SCHOOL NEWS

Ashland High School

Edited by Joan Drager

The Ashland High debate team returned in triumph from their first tournament of the season. The tournament was held at Marshfield High school Nov. 12.

Those teams taking first place in senior mens division were Pete Kreisman and Jerry Burns, and Jim Lewis and Bill Lawrence who tied. Linda Neal and Linda Lewis tied with Karen Schopf and Judy Eberhard for second place in senior women's division. Also tied were Galen Robertson and Peggy Parsons for second place in junior men's division.

The Ashland High school football team closed out the 1960 season with a 6-won, 3-lost record. This has been the best season in a number of years.

Ashland High's Homecoming dance was held at the new junior high school October 28. The yell leaders and the pep club furnished refreshments and decorated. Medford was invited and many Medford students attended.

The last pep assembly for football season was held Friday, Nov. 4. Coach Stan Smith introduced the senior football players.

Ken Arbuckle, a humorist and story teller, was presented to the Ashland High school faculty and students Wednesday, Nov. 9. The program consisted of humorous and serious folk stories combining travel, adventure, literature, and education.

Mrs. Lucy Susee and Mrs. Selma McAlaster attended the ASCD conference held at the Ashland Junior High Nov. 1 and 2. Dr. Lorene Ort was the special speaker. ASCD is the Association for Supervision and Curiculum Development.

"Back to School Night" was held Nov. 7 at Ashland High. Entertainment for the evening was provided by the chorus and the orchestra which are under the direction of Bernard Windt.

Medford High School

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A straw ballot was held last Tuesday at MHS. The results were president, Richard Nixon; U.S. senator, Elmo Smth; fourth district representative, Dr. Edwin Durno; secretary of state, Howell Appling; state treasurer, Howard Belton; attorney general, Robert Thornton. The election of Elmo Smith for U.S. senator was the only election which did not correspond to the results of state balloting.

Seven ballot measures were also voted on by the students. Day light saving time, permitting prosecution by information or indictment, personal income tax, and the billboard control measures were defeated. The revised constitution, state bonds for higher education, and veterans bonding and loan amendment measures were passed.

Approximately 74 per cent of the student body voted; 75 per cent of the sophomores, 72 per cent of the juniors, and 75 per cent of the seniors.

Members of the drama classes and the cast are now selling tickets to "Teahouse of the August Moon." The price is 50 cents for students and $1 for adults. Reserve seats are $1.50. The play will be presented Dec. 1, 2, and 3.

Any colorful Japanese costume which may be used is needed. Anyone having such costumes is asked to contact Lenore Zapell in Room 6B at MHS.

While others were vacationing last week end, Medford musicians – band, orchestra, and vocal groups – were performing for a Music Educators convention at Hedrick Junior High.

Other groups playing were a combined Hedrick and McLoughlin orchestra, and a special orchestra composed of outstanding students of the elementary schools.

A pep assembly was held in the old grandstand last Thursday afternoon in preparation for Medford's quarter-final game with South Eugene. The rally squad put on a skit and lead the yells.

Rogue River was the site of the Future Homemakers of America district meeting Nov. 5. Thirteen Medford High girls attended the all - day meeting. Barbara Myers of Medford was elected district secretary for the coming year. Ruth Hockersmith and Margaret Harrang, advisors, accompanied the group.

The Girls Recreation association of Klamath Union High school has invited the Girls' Athletic association of MHS to participate with them in a volleyball sports day Saturday at Klamath Falls.

The varsity and junior varsity debate squads of MHS garnered two awards in their first competition of the year at Marshfield last Friday. Judy Sims and Suzy Thompson won a second place tie in senior women's debate. Sue Jahn and Sherry Koblick tied for second place in the junior women's debate.

Six Medford students and three students from Phoenix and Grants Pass traveled to La Grande for the Future Teachers of America convention last Friday. John Mast and Gatewood Smith drove the two cars which were loaned by Crater Lake Motors and Dean and Taylor Pontiac.

Following the banquet Friday night, a dance was held. Saturday morning, Ewald Turner, vice president of the National Education association, spoke on education.

Campaigns for state offices were held Saturday. Lois Stedman, Medford High candidate for vice president, was elected.

The group returned to Medford Sunday afternoon.

Eagle Point High School

Steve Geren and Ronny Anderson, juniors at Eagle Point High school, were delegates to the National Future Farmers of America convention at Kansas City, Kan., Oct. 7 to 17.

They were accompanied by 150 other delegates and state officers from Oregon.

Dennis Wood from Oregon was selected for the national public speaking contest award. Dennis was a guest of the Eagle Point students and FFA chapter last year.

Geren and Anderson toured many interesting places including the Armour meat packing plant, the Kansas City stockyards, the American Royal Fair livestock exhibit, and the American Hereford building.

Red Foley was master of ceremonies at a special show for the FFA delegates. A band made of musicians from all over the United States active in FFA proved to be the most impressive thing to the boys

A 1961 Chevrolet sedan has been donated to the drivers' training class by Courtesy Chevrolet of Medford.

The car is equipped with a dual control system so Instructor Charles Martin can help beginning drivers and to provide additional safety measures.

For the first time the drivers' training car has seat belts for added safety.

For the past six weeks, the drivers training class has been confined to classroom study of first aid and state driving laws. Martin said that some night driving is being planned.

For the past nine weeks the two chemistry classes, instructed by Vern Steward, have been studying matters, atoms, and gases.

The first few weeks they studied the organization of matter and division of matter into mixtures, compounds, and elements in that order. They also reviewed the make-up of atoms. Experiments have been conducted by the students with different gases such as hydrogen, oxygen, and hydrogen sulfide.

At the present time, the chemistry students are learning how to handle and work with laboratory equipment and how to set up experiments.

To show which class is most skilled in badminton, the girls in Mrs. Bill Hall's physical education classes have been playing in intramurals during the last two weeks.

By Thursday, Nov. 3, there were four pairs of freshmen girls, four pairs of sophomores, three pairs of juniors and two pairs of senior girls still competing.

The freshmen semi-finalists were Pat Beacham and Vonnie Goehring; Margaret Hansen and Glenda Alberts; Marlene Young and Peggy Johnson; Karon Bowdoin and Lorraine Buttram.

Joan Konopasek and Shannon Mathews, Evelyn Clarno and Susie Carroll, Kay Thurman and Judy Sanderson, Donna Jack and Sue Welsheimer were the sophomore semi-finalists.

Junior girls were Frances Huffman and Joanni Callaghan, Sandy Wilson and Carolyn Sinclair, Jerilyn Hansen and Jerry Rodgers.

Phyllis Perry and Andy Robinson, and Joey and Jackie Hume were senior semi-finalists.

The final play-offs were held during the noon hours. Students were invited to watch the girls play in the school gym.

Monday, Nov. 7 marked the day of the second National School assembly to be given at Eagle Point. It was a program of American folk stories presented by Ken Arbuckle.

Arbuckle has been presenting his folk tales to school assemblies for the past five years. Before that he worked in radio and television as an actor.

Gerry Hugo, an Eagle Point graduate last year, has been selected to take part in the honors program being put into effect in Mt. Angel college at Mt. Angel, according to word received here.

The program is designed to give more challenge and advanced work to the superior student.

The students were carefully selected from the freshman class on the basis of tests, previous grades, and interest.

The honor student will do work of a generally higher level than the regular student, emphasis being placed on imaginative individual projects wherein he can exploit areas of personal interest within the field of study. The honors program will be carried out in the fields of English composition, biology, physics, and history of western civilization.

Dorrene Christian, Georgia Hubbard and Kathy Houston have been chosen candidates for the FFA chapter sweetheart.

The candidates will present campaign speeches at an FFA meeting. Following the speeches, the boys will vote for the chapter sweetheart. The winning girl will be crowned at a dance this month.

The FFA was busy this summer making money for their chapter by cutting fence posts and firewood. During the football season the boys worked in their concession stand at home ball games.

Steve Geren, Dale Vaughn and Don Pestka made up the judging team that won fifth place in the state livestock judging contest. Don Pestka was the second high individual in judging. The FFA took a bus to Corvallis during the summer to practice judging livestock.

Donna Geren, Margaret Hanson and Sharon Smith were elected junior varsity cheerleaders by the freshman class. Sharon was elected yell queen.

The girls will lead the Eagle Point rooters at all junior varsity and freshman basketball games.

The uniforms chosen by the girls for the basketball season are royal blue wool skirts and gold sweaters with white corduroy shoes.

For a record high, there are 58 girls from Eagle Point High school belonging to the Junior League Bowling congress.

There are 14 teams with four girls on each team. There are also two girls who substitute.

By Tuesday, Nov. 2, the standings of the teams were: Lady Lions, 1st; Cove Motor Service, 2nd; Town and Country Shop, 3rd; Putman Brothers, 4th; Caesar's Accordion, 5th; Team 6, 6th; Team 7, 7th; Team 9, 8th; Team 14, 9th; Jaycees, 10th; Team 13, 11th; Eagle Market, 12th; L and L Poultry, 13th; and Powder Puff Beauty shop, 14th.

The three highest individual bowling are Kay Thurman, 170; Phyllis Perry, 166; and Frances Huffman, 146.

HEADS GIRL SCOUTS

St. Louis, Mo.-(UPI)-Louise A. Wood of Chicago will be the next national executive director of the Girl Scouts of the United States. Miss Wood, who takes office March 1, 1961, was named Tuesday at the 35th convention of the Girl Scouts' National Council.

EX-WIFE SUES ACTOR

Los Angeles – (UPI) – Actor George Raft was sued for $43,686 and 10 per cent of his annual earnings Tuesday by his former wife, Grayce. Mrs. Raft, who was wed to the actor from 1923 to 1932, made her demands on grounds Raft had not lived up to a property agreement he signed with her in 1949.

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