



PRACTICE RHYTHM — These three geisha girls, Waki, Moorki and Suki, practice for the Oriental Water Ballet number, "Fujiyama Fling," at the water show, "Wet Spots in History." The show, sponsored by the Klamath Basin Chapter Red Cross and the Klamath Falls Park and Recreation Department, will be given Aug. 6, starting at 8:15 p.m. at the municipal swimming pool. Pictured, front to back, are Sue Parisotto, Jean Moore and Kay Whaley.

Water Ballet Highlights Red Cross Water Show

The beauty of water ballet and synchronized swimming will be featured in numbers to be presented at the Wet Spots in History water show at the Klamath Falls Municipal Pool on Tuesday, Aug. 6, at 8:15 p.m. Trios, duets and other groups are practicing daily to perfect the difficult technique of swimming in formation to music such as "Peter Gunn," "In the Lazy Hazy Crazy Days of Summer," "Synchronized Clock" and "Some Enchanted Evening." Colorful costumes and music enhance the performance of the talented swimmers.

Mrs. Fichtner Visits Here

Mrs. Cecelia Fichtner of Medford, who has rental property in Klamath Falls, visited here Monday, accompanied by a son Richard, and a guest from Wellington, New Zealand, Milan Serkovich, 22.

Serkovich, on his third visit to the United States, hopes to remain in this country and become an American citizen.

He met Cecelia Anne Fichtner, Mrs. Cecelia Fichtner's daughter, in Medford three years ago, Miss Fichtner now is employed at Wellington by the Port Line Ltd.

The Medford people met Mayor Robert Veatch who made arrangements for them to tour Kingsley Field.

OSEA Planning Collier Picnic

Collier State Park has been selected as the site for the annual potluck picnic of the Oregon State Employees Association slated Sunday, Aug. 11. Activities will begin at 2 p.m., with horse shoes, softball, and games planned throughout the afternoon.

Coffee, ice cream, and cold drinks will be furnished by the association. Those attending should bring a picnic lunch and table service.

PHONE EXTRAS

Viennese telephone subscribers can dial a number and have a baby sitter recite fairy tales and sing children's songs. Other services include medical hints, help in doing crossword puzzles, film program information, snow and skiing reports, dictation for shorthand practice and help with a child's homework.



Herald and News

Mother Of Four Faces Vital Period Of Life After Child Stealing Charge

By DICK BRIGGS

The next 34 days may be the most vital period in the life of Joan Wood, a 35-year-old ebony haired mother of four, who is on probation for the paradoxical crime of stealing her own children.

How she conducts her life during that period may determine whether she will be committed to the Oregon State Penitentiary for a term up to 23 years—perhaps life—or restored as a citizen to the community in which she lives.

Court Records

July 29
TRAFFIC CASES
John Matthew Kowalski, excessive noise, guilty plea, \$25 fine paid.
Dolly Dean Lotches, violate basic rule, guilty plea, \$15 fine paid.
Robert Charles Deane, violate basic rule, guilty plea, \$15 fine paid.
Raymond Calvin Day, four in driver's seat, guilty plea, \$7.50 fine paid.
Worleat Norman Sawyer, disobeyed stop sign, guilty plea, \$15 fine paid.
John Clark Mathers, violate basic rule, guilty plea, \$10 fine paid.
Leroy George Drake, no vehicle license, guilty plea, \$5 fine paid.
Otha Junior Washington, no operator's license, guilty plea, \$5 fine paid.
Carmella Dolores Slusher, violate basic rule, guilty plea, \$15 fine paid.
Edward E. Moorman, violate basic rule, guilty plea, \$20 fine paid.
James William Berg, improper lane usage (cut in), guilty plea, \$10 fine paid.
David Harold Cox, no horn, guilty plea, \$10 fine paid.
Earl Emerson Oxley, leaving load, guilty plea, \$2.50 fine paid.
Lawrence Raymond Spencer, 3900 lbs. gross axle overload (logs), guilty plea, \$75 fine paid.
Lloyd Nield Dent, disobeyed stop sign, guilty plea, \$10 fine paid.
Norma Lee Shaw, failure to dim headlights, guilty plea, \$10 fine paid.
Donald Klock, no PUC permit, guilty plea, \$10 fine paid.
Carl Russell, disobeyed stop sign, guilty plea, \$15 fine paid.

MISDEMEANOR CASES
Kelly Somers, improperly identified boat, guilty plea, \$10 fine, of which \$5 was suspended, \$5 fine paid.
Vern Arthur Devarrie, intoxicated upon a public highway, \$50 bail forfeited.

Air Force Aid Check Given

Capt. Kenneth L. Spaur, commander of the recently deactivated Detachment 10, Western Air Rescue Squadron at Kingsley Field, has presented a check of \$23.17 from his detachment to Lt. Mappil J. Combs for the Air Force Aid Society.

The aid society assists Air Force personnel and their families who are faced with an unexpected emergency situation which they are unable to solve.

The annual drive for the Aid Society will be conducted at Kingsley Field Aug. 1-15.

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To Peru, guano is more precious than gold. A major industry of the country is the collection of droppings of sea birds from the rocky islands strung along its coast. Its guano islands and mainland walled nesting grounds are the world's largest bird sanctuaries of their kind.

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Art Offered To Beginners
Suzanne Van Orman of 1845 Lawrence Street will teach water color and drawing art to children 9 through 12 years. The class for beginners will start Aug. 5 and run for 10 days.

Hours at her home may be arranged from 10 to 11 a.m. or 2 to 3 p.m.

Mrs. Van Orman is a graduate of the University of Oregon where she majored in art. She taught grades seven through 12 at Quincy, Calif. last year.

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whether she will be committed to the Oregon State Penitentiary for a term up to 23 years—perhaps life—or restored as a citizen to the community in which she lives.

Mrs. Wood, indicted under a law that was intended to punish persons who kidnaped children for ransom, was convicted of the child stealing charge last January and was placed on five years' probation by Circuit Court Judge David R. Vandenberg.

The dilemma of deciding the fate of Mrs. Wood, who could become the victim of a penalty which clearly does not fit the crime, is that of Judge Vandenberg; next Sept. 23, he will preview the evidence and decide whether Mrs. Wood's probation should be either revoked or reinstated.

The issue before the judge is should a woman who flagrantly violated her probation have that probation reinstated. In most cases, probably not; especially not in the case of Mrs. Wood, who on different occasions has flouted the authority of the County Welfare Department, the County Circuit Court, and the state parole and probation office at Klamath Falls.

196 Licensed

By Department

MOUNT SHASTA—A total of 196 city licenses have been issued by the Mount Shasta Police Department for the remainder of 1963. Total revenue to the city is \$2,545.50 for the six-month period.

All licenses were issued on a half-year basis as the city council plans revision of the licensing ordinance. There are 29 businesses in operation in the city without new licenses.

The first of those three instances occurred several years ago when she removed her children from the authority of the Welfare Department and fled with them to Southern California. Eight months later Mrs. Wood felt remorseful of her deed and returned with her youngsters to Klamath Falls, where she surrendered to police authorities who held a misdemeanor warrant for her arrest. She was later placed on probation and cautioned against committing a similar indiscretion.

Some months later Oregon law enforcement agencies were again seeking Mrs. Wood who had taken her youngsters from their legal guardian and fled with them from Klamath Falls.

The incident developed after she had sought and received permission from the County Welfare Department to take her youngsters for a walk. Personnel of the welfare office remember that she met her children at the department one day in October, but it was some weeks later before any of them saw Mrs. Wood or her youngsters again.

Sometime during November, Klamath County sheriff deputies, acting on a tip from the Roseburg School District, called at a house in Roseburg and rapped on the door. Steps moved toward the deputies from inside the house and when the door opened Mrs. Wood stood before them.

She was arrested and returned with her children to Klamath Falls, where the youngsters were taken into custody by the welfare department and she was formal-

ly charged with child stealing by the Klamath County District Attorney's Office.

Later, Mrs. Wood was indicted by the Klamath County Grand Jury and soon after pled not guilty to the charge. She was convicted following a jury trial and several days later appeared before Judge Vandenberg to be sentenced.

Following an inspired plea by her attorney, Judge Vandenberg, upon the recommendation of the district attorney's office, placed Mrs. Wood on five years' probation.

On Feb. 1 she was released from the county jail and later obtained employment as a live-in baby sitter taking care of four youngsters.

It wasn't long before Mrs. Wood was again sought by police, this time for violating the terms of her probation.

A requirement of that probation was that she contact the state parole and probation office at Klamath Falls once each month.

Lawrence Lusk, state parole and probation officer, remarked later that she called at his office March 1, but after that date he never saw her again until she appeared at the recent circuit court hearing that was held to determine whether her probation should be revoked.

At the hearing, Mrs. Wood told the court that after leaving the probation office in March she realized that she could no longer take care of another person's children when she was deprived of the company of her own.

She left her job and departed for Western Oregon where she remained briefly before moving to Eureka, Calif. In leaving Klamath County without permission from the parole and probation office, she violated a regulation of her probation.

On March 15, she violated another requirement of that probation when she married without obtaining the consent of the parole office. Her new husband is Robert Lancaster, a lumberjack, more recently of California.

Several months later, Mrs. Wood and her husband became involved with the California police in connection with a missing automobile. Through this incident her location was made known to the Klamath County Sheriff's Office and on July 13 Sheriff Murray "Red" Britten went to Eureka

where she was being held by police.

For the second time in less than a year Mrs. Wood was returned to Klamath Falls in police custody.

The record of Mrs. Wood would indicate that she should be the subject of judicial censure, but the only censure the court may impose is to revoke her probation—an action requiring that she serve a prison sentence as set forth by state statute for child stealing.

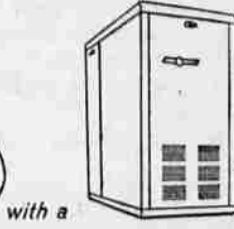
A long prison term in the penitentiary hardly seems just punishment for a woman whose first offense was to be with her children, and whose later offenses involved minor infractions of her probation.

What of Mrs. Wood's attitude following her recent arrest? During the probation hearing, she told the court of her repentance, of a new desire to live in conformity with the regulations of her probation, and of a will which seeks to prove that she is able to provide for herself and children (if permitted to do so).

If Mrs. Wood makes some progress on those intentions before her next appearance in court Sept. 23, the result may be that her probation will be reinstated, though perhaps extended. Otherwise, a term in the state penitentiary might be the outcome.

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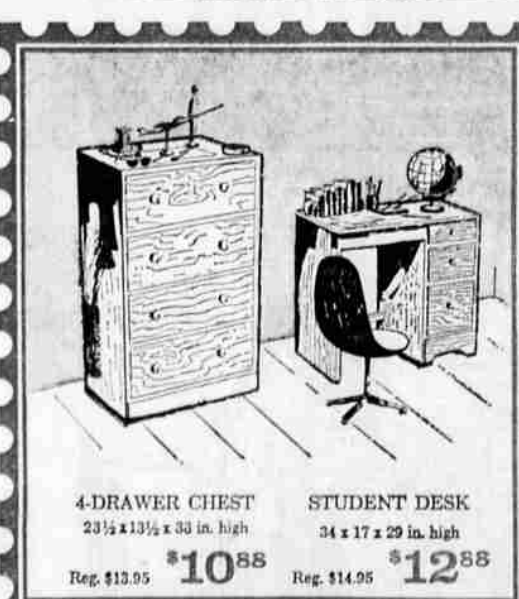
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