

Fire Hearing Was Held On May 5

State Forester, N. S. Rogers, conducted a hearing at Gold Beach May 5th to determine the lands which should be excluded from Fire Patrol tax. V. V. Young local Fire Patrol supervisor was in charge of arrangements.

Land owners requesting adjustments include Walter Hofess, Harvey Crook, J. W. Tyson, Charles Warnock, J. R. Yoakam, Norman R. Smith, D. W. Miller, L. K. Hutton and Lois Kruetzer. Due to excellent cooperation and control of fires, Mr. Rogers estimates that the levy will not exceed 5c in spite of increasing costs for the next fiscal year. He gave a complete report on the three-county (Coos, Curry and Douglas) budget for this coming year and agreed to provide a news release giving the items of interest.

"Wendy Weeder" Writes:

Dear "Patsy Planter":

Many of you men have heard this woeful remark in the past few days of hunny weather. Isn't this the time of year to put in lawn? and sure enough fellows, the ladies are right. This is the perfect time to plant your lawn. So out with the shovel and the rake, your troubles are just beginning.

The first step in obtaining a good lawn is the careful sowing of grass seed. After the ground is properly prepared, wait for a calm day then divide the quantity of seed into two parts. Sow in one direction using one-half of the seed, after which sow in the opposite direction using the other half of the seed. Observe a distinct pattern in sowing grass seed.

You may figure on using five pounds of seed per 1000 square feet or one half pound per 100 square feet.

After sowing, rake the seed into the soil lightly, not deeper

than 1/8 inch, then roll the area lightly. Following the seeding, the area should be watered with a mist-like spray.

Your new lawn should not be cut until the grass reaches a length of two inches, and then grass shouldn't be cut to less than 1 1/2 inches.

When your lawn has formed a beautiful soft green carpet over your yard, other problems confront you. There are three main pests which may damage your lawn though they may be of help to your garden. The first of these is the common earth worm which in most cases does such wonderful work in creating top soil and fertilizing the ground. They may, however, leave your lawn unsightly and also destroy the new roots of grass. To eliminate the earth worm in your lawn, use a mixture of arsenate of lead with sand or loam. About five pounds to 100 square feet. Then water the grass.

Ant hills are not only unsightly on a well kept lawn but they may hinder its growth. Also, ants quite frequently carry away the new grass seeds. There are many ant exterminators on the market today and they will usually solve your problem. However, if they aren't satisfactory you will find that one teaspoonful of carbon bisulfide introduced through the turf by means of a long stem oil can will prove satisfactory. One must remember that, carbon bisulfide, if spilled, will kill the grass.

Many times moles invade our lawn as well as our garden. They are a common pest and they may be exterminated by the use of poisonous gas, prepared especially for moles.

A well watered lawn is always the most beautiful and here is a tip to remember. A thorough watering less frequently is much better than a light sprinkling often.

Good luck with your new lawn Love—"Wendy Weeder"

William Tolman is visiting relatives in Napa, California for several weeks.

Appointments Due For Academies

Congressman Harris Ellsworth announced today that preliminary qualifying examinations for vacancies at both the U. S. Naval and the U. S. Military academies will be conducted by the U. S. Civil Service commission, Monday, June 12, 1948, at the Post Office buildings in Albany, Coos Bay, Eugene, Grants Pass, Medford, Roseburg, and Reedsport.

Candidates for admission must never have been married, and must be bonafide residents of the fourth district. As of the date of entrance into the academies, July 1, 1949, appointees for the Naval Academy and Military academy must be 17 years of age. The maximum ages are 21 and 22 respectively except in the case of ex-servicemen who may be two years older. Servicemen within the proper age limits may compete and will be given the examination by their commanding officers.

The examination will be about 3 1/2 hours in length and confined to vocabulary and reading, spatial relations and algebra. Nominations will be on the basis of grades earned in the examination.

Candidates desiring to compete should notify Congressman Ellsworth, House Office Building, Washington, D. C. not later than June 1st, indicating their choice of place for examination, legal residence, and date of birth.

NOTICE

All singers who wish to co-operate in a choir to sing at the Azalea Festival religious service to be held in Azalea park, Sunday morning, May 23rd, are requested to meet at the Community Baptist church Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

VOTE FOR DOUG COOLEY

Douglas V. Cooley, born and reared in southwestern Curry county on a dairy ranch near Harbor, Oregon. A graduate of the Brookings high school. Has spent most of his life in Curry county. Is very well known and a highly reputable citizen among his many friends who know him. Is a resident and home owner of Brookings.

With over nine years of experience in highway and road construction he has operated practically every type of road building machinery, successfully under the eyes of a state road inspector. When the war started he went into defense work on government ammunition dumps on Mare Island, Benica, Port Chicago and the navy airfield at Alameda.

In the service with the U. S. marines, stationed at Camp Pendleton, Calif., and attached to the 5th division headquarters and service company as a heavy equipment operator.

It was at a time when it was generally understood by most people locally that our present county commissioner had no intentions of seeking office for another term, that Douglas V. Cooley saw the need for a capable man to take up where he would leave off; and with that in mind proceeded to file for nomination subject to the republican primary, May 21st. He has no outside interest or enterprise to conflict with or divert his time from county interests and obligations. He is well qualified for the position. His integrity is beyond reproach. For economy and good roads vote for Douglas V. Cooley for county commissioner. —Political Advertisement.

Gov. John Hall Popular Locally

If talk about the community may be taken as indication of the belief over the state concerning the next governor of Oregon Gov. John Hall seems to be nominated on the Republican ticket.

Sworn in office when the late Gov. Earl Snell, Robert Farrell and Mr. Cornette were killed, Hall seems to be gaining in popular favor as time passes. The race will be decided May 21, when Oregon voters cast their primary ballots.

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