

Turkey Meeting At Eugene Oct. 30

Timely subjects of interest to turkey growers will be discussed at a meeting to be held in the 4-H Club building on the county fair grounds in Eugene on Thursday, October 30, starting promptly at 1:30 p. m., by the Lane County Turkey Growers Association co-operating with the county agent's office, according to word received from County Agent O. S. Fletcher.

The National Turkey Federation program will be discussed by W. T. Guerts, president of the Oregon Turkey Improvement Association and western vice-president of the National Turkey Federation. The outlook for turkey hatching eggs and poulters and the turkey market outlook will be discussed.

RADIO RAY



The second great advantage of Cottage Grove, that we would like to point out is: its excellent water supply.

This is something that is taken for granted here (except for occasional "cussing" when parts of the old system let go); but any person forced to drink the luke-warm, tasteless, liquid that they call water, in most other towns—will agree that we have a priceless asset in our mountain water.

After the completion of the new pipeline, we should advertise this asset in every way—public drinking fountains with large signs to attract the tourist, as in Medford; would be one way.

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cluded by Jay Conn, manager of Oregon Turkey Growers. If time permits N. L. Bennion, extension poultryman, Oregon State College, will give an illustrated talk on turkey management using new slides that he has made during the past year.

The county agent states that all interested people are invited to attend this meeting for turkey growers.

Harry D. Seacord Succumbs Oct. 15

Harry D. Seacord, age 63, passed away suddenly of a heart ailment Wednesday afternoon, October 15, 1947, at his home in the Grove Motel, Cottage Grove.

He was born in Sayre, Penn., Feb. 6, 1884, and made this his home until 1904 when he moved to Redfield, S. D. He married Lydia Schmidt in Redfield May 10, 1911, where they made their home until he retired and moved to Cottage Grove, about three years ago.

He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Mildred O'Brien, of Silverton, Oregon; two grandchildren; one step sister in Sayre, Penn.

Funeral services were held at the Smith Funeral Chapel, Cottage Grove, Friday, October 17, 1947, at 2:30 p. m. Michael J. Shelley, minister of the Church of Christ, Sixth and Gibbs, officiated. Cremation followed at the Eugene Crematorium.

TEN BEARS CAUGHT IN FLORENCE AREA

R. D. Younger, R. D. Crosier, C. J. Burnett and son Charles and Fred Buss caught ten bears on Maple creek within a two and one-half mile radius over the past five or six weeks. The bears were all caught in apple orchards. Largest of the quarry weighed 285 pounds, it is reported.

And last Friday Ole Olson of

the Siltcoos-Canary section, came up with an eleven bear.

Ed Crosier has killed seven bears this autumn over a two-month period. Included were two cubs, two mothers, two males old and shaggy, a yearling male. All were trapped. The bears were ruining orchards in the Siltcoos country.

Bears are apparently providing an escape from the present high meat prices for quite a few of our residents in the country surrounding Florence.—Sisalaw Oar.

New Method Devised For Treating Posts

A new method of treating fence posts and freshly sawed green lumber has been originated at the Lake States forest experiment station. This procedure, the "dry salting" method, consists of applying a mixture of copper sulphate and sodium dichromate in powder form to the surface of freshly peeled green posts and freshly sawed green lumber.

The mixture of these chemicals dissolves in a humid atmosphere and clings to the surface of moist posts and lumber when applied as a powder.

The method results in deep penetration of the preservative which appears to be firmly fixed in the wood so that it is not readily leached out. A definite advantage of this process over any other now available is that treatment can be concentrated at the ground line and top where more protection against decay is needed. The resulting posts have an attractive blue color which is not readily leached out, and tests indicate that the preservative is relatively noncorrosive to staples and wire.

Small Amount of Salt Needed by All Pigs

After several years of tests, the Missouri experiment station has found that hogs having free access to salt consume an average of only a fraction of an ounce per head daily. However, this small amount of salt caused these hogs to make much faster gains than hogs fed a similar ration without salt. The tests indicated that the best way to feed the salt is free choice in mineral mixture.

Trends Govern Value

In buying a house, or building one, the prospective owner should decide whether it is "too good" for the community as a whole and not restrict observations to the immediate neighborhood. If the price is high in relation to trends, the maintenance of its value will be questionable because of constant adjustment to the character of the neighborhood to a lower community level. Depreciation may be quite rapid where an attractive neighborhood is small in ratio to a large community of lower standards.

Saving on Batteries

Hearing aid users, by setting up a timing schedule and rotating batteries during the day, can prolong their life and save as much as 50 per cent on the costs.

Mt. States Power Revenue Is Up

Mountain States Power Co. has reported a 20.58 per cent increase in operating revenues over last year, in a report to stockholders from the company's Oregon headquarters in Albany.

For the first time in the company's history, operating revenues passed the \$8 million mark, totaling \$8,035,972 for the 12 months ending August 31. Kilowatt sales for the year were up 25 per cent and the number of electric customers served on August 31 was 8317 above the previous year.

The financial statement also reported that the firm is negotiating \$5,500,000 in bank loans to mature December 31, 1950, and "which are estimated to be sufficient to carry the construction program for some time."

The company, which serves Springfield, Junction City, Cottage Grove, Coburg and Elmira areas in Lane County, reported gross income at \$1,361,514 for the year. Its net income totaled \$1,021,650.

Where Twain Wrote

Mark Twain wrote many of his famous stories in his study on Old Quarry farm near Elmira, N. Y. His grave is in nearby Woodlawn cemetery.

Try Chill Treatment

For a flakier pie crust, give pastry dough the "chill" treatment. Not only should, shortening be cold and water ice cold, but also chill the dough before baking.

New Name Given Theater Group

At a special business meeting Wednesday evening, October 22, an official name was given to what was originally the Cottage Grove "Little Theater Group". They are now to be known as "The Cottage Grove Civic Theater".

Mr. Cleave was also officially elected as the group president for the coming year, taking over his duties for the first time at the meeting Wednesday evening, October 22.

A skit was given by two members of the organization and more are planned for the next meeting which will be held Wednesday evening at 8:00 in the Jefferson grade school, November 5th. All old and new members are urged to be present at this special meeting.

A definite date has not been set for the performance of the play "Kiss and Tell" now being practiced, but keep your eyes open folks, because it's a play you won't want to miss and after you see it, you'll never forget!

NEW USE FOR WOOD PLANT

A major industrial concern has confirmed the strong conviction of the forest service that the Willamette Wood Chemical company plant at Springfield, Oregon can operate successfully on a commercial basis, according to E. J. Overby, assistant to the secretary of agriculture.

Overby and other department of agriculture officials interested in the future of the plant, which is now in the hands of the war assets administration, conferred here with engineers of the company and

found the survey of the plant by that firm closely agreed with the estimate of the forest service.

FAIR TRADE LAW OF OREGON UPHOLD

Oregon's fair trade law, under

which manufacturers can fix the minimum retail prices to be charged for their products, was ruled constitutional Tuesday at Salem by the state supreme court. The decision was unanimous.

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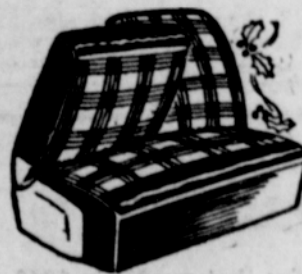
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