

Milk Producers to Hear Of Pool Discontinuance

Milk producers for the Portland market will have opportunity to express their opinions concerning a proposal to discontinue the Portland market pool and substitute a series of distributor pools as an administrative device to equalize payments to producers in the Portland marketing area, according to notices issued by the Oregon Milk Marketing Administration.

A public hearing to consider the proposal will be held at Room 36, State Office Building, 1400 S.W. Fifth Avenue, Portland, at 10 a.m. on May 25. W. S. Weidel, administrator,

will act as hearing examiner for the State Board of Agriculture which administers the state milk marketing act and the various producer pools in Oregon.

Market-wide pooling has been in effect continuously in the Portland marketing area since 1934. During intervening years the volume of milk used on the market has nearly doubled due to increased demand in the Portland metropolitan area. At the present time more than 1000 producers' milk originating from 11 Oregon counties and four Washington counties is being utilized in the area. Recently an effort was made to extend the scope of the pool to include a number of distributor pools supplying "fringe areas" adjacent to Portland involving milk being processed in Portland, but the pooling of such milk was suspended when two Portland companies refused to report their purchases and sales in "outside" markets on the grounds that the state agency lacked legal authority to require such pooling.

Twelve marketing groups are active in handling producers' milk in the Portland market pool at present. Eight of these groups are cooperative associations, of which two operate their own distributing plants in Portland while three additional associations operate distributing plants in McMinnville, Tillamook and Astoria. Two additional groups are closely associated with Portland distributing plants, the Damascus Milk company and Lucerne Milk company, the latter an affiliate of Safeway Stores.

A list of Portland pooling agencies with the number of producers and the total amount of quota held by each group as of February 28 follows:

Clark County Dairymen's association, 13 producers, 196.78 pounds; Dairy Cooperative association, 469 producers, 10,869.41 pounds; Damascus Producers, 61 producers, 1,779.19 pounds; Farmers Cooperative Creamery, 38 producers, 891.44 pounds; Farmers Dairy association, 65 producers, 1190.54 pounds; Lower Columbia Cooperative, 24 producers, 425.30 pounds; Lucerne Producers, 51 producers, 1075.46 pounds; Mt. Angel Cooperative Creamery, 18 producers, 272.17 pounds; Pacific Pool Agency, 6 producers, 376.85 pounds; Portland Independent Milk Producers association, 154 producers, 3,614.46 pounds; Producer-Distributors, 10 producers, 886.82 pounds; Tillamook County Creamery association, 78 producers, 1913.16 pounds.

Scholarship to Albany Senior

The first recipient of a scholarship to be issued by Union Carbide Company at Willamette university is Neil Causbie, a senior at Albany high school.

The scholarship will cover the complete cost of tuition, effective next September, for a full four year academic course and provides reasonable allowances for necessary books and fees.

Causbie is student body president of Albany high and is salutatorian of the senior class. His high school activities include membership in the honor society, subdistrict president of Methodist Youth Fellowship, captain of the basketball team, and master counselor and chaplain in DeMolay.

The scholarship awardee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson D. Causbie. He plans to major in pre-engineering at Willamette.

The purpose of the Union Carbide scholarship was announced as three-fold: to assist deserving students who are interested in business careers to obtain a college education; to help assure the availability of large numbers of men and women for executive careers, and to encourage and give limited financial aid to a cross section of smaller American colleges and technical institutions of traditionally high standard.

Gasoline Dealers To Meet in Portland

All gasoline dealers of Oregon and southern Washington are invited to attend a meeting at 8:30 p.m., Tuesday, May 19, at Woodmen Hall, 719 SE Adler, Portland, to hear a talk by Nelson Maynard, Decatur, Ga., president of the National Congress of Petroleum Retailers.

The meeting will be under the auspices of the Portland Gasoline Dealers association, a division of the Portland Automotive Trades association.

Maynard, one of the leading authorities in the gasoline dealer field and an outspoken champion of small, independent businessmen, will discuss

trends and legislation in the service station field.

Maynard is now on a nationwide tour, speaking to gas dealer organizations. His Portland appearance is one of six planned for the West coast. The NSPR is composed of 66 retail gasoline dealer associations throughout the United States.

Predict Strawberry Crop to Be Smaller

Portland (AP) — Despite an increase in acreage, the strawberry crop will be smaller in Oregon this year, the Federal Crop Reporting Service estimated Wednesday.

Cub Pack Has Final Session

The final meeting for the season of Cub Pack No. 12, was held at the VFW Hall Wednesday night when Charles Martin, cubmaster, thanked all of the den mothers and committeemen for their support.

Boys receiving awards included: Robert Rosner, Ronald Durles, Robert Worley and Boyd Hunt, Webelos. Ronald Durles, George Hatland, Fred Johnson and Phillip Benson, Lion. Terrance Gandy, Terry Sims, Gerald Heaing, Roger Zumwalt and Kenneth Warnock, Bear. Jerry Starr, Wolf. Den Chief arm bands were presented to John Meeks, Mar-

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cus Killinger, Dennis Brown and Jack Kenny in recognition of their help in the den. Arrow points were awarded: Robert, Worley, Lyle Grossman, Martin DeForest, Milles DeForest, Terrance Gandy,

Gerald Ewing, Lynn Ertsgaard and David Isom. Attendance award was won by Den 6 and a skit entitled "Keeping Mother" was presented by Glenn Miles, den mother and Den 10.

Graduation Set At Dayton High

Dayton — Dan Poling, dean of men at Oregon State college, will be the speaker at the commencement exercises at Dayton high school gym on the evening of May 20.

The graduates are: William Buswell, Kent Crawley, Harry Culp, Carl Dauenhauer, John Dodge, Rose Mary Easterly, Danny England, Sharon Finnicum, Marcena Fowler, Bill Harrelson, Harold Hedgecock, Ray Heldinger, Lois Hopkins, Betty Joslyn, Margaret Krieger, James Litschner, William Michael, Pat Minor, Dale Mishler, Bob Monroe, Lonel Murphy, Dorothy O'Dell, Jack Overgaard, Wesa Palmer, Julia Putman, Robert Reeder, Norman Robinson, Dean Schmitz, Robert Shelburne, Myrtle Smith, George Strawn, Marjorie Zinali, Lois Newcomb, Theola Grover.

The baccalaureate exercises will be held at the Dayton high school gym on Sunday evening, May 17, at 8 p.m. The Rev. A. L. Lonsberry, pastor of the Evangelical United Brethren church of Lafayette, will be the speaker.

Lebanon Pilots To Fly North

Lebanon — Ten local planes of Lebanon Flotilla 70, will join Portland Flotilla 75, and Seattle Flotilla 54, at the review of vessels and aircraft of the Coast Guard auxiliary on Lake Washington at Kirkland next Sunday.

Capt. William J. Austermann, acting commander of the 13th Coast Guard district, will review the vessels while the three all-wing flotillas from Portland, Seattle and Lebanon fly cover over the review ship.

The famous U. S. Coast Guard Icebreaker Northwind, under command of Capt. R. E. Morell, will be in Lake Washington for the annual review and, following the formal ceremony, will act as mother ship for the auxiliary vessels and planes.

The local flight which takes off shortly after daylight from the Lebanon port will be led by Commander K. R. Harris, and vice commander Leland Tucker.

Conference Held


Silverton — At the annual church conference, Monday evening, of the local Methodist church, Dr. George Roseberry, district superintendent of the Methodist Salem area, presided, with Mrs. Roscoe Langley as secretary.

The congregation voted unanimously, for the return of Rev. Douglas Harrell, in the allocation state conference in the near future.

Mrs. Floyd Fox, chairman of the nomination committee, submitted the committee's choice for church officers, to be installed shortly after general conference.

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