

## Special Edition To Show Co-op's Popularity In Area

A 20-page special edition, to reach the mails before Dec. 15, tells, through its columns, laden with advertising, how well the Coos-Curry Electric Co-operative has been held in the minds of business people from Coos Bay to Crescent City.

Faced at its beginning, back in 1939, the Co-operative had apparently unsurmountable odds.

By careful management and help of the REA, the concern has jumped from the original 200 members to almost 3000 at the present, with more to be added as soon as lines can be built to those now remote sections.

By bringing electricity to the area, this co-operative has lifted the standards of living for many

a family, which otherwise might never have electricity.

All members will receive a copy soon after the middle of December.

## Bank Statement Show Co. Sound In Financial Way

GOLD BEACH—The financial statement of Curry County Bank, as of Nov. 1, called by the banking department of the state, has a significant meaning to Curry County, it was pointed out here by bank officials, Monday. The assets point to a healthy financial condition in the county, because it represents but about three-fourths of the county's financial worth.

People, in the north end of the county, near to Bandon, are likely, because of geography, to

bank nearer home, and the same holds true in the extreme southern portion of the county.

However, the bank officials are ready to point out, many people remain loyal to the bank despite geography, and the report gives a true picture of the wealth in Curry county.

## Many Learn To 'Run' Resusciator

The new resuscitator, recently purchased by the people of this area, will have many people in the area who are capable to "run" the apparatus, when emergency does arise.

A trained representative of the E. & J. Co., of Glendale, Calif., was here last Wednesday evening, when some 30-odd people availed themselves of the opportunity of learning the intricacies of the apparatus.

Later, classes will be held periodically, to acquaint all those who were unable to be present last Wednesday.

Dates of these classes will be announced later. These classes will include members of the fire department, absent, Wednesday.

## Along Azalea Row

It was a "right nice" party, everyone agreed, a wee bit long, perhaps, but then, no one noticed that until it was time to go. The Azalea Singers sang so sweetly, and it was such a pleasure having Mrs. Curzon MacKenzie there once more to lead them. Out of town guests were so distinguished, the speaker for the afternoon had a message, the flowers lent a festive air and the hostesses supplied the most bountiful refreshment. Let's talk of the flower show first!

A really impressive array of beauty greeted us as we entered the door. Chrysanthemums in abundance in spite of the wind and rain. Some unusual arrangements. Gilding the Lily? Oh no, gilding the lowly cabbage heads nestled amid a bed of Swiss chard surrounding a single candle, an exhibit of Mrs. Walter Pearmine.

Another in which candles were used, twin entries by Mrs. Maude Sandbo, stately candles with a backdrop of a single century plant leaf, twined about at the base by a pine spray and cones, a touch of catenaster berries for color. A dramatic arrangement. Another, straight from fairyland toad stools red, edged in brown, set in a bed of moss by Mrs. Lillian Weideman.

Others, too numerous to mention here. Ideas galore. The tea table held a centerpiece of fruits and vegetables suitable for the Thanksgiving table.

The flower show was in charge of Mrs. Eunice Wollam as horticulture chairman, and Mrs. Martha Grayshel, flower show practice chairman.

Azalea Singers contributed generously to the afternoon's enjoyment with several numbers. The guest singer was George Widney, commemorating Armistice Day, in a song "This Is Worth Fighting For" which seemed to your reporter to also have a been a practical application to speaker's subject for the afternoon "Conservation of Natural Resources."

As former president of the Oregon State Federation of Garden clubs, and a regional director of the national organization, Mrs. Daniel Heffner of Portland was very well qualified to bring her subject from national scope to state, and down to local level for practical applications by the

Azalea Garden Club members.

The color slides shown were to illustrate how bill boards ruin the national beauty of the country side and to contrast roads in states where they are not prohibited with beauty spots where they are. As a tourist state and one developing more and more as such, this has a practical and immediate interest to Brookings and Harobr.

Azalea Garden Club welcomed many out-of-town guests: Mrs. Harry O. Smith of Cave Junction, one of the founders of the local club and now national horticultural chairman; Mrs. R. T. Nichol of Medford, district vice-president of Siskiyou region, were present, as were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Dana of Portland; Mesdames Bess Reuse, Casper, Wyo., Clara Larsen and Clara McIndoe of Crescent City, Hazel McCall of Yakima, Wash., Ida Hall, Smith River, Mary Ladd Elkton, Ore., Charles A. Mills, Vine

Grove, Ky., J. J. Villiar, J. W. Smith, Cave Junction; Tom Ginn, J. W. Jacobs, Medford; W. L. Waldon, Medford.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mesdames B. B. Bolton, Eugene Ackley, LeMere Christensen and R. Struebing.

## Smith River Club To Issue Yearbook

Smith River Woman's Club, an active and alert organization, is about to issue a yearbook for the coming 12 months activities. This booklet, larger than last year, has a fuller program for the community welfare, and for the club women to accomplish.

The copy is in the hands of the printers, and the book will be ready before the December meeting.

Subscription to the Pilot is an easy way to save letter-writing.

## REPORT OF CONDITION

Of the CURRY COUNTY BANK, at Gold Beach, County of Curry, Oregon, at close of business November 1, 1949.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$805.61 overdrafts).....	\$ 785,270.54
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed .....	790,035.50
Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....	118,943.30
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection.....	591,682.96
Bank premises owned \$9,077.69, furniture and fixtures \$9,450.27 .....	18,527.95
<b>TOTAL ASSETS .....</b>	<b>\$2,304,460.25</b>

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations .....	\$1,505,398.53
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations .....	382,385.93
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) .....	18,777.57
Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....	202,826.59
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc).....	18,110.80
Total Deposits .....	\$2,127,499.42
Other liabilities .....	13,774.77
Total liabilities (not including subordinated obligations shown below) .....	\$2,141,274.19

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital .....	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus .....	75,000.00
Undivided profits .....	23,186.06
Reserves (retirement account for debentures or preferred stock) .....	40,000.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.....</b>	<b>163,186.06</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts.....</b>	<b>\$2,304,460.25</b>

State of Oregon, County of Curry, ss.  
I, C. H. Young, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
C. H. YOUNG, Cashier  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Nov, 1949.  
W. H. ANDREWS, Notary Public for Oregon (My commission expires March 22, 1953).  
Correct: Attest—Louis L. Knapp, W. A. Cartwright, S. J. Spoerl, E. E. Hanscam, directors.

## Quick Fudge from New Mix



For after-skating parties, after school jam sessions or for any old time the gang gets together there must be fudge. Teen agers, both boys and girls, who always love to get out in the kitchen and cook up a batch of fudge, will love the quickness and ease with which they can turn out this perennially popular sweet with a new instant cocoa. This new sweet cocoa mix eliminates boiling and testing. The mix, milk and butter are heated together just long enough to melt the butter. Then a little more mixing, a bit of kneading and there you have it. Easy! Walnut or pecan meats may be added or pieces may be rolled in coconut, if desired. Peppermint flavoring may be substituted for vanilla.

Other chocolate favorites—instant cocoa or chocolate milk, quick chocolate frosting and chocolate sauce—are just as easily made with this sweet cocoa mix.

But speaking of fudge as we were a while back, here are the easy directions for making it, using this new product with its 4-in-1 advantages.

### Quick Fudge

- ½ cup sweet cocoa mix
- ¼ cup milk
- ¼ cup butter
- ½ teaspoon vanilla
- 3 cups sifted confectioners' sugar (about)

Combine cocoa, milk and butter in a saucepan. Heat until butter is melted and cocoa is dissolved, stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Add vanilla. Add ½ of the sugar, mixing well. Then add remaining sugar and knead with fingers until mixture is consistency of fudge. (If mixture is too soft, add a little more sugar.) Press into greased 8x8-inch pan. Chill. When firm, cut in squares. Makes about 3 dozen pieces.



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