

Oregon Lilies Show Well In '51 Tests

SALEM — Oregonians will be able to buy about 20,000 more Easter lilies from florists this year than last and virtually all of them will be from American-grown bulbs.

This is the word from the state department of agriculture, based on its recent survey of 44 Oregon greenhouses forcing Easter lilies.

Inspectors found 94,000 bulbs being forced in greenhouses now, with most of them Croft, Ace and Pride of Oregon bulbs, grown in the northwestern. Only bulbs being forced here that were grown in Japan are 200 Arabu and 2,250 Gig lilies. Before world war 2, put the west coast in the business of producing Easter lily bulbs Japan supplied most of the bulbs for this area.

Department inspectors said that the survey showed the forced plants to be exceptionally free of bunchy top and that only one plant in the 94,000 showed fleck virus. There was a small percentage of "duds"—the overall percentage of disease was less than one per cent. Scorch, a physiological disease, was found to be very light this year.

About 90 per cent of the bulbs will be for sale at Easter; the other ten per cent will be either too early or too late for the Easter trade.

GOLD BEACH

Smorgasbord Huge Success

A crowd, far exceeding expectations, came to the basement dining room of the Community church Friday evening to partake of the Smorgasbord prepared by the Ladies Aid.

The dining room was decorated with spring flowers and the food was appealing. The ladies served more than two hundred guests and at times there was a long waiting line.

Style Show Scheduled

Connie's Sportswear is sponsoring a style show to be held at the Chinook Theatre, March 3, at 3 p. m.

There will be many prizes to be awarded to models and spectators following the show. There is no charge and the public is invited.

Scouts Push Clothing Drive

Boys Scouts of America are sponsoring a nation-wide international "Good Turn" as one of their projects for the year, with the local unit co-operating. The Good Turn consists of collecting needed articles of clothing and household linens which will be sorted, boxed and sent to Europe.

The clothing (men's, women's and children's) must be clean and in good condition. Shoes must have at least six months wear and be fastened together, no high heels. Clean bedding and household linens are also needed.

The date set for the Good Turn drive is Feb. 25 to March 10. Anyone having anything for the boys, call Scoutmaster Howard Herron.

Gold Beach News Notes

The Sewing Susies, 4-H sewing 2 club, met at the home of their leader, Hazel Sydow, Wednesday evening. Refreshments closed the evening.

Mrs. Terry Quigley and small daughter left for Corvallis to visit Mrs. Quigley's father, Frank Hayes, who was suddenly stricken blind.

Rebekah Social club with Bea McLennan in charge, held a food and apron sale Friday at the lobby of the Hickok Hotel.

Freda Schofield has been selected to serve as local representative for Fuller Brush Cosmetics which are Daggett and Remsdell products. The line is reported to be good.

Rebekah Social club is planning a box social and card party at the Art Center on the evening of March 3. The public is invited.

Gold Beach Gun club, represented by ten of the members and their wives, left Friday for Medford to enter the trap shoot on Saturday and Sunday.

A birthday party was held at the Averill Walker home in Jerry's Flat for their son, Ralph's 5th birthday. A number of his little friends were present with

gifts and to enjoy the birthday cake and jello.

The seventh and eighth grade basketball team played Ophir on Thursday and came out ahead by a 15-14 score. That was close!

March 4 the final shoot for the Curry county championship will be held here. Brookings still has a 4-point lead, which is expected to be challenged Sunday.

New Switchboard Installed At C. C.

COOS BAY—West Coast Telephone Company is in course of installing two new switchboard positions in the Crescent City exchange, according to George McBride, district manager for the company.

"This means a substantial addition to our facilities for handling the rapidly growing telephone traffic in this area," he reported, "This installation will give us a total of five switchboard positions. We expect this work to be completed within the next two or three weeks."

"In addition," he added, "we are arranging to install four circuits for use between Crescent City and Coos Bay and four additional circuits for use between Crescent City and Eureka."

The company's technicians have recently replaced most of the "carrier" equipment between Crescent City, Brookings and to Smith River, with a superior-type of apparatus that affords considerably better transmission.

"These changes and additions at our plant," McBride added, "will result in great improvement. We have been called upon to meet the challenge of a most astonishing growth in this area."

"In January, 1946, there were 511 telephones in the area served by Crescent City, Klamath, Orick and Smith River exchanges—today there are 1185 telephones, an increase of over 130 per cent in five years. In the Marshfield district as a whole, which includes exchanges from Reedsport to Crescent City, during the same five-year period, we have increased the number of telephones we serve from 7048 to 12,161, an increase of over 72 percent."

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Dorothy Asdel and son of San Monica, formerly of Port Orford, were brief callers in this area Tuesday. The Asdels, who started Oregon Coast Berry Co., are now at work for Lockheed Aircraft Corporation, and are

Notice To Creditors

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Curry County. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES A. WARNOCK, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Charles A. Warnock, Deceased, by the County Court of Curry County, Oregon, and has qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified as by law required, to the undersigned at Room 5, Hendricks Building, Brookings, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

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Ed F. Ackley, attorney for administratrix, Brookings, Ore.

trying to sell their blueberry holdings at Port Orford. Mrs. Asdel will remain in Port Orford for three weeks or more.

Curry County Auxiliary 966,

VFW, held a meeting Feb. 21 and initiated Mrs. Alice Putnam, Edith Hynes and Irene Koeller. The front doors will be installed soon as part of the improvements to

be made to the building. Mrs. Ina DeMoss is rapidly recovering from a fall in her home recently when she fractured a number of her ribs.

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NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

Summary of Estimates of Expenditures, Receipts, and Available Cash Balances and Tax Levies

ESTIMATION OF TAX LEVY	Total All Funds	General Fund, Sched. 2	Bond Int., Sink, Fund
TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES	\$148,577.00	\$137,482.00	\$ 11,095.00
Deduct: Total Est. Receipts and Avail. Cash Balance (Schedule 1)	50,452.25		
Amount Necessary to Balance Budget	98,124.75		
Add Est. Amt. of Taxes that will not be collected during fiscal year	6,000.00		
Total Estimate Tax Levies for Ensuing Fiscal Year	\$104,124.75		
Indebtedness—			
Amount of bonded indebtedness (include all negotiable interest-bearing warrants issued under section 111-1018, O. C. L. A.)	\$112,000.00		
Total Indebtedness	\$112,000.00		

Dated this February 14, 1951: Signed: Dora E. Beaulieu, District Clerk; Gladys E. Kindel, Chairman, Board of Directors

Approved by budget committee February 14, 1951: Signed: Robert O. Dimmick, Sec.; Virgil Goldsberry, Chr. Bud. Com.