

### Earl Plummer Reports to Kiwanis On Convention

A brief report on the Kiwanis convention held at Victoria, B. C., last weekend was given at the weekly Kiwanis Club meeting Tuesday by Earl Plummer, who, with M. M. Nelson, local president, attended as delegates. They were accompanied by their wives.

Plummer reported that over 1000 persons were registered, and while the number was not as great as that attending last year's session at Seattle, the facilities at Victoria were taxed to the limit. Don Wheeler Eugene, he reported, was elected district governor. Next year's convention will be in Portland.

Plummer particularly acclaimed the beauty of the city of Victoria, and its many fine and beautiful homes. He said he was extremely well impressed with the size of the homes, the architecture and the landscaped surroundings.

R. R. Brand, Junior High School principal, called special attention to the school election on the \$895,000 bond issue for new school building construction. The election is next Monday, Oct. 18.

Dave Carroll called attention to the forthcoming Community Chest campaign and the Chamber of Commerce Forum Luncheon next Monday, when H. C. Johnson, Oregon Chest representative, will be the speaker.

Introduced as new members were Col. Medore Crawford, U. S. Army, retired, and Charlie Kring, office manager at Fiegel's Transfer.

Dr. F. W. Fields, program chairman, introduced Rev. W. A. MacArthur, who spoke on his recent trip to Europe and showed colored slides.

### Dewey's Train Target Of Tomatoes and Eggs

(Continued From Page One)

I did before and that's not very much," Tindle said. "I was backing so slow that anybody could have easily gotten out of the way. I gave the proper back up signals. That is all there was to it."

**Youngsters Blamed**  
At Mt. Vernon, Ill., in a Southern Illinois sector generally regarded as friendly territory, Dewey was the target of two flying tomatoes. The candidate's security patrol said youngsters lobbed the vegetables from a nearby roof and promptly ran.

R. L. Biles, porter on the seventh car away from Dewey's, reported the train also was pelted with eggs at Beaucoep where the

train backing-up incident occurred.

"They were rotten, I know, because I could smell them," Biles told reporters.

Dewey, whose train was struck by one over-ripe tomato in Colorado two weeks ago, took no notice of the tomato-heaving incident. He did not learn immediately of the egg tossing.

Mt. Vernon witnesses estimated a half dozen tomatoes were lobbed toward Dewey and his party on the train's rear platform. Mayor Harry Bishop said the candidate's trousers and his own were splattered. A listener standing in the group caught a direct hit.

"It was a great shame that it had to happen after the big effort that had been made to have Governor Dewey stop in Mt. Vernon," mayor Bishop said.

Mt. Vernon is near West Frankfort where Henry A. Wallace's Progressive Party candidate for U. S. Senator from Illinois, Curtis MacDougall, was driven out of town by stone-throwers who broke up a rally several weeks ago.

**GOP Victory Urged**  
Dewey, in his speeches, continued on his theme that only the Republican party can convince the world that the United States is not "flinching" in its search for peace.

He urged that the American people "cast off the shackles of confusion and defeatism and despair" by electing a Republican administration in November.

**Oil Importance Cited**  
In an address in Oklahoma City, Dewey asserted that the United States "in the interest of our national security" must increase its potential oil producing capacity.

"Because of our present needs we have no reserve productive capacity today to help cushion the shock of any emergency," he said.

"Our peacetime demands are actually so great that the United States has become a net importer of petroleum. Obviously, the time has come when to be careless with our oil reserves is to gamble with our country's security at home and abroad. Oil is of vital importance to everyone of us."

"In the interest of our national security we must increase our potential oil producing capacity. We must also go on with research in the development of better methods of refining and secondary recovery, so that we can realize the full potentials of our oil supplies."

**Musts For America**  
In addition the nominee asserted:

"That America, if she is to remain free, must be strong.

"That his administration, if elected in November, will back its diplomatic representatives by letting them 'know that America is not divided.'"

"That the 'abundance of America' must be maintained 'if we are going to broaden our horizons of opportunity...'

"That the nation must 'pay more careful attention to maintaining and increasing our natural resources.'"

"That 'we must maintain the fertility of the land... and fight with everything we have against erosion, plant disease and destructive pests.'"

At Vinita, his first stop in Oklahoma, Dewey told a trainside crowd estimated by police at 2,500 persons that the "tense situation" in the world today demands a change in administration.

**Returns Home** — Edythe Florence Kelly, who has been ill at the Roseburg Sanitarium is now convalescing at her home at 117 McClallen Street.

### Mrs. Ralph Strickle Claimed by Death

Funeral services for Mrs. Ralph (Margaret Gladys) Strickle, who died Tuesday at her home on East Oak street, will be held Thursday at 11 a. m. in the Chapel of the Long and Orr Mortuary. Father William L. Baker of St. George's Episcopal Church will officiate. The body will be taken to Eugene for cremation.

Mrs. Strickle, reported in ill health for several years, was born at Ashland, Wis., and was married to Ralph L. Strickle at Spokane, Wash., Aug. 15, 1919. From Spokane, where Mr. Strickle was associated with the Federal Land Bank, they moved to Roseburg, where Mr. Strickle has been secretary-treasurer of the National Farm Loan Association the last six years.

Surviving besides the widow is one son, John Bryant Strickle, Alameda, Calif.; two grandchildren, Margaret Ann and Janet Lynn Strickle of Alameda, and a sister, Mrs. Frances A. Holstad, Portland.

### Dr. H. A. Schuler Opens Dental Practice Here

Dr. Howard A. Schuler moved to Roseburg last week to set up his dental practice here in the U. S. National Bank Building.

He came from Myrtle Creek, where he has practiced for over a year. Previous to that time, he served in the Army for over a year and one-half.

Dr. and Mrs. Schuler and their two children are planning on making Roseburg their permanent home.

### Berlin Musicians Balk At Playing for Commies

BERLIN, Oct. 13 (AP)—The Berlin Philharmonic orchestra has voted against playing under Communist auspices—at least until the Russians lift their Berlin blockade.

The vote backed up a ban previously placed by the American Military Government, under whose license the orchestra performs.

### LOCAL NEWS

**Pythian Sisters to Meet**—Pythian Sisters will meet at 8 o'clock Thursday night at the K. of P. hall.

**Gets Large Buck**—Al Kuykendall, owner of Al's Fixit Shop in Roseburg, has returned home, following a hunting trip to Eastern Oregon, where he bagged a four-point buck. He was accompanied on the trip by his brother-in-law Floyd Meade, of Phoenix, Ariz.

### The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau Office Roseburg, Oregon  
Forecast for Roseburg and vicinity: Partly cloudy today and tonight, Thursday, morning fog becoming partly cloudy.

Highest temp. any Oct.	96
Lowest temp. any Oct.	22
Highest temp. yesterday.	68
Lowest temp. last night.	48
Precipitation yesterday.	0
Precipitation from Oct. 1.	.65
Precipitation from Sept. 1.	2.36
Excess from Sept. 1.	.13

### Chinese Execute Two For Radio Profiteering

SHANGHAI, Oct. 13 (AP)—A Chinese Airforce Intelligence officer and a radio operator were executed today for transmitting commercial messages over the Army radio station for personal profit.

They were Maj. Yui Ming, in charge of the radio station at Nantung, and Lance Corporal Shao Ti-Sen, operator in the Shanghai Station. The death sentences were approved by President Chiang Kai-Shek.

### Elliott Tells Need Of Additional School Funds

(Continued From Page One)

noons until 5 or 5:30 p. m. "This system is being followed in some districts, but would be temporary and could only serve until additional buildings are provided," he said that additional teachers would be required for double shifts.

**No Tax Load Increase**  
Elliott pointed out that the financing of this bond issue will not incur a larger district property tax for building purposes than has been collected under the six mill serial levy last five years. The bond issue would make available building space needed immediately, while the method followed the last five years provides only sufficient funds annually to construct temporary buildings. Only about one-third of the amount needed annually can be raised by a direct tax levy.

Over a 20-year period, the bond issue would require less millage than the direct tax method employed the last five years, he said.

The bond issue specifically would finance construction of additions to the present Senior High, Fullerton, Riverside and Edenhower Schools, equip and furnish them, construct a central heating plant for Fullerton and the Senior High, construct a new building on Benson School grounds for an assembly hall and gymnasium, and provide additional equipment and furnishing for Rose School.

### Russia Asks Dropping Of Dispute Over Berlin

(Continued From Page One)

Sir Hartley said. "One word from Russia: one little word—'stop'—would enable these troubled countries to put their own houses in order and to build themselves up in Democratic peace and security—one little word—and it does not come."

This word, he said, would halt Communist sabotage of reconstruction and Communist at-

tempts to create instability and chaos.

He said Russia is trying to win "the fruits of war" without fighting. He warned the Soviets not to expect Britain to adopt a policy of appeasement in an effort to reach agreement on control of atomic energy and reduction of armaments.

Shawcross challenged the Russians to:

1. Let newspapermen and diplomats move freely in the Soviet orbit.
2. Let commercial aircraft fly peacefully across Soviet territory.
3. Open the Ukraine and White Russia, "two supposedly independent republics," to the outside world.
4. Permit the exchange of newspapers, magazines and radio broadcasts and university students with other countries.
5. "Let our tourists in each other's countries and become friends."

Soviet delegate Jakob A. Malik, in an immediate reply to Shawcross accused him of obtaining his argument "from the arsenals of Trotsky, Hitler, Goering and Goebbels."

He said the Shawcross' speech was one-third intervention in Soviet domestic affairs, one-third "a beating of drums" and the remainder a repetition of "old and familiar arguments."

### Community Hospital Goal Exceeded in Drive

(Continued From Page One)

remarked that the drive was "the greatest thing ever done in this area." Mrs. Sherman was introduced as a "campaign widow."

The dinner was closed with a prayer offered by the Rev. H. P. Sconce, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Harold E. Schmeer, chairman of the auditing committee, summarized the donations as follows: \$265,802.40, previous audited total; \$47,253.46, last night's report; \$35,055.86, last night's report total.

### Russian Plan to Strangle Berlin Upset by Air Lift

(Continued From Page One)

covery program, designed to make western Europe stand on its own feet in 1952.

**Russians Stage Walk**  
The Russians did not like this. They walked out of the first ERP meeting in Paris and declared war on the whole program.

Giving up on a four-power Germany, six Western nations met in London to try to put Western Germany, composed of the American, British and French zones, on its feet economically.

The Russians reasoned that Berlin was the weak point in the western armor.

If the Soviets could strangle

Berlin and oust the western powers, they would gain enormously in prestige throughout Europe. They could set up a German central government in the old capital which would appeal to all nationalist Germans. And most Germans are nationalists.

The Soviets proceeded cautiously. They were not sure the Western powers would not fight. And they did not want to risk a war.

In March, they demanded the right to inspect American and British military trains on the charge the West was smuggling out war criminals and undesirable types.

Then they refused to allow freight train to pass from Berlin to the West unless it had a Soviet-granted license.

The trains returned empty. The next step was to delay and hamper incoming shipments by inspections.

Then the Western powers put in currency reform in Western Germany to end inflation which was wrecking recovery plans.

**Air Power Trumps Soviet**  
With the land routes closed the western powers resorted to the arm that won them the war—air power. Vast fleets of air transports—mostly American—roared over Berlin. This time they brought food, medicine and coal to more than 2,000,000 western Berliners.

In the air the Russians are at the same disadvantage as the West was on the ground. They may commit the overt act which might bring war. On the ground the West would have to push its armed convoys across the Soviet

border. In the air, the Russians must shoot a British or American plane down to stop it. There is no other way.

Thus far the Russians have shown no inclination to shoot. But Berlin has become such an international issue it is believed the Soviets would risk war in the event force was tried. The stakes have become too great for a retreat without some face-saving compromise.

**SAWDUST  
SLAB WOOD  
PLANER ENDS**

**DENN-GERRETSEN CO.**

Phone 128 402 W. Oak

*"It's still lawn seeding time!"*



Use the wonderful autumn grass growing season to beautify your lawn the famous SCOTT WAY. Your lawn will be beautiful this fall and better all next year.

**SCOTT'S Lawn Food**—A fall meal of this complete grass food brings out color and beauty of lawns. Box feeds 2500 sq ft - \$2.45 Drum, 11,000 sq ft - \$8.95.

**LAWN FOOD plus WEED CONTROL**—Destroys weeds as you feed the grass. Box, treats 2500 sq ft - \$3.50 Drum, 11,000 sq ft - \$12.75.

**SCOTT'S Lawn Seed**—Comes up quickly to provide enduring lawns of rare beauty and color. 1 lb. - \$1.00 5 lbs. - \$4.85 25 lbs. - \$23.75.

**UMPQUA VALLEY HARDWARE**

202 N. Jackson Phone 73

**CS Briggs Washer**

112 W. Cass Phone 914


**LOXIDE HOMES**

Variety of Floor Plans Free Estimates

REMEMBER TO MAKE SOMEONE HAPPY ON THE

*"Sweetest Day in the Year"*

SATURDAY OCT. 16, 1948



On this occasion for special remembrance Societe's traditionally fine candies will "sweetly" express your thoughts and appreciation... The new Societe "Bird of Paradise" Package is a delightful assortment of Societe's finest chocolate coated favorites.

*The Societe box of French Cream Chocolates is a delicious assortment of luscious, soft, creamy centers.*

*An always popular assortment and a favor favorite for all occasions in the Societe Shaded Package.*

**Societe FINE CANDIES**

you'll enjoy 20 years OF EFFICIENT HOT WATER SERVICE with a



**FOWLER Electric WATER HEATER**

**FOWLER is backed by a 20-year warranty because IT HAS ALL THESE FEATURES**

<b>PORCELAIN-LINED TANK</b> This smooth porcelain enameled interior resists rust, keeps water clean, and gives long service.	<b>SUPER 3 WAY INSULATION</b> Keeps the heat in the water—sets new efficiency high.
<b>LONG-LIFE, LOCK-ON HEATING ELEMENTS</b> They operate around the tank at safe, trouble-free "back heat"—apply heat from outside in.	<b>ECONOMY TEMPERATURE CONTROL</b> Automatic and adjustable for additional hot water needs and for temperature preference.
<b>LOW OPERATING COST</b> Users enjoy amazingly low operating cost.	<b>UNEQUALLED KNOW-HOW</b> Fowler is world's oldest maker of electric water heaters, with 34 years' manufacturing experience.

A Fowler is built for long dependable service. You are assured of this service by a 20-year prorated warranty.

Let us show you a Fowler

**MODERN FURNITURE CO.**

222 W. Oak Phone 348

# TRUCKERS

Whether you have one truck or a dozen every log, lumber and dump truck operator is urgently requested to attend an important meeting at

**CANYONVILLE COMMUNITY HALL**

**FRIDAY NIGHT**

**OCT. 15, 8:30 P. M.**

**PURPOSE OF MEETING**

To tell the truckers in the area what the Southern Oregon Truckers League is doing for them.

League membership is open to all log, lumber and dump truck operators.

What changes in P. U. C. laws and other hauling regulations have been recommended to the Legislature? A full report on this and other matters will be made.

**FOR YOUR OWN WELFARE—BE THERE!**