

### Congressman Mott Addresses Meeting

Lions and Chamber Hear Discussion of National And State Problems

"The First Session of the 75th Congress was remarkable for what it did not do," Congressman James W. Mott told a gathering at a joint meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and Lions club in Cottage Grove today.

With a four to one majority in the house and senate, the majority party failed to pass any of the so-called "must" legislation—legislation ordered passed by the President.

Between fights, the speaker said, much important legislation did pass however, legislation of particular importance to this section of the country, although national in scope.

The four bills listed as most important, from the President's standpoint, was the Court Bill, the Wages and Hours bill, the Executive Reorganization bill, and the Crop Control bill.

Of particular interest to Oregon was the permanent solution to the problem of the O. and C. lands.

Congressman Mott admitted devoting much time and effort to the solution of this problem, and expressed his opinion that the solution finally arrived at was the best that could be secured under existing conditions. In brief it assures a permanent annual income to the counties in which the lands are

situated—an income estimated at \$400,000 annually at the present time, with a larger return expected in the future, due to the sustained yield feature of the bill. Virtually the entire revenue received by the federal government from these lands, less costs of administration, reverts back to the counties in which the land is situated.

Bonneville dam, and other dams to be built in the future under the compromise bill finally adopted, assures the distribution of the power thus generated over as wide an area as possible, at the lowest price that will permit the amortization of the expense of the project.

The Flood control project seems destined for ultimate success, Mr. Mott stated. Congress is flood control minded, and the proposed Willamette valley project is likely to be passed, once it reaches Congress. It is soon to appear before the Board of Army Engineers for their report. Division and District army engineers have reported favorably on the bill.

The present Japanese-Chinese war brings forcibly to the attention of the nation the importance of improvements to the Pacific coast defenses, particularly at the mouth of the Columbia.

#### Melody Makers Plan Dance.

A dance will be held Friday night in the armory by the (Fuzzy Coiner) Melody Makers. The orchestra plans to hold other dances in the future.

#### One of Highest Lakes

One of the highest lakes in the world, Titicaca, lies among the Andes mountains, at about 12,500 feet above the sea. The lake has no outlet and has an area of 3,200 square miles and a maximum depth of about 900 feet.

### High School News

#### High School.

"Be serious in your thoughts about this war in China," were the words spoken by Miss Edith Simister, teacher from Fou Chow, China, at an assembly last Thursday. She spoke to the students on the serious responsibilities of Chinese high school students in this war with Japan. Miss Simister was dressed in a blue silk Chinese "dress-up" costume.

She told, with convincing clearness, how the children are mass educational teachers after school hours. High school girls are taught Red Cross nursing and the boys are given straight military training for three months.

She read portions of a Chinese high school boy's letter to the American students telling how they feel about all these gruesome tales told about their people, "Foreigners are not always sacred and divine," the letter stated. In closing she said, "Prejudice can't help. We are all human beings, so think this over seriously."

After a long and hearty applause by the student body, Miss Simister responded by singing a Chinese work-song.

The annual freshman rally and bonfire was held Thursday evening when truckloads of "noise-makers" and a hundred or more students swept through the town to later assemble at the bonfire across from the football field.

The prize of two dollars to be given to the class making the most noise was awarded to the seniors. Yells were given, songs were sung, and the members of the football squad as well as Mr. Fredch, Mr. Grannis and Mr. Ferrin gave talks on the game on Friday.

At a meeting Friday of the Id Decite Cum Latina the following officers were elected: Billy Earl, president; Frances Hughes, vice president; Anna Marie Peterson, secretary; Jimmy Blieckle, treasurer. Miss Crabbe, advisor, presided over the meeting in the absence of the president, Evelyn Kirchofer, who graduated last year. Following election of officers, a discussion was held on the plans for the year's activities. A committee consisting of Bernice Smith, Jean Savage, Frances Hughes and Clara Allen was appointed to draw up an initiation service by which two new members will be initiated. The Latin club will meet at two-week intervals for the remainder of the year. The next meeting will be a social.

The net proceeds from the girls' league hot dog sale at the football game was \$1.40.

The girls' league council held a meeting Tuesday night, October, at the high school.

The Lions club entertained the football boys Thursday night at 7 at the high school. The foods II class prepared and served the dinner.

The lettergirls have started basketball practice this week.

Principal F. L. Grannis attended the State Principals' conference in Salem last week end.

The home economics club is having a dues contest with Anita Duncan and Myrtle Kirchofer as the leaders of the two sides. There are 40 members on each side. The losers will give a Hallowe'en party to the winners.

The Pep club held a meeting October 14 under the supervision of Miss Notvedt. New and old yells were practised and school songs were sung.

Miss Simister talked to the current problems class last Friday on the situation in China. Following her talk, the students held an open discussion.

#### West Side School.

Each Monday from 10:30 to 12 Mrs. Anne Leffingwell, health nurse, has office hours at the West Side school. Any parent who wishes a personal interview with the nurse may arrange this by calling the principal.

Since the winter's wood has been stored in the basement, Frank Babcock, janitor, is busy cleaning the play grounds and getting ready for the rainy season.

A special assembly for the seventh and eighth grades was held Friday morning. An address was given by Miss Edith Simister, who recently returned from China. Miss Simister's theme centered around Chinese background—the home, the family, the school. She was introduced by Rev. Tilton. Rev. Gardner, a minister from Creswell, also accompanied Miss Simister.

A meeting of grade teachers was called by Supt. Ferrin for 4 o'clock Tuesday at the Central school. New report cards were examined and adopted.

In the seventh and eighth grades music is an elective subject, but very few students have asked to be excused this year. An interesting feature of these classes is the by-weekly musical programs arranged by the students. These programs include instrumental and vocal numbers. To date flute, ukelele, violin, piano, trumpet and clarinet solos and duets, all prepared by the students, have been enjoyed. Occasionally a skit, reading or

poem is given. Besides singing 2 and 3 part songs in regular class students are learning instruments and seating arrangements of the orchestra.

Progress is being shown in instrumental music in the junior high this year. A larger number of students have turned out. To date there are listed three trumpets, one trombone, five clarinets, four violins and two drum players, a larger and more advanced group than last year.

Miss Wilkinson's home room is going to start a scrapbook in which will be kept snapshots and photographs of the room, school and basketball team. Students are planning a joke section and a section for newspaper clippings concerning the class.

The primary room has organized a reading club. Stories are prepared by members to be read to the class during the morning "Room Duties" period. Wilma Wade is president of the club. A table is being made by members for the Reading Corner, where the club members are to prepare their stories.

#### Central School

The completion of a unit of work in reading entitled "Just for Fun Stories" was celebrated with a "Just for Fun" program presented by the sixth grade room Friday morning. The pupils of Miss Olson's and Miss Jones' room were present for the program. On this occasion articles made by the pupils were on display, interesting stories were told, nonsense verse was recited and appropriate musical numbers were presented.

Room decorations appearing this week indicate that Hallowe'en is not far away.

The fifth grade elected the following class officers October 18: President, Chloris Roberts; vice president, Juanita Powell; secretary, Roy Ross, and news editor, Betty Jean Adams.

The fifth grade pupils who are now studying the New England States are planning a large product map of the whole United States. On this large map will appear some of

the products of each section of the United States. The pupils will secure the products and make this large map as a class project.

#### Satsuma Ware, Japanese Pottery

Satsuma ware is a famous variety of Japanese pottery. It is pale yellow and has minute crackles in the glaze. It is richly painted and lavishly gilt. It was widely manufactured in the last century at Awata, near Kioto. The cracked appearance is partly due to the process of firing.

#### Sherman Author of Laws

John Sherman, brother of General W. L. Sherman, was the author of the Sherman Silver purchase act and the Sherman anti-trust law.

#### CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend to you one and all our most sincere thanks and good wishes for your kind thoughts and beautiful floral tributes during the illness and bereavement of our dear mother.

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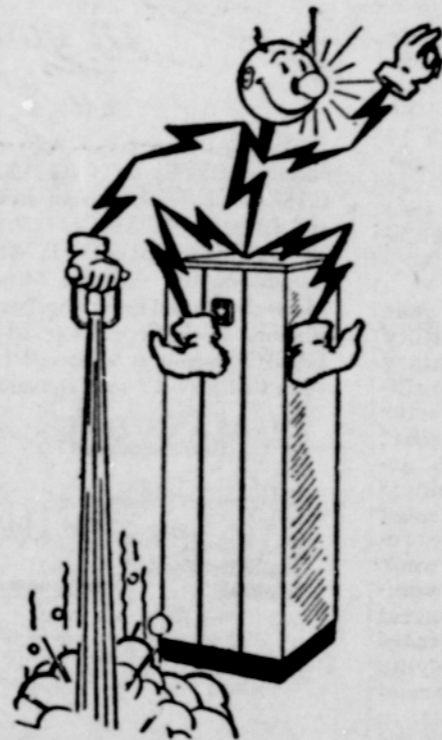
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