

Miss Mary Gordon Chosen Girls' State Spokesman

Detroit—Miss Mary Gordon of Idanha was selected as representative for Girls' State from here. She is sponsored by the local American Legion Auxiliary.

The class to which Mary belonged had about six or seven girls when they entered as freshmen but Mary will be the only one entering her senior year here.

Although Mary was the only Junior girl left in the school, she would be a very good candidate even in a larger school since she has fine characteristics of leadership, and is an outstanding student scholastically.

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By ELSIE MYERS

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dark, Duray and Durwood drove to Portland recently where they visited the International Test Gardens in Washington park. They report the Rose Gardens as very beautiful. They were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Coleman and Mrs. Virgil Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clise are at Pendleton where they are assisting in the pea harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Myers returned Friday evening from Portland where

they had been since Monday on a combined business and pleasure trip. They attended part of the State Grange sessions at Russellville and were part of the class of 787 to receive the sixth degree Wednesday evening.

Dave Ellicott has gone to Ventura, California, for a visit with his daughter and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bickett were hosts Sunday at a Fathers Day dinner in honor of Mrs. Bill Bickett's father, W. A. Billington. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Billington, Scio; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Newsome and Patsy, sisters; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Billington and family, Lyons; Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Kindred and LeRoy Emerson, Mill City; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Billington, Kay and LeRoy, Lebanon; and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bickett and girls.

Air Day Hop--

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The small craft, numbered "53", entered by Richard Jennings impressed the judges with its thoroughly sound construction and general appearance and gave a good fight for first or second, but ended up third. Jennings commented afterwards that this entry was his first attempt at model-airplane building and that he was happy with the results. Two brothers teamed up on this Davis airport model plane contest and took fourth and fifth places, Elton and Eddie Gregory captured fourth and fifth prizes respectively.

Gorman was presented with the powered model plane, Rambo received to \$60, depending on grade. Peelers were \$79 to \$110.

Pulpwood:

Pulpwood prices were unchanged during the week. Pulp mills in the central and northern valley offered \$20 a cord for peeled spruce and \$19 for peeled Douglas fir, noble fir, white fir, and hemlock in 4 and 8 foot lengths down to 4 inch diameter. Unpeeled, these species brought \$2 less. There was a limited offer of \$15 a cord for peeled Douglas fir, white fir, hemlock and pine in 8 foot lengths in the southern valley. Cottonwood was in moderate demand at \$16 to \$18 a cord.

Poles and Piling:

Douglas fir poles and piling continued in good demand except for short poles under 30 feet. Peeled poles ranged from 9 cents to 45 cents a linear foot, depending on length. For example, 30 foot peeled poles were 11 to 12 cents, while 60 foot peeled poles ranged from 32 to 40 cents. Barkies brought from 9 cents to 43 cents a foot, and were only 2 cents under peeled prices at one pole yard in the central valley. Piling prices were 15 cents to 42 cents a foot for lengths from 25 to 100 feet.

Hardwood: Alder and ash brought \$30 to \$40 a thousand. Maple ranged from \$30 to \$45. Cottonwood was \$24 to \$28 a thousand.

Other Forest Products:

Dry cascara bark was 25 cents a pound, 2 cents under a month ago. Fern was unchanged at 19 cents a bunch. There was no longer a demand for second growth Douglas fir bark in the central valley.

Forest Products Market Summary

Sawlog prices were mostly steady in the Willamette Valley during the week ending June 16, but some localities reported prices \$5 a thousand under a month ago. Demand for short poles was weaker, and offers for Douglas fir bark for tanning have been withdrawn. Other forest products were steady, according to the weekly farm forest products market report, prepared by the O.S.C. extension service from data supplied by State Farm Foresters and other information.

Douglas Fir Logs:

During the past week second growth Douglas fir sawlog prices were steady to \$5 a thousand under a month ago at Willamette Valley mills. Prices ranged from \$35 to \$41 a thousand board feet, camp run, and \$30 to \$40 on a graded basis. Demand was moderate to good. Eight foot logs down to six inch diameter continued in good demand at \$15 to \$18 a cord or \$30 to \$40 a thousand. Old growth Douglas fir sawlogs were slightly lower at \$32

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Before the House Today--

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amount of \$101,700.00 as to date. Linn County Assessor, John W. Sheppard, by Grace Keidel, Deputy.

A telephone call to this same person confirmed the fact that no levy for this \$101,700 bond issue has been made, either for the 1949-50 or 1950-51 year in Linn county.

The reason that Mr. Bennett, county school superintendent at the time did not include it in last year's supplementary budget was obvious in view of the fact that he was never notified of its existence.

the special aviation type glasses, Jennings got two model airplane kits, Elton Gregory won \$2, and through some quirk of fate his brother Eddie, got \$5 for fifth place! Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiley Dalton of Gates put up the \$5 prize for the "hard luck" entrant. All contestants were treated to a plane ride, Sunday. Mr. Dalton takes quite an interest in aviation because he holds pilot's license No. 13 issued before the CAA was established in 1919. He owned a "flyin'" Jenny No. 33947.

Clyde Wells, Ralph Nibler, Jim O'Leary, and George Humphreys flew to Hillsboro on business this week. O'Leary conferred with "Swede" Ralston about the air show at Davis Airport Sunday, July 15, at which time "Swede" will star with his thrilling flying maneuvers. Getting into trim for some flying on their own are "Mat" Matheny and "Frenchy" Paysens who soloed for the first time this week. Working for their wings are new students "Bud" Bailey of Gates, Cleo Thomas, Mill City, Benny Bennett and Edrie Wells.

Thought for today...

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