

MHS, Crater Place 1st, 2nd In Debate

The Medford High school debate team took first place honors Saturday in the contest held at Ashland High school to determine the Southern Oregon District champion.

Second place was won by Crater High school. Both teams qualified for participation in the state contest to be held at Oregon State University in Corvallis April 18, 19 and 20.

Debate on the Medford team, coached by De Vere Taylor, were Larry Goodwin, Mike Whithan, Paul Tuttle and Rob Hoag.

The Crater team, coached by Don Lacy, included Dave Force, Alan Bray, Don Gall and Carol Foote.

The debates were judged by a team of professors from Southern Oregon college.

Local and Personal

Meeting Set - Medford Toastmasters will meet at 6:30 p.m. Monday, March 18. Speakers announced for the session are Denny Garcelon, Al Bradford and Dr. John Brandenburg. Dr. Tom Upton will be toastmaster for the evening and Jack Hoffbauer and Dr. Tom Rutter will act as evaluators.

In Phoenix - Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dugan of Valley View left Saturday morning for Phoenix, Ariz., accompanied by Mrs. Dugan's mother, Mrs. Edith Devaney of Medford. The Dugans will spend a week in Arizona, and Mrs. Devaney plans to vacation there until April 1.

Topic Announced - "Famous Quotes" is the topic announced for the March 18 meeting of the Jackson Toastmasters to be held at Sambo's restaurant. Speakers for the breakfast session will be Jerry Nelson, Pat Patnaude and Dale Prentice.

At Mart - Mrs. Kathleen Esp, buyer for women's ready-to-wear for Mann's Department store, is in Los Angeles for two weeks while purchasing stock for the store at the summer and early fall market.

Vail To Speak - Jess Vail of Moore Business Forms, Inc., will be speaker at the meeting of the Jackson County Property Owners Rental Association at Medford High School at 7:30 p.m. March 19. He will discuss business forms pertinent to owners of rental property. The articles of incorporation and by laws will be read to the group for approval.

To Meet Tuesday - The Rogue Valley Rabbit Marketing association will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, in the Civic club at Rogue River. All rabbit raisers are invited to attend.

Revival Set - A series of services will start at the Pentecostal Church of God, 139 Gibbon Acres rd., at 7:30 o'clock tonight. Evangelist Ida Albridge, Drain, will be the speaker. Services will continue nightly for 10 days.

Agale Reservoir Contract Drafted - Officials met Friday with directors of the Rogue River Valley Irrigation district to consider a draft of the proposed Agale reservoir contract to be presented water users in approximately 90 days. RRVID Manager Harold Sexton said Saturday.

After the board and bureau reach an agreement, the contract will be sent to Washington, D. C., for review, then back to the water users for their consideration, Sexton explained.

Meeting with the RRVID board were Bill Burpee, federal solicitor stationed in Boise, Idaho; Ed Neal, head of the regional operation and maintenance branch, Boise, Idaho; and Claude Naffziger, bureau economist, Boise, Idaho.

Although the Agate dam project has been approved, the allocation for an estimated overall construction cost of \$1,800,000 has not yet been passed by Congress.

The reservoir would provide supplemental water for 5,000 acres and new water for 1,800 acres, Sexton said. Non-reimbursable recreation and fishery benefits are included.

OBITUARIES

MINNIE I. FIENE
Mrs. Minnie I. Fiene, widow of E. Fiene, long time resident of the Gold Hill district, died March 8 in the Salinas, Calif. hospital after a lengthy illness, according to word received here from her daughter, Mrs. Mabel N. Taylor, Cathedral City, Calif.

The Fienes had lived in Gold Hill and the neighboring area from 1914 until 1952 when she moved to California. They were members of the Gold Hill Grange and Mr. Fiene was the first master of the Grange.

After Mr. Fiene's death, Mrs. Fiene moved to Salinas to make her home with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Simpson.

Funeral services were held with interment in the Garden of Memories in Salinas March 12.

MRS. EDNA SAWYER
Mrs. Edna G. Sawyer, 82, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Lockwood, 423 Highland dr., Medford, Saturday morning. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Perl Funeral home.

MRS. MAY LECLERC
Graveside services for Mrs. May Leclerc, 90, of 5465 South Pacific highway, Medford, who died Thursday, were held Friday afternoon. The Rev. George G. Roseberry of the First Methodist church of Medford officiated. Interment followed in Siskiyou Memorial park.

Mrs. Leclerc was born Oct. 18, 1872, in Aledo, Ill. On Feb. 1, 1900, in Mitchell, Kan., she was married to Harry Leclerc, who preceded her in death Nov. 17, 1961.

She had been a resident of this community for the past 32 years, and for 20 years she and Mr. Leclerc had resided in their own home at 615 West Second st., Medford.

Survivors include one son, Cisco, Calif.; two daughters, Howard Leclerc, San Francisco, Calif.; and Mrs. Ruth Devo, Grants Pass, Ore.; one sister, Mrs. Charles Richard, Lyons, Kan.; and one grandchild.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Siskiyou Funeral Service director's of Chapel in the Rectory.

BERNICE KUNZMAN
Funeral services for Mrs. Bernice Kunzman, 71, who lived at 607 West Eighth st., Medford, for many years, will be held at 10 a.m. Monday in the First Methodist church, West Main at Laurel st. The Rev. George Roseberry of the First Methodist church will officiate. Committal will be private. Conger-Morris is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Kunzman was born July 26, 1891, in Medford, a daughter of the late Eli and Cora Redden Carder, who moved to the valley in the middle '80s. Her mother died in September, 1961, at the age of 94.

Mrs. Kunzman joined the Methodist church in June, 1899, and was an active member, and a member of the Wesleyan Service Guild.

She taught in the local school districts for many years starting at Lake Creek at the age of 18 years; she also served in the school libraries. She had been district president of the Parent-Teacher association; was a member of Toastmistresses; past president of the Retired Teachers association of Southern Oregon.

Survivors include a son, Stanley Kunzman, Reno, Nev.; a sister, Mrs. Virginia C. Han-

chett, Wenatchee, Wash.; a brother, Dr. Dean S. Carder, Arlington, Va.; four grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Friends who wish may make a memorial contribution to the Methodist Memorial Fund.

Honorary bearers will include Elliott Becker, Glenn Linn, G. Morris, Ray Lewis, Carl Burk, Donald Darnell and Roy Shaw.

The body will lie in state at the First Methodist church from 9 until 9:30 a.m. Monday.

RICKEY DEAN KINNEY
Funeral services for Rickey Dean Kinney, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald W. Kinney, 304 Ashland st., will be held in the Hillcrest Memorial chapel at 1 p.m. Monday. Interment will be in Hillcrest Memorial park. Conger-Morris is in charge of funeral arrangements.

Rickey was born in Medford Dec. 6, 1962.

Surviving, besides the parents, is a brother, Robert Scott; grandmother, Mrs. Evelyn Kinney, Medford; grandparents, George Woodward, Van Nuys, Calif.; Mrs. Lois Norman, Medford; great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bocharly Sr., Medford; Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Hoffine, Central Point, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lucas, Medford.

CURTIS U. THOMAS
Funeral services for Curtis U. Thomas, 92, of Central Point, who died Friday, will be held in the Conger-Morris downtown chapel at 10 a.m. Tuesday. Interment will be in the Jacksonville cemetery.

Break-In Reported At Phoenix High
Phoenix - Someone broke into Phoenix High school early Saturday morning and smashed open locked doors in an apparent search for money. No money was taken, however, as no cash had been left at the school overnight.

The break-in occurred some time after 2:30 a.m. Using a crowbar, the burglar broke into the gymnasium, music room, high school office and the office of the dean of boys.

Three Area Seniors Awarded Elk Lumber Firm Scholarships

Three southern Oregon high school seniors have been awarded scholarships of \$300 each by the scholarship committee of the Elk Lumber company. Two are from Medford and one from Cave Junction.

The two Medford High school seniors are Connie Ann King and Charlotte Ann Brown. Both will enter Lewis and Clark college next fall. Charles N. Versteeg Jr., of Cave Junction will attend Willamette university.

Miss King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin King, 1298 Crater Lake ave., is a member of the First Presbyterian church, where she has served in the youth choir, the church school and as a member of the youth budget committee.

Her activities in Medford High school have included Future Medics, Snomads (ski club), French club, Future Homemakers of America and Girls' league. She also has been a participant in several community activities, including Candystripes, Rogue Valley Junior Marksman club, Girl Scouts, Bowling League and the YMCA. She plans to make a career of nursing.

Organist At Events
Miss Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Brown of Aloha st., Medford, is a member of the Zion Evangelical Lutheran church. She works in the Luther League and has been organist for Sunday school, church and weddings. Her high school activities have included reporter, exchange editor and feature editor for the Hi-Times publications. She has been accompanist for the choir and advanced girls chorus, is a member of French club, ski club and is publicity chairman for the American Field Service.

She is an active member of Job's Daughters, accompanist for St. Mary's Choralettes, and Youth ambassador to Europe under the American Heritage association. She plans to be a music teacher at the college level and to do concert work.

Cave Junction Student
The Cave Junction student, Charles N. Versteeg, Jr., chosen by the scholarship com-

mittee, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neil Versteeg of Cave Junction.

He is a communicant of Immanuel Methodist church, where he was instrumental in re-organization of the Methodist Youth Fellowship, and has served as an usher.

His activities in Illinois Valley High school include council representative and freshman class president. He played basketball and baseball for the four years of his high school career and has been a member of the Hospitality club, Lettermen's club and the National Honor society. He was a representative from the high school to Beaver Boy's State. He is a member of the Boy Scouts of America Order of the Arrow.

Versteeg plans to make a career of medicine.

Many Pupils Take Vacation This Week

Most pupils of Jackson county public schools will return from spring vacation March 23, the county school office said Friday.

School districts on spring vacation all this next week include Phoenix, Ashland, Central Point, including Gold Hill and Sams Valley; Medford 549C, Applegate, Prospect, Evans Valley.

Eagle Point, including Elk-Trail and Shady Cove will be on vacation Wednesday through Friday as will Rogue River.

Pinehurst pupils will have a one-day spring vacation on Thursday. Butte Falls schools were on spring vacation last week and will be in school this next week.

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Weather

FORECASTS
Medford and vicinity: Partly cloudy this morning becoming cloudy this afternoon. Rain tonight and partial clearing with showers tomorrow. High both days 45 to 50. Low tonight 30 to 35.

Wester Oregon: Partly cloudy today with a few scattered showers this morning. Cloudy tonight with rain and partly cloudy with rain Monday. Continued cool High both days 45 to 52. Low tonight 32 to 40.

Northern California: Partly cloudy today with snow flurries likely in the Sierras. Rain on the extreme north coast tonight, probably spreading to northern portions Monday. Continued cool with frost in valley points.

LOCAL DATA
Temperature: Mean yesterday 40; below normal 6.
Record high this date 82 in 1947.
Record low this date 22 in 1955.
PRECIPITATION: 24 hours to midnight .14 in. Midnight to 10 a.m. none.
Total this month 29 in., 65 in. below normal.
Total since Sept. 1 207.6 in., 5.86 in. above normal.

HUMIDITY: Lowest yesterday 55%. Highest this a.m. 74%.

CITY	Yester. a.m. hr.	High	Low	Preer.
Brookings	52	55	115	
Klamath Falls	38	28	10	
MEDFORD	48	33	14	
Portland	49	36	40	
Seattle	45	38	23	
Spokane	43	28		
Yakima	41	35	08	
Eureka	50	38	06	
Red Bluff	44	35	73	
Sacramento	49	41	83	
San Francisco	52	44	107	
Los Angeles	56	46	95	
Phoenix	70	36		
Denver	45	31		
Chicago	55	37	21	
Minni Beach	30	76		
New York	49	74		
Washington, D.C.	53	33	47	
Sunset today		6:29 p.m.		
Sunrise tomorrow		6:29 a.m.		
Moonrise tomorrow		1:33 a.m.		
Last Quarter tomorrow		4:58 a.m.		
Mars high overhead at 9:03 p.m.				

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