

FIRE IN THEATER RUINS COSTUMES; SHOW WILL GO ON

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Fire of unknown origin late Cottrell, the director, said no one was in the theater at the time the blaze was discovered. He added, however, that one of the players might have unwittingly laid a costume over one of the lights and short-circuited the wire.

Lois M. Bowmer, art director, was making a check of the remaining attire this morning. She said that practically all of the costumes for male players were burned. Smoke damage was heavy on a large portion of the women's attire but she believed these could be sufficiently repaired for use tonight.

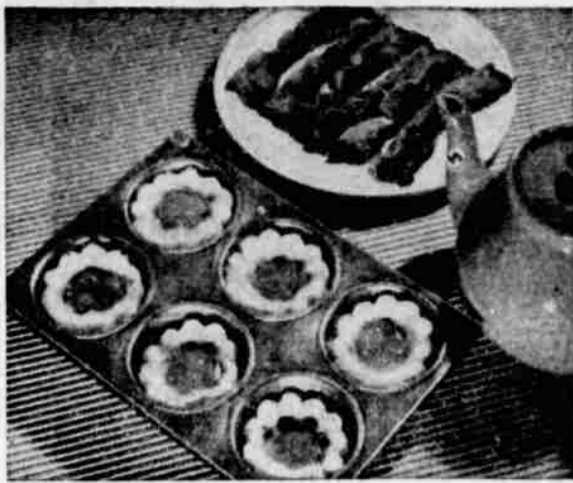
Stage curtains and props were not damaged. Lighting equipment was also unharmed. Make-up kits, usually stored in the men's dressing room, were undamaged.

No insurance was carried. **Show Will Go On.** Stunned by the unfortunate accident, production heads nevertheless prepared to adhere to the unwritten adage of the theater, and said that the schedule would be continued. Tonight's showing of "Much Ado About Nothing" will be started at 8:30 o'clock although costumes for the performance will be vastly different than those used in the original showing.

Production heads were soliciting uniforms and other regalia among patriotic and fraternal organizations. The play itself has a military background so the difficulties in this respect are not considered too great. Costumes for Friday and Saturday night's plays, however, present a more serious problem.

Reservations for tonight's play are practically sold out. The original presentation drew

Baked Eggs in Toast Rings



BAKED Eggs in Toast Rings are a pleasant variation of America's favorite breakfast, bacon and eggs. Easy to make, they consist of eggs dropped into bread-cups and baked in muffin pans.

Cut rounds of bread with a scalloped or plain round cookie cutter. Remove the center portions of half of the rounds, so that cup-like containers to hold the eggs may be formed. A small biscuit cutter is good for removing the centers neatly.

Bread rounds may be cut and buttered the night before, so that in the morning only a second is needed for breaking the eggs into the pans, adding milk, and putting the muffin pans into the oven. Bake the eggs while the coffee brews and the bacon cooks.

Wholesome, energy-yielding, Baked Eggs in Toast Rings are a treat for children at lunch time, and they add a festive note to a simple supper.

Baked Eggs in Toast Rings
12 slices bread
Butter
6 eggs
6 tablespoons milk

With a scalloped cookie cutter cut rounds of bread from bread slices. Use a smaller cutter to remove center portion from 6 of the slices. Brush each slice with melted butter. Place plain rounds of bread in bottoms of muffin pans and top with a ring of bread. Break egg in center of each ring and add 1 tablespoon milk to each. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 20 to 25 minutes. Serve with broiled bacon. Yield: 6 servings.

much favorable comment and many of the patrons who saw the first performance had indicated intention of repeating attendance.

If second showings mean anything, there are many persons in southern Oregon who would like to see Shakespeare's "Merry Wives of Windsor" again. A packed house attended last night's presentation of this play

and production heads indicated that from the response shown, the play would undoubtedly be repeated next year if the repertoire is extended for another season.

Ashland's civic Elizabethan theater echoed with laughter and applause last night. The audience was even larger than when the play was first shown. Response was keyed to a higher

pitch and in return, the players outshone themselves in their various roles.

Richard Farmer as Falstaff was outstanding; Laura Jones as the blustering Mrs. Quickly endeared herself to the hearts of all. The two wives, played by Maybelle Hotell and Kathryn Denzer, received high praise along with their character spouses, Guy Corliss and Harry Moses. Jimmie Baughman, John Reischer, Delmar Solem, Doug Hubbard, Dick Schuchard, Don Shanahan and others, also came in for much of the favorable comment.

PHYSICIAN SUED ON GUN ASSAULT

Portland, Aug. 15.—(AP)—The guardian of 16-year-old Victor E. Reynolds sought \$12,500 damages today in a circuit court action against Dr. Karl H. Martzloff, Portland physician convicted of assault and battery.

The complaint said shot from an air rifle struck the youth in the hip. The doctor has appealed a municipal court conviction imposing a \$250 fine and a 60-day jail sentence with 30 days suspended.

TWO DIE IN CRASH TRAINING PLANE

Rye, N. Y., Aug. 15.—(AP)—Lieut. Henry Clayton Thompson, 25, of Muskegon Heights, Mich., and Private E. E. Spencer were killed today as their U. S. army training plane crashed in Disbrow Park and burst into flames.

The plane, piloted by Thompson, was a BT-14 training plane from Mitchel Field, N. Y. Another plane flying with the craft disappeared over Long Island Sound toward Mitchel Field. Officers at the field said they had no details of the crash.



NAMED—Rep. Lindsay C. Warren (above), North Carolina Democrat named by F.D.R. as comptroller general for a 15-year term, is chairman of the House accounts committee, and served on the merchant marine and roads committees.

CANADIAN AIRMEN PLUNGE TO DEATH

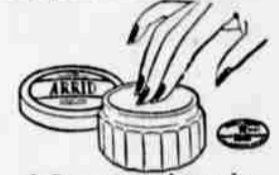
Ottawa, Aug. 15.—(AP)—Five Canadian airmen were killed in the crash of an air force plane on a routine flight yesterday, the air ministry announced today.

The plane fell between Allford Bay, British Columbia, and Patricia Bay. The dead: Squadron Leader R. C. Proctor of Edmonton, Alberta; Flying officer H. L. Gordon of Regina and J. G. H. Desbriens of Vancouver; Capt. G. H. Bourne, of the ordnance corps, Ottawa; and Corporal R. G. Brown, Vancouver. Air force headquarters said the cause of the accident had not yet been determined.

The plane crashed in mid-afternoon into the waters of Discovery Passage, near Courtney, B. C.

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FLOOD CRESTS BLOCK TRAFFIC

Roanoke, Va., Aug. 15.—(AP)—Flood crests swept out of stricken southwest Virginia today into the south central portion of the state, halting traffic on highways, isolating communities, and causing damage to crops and homes in lowlying areas. The death toll remained at three.

700-PLANE ORDER FOR ENGLEWOOD COMPANY

Washington, Aug. 15.—(AP)—The war department announced today the award of a \$11,335,631 contract to the Northern American Aviation, Inc., Englewood, Calif., for approximately 700 airplanes.

LINDBERGH ROAD FOLK WOULD RENAME ROUTE

London, Aug. 15.—(AP)—The residents of Lindbergh Road, Ipswich, wish to change the name of their street because of "the anti-British attitude of Colonel Lindbergh." They have signed a petition to rename the street after "some Royal Air Force hero".

Closing time for Too Late to Classify Ads is 1:30 p. m.

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