine, Arr. by Treharne "The Hallelujah Chorus" (from "Messiah") Handel

3:45—Special numbers: "Gems of Maritana" Wallace "Kiefer's Special" (march) Kiefer (Yreka, directed by A. P. Galgano) "Jolly Robbers" (overture) von Suppe (Orchestra, Grants Pass, directed by Martin Trepte) "Zampa" (overture) L. J. F. Herold (Band, Mt. Shasta, directed by Charles P. Graham)

1. The Black Nag 2. Hey for Three 3. Irish jig 4. Come Let Us Be Joyful 5. Highland Fling 6. Minuet 2:50—Special numbers: "Hail Song" Otto Messner (Grade school chorus, Riverside school, Grants Pass, directed by Ellen Franzen) "Dance Song" (from William Tell) Rossini (Boys' three-part chorus, Phoenix, directed by Clara Goldin and Edith Fish) "Spring Is Here With Joy and Songs" Kountz "God of our Fathers" P. A. Schaefer (Junior high chorus, Klamath Falls, directed by Agost Frignard, Acc. Neva De Spain)

EXHIBIT PICTURES FRA DIAVOLO CAST

Pictures of the cast of the opera, Fra Diavolo, which is billed for appearance at the Craterian theater a week from today, are on display in the Main street window of the Chamber of Commerce building. The principals have been photographed in costumes and form an interesting group in a study of characterization. James Stevens as Fra Diavolo seems to embody the swashbuckling gallantry of the part, while the fearsome features of Bippo and Giacomo, portrayed by Ralph Burgess and W. F. Quisenberry, offer ample reason for the terror with which they are regarded, in the opera, by the villagers.

Ether Bristol appears as Zerlina, the lovely daughter of the innkeeper, and the camera has caught her in a charming pose. The imperious Lady Alcazar, Roberta Ward Hebb, fulfills the conception of the beautiful wife of the crochety English nobleman, Lord Alcazar, the part taken by Fletcher Fish. Marmie Olson as Lorenzo, captain of the carabinieri, is the picture of a dashing officer, military to the fingertips, and George Peckham is the typically burly host of the small tavern in the Italian mountains, where as "Matteo" he presides. To back up these principals the photographer has assembled pictures of the entire chorus in portrait poses beautifully executed. Credit is due Mrs. LeClerc of the Kennel-Ellis studio for the display which is well worth viewing.

ASHLAND SENIOR PLAY SLATED FRIDAY NIGHT

The three-act comedy farce, "Skidding," by Aurania Rouverol, will be presented by the senior class of Ashland high school Friday, May 3, in the Ashland high school gym. The cast has been working diligently for many weeks on the production, and those who have seen pre-presentation performances declare it to be far superior to the ordinary run of high school plays.

Bill Jungwirth and Hjalmar Kannasto, basketball stars familiar to Medford fans, have important roles in the production, the former taking the part of Andy and the latter playing Grandpa. Margaret Harker plays the leading feminine role as Marian Hardy, and Errol Miller, as Wayne Trenton, has the masculine lead.

PROSPECT HIGH SCHOOL PLAY SATURDAY NIGHT

The juniors and seniors of Prospect high school will present "Drums in My Heart" in the Prospect school gymnasium Saturday, May 4, at 8:15. It is a mystery play of unusual theme, and the solution is baffling to the most astute. There are three acts and each is filled with excitement, humor and mystery.

This is the first mystery play to be given in Prospect in several years. Preliminary arrangements are underway in this county for the wheat referendum, set for Saturday, May 25, when wheat growers of the nation will vote on the question of continuing AAA wheat contracts, and the system, County Agent Robert G. Fowler states there are 78 wheat-growers in Jackson county eligible to cast ballots.

SENTENCE SLATED FOR SATURDAY IN PARK FRAUD CASE

Jury ignores defense. Refusal of department heads to appropriate money he considered necessary, he undertook devious means of getting this money and converted all of it to park improvements.

The government, however, insisted that by no means all of the money so realized was diverted to government use, and that considerable of it actually founds its way into Solinsky's pockets. The federal court jury chose to believe.

Two subordinates of Solinsky, A. R. Edwin, former clerk and special disbursing officer at the park, and I. F. Davidson, former construction superintendent there, were jointly indicted with Solinsky on nine counts. They pleaded guilty before Solinsky went to trial, and appeared as government witnesses. They probably will be sentenced with Solinsky on Saturday.

News of the conviction of E. C. (Count) Solinsky, former superintendent of Crater Lake National park, on 14 counts charging financial irregularities in the park finances, was received in this city about 11 o'clock last night. Solinsky had been park superintendent since 1929, and was widely known in this city and county as was his family. Solinsky took an active part in civic activities, and up to the time of his unexpected indictment enjoyed an excellent reputation throughout southern Oregon.

The conviction strips Solinsky of park pension and retirement rights. According to local reports, an appeal of the conviction to a higher federal court, is probable. Solinsky succeeded Col. C. G. Thomson as park superintendent, and before that he was assistant superintendent at Yosemite National park. Most of his life has been spent in the forest or park service. In his college days, he was a star football player at the University of California.

WHEAT GROWERS TO VOTE ON AAA

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The wheatmen will vote either Yes or No on the following question: "Are you in favor of a wheat production adjustment program to follow the present one which expires with the 1935 crop year?" The same question is voted upon by new wheat contract growers, but in a separate division of the ballot. The balloting will be by mail; the same sent to the county agent's office, where they will be counted and then dispatched to Washington, D. C. for final tabulation.

Meteorological Report

May 1, 1935 Forecasts Medford and vicinity: Fair tonight and Thursday, with occasional cloudiness; not much change in temperature. Oregon: Generally fair tonight and Thursday, but occasional cloudiness west portion; local frosts east portion tonight. Temperature a year ago today: Highest, 62; lowest, 36. Total monthly precipitation, .01 of an inch. Total precipitation since September 1, 1934, 13.61 inches; excess for the season, 0.27 of an inch. Relative humidity at 5 p. m., yesterday, 60 per cent; 5 a. m., today, 93 per cent. Sunrise tomorrow, 5:05 a. m. Sunset tomorrow, 7:10 p. m. Observations taken at 5 A. M., 120th Meridian Time

Table with columns: CITY, High Temp., Low Temp., Precipitation, Weather. Rows include Boise, Boston, Chicago, Denver, Eureka, Helena, Los Angeles, MEDFORD, New York, Omaha, Phoenix, Portland, Reno, Roseburg, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Seattle, Spokane, Walla Walla, Washington, D.C.

RACE MIXTURE SEEN IN NEW CCC ARRIVALS

That there is no race discrimination in Medford CCC district, is evidenced by the fact that negro, Mexican, Spanish, Portuguese, and Japanese recruits were received in the last consignment of new men received from Fort McArthur, Cal. At Camp Evans Creek, and at Camp Elk Creek, both situated in Rogue River national forest, there are mixtures of all these races, working side by side with squads of "Yankees."

HEALTH AND BEAUTY SALIENT POINTS FOR BABY SHOW JUDGING

The question of who will be the "Baby Kings" and the "Baby Queens" of the Puyallup Sisters' baby show will interest parents and friends for the coming two weeks. In the final analysis friendship points, health points and beauty points will decide the winners in the baby division, the health and beauty merits will be given at the health and beauty shows which open next week. Recent entries in the baby show contest are: Donna Gorham, Reva Nordstrom, Lorraine Greaves, Bobby Dutton, Thomas Dutton, Robert Hammin, Barbara Kantor, Janet Walton, Melvin Flynn, Donald Flynn, Carol Abbott, Bruce Fowler, Arnold Grisham, Verna Meadows, Frances Troxel, Marilyn Hanner, Perry Polk, Doreen Straus, Wesley Perdue, Beta

WILCOX ASSUMES S. O. S. POSITION

Lyle P. Wilcox, for nine years county horticulturist and pathologist, today assumed a similar position with the Southern Oregon State, Inc. No successor has yet been named for the county vacancy. County Judge Earl B. Day said today the county court contemplates no action until the fruitmen have mapped out plans and "then the county court will co-operate with their wishes." The official said a number of growers had conferred with

members of the county court. Appointment of a county horticulturist rests with the extension service of the Oregon State college. It is understood members of the Fruitgrowers League and extension service chiefs are now conferring on the matter. The appointment is not expected to be long delayed. The county horticulturist is paid by funds supplied one-third each by the federal government, the state, and the county. Metal Typewriter & Chair \$8.50, Elliott's, 116 N. Central.

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