

Farm Bureau Meet Scheduled at Bend

Salem, July 31 (Special)—Farm Bureau voting delegates and board members representing the 28 Oregon Farm Bureau counties will gather in Bend, August 3-4-5 to write the tentative resolutions which will serve as a guide to the official voting delegates at the annual convention scheduled for this November at Baker.

At the conclusion of the three day meeting, the tentative resolutions, will be directed to the 150 Farm Bureau centers for study and charges.

Leaders of the four resolution study groups will be Mrs. Walter Hardy, Molalla, Citizenship and Membership resolutions; Ben Robinson, Imbler, farm program resolutions; Barry Brownell, Oregon City, international affairs, resolutions; and Fred Rueck, tax resolutions.

In addition to writing the tentative resolutions, OFBF board of directors will hold their quarterly meeting. Items on the agenda include study of the organizational structure of the newly organized Western States Farm Bureau Life Insurance Company, review of the 1952 convention program and a study of Oregon ballot measures.

Creswell

WALKER CLUB MEETS

CRESWELL—The Walker Community club was entertained last Friday at the home of Mrs. Fred Kinsland of Lynx Hollow. Mrs. Lawrence Fisher and Mrs. John Ware were visitors and became members. The work committee reported delivering a quilt made by the club to the Dickes family, who had recently lost their home in a fire.

The August 14 meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. V. E. Grousbek with Mrs. Mary Lindsay hostess at a potluck dinner at noon.

Present were Mesdames V. E. Grousbek, Anton Myers, R. E. Wright, Maude Clark, Mabel Jackson, Cline Walkley and the hostess.

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT MEETS WITH METHODISTS

CRESWELL—Rev. S. Raynor Smith, district superintendent of the Methodist church, presided at a meeting of the official board of the local church Friday evening. Plans were discussed for the completion of the new unit now under construction and of future plans for the church. The annex has recently been redecorated and work will be done at the parsonage. Refreshments were served following the business meeting.

Around Town

P. A. Main underwent surgery at a Eugene hospital Wednesday, July 23.

Mrs. Ray Bernhardt of Bremerton, Wash., left for her home the last of the week after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Walter Tuttle.

Mr. L. C. Satter and Mrs. Wayne Bowers made a trip to Salem and returned last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Coombs returned last week from two weeks with their children in California, a daughter at Fillmore and a son at Burbank. The Coombs have sold their 40 acre tract including ten acres of filberts and a modern home to Mr. G. E. Husted of San Carlos, Calif., who will take possession August 25. Both Mr. and Mrs. Husted are aviators and will keep their plane at the airport south of Creswell. The Coombs will move to Eugene where Mr. Coombs has been employed in the office of the Twin Oaks Lumber company for several years.

L. S. Ayotte of Eugene, a member of Creswell Grange, was present at the session Thursday evening and was a guest at the V. E. Grousbek home while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert O. Lingren of Long Beach, Calif., are spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Miller. Mrs. Lingren and Mrs. Miller were childhood friends.

The Iowa club will picnic Sunday, August 3 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Miller on Howe Lane. All former residents of Iowa are invited to come and bring their picnic lunch and spend the day.

The Allan D. Smith family of Arcadia, Wis., who are spending the summer at Eel Creek on the coast, called last week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith, on their way to Crater Lake. Linda Smith of Portland, who has been visiting her grandparents, accompanied the Smith family on the trip.

Robert Franklin, who was hospitalized several weeks at a hospital in Eugene, is at his home in the Camas Swale district and is gaining rapidly. He underwent surgery several times for an ear infection.

The State Junior League baseball team of Creswell played Drain here Friday with Creswell winning with a score of 21 to 3. Creswell was scheduled to play Eugene there July 29.

The Little Theater club enjoyed a potluck supper Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Magstad. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Brundidge.

Miss Ida Ruegger spent Friday at the home of her nephew, Edward Ziniker, and enjoyed a birthday dinner for three-year-old Roseann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ziniker.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Skinner of Salem visited over the week end with his brother, Arthur Skinner, and wife. Other recent guests at the Skinner home were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Chilcote of Klamath Falls and Manley Young of Naches, Wash.

Carl Sorenson and family of this area, have located at Berkeley, Calif., following his discharge from navy duty. He has gone into the radar business for himself. Mrs. Sorenson was formerly Ethel Skinner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Skinner.

Hebron Youth Grange Starts Member Drive

By Mrs. Gale Roby

At the July 26 meeting of Hebron Grange the first three applications for membership were turned in for the Youth Group contest that is underway.

It was announced that captains were Forrest Woods and Gale Roby with the entire Grange membership divided on the two teams and the lists posted on the bulletin board. It is urged that applications be presented as early as possible, as candidates for membership must receive at least the first and second degrees to be eligible to be counted in the final count. Contests end September 20. This is an endeavor to increase membership in the newly organized Youth Group.

Word has been definitely verified from State Grange rules that the age of youth membership is 14 years to and including 26 years. Any application for membership in the Grange will be accepted during this contest, but only those in this age group will be counted in the contest. Winning team will be given a full evening's entertainment by the losers. Next Youth meeting is August 9 at the hall.

Set Carnival

A carnival is being sponsored by the Youth Group to be held this summer at the hall, outdoors if weather permits. Grange members were asked to check with the bulletin board for needed materials for the booths, as well as the fish pond and for prizes. Before throwing anything away, see first if it is suitable for a prize or a 'fish.' The 'fish' are to be wrapped for the fish pond.

A report from the Home Economics chairman, Mrs. Fred Harris, reminded members to look to their fancy work for a booth at the Youth carnival. Date has not been set. However, this will not take the place of the regular club bazaar. At the next meeting of the club, Mrs. Dean Martin and daughter Anella, and Mrs. Don Martin and Mrs. Alice Williams will act as hostesses with the meeting at the hall. The date of this meeting has been set up a week to August 19 that final plans may be made for the food booth at the South Lane Fair in Cottage Grove, August 22 and 23.

Twenty-two members and six children attended the July 26 meeting of the club at the home of Mrs. Zula Hansen with Mrs. Everett McCoy assisting hostess.

A letter of interest of work and life in Alaska was read from Jack Godard. It was announced that Cliff Bethune of Hebron Christian Church will visit the next grange meeting this Saturday, August 2. A lecturer's program included a monologue, "Who Said Vacation," with a surprise element by Marie Geer. A pencil game by visiting member, Mrs. Theresa Flemming from Fall Brook, Calif., grange, Mrs. Wesley Stewart won this game. A song, "My Hat," was played by all as well as a game of observation.

Refreshments of coffee, jello and sandwiches were served by Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Woods. Square dancing followed.

At the August 2 meeting refreshments will be served by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Geer, Mrs. Earl Marcy and Ted and Tommy Clark. Members are to bring pie.

Reflecting God's government, man is self-governed.

—Mary Baker Eddy

Sawdust Mulches Need Nitrogen, Says OSC Expert

When using Douglas fir sawdust as a mulch, enough nitrogen should be added to the soil to hasten decomposition of the sawdust and to keep growing plants healthy, Dr. W. B. Bollen, Oregon State college soil bacteriologist, has suggested.

Experiments conducted by Dr. Bollen and other research specialists of the Oregon forest products laboratory and the OSC agricultural experiment station have established the value of sawdust as mulch.

Sawdust, like other mulches such as straw and peat moss, is not a fertilizer, Dr. Bollen emphasized. As a mulch, however, sawdust helps to hold soil moisture, to keep down weeds and to retard erosion. Upon complete decomposition, all mulches add to the humus supply.

Rate of decomposition of any mulch depends upon the nitrogen supply in the material itself and the soil on which it is placed. Nitrogen is added to get rapid decomposition and to prevent nitrogen starvation of plants.

Between 5 and 10 pounds of ammonium sulfate, a nitrogen-containing fertilizer, should be applied to the soil for each ton of sawdust at the time of mulching, Dr. Bollen recommended. At the beginning of the second year of decay, about one-half this amount of nitrogen

fertilizer needs to be added. A sawdust mulch is easier to handle than other kinds, is usually easier to obtain and should last for about 10 years, Dr. Bollen said. A sawdust mulch from two to four inches deep is often recommended for orchards and berry fields.

Dr. Bollen found that Douglas fir sawdust, which contains a higher-than-average percentage of bark, decomposes slower than most types of sawdust. Tannin and waxes in the bark are believed responsible for the low decomposition rate.

Another series of greenhouse tests in connection with the soil bacteriological studies on other types of sawdust has been launched by Dr. Bollen. This new project should be completed in about four months.

WALKER

Mrs. Mary Quinn, Correspondent

Visiting at the R. C. Hiltz home are Mr. and Mrs. Rola Lyon of Kansas City, Missouri; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Korradi of Portland and Mrs. Virginia Nilson, also of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Burton of Eugene. Mrs. Lyon, Mrs. Korradi and Mrs. Nilson are Mrs. Hiltz' sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reynolds, all of Corvallis and Miss Linda Chapman of San Jose, Calif., were recent visitors at the Luther Alexander home.

The B and B Lumber company is installing a planer mill at Walker.

Bud Leach and Harold Theda are building a saw mill. They in-

tend to move the mill in the near future.

Steve Martin is working for Leach and Theda.

A new well is being drilled at the place known as the Miller farm. The John Ware family has rented the place.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Leathers and son of Cottage Grove have moved at the Patton house on Lynx Hollow road. Mr. Leathers is employed by Steers Electric.

The moral progression of a people can scarcely begin till they are independent.

—James Martineau

There is often as much independence in not being led, as in not being driven.—Tryon Edwards

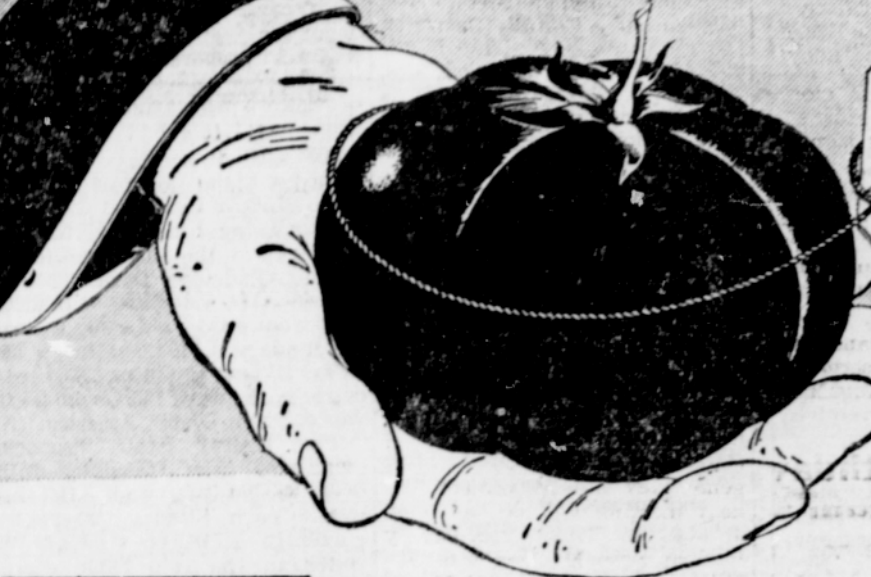
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Tomatoes	Northwest's Finest	lb. 19c
Grapes	Thompson Seedless	lb. 19c
Sweet Corn	Fresh Picked	lb. 15c

Morrell's Snack	All Meat	12-oz. can	39c	Tomato Juice	Sunny Dawn	46-oz. can	27c		
Tuna Fish	Torpedo Grated	2 No. 1/2 tins	39c	Grapefruit Juice	Town House	46-oz. can	26c		
Frillets	Porter's Brand	Wide Macaroni	16-oz. pkg.	Lunch Meat	Prem	12-oz. can	45c		
Zee Tissue	Famuy Pak	4 rolls	29c	Cherub Milk	Evaporated	can	14c		
Zee Wax Paper	125-foot roll	21c	Borden's Milk	2 cans	29c	Baby Food	Gerber's, Strained and Chopped	4/36c	
Canned Tomatoes	Spencer Solid Pack	No. 2 1/2 can	19c	Shady Lane Butter	1-lb.	80c	Fresh Milk	3.5% 2 qt.	45c
Margarine	Sunnybank Colored-Cubes	1-lb. carton	25c	Peanut Butter	Bevelly 1 1/2-lb. jar	67c	Spanish Rice	Van Camp No. 300 can	19c

Nob Hill Coffee	1 lb. 86c	2 lb. 1.70	Town House—Natural GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	2 No. 2 cans	19c
Airway Coffee	1 lb. 83c	2 lb. 1.64	Truly Yours—Fancy ASSORTED COOKIES	1-lb. pkg.	49c
Edwards Coffee	1 lb. 91c	2 lb. 1.80	Oven Glo SODA CRACKERS	2-lb. pkg.	39c
Instant Coffee	Edwards 4-oz. jar	42c	Skylark HONEY-CORN BREAD	1-lb. loaf	21c
Tea Bags	Canterbury 48-bag pkg.	53c	Prices in this ad effective thru Saturday, Aug. 2		
Honey	Bradshaw Strained 3 Bears 24-oz. jar	50c	SAFEWAY		
Salad Dressing	Duchess 1-lb.	31c			
Dill Pickles	Columbia 56-oz. jar	59c			
Mrs. Wright's Bread	1 1/2-lb.	23c			
Busy Baker Crackers	2-lb.	50c			
Kitchen Craft Flour	25-lb. bag	2.23			
Breeze Cheese Food	2-lb.	94c			
Velveeta Cheese	2-lb. brick	98c			
Shortening	Royal Satin 3-lb.	79c			
Swift's Shortening	1-lb.	79c			
Camay Bath Soap	3 bars	35c			
Breeze Sudser	with Washcloth 15-oz. pkg.	31c			
Dreft Detergent	15-oz. pkg.	31c			
Vel Detergent	15-oz. pkg.	31c			
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