

Testing Associations Organize For 1940

Production records will be kept on dairy herds in the Coquille Valley and in the Coos Bay area during 1940, according to action taken by the dairymen attending the annual meeting of the Coquille Valley Association held in Coquille last Thursday and those attending the annual meeting of the Coos Bay Association held in Marshfield on Friday.

Leonard Rood, of Coos River, was re-elected president of the Coos Bay association and Joe Delaman and Adam Donaldson, of Catching Inlet, will serve as vice president and secretary-treasurer, respectively. Other directors for this organization include: Ben Monson, Lakeside; Chas. F. McCulloch, Haynes Inlet; Fred Messerle, Catching Inlet; and A. Witt, Kentuck Inlet.

All officers and directors, who served the Coquille Valley association during 1939, were re-elected for next year. They include: Hillis Perkins, Bandon, president; Vern Lundy, Myrtle Point, vice president; Joe Nilson, Riverton, secretary-treasurer; W. E. Cross, Coquille, Walter Donald, Broadbent, Martin Schmidt, Norway, Leland Peterson, Coquille, directors.

George Smith, who has served as tester for the Coos Bay association for the past year, was re-employed by that group for 1940. According to preliminary reports it is expected that there will be enough cows in the Coos Bay Association alone to require his full time during this year. Dairymen, who plan to have their herds tested and have not made arrangements to do so, are requested to contact the tester as soon as possible.

Vernon Trigg was re-employed as tester for the Coquille Valley Association and area from Riverton east and Teddy Cadman, of Langlois, was employed as tester for the Coquille

Valley Association in the area from Riverton south and including the association in northern Curry county.

Roger Morse, extension dairyman from the Oregon State College, spoke at both meetings on making most effective use of records obtained through the testing association's work. He emphasized the need for production records to be used as a basis for culling low producers, obtaining records of sires for tracing cow families, and as a guide for better feed.

Dr. Sam B. Foster, inspector in charge, reported at both meetings that good progress is being made throughout the state in eliminating Bang's disease by the area method such as has been followed in Curry county. He urged dairymen in this area to make a careful study of any other method of control before changing to methods, which are still experimental.

Oregon Beach Scenes To Be Given Tourists In 1940

A beautiful, natural-color photograph of an Oregon beach scene, will be presented every non-resident motorist who registers his car in this state during the year 1940.

Earl Snell, secretary of state announced that the 1940 non-resident permits, which are in the form of stickers to be placed on the windshield of the out-of-state cars, would feature the actual color photograph of a scene at one of Oregon's many beaches, showing two girls on horseback and another girl on a bicycle. The picture, Snell said, illustrates the spacious quality of Oregon beaches where there is abundant room for riding, swimming, lolling in the sand or surf fishing.

In the past the non-resident permits have featured drawings or in some instances there has been merely the words, "Oregon," together with the year and the designation as an out-of-state visitor. This year's permits have the words "Oregon" in modern printing across the top of the picture, with the inscription "Guest, 1940" in smaller letters on the left side of the sticker.

This is planned as the first of a series of non-resident permits each showing some typical Oregon scene in natural colors. It is believed these stickers will be distinctive to Oregon and will serve to advertise the vacation advantages of the state in other parts of the county.

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Will Help The Tax Situation

More efficient management of land will be possible through exchange and blocking according to use in this county if plans developed in a recent meeting of members of the Coos county court, representatives of the O & C Revested Lands Administration, and members of the County Land Use Committee are finally approved by the Department of Interior in Washington.

The policy of exchange so that lands in a given area could be used for the same type of production has been advocated as a means of increasing efficiency by the County Land Use Committee. It is expected that land obtained by the county in such a campaign would be sold or leased to private interests and returned to the tax roll.

PROBATE

Clay D. Garoute was last Thursday appointed administrator of the \$11,000 estate left by Carl G. Garoute who died last June 10. Appraisers appointed are H. E. Boak, R. T. Moore and W. J. Sweet.

E. A. Stonecypher has been named as administrator of the \$350 estate left by Beryl Marie Richards who died this month in Tacoma.

Dal M. King was on Tuesday appointed administrator of the \$450 estate left by Otto G. Prey who died at Myrtle Point, Jan. 5. The appraisers named are E. C. Roberts, N. G. W. Perkins and L. H. Pearce.

The First National Bank of Portland and Myrtle B. Johnson were this week named as executors of the will of Jas. M. Thomas, who died at North Bend, Dec. 15, leaving an estate estimated to be worth \$8100. The appraisers are J. N. Hartley, Wm. Vaughn and Robert Banks.

New Circuit Cases

Jan. 18—Paul R. Roberts vs. Hilda T. Dockery and Frank McAdams.

Jan. 24—Kenneth R. and Velma Ruby Van Tassel vs. Lulu May Smith, et al.

Jan. 24—Don Sparlin vs. State Ind. Acc. Com.

Jan. 24—State Unemployment Compensation Com. vs. Clyde E. Stearns.

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Townsend Club

The Coquille Townsend Club met Tuesday evening with about 70 in attendance. A very interesting meeting and a nice program were enjoyed by all present.

Next Tuesday evening, January 30, will be dance night. Music will be furnished by Del's Swing Band from Marshfield. Come and enjoy the evening with us and help welcome the large delegation expected from the Marshfield club.

The visiting committee visited Marshfield last Friday night and will visit North Bend No. 2 club next Monday night. These are very interesting meetings. Plan to be there.—Press Cor.

SOCIAL Calendar

Thursday, January 25

Beulah Chapter, O. E. S., Masonic Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Friday, January 26

J. G. W. Club at Marshfield.

Tuesday, January 30

Reception for Rev. Geo. R. Turney, St. James Parish House, 8:00 until 10:00 p. m.

W. C. T. U. County Institute at Myrtle Point commencing 10:30 a. m.

Wednesday, January 31

Episcopal Guild, St. James Parish House, 2:00 p. m.

Thursday, February 1

Business meeting Pioneer Missionary Society, church parlors, 2:15 p. m.

Social Notes

The Riverton Birthday Club met at the home of Mrs. C. M. Hartwell Wednesday for a noon potluck luncheon. The birthdays of Mrs. Geo. Steward and Mrs. Rogers were honored with club birthday gifts. An afternoon of sewing and chatting followed. The club decided to disband as a birthday club but planned to meet February 1st in the school gym at Riverton for a noon potluck luncheon and aid school activities in the future, especially the free lunch proposition for school children, 4-H work and helping needy boys and girls in school. Present were: Mesdames Adolph Malthu, Carol Rycraft, Thos. Hanly, Jack Hultin, Ira Baumgardner, Alton McCue, Wm. Church, Ellis Holbrook, Stanley Clausen and Gary, Geo. Steward, Ben Smith, Harry Peterson, Wayne Robinson, Miss June Danielson; three guests, Mrs. Clyde Minard, Mrs. Elton Savage, Mrs. Lundy Peart, and the hostess.

Wednesday afternoon the Episcopal Guild ladies met in the parish house for their regular auxiliary meeting. A chapter of the book, "After Confirmation, What?" was read. Hostesses were Mrs. G. S. Gosline, Mrs. Fred Hickok and Mrs. Jas. Watson. Others present were: Mesdames A. N. Gould, C. V. Smith, Ida Owen, Fred Kunz, Frank Pook, Henry Lorenz, A. O. Walker, W. H. Mansell, A. J. Sherwood, E. W. Lorenz and R. R. Rowell. Tuesday evening a farewell reception will be held for Rev. G. R. Turney in the parish house from eight o'clock until ten. All friends are invited to attend.

The 158th birthday of Thomas Wildey, founder of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, was observed at the regular meeting of Mamie Rebekah Lodge, No. 20, Tuesday evening. Thirty-eight members, including all of the newly installed officers, were present for the first meeting of the new term. Under good of the order, Mrs. K. P. Lawrence read a brief resume of Thomas Wildey's life, ideals and purposes.

Following the regular meeting, a short business meeting of the Three Links Sewing Club was held, with the following officers elected for 1940: president, Cathryn Erickson;

vice president, Dora Kendall; secretary-treasurer, Frances Brown. Mrs. Lawrence received the gift drawing. Games were enjoyed, followed by refreshments in the banquet hall, consisting of sandwiches, pickles and coffee. Names were drawn for new secret sisters. Mrs. Eva Harless was chosen drill captain and Mrs. R. E. Boober chairman of publicity.

Six ladies from Coquille attended the district meeting of the Legion and Auxiliary held in Marshfield Friday afternoon and evening: Mesdames Fred Kunz, Nellie Prey, R. L. Stewart, S. C. Gaulke, C. T. Selbig and H. H. Hunt. Following the afternoon session, a joint dinner was enjoyed, at which time Neal Allen, department commander, and Mrs. Lydia Horstall, department president, made interesting talks. Seven units were represented: Coquille, Bandon, Marshfield, North Bend, Reedsport, Port Orford and Roseburg. After dinner dancing was enjoyed.

The Three Links sewing club will meet with Miss Edna Bates Tuesday afternoon, January 30, and the Past Noble Grands will meet with Mrs. George Johnson Friday evening, Feb. 2, and Mrs. R. E. Boober assisting.

The W. C. T. U. County Institute will be held in Myrtle Point Tuesday, Jan. 30, starting at 10:30 a. m. with a potluck dinner at noon. The Myrtle Point group will discuss the membership plan; Arago, the legislative plan for 1940; Marshfield, child labor objective. Mrs. C. C. Farr will discuss social diseases and the nation's health. Dr. B. Wise, of Portland, will be a guest and give a demonstration of "Alcohol Education."

Lakeside High School To Give Dance January 27

A Gala Dance will be given Saturday evening, January 27, at the Lakeside gymnasium. The dance is under the sponsorship of Lakeside Student Body, Bennie E. Murto, president. Music will be furnished by "Kramer's Orchestra." A feature of the evening will be a waltz contest. Prizes will be awarded to the winning contestants.

Marriage Licenses

Jan. 20—James Kudrus, of Eastside, and Jessamine Kathleen Walls, of Marshfield. They were married by Rev. G. A. Gray at his home here last Saturday.

Jan. 23—Orville C. Schulze, of Empire and Evalena M. Roseka of Marshfield.

Will Demonstrate Pruning, Spraying

Methods of pruning the home orchard and a simple spray program designed to give protection against common insect pests and diseases and to eliminate moss, will be demonstrated and discussed at four field meetings to be held in Coos county this week, according to arrangements completed by George Jenkins, county agricultural agent.

The four meetings will be held on farms throughout the county where fruit trees will be available to demonstrate pruning methods. The first will be at the Frank Burbank farm at Arago on Thursday, January 25, at 1:30 p. m.; at the Coos County Sheep Company farm, Fairview, on Friday, January 26, at 10:00 a. m.; in orchards at Greenacres, Friday, January 26, where the group will meet at the Grange Hall at 1:30 p. m. and at the J. P. Johansen farm in Bangor, Saturday, January 27, at 10:00 a. m.

These meetings are being held as part of the yearly program in home orchard, vegetable garden and food preservation project carried on through the local extension office.

O. T. McWhorter, extension horticulturist, O. S. C., will attend each of the meetings to conduct the demonstrations. Besides the pruning and spraying demonstrations, other subjects including small fruit plantings and the home garden will be considered.

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