

VALLEY GROWERS HOST THIS WEEK TO STATE GROUP

Horticultural Society Starts Wednesday At Elks Temple — Fruit Topics Of Interest On Program.

Medford growers and the Fruit Growers league are to be hosts December 13 and 14 to the Oregon State Horticultural society. The last Medford meeting was held in 1929 and was one of the best ever held due to the large and enthusiastic attendance of local growers and the hearty welcome which they gave to the members of the state society. The session held this year promises to be even more important and better entertainment than the one four years ago because the spirit of hopefulness is reflected in the program which the very capable committee has outlined. There will be two days of the convention, which will cover both the important speeches as outlined in the program and the business session, at which officers will be elected and other necessary business transacted.

The reception committee, of which Prof. F. C. Reimer is chairman, is composed of George Dean and Lyle Wilcox of Medford and O. T. McWhorter of Corvallis; and the entertainment committee, of which Raymond Reter is chairman, have arranged for a social session on the evening of Wednesday, the 13th, at which many surprises are promised. The principal publicity which the committee has given out so far is that the fruit growers are to be guests of the Medford Chamber of Commerce and there will be plenty of excellent beer, sandwiches of all kinds, hot dogs and other embellishments.

The session will start promptly at 9:30 Wednesday morning at the Elks temple. Due to the courtesy of the local B. P. O. E., this excellent auditorium has been loaned for these meetings, which of course insures everyone having a good time and being comfortable. It is hoped by the 48th annual meeting of the Oregon State Horticultural society that local growers will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear the very best men in the northwest on subjects which are of immediate and practical value to them.

The committee asks that those who are planning to accept the invitation to the entertainment committee on the evening of the 13th hand their names to any member of the committee by noon of that date. The publicity director wishes to add that this entertainment will be free.

The program follows:

- ELKS TEMPLE**
Wednesday, December 13
Forenoon
- 9:30—President's Address. E. W. Carlton, Central Point.
 - 10:00—"The Dollar, the Pound Sterling, and the Fruit Grower"—Wm. A. Schoenfeld, Dean and Director of Agriculture, Oregon State College, Corvallis.
 - 10:30—"Soil Moisture Control by Irrigation"—Arch Work, U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Engineering, Medford.
 - 11:00—"Some Responses of Anjou Pear Trees to Irrigation"—W. W. Aldrich, U. S. Bureau of Plant Industry, Medford.
 - 11:30—"Humus Loams in Cultivated Seeds"—R. E. Stephenson, Soils Department, Oregon Experiment Station.
- Afternoon**
- 1:15—"Irrigation District Refinancing and Government Aid"—W. W. McLaughlin, Chief, Division of Irrigation, U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Engineering, Berkeley, Cal.
 - 1:45—"Food Value and Vitamins in Apples"—Dr. W. W. Manville, Oregon Medical School, Portland.
 - 2:15—"What Water Shipment of Pears Means to the Industry"—Glenn B. Marsh, Hood River Apple Growers' Assn.
 - 2:45—"Aienaa Shipment"—Robert K. Norris, Pinnacle Packing Corporation, Medford.
 - 3:10—"Outlook for Canned Pears"—J. W. Mayo, General Manager, North Pacific Cannery and Packers.
 - 3:45—"Little Leaf Chlorosis and Dry Rot of Pears"—F. C. Reimer, Supt. Southern Oregon Experiment Station, Talent.
 - 4:15—Recess until supper.
- The afternoon session will continue until about 8 o'clock, at which time the fruit growers are invited to remain for a "buffet supper" as guests of the Medford Chamber of Commerce.
- 8:30—"Buffet Supper." Medford Chamber of Commerce.
- Thursday, December 14**
Forenoon
- 10:00—"Oregon-Washington Pear Bureau"—D. B. Rosenberg, President, Oregon-Washington Pear Bureau.
 - 10:30—"Production Credit"—E. L. Potter, Division of Agricultural Economics, O. S. A. C.
 - 11:00—"The Northwest Fruit Industries, Inc."—Paul Scherer, General Manager, S. O. S.
 - 11:30—"W. H. Horsley, Sec. N. P. I."
- Afternoon**
- 1:00—"Coding Moth Spray Developments"—E. J. Newcomer, Senior Entomologist, U. S. D. A., Yakima, Wash.
 - 1:30—"Insect Control in the Rogue River Valley"—L. O. Gentser, Entomologist, Southern Oregon Experiment Station.
 - 2:00—"Spray Residue Removal from Apples and Pears"—R. H. Robinson, Chemist, Oregon Experiment Station.
 - 2:40—Annual Business Meeting. Election of Officers.
- Christmas Cards.**
Time is getting short to get Christmas and New Year greeting cards. Order now. See the choice line to select from at Mail Tribune Job Department. Prices reasonable.

VETS POST PLANS TREE FOR KIDDIES

At a meeting of the Crater Lake Post 1833, Veterans of Foreign Wars, held Monday evening, December 6th, plans were made for the second annual "Kiddies Community Christmas Tree," to be held at the Armory, Thursday evening, December 21st, to which all children ten years and under, and who reside in Jackson county, are cordially invited.

A telegram has been received from Santa Claus informing the V. F. W. that owing to the depression and a short crop of moss at the North Pole for his reindeer, it will be impossible for him to visit every child, so he has asked the Veterans of Foreign Wars to help him out by providing a tree and inviting the children to it.

DESPERADOES TURN OUT TO BE BOYS

The two "hold-up men" which State Police officer Louis Johnson roused up the Greensprings mountain after Friday night were not so dangerous as they had been reported, he said yesterday when at headquarters here, and related making a hurried trip up the mountain after the "two fellows who had handkerchiefs tied over their faces."

A truck driver, bringing a load of potatoes to Ashland from Klamath Falls, reported to police officers there that he had seen two men traveling on the highway, with handkerchiefs as masks.

Officer Johnson then traveled up the Greensprings road about five miles, and found two boys, aged 14 and 16, who ran eagerly out to the police car, when it stopped.

According to the officer, the two boys, who reside at a service station up the mountain, had been to Ashland to see the robot on display, and having missed the bus home, were walking.

They had tied the handkerchiefs over their faces to protect them from the wind, the boys said. They had hoped the car had stopped to give them a lift home.

Eagles Eat Turkey
Friday night, official closing night of the membership drive of the Eagles lodge here, was marked by a turkey dinner, given by the losing team, to which few members confessed belonging.

Dinner was served to 350 people at the drive finale. The membership fee will remain the same until next Friday night, it was announced.

RADIO REPAIRING. If you are having trouble, Ph. 668, Don's Radio Ser.

DEMOCRATIC HATS IN RING FOR TRIO POSTOFFICE JOBS

Three postoffices of Jackson county—Medford, Central Point and Gold Hill—will be subject to new appointments within the next months, as the commissions of the present postmasters expire. All are Democratic plums to be distributed by the "powers that be" to the faithful.

Unofficial information received yesterday by local Democrats, indicate that the new appointee will take the oath of office shortly after the first of the year. The commission of William J. Warner, incumbent, expires December 18, last summer Warner completed 30 years of service in the postal department, and comes under civil service seniority, and pension rules.

Attorney Frank DeSouza, chairman of the county central committee, Lewis Ulrich, pioneer Democrat, and J. Frank Wortman of Phoenix, banker-farmer, a patron of the local postoffice, and Sid I. Brown, lumberman in this city, are mentioned among prominent prospects for the Medford post. All have espoused the cause of Democracy over the years, in the many defeats and few victories. Wortman is a Democrat of the Bryan school, the others aspirants of the current school.

In Ashland, the leading aspirants for the postmastership are William Greenbrenner, active American Legion worker, William Bement, chairman of the Ashland city Democratic committee, and J. H. Fuller, Ashland resident and civic worker of long standing. There is some controversy as to when the commission of Fred Wagner, incumbent, expires.

Thomas Pankey of Centra Point is a candidate for the postmastership held throughout the Republican years by Guy Tex. Pankey has been authorized to turn it over to the Chamber director, last spring was candidate for county commissioner and this summer has been connected with the federal land board.

Gold Hill presents two aspirants for the coming postal vacancy—Justice of the Peace H. D. (Johnny) Reed and W. P. Chisholm, Jr. Mrs. Nellie Reed now holds the post. Oregon Democratic chiefdoms have weighed each candidate, from all angles, including the stalwartness of his Democracy, and Congressmen Pierce and Martin and the state chairman are expected to present their choices when Postmaster General Farley returns from Europe and congress assembles.

Monday, Dec. 11 I will deliver grade A milk for 8c per qt. cash and 7c at the Jackson Street store. Call same for delivery. Phone 1938. Why buy Grade B. Crystal Springs Dairy.

Election of officers, Warren Lodge No. 10, Jacksonville, Wed., Dec. 14.

COMICE PEARS TO FEDERAL CHIEFS

Rogue River valley Comice pears, among the world's finest fruits, will be going out to various points this week through the Chamber of Commerce to acquaint more people with their taste and to express Medford's appreciation of the various federal projects brought here this year.

Among the recipients will be Major General Malin Craig, commander of the ninth corps area of the United States army, headquarters, San Francisco; Major Clara H. Armstrong, now in Letterman's hospital in the bay district; Robert Fechner, national director of the CCC, Washington, D. C., and Arno B. Cammerer, new director of national parks, Washington, D. C. Director Cammerer visited in Medford during the summer before assuming his office and was then promised a sample of Medford pears.

ASK ARMY SUITS FOR NEEDY FOLKS

Suggesting inauguration of a plan whereby clothing discarded by the Civilian Conservation corps could be diverted into relief channels, the Chamber of Commerce yesterday addressed a communication to Robert Fechner, national director of the CCC.

Under the present ruling the army destroys all clothing and supplies unfit for army use. The Medford Chamber of Commerce suggests that much of the clothing could still be used to advantage by many needy people here if cleaned and mended, and asks that the camps be authorized to turn it over to the Chamber of Commerce, which will give the supplies to the Welfare Exchange for distribution.

Reading Matter Solicited
Another call has been issued by the Chamber of Commerce for magazines, books, decks of cards, and games, for distribution to the boys in various CCC camps throughout this district.

The previous appeal, made some time ago, by the local civic organization, met with a hearty response, and it is hoped that Medford citizens will again respond so that the articles may be distributed before Christmas.

Those wishing to donate are asked to leave their gifts at the Chamber of Commerce during the present week, or ring 63 and an automobile will pick them up.

Heating costs can be reduced. For complete heating service call Art Schmidt, 418-1662.

PIERCE-ALLEN TO SELL DODGE PLYMOUTH CARS

Appointment of the Pierce-Allen Motor Company as Dodge and Plymouth dealers in Medford was announced here today by W. W. Allen, president of the motor car merchandising organization.

The Pierce-Allen Motor Company, new Dodge Brothers and Plymouth dealers here, was established in 1925 under the management of W. W. Allen, present owner. The firm was then known as the Pierce-Harrison Motor Company, retaining that name until 1927 when Mr. Pierce acquired the interests of Newton Harrison. Upon the death of Mr. Pierce in 1928, Mr. Allen became owner of the firm of which he is president and general manager. Mrs. Allen is vice-president while Dee Scheffel is secretary-treasurer and in charge of the accounting department.

Completely equipped service and parts departments are maintained by Pierce-Allen Motor Company and Mr. Beechel, Dodge and Plymouth service expert, has been added to the present staff. The parts and service departments are managed by E. F. Chamberlain and, according to Mr. Allen, the auto parts stock include a considerable quantity of Chevrolet equipment.

The used car lot, located at the corner of Eighth and Bartlett streets and operated by Pierce-Allen Motor Company, is under the management of L. C. Taylor. According to conservative estimates, more than 1800 used cars have been sold in this lot since its establishment.

W. W. Allen, head of Pierce-Allen Motor Company, is well known in southern Oregon, having identified for several years with civic and fraternal activities here. Mr. Allen has also served as a member of the Medford city council.

In commenting upon his company's acquisition of the Dodge Brothers-Plymouth franchise, Mr. Allen said: "We are more than pleased to be able to announce our new connection."

"Today the public throughout the nation regards the Dodge and Plymouth as two of the outstanding automotive creations and sales records prove this contention. For instance, during this week of December, a total of 3875 cars and trucks was delivered nationally by members of the dealer organization of which I am now a member. Of this number 1690 were

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ELKS PLANS FORM FOR ANNUAL TREE

Plans are rapidly developing for the annual Christmas tree party at the Medford Elks club on Thursday evening, according to Ernest L. Scott, who yesterday conferred with a number of the committee chairmen for the event.

P. C. Bigham, chairman of the refreshment committee is preparing a big "feud" to go with the supply of beer, which will be free to all Elks and their guests.

Each year the Christmas tree party is held, the proceeds being used for charity in Jackson county. Last year over 450 baskets of food and supplies were distributed to needy families, and this year clothing turned over to the club will also be distributed.

The purchasing committee stated Saturday that plenty of merchandise is being secured for the event.

Warrant Call
School Dist. No. 53 warrants numbered 107 to 131 inc. are called for payment. Interest to cease December 11, 1933. Warrants payable at First National Bank, Medford, Oregon.

SCOTTISH RITE
Stated Lodge meeting 7:30 P. M., Dec. 11th.
L. E. WILLIAMS, Secty.

FITS--ATTACKS CURBED

There is new hope for victims of epilepsy, judging from the many who have tried Lepso, a home treatment. One user after another now writes that Lepso has relieved them of attacks. Its fame has spread for 25 years as one user has told another. If you suffer, send name, age and address to R. Lepso, Apt. 62, 123 E. Wright St., Milwaukee, Wis., and he will send a trial supply of this splendid treatment free.

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