

## Two American Juveniles International Sensations

By DOC QUIGG  
United Press Correspondent  
New York—If we can stop yapping about juvenile delinquency long enough, it might be well to ponder the fact that a couple of our juveniles are international sensations.

One is Bobby Fischer of Brooklyn, who at 14 set the chess world on its ear by defeating grand masters to win the U. S. championship. He now is entitled to a crack at the world chess title, held by Smyslov of Russia.

The other is Van Cliburn of Shreveport, La., and Kilgore, Tex., who at 23 set Moscow on its ear this week by winning the Tchaikovsky international piano competition. This ex-converted Irish-Texan—both his mother and father are of Irish descent—gave his first public concert in Shreveport at the age of three.

When he was six, he and his mother, a concert pianist, were giving recitals together. On his first day in school in Shreveport, the teacher asked him if he could read. "Yes," he said, "I can read music."

When he came here in 1954 to compete for the coveted Edgar N. Leventritt Award, he laughed when he sat down to play—honest, that's what I'm told by those who were there. He looked like a misplaced basketball player. He's six-foot-four but has a mop of curly hair that springs up so that he looks about six-feet-seven.

**Has Russian Style**  
His hand spans 11 1/4 inches. He walks with a gangling lunge. His piano style is as Russian as his dialect is east Texas. When he finished playing, he had won the award. Mrs. Leventritt decided to give a reception for him after his first New York Philharmonic appearance. She told him to bring along any friends from home who had come to hear him.

Came the reception, and Mrs. Leventritt had to fight her way into the room

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**PLAN CONCERT**—Members of the Southern Oregon college ensemble, the Populaires, are pictured as they will appear in the April 26 concert at the college. In the front row from the left: Pat Leek, Donna McFarland, Ruth Hunter, Evelyn Deets, Arlieta Knowles, Judy Hall, Patsy Turritin. Back row from left to right: Gaynor Huck, Bob Semon, Dave Deller, Maynard Hadley, Jim Kempster, Doug Barker, Wilson Gilinsky. Not pictured are ensemble members Lorna Vance and Ken Brew.

## Special Effects For SOC Concert

Avoiding the formalities of typical concert presentation, the Southern Oregon College Populaires will incorporate settings, lighting effects, and choreography into its April 26 program, according to Louis Clayton, director.

Pat Leek and Dave Deller have been working with Clayton to create an atmosphere consistent with the various musical moods. The program will range from choral numbers by Bach and Mozart, to Negro spirituals and folk music, to numbers as currently popular as the "Liechtensteiner Polka."

The show will be built around the 14 voice Populaires, with variety added by the girls' sextet, male quartet and soloists. Instrumental accompaniments have been arranged for suitable numbers.

According to Arlieta Knowles, publicity director for the Populaires, there will be no admission charge. The Saturday evening performance will be followed by a tour of western Oregon the first part of the next week.

**Winners Announced By Riverside Club**  
Paul Hatton and Walter Humes won high score for north and south positions at Riverside Bridge club's regular duplicate bridge play last Wednesday. In second place were Mrs. R. J. Conroy and Roy Pruitt. Mrs. George B. Dean and Mrs. T. E. Knackstedt scored fourth.

In east-west positions the winners were Mrs. Jack Love and Mrs. M. M. Herman, first; Mrs. Richard Milestone and Mrs. Yvonne Dalen, second; Mrs. W. W. Stevenson, Mrs. Glen Harrison, third, and Al Gilhouse and Mrs. Howard Boyd, fourth.

## Spring Play Continues

Footlighters' spring play, "Here Today," continues tonight and Saturday nights at the little theater at the Fairgrounds. This is a light, modern comedy with witty lines and fun situations which the cast and audience both enjoy. Curtain time is 8:30 p.m.

Frank Buchter directs and in the cast are Curt Butterfield, Jeraldyn Jerome, Charles Tucker, Al Reiss, Robbie Robbins, Helen Ashley, Beverly Nelson and Shirley Butterfield.

Bernard Roberts and Clyde Wheaton designed and constructed the set, and Max Wimmer is lighting director. Leslie Boardman, Footlighter president, is bookholder and Mrs. Buchter is in charge of the boxoffice. Mrs. Eleanor Shaw is coffee hostess, and coffee is served between the second and third acts.

Miss Ruth Kilbourne has served as publicity director.

## Girl Scouts

**HUNT FLOWERS**  
Fifth Grade Troop 188, of Lincoln school, went on a wild flower hunt and hike along the Applegate river and Thompson Creek road, April 12. The girls took sack lunches along, and on the way back bought and ice-cream treat for the troop in Jacksonville.

The girls were transported by the leaders, Mrs. Ivor Hult and Mrs. C. F. Emery. The hike helped the troop complete the nature and out-of-door requirement toward second class rank.

Girls who went on the hike were Dianne Guyette, Jill Dusenbury, Marylee Rhodes, Janet Bartolome, Janel Chalker, Toni Fagone, Glenna Wright, Kathleen Bowers, Linda Hult, Linda Emery, Becky Robertson and Jeanne Wingo.

The troop is planning to hold a court of awards May 8.

## COURT PLANNED

Troop 77, sixth grade in Lincoln school, is making plans for the annual court of awards, which will be held May 17. The court is to be an outdoor dinner, cooked by the girls, for the troop members and their families. The girls will receive the proficiency badges that they have each completed toward the first class rank.

To achieve first class rank, Girl Scouts must complete ten proficiency badges and four other requirements.

The French Quarter in New Orleans embraces about 70 blocks.

## New York Woman Heads Own Naval Architecture Firm

By GAY PAULEY  
United Press Women's Editor  
New York — Mrs. Warren S. Samuels is one woman whose touch has brought only good luck to ships.

Some of the largest and most luxurious craft cruising the bounding main have been known the designing hand of Mrs. Samuels, one of the few women naval architects in the world. She is the only woman affiliate member of the International Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers.

"I don't hold with that ancient belief that women are bad luck for ships," she said. "And I've never run into shipyard personnel or crews who feel that they are."

Mrs. Samuels, who now heads her own design firm, helped plan the interior of the U.S. United States, the world's fastest passenger liner, while she was with the famous naval architects, Gibbs and Cox.



Claude Kelly

## Grand Chancellor To Visit Knights

Claude Kelly, Bend, grand chancellor of Oregon Knights of Pythias, will make an official visit to Talisman lodge, Monday, April 21, at 8 p.m.

The session will be held in the Pythian building, Fifth and Grape streets, and a large turnout of members, including men from Grants Pass and Yreka, Calif., lodges are expected to hear the visiting officer. A luncheon and social hour will follow the meeting, according to Don Lacey, chancellor commander.

## Calendar

Calendar notices and news for the society section of The Mail Tribune must be submitted in writing and deadline for the Sunday edition is 1 p.m. Friday. Deadline for the weekly calendar is 9 a.m. of the day of publication and for week day news is 5 p.m. the day before publication.

**Friday:**  
7:30 p.m.—Siskiyou Knife and Fork club, Plaza cafe, 23 North Main st., Ashland.  
**Saturday:**  
12:30 p.m.—League of Women Voters general meeting, Jackson hotel.  
2 p.m.—Epsilon chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma, Girls Community club.  
8 p.m.—Sojourner's party, Girls Community club.

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## Officers Elected For PTSA

Eagle Point—Mrs. Charles McClure, White City, is the newly elected president of the Eagle Point High School Parent-Teacher-Student association, having been named at the April meeting. Officers accepting second terms were parent vice-president, Mrs. Delbert Spain, of Shady Cove, and treasurer, Herman Higday. Others elected were teacher vice-president, Gail Schoppert; secretary, Mrs. Burton Jensen; and historian, Beverly Tresham, student.

President William T. J. Andrews introduced the guest speaker, Gen. Joseph Hicks, who spoke on the need for civil defense alertness. He listed a number of things that should be done at home just as routine preparedness.

"All homes should contain enough food and water for a seven day supply," advised the general. A means of assuring an adequate sterile water supply was suggested by him. "Take your empty fruit jars from home canning, boil water, and seal it in the jars. This provides a safe supply."

General Hicks gave the reminder that our valley Conelrad radio station was located on 1240 kilocycles, and that was the station to dial during an alert.

Mrs. Doris Smith, teacher, informed students and parents that there are a number of scholarships available to students and anyone interested was invited to contact her for information. She also advised that a student could apply for a number of scholarships and applications should be made during the student's junior year.

Bert Simmons' speech class was represented by three students presenting the program. Miss Joann Dickenson gave her oration on "Courtesy and Manners". The school, the community, the nation and the world are greatly affected by courtesy and manners, and they play a great role in courtship and marriage, was the opinion of Miss Dickenson. With her debate partner, Miss Diana Gardner, Miss Dickenson won first place in the district speech tournament held in Grants Pass recently.

"With work, nothing is impossible," stated Howard Wilde, as he gave his dissertation on "Work." He went on to praise the nobility of work and gave his opinions on goals that could be attained by dedicated work.

The orations were the original work of the students themselves and were delivered from memory.

Miss Lana McGraw gave her interpretive reading of "Whatever You're Doing—Stop It!" She placed second in the "Humorous Interpretation" section of the district speech tournament. This is the first time an individual has placed from this school.

Glenn Hale, superintendent of the Eagle Point schools, spoke on consolidation of the Shady Cove and Eagle Point districts, and the reorganization of school districts. A question and answer period followed.

The PTA state convention will be held in Bend, April 21-23. Delegates selected to represent the Eagle Point PTSA are Mrs. McClure and Miss Tresham, officers elect. The meeting was opened with a flag salute led by teacher vice-president, Mr. Simmons. Hostesses for the evening were mothers of students in the sophomore class.

## Dinner Tonight

Ladies' auxiliary to Siskiyou canton, Patriarchs Militant, will meet tonight at the Odd Fellows hall at 6:30 o'clock for a potluck dinner.

Salem — Gov. Robert D. Holmes is scheduled to address the regional session of western education leaders in Denver April 27-29.

## Help Yourself To Happiness

This column is one of a series on marriage and family problems which appears weekly in this paper. It presents problems of everyday living and attempts to bring you the most expert opinion in this area. By combining clinical experience, research, and homespun practicality, we hope to assist you to help yourself to happiness.

Readers are invited to present their problems. All queries will receive individual attention and should be accompanied by a stamped self-addressed envelope directed to Mary Harris Seifert, M.A., Department of Education, The American Institute of Family Relations, 5287 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles 27, California.

### Love Must Be Earned

Edna complains that George doesn't love her. She feels cheated, outraged.

"Why should he love me?" she cries, echoing our questions. "Why, I am his wife—that's reason enough, isn't it?"

"Blood is thicker than water," some parents reason. "We're Johnny's parents, so of course he should love us!"

But being a parent or a spouse does not automatically guarantee love. Duty may be owed, but never love. Love must be earned.

To receive love, we must be capable of giving love. Our regard and affections must include not only ourselves, but also others, whom we might accept as love-objects worthy of even more consideration than we grant ourselves. We must make ourselves lovable, and then we must be ready to recognize and receive love when it is offered. Beauty, wealth, the ability to tap dance or juggle three oranges in the air at once have little to do with love-ability. This capacity lies within, and to a large extent can be cultivated with an honest evaluation of one's self.

"Nobody loves me!" calls for a careful investigation of causes, and might be answered with, "What have you done to deserve love?"

### Two Groups Plan Party Saturday

Medford Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Jayettes plan a candidate's party Saturday, April 19, at 8 p.m., at Kershaw square. It is stated that no campaign speeches will be made, and that the party is open only to members of the two groups and that no charge will be made.

Medford Jayettes elected officers at the last meeting, naming Mrs. Arthur VanLeeuwen president. Other new officers are Mrs. Calvin C. McKibben, first vice-president; Mrs. Charles E. Henry, second vice-president; Mrs. Glenn Jennings, secretary, and Mrs. Ted McLean, treasurer.

The election meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Donald F. Madden, 501 Oregon Terrace April 16. Following the business session, members worked on decorations for a luncheon to be given during the coming state convention. A fashion show will also be held, and a rehearsal for the models and commentator will be May 1.

### Hilltoppers Plan Hard Times Dance

Hilltoppers Square Dance club will hold the annual hard times square dance at the old Wagner Creek school Saturday, April 19, beginning at 8:30 p.m.

The dance is open to the public and all square dancers are invited.

There will be a prize for the best, or worst, hard times costume.

Potluck refreshments will be served.

Francis Cronin and guest-callers will call the squares.

### Swingin' Pairs Plan 'Hoedown'

Swingin' Pairs Square Dance club plans a "beginner's hoedown" for Saturday, April 19, at the Square Corral near Camp White. It is announced that this will be a "fun dance" and all new dancers in the Rogue valley are especially invited.

Dancing will be from 8:30 p.m. until midnight with Douglas Fosbury calling the squares. Women are asked to take food for a potluck lunch.

About one-third of the World War II veterans have received G.I. loans for purchasing homes.

## Pendleton Drum Corps Trip Called Off

Pendleton—A proposed trip by the Pendleton Drum and Bugle Corps to the Brussels World Fair has been called off.

Rep. Walter Norblad (R-Ore.) informed Director William Stram that Air Force transportation could not be made available for the Corps' appearance in Brussels. Officials decided that transportation costs for the 46-member Corps would be prohibitive.

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