

LIVE-WIRE NEWS  
FROM SCAPPOOSE

Commercial Club Organized  
With Twenty-five Charter  
Members—Bids to Construct  
City Water Works Opened.

SCAPPOOSE, Ore., Feb. 9.—(Special to The Mist.)—S. H. Johnson is ill with sciatic rheumatism causing pains around his heart.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Duncan purchased a piano this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Price and Lloyd Price spent Sunday with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kilworth, Alma Seudder, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wist were Sunday guests of E. Garrison of Warren.

Harold Schwartz spent the week end with relatives in St. Johns.

C. C. Ingames went to Hillsboro for over the week end.

Mr. Doris was in Portland Tuesday calling on state officials of the American Legion.

Lyle Jobin has gone to Hoquiam, Wash.

Mrs. Price is in Eugene visiting Vers at the U. of O.

Roy Lloyd and Watta Price left Wednesday morning for an extended tour of California and will pick up Mrs. Price at Eugene on the way through.

Mr. Berg arrived home from California Sunday.

Mrs. J. White is home again after an extended visit in Baker, Ore.

Miss Pringle entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. George Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Price entertained a few friends Wednesday in honor of a wedding anniversary.

J. E. Miller again addressed the high school American history class on civil war times and gave the class some first-hand information on what early settlers of a new country have to contend with. It took a load of corn to buy enough calico for a dress, butter was 8 to 10 cents per pound, while eggs were five cents per dozen.

Scappoose people were much interested in the accident concerning the West brothers for at one time John West managed a saloon here and owned the property and sold to George Grant, the home which Mr. Grant at present occupies.

A house warming was tendered Mrs. William Lindsten last Wednesday afternoon. Over sixty friends gathered and showered her with gifts for the new home. Eva is a popular girl and friends enjoyed giving her such a pleasant surprise.

The C. E. held a very successful social Thursday evening. Progressive games were played and lunch served. The attendance was unusually large.

Mrs. J. G. Watts was called to Portland Sunday to the home of her sister, Mrs. Haines who died suddenly of heart failure. The funeral was held Tuesday morning. Interment was in Portland.

At the council meeting Monday night there were about twenty bidders on the Scappoose water works project. The lowest bid \$20,592.00 was Parkerschram Co., contractors of Portland. The next lowest \$20,292.19 was H. W. Hopkins. There were six bidders under \$22,000.00. In selecting the lowest bidder of the six the responsibility of the bidder will be considered. Inasmuch as the water committee have been notified by a surety company that they would bond Parkerschram Company up to \$500,000.00 and they being the lowest bidder it appears that the contract will be let to them. The bids have been taken under advisement until February 9th. Parkerschram Co. are the same contractors that put in the concrete dam.

The meeting of the American Legion will be held Friday night in the Watta & Price hall at which time election of officers will be held and application received and considered for the formation of a Ladies' Auxiliary.

Hiary. The new post for Scappoose has been officially designated as Post 109 by the state department of Oregon. We want every ex-service man in this end of the county to be present Friday evening.

The young ladies' Bible class met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. Coffyn to organize. Last Sunday the young men, known as the Wholesome Thoughts class outnumbered the girls by having 20 to 17. The girls declare the boys will have to step some to take the lead away from them again.

The tickets for the Willamette Glee Club entertainment Tuesday evening under the auspices of the high school are selling well. It will indeed be an evening of pleasure and while the admission is usually 50 cents the price has been made 35 cents so all may attend.

The high school is arranging for a large Valentine party.

Irving Erickson is in school again after an absence of nearly a month.

Mr. Doris, Watta Price, Lester Adams, Mike Callahan, Harold Schwartz, Dewey Cloninger, Ernest Uhlman, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wren, attended the Legion meeting in St. Helens Monday night to ask endorsement of Columbia Post No. 42 for endorsement of American Legion for Scappoose. They afterwards attended the banquet and were treated most royally.

Are you planning to attend the Plantation Supper, February 22 by the young men's division of the Sunday school? It is going to be fine and something unusual. Tickets will be on sale by the last of the week from 8 to 9. There will be a community sing of Southern songs and something else.

Community Church: The new order of service was very satisfactory last Sabbath. Sunday school 10:15, morning worship at 11 a. m. Mr. A. W. Bond will occupy the pulpit morning and evening. C. E. at 6:45 p. m., evening service at 7:45. Lincoln's birthday will be observed. The young men will contribute to part of the program in the morning.

E. E. Elliott of Salem, Oregon, director of the Smith-Hughes work throughout the state, was visiting Scappoose high school and community last Thursday. Mr. Elliott was very well pleased with the work the Scappoose school is doing and he also feels the surrounding community is very adaptable to Smith-Hughes work. This is somewhat new and many are not acquainted with just what this work is. It is agriculture and things connected with it. The salary is about \$1800 a year. The district pays one-half and the state one-half. The teacher works twelve months of the year. He spends half his time in the school room and half on the farms and will lead in the club and fair work of the boys and girls. A Smith-Hughes man would be an asset to our community. The government has no additional funds at present so we shall not be subsidized until January 1, 1923. The trustees of the school plan to have an agricultural man by next term and thus become a regular subsidized school at the first of the year.

At the meeting Saturday evening to organize a Commercial Club about 35 were present. Twenty-five signed up as charter members. Through a mistake many failed to receive their posters. 250 copies were made and placed in the post office under a certain advertising rate. After some 50 were circulated a new law was discovered and the remaining posters were withdrawn from the mail boxes. However, here is a chance for all adults to attend the next meeting in the hall, Thursday, February 16, to bring a basket supper for 6 o'clock. Hot coffee will be provided by the committee in charge. A speaker will be present to talk on things of interest to our community on growth and development. Following the supper there will be a business meeting for the purpose of adopting constitution and by-laws and electing officers.

The world congress of the Irish race at a supplementary meeting selected the Gaelic name for the newly formed international Irish federation. It is "Fine Chaoideal," meaning "family of the Gael." The motto will be "Greater than all telling is the destiny God has in mind for Ireland."

VERNONIA FEASTS  
POMONA GRANGE

Metropolis of Nehalem Valley  
Rapidly Forging Ahead—Interesting Notes Concerning  
High School Work.

VERNONIA, Ore., Feb. 9.—(Special to The Mist.)—Jonas Coffman, formerly of Vernonia but now a ranch owner in the vicinity of Washington, D. C., visited old friends in Vernonia during the past week. His trip west is for the purpose of renewing old acquaintances and looking after business interests in this part of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin North, accompanied by their son and Miss Lesta Weed motored to Portland on Thursday. They planned on attending Alma Gluck's concert in the municipal auditorium that evening.

A surprise party was given Ben Smith by his friends on Saturday evening, February 4. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

The county road between the Taylor bridge and town has been completed and is being used. Although somewhat rough the plank is far ahead of the mud.

Judson Weed who has been suffering a great deal with rheumatism is somewhat improved at this writing.

Mrs. B. F. Lane has been very ill the past week with bronchitis. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Last Saturday, January 29, a number of industrious Grangers assembled and erected a porch on the hall. It has been needed for a long while and is certainly a noticeable improvement.

The Clifton Drug Co. has been maintaining a traveling show consisting of movies and vaudeville, in Vernonia during the past week. A set of Rogers' silverware was given Lottie Bergerson on Friday evening since she was voted the most popular girl in town.

The Young Peoples Alliance of the Evangelical association were to have held their monthly business meeting and social evening at the home of H. M. Condit, Friday evening, Feb. 2. Due to the accident which happened to Mrs. Ethel Ray at school that afternoon the affair was indefinitely postponed.

Franklin Malmsten spent last week in Portland having dental work done.

Pomona Grange met in Vernonia Saturday, February 4. Eighteen delegates from different parts of the county, including Warren, Fern Hill, Beaver Creek, Cedar Grove, Deer Island, Clatskanie and Natal attended. A business session was held in the afternoon accompanied by a short program by home talent. In the evening thirteen members were initiated into Pomona Grange. The ladies of the Vernonia Grange served local and visiting members with dinner, supper and midnight lunch.

School Notes.

Florian Mills, a member of the junior class withdrew from the high school Tuesday and went to Beaverton where he has entered school. It was regret both to teachers and pupils that Florian left for he was a very good student as well as very active in athletics and other school activities.

The high school board with Oscar Weed as chairman are taking definite steps towards the erection of a new high school building which will be ready for occupancy in the fall. The ground where the old school house stands has been purchased from District 47 and it is here that the new building will be built. An architect will be in Vernonia in the near future at which time the selection of a style will be made.

Miss Lesta Weed was absent from school Thursday and Friday. She went to Portland to hear Alma Gluck and see her sister, Miss Gertrude Weed.

The Vernonia high school will meet the Tillamook high school in a debate tournament Friday evening, February 24. The question for debate is, "Resolved, That a Protective Tariff will be Beneficial to the Producers of Agricultural Products in the United States." The negative team composed of Lesta Weed and Ruth Heverling will go to Tillamook and the affirmative team composed of Lucy Stanton and Hilda Tucker, will debate here in Vernonia.

The seventh and eighth grades have literary programs frequently. On Friday afternoon the eighth grade girls debated against the boys of the same grade on the subject: Resolved, That Grant was a greater general than Lee. Three high school girls, Theima Pettijohn, Hilda Tucker and Lucy Stanton acted as judges and decided in favor of the affirmative.

Each student in the high school is required to read four standard books this semester.

A primary course in bird study has been installed in the high school under the direction of Mr. Kelly. One credit to be applied to any subject deserved is given for each bird studied and classified.

Mrs. Ethel Ray, the primary teacher was badly injured Friday afternoon when she attempted to rescue a child who was about to be hit by a swing. She pulled the youngster out of the way but was hit herself, receiving two broken ribs. Although the injury is not serious Mrs. Ray will be confined to her home for some time.

aid the growers in securing seed that will be uniform.

Mrs. W. G. Young's mother is very ill at the home of her daughter.

Alvin Larson is suffering severely from an infection of the ear. He will go to Portland for an operation.

S. W. Dahlgren who has been confined to his home for the last month is convalescing.

A. H. Tarbell, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morris attended the County Pomona Grange meeting at Vernonia on Saturday. A rousing meeting was held.

The young ladies of the district will give a Valentine social and dance in the Warehouse hall on Saturday evening, February 11.

DEER ISLAND

DEER ISLAND, Ore., Feb. 9.—(Special to The Mist.)—Frank Daly made a business trip to Portland last Tuesday.

Miss Mary Burns of Kerry, visited her sister, Mrs. Miller here Friday. Ernest Clapperton spent the week end at home.

In honor of National Song Week and Washington's birthday the school is giving a community sing, Tuesday evening, February 21. There will be a program of musical selections in addition to the group singing. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

Miss Maude Colvin spent the week end at her home in Marshland.

C. A. Merrill, who has been indisposed for several weeks is able to be out again.

Mrs. T. A. McBride and Mrs. Newton have been confined to their rooms the last few days with severe colds, but are able to be out again.

Mrs. Judisch, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Pritchard were St. Helens visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharp are in Portland visiting with relatives and friends.

Martin Haren was a Deer Island visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland were visitors at the McDonald home Monday evening.

Mrs. Chester McConnell returned Saturday from Aberdeen, Washington, where she visited with her mother for a week.

Mrs. A. Adams and Mrs. Shannon Shafer motored to Portland Tuesday.

Number of children in the community are too ill with colds to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Gollaway of St. Helens were Sunday visitors at the Homer Stuart home.

The Daly family are mourning the loss of the family pup. He died on Thursday at the Rose City veterinary hospital in Portland.

A number of friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDonald Monday evening, the occasion being Mr. McDonald's birthday.

Fern Leach was taken ill at school Monday and is still confined to her bed. Nothing serious though and she will be able to attend school again in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Barr and son of Clatskanie were visitors with Mrs. A. Seffert and family Wednesday.

Ben Enyart is visiting at the J. E. Meehan home.

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Scappoose, Oregon

WARREN

WARREN, Ore., Feb. 9.—(Special to The Mist.)—Warren has a full-fledged vegetable and fruit growers' association. All details of growing was completed on Monday evening at an exceptionally well attended meeting in the hall. All classes of vegetables will be grown and eighteen acres will be planted to peas, beans, radishes, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, celery, corn, early and late potatoes, carrots, beets, turnips and in fact all kinds of vegetables known to the market. All classes have been successfully grown here but not in large quantities but this year arrangements are being made to engage in the business on a large scale in the future as the soil has proven admirably adapted for this class of production. St. Helens will be given a chance to secure all they demand as a first proposition, the balance will be shipped out to other markets but it is expected that the St. Helens demand will leave very little for shipping. The travesty now enacted by the truck peddler coming to St. Helens and supplying the local people with vegetables grown all over the state and as far east as Walla Walla, Washington, where so much has gone to waste here owing to the inability of the grower to market them caused by no concerted effort having been made heretofore in that direction. Now the farmers have combined and St. Helens will have a fresh product every day if they desire to take advantage of the chance otherwise the product will be shipped and St. Helens can use the many times handled product of the truck drivers. The organization feels it incumbent upon the people of St. Helens and merchants to co-operate if they desire the enterprise to flourish for upon this year's trial will depend the future. It is the purpose to furnish the people with every vegetable grown and marketed in Columbia County. County Agent Holbaugh had charge of all arrangements assisted by F. H. Taylor and Harold Carlson. Mr. Holbaugh will



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