

WRITERS' LEAGUE CHAPTER FORMED BY TALENT HERE

By MAUDE POOL.

Opportunities for a splendid organization which will become a real asset to this section of the state lie ahead for the Southern Oregon chapter of the League of Western Writers which completed organization at a meeting held at the Holland Hotel Monday evening. Mrs. Atlanta Parker Satchwell, president of the organization, devoted some time to explaining the purpose and functions of the league, and the by-laws of the Portland chapter, read by the secretary, were adopted by the local branch.

"The Southern Oregon chapter" was chosen as the name of the new organization, and during the meeting numerous plans for the future were discussed. New members were admitted, and an invitation to the northwest convention at Portland beginning August 6 was read by the secretary.

Officers, including those elected at a preliminary meeting held in April, are as follows: Mrs. Atlanta Parker Satchwell, president; Mrs. Alice Coplin, vice-president; Mrs. A. V. Graves, secretary; Miss Dorothy Reynolds, treasurer; and Miss Maude E. Pool, historian. V. A. Davis, Mrs. Louise Hedges, and Mrs. E. E. Gore were named by the president as the board of directors, and Miss Pool and Mr. Davis were appointed as publicity members.

The organization was established in the spring by Mrs. Agnes E. Hines of Forest Grove, Ore., executive and publicity chairman, and membership is open not only to writers, but to all classes of creative artists, including painters, musicians, composers, architects, sculptors, and singers. The charter will be left open for the next month to permit as many charter members as possible. The next meeting will be held at the Holland Hotel August 7th, at 2:00 p. m., and thereafter meetings will be held in the afternoon of the second Monday in every month. Members are planning a brief program to be presented at the next meeting, and every person who is doing a creative type of work is invited to attend the meeting and become a charter member.

The principal aim of the League of Western Writers is to discover and promote talent which has remained undeveloped as a result of lack of assistance and encouragement. Realizing that great talent along various lines exists right in southern Oregon itself, members of the Medford branch vision a splendid organization which will be more than worth while for those who become affiliated with it. Members will be put in touch with markets for their various types of productions.

Exceptional interest in the league was shown by V. A. Davis, who traveled 30 miles from his home near the California line beyond the Sisquiy summit to be present at Monday's meeting, and learn of the nature of the League of Western Writers. Mr. Davis, a well known contributor of historical articles to local papers, has had stories published, and expects to publish a book before long. Mrs. Satchwell has appropriately expressed the spirit of the new organization in the following bit of verse, which lends inspiration for new achievements:

The members of our little band
Must stand together in a helpful way;
Here in Oregon's sunny land
We join each other in work and play.
In our work we must always keep
Moving forward in thought and deed;
Handing out something strong and deep,
Something to fill life's daily need.

In our pleasant leisure hours,
We can make life very bright
By using all within our power
To change dark hours into light.

With pen and brush and sculptor's knife,
To perpetuate our daily thought,
Our league will begin its useful life;
Its cheerful battles will be fought.

In Oregon's land of sunshine,
Away from the outside world;
With stories, books and rhyme,
Our banner is now unfurled.

And now our League must have a name;
My friends, what do you say?
Will the name of "Medford" give it fame?
If not, "Southern Oregon" may.

AMATEUR RADIO MEN WILL STAGE PICNIC

A picnic, being sponsored by the Amateur Radio club of southern Oregon, will be held in Lithia park at Ashland Sunday, starting at one o'clock. A picnic dinner will be served at six, according to plans announced today by Victor Milne.

Portable radio equipment will be taken to the park by the members of the organization, and a tour of the amateur stations in that district will be made. There are about 30 members of the association, Mr. Milne said.

Return South—Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Jones, who have been the guests of his mother, Mrs. Jennie Jones of North Bartlett street, left yesterday for their home, in Covina, Calif. Thomas Morris of Monrovia, Calif., Mrs. Jennie Jones' brother, who has been visiting here, left with them. Also guests here were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bendleton and son of Covina, who left Thursday for Diamond lake on a fishing trip. Mr. Bendleton is coach at Covina high school.

POST AND WIFE CHECK ROUTE OF WORLD FLIGHT



The Wiley Posts are busy poring over maps and globes these days. Post is shown at Floyd Bennett field, New York, looking over the route he will take on his attempt to whirl around the world alone in record time while his wife in a New York hotel traces his course on a globe. Below is the flyer's plane the Winnie Mae. (Associated Press Photos)

TRUCKMEN'S MEET SET FOR FRIDAY IN MEDFORD PARK

The transportation committee of the chamber of commerce announced today that a public meeting of truck operators, farmers, shippers and any others interested in Oregon's new motor transportation act, will be held Friday evening at eight o'clock in the city park.

Ralph Stahel, secretary of the Allied Truck owners, will be the principal speaker and will be prepared to answer all questions concerning the law to the best of his ability. In Mr. Stahel's capacity it has been necessary that he study the transportation act from all angles as the Allied Truck owners membership consists of all classes of truck operators and allied industries.

There is a possibility that Mr. Stahel will be able to bring a representative of the public utilities commission with him, although this has not been definitely confirmed at press time.

It is urged that everyone interested in the transportation industry in southern Oregon make it a point to be at the Medford city park at 8:00 p. m. Friday.

POSTMASTER RULES MAY BE REVAMPED

WASHINGTON, July 13.—(AP)—In an executive order changing regulations for postmaster appointments, President Roosevelt today requested Postmaster General Farley to draft legislation to be submitted to the next congress placing all postmaster-ships under civil service.

The executive order will permit all acting postmasters named since March 4—approximately 1800—to remain in office without examination. It also raises the maximum age limit from 65 to 68 years and reduces the minimum residence requirements from two years to one.

KMED Broadcast Schedule

- Friday
- 8:00—Breakfast news by Mail Tribune.
 - 8:05—Musical Clock.
 - 8:15—A Peerless parade.
 - 8:30—Shopping Guide.
 - 8:45—The Royal Club.
 - 9:00—Friendship circle.
 - 9:30—Morning melody.
 - 10:00—U. S. weather forecast.
 - 10:00—Fashion parade.
 - 10:15—Home-makers bureau.
 - 10:30—Musical notes.
 - 10:45—Quartette parade.
 - 11:00—The Grants Pass hour.
 - 11:15—Martial music.
 - 11:30—Song and comedy.
 - 11:45—Along Style Street.
 - 12:00—Mid-day review.
 - 12:15—Radio rendezvous.
 - 12:30—News flashes by Mail Tribune.
 - 12:30—Popularities.
 - 12:45—Monarch melodies.
 - 1:00—Varieties.
 - 2:00—Dance matinee.
 - 3:00—Songs for everyday.
 - 3:30—KMED program review.
 - 3:35—Music of old.
 - 4:00—Cocktail of music.
 - 4:30—Masterworks.
 - 5:00—Popular parade.
 - 5:45—News digest by Mail Tribune.
 - 6:00—Medford Theater Guide.
 - 6:15—Sports and fishing flashes by Al Piche.
 - 6:20—Tour of San Francisco.
 - 6:30—Vignettes.
 - 6:45—Mystery of the Mirror.
 - 7:00—Gordan MacCracken speaking for Repeal of 18th Amendment.
 - 7:05—Modernities.
 - 7:30 to 8:00—Eventide.

FOOD CONSERVATION COMMITTEE TO MEET

A meeting has been called for Friday of the R. F. C. executive committee in Jackson county, which will meet with Miss Claribel Nye of Corvallis, state chairman of food conservation. C. R. Reynolds of Portland, field representative in charge of the county committees and Mabel C. Mack, county food conservation chairman.

Plans will be completed for the work in this district and a decision reached as to where the five canning stations in the county are to be located.

STATE MAY AID PARK ROAD PLAN

Mr. and Mrs. W. Schmidt of Oregon's Switzerland, a park being developed east of Roxy Ann, announced last evening that they had received word from Governor Julius L. Meier at Salem, stating that a member of the highway commission will visit the park to see if arrangements might be made for the state to assist the county in constructing the road through that district.

The county has already surveyed a road which leads to the park but due to the lack of funds, has been unable to complete it. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt wrote the governor, asking that the state aid in the road work in order that more people might visit the park, which is being developed at the present time.

CALL FOR POLICEMAN HAS PERSONAL TOUCH

SEMINOLE, Okla., July 13.—(AP)—A telephone call to the police station here today told of the killing of a woman and the suicide of a man.

Policeman Charles Reynolds took the report.

The woman was his wife. She was shot by W. D. McDaniel, who then fatally wounded himself.

Reynolds' four children, Mrs. Reynolds leaves four children.

Body Lice On Chickens

If you want to keep your poultry absolutely free from lice, here's the quick, cheap, easy way to do it. Never letter!

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BOOKS DELIVERED AT FOREST CAMPS

Fourteen boxes, each containing 80 new books, are being distributed today to CCC camps in this district, the first step toward establishing a

traveling library for the recruits in the district. Each two weeks the boxes will be moved from camp to camp. The books were purchased in Washington, D. C., and sent out here. Newspapers, magazines and books, gathered by the Medford Chamber of Commerce, are also being distributed, as well as magazines being supplied by the government. About 35 magazines are being sent the camps through the government, including Adventure, American, Collier, Literary Digest, Sporting News,

Saturday Evening Post, Popular Mechanics, Natural History, National Geographic and Motion Picture.

Camp commanders are in charge of distributing the books and magazines to the men and boys.

Traffic Check Saturday—The second official traffic count of the present motoring season is to be made over the state of Oregon Saturday, with observers at all important highway intersections, according to James Bromley of Grants Pass, resident maintenance engineer.

In Grants Pass—Mrs. F. E. Nandis of this city spent yesterday in Grants Pass visiting and attending to business matters.

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