

KIWANIS TOLD AMERICA FACES BIG PROBLEMS

It will take the greatest generation in America's history to solve the problems now confronting this country, Phil Hitchcock of Sisters, lieutenant governor of Kiwanis International, told members of the local club at their meeting Thursday noon.

Hitchcock reviewed the recent convention of Kiwanis International and chose as the theme of his talk here a speech made to that convention by Texas' famed congressman, Hutton Summers.

The great immediate problem confronting Americans, Hitchcock said, is Hitler. That must be disposed of, first. But if America is to go on from there, and achieve its greatest destiny, it must stop the centralization of power in Washington and return its government to the people.

Hitchcock was introduced by Ted Medford.

New members of the Kiwanis club introduced at the Thursday meeting were Bud Kerr, manager of Lost River dairy, and George Balch of Foulger's, a former president of the Baker Kiwanis club.

FISHER ARRAIGNED ON STATE CHARGE

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and adequate justice in the case.

Waived Hearing

Sheriff Low was present with a warrant and when Fisher was released he took the prisoner into custody. A few minutes later, in Justice of the Peace Joseph A. Mahoney's court, Fisher waived preliminary hearing on the charge of assault with intent to kill. He said he wanted time to talk to a lawyer.

Justice Mahoney did not admit the prisoner to bail, reading the law to him to explain the reason for this refusal. Fisher was then returned to the county jail.

Wilson Better

Meanwhile Indian Officer Wilson showed a turn for the better in his bed at Klamath Valley hospital. He reacted favorably to a third blood transfusion. His physician said that barring the possibility of infection or pneumonia, his chances for recovery are much improved.

He has two bullet wounds through his chest, and one of the bullets is lodged in his right arm.

District Attorney L. Orth Sismore will have charge of the prosecution of Fisher in state court.

Spud Hearing In Favor of Market Plan

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kets, but that if deemed advisable it could be used in regulation of grades better than culls.

Major A. D. Hadley of the solicitor's office presided.

Counties involved are Klamath, Siskiyou and Modoc counties, forming the Klamath basin potato area, and Crook and Deschutes counties, forming the Deschutes valley area.

First witness called was County Agent C. A. Henderson, who sketched the history of the potato industry in the basin and gave a statistical picture of basin production. He showed the acreage growth from 230 in 1918 to 19,515 in 1940; average yield from 101.4 bushels per acre in 1925 to 420 bushels in 1940; shipment from 135 in 1925 to 9935 in 1940; total value to growers from \$3515 in 1916 to \$2,959,237 in 1940. His figures showed the percentage of U. S. No. 1 potatoes at 75 per cent in 1925; this advanced to 80 per cent in some years, and dropped to 70 per cent in 1940.

Henderson indicated his belief that sentiment in the area favors a marketing agreement. Questioned by G. W. Gannaway, assistant marketing specialist, he said that the decline of No. 1 potatoes might have something to do with the desire for such an agreement.

E. L. Woods, Crook county agent, speaking for both Crook and Deschutes counties, said that 4000 acres of last year represented the Deschutes potato land, and said that shipments totaled 960 cars. Portland and the Willamette valley are the chief markets. The average yield was given at 250 bushels per acre.

He said that further irrigation development, such as completion of the North unit, may add to Deschutes potato acreage and production.

Siskiyou Speaker

M. V. Maxwell, Siskiyou county agent, said there may be

How Russia May Get Aid She Asks



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Coming to Malin



Griff Williams, above, will bring his radio-famed orchestra to play at the Broadway hall at Malin on Sunday, July 20. It has been announced by V. Kallina.

CITY BRIEFS

Letter Received—City police officers have been complimented for their efficiency, spirit of cooperation and neat appearance in a letter received Thursday by Chief of Police Frank Hamm from Lt. Robert Williams Jr., provost marshal, seventh infantry. The entire company joined in sending appreciation to the townspeople for the manner in which they turned out to entertain the men. Lt. Williams stated, and officers were grateful for the treatment of their men.

Drama—A dramatic play, "Our Mother's God," was to be presented at the First Methodist church Thursday night at 8 o'clock. There was to be no admission charge. The Wesleyan Service guild of the church sponsors the drama to be presented by Ray Watson. Special music was to be included in the evening program and the public urged to attend.

Circle—The Congregational Community circle will meet Friday afternoon, July 18, at Moore park for the annual picnic. The group will meet at 12:30 p. m. at the community hall on Garden avenue for transportation. Each member is asked to bring table service. Committee includes Mrs. A. G. Pearson, Mrs. W. R. Nelson and Mrs. Helen Eiting.

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On Trip—Mr. and Mrs. M. J. O'Donnell, 2151 Darrow avenue, will leave Sunday by car for Seattle and Everett, where they will visit for a week. They will be accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Herbert Brumble and infant son, Michael Reed. Another daughter, Pat, will leave for Seattle Friday night by train.

4-H Party—The Midland 4-H Canning club will sponsor a public party at the grange hall Saturday evening, July 12, proceeds to go toward sending girls to summer camp at Lake of the Woods. Both "500" and pinocle will be played and the public is urged to attend.

Plates Lost—Arthur W. Benedict, 40 Pine street, reported to city police the theft of two new Oregon license plates, No. 338-333, which were stolen from his car seat this week.

Visiting—Mrs. Lucetta Cronant and daughter, Carolyn, of Tacoma, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Cronant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Kennedy, 605 Martin street.

In Salem—Mr. and Mrs. Donivan Marin of 2450 Orchard way, visited in Salem over the holidays with friends and relatives.

Visiting Here—Twyla Ferns of Ashland is spending this week visiting her cousins, Dorothy and Lucille Faught.

Bike Stolen—Roy Glubrecht, 701 North Eleventh street, reported to city police the theft of his Colson bicycle.

Police Court—Three drunks, one disorderly conduct case, and one traffic ticket made up the report Thursday from police court.

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WEATHER

NO. CALIFORNIA: Fair tonight and Friday, but fog on coast; continued high temperature interior; moderate westerly wind off the coast.

OREGON: Fair tonight and Friday but overcast along coast Friday morning; continued warm interior; moderate northerly wind off coast and gentle northwester over inland waters of Washington.

Mail Closing Times (Trains)

Southbound: 6:00 a. m.
Northbound: 10:00 a. m.
Southbound: 5:15 p. m.
Northbound: 8:30 p. m.

Card Party—The Women of the Moose will sponsor the last card party of the series of four in the KC hall at 2 p. m. Friday. Hostesses are Mrs. Maude Christensen, chairman, Mrs. Edna Jensen, Janet Christensen, Mrs. Alida Fenters and Mrs. Marie Flowers.

Henry King, 74, Log Scaler, Dies Of Short Illness

Henry Porter King, 74, for the past 20 years employed as log scaler in the Klamath Lumber and Box company sawmill, died at Hillside hospital early Thursday morning following an illness of but two days. Mr. King was in apparent good health until two days before his death, his employer stated, and he had not missed a day's work in 15 years.

The elderly man's sister, Mrs. Mary Elsholz of Stockton, and his niece, Mrs. A. R. Kern, also of Stockton, arrived by motor a few minutes before Mr. King's passing. He was unmarried and a member of Redding IOOF lodge, No. 271.

Funeral services will be announced by Ward's.

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TAFT CLAIMS U. S. PLANS IRISH BASE

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or England. He can send them to Portugal. These countries are no farther away than Iceland, and now we have to defend our troops in Iceland."

Taft also asserted that the landing of American forces in Iceland was an act "exactly equivalent to aggressive war" and one which President Roosevelt had no right to take without approval by congress.

In another development, the senate naval committee voted to summon Secretary Knox and Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations, to testify tomorrow on reports that United States navy units have engaged in actual combat with German vessels.

Senator Connally (D-Texas) took immediate issue with Taft on Iceland, declaring that the president was "perfectly justified" in ordering the occupation, and adding, in a desk-pounding speech:

"I hope to God we don't have to fight, but we must let the assassins and gangsters know that if we have to fight we will fight."

"I know of no constitutional limitation on the power of the president, as commander in chief of the army and navy, to send the army and navy anywhere the defense of the United States requires," Connally said. "If the president wants to send the entire navy to European waters tomorrow, he's got that power."

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