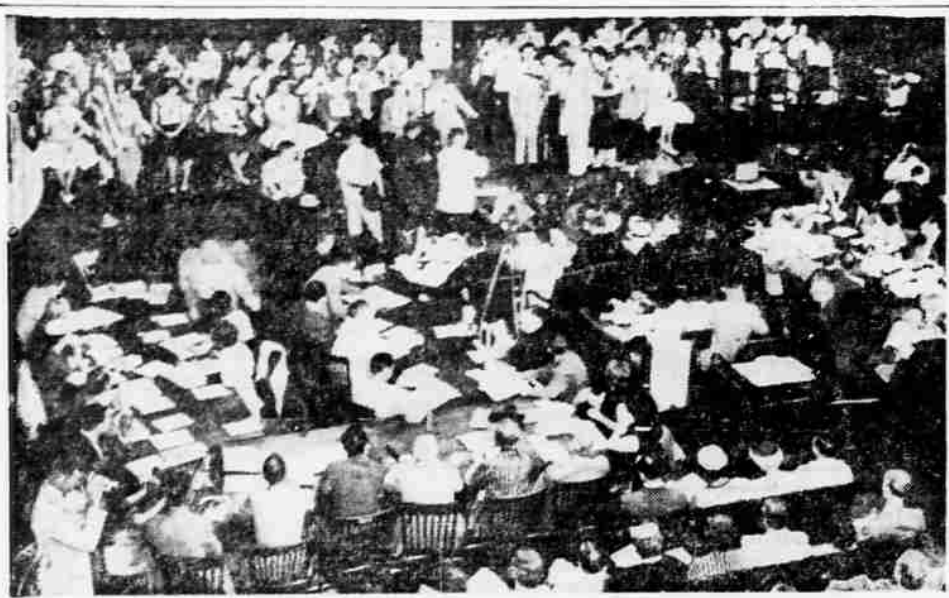




**NATION'S BEST SPELLERS ON STAGE**—General view in the Department of Commerce Auditorium in Washington, D. C. at 30th annual National Spelling Bee, sponsored by the Scripps-Howard Newspapers, got underway. Sixty-seven contestants are entered. At the microphone, Leslie Jensen (Chicago Daily News) is spelling. Pronouncer is Benson S. Allemen.

## APPLEGATE-JACKSONVILLE Bible School To Begin

By HELGA MITCHELL  
Applegate-Jacksonville—Daily vacation Bible school will open at Ruch community church Monday, June 10, to 2 p.m. Those attending are to bring a sack lunch. By holding sessions through the afternoon the required study can be completed in a week's time.

Nine pupils were graduated from the eighth grade at Applegate school May 22. Francis Krause, chairman of the school board, presented diplomas to Beth Heldenbrand, David Christensen, Steve Dickey, John Evetts, Vince Freeman, Larry Gutches, Mike Harris, Norman Hoffman, and Larry Newman.

Cornet and accordion solos were presented by Norman Hoffman and John Evetts. The class history and prophecy were given and vocal selections were presented by the chorus and upper grade girls. Invocation and benediction were given by the Rev. Thornton Gopen of Applegate church. Floral arrangements mothers, who also served refreshments. Hugh Clark is principal of the school.

The Home Economics club of the Upper Applegate Grange has changed their meeting day from Wednesday to Monday of the second week in June. Next meeting will be Monday, June 10, at the new grange hall.

The Ruchettes 4-H sewing club will meet at the home of Lona Buffington Wednesday, June 12, at 1:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Byrne made a trip to Klamath Falls on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hunter have returned home after a business trip to Detroit.

Recent guests at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Lockman at Beaver creek were her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chapman and children, of Medford, and Gerald Vest of Sherman, Texas.

Scott and Charles Tweedy, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tweedy, celebrated their seventh birthday May 28 by having a party and inviting the entire first grade (the new second grade) of the Ruch school, which included 18 children.

Mrs. Anna Scott attended a Jackson County Republican committee meeting at Medford Senior High school last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams and daughter, Mary, are spending the week in Long Beach visiting Mrs. Williams' mother. Williams is on his vacation from Crater Lake motors.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan McDonough became grandparents with



**SUCCESSING** to presidency of American Medical Association is Dr. David B. Allman, Atlantic City, N. J. (International)

the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Fullerton of Estacada, Ore., on Memorial day. Mr. and Mrs. McDonough are visiting the Fullertons this week.

Mrs. Lawrence Dunshee and children are moving to Eureka to join Dunshee, who is logging there. In taking a pickup load of household goods to the coast city Mrs. Dunshee invited Mrs. Glenn Saltmarsh to accompany her and the two women returned by Southwest Airlines. Coming over the mountainous route from Crescent City, the ladies recognized the Williams creek area, and soon could locate farms in the Ruch section, and were surprised to locate the Dunshee residence on Little Applegate.

Miss Nancy Lou Redhead has returned from Klamath Falls after spending several days at the home of her brother, David Redhead.

Eighth grade pupils of the Ruch school received diplomas at graduation exercises held at the gymnasium May 28. Diplomas presented by Robert Webb, school board director, who spoke briefly to the graduates.

Invocation was given by Pastor Earl Best of Ruch Community church, and several selections were played by the school band. Graduates were Myrna Breach, Sharon Ranney, Annette and Alberta Nelson, Viola Meads, Katherine Flesher, Linda Johnson, Sharon Larson, Zoe Anne Hawkins, Mary Jones, Martha Womack, Cherokee Couch, Helen Christianson, Raymond Gresham, Jerry Winningham, and George Lawson.

Boy's receiving letters in sports were eighth grade boys and Joe Couch, John Straube, Stephen Smith, Ronald Snop, Stanley Smith, Glenn Miles, Danny Hawkins, Garry Fossen, Terry Tarvin, and William Dahl. Letter awards for band went to Judy Wilson, Nancy Goodnight, Beatrice Hodge, Sharon Snop, Lona Buffington, Lella May Deiter, Dianne Winningham, Linnie Sample, Clyde Travis, Bobby Ziegler, Byron Waldir, Ricky Davis, David Webb and Richard Boetcher. Fifteen other band students, who had received letters for sports, were given certificates and pins.

Those in the beginners' band receiving recognition were David Gregory, Robert Straube, Lee Wells, Mary Ann Cantrall, and Karen Gettling. Boyd Gibson, principal, introduced Ricky Davis for having a perfect attendance record for three years. Zoe Ann Hawkins was introduced for having missed only one day in four years. Those having perfect attendance this year were Katherine Flesher, Donna Straube, Cheryl Adams, Billy Hard and Bobby Ziegler. A reception followed the program with eighth grade mothers serving.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Straube were among those attending the dedication of the new Medford armory recently. Their son, Pfc. Fred Straube, is a guardsman.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansel Milam entertained a group of friends at a party at their home Saturday evening, in observance of their 24th wedding anniversary and the anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. James Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Al Blumreich. The occasion also celebrated the birthdays of Mrs. Thorne Nelson and Mr. Milam.

Miss Martha Dahl of Redmond is spending the week here with her cousin, David Webb. She was accompanied here by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dahl.

Mrs. Estel Cox and Mrs. Otis Buck drove to Yreka Memorial Day, where they were guests of Mrs. Ed Mathews, a former resident of this community. They also visited the Shasta cemetery.

Mrs. Nellie Rose accompanied friends to Willow Lake and Fish Lake Sunday, returning by way of Ashland, where the group watched the midget auto racing by seven-year-old drivers.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Taylor and

## Rules for Annual Catfish Derby Told; Event Dated June 16

Rules governing the 21st annual National Catfish Derby Sunday, June 16, at TouVelle State park were announced Saturday by the Medford 20-30 club.

As in the past, no registration fee is required and rules remain the same.

Fishing contests are open to all male and female persons between the ages of 6 months and 150 years, who are United States residents.

Catfish entries may be caught in any body of water within the U.S. continental limits any time prior to the closing hour for registration. Registrations will take place between 1:30 and 3 p.m. Sunday.

**Must Obey Laws**  
Contestants must comply with all male and fish laws and must have a 1957 fishing license on person as required by law. They also must personally catch the fish, club spokesmen said.

Entries remain the contestants' property. Judges will have the authority to adopt and enforce contest rules and regulations. Prizes will be awarded for the biggest catfish, largest number, youngest contestant, and a grand sweepstakes trophy for overall fishing ability, including originality of costume of contestant. Games, contests and a musical program will be the afternoon's entertainment. Miss Nancy Picard, Medford, will reign as queen. Princesses are the Misses Vickie Palmer, Sharon Blinkenstaff, Sylvia Baker and Carol Leffler.

## Block Teaching Plan Due at SOC

Ashland—A research project for integrating Southern Oregon college humanities and social science divisions in a block teaching experiment next year has been approved by officials of the U.S. department of health, education and welfare and the state system of higher education.

The \$15,000 grant was the only one of its nature given in Oregon, according to Dr. Arthur Kreisman, director and initiator of the project. College President Dr. Elmo Stevenson said that "Through this step, Southern Oregon college takes a great step forward. We are extremely fortunate in having a faculty and students capable of doing exemplary service through the combined colleges and universities."

The project will cover six areas of study and will be carried out by 100 students and faculty members.

family, of Portland, returned to their home Saturday after spending a few days here with Mr. Taylor's brother, Vern Taylor.

Rural Reflection: Marion Dowell was leisurely driving about the countryside, and became aglow when he came across a certain back yard fish pond. "I haven't seen fish like that in the river for a long time," he said.

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## Celestial Pageant Visible During Summer Evenings

By FAY BENTLEY  
Would you like to spend a restful, inspiring hour feasting your eyes on beauty? Then find a spot with least possible interference from artificial light and watch the deepening darkness fill the heavens with sparkling jewels.

A good time to begin observation is 8:30 p.m. Only the brightest of "God's little candles" will be visible in the twilight but others appear as the light fades.

**First Actor**  
Jupiter, mightiest of the planets is the first actor on the scene in this nightly pageant. High in the southwest, its gleaming non-twinkling glow will at once attract attention.

Until the planet Venus appears low on the southwestern horizon, Jupiter will rank next to the moon in magnitude. The "goddess of love and beauty" is now too near the sun to be visible but it will adorn the early evening sky by the middle of June.

Sparkling Vega low in the northeastern heavens contrasts noticeably with Jupiter's solemnity. This giant sun is fifty times as bright as our own sun. This star rose above the eastern horizon last December, has journeyed from east to west across the celestial dome and by July first will sink from view beneath the western horizon.

Between Procyon and Capella and higher in the northwest than either of these stars shine Castor and Pollux, forming the heads of the twins in the sky picture, Gemini the Twins. These yellow stars are to earth-dwellers about the same distance apart as the Pointers in the Big Dipper, or five degrees.

**Twin Brothers**  
According to legend these twin brothers were inseparable although one was mortal and the other was a god. When Castor, the human brother was slain in battle, Jupiter in an effort to comfort the grieving Pollux made Castor immortal and then placed the brothers in the heavens where they could always be together.

The Big Dipper, not a constellation, but a prominent asterism in the constellation, Ursa Major or the Great Bear, is well placed for observing the legs of the Bear as well as the Dipper which forms the body and tail of this creature. The Dipper is riding upside down, high in the north, with the two hind legs and one front leg of this Bear extending towards the southwest.

Orange-yellow Arcturus, brightest star in Bootes the Plowman shines high in the

southwest. Its color tells that this giant sun is somewhat cooler than any of the stars we have been discussing; about five thousand degrees F.

To find Arcturus begin with the last star in the handle of the Big Dipper and extend an imaginary curved line downward for about twice the length of the Dipper handle. Such a line will touch this orange-yellow star.

Continue this line, curving downward and to the left for approximately the same distance and you will easily locate the sparkling blue white Spica, an immense sun, with an extremely high temperature.

**Red Antares**  
Red Antares, whose name means "rival of Mars" twinkles madly low in the southeast. This giant star is one of the largest known to astronomers and its red color is typical of the coolest stars. However, a temperature of three thousand degrees F. is not exactly cool!

Slightly higher and a short distance to the east or left of Antares glows the still yellow light of Saturn, the ringed planet, forming a beautiful contrast with the lively, red "rival of Mars."

Planets can always be distinguished from the stars by their steady, non-twinkling light. Only when very near the horizon is there a noticeable movement in the light rays emanating from a planet.

## Court Records

**MUNICIPAL COURT**  
Luther Stacy, failure to stop at red light, \$5.  
Merritt Lyle Little, disobeyed stop sign, \$5.  
Donald Fuller Mentzer, violation of basic rule, \$10.  
Cleveland B. Carson, failure to operate on right side of road, \$5.  
Alvin Adair Monroe, violation of basic rule, \$10.  
Richard W. Gray, violation of basic rule, \$10.  
Mark E. Norton, no driver's license, \$10.  
Terry Ernest Cooper, violation of basic rule, \$10.  
Donald Eugene Dunkey, disobeyed traffic signal, \$5.  
Kenneth B. Rice, no safety chains, \$10.  
Arnold F. Paul, passing with insufficient clearance, \$15.  
John W. Underwood, failure to stop at stop sign, \$10.  
Kenneth L. Nutter, failure to stop at stop sign, \$10.  
Harold Richard Gartin, overload, \$13.50 and \$60.  
Edelene Mae Joffille, failure to stop at stop sign, \$10.  
Donald E. Rice, no safety chains, \$10.  
General Wesley Graham, violation of basic rule, \$15.

**CIRCUIT COURT**  
Mary L. Smith vs. James C. Smith, divorce complaint.  
Sharon H. Hawk vs. Evelyn C. Hawk, divorce complaint.  
Marshall Scriver vs. Ronnie Lou Scriver, divorce complaint.  
Albert L. McCann vs. Rose Marie McCann, complaint.  
**MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS**  
Norman Ralph Kipfer and Peggy Ann Ross, both Central Point.  
John Carrillo Meza and Mary Minta McGill, Eagle Point.  
Richard Ernest White, 3454 South Pacific highway, and Coralee May Dalton, 1900 Spring st.  
Garry Lee Kery, 136 Portland ave., and Neva Irene Lodge, 5491 South Pacific highway.

**DREAM CONFIRMED**  
Benton, Ill.—Ernest Mills, turkey farmer, dreamed that his truck had been stolen. A call from police awakened him and confirmed his dream.

## School News

### McLOUGHLIN JUNIOR HIGH

The executive board of the McLoughlin P.T.A. entertained the staff at the school for lunch on June 6. Special guests were officials from the central office, and teachers who have retired or resigned from the McLoughlin faculty.

The second semester honors assembly was held on June 5. The program was opened by student body president Lynn Knight, and selections were played by the dance band.

Mrs. Minnie Bryant presented the Poppy Poster award for the American Legion Auxiliary. First place had been won by Lane Hoxworth, an eighth grade student. Mrs. Gertrude Holmes announced the names of the students whose names will be engraved on the Daughters of the American Revolution plaque for history honors. Seventh graders winning this honor are Carl Washburn, Joel Gregory and John Alansky.

Glenn Linn announced the scholarship awards. Carl Washburn was seventh grade scholastic winner, and Dick Ragdale and Keith Berg were winners in the eighth and ninth grades. Poetry awards were presented by Mrs. Annette Gray. Students having poetry accepted for the National High School Poetry association are Sheri Cherry, Loretta Cooney, Marilyn Cooney, Barbara Couch, Lenny Daugherty, Barbara Donahoe, Gary Fields, Orville Gardner, Ken Hall, Howard Kenneth, Carl Leard, Don McCurdy, Don Oldham, Susie Reule and Doug Wadden.

Junior Quill awards were presented by Mrs. Dorothy Sutter. Pina were given to Loretta Turman, Joan Wallie, Steve Hubler, Lennie Jacobs, Julie Latham, Cheryl Linn, John Miller, Sheri Pritchard and David Ryn. Edgar Cook was selected as the star reporter, and his name will appear on the new journalism plaque. Orchestra awards were presented by Elmer Ayres. First year letters were given to Loretta Turman, Joan Wallie, Steve Hubler, Lennie Jacobs, Julie Latham, Cheryl Linn, John Miller, Sheri Pritchard and David Ryn. Edgar Cook was selected as the star reporter, and his name will appear on the new journalism plaque. Orchestra awards were presented by Elmer Ayres. First year letters were given to Loretta Turman, Joan Wallie, Steve Hubler, Lennie Jacobs, Julie Latham, Cheryl Linn, John Miller, Sheri Pritchard and David Ryn. Edgar Cook was selected as the star reporter, and his name will appear on the new journalism plaque.

Third year letter winners are Linda Bateman, Ursula Bates, Joe Beatty, Gerry Bobl, Richard Champion, Julie Faught, Marjorie Good, Christine Hillstead, Elizabeth Howard, Penny Linn, Glen Martin, Karen Oakes, Dick Orr, Valerie Ottomani, Merilee Patch, Constance Paulson, Matthew Rode, William Straube, Barbara Thomas, Jim Thomas, Tom Turpin, Jack Webster, Marjorie Wonderly, Carl Borough and Jenice Everham.

Marjette Sharon Laing, Sherry Funk, Donna Jassman, Dianna Franklin, Katy Blumenfeld and Dianne Griffin were given letters as were letter leaders Rosalind Randles, Deanna Wilson, Pat Newberry, Eileen Finnigan, Pamela White and Ray Konopasek. Those selected to have their names engraved upon the Booster club sportsmanship award plaque this announcement was made by Sharon Blumreich.

Staff, last year's sportsmanship award winner. Certificates of good sportsmanship were awarded Lynn Latham, Sharon Jackson, Mavis Strom, Rosalind Rodes, Charlene Highland, Mike Noble, Linda Stowell, Pamela Watson, Karen Stansbury, Janice Mathews, Loretta Cooney, Bud Quisenberry, Dwight Bradford, Terry Ryan, Bob Baker, Tom Turpin, Keith Berg, Lynn Knight, Gordon Pathman, Dick Peterson, Edgar Cook, Bob Hamilton and Eldon Bennett.

Zerl Rogers made the tennis awards as follows: Eighth grade girls, Mary Kay Harris, Nancy Himmann, Karen Simcox, Deanne Taylor and Christie Allingham; eighth grade boys, Bob Quinen, Jim Randle, Wayne Deaver and Bill Hobbs; and ninth grade boys were John Shaw.

## HELP VOTED

Lincoln, Neb.—The Nebraska Legislature voted to erect a rope or chain barrier around the part of the chamber used by the law-makers. The sergeant at arms had complained he needed help in keeping spectators from wandering through the area occupied by the senators.

Jerry Shultz, Curtis Saltmarsh, Ken Durkee, Dennis Lundgren, Gary Jones, Leon Knapp, Gordon Pathman, Terry Ryan, Jeff Porter, Adrian Stansico, Keith Berg, Jim Johnston, Warren Horton, Bruce Hill, Terry Simmons and managers Daniel Gilman and John Kluckert.

Linn presented the activity letters to Bonnie Allingham, Tom Bortis, Sandra Carmichael, Barbara Donahoe, Joe Gregory, Mary Kay Harris, Nancy Himmann, Linda Howe, Sharon Laing, Penny Linn, Ralph Lobdell, Janice Mathews, Anne Mathews, Linda Medcalf, Carol Newland, Mike Noble, Marian Parsons, Bob Quinen, Dick Ragdale, Karen Simcox, Judy Sims, Lingen Lane Hoxworth, and managers Larry Scraggs and Ted Bros. Ninth grade, Eldon Bennett, Lynn Knight, Bob McKnight, Bob Hamilton, Terry Turpin, Ray Konopasek, Edgar Cook, Larry Nored, Tony Wade.

The assembly closed with selections by the dance band.

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