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LOST AND FOUND
LOST—No. 4 ration book, M/Sgt. G.
Naramore, Rt. 1, Box 238, Central
Point. Please call 6099.

WANTED—MALE HELP
WANTED—Mechanic with own hand
tools, 30% flat rate, also guarantee.
Nicely equipped shop. Phone 4700.

WANTED—Railroad section men and
logging help of all kinds. Steady
work top wages. Write to my office
at N. Riverside and talk it
over with our personnel manager,
Medford Corporation, P. 2208.

WANTED—Pruners, Hollywood orchard
on Jackson highway, one
mile west of Medford. Phone 6233.

WANTED—Pruners and general orchard
work. Write to my office at
N. Riverside and talk it
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Close in Phone 3229.

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FOR SALE—Real Estate
60 ACRES on Rogue river with over
6,000 feet of river frontage. This is
unimproved. Also

FOR SALE—Real Estate
15 ACRES camp ground on Rogue
river.

FOR SALE—Real Estate
A few small farms and acreage
See E. Gould, 402 W. Jackson St.

FOR SALE—Real Estate
MOUNTAIN RETREAT—20 acres on
2 mountain trout streams. Virgin
timber, in Nat'l Forest on good road.

FOR SALE—Real Estate
5 ACRES, 2 miles out. Magnificent
view of Medford and valley. Irrigated
land, small nest house, barn and
poultry house, electric water system.

FOR SALE—Real Estate
100 ACRES, 20% irrigated, 35 sub-
irrigated, fenced, 3 miles out.
Highway, school bus, well, electric
pump, 3-room modern house,
large barn, garage, horse and cow-
shed, \$3,300, terms.

FOR SALE—Real Estate
120 ACRES, 20% irrigated, 35 sub-
irrigated, fenced, 3 miles out.
Highway, school bus, well, electric
pump, 3-room modern house,
large barn, garage, horse and cow-
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100 ACRES, 20% irrigated, 35 sub-
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pump, 3-room modern house,
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Pear Growing, Storage, Ripening
Discussed By S. M. Tuttle, Head
Of Southern Oregon Sales Inc.

Ashland, Feb. 19 — Leader-
ship of the Jackson county area
in the winter pear industry and
many extremely interesting facts
about pears, their growth, storage
and sale, were explained to
the Rotary club last week during
its regular weekly meeting by
S. M. Tuttle, of the Southern
Oregon Sales company, of Med-
ford, one of the leading com-
panies in the pear industry.

He stated the best way is to
cover the pears with a wet cloth
and keep them at approximately
70 degrees. In commercial stor-
age, the pears are kept at a tem-
perature of from 29 to 31 and
he stated that, due to chemical
action, if the temperature were
to be 35 to 45, the pears would
never ripen, but merely rot.

There is a method of hasten-
ing the ripening of pears, but it
cannot be done by excessive heat
alone, for pears at a temperature
of 75 degrees, for instance, rot
before they ripen. Do not put
the pears in your refrigerator,
he stated, until they are ripened.

A method of ripening pears in
a very short time has been de-
veloped by the use of the ethy-
lene gas, which is the gas from
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teurs.

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when compared to the head of a
pin, than a drop of water com-
pared to Niagara Falls. If elec-
trons could be weighed, it would
take 30 billion billion billion to
make an ounce.

Winter Pears Tops
Since there are only 10,000
acres in pear cultivation in Ore-
gon, pears require more labor
and produce a larger payroll
than most industries. The pear-
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additional large income to this
particular area, since most of
the gift-box production is in
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Winter pears, D'Anjou, Bosc,
Comice and Winter Nellis, are
the most important commercial
pears and Oregon produces 82
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The Rogue River area, com-
monly known as the Medford
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tising campaign has been
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lieving that the demand ex-
ceeds the supply, with the result
that today the average consump-
tion of pears is 25 and a half
boxes per 1,000 population, in
comparison to the consumption
of only 18 boxes per 1,000 in
1930.

Shipped Over World
Two hundred thousand boxes
of Comice are used annually
for the gift box trade. Tuttle
stated, and pears in fancy gift
boxes are shipped to all parts of
the world.

The maturing of pears was
one of the most interesting parts
of his talk. After a pear tree is
in full bloom, heat, rain or other
factors do not have any effect
on the period required for mat-
uring of the fruit. It has been
established, he stated, that
D'Anjou, for instance, mature
in 126 days after the tree is in
full bloom, despite any weather
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B.M. for ponderosa pine, \$9.60
per M feet B.M. for sugar pine,
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for white fir, western hemlock
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on the area cut over for the total
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pany each bid, to be applied to
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and all bids is reserved. Before
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tion concerning the timber, the
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sion of bids should be obtained
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Sealed bids will be received by
the Forest Supervisor, Medford,
Oregon, up to and not later than
2:00 P. M. February 24, 1945,
for all the live timber marked or
designated for cutting and all
merchantable dead timber locat-
ed on an area embracing about
40 acres within Section 33, T. 31
S., R. 3 E., and Section 4, T.
32 S., R. 3 E., W. M., Rogue River
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