

MUSIC FESTIVAL PLANS DRAWN AT EDUCATOR MEET

Plans for the musical competition festival, to be held at the Southern Oregon College of Education in Ashland April 5 or 6, were made at a meeting of music educators of Southern Oregon held here recently. Schools represented were Coos Bay, Grants Pass, Medford, Klamath Falls, Lakeview, Central Point, Rogue River, Jacksonville, Griffin Creek and the Southern Oregon College of Education.

At a meeting held earlier this year by music educators of Region, Ore., it was decided to renew school music contest festivals this year and alternate each year with non-competitive festivals, according to I. A. Mirick, chairman of the southern Oregon festival. Winners of Division I rating in this district will

have the opportunity of competing in the national music contest held in April and May. This region includes Washington, Oregon, Montana and Idaho.

Classifications of schools is according to high school enrollment at the end of the first month of school each year. Class A schools includes those with an enrollment of 751 or more in senior high school; Class B schools will be those with enrollment of 250 to 750 and Class C those with enrollments under 250.

Judges for the contest have not yet been selected, according to Mirick. The chairman is band and orchestra supervisor for Medford public schools.

CLASS HAS PARTY

Jacksonville, Jan. 18—Dancing was the feature entertainment at a junior class party at the high school here Wednesday evening. Eldon Gunter, chairman of committees, and Miss Lola Talbot, class advisor, were in charge. Several guests from Medford attended.

Astrakhan lambs are selected for slaughter for fur when they are four days old.

JACKSONVILLE C-C TO EYE PLANS FOR SCHOOL BUILDING

Jacksonville, Jan. 18—(U.P.)—Committees to investigate possibilities of erecting a new high school building and establishing a war memorial hall were selected at a meeting of the chamber of commerce here last night, H. E. Lind, president of the organization, stated this morning.

Lind said that present war memorial plans were to remodel an existing structure which would be owned by the city and sponsored by the chamber of commerce. Various juvenile and civic organizations would use the hall.

Plan City Dump
The chamber proposed to go before the city council at its next session regarding the matter of a new city dump ground. According to Lind the civic group has spotted an area which to all indications the council will judge favorable for the project. If the dump ground is established, a city sanitary service, operated as a private enterprise, may be set up.

Lind stated that last night's turnout was one of the best the chamber has had and that enthusiasm in the organization was increasing. Jacksonville shows signs of much progress and development in the next few years, Lind said.

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Gary Cooper In Western



Thrill-packed action and sparkling comedy highlight "Along Came Jones," now at the Holly theatre, for a weeks engagement, starring Gary Cooper as Melody Jones and featuring Loretta Young, William Demarest and Dan Duray.

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Coach of the Medford team is Miss Barbara Compton. Judges were A. L. Bowmer, Southern Oregon College of Education, and Earl C. Gaddis, Medford.

MEDFORD, SALEM DEBATERS IN TIE

Medford and Salem high school debate teams appeared in a debate at the Medford high school yesterday, the contest ending in a two and two tie. The question was "Resolved: That every able bodied male in the United States should have one year of full time military training before attaining the age of 24."

Debating for Salem were Cornelius Bateson, Tom Bartlett, Jim Raftland and Allen Wilcox. On the Medford team were June Bosworth, Jerry Ito, David Bourquin, Janet Horsley and Bill Moffat. The Salem team was accompanied by the coach, Miss Amanda Anderson.

GRANTS PASS SUICIDE

Grants Pass, Jan. 18—Funeral services will be held here Sunday for Herbert Henry Munn, 40, who died from a self-inflicted gunshot wound Wednesday. Munn was found lying in a ditch near his parked car on the Applegate road near Riverbanks Farms, County Coroner Virgil E. Hull said Munn first shot himself in the face and some time later discharged the weapon into his abdomen, which was said to be the fatal wound.

WEATHER

Northern California: Partly cloudy today, tonight and Saturday, with a few light showers on extreme north coast and local valley fog. Little temperature change. Moderate northwest wind off coast.

Daily Weather Report

FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday with morning fog. Little change in temperature.
Oregon: Occasional light rain west portion and snow flurries in northeast portion tonight and Saturday. Not so cold in east portion tonight. Fresh to strong southerly wind off coast.

LOCAL DATA
Temperature a year ago today: Highest 43; Lowest 32.
Total monthly precipitation 1.86 inches.
Excess for the month .53 inches.
Total precipitation since September 1, 1945, 12.87 inches.
Excess for the season 4.26 inches.
Relative humidity at 4:20 yesterday 100%; 4:30 a. m. today 96%.

Tomorrow
Sunrise 7:25 a. m. Sunset 5:09 p. m.
Observations Taken At 4:18 A. M., 130 Meridian Time

City	High	Low	Prec.
Boise	39	19	
Boston	24	20	
Chicago	39	28	
Denver	57	26	
Eureka	52	45	
Havre	44	35	.01
Klamath Falls	41	18	
Los Angeles	71	40	
Medford	32	25	T
New York	28	28	
Omaha	46	29	
Phoenix	59	44	.01
Portland	54	38	.01
Reno	50	10	
Roseburg	31	25	
Salt Lake	34	14	
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20-UNIT AUTO COURT PLANNED NEAR G. PASS

Grants Pass, Jan. 18 — Construction of the first five units of a contemplated 20-unit auto court on the Pacific highway, two miles south of Grants Pass has been started by George E. Longan, formerly of Los Angeles. The court, to be known as Riverspark Court, is near Carnahan Drive.

Plans call for two double rows of cottages at right angles to the highway and Rogue river and the grounds will be landscaped to give a good view of the river, Longan states.

THREE MONTHS ENOUGH

Hollywood, Jan. 18 — (U.P.) — Actress Sheila Ryan, who found after three months of marriage to cowboy actor Allan Lane that they "differed on practically everything," said today that she would end the marriage. Miss Ryan announced that her suit for divorce, charging mental cruelty, would be filed next week by Attorney Oscar Cummins.

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