

CHAMBER HOME PRODUCT FEAST  
HUGE SUCCESS; REPORT FOR  
YEAR BY PRESIDENT READ

The Chamber of Commerce, an organization representative of the highest ideals of business men's aspirations, said Wilson Wiley, well known Klamath Falls attorney in the main address of the community products dinner, held last night at the Hotel Medford by the Medford Chamber of Commerce...

Gaddis and Walter H. Levertette, president, Valley Traffic Association—C. C. Lemmon, Harry Rosenberg, Ralph Haddwell, Fruit-growers' league—Alfred Carpenter, H. VanHoevenberg, Jr., and Otis Booth. The financing plan to carry on the work of this committee involves the contribution of \$1,000 per year...

DIFFICULT LANDING FOR PLANE AT MURRAY BAY



How a plane looks arriving at Murray Bay, Quebec, Canada. This unusual photo was taken by a cameraman who was there for the assembling of repair parts for the transatlantic plane, Bremen, on Greenly Island off Labrador. Picture shows a rescue plane hovering over the landing field, preparatory to making a difficult landing.

The total cost of the jubilee was nearly \$10,000, but when the final accounting was made it was found that it was only necessary to call upon the guarantors for 12 1/2 per cent of their total pledges, as the deficit amounted to less than \$1,000.

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Mr. Wiley expressed the need of closer co-operation between his home city of Klamath Falls and Medford. Klamath Falls, he said, is ever ready to co-operate with Medford in any undertaking and he compared chamber problems between the two cities, citing land settlement work, which he deemed the most important of a chamber's duties.

At its initial meeting, the committee elected Alfred Carpenter as its chairman and its first work was along the lines of assisting in securing a reduction in the freight rates on fresh fruits to transcontinental points. In this project, the other fruit raising districts of the northwest are co-operating, as is also the state of Washington.

He lauded the work of the service clubs and in them placed a large share of the burden of preserving world peace, explaining that through these clubs, business men are brought closer together throughout the world. He placed them on an equal with the international congresses, peace conferences and the League of Nations, the latter of which he gave special credit for the continued preservation of peace.

A sub-committee of this organization, headed by P. A. Scherer, was successful in inducing the Standard Oil company of California to erect a storage tank for amide oil in the Medford district. It has been felt for many years that such an installation is a great necessity, and it is indeed gratifying to report that the tank has been installed and is now in use.

Another membership campaign was carried on by members of the board of directors and the proceeds from this campaign were used in the local advertising campaign conducted by the realtors.

During the year the chamber has devoted considerable attention to increasing the use of Medford products in Medford. Although no intensive drive was conducted, efforts have been made in individual cases to assist the manufacturers in their local distribution.

After a very thorough survey of the membership of the chamber, President John C. Mann has made the following committee appointments for the coming year: The following are the members of the various committees, and each group represents some of the best talent available in that particular line of work.

Mr. Wiley drew for a short time on the problem of war and told how scientists have the fates of countries in their hands. Their efforts wars will soon only last for not more than 10 days, when in the olden days they continued off times for 30 years.

Since the creation of this committee, and the constant and untiring effort of the three participating organizations, there seems to be a much better feeling between the various elements concerned, based upon mutual understanding of the others' problems. There is undoubtedly a great future in store for this committee, if it functions as a proper force.

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With the completion of the new Medford water system, a drinking fountain is erected near the chamber to demonstrate to the tourist the excellence of Medford's water. The fountain is most attractive, and was built through the co-operation of the city of Medford.

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Outside of Mr. Wiley, the only other speakers of the evening were Seelye V. Hall, who spoke on Medford's needs of a new airport, and C. Baker, chamber secretary, who in a few brief words, reviewed the accomplishments of the Medford Chamber of Commerce.

The meeting was opened by President John C. Mann, who turned it over to Thomas L. Gaddis, who was in charge until the meeting was adjourned. The dinner, which consisted of strictly Medford products, was made more enjoyable by music furnished by Medford Elks' band and later during the evening, several selections were rendered by the Masonic quartet, composed of Messrs. Howard, McDonough, Shockey and Meeker, as well as by James Stevens, baritone, and by Margaret Hutton Williamson, soprano. Miss Alma Lawrence was the accompanist.

Practically nine months were utilized in gathering data and photographs for the publication of a Medford booklet, 50,000 of which are now in the process of publication. The new booklet will be almost entirely composed of pictures, with statistical data and pertinent facts interspersed. The work is being done in a conservative process, and the preliminary proofs indicate a most satisfactory work. These booklets will be distributed through the regular channels, chambers of commerce throughout the country, travel bureaus, railway immigration offices, etc. A supply will, of course, be kept on hand at the chamber headquarters for distribution to tourists visiting Medford. The first shipment of the booklets is expected to be on hand not later than May 1.

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The program for the evening were furnished by the Tomlin Box company, through John Tomlin and were printed by Marshall on thin pine bluffs. Tickets were also furnished by Tomlin on short lengths of wood.

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WOMEN TO BACK  
KEELOGG PLAN TO  
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CHICAGO, April 28.—The League of Women Voters today approved the Keellogg plan to outlaw war. Miss Ruth Morgan of New York voiced the league's attitude in this language: "We mean to understand the secretary of state's proposal for a general treaty, which shall renounce war as an instrument of policy. We also mean to support it with our strength."

Miss Morgan was chairman of the department of international co-operation to prevent war. Her remarks were a part of the department report passed amidst applause. Miss Morgan called attention to the greatly increased interest of league members in international affairs, which she said has "opened up a great part time profession, that of being expert in foreign affairs and, effective for peace."

BERLIN, April 27.—(AP) Dr. Gustav Stresemann, the foreign minister, handed to Jacob Gouss Schurman, the American ambassador, tonight, the German reply to Secretary Kellogg's anti-war proposal.

LA GRANDE, Ore., April 28.—(AP)—The Bowman-Hicks Lumber company will resume operations in the sawmill here and in the logging camps in Wallowa county on Tuesday, May 1. The company has been inactive since last October. About 250 men will be employed here and 300 in the woods. One eight-hour shift will begin operations.

Proposed Change of Zone Ordinance. The City Planning Commission proposes a revision of the present zoning ordinance in which the present Use Zone IV (Semi-public) would be combined with the present Zone II, and parks would be included in Zone I. The Use Districts would then be as follows: Class I Residence—Single family dwellings, parks and playgrounds.

Notice of Appointment of Administrator. In the County Court of the State of Oregon in and for the County of Jackson, Oregon, the undersigned is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and has qualified as administrator of the state of the above named decedent, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby directed to present same properly verified in the manner provided by law, to the undersigned at the office of the Administrator in the Palm Building, Medford, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

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Table of financial accounts and receipts, including items like 'Co. supplies', 'Medford Cycle', 'Medford Fur & Hdw. Co.', 'Medford Service Station', 'Merriman's Biscuits', 'Shops, supplies', 'H. J. Miller, payroll', 'Al Piche, supplies', 'Porter Lumber Co., supplies', 'Robinson & Meyer, supplies', 'Robinson Tractor Co., supplies', 'Russell Grader, Mfg. Co., supplies', 'H. W. Sharp Co., supplies', 'Southern Pacific Co., freight', 'Woodbury & Wheeler Co., supplies', 'J. D. Adams & Co., supplies', 'Calif. Oregon Power Co., supplies', 'W. L. Childers, service', 'J. Denn Powder Co., supplies', 'Eagle Point Hardware, supplies', 'Oregon State Hwy. Com., supplies', 'Portland Oxygen & Hydrogen Co., supplies', 'Shell Co. of Calif., supplies', 'Southern Pac. Co., freight', 'J. A. Denn Powder Co., supplies', 'Sun A. Croker, secy. of', 'Ernest Langley, tools', 'Southern Oregon Electric, supplies', 'Southern Pac. Co., freight', 'Woodbury & Wheeler Co., supplies', 'C. C. Bond, supplies', 'J. A. Denn Powder Co., supplies', 'Hickok & Hickok, supplies', 'Edward F. Webster, trucks', 'BRIDGE FUND', 'William Blenis, labor', 'Loyal Hartman, bridge carpenter', 'Wesley Hartman, foreman', 'State Industrial Accident Comm., insurance', 'MARKET ROAD FUND', 'R. M. Kent, chairman', 'W. C. Miller, payroll', 'Wm. Ferry, payroll', 'W. W. Rankin, payroll', 'John E. Smith, payroll', 'Lester E. Smith, transit', 'Roland A. Smith, rodmn', 'State Industrial Accident Comm., insurance', 'C. Carter, payroll', 'E. H. Day, right of way', 'Gold Hill Hdw. & Imp. Co., supplies', 'D. C. Straus, right of way', 'Gaddis & Dixon, supplies', 'Shell Co. of Calif., supplies', 'J. A. Bitterling, right of way', 'Wm. Butler, right of way', 'Wm. Daly, right of way', 'Gm. Ferry, right of way', 'L. M. Philbrook, right of way', 'Southern Pac. Co., freight', 'Tomlin Box Co., supplies', 'Trucon Steel Co., supplies', 'Ira Drake, posts', 'Trucon Steel Co., supplies', 'SPECIAL ROAD DISTRICTS', 'Road District No. 3', 'Wm. Ferry, payroll', 'State Industrial Accident Comm., insurance', 'J. A. Denn Powder Co., supplies', 'J. A. Dixon, supplies', 'H. C. Mechem, supplies', 'W. C. Clements, supplies', 'J. A. Denn Powder Co., supplies', 'Eagle Point Hardware, supplies', 'Road District No. 7', 'W. W. Rankin, payroll', 'State Industrial Accident Comm., insurance', 'J. A. Denn Powder Co., supplies', 'Shell Co. of Calif., supplies', 'Total', '502.68', 'Road District No. 12', 'John E. Smith, payroll', 'R. W. Densberger, labor', 'State Industrial Accident Comm., insurance', 'C. Carter, supplies', 'Gaddis & Dixon, supplies', 'Gold Hill Hdw. & Imp. Co., supplies', 'Total', '297.85', 'BOUNTY', 'F. L. Bedingfield', 'L. B. Jewell', 'Norman Walter', 'Isaac Smith', 'Chas. Manning', 'W. A. Cox', 'C. W. McGrew', 'Minnie Stubb', 'Charles Lindsay', 'Lucy Gardner', 'A. L. Kromling', 'W. H. Fehley', 'F. R. Colwell', 'M. A. Griffin', 'R. M. Coffin', 'E. H. Hughes', 'J. L. Bagdale', 'Robert Edsall', 'Anton Ring', 'Harley Hall', 'A. T. Boothby', 'G. A. Whippley', 'W. H. Ferguson', 'M. L. Martin', 'H. W. Scholer', 'R. G. Mow', 'Edgar G. Davis', 'E. R. Deacon', 'Mrs. Mary C. Fry', 'Ben Oswald', 'Theodore Averis', 'Auto Iron Works, supplies', 'F. L. Bedingfield', 'E. M. Unger', 'A. D. Moore', 'L. V. Shults', 'W. F. Carter, supplies', 'F. J. Rippey', 'Gerald Buck', 'E. S. Bartlett', 'Fred Savage', 'W. H. Pringle', 'Don M. Rainald', 'Bertha B. Charley', 'R. Phillips', 'H. M. Fowley', 'A. L. Kromling', 'G. W. Blain', 'Clyde Smith', 'Mable Owens', 'W. E. Dawson', 'L. B. Pringle', 'William Straube', 'Total', '542.00', 'DELLILA STEVENS MEYER, County Clerk'