

CHARTER MEETING OF LIONS' CLUB IS RED LETTER NIGHT

Saturday night was a red letter night in the history of the local Lions club. It will be one event that will be dominant in the memories of all local Lions and all who were privileged to attend that occasion. All the committees down to the Tail Twisters committee had planned the event so that the minutes details were worked out in a very efficient way for this, their charter night.

At about 7:30 guests from Longview, Portland, Eugene and Yreka began to crowd the halls of the Hotel Medford. At 8:00 the den door was swung open and Lions, Lionesses and invited guests passed into the banquet room and some 150 were seated, the tables bedecked with roses, novelties and delicacies. After the singing of "America," all were seated at the tables and the harmonious strains of Wilson Walte's orchestra filled the room.

While partaking of some of the sumptuous meal, consisting of lion's mane, bamboo seed, forest ferns, south sea weeds and monkey's delight, the lions and guests were favored by two Albino Pigmies, whose names will not be concealed. Frank Neer, the district governor of the Lions' International, acted as toastmaster for the occasion and introduced the speakers of the evening.

Mayor Alenderer favored with a word of welcome in which he extended greetings to the local club and in a few brief sentences spoke on "Higher Citizenship," which is one of the principles of Lionism. Dr. R. W. Clancy, retiring president of the Rotary club, and president of the Chamber of Commerce, told of the advantages of being associated in a club like that of Rotary, Kiwanis and Lions. He expressed himself in a very effective way in stating that a "lusty baby" was just born in Medford and that the influence of this "lusty baby," so symbolizing Lionism, should make all Lions better men and that the community would, as a whole, profit by the new service club.

William J. Warner, vice-president of the Craters, told how the Craters, Rotarians, Lions and Kiwanis filled the gap between the local Chamber of Commerce and the various lodges.

One of the most enjoyable events on the program of the evening was a song which was sung by James Stevens, entitled, "The House by the Side of the Road." This song was enjoyed to the extent that Mr. Stevens was encored several times. The Craters' quartet, consisting of Allen, Mann, Newbury and Dawson, rendered several melodious songs. Glenn Fabric, representative of Kiwanis

club, spoke in a very explicit way of some of the work that could be done by such a club as the Lions. Lion Frank Neer, district governor, presented the charter to the local club, and in a few brief remarks, told some of the standards of Lionism. The charter was presented to President J. W. Judy, who assured the governor that the Medford club would ever keep before it the high ideals of Lionism. Many useful and appropriate gifts were presented to the local club by other Lion clubs, represented at the meeting. Some of the gifts were: Longview club, Longview, Washington; Portland, Corvallis, Cottage Grove, Yreka and Dunsmuir.

After several good, loud roars by the Lions, all Lions and guests marched to the Oriental Gardens, and were guests at dancing at Merrick's Motor Inn, through the courtesy of Lions Merrick and Hall. At a late hour all guests and Lions and Lionesses departed, wishing the local club the best and highest degree of success and proclaiming that it was one of the finest functions of the year.

The charter members are: John Billings, C. L. Brown, H. W. Conger, O. L. Davidson, L. T. Dawson, Bon Decious, B. R. Elliott, Chauncey Florey, G. A. Gardner, J. O. Grey, J. H. Gustine, Seeley V. Hall, H. T. Hubbard, J. W. Judy, J. P. Moffatt, M. C. Pace, H. R. Pace, F. M. Scheffel, E. L. Scott, I. E. Schuler, R. W. Steeter, A. R. Smith, E. M. Wilson, C. A. Wing, Emerson Merrick and W. G. Drew.

Officers: J. W. Judy, president; Dr. B. R. Elliott, vice-president; J. P. Moffatt, vice-president; H. T. Hubbard, secretary; C. A. Wing, treasurer; Dr. Steeter, lion tamer; Seeley V. Hall, tail twister.

Directors: E. M. Wilson, H. W. Conger, J. O. Grey, M. C. Pace.

Cross-Country Hikers Make Stop in Medford

With a replica of the Lord's prayer engraved on the head of two pins in a bottle and a microscope with which to read same in a box, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Harvey of Norfolk, West Virginia, arrived in Medford this morning after a hike of 3500 miles, only 600 of which were negotiated by rides with motorists.

The couple are walking for their health and may stop in Medford long enough to address the local boy scouts and camp fire girls on the questions of health and hygiene. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey left Norfolk March 21st, 1924, so have been about 14 months on the road. They have visited Portland and the Willamette Valley and are now en route to California.

Brownsville Farmer.
BROWNSVILLE, Ore., May 19.—J. W. Hussey, a farmer, aged 50, residing five miles west of Brownsville was instantly killed late yesterday by lightning while plowing in a field. He came to Oregon a year ago from North Dakota to get away from such storms.

ROSEBURG YEGG AGAIN TRIES TO MAKE GETAWAY

ROSEBURG, Ore., May 19.—Lee Duncan, prisoner in the county jail who several weeks ago escaped and was at large for three days, after attacking Deputy Sheriff Sewell and who was found later in possession of several hacksaw blades and a can of pepper while planning another attempt to break jail, tried another clever scheme yesterday, which failed because of precautions taken by the officers to prevent him getting away again.

Duncan and another prisoner, George Hudson, who is being held for grand jury investigation on a charge of aiding Duncan in his attempt to escape a short time ago, lured Deputy Sheriff Shambrook into the cell this morning on a fake suicide play. Hudson, it was found by later developments, had fashioned a key from a suspender buckle and had unlocked the small cage in which Duncan was confined. Duncan hid in another cell, after leaving a dummy in his bed. Blood from a cut on Duncan's hand formed a pool at his cell door and when the officers appeared with faced this morning Hudson, pretending alarm, called their attention to the blood and the fact that Duncan could not be reached. When the deputy sheriff went into the cell to investigate the door was slammed behind him and he was locked in.

Officer Shambrook, however, had taken the precaution to have Deputy Sheriff Sewell in the outside corridor and the main door was still locked so that the prisoners were unable to make their get-away.

Hudson, if convicted, will probably be deported, according to District Attorney Gordon. He is a British subject and formerly served a term in Washington state prison at Walla Walla, charged with the manufacture of liquor. He was originally arrested here charged with possession of liquor and while serving as a trustee in the jail yard is charged by officers to have smuggled hacksaw blades in to Duncan.



Scholarships for Scouts.
Good work done in the troop is being increasingly recognized by the offering of scholarships to scouts. The latest thing of this kind is reported from South Bend, Ind. The late president of the South Bend council, F. A. Bryan, bequeathed \$40,000.00 to be known as the Bryan Collegiate

fund, the income to be applied to four annual scholarships open to boys who were Boy Scouts during their junior and senior years at the South Bend high school. The fund becomes available in 1926.

Two four-year scholarships are again offered this year by the New York university to Boy Scouts of New York City, and the Barnard School for Boys, which previously offered one, is so pleased with results that they now offer two scholarships to New York City Scouts. A number of private preparatory schools in New York City offer scout scholarships. Whitman college, Walla Walla, Wash., awards a four-year scholarship to scouts of first-class rank, selected on a competitive basis from scouts of Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana. The Rotary club of Spangsbury, S. C., is offering one scholarship in Wofford college and one in Converse college to scouts to be selected on merit. The University of Texas accepts without payment of fees one Eagle Scout from each Texas local council, in recognition of ability, character and attainment. Similarly, in Montana one scout from each of the eight local councils in that state may be appointed on merit for scholarship privileges at Intermountain college. The New York State College of Forestry, at Syracuse, N. Y., annually awards a forestry scholarship to one Eagle scout.

Troop 4 won the Knot board contest which closed May 9th, with a display board showing about one hundred and fifty different kinds of knots and rope decorations. This board is on display at headquarters office and attracting a lot of attention.

Memorial day this year will be observed by Medford scouts, as it is by Boy Scouts all over the United States, starting with the parade in the morning and a very novel event in the afternoon, details of which will be announced later.

Bird houses will be the prevailing subject in scout troops during the week of May 23 to May 30, as all troops will enter a contest constructing unique and practical houses at that time.

SALEM PASSES A LAW AGAINST MAGAZINES

SALEM, Ore., May 19.—An ordinance was introduced at the meeting of the city council here last night prohibiting the sale on news stands of magazines judged to be obscene. Complaint at the character of some of the magazines sold was made by J. C. Nelson, principal of the Salem high school. The ordinance provides a penalty of fine or imprisonment or both.

Girls—You can't expect a feller to love a girl with a red nose, colorless lips, dull eyes. Don't wait—your "chance" might come tomorrow. Better take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea at once and be on the safe side. Health's Drug Store and Haskins' Drug Store.—Adv.

NEBRASKA JOINS IN FIGHT UPON RISQUE MAGAZINES

OMAHA, Neb., May 18.—Action against the sale of "risque" magazines to high school students was started by County Attorney Best yesterday when he referred to federal authorities complaints of high school teachers that "periodicals containing salacious stories and obscene pictures had been found in the school."

The magazines in question can be obtained at almost any news stand, County Attorney Best said, but there is no state law under which the distributors can be prosecuted.

"Such magazines, in my opinion are doing more to break down the morale of the children than anything else," Best said. "They are the cause of the age. They print suggestive stories which are not fit for anybody to read, let alone high school children of tender age. If there was any way I might bring prosecutions in these cases I most certainly would do so."

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Opportunities for Interment

are by reservation, as only the number of crypts will be constructed which are reserved. It is necessary to know before construction how large the building shall be and who are its owners, as the plan is co-operative. Construction of the Medford building will start about May 29. Space is two-thirds taken.

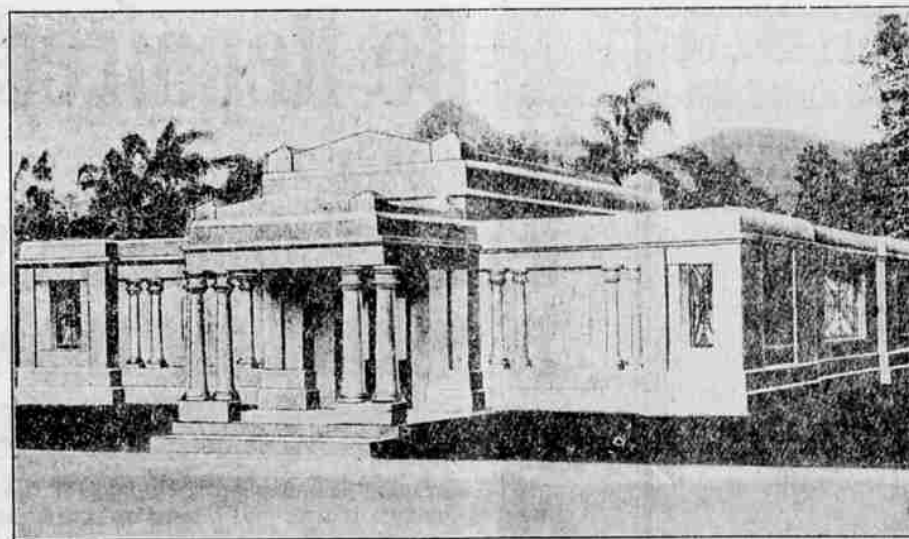
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PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, 5 O'CLOCK

Participating and assisting in the Ground Breaking Ceremonial, Wednesday, May 20, will be 1000 officers and delegates attending the I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge at Ashland. In full uniform, the full cavalcade will arrive in Medford at 5 P. M., parading from the west end of South Oakdale to the City Park, thence along Main Street to the I. O. O. F. cemetery. Three bands will also participate. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Music	D. O. K. K. Band
Invocation	Rev. J. Willard De Yoo
Poem, "Hall of Memories"	Past Grand Master Carter, Portland
Vocal Selection	J. O. O. F. Quartette
Address, "Mausoleum Idea"	Past Grand Master Westbrook, Portland
Benediction	D. O. K. K. Band
Master of Ceremonies	Rev. E. P. Lawrence
	Judge C. M. Thomas

During which there will be the turning of the soil, depositing of the records and the sealing of the crypt for historical records which will be dedicated and sealed, not to be opened again until fifty years from date, when a similar service will be held.

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