

KPCA DIVIDEND TO BE PAID AT ANNUAL MEET

Members of the Klamath Production Credit association will receive checks for a 4 per cent dividend on their capital stock when the association holds its annual meeting at Klamath Falls on January 25, 1943, Secretary-Treasurer Lee S. McMullen announced this week.

The same rate of dividend is being paid on both class A (preferred) and class B stock, and amounts to a total of \$9914.

All of the class B, or voting, stock of the association is owned by the association's borrowers, who subscribe to it at the rate equal to 5 per cent of their borrowings. Bulk of the class A stock is held by the Production Credit corporation of Spokane, a unit of the Farm Credit administration, which subscribed the original capital when the association was organized.

Reserves Built Up

At the end of 1942 members' investment in their association was \$100,205, or 40 per cent of the total capitalization of the organization. Production Credit corporation investment now is \$14,650, \$102,350 having been repaid some time ago.

Under Production Credit regulations, McMullen explained, dividends could not be paid until certain reserves had been built up. These reserves now total \$179,000, or 72 per cent of the capitalization of the association.

Since it was organized in 1934, the Klamath Production Credit association has loaned \$16,650,000 to farmers and stockmen in Klamath and Lake counties, Oregon, and Modoc and Siskiyou counties, California.

Government Participates

In 1942 it loaned \$2,280,000, of which \$845,782 was outstanding on December 31. During its eight years of operation, the association has suffered losses amounting to less than 1/20 of 1 per cent of the money loaned.

"With this dividend payment, the government, through the Production Credit corporation's investment in our class A stock, participates with our members in the association's earnings," McMullen explained.

"We do not, however, lend government money," he pointed out. "Our loan funds are obtained from the Federal Intermediate Credit bank of Spokane, which, in turn, sells its debentures to the investing public. These debentures are not guaranteed by the government, either as to principal or interest."

"Through this access to the money markets of the nation, we have been able to maintain interest rates that have never exceeded 5 1/2 per cent in eight years, and are now only 4 1/2 per cent. By the payment of a dividend, the cost of credit to the farmer is further reduced."

SPRAGUE DISSOLVES STATE COMMITTEES

SALEM, Jan. 6 (AP)—Governor Charles A. Sprague announced Tuesday that he has dissolved the state defense council, the state advisory council of the employment service, and agricultural committee of the employment service, and the Oregon economic council.

He said he took the action so that Governor-elect Earl Snell, who will succeed Sprague next Monday, may be free to choose his own organizations to succeed those which were dissolved.

The governor asked, however, that the executive heads of the civilian defense organization continue to serve. These include Ross McIntyre, chairman of the evacuation committee; Mrs. H. D. Peterson, head of the women's division; Mrs. E. W. St. Pierre, director of civilian war services, and Mrs. C. W. Hayhurst, head of the consumer's interest division.

HIGH SCHOOL News Notes and Comment

By ANITA GWYN

When we journeyed back to school after the holidays, we noticed that the floors had had a new coat of polish and were very shiny and slippery. Some students forgot to stay in second and did a little fancy work in the way of falling to the floor.



New faces look a bit bewildered. There are quite a few students transferring here for the new semester. Although we don't know all of your names, we welcome you and hope you soon feel right at home.

Pelicans won't be on the air for several weeks, until the new semester students have been organized.

The Pelicans will engage the team from Richmond in a basketball game this Friday and Saturday evenings.

There will be a DeMolay dance after the game, from 10 to 12 o'clock.

Every so often something new in the way of war work comes up to the students. This time it is a review of what the high school has done and will be taken care of by the Klamath Knights. The review consists of a scrapbook which will have pictures of KUHS war activities under the title of "Schools at War, a Report to the Nation."

Every school that enters the Schools at War program submits a scrapbook and will receive a Certificate of Service signed by the secretary of the treasury, if there is a system of purchasing war stamps and bonds by the students and teachers.

To every state and territory where the schools enlist in this program and hold a state exhibit, the war savings staff of the U. S. treasury department will present a "Liberty Brick." These are original bricks from the Independence hall in Philadelphia and are mounted in beautiful cases. At each state exhibit, the governor, as honorary chairman of the state war savings committee, will be asked to present the "Liberty Brick" to the schools of the state in recognition of their war services. After a tour of the schools in the state, the "Liberty Brick" award will be returned to the state capitol for permanent display.

PARK BOARD PLANS SAFE ICE SKATING

If and when there is any ice skating, the city park board will probably see to it that "figure 8" enthusiasts have a safe place to enjoy the sport, it was learned at a brief meeting of the park board Tuesday afternoon.

Warnings against using Upper Klamath lake for skating purposes were issued in December by Recreation Officer Dave Bridge. In the meantime, conditions have not been favorable for skating but if freezing weather hits this area, skaters may have to be content to use the moorage developed across from Moore park.

ICE CREAM CUT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6 (AP)—The war production board has limited January production on ice cream to 50 per cent of the amount each manufacturer made last October.

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Girl Athlete Knocks Her Man Cold; Cinches It

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 6 (AP)—Last summer the Seattle all-star girls' softball team invaded McChord field air base for a game with the air corps team.

Pretty Miss Virginia Heaton, first baseman for the visitors, knocked Corp. Alfred Suggs, of Mt. Vernon, Tex., her rival first baseman, flat on his face in a close play at first base, and now she's got him cold.

They talked things over after the collision—in fact they talked it over for weeks afterwards—and Tuesday they announced their marriage.

JAYCEES SPONSOR SHARE-RIDE PLAN

The junior chamber of commerce is sponsoring distribution of "Sammy canes," which are standards to be used in indicating directions.

"Just place Sammy's cane in a conspicuous place in your yard," said a junior chamber bulletin. "Then, before you plan to drive out, drop the flag into the slot on the standard, indicating which direction you are going by pointing the indicator in that direction. Place a note in the box stating route to be taken, time leaving, and how many can be carried."

"It is a democratic and patriotic gesture. We are willing to share our cans. Sammy's cane in your yard will prove that our home front is in an act of battle to help beat the axis." The cans were built by C. L. Goodwin, 1718 Eldorado street, and are obtainable at Currin's, J. C. Penney's, J. W. Kerns, Castleberry's, chamber of commerce and Ballou and Wright.

Marjorie Young Named News Editor Of Oregon Emerald

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Jan. 6 (Special)—Marjorie Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Young of Klamath Falls, has been appointed news editor of the Oregon Daily Emerald, according to an announcement recently made by Ray Schrick, Emerald editor.

Miss Young, a sophomore in journalism, has been assistant news editor of the student paper for the past term. During her freshman year she served on the night staff, copy desk, and as a reporter.

Read Classified Ads for Results

YEAR OF 1942 KEPT KF FIRE CREW ON RUN

The city fire department was kept on the run during 1942 with 187 calls received during the 12-month period, according to the year-end report presented to the city council Monday night by Fire Chief Keith K. Ambrose.

There were no injuries or deaths caused by fires during the year and total fire loss was kept to \$23,655.57 with \$21,752.17 of this amount covered by insurance. Fifty hazards were removed within the city and 553 inspections made by the chief.

2 Public Building Fires

Sound value of properties at risk by fire was given as \$3,224,563, according to Chief Ambrose.

Fire classified by occupancy included, public buildings, 2; dwellings, 60; mills, 3; sawmills, 7; foundries, 2; laundries, 1; hotels and apartments, 12; garages, 5; restaurants, 4; miscellaneous, 68; vehicles, 15; public properties, 1; total, 187.

Hose Purchased

As usual "matches and careless smokers" led the year-end cause survey with 84 fires attributed to this source. Next in line came hot ashes and open fires with 26 fires caused in this manner. Third cause was given as electricity and defective wiring which, along with forgotten appliances, brought 21 alarms.

Other causes, conflagration, 2; explosion, 1; friction, 7; hot grease, 2; hot metals, 2; open lights, 1; gas, 4; defective flues, 11; defective stoves, 17; rubbish and litter, 2; sparks on roof, 2; miscellaneous, 4; total, 187.

One thousand feet of two and one-half inch double jacket fire hose was listed under new equipment added. No equipment was taken out of service. Fire permits granted totals 1724, most of the requests made in the spring and fall by homeowners burning rubbish and leaves. Twenty-four false alarms were received, some by pranksters.

The December report was also presented at this time by the chief, who reported six calls for the month with an actual loss of \$92, \$67 of which was covered by insurance. Four dwellings, one office building and one motor vehicle came under the occupancy classification, fires caused by defective wiring, 1; careless smokers, 1; gas, 1; overheated flues, 1; overheated stoves, 2.

During our first year of war four and one quarter billion dollars' worth of airplanes left our aircraft factories.

Lake o' Woods Caretakers Have White Christmas

The caretakers at Lake o' the Woods had a white Christmas, with 31 inches of snow on the ground, and two inches of ice covered the lake itself.

Roofs of summer home owners have been cleared, the caretaker reported in a note mailed from the Rocky Point junction. The road into the lake is blocked by snow and skis and snowshoes are in order.

AIR SCOUT PLAN OPEN TO YOUTHS

Boy Scouts have taken to the air, definitely, according to Robert H. Lamott, local Scout executive who announced receipt yesterday of the first copy of the new Air Scout Manual, published by the Boy Scouts of America. The copy received locally was one of the proof edition, first of its kind put out by the national organization from New York City.

Air Scouting, as the new branch of the Scout program is known, deals with all phases of ground instruction preliminary to actual flight. The program bears the approval of civil and military aviation officials and is closely tied up to the Civil Aeronautics administration program.

Air Scouting can be organized with any group of boys of 15 years of age or over in a "squadron" and can be set up by any Scout no matter what his age or troop connection. Various insignia are presented to Scouts as they attain the ability to do the various tasks called for in the program.

Any institution or men who would like to work with a group of boys in this program are invited to inquire about it at the local headquarters, 409 Main street.

BUTTER AND EGG MAN

LOS ANGELES, (AP)—Eggs are scarce here—and valuable. Frank Lorenzi, exalted ruler of the Los Angeles Elks lodge, sold \$20,000 worth of war bonds last month at club meetings by auctioning off eggs and giving a war bond to high bidders. He will use butter next.

Where he gets the butter and eggs is Lorenzi's secret.

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CITY POLICE ARREST 3176 DURING 1942

City police were on the job during 1942 and made the staggering number of 3176 arrests with \$16,504.89 collected in bail and fines, according to the year-end report submitted to the city council Monday night by Chief of Police Earl Heuvel.

Two persons were killed by automobiles in the past 12 months, two suicides were reported and 10 persons found dead on the tragic side of the police book.

Cases Listed

Following is Chief Heuvel's statement: Rape, 1; robbery, 5; aggravated assault, 7; burglary, 47; larceny over \$50, 28; under \$50, 135; auto theft, 46. Property reported stolen, 320; stolen property recovered, 124; missing persons reported, 173; recovered, 122; sick taken to hospital, 11; injured taken home, 2; to hospital, 3; attempt suicide reported, 1; suicide reported, 2; found dead, 10; autos stolen, 120; recovered 88; bicycles stolen, 98; recovered, 72; turned over to federal court, 14; to juvenile court, 7; fugitives to other authorities, 3. Liquor violations, 100; drunkenness, 1714; defrauding innkeeper, 1; deserter, army, navy, 19; disorderly conduct, 165; false pretense, 2; forgery, 10; indecent exposure, 4; sex offenses, 3; vagrancy, 352; parking ordinance violation, 3501; killed by auto, 2; operating auto while intoxicated, 35; reckless driving, 27; peeping toms, 25; counterfeiting, 1; abandon autos, 14.

Seabee Enlistments Open; Men 38 to 50 Urged to Sign Up

All ratings except truck drivers are now open for enlistment in the Seabees, navy construction unit, it was announced today by the Klamath Falls navy recruiting station.

Recruiters urged men from 38 to 50 years of age who have construction trades to apply at the recruiting station located in the Post Office building.

BOY SCOUT ANNUAL MEETING SLATED

The annual meeting of the Modoc Area council, Boy Scouts of America, will be held Sunday, January 10, according to C. S. Elliot of the program and arrangements committee.

Meeting at 12:30 o'clock at the Willard hotel, the group will have dinner and hear reports of committees. The election of officers will be held following the reports. Plans for the new year will be discussed as a concluding feature of the gathering.

Indications are that men will attend the meeting from all parts of the council area. Scouters have already indicated their intention to attend from Lakeview, Alturas and Bend areas. The meeting is open to all men registered with the Boy Scouts of America.

The meeting will feature three boys as guests of honor, a Boy Scout, a Cub, and a Sea Scout. A. E. Fetsch of Lakeview, who is council president, will preside.

Violations, 3501; killed by auto, 2; operating auto while intoxicated, 35; reckless driving, 27; peeping toms, 25; counterfeiting, 1; abandon autos, 14.

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