

HOPGROWERS FORM STATE ASSOCIATION

Salem Meeting Attended by About 300 Growers Representing 12,000 Acres.

BODY WILL HANDLE CROP

Organization to Be World's Largest Dealer—\$85,000 of \$300,000 Capital Is Subscribed and 40 Directors Are Elected.

SALEM, Or., March 20.—(Special.)—Producers of hops in Oregon formed a permanent organization to be known as the Oregon Hopgrowers' Association at a meeting here today, attended by almost 300 growers. It was the largest meeting of hopgrowers ever held on the Pacific Coast.

More than 600 growers, or approximately 60 per cent of the persons engaged in the hop-raising business in the state, were represented at the meeting.

Association to Sell All Hops.

The plan is for the association to sell all hops produced by its members. It will finance growers who have been accustomed to contract their hops in order that all hops in the state would be sold through the same agency.

A board of directors consisting of 40 members, as follows, was elected: J. L. Clark, Springfield; F. W. Haasing, Mount Angel; T. L. Ambler, Mount Angel; W. A. Adams, Silverton; J. S. Cooper, Independence; M. A. Burch, Rickreall; M. L. Jones, Brooks; J. R. Cartwright, Harrisburg; Robert Stroda, Harrisburg; C. Theissen, Jefferson; H. B. Fletcher, Independence; J. W. McKay, St. Paul; C. G. Coad, Dallas; Marion Palmer, Silverton; O. L. Hatteberg, Silverton; G. W. Morley, Silverton; G. M. Ogsund, Silverton; M. W. Mahaney, Gervais; John N. Gooding, St. Paul; W. H. Roy, Jefferson; W. A. Sloper, Independence; W. H. Murphy, Independence; Fred N. Stump, Silverton; E. Morrison, Springfield; Franz Kraxberger, Aurora; Byron Grimm, Aurora; Walter C. Miller, McMinville; W. R. Kirkwood, Astoria; Guy Nelson, Astoria; E. B. Morrison, Hillsboro; W. F. Young, Sherwood; Conrad Krebs, Portland; F. K. Heider, Sheridan; J. H. Brophy, Salem; W. H. Eagan, Salem; A. Ballston, Manning; Leonard Eugene, Eugene; A. M. Bolter, Brooks; and F. J. Miller.

Election Is Postponed.

At a meeting of the directors it was decided to postpone the election of officers until next Wednesday. Mr. McMahon, who was one of the first to suggest the organization of the association, said because of the European war it would be difficult to predict what prices would obtain this year, but he had no doubt they would be satisfactory. The yield in Europe, he thought, would be much less than normal, which would make a shortage there and a consequent greater demand for the Oregon product.

A constitution and bylaws, prepared by John H. McNary, a lawyer of this city, were explained by Mr. McNary. They were adopted without comment. Professor McPherson, of the department of economic botany at the Oregon Agricultural College, said the association would be of inestimable benefit to the growers and the industry generally.

NEW PLANT TO BE BUILT

Work on Road Materia Project at Roseburg to Start Tomorrow.

ROSEBURG, Or., March 20.—(Special.)—Work on the Roseburg Sand & Gravel Company's plant near Shady Point will begin Monday, according to O. T. Larsen, of Portland, who arrived here yesterday to supervise the construction work. The plant will cost approximately \$25,000.

The gravel bars to be developed here, according to Mr. Larsen, are the most inexhaustible supply of material, and with their development and the consequent reduction of the price of gravel he believes the officials of Douglas and other nearby counties will see the economy of more durable roads.

CLEANUP DAY TO BE SET

Children Who Help to Be Entertained at Klamath Falls.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., March 20.—(Special.)—Arrangements are being completed for a "clean-up" day, which the Mayor will name soon.

Manager Houston, of the Star Theater, announced that a special matinee would be played on "clean-up" day, to which all the youngsters of the city who present notes to the effect that they had assisted at home in cleaning up the premises would be admitted. This is the third year in which the little workers have been entertained by Mr. Houston.

ONE DROWNED, TWO ESCAPE

Attempted Landing in Bandon Surf in Rowboat Fatal.

BANDON, Or., March 20.—(Special.)—James A. Osborne lost his life and William and James Winegar were rescued by the Government lifesaving crew this week, when they attempted to land through the surf on Bandon beach in an 18-foot rowboat.

Returning from a day's deep-sea fishing they found the bar too rough to cross. When several hundred feet from shore a heavy breaker tossed the boat forward and over end.

A. JOHNSON'S FUNERAL SET

Knights Templars to Have Charge of Services at Coquille.

COQUILLE, Or., March 20.—(Special.)—The funeral of Alfred Johnson,

NEW CHAPTERS IN

Chi Omega and Alpha Epsilon Installed at O. A. C.

SOCIAL SERVICE WORK DONE

Ceremonies Are Held for Two of Largest of College Organizations. Officers Lead Aid and Attend Week-End Festivities.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, March 20.—(Special.)—The installation of the Chi chapter of Alpha Chi Omega and the Oregon Alpha chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, marking the entrance of National sororities and fraternities into the Oregon Agricultural College, was celebrated here yesterday.

The week-end is being given over to special functions in connection with the affairs. The Alpha Omega local sorority was chartered by Alpha Omega and the Delta Omega fraternity was given a charter in Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

The Alpha Chi Omega sorority is one of the older organizations for women, having been organized at De Pauw University in 1870.

Alpha Chi Omega insists on a deferred initiation, with a scholarship average of at least 80 per cent on the part of the initiate. Each member also is required to take part in two different college activities. The sorority has led in philanthropic work and social service.

Prominent members of the sorority include: Maud Powell, Ellen Beach Yaw and Fanny Bloomfield Zeller. The officers of the local chapter are: Mrs. Edward R. Loud, National president; Mrs. J. Evan Pauls, of Berkeley; Mrs. Winthrop and Mrs. Joseph Williams, of Portland; Mrs. J. H. Kier, of Edith Hindman, Miss Myrtle Harrison and Miss Inez Crippen, of Seattle, and Miss Nolan, Miss Kerr and Miss Blanchard, of Corvallis.

Members initiated yesterday were: Miss Geraldine Nowins, of Patchou, N. Y.; Miss May Stenoff, of Salem; Miss June Seely, of Independence; Miss Josephine Vandevander, of Portland; Miss Irene Brandes, of Portland; Miss Irenia Albert, of Hugo; Miss Neva Holth, of Albany; Miss J. J. Kerr, of Corvallis; Miss Cora Ueland, of Roseburg; Miss Rivie Tagg, Miss Verma Tagg and Miss Layra Tagg, of Warrenton; Miss Dorothy Passmore, of Portland; Miss Ruth Morrison, of Hood River; Miss Catherine Wood, of Portland; Miss Louise L. Knorr, of Medford; Miss Ada Reed, of Portland; Miss Elizabeth Hewitt, of Gresham; Miss Agnes Redmond, of Astoria; Miss Willamette Peterson, of San Francisco, Cal.; Miss Gertrude Walling, of Salem; Miss Mildred Portland and Faith Hansberg, of Portland. Faculty members include: Mrs. Vesta Reynolds, Miss Miriam Turner and Miss Bertha Davis, Patrons; Mrs. J. K. Weatherford, of Albany; Mrs. Clara Waldo, of Portland; Mrs. J. M. Nolan, Mrs. W. J. Kerr, Mrs. E. J. Himmeler, Mrs. J. D. Hetzel, Mrs. Ida Kidder, Mrs. J. A. Rexell and Mrs. R. E. Dearborn, all of Corvallis.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon, the fraternity which chartered the organization which had been known as the Delta Omega local until yesterday, is the oldest and largest National fraternities. It was organized at the University of Alabama in 1856, expanding northward and westward until it now has 76 active chapters and a total membership of more than 12,000.

The Delta Omega local has been organized since the Fall of 1909, and has played an important part in fraternity life at Oregon Agricultural College. It first petitioned Sigma Alpha Epsilon for a charter in 1910. The installation ceremony was held yesterday at the chapter house, William C. Levere, of Evanston, Ill., the eminent supreme recorder of the fraternity, conducting the exercises. He was assisted by A. A. Cook, of Tacoma, R. H. Baldwin, of Portland, and H. H. Waller, of Seattle, officers of the province in which Oregon Agricultural College is situated, and by a large number of other members of the local.

The active members who were initiated yesterday include: G. K. Van Gundy, of Eyanboro, O. A. Lutz, of Astoria; W. A. O. Lutz, of Astoria; J. L. Taylor, of Portland; C. L. Hamilton, of Portland; J. E. Green, of Centralia, Wash.; F. K. Green, of Astoria; H. V. Doolittle, of Pomona, Cal.; H. J. Abraham, of Albany; J. E. Nolan, of Hood River; H. W. Howard Schartow, of Tacoma, Wash.; S. H. Boddinghouse, of Emmet, Boddinghouse, of White Salmon, Wash.; C. C. Thompson, of Marshfield; Harold Turley, of Marshfield; R. E. Shinn, of Astoria; W. K. Sawyer, of Dayton, and A. A. Bailey, of Portland.

HERMISTON DEBATERS WIN

Championship of Umatilla League Taken by Defeat of Athena.

ATHENA, Or., March 20.—(Special.)—By defeating Hermiston High School last night Athena won the championship of the Umatilla County Debating League, which includes the schools of Ferndale, Weston, Echo, Athena, Stantford, and Hermiston. The question was field and Government ownership of the railroads. The local team was composed of Arnold Koskie, Zola Keen and Louis Stewart.

The judges were Superintendent J. S. Landers, Rev. J. E. Snyder and Judge J. W. Maloney, all of Pendleton. The debate was held in the High School building at Hermiston. Athena won the decision of the judges by two to one. Athena previously had defeated Ferndale and Weston schools by three to nothing decisions.

RURAL SYSTEMS STUDIED

Eastern Methods to Be Included in Monmouth Courses.

MONMOUTH, Or., March 20.—(Special.)—M. E. Pittman, head of the rural school department of the Oregon Normal School, has returned from an extended visit in the Eastern states, where he inspected the rural schools and studied methods which may improve the rural school life in Oregon. Systems which have been giving good

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Winnock Lumber Mill Resumes.

CENTRALIA, Wash., March 20.—(Special.)—The Winnock Lumber Company at Winnock has resumed operations after being shut down since the holidays. The Veness Lumber Company is extending its logging road, a mile and a half of new track being under course of construction.

LOGGING ROAD HURRIED

\$20,000 IMPROVEMENT READY BY MIDDLE OF APRIL.

LOWELL T. MURRAY, President of Company, Hopes to Get in on French Government Orders.

MORTON, Wash., March 20.—(Special.)—One of the biggest improvements in the industrial line now being made in this vicinity is that of the West Fork Logging Company, whose camps are located four miles north of Morton. Lowell T. Murray is president of the company, T. Shelton is vice-president, and Herbert E. Post is secretary. Ole Moe is woods superintendent and Gus Anderson is the contractor who is doing the station work on the new \$20,000 logging road being built. The road, when completed, will take the company into some of the finest timber on the Pacific Coast, which will be two and one-half miles long, will take about two months, and it is expected to be completed the middle of April.

President Murray is in active charge of the operations of the company. For his great responsibilities. When the camps resume full force, on the completion of the new road, there will be employed about 100 men there. The supply of timber is great enough to last many years, being backed by the reserve.

According to word brought here from Grays Harbor, the French government has placed orders there that will take a year's steady operation to cut, so that the completion of Mr. Murray's road will be due about the time when it is fully expected that business will warrant operations on as large a scale as he maintains.

WASHOUGAL TO HAVE SACRED CONCERT.

WASHOUGAL, Wash., Mar. 20.—(Special.)—The Methodist Church will give a sacred concert tomorrow evening under the direction of Rev. Mr. Ross-



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Following plans submitted by the Women's Improvement Club to make town property on First street a public park, the Winlock Lumber Company is endeavoring to dispose of buildings now located on the lots. The women have been given authority to go ahead with their plans.

NOTICE:

The Alameda Investment Company desire to inform the public that owing to the inactivity of real estate during the past two years prices upon lots in Alameda Park have been allowed to remain practically stationary, notwithstanding the fact that the bonded street improvements have been considerably reduced by the Company. It is now proposed to make a general raise in the selling price. Before putting this raise into effect a short time will be allowed for intending purchasers to take advantage of the present prices.

The increased activity in Alameda Park lots has been very marked during the past two months. Many new homes have been built, many building and more in prospect. No property in the city receives more favorable comment. See Alameda Park before purchasing if you are looking for the best at moderate prices. Alameda Investment Co. Marshall 635. 322 Corbett Bldg.

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