

Teachers Go To School Prior To Start of Term

Regular classes in Klamath County and city schools start Sept. 2, but prior to that teachers and educators not only from Klamath County but also from Lake County are to get a thorough indoctrination in the backgrounds of this area and participate in a joint teachers' institute.

Unlike last year when Lake County educators were invited in early in the sessions, this year they will participate in the latter part of the five-day institute.

Monday morning sessions get under way at 8:45 with Klamath Falls teachers meeting at Mills with principals of schools. A half hour later a general assembly will hear welcoming talks by Klamath Schools Supt. A. L. Grallapp and introduction of new teachers.

As a new feature of the annual In-Service Program, a special showing of colored slides and an accompanying narration is to be presented at Mills auditorium, Monday, 10 a.m.

City School Clerk Harold Ashley and Mrs. Buena Stone, noted Northwest historian and instructor in history at Fremont Junior High School have arranged the event. Ashley took most of the colored pictures himself and gathered the others. Mrs. Stone will do the narration.

About 200 school workers are expected to attend. Ashley said visitors would be welcome but that smallness of the screen would not offer good visibility for many more than the 200 school workers.

In the afternoon, high school teachers meet with new Principal Charles Carlson in the KUHLS Little Theater, and from 2 to 4 p.m.

department meetings were slated for separate rooms.

Junior high schedule includes a 1 p.m. staff meeting with Principal Lowell Kaup, followed by department meetings. The elementary school teachers meet, also at KUHLS with special groups considering problems of various grades.

At 4 p.m. Monday a faculty picnic is to be held at Modoc Field under the direction of the Classroom Teachers Association.

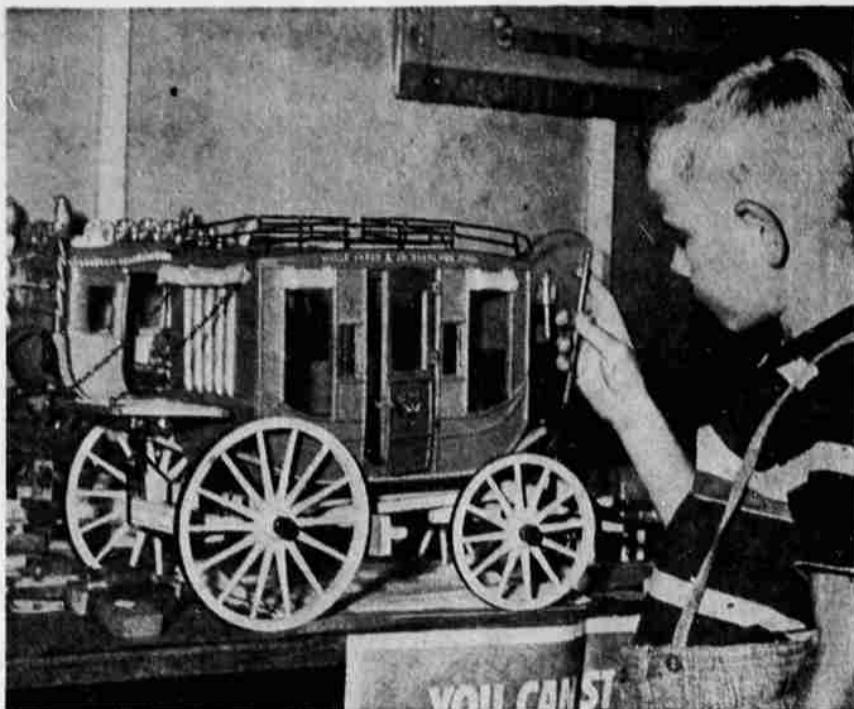
Tuesday's schedule continues the classroom workshops for various educational groups, and Wednesday the educators from Klamath County and those from Lake County join the city teachers for the Klamath - Lake County Institute. Registration is to be at 8 a.m. in the Mills auditorium.

The joint institute continues Thursday.

Friday sessions continue with both Klamath Falls city and Klamath County teachers participating in the annual Business Education Day under the direction of Mr. R. Frank Tucker of the Chamber of Commerce.

In the morning the educators are to tour Klamath business firms, part of a program to coordinate teaching methods with the needs of the community. In the afternoon unregistered eighth graders and KUHLS freshmen are to report to Fremont and the high school, to be picked up on regular bus runs at 12:30 p.m.

Finally, at Mills auditorium speakers from business firms are to talk on topics pertaining to the business-industry education day for assembled educators.



ADMIRING HIS FATHER'S WORK is young Darryle Keesee, 4767 S. Sixth, in Klamath Falls. His dad, William, entered this stage coach in the 20-30-YMCA hobby show. Keesee had a full exhibition of woodwork in the show.

Clergyman Claims Discovery Of Lost Atlantis Continent

HAMBURG, Germany (AP) — A German clergyman claimed Saturday he has found the fabled land of Atlantis in the North Sea off Helgoland.

The Rev. Jurgen Spanuth of Bordelum said a diver from his expedition saw the remains of the legendary kingdom at a depth of 30 feet.

These included walls six to eight feet high and 270 feet long of stones up to six feet in circumference.

The ruins, the pastor said, covered at least 60 acres on the sea floor.

Spanuth has been looking for years for Atlantis, convinced that writings of the Greek philosopher Plato and inscriptions in ancient Egyptian temples indicated the sunken land was located in what modern man calls the North Sea.

Other persons have claimed in the past to have located Atlantis. A German professor said in 1926 he had determined it was the Sahara desert south of Tunis.

Spanuth said the ruins are five nautical miles from Helgoland in the direction of the German coast at a spot known to sailors as "Stone Ground."

He said he would outfit a new expedition soon to return there with special diving equipment and dredges.

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Hobby Show Draws Crowd

The 20-30 Club-YMCA sponsored Klamath Basin Hobby Show drew a grand total of 1,000 spectators during its two-day exhibition here Thursday and Friday, YMCA Secy. Paul Campbell and Board Chairman Al Aldrich of the Twenty-Thirtians announced today.

The show, an off-the-cuff idea which materialized into one of the finest exhibitions of hobbies ever held in this part of the country, was originated, organized and put on within a three-week period.

The naming of a sweepstakes grand prize winner in the competition was due to the rush and heavy traffic, a last minute decision to cancel the sweepstakes balloting by spectators was made.

More than 600 persons milled slowly through exhibits last night, including several new features added during the day.

And the hobbyists themselves turned out last night to demonstrate and explain their individual displays to interested onlookers.

The Klamath Camera Club displays of top art photos attracted considerable attention, although but a few were actually in competition. Judges Thursday night had presented awards of ribbons to winners in all categories of the show — and because there were many hobbies which were the only ones entered in their categories, there were perhaps only twice as many persons as there were ribbons.

The show is planned to go again next year, with a date set more likely during the winter months, Chairman Aldrich said. If need be, the show may be moved to the Army or another large building where more and larger hobbies may be shown.

20-30 Club members, under Pres. Ed Hosley, policed the area along with members of the YMCA during the two-day show.



TOGETHER AGAIN after 45 years the Petersen brothers are shown on the lawn of Marius Petersen's home here. Seated (l to r) are Chris and Marius and standing (l to r) are Axel and Lars.

Brothers Meet After Forty-Five Years

Four brothers who haven't been together for 45 years had a quiet but heart-warming reunion here yesterday.

The event took place at Marius Petersen's ranch on the outskirts of the city. The four brothers were Marius, Lars, Chris and Axel, who came here from Falster, Denmark for the reunion. Lars lives in Coos Bay and Chris in Lakeview. A fifth brother, William, died fighting with the American Army on the Argonne front in the First World War.

When Mrs. Marius, Lars, Chris and William left Denmark for the United States, Axel remained at home.

This year Axel and his wife decided to come to America. Lars Petersen was a delegate to the Republican National Convention in Chicago this year and he and his wife met Axel and Mrs. Axel in Chicago. They went to Detroit where Lars picked up a new car and then drove to Oregon.

The four Danes have all made a sizable mark in life. Axel is a prominent building contractor in Denmark.

Axel doesn't speak English and the writer had to talk to him with Marius interpreting.

Axel was especially anxious that we Americans know how much the Danes appreciate and need our help. He says his country could hardly have made it after World War Two without the Marshall Plan. He says the Danes think war with Russia will surely come and that their magazine front in the First World War won't get there quick enough to save the Danes and neighboring peoples from being smashed.

He says Marshall Plan funds put Denmark "on its feet" after the war by supplying good money to replace the vast amount of worthless Nazi money poured into the country by Hitler.

Oddly enough, according to Axel, practically all the Marshall Plan money goes to the middle class; it is very difficult for the wealthy or the poor to get a loan from the fund. Axel says that administrators of the fund demand good collateral for loans and this usually rules out the poorer class. But the administrators won't allow the wealthy to use the money... they want most of it to go toward rebuilding shops, stores and farms.

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By DON WHITEHEAD
SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — Gov. Adlai Stevenson faced a sharp quiz today from Texas Gov. Allan Shivers on whether he favors federal or state control of the nation's rich off-shore oil deposits.

Shivers was due here for a conference with the Democratic presidential nominee at 10 a.m. EST. Their talk could have heavy political repercussions in Texas and other states fighting for control of their so-called tidelands oil resources.

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decision — seeking undisputed state control through legislation. Such legislation has been passed by Congress twice, and twice it has been vetoed by President Truman.

Stevenson has not yet taken a clear and unqualified stand on the tidelands question. He has said that he does not favor any private interests gaining control of such federal properties as grazing lands, national forests, and the like.

But he also has said that he wants to know more about the tidelands question — and for that reason would like to discuss the matter with Shivers.

Among the other callers on the governor's calendar for the day were three of Kansas' leading Democratic leaders — Kenneth T. Anderson, national committeeman; Mrs. Georgia Clark, national committeewoman; and John Young, Kansas state Democratic chairman.

Stevenson also was scheduled to see Beatrice Ruml of New York, recently named finance chairman for the Democratic National Committee. Ruml was author of the pay-as-you-go income tax collection plan.

John E. Nickelson of Chicago, representing the American Bar Association, and Frank G. Dickinson of Chicago, representing the American Medical Association, also were listed as callers.

Wreck Victim Still Critical

Mrs. Gordon Walters, injured with her two children in a car wreck near Walla Walla Thursday, was released from a hospital last night but one of the children is still in critical condition.

Mrs. Walters is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Book, Klamath Falls, and the niece of Floyd Stone, also of Klamath Falls.

Mrs. Walters and her children were injured when the woman suffered a fainting spell and lost control of her car. The car turned over in a ditch. The children were thrown clear but Mrs. Walters was pinned beneath the car.

Man Held For Child-Theft

Howard Charles Hassett, 29, has waived extradition to Marysville, Calif., where he is charged with child-stealing — taking from her home a 15-year-old girl whom he married here Aug. 1.

Hassett was arrested at 710 Lippincott yesterday afternoon on a warrant from the California city, and is lodged in the County Jail.

The girl, Billie Nell Beasley, was taken into juvenile custody.

She and Hassett were married Aug. 1 by District Judge D. E. Van Vector, and on their application for a marriage license she gave her age as 18 and both listed Klamath Falls as their place of residence.

Young Hassett's bail was set at \$2,300.

The case is the third here this week involving 15-year-old girls. An 18-year-old Klamath Falls boy, Robert Kral, also is in the County Jail on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor, taking a girl from her home here to Eugene. Rube Moore, 36, also is in the County Jail and is charged with statutory rape of a 15-year-old girl he is accused of bringing to Klamath Falls from Redding. The girl's home is in Myrtle Point.

Portland TV Building Due

PORTLAND (AP) — Construction of Portland's first television station will start Monday with a ground-breaking ceremony on Council Crest, city-provided site for all TV transmitters.

R. G. Freeman, vice president of Empire Cool Co. of New York, holder of the permit, said the 210-foot tower now is en route from the East.

The station, KPTV, expects to be on the air by Thanksgiving day. It will be affiliated with the National Broadcasting Company and transmit in the ultra high frequency range.

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Man Fined On Liquor Rap

Norman F. Larson of Keno pleaded guilty in District Court yesterday to a charge of selling alcoholic liquor to minors, and paid a \$100 fine.

He was accused of having sold a case of beer to a 15-year-old boy Aug. 19.

Ace Hurt In Plane Crash

WASHINGTON (AP) — Marine Lt. Col. Marion Carl, World War II fighter ace, was slightly injured Friday when he crash-landed a jet plane at the Patuxent River, Md., Naval Air Station.

The jet that he was testing lost power at about 9,000 feet but Carl brought the plane down over the station and attempted a dead-stick landing. The plane crashed about 1,000 feet from the approach to a runway and was destroyed.

Carl, from Hubbard, Ore., has had several narrow escapes as a test pilot. His most recent adventure came when he had to bail out at an altitude of 1,000 feet over Chesapeake Bay.

No Price Hike Says Sawyer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of Commerce Sawyer says there will be "no drastic and abrupt increase of prices in the immediate future."

"There is obviously an inflationary pressure which has been gradual and not drastic and which has certainly not left us as of this moment, but we have nothing to fear," Sawyer said in a radio interview last night.

He said he thinks to prepare for a deflationary tendency when defense spending levels off, but added:

"I think that we're smart enough and I hope that we're foresighted enough to prepare for that."

Many people have wished they had insurance after the fire. Don't be one. Hans Norland Insurance, 627 1/2 St. Home 2-2515.

County Road Worker Hurt

A county road worker, Don J. Skyles, 27, of 1416 Nimble, was painfully burned yesterday afternoon when hot oil spilled on him on a road job near Malin.

He was brought Valley Hospital by Kaler's ambulance, and treated for burns on his right arm and shoulder.

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