

LARGEST AUDIENCE OF ANY PREMIERE WILL SEE HAMLET

Record First Night Attendance at Shakespearean Festival Is Assured—Curtain to Rise at 8:30

When the curtain rises on Hamlet at the Elizabethan theater in Ashland tonight there will be present the largest audience to attend an opening performance in the four years of the Oregon Shakespearean Festival.

The advance ticket sale for the premiere has been larger than for any opening show since the festival was inaugurated four years ago, the management announced. Nevertheless seats are still available in the big open-air playhouse and tickets may be procured at the box-office tonight.

To clarify some confusion that seems to exist, the management emphasized today that it is not necessary to be a sponsoring member to attend the play. Anyone may attend any of the eight productions simply by buying a ticket. Tickets for individual performances may be purchased here at Pruitt's Music and Radio Center, 111 West Main street, or at the theater the night of the play.

Drama Editor Here That the importance of the festival has spread beyond the confines of southern Oregon was evidenced again today with the arrival of Harold Hunt, drama editor of the Oregon Journal who arrived by plane from Portland to report tonight and tomorrow night's plays for his newspaper. A United Mailman made a special stop at Medford municipal airport this forenoon to discharge Mr. Hunt. He was met at the airport by Miss Doreen Leverette, Medford student at the Cornish school of drama in Seattle who is taking part in this year's series of plays.

Mr. Hunt left for Ashland this afternoon to inspect the Elizabethan theater, fashioned after the Globe theatre of Shakespeare's time, and to interview Angus L. Bowmer, festival director and head of the drama department of the Southern Oregon Normal school.

As further evidence of the national fame attained by the festival, Hollywood talent scouts are expected to be inconspicuous but observant members of the audience at several of the plays.

To get to the Elizabethan theater from here one turns right at the First National bank in Ashland and proceeds a short distance up Pioneer street. There is ample car parking space in the vicinity.

Cast Given

- The cast of characters for Hamlet follows: Claudius, King of Denmark; Hamlet, son to late and nephew to present king; Polonius, Lord Chamberlain; Horatio, friend to Hamlet; Laertes, son to Polonius; Voltmand, Harry Priestly; Rosencrantz, Leroy Lindner; Guildenstern, Angus Moore; Ose, Norman Hamilton; A Gentleman, Bill Burke; Marcellus, officer; Bernardo, officer; Francisco, soldier; Reynaldo, servant to Polonius; John Reischer; Players, Don Sloane, Robert Stedman; First Grave Digger, William Cottrell; Second Grave Digger, John Reischer; Fortinbras, Prince of Norway; Robert Stedman.



SANDLOT FANS hall Stan Robbins, unemployed Philadelphia machinist who put his left arm to work, pitching a no-hit, no-run game on a Philly diamond. In a twilight game, he retired 27 consecutive batters and didn't even issue a walk.

Gertrude, Queen of Denmark and mother of Hamlet; Ophelia, daughter to Polonius; Captain; Ghost of Hamlet's father; Messenger; Lords and Ladies; Ruhl, Nancy Day, Frank Smith, William Burk, Louise Du Bois, Esther Carter; Curtain Boys; The festival will continue tomorrow night and every night next week. The performances start at 8:30. The Merchant of Venice will be presented tomorrow night with the following cast: Duke of Venice; Prince of Aragon; Antonio; Bassanio; Salanio; Salario; Gratiano; Lorenzo; Shylock; Tubal; Launcelot Gabbio; Stefano; Portia; Nerissa; Jessica.

Livestock

PORTLAND, Aug. 5.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—HOGS 200 including 139 direct, no choice lightweights offered, market nominally steady, good-choice lightweight truckings salable 9.25-9.50; carload lots 9.50, few medium 17 lb. 9.00, odd head choice light 9.00, odd packing sows 7.00, good 90 lb. feeder pigs 8.00. CATTLE 500, calves 100, including 95 direct, part load heifers 6.50, cows 5.50 lightly sorted 4.50, other offerings of odds and ends on cleanup basis, low cutter and cutter cows 3.00-75, cutter-medium bulls 4.50-5.50 common vealers 5.00, choice quotable 8.00 and above.

on all classes; top and bulk Washington spring lambs 8.00; few sorted natives also at that price; bulk 8.50; choice dry fed yearlings 7.35; medium Texas kinds 5.75; native slaughter ewes 3.25-5.00.

Portland Wheat

PORTLAND, Aug. 5.—(AP)—Wheat: Open High Low Close Sept. 61 61 61 61 Dec. 64 64 63 63 Cash grain: Oats, No. 2, 38-lb. white, 82; No. 2, 38-lb. gray, 82; Barley, No. 2, 45-lb. b.w., 82; Corn, No. 2 E. Y., shipment 82. Cash wheat (bid): Soft white (hard wh. app.) 60 1/2; w. white or w. club, 60 1/2; western red, 58; hard red winter, ordinary 58; 11 pc., 59; 12 pc., 62; 13 pc., 65; 14 pc., 67. Hard white-bart, ordinary, 60 1/2; 11 pc., 60 1/2; 12 pc., 62; 13 pc., 65; 14 pc., 67. Car receipts—Wheat, 110; barley, 4; flour, 8; corn, 7; oats, 1; mill-feed, 4.

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Portland Produce

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points were numerous. Steel, motor, rubber, mail order and other industrial groups favored on hopes of vigorous business improvement in the autumn months took the lead on the upside. Touching new peaks for the year were such issues as General Motors, Greyhound, Phelps Dodge and American Can.

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The day's news bearing on steel, motor and transportation industries confirmed other indications the unusual summer recovery trend still was making progress. Dealings became more active on the upside. Transactions approximated 1,100,000 shares. Today's closing prices for 32 selected stocks follow: Al. Chem. & Dye 180 Am. Can 101 1/2 Am. & Ptn. Pow. 44 A. T. & T. 141 1/2 Anaconda 36 1/2 Atch. T. & S. F. 38 Bendis Avia. 21 1/2 Beth. Steel 60 Caterpillar Tract. 85 1/2 Chrysler 73 1/2 Coml. Solv. 11 1/2 Curtiss-Wright 5 1/2 DuPont 131 1/2 Gen. Elec. 42 1/2 Gen. Foods 35 1/2 Gen. Mot. 45 1/2 Int. Harvest. 62 1/2 I. T. & T. 9 1/2 Johns-Man. 95 Monty Ward 46 1/2 North Amer. 21 1/2 Penney (J. C.) 84 1/2 Phillips Pet 43 Radio 8 1/2 Sou. Pac. 20 Std. Brands 8 St. Oil Cal. 32 1/2 St. Oil N. J. 37 1/2 Trans. Amer. 10 1/2 Union Carb. 84 1/2 Unit. Aircraft 28 1/2 U. S. Steel 61 1/2

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GILBERT REVEALS DEFINITE EFFORT COMMUNIZE YOUNG

General Secretary of Fundamentals Assn. Speaks at Baptist Church—Educational Evil Held Growing

Speaking before a large audience in the Baptist church last night, Dr. Dan Gilbert of San Diego, Cal., and Washington, D. C., general secretary of the World's Christian Fundamentals association, presented startling facts and evidence showing the existence of a definite program for communizing American youth through certain educational systems. Dr. Gilbert, speaking here through the sponsorship of the Oregon Christian Fundamentals association and the Truth for Students movement, told his audience that testimony presented before the house of representatives sub-committee of the 1936 congress demonstrated that a group of communistic professors, centered

largely in Columbia university, have set out to sovietize America through the control and dominance of state schools throughout the country. He didn't condemn all schools and all teachers, but stated positively that in many of our colleges and universities, and even in high schools, subversive education was a fact. He warned that unless an alert citizenry and group of teachers were ready to fight against such radical tendencies in so-called "progressive" education, such a situation was possible right here in Medford. In a clear and precise manner, he presented the evils of that which are growing in many schools throughout the nation. Dr. Gilbert also cited numerous textbooks now in use in schools in which communistic, fascist and un-moral doctrines are taught. He called attention to the manner in which such doctrines are contributing heavily to the crime wave.

"I feel that education in general in the United States is deficient because it leaves out moral and spiritual teachings," Dr. Gilbert said. Under the statute espoused by the World's Christian Fundamentals association, all teachers up-to-date their doctrines would be ousted from their positions, Dr. Gilbert told his audience. The campaign of the association, being carried out under his direction, contemplates an active fight in every state in the union for legislation against the teaching of atheism, communism, fascism and anti-Christian doctrines in tax-supported schools.

Dr. Gilbert left Medford this morning for Roseburg, where he will speak on the same subject tonight.

Anaconda Copper Increases Wages

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 5.—(UP)—The Anaconda Copper Mining company today announced a 50 cent a day wage increase for local miners and for smeltermen at the Anaconda and Great Falls smelters. Minimum wage for Butte miners was set at \$5.75 a day. All craftsmen whose unions have contracts with the company will benefit. The increase was ordered under provisions of union contracts which call for a 50 cent a day raise when copper sells at 9 1/2 cents or more a pound for a month.

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