

Listen in on President Coolidge's Forestry Message, 8 P. M., Monday

Copies of President Coolidge's message on American Forest Week have been sent for posting to post offices of the first, second and third classes in the entire United States. In addition to the above, President Coolidge will broadcast a forestry message from the White House at 8:00 p.m. Monday, April 23. This will be followed by a short address from the Hon. Chas. Stewart of Canada, and several forestry songs by Mrs. Louise Homer, among which is "Trees at Night," a song written especially for American Forest Week and to be first publicly sung on April 23.

Waste and worthless land is worse than a dead loss. It is a drag on the community. Idle land leads to decline in industry, wealth, population and public revenues. It depresses agriculture and causes social retrogression. permanent prosperity must be based on permanent resources, fully and wisely used. Timber growing in which this represents the highest use to which the bulk of the land can be put.

An old Indian chief one time said, "Where water runs, trees grow, and birds sing, man can live." Water may run through a burned-off area, but trees will not grow there, nor will birds sing there. So why would not a man's common intelligence tell him not to set out destructive fires? It is well for people generally to understand that saving and providing for a continuation of the forests is something more than providing for timber and lumber business. There is scarcely an industry anywhere that does not to a certain extent depend upon the forests for some of its needs and necessities, and the forests are considered as our principal source of wealth.

You can call 'em patriots or not, but anybody who gets into public office in Chicago certainly is a battle-scarred veteran.

FARM REMINDERS

In hatching turkey eggs in an incubator it is best to use considerable moisture. Some successful turkey raisers sprinkle the eggs with water warmed to about blood temperature each day during the last week until the eggs pip. If the weather is warm and dry a dish of warm water may be placed on the bottom of the incubator under the egg trays, says the experiment station.

"Big bud" disease of filberts, which causes an enlargement of buds in which often results in their complete destruction, is caused by the feeding activities of an exceedingly small mite, similar in form to the pear leaf blister mite, reports Don C. Mote of the experiment station. Little is known as yet regarding the disease though it is being carefully studied now by Oregon specialists. Care in selection of nursery stock is advised.

A good fattening mash for ducks is made of three parts (by weight) corn meal and one part each of bran, meat scrap and middlings to a half part green feed, finds the experiment station. Oregon growers make a practice of keeping the feed trough near the water to reduce exercise. Only what feed will be cleaned up is given and troughs are kept clean to prevent souring, which is dangerous. Ducks started on this mash at 7 to 8 weeks are usually ready to market at from 10 to 12 weeks old.

WOOL AND MOHAIR—The world wool markets continue strong. Mohair values have been advancing sharply.

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A gash nearly two inches long was sustained by little Boyd Phitts, Wednesday, at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. W. Seisraeder, at Aloha. He was playing in the yard and fell on the glass, cutting a gash in his forehead. Dr. Mason was called and had to take several stitches to close the wound.

A program and basket social will be given by the Whitford school Thursday evening, April 26. The program will consist of music by the Bethany orchestra, special numbers by Miss Viola Hansen, Mr. Harris Hansen and Miss Nona Brown, also a short program of dialogues, recitations and songs by the school. Sandwiches, coffee, cake and ice cream will be sold. Everybody invited.

Peggy Stock, employed at the Whitehall cafe, scalded her right limb Monday when she tipped over a kettle of boiling water while she was at home. The limb, from the knee to the foot, was severely burned but she was able to resume her work the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Dewey Drorbaugh, and Mrs. Geo. Ware were initiated into Beaver lodge at a meeting held Tuesday in then I. O. O. F. hall. Guests of the evening were Multnomah chapter No. 245, of Portland. A dainty and delicious luncheon was served later in the evening.

Mrs. H. L. Hudson, of Multnomah, visited with friends in Beaverton Tuesday.

The Wendell Phillips home is on the road to completion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Patrick have taken up their residence in Vernonia.

Mrs. Joe Orselli, who underwent an operation Monday in a Portland hospital, is improving.

'Tis said R. R. Summers, Al Jones, Bert Hockens, and Bill Hockens, got the limit on their trip to Three Rivers last week.

A. L. Berg, wife and baby, who have been visiting Mrs. Berg's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pegg, have moved to Portland where they will make their home.

The Commerce Hotel suffered a disaster when a strong ale of wind blew the sign off the top of the building.

A carload of hay was shipped to Tillamook this week by Chas. Berthold.

A Fields has taken up his abode in a house at Lombard and Front street.

Lester Roy, formerly of Beaverton, now manager of the "Good Eats" restaurant at St. Helens, was visiting friends in Beaverton Tuesday.

A. Isler and wife, of Portland, visited Sunday with Mrs. Isler's sister, Mrs. Dewey Drorbaugh.

Mrs. H. R. Nelson entertained friends at bridge Friday evening. Mrs. J. C. Huntley received the high score.

Mrs. J. B. Gilkey, of Portland, visited Mrs. Wm. Engle and attended the Eastern Star card party Wednesday.

Officers and a large number of Beaver O. E. S. chapter members attended the Mt. Hood chapter of Portland, Wednesday evening.

A number of business men of Beaverton, accepted the invitation of the Vancouver commercial club to visit them, enjoy a banquet, and inspect the linen factory there. This mill needs more acreage in flax and it was thought that if the business men secured their information "first hand" they would urge people to plant flax. Those in the party were: W. E. Pegg, Wm. Pinder, Doy Gray, J. W. Raynard and J. W. Sprague.

The Oregon Pioneer association and the Oregon Historical Society will celebrate their 85th anniversary and 28th celebration Saturday, May 5 at Champoug park. Judge P. H. D'Arcy will be the president of the day.

John Mailand has moved into the Losh house on Second street, which was vacated Monday by E. L. Jackson, who moved into the Notter house on Watson street.

Mrs. E. Cramer, of Portland, was a guest of Mrs. Rose Fletcher Wednesday.

Freeman Rowe, of the Studio bar, her son is taking a vacation now and will be at the shop only on Saturdays. Julius Sorenson, of Hillsboro, will be at the shop all week, for a while.

The first night operator at the Southern Pacific depot, Miss Hilda Stewart, rented the Hennessy house on East street and moved in this week. There are only four female operators on the Southern Pacific system in Oregon now, Miss Ota Boyd, and Miss Hilda Stewart, of Beaverton, Mrs. A. B. Boyd, of Sandy, and Mrs. G. B. Boyd, of Sandy.

School Blackboards To be Illuminated

A new type electrically illuminated blackboard has been developed for schoolroom use. Instead of an opaque board, there is a translucent glass board with ground surface, illuminated from behind. With modern school room illumination—combined daylight and electric lighting—markings on the new board are visible throughout the room. In addition to greater visibility, claims made for the translucent board are ease of erasure, a surface suitable for use as a screen for the projection of lantern slides and motion pictures, and the ability to intersperse chalk talks with lantern slides without changing the general illumination of the room.

L. M. Clark, of Vancouver, Wash., has purchased the Knight place 2 miles south of town and moved there this spring. He lived in Beaverton several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Brome, of Longview, Wash., have rented the Hathaway house.

Howard J. Huston, of Woodland, Acres, who died April 9, was survived by a wife and one son.

Wendell Campbell is building a new house on the highway north of the oak grove.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Stephens, and son Earl, of Portland visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stephens last week.

John Forbes and Miss Pauline Leel of Portland, spent Sunday at the L. L. Lasswell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tregg Panzer, of Portland, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Panzer's father, M. H. Welter.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Desinger returned Tuesday morning to Knappa, Oregon, after several days visit at the W. F. Desinger home. They were accompanied by Mrs. Thompson, of Knappa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. VanKleeck and daughter spent the week end in Portland with Mr. VanKleeck's mother who is very ill with bronchial pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Lassiter spent Sunday with the Frank Tibbets family in Salem. Mrs. Tibbets is a daughter of Mr. Lassiter.

Mrs. A. C. Chinn spent Friday and Saturday in Portland, with Mrs. F. Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Chinn and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Chinn, of Portland.

Erma Nelson entertained with a Shmober Party to several of her friends Saturday evening. The next morning the girls were up for a waffle breakfast. Those present were: Elsie Whitworth, Helen Hockens, Vivian and Dorothy Harris, Frances Stiles and Alice Johnson.

Misses Violet, Daisy, Phyllis, Muriel and Betty Taylor gave a dancing party Friday evening to a number of their friends in the I. O. O. F. hall. Refreshments were served and a good time was had by all.

Mrs. L. W. Allyn is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. H. R. Nelson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Peck and son spent Sunday in Hillsboro with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nault entertained the Reedville club with a corn beef and cabbage supper at six. 500 was played during the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Dobbins won the first prize while Mrs. John York and G. H. Whiteside the consolation.

Lee Carr and Joe Schmitt came up from Knappa, where they are employed in a logging camp. Sunday, to attend the opening of the Baseball season in Portland, they returned Wednesday.

Miss Lily Evans came home from the hospital Friday, much improved in health, after an operation for tumor.

The Beaver social club sponsored a luncheon and card party Wednesday afternoon, about 100 were served at lunch and 14 tables of 500 was played. Mrs. Watson won first prize and Mrs. Helen Woodard second prize, the consolation going to Mrs. B. A'Rhose. The committee consisting of Mrs. Wm. Engleke, Mrs. Doy Gray and Dan Shane deserve credit for the tasty luncheon and efficiency in serving so many.

Mrs. Bertha Ellet, of Portland, spent the week end with Mrs. P. Budley and Mrs. H. J. Cox.

Mrs. W. R. Petch has been confined to her bed with illness for the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Eckstrom spent the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Eckstrom.

The Bethel Congregational church gave a pot luck dinner Wednesday evening after which they played games and sang.

On Monday night the city council met with all members present, including the city attorney. Nothing of importance was transacted, the time being devoted to cleanup work from the last special meeting. Adjournment was taken to the next regular monthly meeting, the first Monday in May.

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