

## Curry General Hospital Is Latest Word Facilities, Rotary Club Told



The latest word in hospital facilities, Curry General Hospital, Gold Beach, was completed at a total cost of \$133,626.00, and is equipped with everything that may be found in any big-city hospital. C. E. Seger, county service office, Tuesday, told Rotarians that the county can be proud of this structure and its purpose.

### Along Azalea Row

By Faye Sunderland

February meeting of Azalea Garden Club, will be held Thursday, February 14, at the Grange hall, at 2 p. m. I am being very explicit because I know there are many new ladies in this area who aren't just sure where and when we meet. We also want to make it clear that the garden club is not a club where one need apply for membership or wait for a personal invitation. Every lady in the community may belong merely by coming to the meetings and

saying "I'd like to join." This is an especially fine time to join the club, as we are going into the final months of our year and the dues now are just \$1.25 which gives one a membership card, paid to June.

The Azalea Garden club has a definite need and purpose here. Landscape gardening in this area is very different than in the Willamette valley, Southern Oregon or even just up the coast a comparatively few miles. Our growing season is very long, our climate mild. The warm spring rains and summer fogs are conducive to fast and prolific growth. Some flowers that are supposed to be annuals, turn into perennials in this area! Shrubs that need to be well rooted and pampered in another area, grow here from cuttings. Consequently, ladies new to this area and interested in gardening, will find our meetings very helpful.

Information and interesting talks on all of these things are discussed at the garden club by well-informed people. Plant exchanges and gifts of cuttings and

### I. O. O. F. Elected New Scout Group

Chetco Lodge, I. O. O. F., sponsors of the Boy Scout Troop 32 in Brookings, has elected a new roster of officers for 1952. Fred Moore will act as institutional representative; D. M. Morgan as scoutmaster; Dal Sanders as assistant scoutmaster; Henry Kerr, assistant scoutmaster; C. A. Page, chairman of the committee; including Ben Jones and George Hassett.

Twenty-six scouts were registered on the 1952 charter, among which is a star scout, Jerry Smith and one first class scout, Eddie Gran.

Mrs. Anna Waldien returned from Portland last week in time to accompany her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Curt Waldien, to Southern California, where they will visit for several weeks.

starts are the happy lot of the garden club members.

"My Favorite Flowering Tree or Shrub" will be the subject discussed Feb. 14, by Mrs. Swan, Mrs. Edwardson, Mrs. Harbin, Mrs. McIndoe and Mrs. Carson. These ladies are well informed and enthusiastic gardeners. This is a very timely topic as this next month is the time to get our cuttings, trees and shrubs, well started.

Plantings of trees and shrubs, solve many problems. Whether you have a city lot or an acre, they offer possibilities as windbreaks, as material for repairing of roadside cuts or fill, for covering areas unsuitable for any flowers and for controlling erosion of various types. Some of these problems and the shrub, tree or ground cover to solve it, will be discussed.

The Azalea Singers, lead by Mrs. Curzon MacKenzie, will sing for us. Guest soloist is Mrs. Wilhelmina Donnelly.

A plant exchange will be our Valentine to one another. A social hour is always enjoyed at the close of the meeting.

### Weather Report

For the week ending on Sunday:

	Max.	Min.	Rain
January 26	58	42	....
January 29	54	45	.33
January 30	52	50	1.01
January 31	55	50	1.13
February 1	52	50	1.62
February 2	50	46	.86
February 3	51	48	.42
Rainfall for week			1.37
Rainfall for January			16.00

### Girl Scout Mothers Held A Meeting

Mothers of the Brownie Scouts met at the home of Mrs. Glen Hurst Monday afternoon to elect committees for the coming year's work:

Mrs. Barney Mathews, Mrs. Warren Smith, Mrs. Harry Lockland and Mrs. Erskine Mill comprise the scout committee. Mrs. Fred Fox and Mrs. Hurst are leaders.

Mothers present beside the officers were Mrs. Earl Eickenberry, Mrs. Ivan Glass, Mrs. Norton LaBrook, Mrs. Ira Hull, Mrs. V. Muncey, Mrs. Anna Clarke. Refreshments were enjoyed.

There will be a meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred Fox, Saturday, Feb. 9, at 10:30 a. m. when the group will draft plans for the coming year's work. About 18 girls now belong to the group of Brownies, which is the youngest in scouting. Girls are eligible at seven years of age, and becoming ten may advance to intermediate group.

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