

Society and Clubs

Degree of Honor Juvenile Club Meets.
First fall meeting of the Degree of Honor Juvenile club will assemble at the home of Mrs. Ruth Goddard of Plum street next Saturday afternoon at 4:30. Entertainment will be in the form of a picnic roast. Good attendance is desired, with guests welcomed.

Ida M. Wilson, juvenile director, has returned and will tell members of her recent trip. Those wishing to pay dues should bring them to this meeting.

DeMolay Officers Installed Thursday.
Medford Chapter, Order of DeMolay will hold installation of officers tomorrow evening in the Masonic temple at 8:15. All friends and parents of DeMolays are cordially invited to attend.

The regular members of the chapter are requested to be present at 7:30 for a short business meeting before installation exercises.

Wilson's Leave For Chicago Today.
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wilson are leaving today for Chicago to visit friends. They will stop in Portland for a short stay at the home of their son, Robert and his family. The Wilsons expect to be gone about two months.

Mrs. William Hines Returns to Medford.
Mrs. William Hines, nee Jane Dixon, whose wedding was an event of last June, returned to Medford Monday evening. Mrs. Hines teaches in the Prospect high school.

Mrs. Lowell Haxey Visiting Parents Here.
Among visitors in Medford this week is Mrs. Lowell D. Haxey, of Whittier, Calif., who is a house guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Spitzer.

Henry Pringles Guests of Isaacs.
William Isaacs entertained Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pringle at his summer home on Rogue river over the Labor Day holidays. The group drove to Crater Lake Monday.

Madrigal Club to Resume Rehearsals.
The Madrigal club will resume practice next Tuesday evening at 7:45 at the Girls' Community club, it was announced today. All members are urged to be present.

The Madrigal club is composed of a group of local singers and is sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary. Elsie Carlton Strang is the director and Mrs. Warren Butler, the accompanist.

Meeting of Garden Club Tomorrow Night
Members of the Medford Garden club will be glad to hear that Mrs. Fabrick has consented to talk before the club at its first regular meeting tomorrow evening at seven-thirty at the Medford Hotel. All who are interested in the work of this club are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

Misses Leverette Return With Guests
Accompanied by their aunt, Mrs. D. R. Stewart of Los Angeles, Miss Doreen Leverette and her sister Jean returned last night from San Diego and Los Angeles, where they have been vacationing.

Miss Jean will leave soon for Principia college, where she will enroll for the coming year.

No-Host Dinner Saturday Night
The Robert Norris home was the scene of a no-host dinner and bridge party Saturday night. Participating were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Flavius West, Mr. and Mrs. Don Newbury, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Smith and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hawk.

Roland Hubbard's Leave for New York
Combining business and pleasure, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hubbard left Sunday for New York. They will go by way of the Panama Canal, and will be gone about six weeks, visiting friends while in the east.

Ladies' Aid to Meet Tomorrow.
Jacksonville Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday at 12:30 for a picnic lunch at the Presbyterian church. Any one interested is cordially invited.

CITY REQUESTED TAKE OWNERSHIP SO. FIR STREET

At the regular monthly meeting of the city council last night, a petition was presented that South Fir street, beyond the end of the pavement, in front of the Copps warehouse and storage yards, be taken over and maintained by the city. When the property there was purchased by the power company several years ago, the right of way to the street was to have been deeded to the city by Hutchinson and Lumden, and C. W. Palm.

Regular legal angles prevented this, and the property remained private. It was proposed in the petition that the city take it over, and keep it in good repair. The matter was referred to the city planning commission for consideration. Since the street is an important business artery, and is heavily traveled, it is the opinion of several city officials that the planning commission may find it desirable to open South Fir all the way through to Monroe, the street running now from Oakdale to Holly, near the senior high school.

A petition was presented by the Southern Oregon Gas corporation, asking permission to construct a building on Vancouver street, to harmonize with the rest of the buildings there, and to landscape the lot. The matter was referred to the planning commission, and will be considered by that body tomorrow night. The rest of the meeting was taken up by routine duties.

THE GRANGE

Pomona Grange.
(By Gertrude Black.)
In the Grange calendar as published last week, an error was made in the date of the Gold Hill Grange meetings. Gold Hill Grange meets on the first and third Thursday of each month, the 5th and 19th of September.

Pomona Grange meets at the Roxy Ann Grange hall, Saturday, September 14, at 8 p. m. All Grangers are cordially invited. Those attending are requested to bring sandwiches and fruit juices for refreshments.

September 14 will be the last date for subordinate Granges to enter the sealing drill contest, so please plan to enter by that time.

The contest is to be held October 17, 8 p. m. During the day the State Grange officials will meet with Jackson county Granges in conference. We hope all Grangers in the county are planning to attend this conference. It will be well worth while.

Grange Marketing.
Last week we promised to tell you something about the marketing of agricultural products in the Grange. This will need to be brief, for want of space. One could tell about interesting and profitable Grange marketing activities to fill a whole newspaper. We will give you more specific information later.

One of the important projects of the Grange is to sell the products of the farm cooperatively as much as possible. Marketing of farm products has become a highly specialized industry and many millions of dollars are made annually by the middlemen, in spite of the fact that the price received by the farmers is so lamentably small as compared with the price that the consumer usually pays.

Cooperative marketing of farm products is a more difficult proposition than the cooperative marketing of other products, because of the great diversity of products to market, but principally because the farmer is an individualist. This rugged individualism has enabled the farmer to carry on under greater odds than could any other industry, but on the other hand, it has stood in his way in regard to cooperative marketing. But the cooperative educational activities in the Grange for the past 60 years is bearing fruit, and cooperative marketing is receiving a tremendous impulse, especially during the last 15 years.

There is one Grange county in Maine that is strongly organized cooperatively. One town does practically

all of the business of the Grange. The Grange owns and runs the town. There is a feed and flour mill, a seed store, garage, service station, enormous potato storehouse, grain elevator, meat packing plant, lumber yard, hardware and farm machinery, grocery and dry goods, bank and blacksmith shop. Here all the Grangers buy and sell and save the middlemen's profit both ways.

The members voted to raise the dues slightly for a starting working capital, later the dues were greatly reduced. The profit of one organization went to start another one until

the results are as outlined above. Of course this took LOYALTY.

Later, we may give you other examples of what some Grangers are accomplishing in a cooperative way, but we have here in Oregon some outstanding marketing activities, the state probably being led by Jackson county, through the medium of the Pomona marketing committee in cooperation with the marketing of all subordinate Granges and the county agent.

Through this committee in Jackson county, there were during the year 1934, farm products marketed to the

amount of \$130,000, an average of \$10,000 a month, handling such things as livestock of all kinds, seeds, grains, among other things being 1800 head of hogs and 35,000 pounds of local grown alfalfa seed handled.

One hundred twenty-six subordinate Granges sent in reports to the State Grange last year, reporting on marketing activities which totaled a saving of \$242,000 to the farmers working through the various committees.

Gas and oil cooperatives are being organized quite extensively, cooperative purchasing pools formed, live-

stock shipping associations added. All over the state these committees have been handling small grains, various grass seeds, dairy products, prunes and nuts.

This is all this time. We may give you more along this line later.

Next time, "Agricultural Benefits Accruing from the Grange"

White Groundhog Caught
BOLIVAR, O.—(UP)—A pure white groundhog with pink eyes is the pet of Eugene Carpenter, farm hand living southeast of here. Carpenter caught the strange animal while cul-

tivating corn. Few instances of albino groundhogs have come to the attention of science.

Use Mail Tribune want ads.

Whipple's Studio
All band instruments taught
603 S. Riverside. Tel. 1133

HEAR NINE CASES OF WIDE VARIETY IN JUSTICE COURT

Nine cases in justice court, ranging from no clearance lamps on trucks to assault and battery, were disposed of yesterday by Justice of the Peace William R. Coleman.

Clarence Baker, charged with assault and battery on the climax of an alleged family dispute, was fined \$25 and costs, upon a plea of guilty, and committed to the county jail.

Guy Nalley of the Phoenix district pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and was fined \$50 and costs. The court ruled that, inasmuch as Nalley has employment, he be allowed to return to it and pay his fine upon the installment plan. Failure to do so will result in commitment, the court ruled.

Lyman Jasper Livesay and George Trantala, both of this city, charged with reckless driving, were each fined \$25 and costs. The case grew out of an auto accident on the Butte Falls road two miles from the Crater Lake junction. Cars driven by the defendants collided on a sharp curve. Evidence showed both cars were traveling 25 miles per hour.

Edward H. Bullock, R. F. D. No. 2, Medford, paid \$5 and costs for violation of the basic speed rule. Bullock was weaving in and out of traffic on the Pacific highway. The basic speed rule covers traveling faster than conditions of traffic and public safety permits.

Fred M. Middleburger of Prospect pleaded guilty to exceeding the speed limit on the Crater Lake highway and was fined \$5 and costs, which he paid.

Leo Kinodyke Potter and Marion B. Caster of Central Point were each fined \$5 and costs. Potter for no operator's license. Each was given time to remit. Virgil Lane Polk paid \$5 and costs for no clearance lamps on his truck.

WARD'S CATALOG SHIPMENTS MADE

Reverberations of the huge shipment of new fall and winter Montgomery Ward catalogs which are now being distributed to 6,000,000 families throughout the United States, were felt today, according to H. L. Brown, local Montgomery Ward store manager.

A carload of the catalogs arrived here today and it was announced by the company that a local trucking organization had been hired to unload the books, put them on trucks and deliver them to postoffices within a radius of 75 miles, where they will be mailed to the customers. There are four local people engaged in the work.

The catalog contains 644 pages as compared to 520 pages a year ago, and is the largest book in number of pages issued by the company since 1921.

Paper stock used in this latest issue would cover the area of the entire United States, and in the neighborhood of a half million pounds of ink was consumed in its production, according to Mr. Brown.

FREE ART CLASS MEETS THURSDAY

The art class of the Southern Oregon Art association, scheduled to meet Thursday evening at 8:54 West 2nd, near Columbus avenue, will have Catherine Probstfeld for instructor in place of Alice English. The latter is in California for two weeks' vacation. The class will take up color and will use crayon for the medium. This will be the foundation for water color instruction in future lessons.

These lessons are offered free by the S. O. A. A. to encourage latent ability in this field. Classes in oil, pen and pencil will be scheduled for next week, to be announced later.

Building Permits

Permit granted to W. H. Fluhrer, 2451 Hillcrest road, to remodel residence at a cost of \$1000.

R. E. Munter granted a permit to construct a residence at 701 South Oakdale at a cost of \$2000.

KEEP COOL and ENJOY meals and mountain service at the What Not New air conditioner

COMPOSER, PIANIST TO GIVE CONCERT FRIDAY

Robert E. Harkness, noted composer and pianist, author of some 3000 compositions, and world traveler, will present a concert of unusual merit and interest in the Medford Christian church Friday, September 6, at 8:00 p. m. There will be no admission charge, but a silver offering will be taken.

Mr. Harkness is a friend of Rev. D. E. Millard, who will appear with him in a group of his own songs on the program. The public is cordially invited.

HARDHEADED IN SOME THINGS, ADMITS WIFE

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 4.—(UP)—James Harold Hinchey, 32, is hard headed about some things, his wife, Marie, admitted last night. She accidentally discharged a bullet at his head and broke his arm. The bullet bounced off Hinchey's skull, lodged in his elbow. His head showed only a bruise.

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Boys' Jacket Suits 9.98
Wool cassimeres, brown, or gray cheeks, slide fastener jackets, sports backs, Pleated front longies. Sizes 34 to 40.
Melton Cloth Jackets 2.69
Longies 2.98

Girls' Wash Frocks 98c
Charming new style details—perky bows and novelty buttons, snow-white collars and cute short or puffed sleeves. Sizes 7 to 16.
Wash Frocks, in print percale, 7-16 59c

School Shoes 98c
Made strong, to stand lots of hard wear. Black calf oxfords or patent leather straps. Rubber heels.

Sports Oxfords 1.29
Sports oxfords are the thing for school and play. Moccasin toe and strap styles, for misses and children. Save!

Boys' Work Shoes \$1.59
Brown Scout outing style. No-mat composition soles. All-Boys' Oxfords.

Young Men's Dress Oxfords \$2.98
Black calf, wing tipped. Rubber heels. Sizes 6 to 11. Also at \$1.98

Men's Work Shoes \$2.98
Black elk. Plain toe. Heavy leather soles. Sizes 6 to 11.

Boys' Hi Cuts With Knife \$3.49
Black elk. 14-inch Hi Cut with knife pocket and knife. Leather sole and heel, with plate. Sizes 1 to 8.

Shirts—Shorts 25c
Boys' full cut, fancy broadcloth shorts. Lastex inserts. Rib knit athletic shirts, made of finely combed cotton yarn.
Others at 19c

School Lunch Kit 1.00
Metal case with 1/2 pint vacuum bottle and large lunch compartment. Men's lunch kit, with pint vacuum bottle, either for

Shirred Back Sweaters 2.98
Here's the smartest sweater buy of the year! Brushed wool effect surface. Front has slide fastener. Back is full shirred, with yoke.
Boys' Sizes are \$2.69

Boys' Dress Shirts 69c
Fine quality, fast color broadcloth. Full cut through out. Made just like the men's. Sizes for boys and young men. Get several for school!
Others at 49c

Young Men's Ties 49c
Young Men's Colorful Ties. Wide selection.

Children's Hose 19c
Fine gauge, combed cotton, and ribbed to the toe. French tan. tanbar. 6 to 9 1/2.

See Wards Great Stock of

Boys' Pull Over Sweaters 98c
Pull-over styles. Firm weave. Crew or V-style necks. Many popular plain colors.
Smart Styled Pull-Overs with Slide Fasteners \$1.49
Young Men's All-Wool Pull-Overs \$1.98

Wards Finest Corduroy Slacks for Boys 2.98
Style plus service in these slacks. Notice the three button high waistbands, side straps, 22-inch wide, cuffed bottoms. Heavy, narrow wale corduroy. Popular colors. Sizes 8 to 18.

ANKLETS 15c
For children! Mercerized, rayon plaited. Colors, stripes, novelty effects. Get several pairs!

Boys' Dress Socks 10c
Cotton and Rayon
Others at 15c