

White Azalea At Woodburn Show Praised

(Story also on page 1)
 One of the most attractive blooms in the entire Woodburn Garden club show Saturday afternoon and evening was a white azalea, Snowdrift, entered by Mrs. Joe Henny. The blooms were rather larger than many azaleas, pure white and of unusually fine quality. The flower won first in its division, with Mrs. Henny also taking second prize and Mrs. Dorothy Zielinski and Mrs. Emily Dalboen being for third.

Other prize winners at the show were:
Arrangements: Dish gardens, 1. Mrs. Ray Glatt; 2. Mrs. Ralph Seely; 3. Mrs. Harold Colgan. Basket arrangements, 1. Mrs. B. Hall; 2. Mrs. George Sweeney; 3. Mrs. Roy Kuns. Mantle arrangements, 1. Mrs. Sam Hoefler and Mrs. J. H. Livesay; 2. Mrs. Henny and Mrs. Hazel Bartlett; 3. Mrs. Hoefler and Mrs. C. M. Wright. Wall arrangement, Mrs. Seely. Miniature arrangements, Mrs. Seely; 3. Mrs. Colgan. Coffee table, 1. Mrs. Seely; 2. Mrs. James Livesay; 3. Mrs. Fred Manning. Twin arrangements, 1. Mrs. Frank Covey; 2. Mrs. Bartlett; 3. Mrs. Henry Steger.

Horticulture: Flowering shrub, 1. Carrie Waterbury; 2. Emily Dalboen; 3. Mrs. Delbert Seely. Rhododendrons, 1 and 2. Mrs. Zielinski; 3. Mrs. Ramage. Cacti, 1 and 3. Mrs. M. E. Steffen; 2. Mrs. Colgan. Succulents, Frank Covey. Potted plants, 1. Mrs. H. E. Steffen; 2. Mrs. A. J. Duda; 3. Mrs. C. L. Jorgensen.

Lilacs, best single bloom: 1. Mrs. Ramage; 2 and 3. Mrs. Ray Glatt; bouquet, Albert E. Morris. **Primroses:** 1. Mrs. John Steinger; 2 and 3. Mrs. Tom Guthrie; 4. Mrs. William Wengenroth; 2. Mrs. Fred Nibler; 3. Mrs. Ramage; red primroses, 1, 2 and 3. Mrs. Fred Nibler; yellow, 1 and 2. Mrs. Tom Guthrie; 3. Mrs. Nibler.

Camellias: red, 1. Mrs. Ramage; 2. Mrs. Henny; 3. Mrs. Zielinski; pink, 1, 2 and 3. Mrs. Ray Glatt; bouquets, 1. Mrs. James Livesay; 2. Mrs. Covey; 3. Elaxine Henny.

Narcissuses: best single bloom, Mrs. Ramage; best three of a kind, 1. Mrs. Roy Seely; 2. Mrs. Ramage; 3. Mrs. Zielinski. Best Poeticus narcissus, Mrs. Zielinski. Tulips, single bloom, Mrs. Henny; three of a kind, 1 and 2. Mrs. Henny; 3. Albert E. Morris.

Special mention: Pelargoniums, Mrs. Covey; sweet potato plant, Mrs. Henry Steger. Special mention out flower: 1. Emily Dalboen on bleeding heart; 2. Mrs. Henny on clematis; and Carrie Waterbury on lily of the valley.

Plan Tourist Host Week



Plans for Tourist Host week get a thorough going-over by (right to left) Gov. Douglas McKay, Laurie Ross, president of Oregon Advertising club, and Jack Matlack, chairman of the club's tourist promotion committee. May 2 through 8 has been designated by the governor as Tourist Host week in Oregon, and extensive plans have been laid by the advertising club for its observance.

Orval Prunk Governor of Moose Lodge

Orval Prunk became governor of Salem lodge 144, Loyal Order of Moose, Thursday night when new officers were installed at Moose hall. He succeeded Cliff R. Ellis.

Other new officers are Robert D. Taylor, junior governor; James C. Martin, prelate; Hardie Phillips, treasurer; Matt Sherfield, trustee; Ernest V. Smyres, sergeant-at-arms; W. A. Merrifield, assistant sergeant-at-arms; G. A. Russell, inner guard; Myron Roberts, outer guard.

Ladies of the Moose appointed Mrs. Orval Prunk president; Mrs. G. A. Russell, vice president; Mrs. Ernest V. Smyres, secretary-treasurer.

The public is invited to a benefit card party which women of the lodge are staging Friday night.

Walnut Blight Control Spray Due Monday

Walnut sprays or dusts for mid-Willamette valley groves should be applied Monday, April 25, for walnut blight control, Dr. P. W. Miller, ESDA plant pathologist stationed at Oregon State college, said Saturday. Orchards on the higher elevations can be sprayed

or dusted one to four days later, depending on location. In the event that walnut orchards are interplanted with filberts, the sulfur sprays or dusts should be omitted from the formulas as it is toxic under some conditions to filbert foliage. Growers following a dust program should make six applications at seven-day intervals to protect against infection. If sprays are used, two additional sprays will be necessary after the April 25 application.

Amvets Hold Organizational Meet In Salem

Third organizational meeting of Oregon's first American Veterans of World War II (Amvets) group, the proposed Salem post 1, was held Friday night at the YMCA.

The meeting was devoted to indoctrination of 11 new members, according to Fred Crisman, acting public relations officer. He said this brought total membership to about 40.

Most important meeting to date, according to Crisman, will be next Friday at 8 p.m. at the YM when members will decide whether to apply immediately for a national charter.

Eligibility requirements are defined in the local membership drive slogan, "If you can wear the honorable discharge emblem you can be an Amvet." Dale Gibson, Willamette university student, is acting commander of the proposed organization.

Salem's Poppy Poster Contest Prizes Given

First places in Salem's annual poppy poster contest went to Gordon L. Holman, Middle Grove school, and Edwin Bauer, a Parish junior high school student, Mrs. H. G. Henderson, chairman of the sponsoring American Legion auxiliary, announced Saturday.

The winning placards, which direct attention to the sale of the bright paper poppies on May 27-28, will be displayed in Salem store windows and entered in a state-wide contest.

Judging the posters at Elfstrom's studio were Mrs. Gertrude Loifgren of Amity and Mrs. I. N. Bacon and Carl Hall, both of Salem. The competition drew entries from pupils at Bush, Keizer, Macleay, Middle Grove, Pratum, Pringle, Richmond, Salem Heights, Sidney, Leslie and Parish junior high schools.

Mrs. Willard Begin and Mrs. Glen Laverty assisted in conducting the event. Other prize winners were:

Division I (grades 4, 5, 6): 2nd, Lorelei Holman, Middle Grove; 3rd, Curtis Jantz, Pratum.

Division II (grades 7, 8, 9): 2nd, Lanny Dibbern, Parrish; 3rd, Joy Robertson, Leslie.

Honorary mention was made of entries by James McDougal, Richmond, and Marjorie Little, Leslie.



Dr. R. D. Langston, director of graduate study in elementary education at the University of Oregon, who will be the main speaker at the Oregon conference on elementary education at the Oregon College of Education in Monmouth, April 30. Educators from all parts of the state will attend the meeting.

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Ex-Rep. Harness To Address Salem Public Meeting

A former Indiana congressman whose investigation and charges of federal government propaganda methods in support of administration programs stirred a national controversy during the 80th congress will speak on "Federal Thought Control" at a public meeting Wednesday at 8 p.m. in Salem Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

The speaker will be Forrest A. Harness, who served in five congresses before resuming the practice of law. His appearance in Salem is sponsored by Salem Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Harness served as chairman of a congressional sub-committee on government publicity and propaganda during the 80th congress. His articles on the committee's findings were published by national magazines.

Harness said his committee uncovered "startling evidence of attempts by federal officials to make big government bigger and to extend, by another vast grant of power, the authority of the state over the lives of all of us."

Harness is a veteran combat infantryman of World War I and was awarded the Purple Heart.

Valley Obituaries

Merle Enloe — Several neighbors and friends of the Merle Enloe family were in Portland Wednesday to attend the funeral of Merle Enloe.

Albert Werner of Middle Grove and Sidney Hoffman of Auburn were pall bearers. Interment was at Columbia Cemetery. The family has lived in Swegle and Auburn for several years. He is survived by his wife, Helen Enloe, living in Auburn community; one brother, and two sisters of southern Oregon.

William C. Retzer — DALLAS — Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at St. Thomas' Episcopal church in Dallas for William C. Retzer, prominent civic leader and jeweler, who died of a heart attack at his home Friday. The Rev. Cyril Raney will officiate at the services. Ritualistic services at the church will be conducted by Jennings Lodge 9, AF & AM. Interment will be Mt. Crest Abbey Mausoleum in Salem.

VERA WOOD ELECTED — Vera Wood, Marion county senior clerk, was elected secretary-treasurer of the Oregon Public Health association at the close of a four-day convention in Bend Saturday. Dr. Richard M. Wilcox, Umatilla county health officer, elected president.

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