



Four of the actors in the cast of the 1963 Oregon Shakespearean festival who are from England and Canada are pictured here during the annual Twelfth Night dinner which Mrs. Julie Tummers gave recently at Mon Desir inn with the cast and company as guests. Shown (left to right) are James Smith, Greenford, Middlesex, Eng-

Red Cross To Hold Play Day

Volunteers of the Jackson County chapter of the American Red Cross will hold their annual play day on Wednesday, June 26, at the home of Mrs. John S. Day of Gold Key estates. Plans for the afternoon include swimming, cards and tea and ample opportunity for guests to meet their fellow volunteers in the various services.

Mrs. O. A. Eden, chairman of volunteers, stated that all persons who have served in a voluntary capacity for the Red Cross throughout the past year are cordially invited. She added that members of the Community Service group have been making telephone calls throughout the past week to extend invitations to these people, but have had difficulty reaching many of them. A caravan will leave the Red Cross chapter house at 1 p.m. and will be met at Gold Key by two members of the Junior Red Cross, Tom News and Terry Hinesly, who will drive guests to the top of the hill and park cars for them. Persons needing transportation should call the Red Cross office at 772-4405.

DAR Picnic Is Held at Rogue Manor

The June meeting of Crater Lake chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution was a picnic held in the club room of the Rogue Valley Manor Saturday, June 22nd.

Mrs. G. D'Albini, Lexington, N. C., a charter member of the chapter and former resident active in the life of the community, who is visiting in the valley, was welcomed at the meeting.

Mrs. Judd Greenman, regent, presided at the short business meeting following the luncheon. She announced that Mrs. T. J. Gifford would be chairman of the program committee for the coming year. Mrs. Ray K. Bailey, chairman of the National Defense committee, gave a talk on Thomas Jefferson, his many talents, activities and his service to our country. She stated that he was two hundred years ahead of his time.

Mrs. Greenman introduced her sister, Mrs. A. B. Chapin, Schenectady, N.Y., who is her house guest.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mesdames Ray K. Bailey, Edward C. Root and W. G. Cummings. The next regular meeting of the chapter will be in September.

Talent Woman Returns Home

Talent-Mrs. Roscoe Owens returned yesterday from Seal Beach, Calif., where she and her daughter, Cynthia, have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook and Laurie.

Mrs. Cook is the former Sandra Owens, and Mr. Cook is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Cook, Camp Baker Road.

Miss Owens will remain in Seal Beach for the summer.

Prepare Biscuits Kabob Style for Outdoor Meals

No need to go without biscuits when camping trips or on a Sunday outing. Simply take along a tube of prepared biscuits, cut each of the biscuits in fourths and roll into balls. Then place on a wet skewer, kabob style, leaving enough space for expansion. Place them on tin foil on the grill. They will be done in about seven to eight minutes. These also will make a good addition to any patio meal.



Music and drama festivals are the vogue all over North America and Europe, and southern Oregon is not being left behind. The well-established Oregon Shakespearean festival in Ashland is being joined this summer by the Peter Britt Gardens Music and Arts festival (we hope this somewhat cumbersome name will not be eventually reduced to the PBGMFA like so many other titles have been by the always-in-a-hurry Americans) to be given in Jacksonville in August.

The idea, spawned in the brain of Sam McKinney, Portland, has met with mixed favor in Jacksonville, it must be admitted. This reaction is probably typical, however. Many residents of Ashland thought Angus Bownner and his cohorts were foolish indeed when they started the Shakespearean festival, and just see what happened!

Potpourri learned a bit more about the Peter Britt festival Sunday morning from a group gathered in the living room of that delightful little old building in Jacksonville which Robby Collins has made into his home. Robby enjoys having friends in on Sunday and the friends enjoy going, one might add, Lewis and Gail Tyer—Mrs. Tyer is the former Gail Gatter—who have undertaken the task of publicizing the new venture, were in the group. The conversation indicated that the new festival has its problems, as do most new, civic projects, but the board, headed by Bert Pree, is confident that everything will be in readiness by the opening date, August 11. We'll be interested to read Director John Trudeau's list of musicians—we understand that the orchestra will number some 30 or 35 players.

The backers of the Jacksonville festival are not the only planners with ideas, either. For the past three or four years several musicians and music patrons in Medford have been incubating the idea of a summer schedule of light opera and theater. The board of the Philharmonic society, which has been producing Gilbert and Sullivan and similar light opera during the winter season, has a considerable backlog of talent, scores, costumes and props which could be put to excellent use for such a venture.

The idea was given considerable impetus with the visit here this spring of William Cottrell. He was one of the early Shakespearean actors, did a stint in Hollywood and in recent years has played and directed in New York City and in summer theater in the east. Bill Cottrell is here a part of every year to be with his mother, and while he was last in the city, spent considerable time with Richard Werner and others of the Philharmonic talking over the summer theater idea. He is now on the road with Ustinov's play, "Romanoff and Juliet" but plans to return in late summer. He hopes to open a school of acting—possibly in a Jacksonville studio. He is enthusiastic about the summer opera idea, and believes that it would complement the Shakespearean and Jacksonville festivals. The men hope that the first season can be launched in 1964.

Others in on the planning are Ralph Matlack, who likes to design and make scenery for such productions, Eugene Bennett, who would advise on artistic matters; Ray Lewis, who has directed chorus and school operettas in Medford for several years. Mr. Werner would be music director.

Planning for the usual coming fall and winter Philharmonic season is already underway. "Pinafore" is to be produced in late October, perhaps the 28th and 29th, with Tresa Matlack singing Josephine, Everett Winter as Rafe, Maynard Hadley as the Captain, Lee Harlow as Sir Joseph and Sue Boe of Grants Pass as Buttercup.

In mid-January Victor Herbert's "Fortune Teller" is scheduled with Sylvia DeVoss, Mrs. Boe, Dr. Harlow and Maynard Hadley of the valley in the cast. George Peckham will probably come down from Seattle for this operetta.

Next March, probably the 7th and 8th, Humpertinck's "Hansel and Gretel" will be given as a treat for children of the area.

If both the Jacksonville outdoor music festival and the Medford light opera and summer theater program can be successfully staged—and why not?—the Rogue valley could offer an outstanding package of music and theater in Ashland, Medford and Jacksonville.

For quite some time Mrs. Guy Petteplace let it be known that she would like to have a small poodle as a pet. So her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Reter, visited kennels and talked to friends who owned poodles. Before she had found a pup which appealed to her, some friends came by and offered to give her an adorable little white poodle named Cracker which had been purchased as a gift for children found too small to have a pet just yet.

Pleased as punch, Mrs. R. took the dog and when the proper day came, went to her mother's home for the big surprise presentation. But the surprise was all for Mrs. Reter. Mrs. Petteplace met her at the door carrying an adorable little black poodle named Tony. Friends, moving from their home to an apartment, had decided that Mrs. Petteplace would love to adopt Tony. Which she did. So now Cracker and Tony are happily growing up together and enjoying lots of TLC from Mrs. Petteplace. O.S.

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Man Spending Millions Advises 'Shop Around'

BY GAY PAULEY
UPI Women's Editor
New York — (AP) — The shopping list Howard Powell fills cost millions annually. But this expert on purchasing on a large scale believes one rule for shaving costs applies to the housewife as well as to his organization. "Keep shopping around—keep looking for new sources," he said.

Powell, who buys sewing machines by the hundreds, canning jars by the thousands. Don't let the retailer figure he has your patronage "sewed up," he said.

Powell is deputy assistant executive director for procurement for CARE, the U.S. organization helping the needy of 39 countries.

The CARE program includes food and clothing donations—he supervises CARE's purchase of 125 million pounds of food a year; the self-help projects in which everything from school kits to plows are donated to help nations toward self-sufficiency; and Medico, the medical arm in operation with CARE since March 1962. The overall bill for this is between \$2.5 million and \$3 million annually.

Gives Away Surplus
In addition, Powell's department acts as "delivery boy" for one billion pounds of food surplus donated to needy nations by the U.S. government each year.

Powell valued these foods at \$40 million, and said they were distributed on basis of what a country requests. His organization has a mission on the scene in each country it serves.

"The bulk of the food surplus goes to large projects," said Powell. He estimated that 18 million school children are benefiting from the foods program.

Powell has one money-saving advantage the average homemaker does not have—he buys wholesale and below. And many companies just give. He recalled in an interview that he was negotiating for purchase of between 100,000 and 150,000 pounds of shortening.

Powell said that when he haggled with the maker over the cost—that he could get it cheaper elsewhere—the company representative said, "Oh, the heck with it, I'll give it to you."

Most of the organization's food purchases are through competitive bid, however. But such items as water pumps to help a country establish

Program Slated For Art Group

Jack Teeters will speak on "Painting Techniques" at the monthly meeting of Southern Oregon Society of Artists Wednesday, June 26 at 7:30 in Girls Community club.

Glenn Scott will open the meeting by giving a demonstration on a "Visual Balance Palette."

All interested persons are welcome to attend.

Calendar

- 7 p.m.—TOPS, Social room, public library.
- 7:30 p.m.—Chapter BE, PEO, Mrs. Robert Wilcox, 3348 Old Military rd.
- 8 p.m.—Nevita chapter OES, Central Point Masonic hall.
- Wednesday
- 8 a.m.—Medford Toastmistress club, Girls Community club.
- 10 a.m.—Oak Grove Neighborhood club, Mrs. B. H. Belknap, 67 Perrydale ave.
- 11 a.m.—Security Benefit club, Pythian building.
- 12:30 p.m.—Chapter AA, PEO, Mrs. R. D. Dames, 33 North Barneburg rd.

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Rogue Valley Girl Scout Camp Program Planned

The 18th camping season for the Rogue Valley Area Girl Scout council will begin with day camps to be held in each district, and in July the established camp, Low Echo, at Lake of the Woods will open, with sessions for the Brownies, Intermediates and Senior Scouts.

The first session, July 7 to 14, for Intermediates and Brownies, has been filled. The second session will be for 10 days, July 16 to 25, and is open for Intermediate and Senior Scouts.

Miss Lawson In Hawaii For Summer School

Miss DeEtta Lawson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Earl L. Lawson, 301 Windsor avenue, is attending the University of Hawaii for the summer session as a member of the University of the Pacific, Stockton, Calif., college group.

She sailed for Hawaii aboard the Matsonia and will return to San Francisco August 8.

Late last month Mrs. Lawson and Mrs. Albert F. Iverson were in Stockton to hear Miss Lawson sing in a recital. Miss Lawson is a freshman voice major in the conservatory at the university. The student sang "Non Posso Disperare" by De Lucas and an aria from "Rigoletto."

During the past school year she has sung in the a cappella choir and was soloist in the 35th annual band frolic in February.

CowBelles Plan Annual Picnic

The annual picnic and swimming party of the Jackson County CowBelles will be held Thursday, June 27, at the Double D Hereford ranch at Lake Creek.

Members are requested to bring swim caps and their own table service.

Executive Board To Hold Meeting

Prospect — The executive board of Prospect Lady Lions will meet Wednesday, June 26, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Heston Grieves. The board meeting will be for both old and new officers.

Girl Scouts On Bike Hike

Gold Hill-Girl Scout Troop 55 met at the Gold Hill city park last Tuesday morning to go on a "bike hike." Sergeant Culbert of the State Patrol talked to the troop about bicycle safety before they started on their trip. Chief of Police Bill Young, was also present.

The scouts cycled afterwards to Valley of the Rogue state park and had lunch. They worked on their cyclist badge and returned home.

Mrs. Dale Hodson, Mrs. Bud Dotson and Mrs. P. E. Holderness, troop leader, accompanied the girls on the trip.

Those who cycled were Sue Dye, Nita and Karen Harding, Renee and Paula Holderness, Teresa and George Dotson, Margery Hodson, Maurie Kinney, Mary Brooks, Donna Yule, Joan and Janice Czomowski. Mrs. Dotson also cycled with the youngsters.

Lodge Delegate To Give Report

Mrs. Riley Appelgate will give a report at the meeting of the Ladies' auxiliary to Siskiyou canton, Patriarchs Militant, June 26, 6 p.m., in the IOOF hall, West Sixth street, Medford.

Convention reports will be given by Mrs. Appelgate, who was a delegate to the Ladies Association Patriarch Militant, held at The Dalles, Ore., in May.

A covered-dish dinner will be served.

Home

Larry Morin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Morin, Colver road, is home for the summer from the University of Oregon.

Senior Scouts, although the Pioneer unit is filled. Pioneer camping is more primitive, offering challenges not experienced in the regular camping program, and is open to girls going into the eighth or ninth grade this fall; each unit accommodates 16 girls. Those attending Pioneer units will learn advanced cooking, lashing projects, tool craft, pitching of tents, and will receive the Pioneer badges.

The third session, July 28 to August 4, is still open for Brownies, Intermediates and Seniors.

The CIT unit is for girls entering the 11th and 12th grades, and the program runs from July 7 to August 4, and is filled.

Complete Staff

A complete camp staff will be available to aid the girls in an enjoyable camping experience. The staff includes a camp director, assistant director, registered nurse, craft counselor, waterfront staff, unit leaders and assistants. All staff members are trained in group leadership, camping skills, and the Girl Scout program. There are also two cooks to furnish balanced meals, planned by a dietician.

Each girl in each unit will be required to take part in various housekeeping chores, called Kapers, such as setting the tables, preparing vegetables, or gathering wood for the evening campfires. Hot water is available for showers.

No Bus Service

There is no bus service to Camp Low Echo, and parents will be responsible for transportation of their girl; they are to take campers directly to the camp, arriving between 2 and 4 p.m. on the first day of their sessions. Parents and friends are invited to meet the staff at this time and to look over the camp. All campers must be picked up by 1 p.m. the closing day of their sessions.

The campers will live in units with girls of their own age and with their unit leader. Twenty-four girls in patrols of eight make up a unit, and they plan quite a bit of their own activities, as well as participating in the all-camp program. They will sleep on cots in roofed shelters.

Registration blanks and more information may be secured at the Girl Scout center.

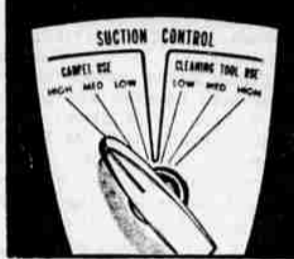
431 West Ninth street, Medford.
Day camp in the Medford district will be held at Tomlin Forest starting June 24 to 28, and July 1-3. Mrs. Vern Buseman is the registrar. Ashland district held a day camp at Emigrant Lake, June 10 to 14. Yreka has also held a day camp, as has Illinois Valley. Grants Pass day camp is being held at the Floyd Reinhardt ranch, west of Murphy, June 17 to 20 and June 24 to 27. Mrs. Raymond Schmidt is the registrar.

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