

KLAMATH MEN APPOINTED ON SEED BOARDS

The growing importance of Klamath county as a seed-growing area is emphasized by the list of committee appointments to the forthcoming meeting of the Oregon Seed Growers league to be held January 15 and 16 at Corvallis, according to C. A. Henderson, county agricultural agent.

The board of directors of the league met recently and appointed eleven committees as follows: Winter cover crops, fescues, ryegrass, bentgrass, clover, alfalfa, and miscellaneous grasses, vegetable seeds, condiment and medicinal herb seeds, sugar beet seed, pest and weed control, seed grading, testing, and warehousing; marketing, AAA program, and transportation.

Farmers or others from Klamath county who have been named on the various committees are as follows:

Clover, alfalfa, and miscellaneous grasses—Lloyd Gift, Bonanza; Gene Hammond, Merrill; M. M. Stastiy, Malin; Dewey Lawton, Fort Klamath; Henry Wolfe, Chiloquin; Dave Laskey, Klamath Falls.

Pest and weed control—Dick Henzel, Malin; Harold Schieferstein, Klamath Falls.

Seed grading, testing and warehousing—Harry Jackson, Malin; Joe Jacob, Malin; Henry Semon, Klamath Falls.

Bentgrass—Ed Geary, Klamath Falls.

In addition, Ed Geary of Klamath Falls has been named by the board to act as chairman of the bentgrass committee. This committee will deal with such questions as trends in production of the different kinds of bentgrasses; where should each kind of bentgrass be used; possibilities of acreage increases of one or more types of bentgrass; production and marketing problems; harvesting methods and the costs of each; fertilizers; market outlets and possibilities of expanding the use of Oregon bentgrass.

1942 Enrollment Sets Record for Legion Auxiliary

Heaviest advance enrollment in history is pouring into the American Legion auxiliary's national headquarters in Indianapolis as the auxiliary musters its forces for service to America during 1942, according to Mrs. J. H. Gallagher, membership chairman of Klamath unit of the auxiliary.

Latest membership reports from national headquarters showed advance enrollment of 136,357, a gain of 35,652 over the same date last year. Many thousands more memberships were in the hands of units and departments and in process of transmittal to headquarters.

Enrollment for 1941 has reached an all-time high of 521,832, a gain of 19,500 over the same date last year and an increase of 17,533 over the previous high record.

The local unit has 118 members enrolled in advance for 1942. All wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of Legion members or deceased veterans are being invited to join the auxiliary at this time and take part in the 1942 program of patriotic service.

Grocery Contracts Ratified by Union

Collective bargaining contracts covering working hours, wages and conditions for employees of both Safeway stores and Emil's Food Markets have been ratified by Local 911 of the AFL Teamsters union, Business Agent Earl Edsall announced Tuesday.

Final acceptance of the agreement has not been made by home offices of either company, Edsall said.

Teased oil to a total of 296,174 pounds was imported by the United States during the second quarter of 1940.

The true song of a bird, its high-pitched note, indicates to females the exclusive possession of food territory.

Charles Darwin raised 537 plants from a single ball of mud found clinging to the toes of a snipe.

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'Them Blinkin' Japs Are Monkeys', Relates Soldier

A BRITISH BASE HOSPITAL, Malaya, Jan 6 (UP)—A little cockney infantryman grinned through his bandages and said: "They ain't soldiers—the Japanese. They're more like blinkin' monkeys. They climb through trees. They dodge about in the jungle."

"Gor blime! The little blighters won't fight in the open."

He raised his one arm in a gesture of disgust. The left arm was missing. He had lost it in the steaming jungles of Malaya before being transported to this base hospital.

A Scot in the next bed nodded his head.

"Aye," he said, "Ye've got to be like Tarzan to catch them." The cockney and the Scotsman were two of many here who have narrowly escaped with their lives in air, land and sea battles in the Malaya area.

The Scot was one of 13 men sheltered in a hut as Japanese dive bombers smashed at the Malaya front line defenses. His right arm was missing.

"I was lying face down with my hands over my neck and the next thing I remember I saw my own arm across the room . . . Give me a wooden club and I'll go back again!"

The cockney added: "I want one more chance at 'em with me good arm."

In another bed was Albert Skinner of Edinburgh. He disguised himself as a native and got through the enemy lines with valuable information after living for two weeks on raw rice.

"I'll never look a rice pudding in the face again," he said. "Our company was cut off on the northern front and we split up. I foraged in a deserted village for food and, looking in one window, I saw a Japanese soldier playing a piano. Later I heard drunken laughter and the sound of smashing crockery."

"About that time they spotted us and began shooting but we managed to sneak away."

Then there was the rear gunner of a Catalina flying boat which battled a Japanese bomber.

"I got in two or three bursts before the Japanese got his cannon going," he said. "His plane must have been heavily armored. He got me in the chest."

The flying boat caught fire and was landed at sea, where the nine crew members jumped overboard. They floated and swam for seven hours. Another Catalina sighted them, dropped

a rubber float and food and medical supplies.

The nine men—all wounded—stayed afloat for hours, occasionally sighting sharks, until dark. They tried to light a flare, which almost set their rubber raft afire.

"I was thankful for the morphia injection that somebody gave me. Things were pretty grim and the pilot began asking whether any of us were married. The sharks made things uncomfortable, too."

"My arm was hurting and I was about fed up when we saw the lights of a ship. It was a Dutch submarine and they took us aboard."

They were submerged the next day and landed at dusk. That was a hell of a way for an airman to come home, wasn't it?"

BUILDING PERMITS LISTED BY FRANEY

Building permits issued recently by City Building Inspector Harold Franey were announced this week as follows:

W. L. Cotton, residence, lot 656 block 116, Mills addition, \$3000.

R. M. Elder, 2118 Radcliffe street, remodel residence, \$200.

F. C. Markward, 2536 Darrow avenue, garage, \$175.

W. A. Koenig, garage and remodel residence, \$500.

Randall E. Smith, 2255 Vine avenue, remodel garage, \$50.

L. N. Huls, remodel business building on South Seventh street, \$600.

R. E. Wattenburg, garage, 808 Mt. Whitney street, \$125.

Mrs. B. H. Kersey, 1015 Owens street, garage, \$50.

W. D. Miller, supplement to permit for residence construction, \$1000; supplement to Montgomery Ward warehouse building, \$4000.

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102 Cars of Spuds Shipped in December

The Klamath Falls office of the department of agriculture announced Monday that 102 carloads of potatoes had been shipped from the Klamath basin by truck during December.

Added to the total of 3574 carloads shipped by rail up to and including December 31 and by truck up to November 31, the December truck figure brought the season's total to 3676 carloads.

Up to December 31 of 1940, 3824 carloads had been shipped from the Klamath region.

Some people are in debt because they spend what their friends think they make.

A. H. H.—Authorized Hitch Hikers—May Be Popular

CHICAGO, Jan. 6 (UP)—If the automobile and tire shortage becomes acute, "thumbs up with the A. H. H." may become as popular a war slogan as "Remember Pearl Harbor."

The A. H. H.—authorized hitch-hikers—is the idea of Herb Packer, editor of a motor magazine and also a keen friend of pedestrians, particularly "war pedestrians" created by rationing.

Packer proposed tonight that the states license hitch-hikers who meet certain requirements as to responsibility and citizenship. Upon payment of a 50 cent

fee, the hitch-hikers would be issued a license tag or armband signifying that the bearers were authorized hitch-hikers and entitled to wiggle-waggle on any highway or street in the state.

The "A.H.H." would protect drivers from thumbers not bona fide licensees, but Packer's idea would work both ways. He also proposed that cooperating motorists be given windshield stickers making them authorized picker-uppers. This would eliminate much futile thumb wiggling, conserve the energies of thumbers and thereby, he asserted, aid the defense program.

highway to whom he would like to give a lift.

"In addition, the provision for nominal payment equivalent to bus fare would help many a car operator pay his gas and oil expenses.

"From the standpoint of the country, thus essential traveling would be done with a minimum use of vital auto tires, parts, gas, oil and other defense material."

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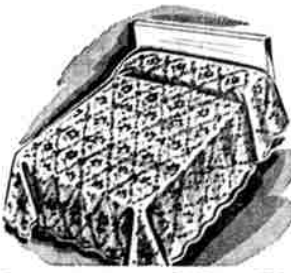
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