



VETERAN TROUPERS—Helen Hayes (left) greets actress Mary Martin with an embrace backstage at the Lunt-Fontanne Theater in N. Y. after the opening performance of "The Sound of Music." Miss Martin starred in the play, which is the ninth of the musicals turned out by the famous team of Richard Rodgers and Oscar Hammerstein. Miss Hayes, first lady of the American stage, has recently indicated that she will retire from acting.

Stevenson Partisans Bombarded With Defeat Arguments

Washington—UPI—Die-hard partisans of Adlai E. Stevenson are being bombarded with arguments that "he can't win" or that an attempt to nominate him for a third try at the presidency may boomerang against liberal Democrats.

Despite his two defeats and refusal to campaign for 1960, Stevenson's potential power to win a third presidential nomination is befogging the pre-convention outlook for all other Democratic candidates. Entry in Oregon Primary?

Movements have been launched in several states to draft the former Illinois governor in another bid for the White House. There has been talk of entering him in Oregon's presidential primary under a procedure not permitting him to withdraw.

Backers of the other candidates are trying to chip away at Stevenson's strength. A major argument is that Stevenson could not win, even though he would not be facing President Eisenhower, who defeated him in 1952 and 1956 by landslide margins.

National convention delegates normally want to choose a nominee who they think can win. Yet it is easy to find Democrats who predict that Stevenson will win a third nomination after a convention deadlock and who also doubt or deny that he could win the election.

Supporters of both Sens. John F. Kennedy (D-Mass.) and Hubert H. Humphrey (D-Minn.) regard their candidates as heirs to much or most of the Stevenson strength—if Stevenson somehow were blacked out of the picture.

SCHOOL NEWS

Griffin Creek School

By HELEN MCKEE and BARBARA CAIN

Griffin Creek school held an open house Nov. 12. There were 206 parents attending. In each room the school program was explained. The fifth and sixth grade parents went from room to room following the daily schedule of their children. Coffee and cake were served by the first grade mothers.

During the week of Nov. 2-6, we joined the Junior Red Cross. A total of \$22.40 was collected by the rooms.

Mrs. Ethel Cummings first grade is making a Thanksgiving Calendar for November. A boy and girl in silhouette are giving thanks. Each day we add something for which we are thankful. "We Thank Thee" is the name of a poem we are learning.

Mrs. Edith Arnold's second grade know what the frost does to plants. They learned from reading, from viewing a film and from observation. Children have brought to

school toy trains, cars, trucks and airplanes. They use these when studying about the different methods of transportation.

In Mrs. Lois Stabler's room we have been making turkeys and decorating our room for Thanksgiving.

We drew pictures of how we come to school each day. Most of us ride the buses, but some walk or ride bicycles and still others come in cars.

Mrs. Marilee Lindsay's third grade has joined the American Junior Red Cross.

We are making Thanksgiving decorations for our room. We drew large turkeys and colored them bright colors.

Every Thursday morning we listen to the standard music broadcast over station KMED. The programs tell us

about our national parks. Each Wednesday afternoon we visit the library. We may each check out one book which will be due in two weeks.

In Mrs. Mary Overstreet's room we are taking an imaginary trip to New York City. We wrote letters to the airline company, the bus company and the train company. We asked them what the route and cost would be. We used the tracer to trace maps of the United States to show the route which we would take.

Mrs. Judy Huck's fifth grade is studying the eastern United States. They have started a map to show the products of each region and are also making individual maps of each region.

The fifth and sixth graders

are having a volleyball tournament. There are five teams participating.

Crater High School

By LaVonne LaFever
An evaluation of Crater High school was in progress Thursday, Nov. 19.

A committee consisting of Dale Lewis from the state department of education; Forest James, superintendent of Phoenix schools; and John Harr, superintendent of Rogue River schools, was at Crater Thursday. The purpose was to find out if Crater High school meets the standards for membership in the Northwest Association of Secondary Schools. If so, Crater will then be recognized as an accredited school, according to the standards set up by the association.

The Medical Minded Maids held a special meeting Thursday, Nov. 19, to introduce the four guest speakers, Mrs. Otto Frohnmeyer, Mrs. John Bessonet, Miss Micki Darvas, and Miss Ruth Coovert.

Miss Darvas and Miss Coovert are members of the "Candy Strippers", (so called, because they wear pink and white striped uniforms).

The "Candy Strippers" is a club organized to meet people and become acquainted with medical transactions. It is especially helpful for those who plan on nursing as a career. The purpose of the Candy Strippers' club is to provide additional service of courtesy and kindness to the patients and visitors of the hospital.

Miss Coovert spoke to the girls on the duties of the organization, and also explained the hospital ethics which are appearance, discretion, courtesy, and professional ethics. The annual FFA Barn Dance was held Friday, Nov. 20, in the agriculture shop.

Three musical groups, The Tempos, The Shadows, and the Vic Flood orchestra, participated.

Candidates for the "FFA Chapter Sweetheart" were Patsy Charlie, Patti Straus,

Shirley McAllister, and Connie McDonough. The dance lasted from 8:30 until 11:30 and during that time Connie McDonough was chosen the "Chapter Sweetheart" for 1959-60.

Nov. 25 is Sadie Hawkins Day, a day awaited by the girls, and feared by the boys. This has been an annual event at Crater since 1952.

Beginning at 2:30 p.m. the race is on. When the girls have caught their date for the dance that night, they bring him to Marryin' Sam, who performs an on-the-spot marriage ceremony for a nominal fee.

The couples are to dress like 'Lil' Abner and Daisy Mae, and prizes will be given for the best dressed couple.

Ashland Police Check Accidents

Ashland—Five minor traffic accidents were reported to Ashland police over the week end and early Monday morning. No one was injured.

Three collisions were reported Saturday. The first, which occurred at 12:30 p.m. at Second and Main sts., involved cars driven by Owen Osborne, 73, of 392 Crowsen rd., and T. O. Nelson, 77, Eugene, police said. Damage was negligible and no citation was issued.

Autos driven by Bessie J. Graves, 31, of 950 Bellview ave., and Anna K. Summerfield, 57, of 574 Fordyce st., collided at the intersection of Highway 66 and Walker ave. at 3:25 p.m., according to police reports. Six hours later, 16-year-old Melvin R. Acuff, 459 Willow st., was cited by police for violation of the basic rule when his coupe missed a curve at Laurel and Otis sts.

Larry C. Hamilton, 18, of 965 Garden Way, was cited for failing to yield right of way when his auto collided with a pickup truck driven by Rex A. Nicodemus, 44, of 1122 West Fourth st., Medford. The crash occurred at 11:45 a.m. Sunday at the intersection of East Main st. and North Mountain ave., police said.

At 9:12 a.m. Monday, a car driven by Quinton Mar, Victoria, B.C., plowed into the rear of one driven by Anthony Georgianna, 649 Park st., at the North Main st. traffic light, police reported.



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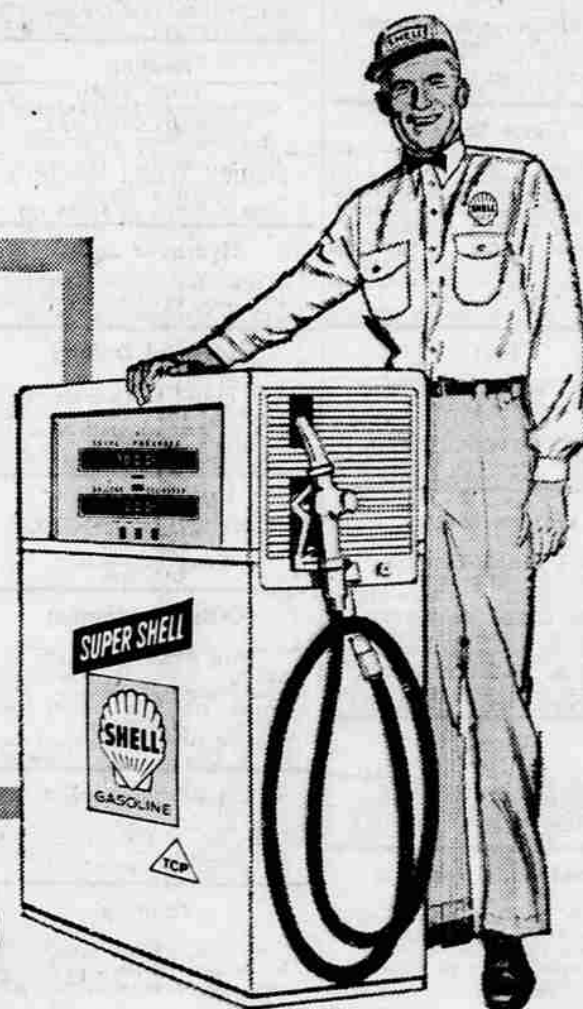
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