

High School News Notes

By CYNTHIA RUKOVINA
Nellie Rawlings and Monty Holst have been chosen to head the Girls' and Boys' Leagues of 1955-56 as president, in election results announced this week.



Other officers for Girls' League next year will be Sandra Robinson, vice-president; Molly Walker, secretary; and Rita Rose, treasurer. Sonja Peterson, punier, was

honored as the Girl of the Year in the same election.
Next year's Boys' League officers will include Jerry Gatlin, vice-president; Floyd Yeats, secretary; Bob Tisdell, treasurer; and John Foust, Sergeant-at-Arms.

The Spanish club, headed by Advisor Miss Dorothy Wilson, presented a Pan American day assembly with a Spanish theme to the student body Thursday morning. A skit was given by Harold Ashton, Bob Welch, Paul Eckey, and Gary Kliever, leading into an entertainment program. Spanish dances were presented by Glenna Hobbs, Lois Meyers, Alicia Robinson and Walter Knight. The dance band played a group of South American arrangements and the A Cappella Choir sang "Choral Tango" and "The Donkey Serenade." A group of Spanish club members including Jackie Colton, Relda Jenkins, Kay Nicodemus, Betty Hershiser, Meredith Huggins, Marilyn Parson, and Linda White sang in Spanish, accompanied by Bev Gosler.

Approximately 50 seniors from Medford High left Friday to attend visitation week, and on the campuses of the various state supported colleges and universities in Oregon. The schools have planned entertainment events and curriculum discussions for the seniors to acquaint them with the school they choose to attend next fall.

Various assemblies were held in the last two weeks to inform Medford High students of the annual driving Road-o to be held next month. Applicants are to take a written driving examination April 30 and an operation test later, in the judging of students to represent the area in the state contest.

The Hi-Y sponsored a dance for Senior High students at the YMCA Friday night, as one of a group of dances held in connection with the "Y" Youth council. The council works with the various "Y" organizations from High School and Junior High in scheduling dates and sponsors for the dances.

With the completion of second six week's exams Monday and Tuesday, the last six week's period of 1955 began. Girls' League week next week, the Junior-Senior Prom May 14, skip day and Graduation for seniors will hold the spotlight during the last of the school year.

Lawyer Challenges Coast Guard Study Of Ship Collision

Long Beach, Calif. — (U.P.) — The Coast Guard resumed its investigation Saturday into a collision between a Swedish freighter and the yacht Suomi off Point Arguello in which five men aboard the yacht lost their lives.
Officers and crewmen of the Swedish ship Paramatta refused to testify Friday at a Coast Guard hearing. The Paramatta struck the Suomi early Thursday in squally weather and the \$25,000 yawl sank quickly.

Outside Limits
William Roethke, attorney for the freighter's Swedish owners, challenged the Coast Guard's authority to conduct an inquiry and advised the personnel of the freighter not to answer any questions.

Roethke contended the accident occurred three and two tenths miles offshore, outside the territorial waters of the United States.
The hearing's chairman, Coast Guard Capt. J. A. Brdsnan countered Roethke's tactics by ordering an immediate application for a hearing in the U. S. District Court.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



WHEN ROOKIE RUBE MC CUBE WAS BASHING THE BALL AT A 400 CLIP IN CAMP, HE TOLD THE SCRIBES—(QUOTE) "MAJOR LEAGUE BALL IS EASIER THAN THE MINORS! THE PITCHERS ARE EASIER TO HIT—YOU KNOW THEY GOT GOOD CONTROL AN' WON'T BEAN YA SO YOU DIG IN AN' BANG AWAY—ALSO THE UMP'S KNOW THEIR JOB AN' CALL 'EM RIGHT!"

Americana Annual, 1955 Book of Facts, Publication Told

Chicago, Ill. — (U.P.) — The 1955 Americana Annual—just off the press—is the largest edition of this fact-filled book in its 33 years of publication. With its authoritative reviews of all the important developments in every major field of endeavor (science, government, religion, economics, the arts, entertainment, education, social welfare, and industry), it contains over 900 pages of text and pictures, comprising well over a million words and including approximately 840 main articles.
Over 400 authorities have contributed signed articles to the 1955 edition, exclusive of some two thousand others who contributed portions of articles or specific information used in articles. The book is illustrated with photographs, cartoons, maps, and charts, reflecting the important trends, events, and personalities of 1954.

Special features of the 1955 Americana Annual include major articles on countries, reviews especially important events occurred in 1954 (for example, Guatemala, Indochina, Germany, France, China, Formosa, the USSR); special articles on the big international conferences and agreements of 1954; authoritative reviews covering such subjects as communism, foreign aid, Canadian developments, taxation and the national economy, atomic energy, the elections and political parties, fashions the Supreme Court's ruling on segregation in the public schools, the new antipoll vaccine, and others too numerous to mention here.

The 1955 Americana Annual is not available in bookstores, but can be obtained through the Mail Order Division of the Am-

Around Hollywood

By ALINE MOSSBY
United Press Correspondent

Hollywood — (U.P.) — Betsy Blair, an actress noted chiefly as Gene Kelly's wife, finally has reached her own stardom—because of her admittedly "plain, ordinary" face.
The red-haired actress and Ernest Borgnine, the sadistic sergeant in "From Here to Eternity," have emerged as the hottest screen romancers of the year. They portrayed two lonely, non-beautiful souls who find love in "Marty."

The film, produced by Harold Hecht and actor Burt Lancaster, had no big-name stars nor staggering budget but won enthusiastic cheers from critics and ticket-buyers.

Miss Blair sat down to her first interview as a new star to honestly say, "I'm a plain, ordinary-looking human being."
"I never would have been considered for the role if I were a Marilyn Monroe type," she said. "I've never tried being that way because I don't feel like that. I don't feel that's what womanhood is. Besides, I don't think the movies should be some fairyland."

In most films the heroine is beautiful, perfectly groomed and poised, and the hero is a walking toothpaste ad. But in "Marty" the characters are "homely," as the critics called them, or "real" as Miss Blair prefers.
"It's flattering to have a role that's a human being," she said, "and not just a flat picture."
"Nobody looks like those beautiful people in the movies. Even those people in the movies aren't like that off the screen! Except perhaps Elizabeth Taylor. She always looks beautiful, but she's rare."

Broadway Beginning
It took Betsy 15 years of acting to reach acclaim. She began as a Broadway dancer and graduated to starring stage roles. But in Hollywood, after becoming Mrs. Gene Kelly, she won only supporting character parts.
"Most people here think I really don't care about working, but I do," she said. "I suppose being Gene's wife is somewhat of a handicap, but I don't care."

Betsy has long hair, worn in a school-girl style. She wore a simple jumper and blouse today, and no makeup. She looked like Julie Harris in "East of Eden," and "Everybody Tells Me That."

"Marty" has brought her a new career. As she spoke she packed to join Kelly in France for the Cannes Film Festival where her film will be shown. Then she'll star in a French film.
"And I had to turn down offers here to go," she beamed.
"I suppose for a while the offers will be to play 29-year-old spinsters but I don't care."

Some 35 per cent of mouth cancer are cured today. About 65 per cent can be cured if the cancer is detected soon enough, the American Cancer Society states.

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New Business Opened For Canvas, Shades

The Valley Shade Co., a new business, has been opened in the former Selby Terrace shop location, 307 North Bartlett st., by Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Munden. The Munden have operated the canvas department at Selby's for the past four years, and have been in the canvas business for the past 10 years.
They have also purchased the shade business of Barnard's. Both commercial and home canvas awnings and all kinds of canvas work, roller shades, roller shade service and venetian blinds will be featured by the new firm.

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Kiwanians Slate Trip To Visit Portlanders

Medford Kiwanians will visit the Downtown Portland Kiwanis club and will put on the program Tuesday noon.
Approximately 25 members of the Medford club will make the trip by air on two flights.
Jennings Pierce will give a talk extolling the Rogue river valley and the Medford Kiwanis band will play. John Dellenbeck, president of the Medford club, will preside for the program. The Rev. George Bolster will give the invocation.
The Portland club will return the visit later in the year.
Jack Fitzgerald is in charge of arrangements for the trip for the Medford group.

About five per cent of lung cancer cases are cured today. Over 50 per cent could be cured if they were diagnosed early enough, the American Cancer Society says.

LIONS CLUB ENTERTAINED
Jacksonville — Sherry Aldrich, daughter of Mrs. Clifford Aldrich, operator of Miss Pat's dance studio, entertained members of the Lions club at a dinner meeting at the high school in Jacksonville Thursday night. The Parent-Teacher association served the dinner family style.

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