

Walther Leaguers to Give Concert Here

Walther League Choral Union, an organization of singers from the choirs of Lutheran churches in Portland, Hillsboro, Cornelius, Forest Grove, Sandy, and Oregon City, will make its initial appearance in Washington county when it presents a sacred concert at the Hillsboro high school auditorium Sunday, beginning at 8 p. m. The Choral Union is under the direction of Edwin Kiekhaefer, who recently completed a course in advanced choral conducting under Alexander Koshetz, director of the famous Ukrainian National Chorus.

Mr. Kiekhaefer will also direct a children's chorus of 75 voices which will present a number of three and four part arrangements of familiar chorales, such as Martin Luther's hymn of praise "Now Thank We All Our God," written in the 17th century.

William O'Leary of Pacific university will be soloist.

Included in the program of the Choral Union will be the "Hallelujah, Amen," from Handel's "Judas Maccabaeus," and the chorale from the popular tone poem "Finlandia" by Jean Sibelius.

Children of elementary school age will be admitted free.

Director



Edwin Kiekhaefer, who will direct the sacred concert by the Walther League Choral Union and Lutheran Children's chorus to be presented in the union high school auditorium here Sunday.

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(Not necessarily news)
Carl Christensen blushing... Pete Schukart being addressed as "commissioner"... Elwood Costello "speculating"... Palmer Torvond "refusing" to be an engagement ring... Don Halvorson not going to the coast... Bill Cyrus telling on Paul Patterson... Carl Russell withholding news... Mrs. H. H. Stannard recalling her youthful opinion of "old age"... LaVerne Fries loaded down with roses... Dick Busch explaining the most common solution to "bicycle theft mysteries"... Tom Bailey, C. T. Richardson and Herb Staples getting "thumbs down" on posed smiles... Bill Foelker with a sweet young thing on his arm... Wilbur Dillon: "The firemen won, of course"... Dick Wiley: "You can refer to me as Major Wiley, late of His Majesty's 'fuss-cars'"... Leon Davis: "I snapped some pictures you may want to see"... Don Woodman climbing a telephone pole to grab a good picture... Ben Logan discussing the war... Nelson Nelson locking his car... Nelson Weaver and Roy Burnett loaning out their Sea Scout finery... Fred Amacher leaning back too strenuously for the good of the chair... C. T. Richardson making up his mind in a hurry when some friends honked at him... Billy Housen talking politics.

Mr. Schukart Surprised—Peter Schukart was surprised by a group of friends Saturday night to celebrate his birthday. Present were Messrs. and Mesdames John Laurs, G. Garthofner, Harry Thome, and O. R. Hensing and the hosts.

Mrs. J. W. Barney is confined to her home with illness.

General Service Station to Open On Saturday

Completion of the new \$10,000 General service station on the corner of Baseline and First avenue was formally declared Saturday with opening of the station for business under management of Don Halvorson. Willard Hughes has been named assistant manager.

The ultra-modern station is equipped with three pumps and three underground tanks for the various grades of gasoline. Dealership has also been assigned to the new station for the company's fuel, diesel and stove oils. It will be the only Hillsboro outlet for General gasoline.

Halvorson was with the Union oil company when this company opened its new station 18 months ago on Second and Washington streets and was an attendant there until he accepted the position as manager of the General station. Hughes had been with K. C. Goodall, independent oil distributor, for six years.

Voters to Cast Ballots Friday

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terwoman—Mrs. George T. Gerlinger, Multnomah county; Florence A. Runyon, Multnomah county.

For delegates (4) to republican national convention (state-at-large)—Peter Zimmerman, Yamhill county; Fred W. Brown, Multnomah county; Robert Campbell, Multnomah county; Robert A. Elliott, Multnomah county; J. Mann Fisher, Multnomah county; Frank Mahood, Harney county; Phil Mettschan, Multnomah county; Archie McGowan, Harney county; Robert N. Stanford, Multnomah county; Walter L. Toole, Multnomah county.

For delegates (2) to republican national convention (first congressional district)—Walter Norblad, Clatsop county; Raymond R. Reter, Jackson county; Herman Schellberg, Marion county; Richard B. Swenson, Polk county; William Bain, Linn county; Guy Cordon, Douglas county; Frederick S. Lampton, Marion county.

For democratic national committee—Howard Lafourette, Multnomah county; Flavell Temple, Multnomah county.

For democratic national committee—Emily F. Edson, Multnomah county; Celia L. Gavin, Wasco county; Nora Hitchman, Multnomah county; Eva Nelson, Umatilla county.

For delegates (4) to democratic national convention—(state-at-large)—Joseph F. Wood, Multnomah county; O. S. Blanchard, Josephine county; James D. Burns, Gilliam county; Robert F. Cronen, Multnomah county; Ralph M. Erland, Multnomah county; Martin A. Fitzgerald, Union county; Clarence F. Hyde, Lane county; Lotus L. Langley, Multnomah county; Willis Mahoney, Multnomah county; Charles H. Martin, Multnomah county; J. W. Morrow, Multnomah county; A. W. Connell, Multnomah county; Jake Siskel, Multnomah county.

For delegates (2) to democratic national convention—(first congressional district)—E. W. Kirkpatrick, Clackamas county; Arthur K. McMahon, Linn county; Arthur K. Murray, Lincoln county; A. E. Reames, Jackson county; S. Stephenson Smith, Lane county; J. F. Ulrich, Marion county.

For president—Republican: Charles L. McNary, Oregon; democratic: John N. Garner, Texas; Franklin D. Roosevelt, New York.

For presidential electors (5)—Republican: Ed G. Boehnke, Lane county; Kern Crandall, Multnomah county; Claude E. Ingalls, Benton county; J. O. Johnson, Washington county; Robert W. Sawyer, Deschutes county; democratic: John S. Marshall, Marion county; Lawrence A. Tronsdale, Multnomah county; Mary Graham Walker, Multnomah county; A. F. Groblebe, Marion county; Amanda J. Hart, Clackamas county.

For representative in Congress, first district—Republican: Kenneth A. Brown, Marion county; James W. Mott, incumbent, Marion county; democratic: Charles A. Robertson, Polk county.

For state treasurer—Republican: Earl Hill, Lane county; Leslie M. Scott, Multnomah county; Floyd J. Cook, Multnomah county; democratic: A. L. Brown, Multnomah county; Lyman Ross, Washington county.

For attorney general—Republican: I. H. Van Winkle, democratic: Bruce Spaulding, Polk county.

For state senator—Republican: Earl E. Fisher, Beaverton; Loyal M. Graham, Forest Grove; democratic: Albert T. Kemmer, Beaverton.

For state representatives (2)—Republican: H. A. Kuratli, Hillsboro; Leon E. Walker, Forest Grove; H. T. Hesse, Scholls; democratic: John W. Bernards, Roy; Francis M. Coon, Aloha.

For district attorney—Republican: Russell G. Morgan, Hillsboro. For county commissioner—Republican: James Lewis, Beaverton.

Would Direct County PUD



Four of five director candidates on the PUD ballot to be marked by county voters Friday are shown above. They are, seated, from left: George W. Davis of West Slope and William Heesacker of Gaston; standing: J. O. Robb of Hillsboro and Julius Christensen of Scholls. The fifth director candidate, not in the picture, is William S. Hahn of Mountaineer. Five are to be elected.

State Farmers' Union Convention

PROGRAM

TUESDAY, MAY 21

Call to order, 9:30 a. m.; Flag salute by Boy Scouts. Address of welcome, by Mrs. C. E. Wells. Henry Johnson, county president. Response by Past President George Potts. Appointment of committees; reading resolutions ready.

NOON—COUNTY POT-LUCK DINNER

Junior President Leonard McCoy takes meeting. 1:30 oratorical contest; Continued junior activities.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22

Call to order, 9 a. m.; Report of credential committee. Report of state officers; fraternal delegates. Address by National President John Vesceky. Legislative delegate, L. H. McBee. National delegate, Peter Zimmerman.

NOON

Report executive board; Reports county presidents. Reports local delegates; Banquet, 6:30 p. m. Adjournment to auditorium; Hillsboro high school band. Dairy Co-op chorus. Address, John Vesceky, national president, and other guest speakers.

THURSDAY, MAY 23

Report special committees; regular committees.

NOON

Meeting of Oregon Farmers' Union Co-operative association, Eben Ray, chairman.

Dance, sponsored by Washington county, Shute park.

FRIDAY, MAY 24

Referred committee reports; Election of officers, 10:30 a. m.

NOON

Committee reports; Marketing groups and boards. Adjournment.

CARS FURNISH ONE OUT OF SEVEN JOBS

Throughout the United States, the motor transportation industry provides a powerful stimulant to the output of goods and services, being responsible for one-seventh of the nation's pay envelopes, according to Ralph A. Coan, treasurer of the Oregon State Motor association.

"Cities and towns which cannot boast the production of a single car or truck are automobile centers in their own right, deriving their chief source of livelihood from parts and

supplies furnished to motor plants," the club official said.

"The sales and servicing of motor vehicles found in numerous other communities, the construction and maintenance of highways, the commercial operation of cars and trucks, and the supplying of motor fuels combine to make more than 6,000 jobs.

"On the farm, too, the financial stake in the motor industry is important. Agricultural products from nearly 2,500,000 acres went into the manufacture of motor vehicles in 1939.

"The South, traditionally the home of many essential raw materials and scene of many growing industries, furnishes typical examples. Basic is the fact that automobiles produced last year required ten per cent of the cotton sold in the United States, the equivalent of the average crop of 100,000 cotton farming families."

Daniel B. Wootton, Mountaineer; democratic: E. J. Hess, Hillsboro. For county clerk—Republican: W. A. Tupper, Hillsboro.

For county sheriff—Republican: John W. Connell, Reedville; Clem H. Eslinger, Hillsboro, democratic: Chester Link, Beaverton.

For county assessor—Republican: J. E. Carpenter, Hillsboro.

War Experiences Series Continued At Legion Meet

Jack West told of his experiences in more than five years of service with Canadian Expeditionary Forces in France during the World War in the second of a series of such talks at the American Legion post meeting here Tuesday night. Harold Misen will speak at the meeting May 28.

West enlisted in the Canadian army in the summer of 1918 and landed in France in January, 1919. He participated in most of the major engagements in which the British army took part throughout the war, including all three battles of Ypres, the first in which gas was used for the first time by the Germans, and the British had no masks to protect themselves.

In the Somme offensive tanks were used by the allies for the first time, there being six engaged. West said that infantry regiments were reinforced from 5 to 12 times during this battle. Other battles of interest cited were Vimy Ridge, Hill 70, in which there was vicious bayonet fighting, Passchendaele, Cambrai and Amiens. His outfit finished up at Mons at 20 minutes to 11 on November 11, 1918. West returned to America as a major in the Canadian forces.

Commander Fred Engeldinger reported that to date there are 11 sponsors for local boys to Beaver Boys State.

Plans were outlined by Valentine Abadie for the dedication of a monument at the cemetery here Memorial Day in honor of the nation's dead of all wars.

Gold star fathers, fathers of legionnaires and sons of legionnaires will be guests at the meeting June 11.

OIL COMPANIES FIGHT TO HOLD PRICES DOWN

The fear that volume of business losses as a result of the war may force oil companies to raise the price of gasoline was voiced here today by Ralph A. Coan, treasurer of the Oregon State Motor association.

Until a few months ago a large part of the tremendous output of the American oil industry was shipped to all parts of the globe. Now the export oil business is curtailed to an insignificant dribble as ocean warfare losses, blockades, and limitations of the neutrality act have restricted the off-shore market.

Mr. Coan pointed out that the oil industry must continue the terrific costs of "being in business"—keeping up staff payrolls, meeting tax assessments, maintaining bond interest payments, leases and the other continuing overhead expenses.

"Though the oil companies are exerting every effort to keep prices down, the continued loss of markets may force up the domestic price of oil and gas. But if they are finally forced to raise prices—every revolution of the car's wheels, every mile traveled by any of us on the Pacific Coast will bring home to us the tremendous cost of modern warfare to belligerents and neutrals alike—though we are thousands of miles from the actual scene of fighting," the motor association official said.

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AUTOS PRODUCE WATER

Automobiles in this country annually produce 17,500,000,000 gallons of new water, according to the Oregon State Motor association. This tremendous amount of liquid, enough to fill a canal 25 feet wide and six feet deep connecting the World's Fair in New York with the World's Fair in San Francisco, is the result of hydrogen in gasoline combining with oxygen in the air. It comes out of the exhaust in the form of vapor.

The 1937 biennial census of manufacturing showed that there were 4270 automobiles being made for each buggy.

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Thursday (today) May 16

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Walter W. Russell and Robert Warrens

DISCUSS

PUD and the FARMER

Mr. Russell is a prominent farmer and taxpayer in the Bellevue district, near McMinnville, and former state representative, Yamhill County; Mr. Warrens is a prominent bulb grower and taxpayer near Forest Grove.

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