

TRAIL UNIT PLAY CHOSEN TO ENTER STATE CONTEST

Eagle Point Grange Drama Named Second by Judges in County Finals—Better Acting Seen in Each

(By Maude Pool.) One of the closest races ever witnessed in rural dramatic contests in Jackson county came to a close last night before an audience of 700 people when Trail extension unit placed first in the contest finals at the Medford senior high school, winning the honor of representing Jackson county in presenting their play, "Albany Depot," in the state festival of dramatics at Oregon State college next week, when the state home interests conference will be in session. Other counties giving winning plays at that time will be Columbia, Clackamas, Multnomah, Lane and Deschutes.

"Singapore Spider" by Eagle Point Grange won second place in the contest, and "Just Debits" by Talent Grange placed third last night. Judges for the finals were Angus Bommer of the Southern Oregon Normal school, James Stevens of this city and Lois Kendall of Ashland high school. Acting Improvised.

Higher quality in amateur acting, brought about through friendly competition, is the object of the extension service of Oregon State college sponsoring the annual contests. This objective is being attained in Jackson county with satisfactory results, the dramatic committee working this year under the splendid direction of Angus Bommer, director of dramatics at the Southern Oregon Normal.

The following points are considered in judging the plays: Setting, costume and makeup, tempo and rhythm, reading of lines, personal acting (including interpretation and sustaining of character), and reaction to other actors. With continuous practice since their initial appearance in their home communities a few days ago, each of the productions last night showed marked improvement. The Trail cast an 11 their directors, Minnie Blaes and Helen Hughes, are to be particularly commended on the superior acting of their 16 characters, set against a somewhat drab background of a depot waiting-room. A speedy tempo was maintained throughout the scene, built around the humorous predicament of a husband waiting at the station for an unknown cook. The part of the husband was played by M. E. LaDieu, supported by Irwin Howe, Ray Briggs, Anna Briggs, Mrs. Sidney Hughes, Arlee Bagdale, Irma Cushman, Mabel Bagdale, Sidney Hughes, and the following extras: Laura Bell LaDieu, Lena Zimmerlee, Geraldine Scott, Wanda Howe, Loyal Tucker, Mrs. Jennie Hutchinson and Lawrence Watson.

Eagle Pointers Good. In contrast to this farce, the ghastly setting of "The Singapore Spider," by Eagle Point Grange, with its spectral blue light playing upon the tragic faces of its five characters, as well as adding to the eerie aspect of the room, was equally effective. Murder for \$7500, and consequential death of the criminals who were bitten by the Singapore spider, comprised the plot of the play, staged in the living room of the embittered Captain Herriew (Clarence Davies). Other members of the cast included Raymond Neigart, Al Mittlestead and Cora Randall. The fine setting in this play was directed by Chas. Fraser.

Considering that there were no unusual requirements in the Talent Grange play, "Just Debits," in the way of makeup, costume and stage setting, the excellence of their play depended principally upon the personal acting of the five characters. The plain living room of a village residence constituted the setting, where the city council was in session. Their difficulty in making

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Philadelphia, which put up \$200,000 and free facilities, was awarded the 1936 Democratic convention to be held June 23. The municipal auditorium where it will be staged is shown above. (Associated Press Photo)

proper use of a bequest, and the emotional element introduced in the character of an aged woman, forced to go to the poor farm, formed this touching play, directed by Harriet Bates. The part of the aged woman was played by Wanda Works, remaining members of the cast including Iota Miller, Ben Webster, George Hartley and Tom Bell.

Dance numbers by students of Eve Benson's studio were greatly appreciated by the audience. Miss Betty Green was featured in a tap dance, and Durrell Adams and Stanley Gustin appeared in a "Guifra Dance." The Jacksonville Grange orchestra furnished music during the evening.

Ye Poet's Corner

Dreams While going through life we all have our dreams, Dreams that we wish would come true;

And while we are dreaming, the clouds drift away, And the skies are a glorious blue.

I see a cozy white cottage at the end of a lane, With roses all around the door; A nest in the west with the one I love best, Who could ask for more?

At eve when the toll of daytime is o'er And twilight's shadows fall, We sit in the door of our cozy home, And listen to the mourning dove call.

His song is so sweet and low and sad, It sends a chill to my heart; It seems he is telling how I would feel, If you and I should part.

I listen to his weeping, sorrowful song, And think it was a cruel fate, That a bird so loving and true as he Must forever mourn for his mate.

And I clasp you tight in my arms, dear heart, And you shall never stray; For it would be the end of my dreams, If you should drift away.

But fate is cruel to the best of us, And now I'm alone with my dreams, The hours drag on and the dove mourns on Under the pale moonbeams.

I sit in my lonely doorway and dream, Dream of my lost love, And it seems my heart echoes the cry Of the lonesome mourning dove.

Sams Valley. —Mary Perry.

V. F. W. PLAN PROGRAM DURING DEFENSE WEEK

In conjunction with National Defense week, Crater Lake post No. 1533, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and its auxiliary, has invited members of the Spanish-American War camp and its auxiliary to be their guests at a pot-luck supper Monday evening, February 17, at 7 o'clock at the P. O. E. hall.

It was a group of 14 Spanish-American War veterans, who, back in 1899, first organized the Veterans of Foreign Wars and it is a very happy occurrence that the Veterans of Foreign Wars and their auxiliary have an opportunity of entertaining their parent organization. The evening's entertainment will also include a patriotic program with a talk on "National Defense."

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FESS HINTS WALK IF BORAH RECEIVES G.O.P. NOMINATION

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"take a walk" if the Democratic convention endorsed the New Deal. Fess, announcing his opposition to Borah, declared the latter's nomination would "give new meaning to Smith's taking a walk."

He said his former colleague would go down to defeat in Ohio, but that he might get some delegates from the Cleveland, Akron, Youngstown area. Fess said he himself would work for an uninstructed delegation to the national convention. Borah is planning to campaign for pledged delegates.

"If you are going to vote for a New Dealer," said Fess in an interview, "why not vote for President Roosevelt? If the liability for the New Deal is to be placed anywhere, let it be placed on the Democrats, not on the Republicans."

Borah Policies Disliked He declared he personally admired Borah but was forced into conflict with him "because of his policies." "Whether the inflation ideas of Borah will be objectionable to labor is to be seen. Ohio was not for free silver in 1896 and would not be for a free silver debauch today."

Norris voiced a sharp criticism of the present system of choosing postmasters during senate consideration of the nomination of Mrs. Maude S. Yancy, Cody, Neb. He declared she was "at the bottom of the list" in the civil service examination, and then he attacked the whole system whereby postmasters are picked on recommendation of congress members.

Unless it is changed, he declared, it will cost the president "millions of votes." "One word" from the executive would provide the remedy, he added.

Norris emphasized that he would support the president in the forthcoming campaign.

Farley Target Chairman Farley was brought into public discussion again when Representative Marcantonio (R., N. Y.) suggested sarcastically that the statue "Civic Virtue," now in City Hall park, New York, be erected "in front of the postoffice department," as a "memorial to that great leader of Democratic virtue." The New Yorker said he would ask congress to appropriate money for the transfer of the statue.

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because "they don't know what to do with it up there."

Knox, in a Cincinnati address, attacked the administration's financing as "issuing paper bonds, payable in paper dollars, used to create paper credits which are drawn upon the treasury in the form of paper checks."

The publisher demanded stabilization, with "a balanced budget" as the first step. He declared he did not know why the dollar was devalued to 59 cents, but said he favored leaving it there because "more tinkering now, whether up or down, would only cause fresh perturbations, new uncertainties."

To questions as to whether he would do battle with Borah for the Ohio delegates, he replied: "I am not going to jump off the deep end. There will be no announcement today."

Says F. R. Vindictive

Dickinson accused the president of "vindictiveness." At a Republican club dinner in Columbus, Ohio, he declared the New Deal displays "a fundamental intolerance of spirit, a resentfulness of criticism, an impatience of opposition."

Shouse, leader of enemies of the New Deal, declared in a Chicago speech that the administration "faces almost certain defeat" in November. He said at least 2,000,000 Democrats would "take a walk" to support a Republican ticket.

If the Roosevelt administration proposes to attempt to change the constitution of the United States, if it proposes to plow under the supreme court," he said, "I must present its proposition fairly, because America will not again permit the attempt to accomplish such purpose by deceit and subversion."

The league chief struck out at Secretary Wallace for his "sneering references" to the supreme court's AAA decision. Wallace had described the processors' recovery of impounded taxes as the "greatest legalized steal in history."

In Binghamton, N. Y., last night, Wallace declared the court "was in error in its ruling on the AAA," but "we cannot resist its decision."

Portland Puckers Clinch Loop Lead

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 7.—(AP)—Portland, the southern terminus of the Northwestern Hockey league, remained "the team to beat" today as a result of its lead-clinching victory over the Seattle Seahawks here last night. The Portland Buscaros won, 2 to 1.

In the other Northwestern league game last night, Calgary defeated Edmonton, 2 to 1, to move into a tie for third place with Vancouver and push the Edmonton sextet into the cellar.

FLAWS ARE SEEN BY REPUBLICANS IN NEW FARM BILL

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tem of subsidies for farmers who would cooperate in withdrawing acreage from commercial crop production. The subsidies would go direct to the farmers or indirectly through states desiring to cooperate.

The seven republican report signers said Secretary Wallace and Farm Administrator Chester Davis testified before the committee "informally" that the greater part of the land to be taken out of production through soil-conservation activities would be used for grasses, and conceded dairy and livestock production would be increased materially.

Oppose Dislocation

"We are opposed to a program which has for its purpose dislocation of agriculture in this country," the republicans declared. "Apparently it is the purpose of the secretary to carry out the conservation program at the expense of the dairy and livestock industry, which now faces a surplus condition. . . ."

"We do not attempt here to criticize an expansion of the dairy and livestock industry in a normal and natural manner, but we do object to any governmental program which has for its purpose the payment of a subsidy to one group of farmers at the expense of another group engaged in an honest agricultural pursuit."

The report was signed by Representatives Andrew, Minn.; Kinsler, Pa.; Tobey, N. Hamp.; Marshall, Ohio; Goodwin, N. Y.; Hope, Kan.; and Gilchrist, Iowa. Representative Bolieu, (Iowa, Wis.), has filed a separate minority report objecting to the failure of the measure to stipulate that land taken out of production not be used for dairy or other production for sale.

Legality Claimed The majority report, by Chairman Jones, (D. Tex.), emphasized that the AAA substitute was constitutional.

Of the permanent program, the republicans said:

"It may be that the suggestions embodied in the bill for a permanent program for agriculture are sound and desirable. However, since no hearings were held on these provisions of the bill, it is impossible for us or anyone to inform the house as to whether or not the proposed permanent program is acceptable to the farmers of the country or their representatives."

CLAIM SALEM OFFICER INTOXICATED ON DUTY

SALEM, Feb. 7.—(AP)—Charles A. Kuykendall, night police patrolman of Salem, today was the second city policeman discharged here within the past week.

He was demitted upon order of Chief of Police Frank Minto on charges of being under the influence of liquor while on duty early today.

H. M. Deacon was discharged earlier in the week as a result of a jewelry robbery on his beat. Both have ten days in which to appeal to the civil service board.

Advertisement for Golden Brown Variety Cakes, featuring an image of a cake and a list of ingredients and instructions for baking.

Advertisement for Portland Puckers Clinch Loop Lead, detailing the team's performance and upcoming games.

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