



## City FFA Member Studies Vo-Ag

How many people would be so eager to study agriculture that they would be willing to take two buses to get to school and back home every day?

Not many. Yet Gilbert Harrison, a freshman in vocational agriculture at Crater high school does it every day. He lives in Lone Pine non-high school district, adjacent to Medford and is allowed to choose between going to Crater high in Central Point to study vo-ag or to Medford high school. He lives on a small dairy farm and is interested in farming so he chose to attend Crater even though it meant a long bus ride every day.

Although he is only a freshman among 90 other freshmen in his class, his instructor, Ed Griggs has noticed his intense interest in everything pertaining to agriculture. Gil's father has nine acres to support a small dairy herd. The Harrisons sell enough

at a local feeder sale. His ambition is to have at least five registered Guernseys by the time he is a high school senior. He borrowed the money from the bank to get the steer.

Money for his steer and the future dairy herd is being earned through hauling hay for a neighbor. Employment in this job isn't regular so every dollar earned is carefully hoarded.

Young Harrison this early doesn't know yet what he will study or if he will go to college after high school. He does say he has learned quite a bit—such as how to feed steers and cows, how to find the right portions of feed and get the most gain for what is fed.

In Future Farmers of America chapter at Crater high Gil is active in parliamentary work. He is also turning out for sports such as football and wrestling.

Gil rightfully feels that the new trend is for the small farmer to get bigger in order to survive. His interest and vo-ag training may help.

There are about 6,000 active camera clubs within the United States.

## Central Point Youth Named to Honor Group

Corvallis—Donn Royal Johnson of Central Point has been initiated into Scabbard and Blade, national military ROTC honor society at Oregon State college.

Thirty outstanding ROTC students, drawn from the Army, Navy, and Air Force ROTC programs were selected for membership this year. Scholarship and leadership are considered in selections.

Johnson is a junior in the school of agriculture. His home address is 733 Hazel St., Central Point.

Washington—(UPI)—Agriculture Secretary Ezra T. Benson had a special reason today to be thankful he was spending Christmas Day with his family. For a while it appeared the 59-year-old secretary might celebrate the Yule from a hospital bed. Benson fell and dislocated his left shoulder while ice skating Wednesday with members of his family. He was taken to Walter Reed Army hospital for treatment and released just in time to make it home for Christmas Eve.

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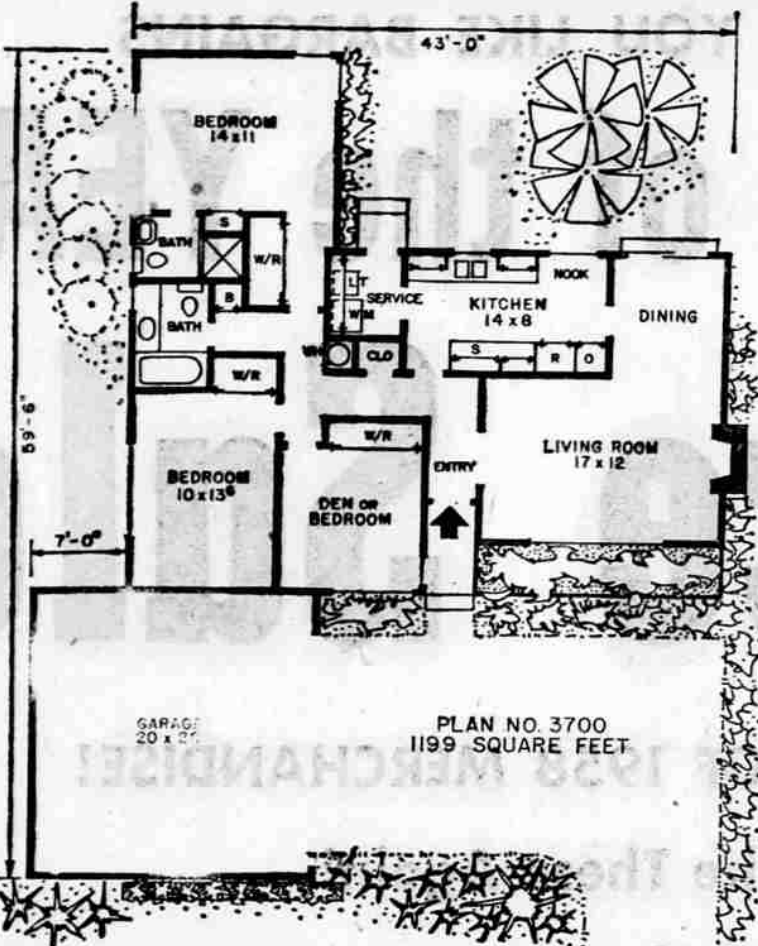
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## This Week's Home For Living

By HIAWATHA ESTES. Planned for modern tastes and modest budgets is this handsome "contemporary" home. Basic without being "small", it incorporates three bedrooms, two baths and spacious living and work areas in less than 1200 square feet. All rooms radiate from a short center hall—thus no area is interrupted with cross-room traffic. A wide picture window

lights the living room and a big fireplace is the center of interest for furniture groupings. Large sliding glass doors will open the dining alcove to the rear yard giving this area both front and garden views. Room dividers or shoji panel screens could be used to define these areas if desired. A second spot for family meals is the eating area in the kitchen. Built-in cooking units overhead cupboards and ample counters will lighten household duties in this compact work center. Home laundry equipment is located in the service area with overhead cabinets for supplies. A door between the kitchen and front hall saves steps when the doorbell rings. The master bedroom has a private three-quarter bath, built-in storage and a large wardrobe. Corner windows and high sliding casements allow for plenty of light and cross-ventilation. The front bedroom could

be used as a den or television room. High-set casement windows and unbroken wall areas in the corner bedroom will make it easy to arrange the furnishing in a number of different ways. A built-in ladder in the hall leads to the attic—installed forced-air heater. The neat pattern of Roman brick veneer which covers most of the garage front is repeated in the planter and fireplace chimney. A gable light of obscure glass tops the stucco half of the garage and the stained plywood planter box is supported by black iron pipes. Complete working drawing of the above plan can be obtained at a cost of \$7.50 for the first set and \$3 for each additional set, when ordered at the same time. This plan will be available for a period of four months from this date. Please allow two weeks for delivery. If the above home does not entirely meet with your satisfaction, a new home plan book, Homes for Living may be purchased for \$1. Send all orders for either plans or books to Hiawatha Estes, P.O. Box 404-T, Northridge, Calif.

## Record Number Of Contracts Let For Highway Work

Salem—(UPI)—The State Highway Department reported Wednesday that it let a record total of \$68,400,000 worth of contracts in 1958. The total far surpassed the previous highs of \$39,900,000 in 1957 and \$38 million in 1953, the high year of the five-year bond program. Construction work contracted this year involved 221 separate contracts varying in amount from \$10,000 to \$3,370,000.

## 206 Miles Of Pavement

It consisted of 307 miles of grading, 303 miles of rock base construction, 304 miles of oiled surface, 206 miles of pavement and 146 bridge and grade separation structures. The state's economy benefited to the extent of \$39 million in construction work performed and paid for during 1958. Construction work under contract, but unperformed as yet will approximate \$56 million and plans are being completed for an additional five million dollars of work to be contracted during January.

## Court Records

**MUNICIPAL COURT**  
James Edward Palmer, room 19, Prospect hotel, Prospect, drunk in public, \$10.  
William Everhart Drennen, Camp White, drunk in public, \$10.

**DISTRICT COURT**  
Claude A. Ragsdale, overweight, \$5.  
Lionel F. Kein, overload, \$59.  
Joe B. Sullivan, violation basic rule, \$15.  
Angel Ingle, unnecessary noise, \$15.  
James W. Stevens, inadequate brakes, \$6.  
Maxwell H. Kapp, unsafe left turn, \$15.

**CIRCUIT COURT**  
Lloyd D. Walkup vs. Pearl Walkup, divorce complaint.

**MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS**  
James Martin Carbiener, 1047 East Main st., and Ruth Ellen Nutter, 1411 East Main st., Medford.  
Junior Lee Hammonds, route 2, box 220, Medford, and Sharon Lee O'Brien, Mallory lane, Shady Cove.  
Donald William Wyatt, Crater Lake, Ore., and Lenita Gaye Nelms, Douglas, Ariz.

Edward MacAlbright, 1678 Orchard Home dr., and Patricia Dougherty, 38 North Oakdale ave., Medford.  
David Wendell Deller, 2025 Earle st., Klamath Falls, and Toby Kay Fox, 433 North Main st., Ashland.  
Paul Kenneth Bowker, 4080 Carlton st., Central Point, and Laurel Jean Herndon State, 615 1/2 Cedar st., Medford.



Bonnie Lippert



Ed Lippert

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Bill Preston



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