

Heyday Sunday First Event Of Shakespearean Festival

Ashland—The 1955 Oregon Shakespearean festival gets underway here Sunday with the first official event of the season, the annual Bard's Heyday.

Sponsored by Tudor guild, festival auxiliary organization, all proceeds from Heyday go to the actors scholarship fund.

Traditionally held on an estate in the Rogue River valley, Heyday will take place in the festival theater for the first time this year. Features of the afternoons activities will be Elizabethan games, a buffet supper, and tours backstage in the theater.

In the costume room visitors will see head costumer, Douglas Russell, Florida State university, and his assistants, Agnes David, University of Texas, and Inge Schmidt, Stanford university, at work on the season's costumes. Helping out in the costume room are other company members and townspeople. All of the costumes this year were designed by Mr. Russell, just returned from a year of study at Stratford-on-Avon, except for Miss David's designs for "Timon of Athens." Mr. Russell brought back from England more than 200 yards of material for the costumes, including felts, metallic cloth, and wools, the latter to be used for "Macbeth."

As usual, about half of the costumes this year will be new, and half remodels of old costumes. The same costume is never used twice without several changes, and each year's shows present a new trend in design and execution. Russell estimates that by the end of the season the festival wardrobe, begun from scratch in 1948 after the theater burned, will have more than 2000 costumes.

The costume room has a variety of unique problems to deal with this year, as usual. The costumes for "Timon" must be basically Elizabethan with a suggestion of classic drapery; and an illusion of unreality must be created for "A Midsummer

Night's Dream." In spite of other problems, however, costume people agree that the most perplexing one yet is the actor who can wear none of the old helmets, the most difficult costume article to make, because his head has five corners instead of the traditional four.

The festival season opens on August 1 with "Dream," and continues throughout the month presenting four plays in rotation nightly, with special performances of "Timon" Aug. 23 and 29. Other scheduled plays are "Macbeth," "All's Well That Ends Well," and "Henry VI, part 3." Also scheduled are free concerts of Elizabethan music on the four Sundays in August.

Californians Leave, Others Arrive for Fishing, Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hanner, Torrance, Calif., left for their home Tuesday after visiting for 10 days with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dwyer Sr., 70 Janney lane. While here the group camped at Woodruff meadows and fished in various streams and lake including Upper Butte creek and Four Mile lake. They reported good catches.

Other Californians who arrived last week to visit here are Mr. and Mrs. Al Teague of Long Beach, Calif. They plan an indefinite stay and are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Prough, 1019 Mt. Pitt avenue. On Wednesday they visited Crater lake. They have been fishing on the Rogue river and this week end will be guests of the Proughs at their camp at Lake o' the Woods.

Society

Jossys, Bruners Hosts for Reunion

Eagle Point—Mr. and Mrs. Earle Jossy, Route 1, Eagle Point, and Mrs. Jossy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Bruner, Eagle Point, were hosts last week to a large number of relatives who were here for a reunion.

Visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bruner and daughter, Becky, Klamath Falls; Mr. and Mrs. James Cornutt and children, Linda, Dennis, and Susan, Moses Lake, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton and children, Diane, Donna, Darlene and Danny, San Bimas, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robison, Klamath Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril McCurdy, and son, James, Mrs. Eunice Finley, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Finley and children, Janet, Debbie and Davey, all of Coquille.

Mrs. Anna Delamater, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rauch of Eugene; Mrs. Cliff Rawlings and sons, Mike and Craig, Garberville, Calif.; Vern McClellan, Klamath Falls, Mrs. Mary Crawford, Salem, and Mrs. Claude Fraley and son, Jerry, of Dairy, Ore.

The Bartons were visiting for two weeks while on vacation and the others were here for several days.

Mrs. Sims Slated To Present Talk

Mrs. Audrey Sims will speak at the July meeting of Rogue River chapter, National Secretaries association to be held this evening at the Dardenelles. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Sims will display oil paintings and other handcraft articles.

Veterans Bridge Club Scores Told

Mrs. Marie Rehling and Miss Isobel Stuart were first in the north-south positions of the July 8 Camp White Veterans Bridge club session. In second place were Mrs. Frank Baker and Ray Wise; third, Mrs. Howard Boyd and Bill Hickey, and fourth, Mrs. George Dean and John Solheim.

Jack Harris and Bill Isaacs tied with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Reverman for first place in the east-west positions.

The other winners were Art Scarseth and Gen. J. P. Vachno, third, and Mrs. Fred Purdin and Dr. George Dean, fourth.

Granddaughters Here For Extended Visit

Janis, Gretchen and Dawn Morehead, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James Morehead, Los Angeles, are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lovell, 526 Edwards street, and also while here are visiting their paternal grandfather, Tom Morehead, and Mrs. Morehead, Hawthorne apartments.

They arrived last Friday with their parents, accompanied by their young brother, Gus, who have left for Los Angeles. They will return here for the girls on July 23. Mrs. Morehead is a Medford High school graduate and the family formerly lived at Grants Pass.

Degree of Honor Lodge Group Conduct Program

A program was conducted by members of the Degree of Honor lodge during a swim party and picnic at Hawthorne park Saturday afternoon. Donna Krause read a prayer, and a poem was read by Darlene Morrow. Richard Swan also furnished a number and Miss Krause was awarded a prize for memory work. Tina Gonzalez was flag bearer and Darlene Morrow presided a president. Carol Krause led a march.

The August 13 meeting for the group also will be at the park from 2 to 4 p.m.

The birthdays of Donna Krause and Tina Gonzalez also were observed at the recent party.

Mrs. Catharine Jay, Grandsons Make Trip

Mrs. Catharine Jay and grandsons, Gregory and Larry Wright, all of 20 North Orange street, returned this week from a month's trip to several southern and midwestern states. They went by way of Los Angeles to El Paso, Tex., and then to Juarez, Mexico.

The group also visited the Carlsbad caverns, Texarkana, Ark., New Orleans; Chicago, where they were for two weeks; Minneapolis, Minn., and then west to Seattle and Portland before returning home. They made the trip by train.

The boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Wright.

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Grandparents Attend Birthday Party for Deleen Marie Ross

Miss Deleen Marie Ross was honored on her first birthday at a party in the yard of her parents' home last Sunday, July 10. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ross, 2425 Table Rock road.

A circus theme was used and the birthday cake also was decorated in small animal figures.

Those at the event were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mee, maternal grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ross, paternal grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. William L. Garner and children, Kristy, Michael, Kirk and Mark; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stroup and sons, John and Richard, and Mrs. William Kyker and daughters, Judy and Sharin.

To Los Angeles

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Dierdorff and children, Larry, Todd and Gay, will leave this week for Los Angeles where Dr. and Mrs. Dierdorff will attend a national meeting of Osteopathic associations. They will attend the session as delegates. Dr. Dierdorff recently was elected president of the Oregon Osteopathic association and Mrs. Dierdorff was elected auxiliary president. They will visit en route with her parents at Santa Barbara.

To Picnic

Jacksonville—Adarel Past Matrons and Past Patrons, their husbands and wives are invited to attend a potluck dinner Friday, July 15, at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pease, 130 Vernoda place.

Leave

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Horn, Waterbury, Conn., left Monday after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Detweiler, 522 Edwards street. They are making a tour of the west coast states.

Shady Cove VFW

Shady Cove—The Veterans of Foreign Wars post and auxiliary, Shady Cove, will hold a regular business meeting Friday, July 15, at 8 p.m. Reports on the recent encampment at Ocoonoke will be part of the business.

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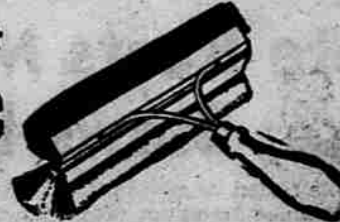
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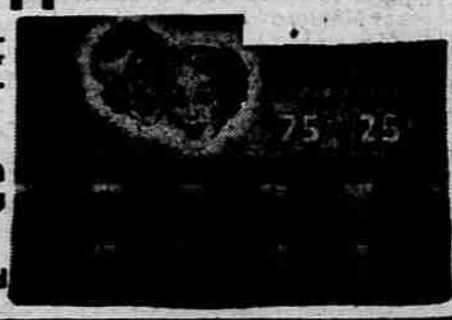
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