

Chapter News

District No. 1

PORTLAND CHAPTER 17 Vice-President Richard Lawrey has resigned his office. Fred E. Miller was appointed to complete Lawrey's term of office by the Chapter's Executive Committee. President George Isreal gave a report on the 1965 General Council at the last chapter meeting.

JACKSON PARK CHAPTER 90 members heard a discussion of the collective bargaining rules adopted by the Civil Service Commission in December by Portland Field Representative Frank Q. O'Connor.

DISTRICT NO. 1 PRESIDENTS' COUNCIL invited Assistant Executive Secretary Edward L. Wilson to discuss collective bargaining at its January 20 meeting in Portland.

District No. 2

SALEM CHAPTER 1 discussed the OSEA scholarship and grants-in-aid program and the OSEA-Jaycee Outstanding Young Public Employee program. President Joe Hershberger briefed chapter members on the very successful Salem-area chapter leadership workshop held in the Capitol on January 6. Carl Vistica gave a report on the Oregon Employees Federal Credit Union.

MARION CHAPTER 18 members voted a \$50 contribution to the OSEA scholarship and grants-in-aid program, and a \$35.10 contribution to the OSEA hearing aid fund drive. Vice-President Frank Stonesifer spoke on collective bargaining. Field Representative C. D. Johansen from headquarters attended the meeting.

CAPITOL CHAPTER 19 President Bill LaClair invited Warne Nunn, Governor Mark O. Hatfield's Executive Assistant, to speak to the chapter on the Governor's recent trade mission to Europe. Over 50 persons attended the meeting, which was held on January 19. Nunn said the main purpose of the trip was to increase trade between Germany and Oregon.

SIAC CHAPTER 20 invited Clark W. Cox, Management Analyst for the Department of Finance and Administration, to be its guest speaker at the February meet. Cox outlined his duties at Finance and Administration.

WILLAMETTE CHAPTER 21 members were led in a discussion of the Salem area chapter leadership workshop by Vice-President Martha Neuharth. After the meeting, a film on Timberline Lodge was shown.

OREGON CHAPTER 22 discussed its Christmas party held in the Marion Motor Hotel on December 18. Committee members for the party included Rod Peil, Arrangements; Blondeen McCann, Decoration; Vern Esch and Quinton Rowland, Entertainment; Connie Reaney, Gifts and Prizes; Eric Bergman, Publicity and Printing; Tim Campbell, Tickets and Vicki Webb, Hostess.

OCE CHAPTER 43 voted a \$29.25 contribution to the OSEA scholarship fund, and a \$25 contribution to the Monmouth Volunteer Firemen. Newly elected President Otto Barnell appointed the following committee chairmen: John Sparks, Insurance; Dean Craven, Retirement; Delbert Seward, Program; Hal Snair, Grievance and Civil Service and Ellis Stebbins, Administrative Advisor. Marie Miller of the administrative staff was presented with the Order of Pin award for enrolling 15 new members.

CHEMEKETA CHAPTER 64 has completed plans for a St. Patrick's dinner and dance. It will be held in the basement party room of Randall's Chuck Wagon in Salem on March 18. The chapter will hold a social hour at 6:30 p.m. to be followed by the dinner at 7:30 p.m. After the dinner, there will be a short program on proposed changes in the Public Employees Retirement System. The dance will begin at 9:30. Music will be provided by Stubby Mills and his orchestra.

MOTOR VEHICLE CHAPTER 86 voted a \$100 contribution to the OSEA scholarship and grants-in-aid fund. A committee of Joyce Hober, Carol Zable and Margaret Faulkner were appointed to the chapter's Room Improvement project to work with administrative services in improving the meeting room.

DISTRICT NO. 2 PRESIDENTS' COUNCIL elected Phyllis Bolton to the office of Council Secretary for 1966. Jack Morton, Chairman of the OSEA Scholarship and Grants-in-aid Committee, outlined the scholarship program to the assembled chapter presidents. Field Representative C. D. Johansen discussed the accomplishments of the 1965 General Council.

District No. 3

CURRY CHAPTER 93 read and discussed resolutions passed by the 1965 General Council. Particular emphasis was given to the resolution passed by delegates in opposition to the 1 1/2 per cent limitation on property taxes.

District No. 4

BEND CHAPTER 3 voted a \$50 contribution to the OSEA scholarship and grants-in-aid fund. At the January meeting, chapter members spent a considerable portion of the evening discussing collective bargaining.

KLAMATH FALLS CHAPTER 12 members voted a \$25 contribution to the OSEA scholarship and grants-in-aid fund, and ratified the chapter's constitution and by-laws at the January meeting. Collective bargaining was also discussed.

OTI CHAPTER 36 President Barbara Benninger gave a report on the Klamath Falls chapter leadership workshop, the collective bargaining rules and OSEA's proposal to improve the PERS. Delegates Dorothy Sudbury and Hester Atwood reported on the 1965 General Council. Jean A. Hotchkin was elected secretary of Chapter 36.

District No. 5

LA GRANDE CHAPTER 4 members heard a report on collective bargaining from District No. 5 Director Robert deWitt at the February meeting in La Grande.

JOHN DAY CHAPTER 13 members heard a report on collective

bargaining from Executive Secretary Thomas G. Enright at the Malheur County courthouse in Vale on January 29. Enright also discussed OSEA's proposal to improve PERS. Three chapter vice-presidents were installed by Enright. They are George Siler, Ontario; Bob Johnson, John Day and Junior Miles, Burns.

ROUND-UP CHAPTER 24 members were given a report on the 1965 General Council by Delegate Gerald Andrews. This chapter voted a \$10 contribution to the OSEA scholarship and grants-in-aid fund.

EOSH CHAPTER 52 voted a \$10 contribution to the OSEA scholarship and grants-in-aid fund. In addition, the chapter will award a \$240 scholarship to a local student. Chairman of the Scholarship Committee is Barbara Turner. Other members include Verna Kuhn, Del Chaney, Harold White and Mari Anne Moore. OSEA Director of Retirement Jerry Liebertz will speak on retirement at the chapter's March 17 meeting.

HIGH NOON CHAPTER 92 members voted a \$10 contribution to the OSEA scholarship and grants-in-aid fund.

District No. 6

EUGENE CHAPTER 6 devoted most of the February meeting to a discussion of collective bargaining and the Public Employees Retirement System.

CORVALLIS CHAPTER 29 invited Executive Secretary Thomas C. Enright to discuss collective bargaining at the February meeting. Chapter members also heard the OSU Federal Credit Union described by Manager B. W. Coyle.

President James Lundy announced that Thomas Riede and Edward Wydronek have qualified for the Order of Pin award.

DISTRICT NO. 6 PRESIDENTS' COUNCIL meeting of January 14 was held in conjunction with the District 6 chapter leadership workshop. Workshop speakers included Executive Secretary Thomas C. Enright, Membership Director Dale E. Sturmer and Retirement Director Jerry Liebertz.

District No. 7

OREGON TRAIL CHAPTER 35 members voted a \$30 donation to the Dental Health Clinic Bank in Hood River. Ardelle Russell was presented with the Order of Pin award for enrolling 14 new members. OSEA President R. M. "Hoad" Smith, Vice-President Smith French, District No. 7 Director H. N. Van Cleave and Assistant Executive Secretary Edward L. Wilson attended the chapter's Christmas dinner held in The Dalles. The chapter donated \$50 to Jack Miller for use at the Columbia Park State Home.

District No. 8

TONGUE POINT CHAPTER 96 invited OSEA Wage and Salary Analyst Everett B. Stiles to speak on collective bargaining at the January meeting. Stiles also met with several employees to discuss the re-writing of certain job descriptions.

District No. 9

EVERGREEN CHAPTER 28 members discussed the petitions being circulated throughout Oregon State Hospital calling for an election of a collective bargaining representative. Over 400 employees at the hospital signed the petition requesting that OSEA be certified to represent them.

WOODBURN CHAPTER 45 held a joint meeting with Dammasch Chapter 95 on February 1. OSEA Retirement Director Jerry Liebertz outlined OSEA's proposed change in the PERS. C. D. Johansen spoke on collective bargaining. A Certificate of Merit was presented to Al Jarvis, Food Service, and Iola Bowers, Serving Room, for work performed for the annual staff Christmas program at Woodburn school. President Ed Kahut was presented with the Order of Pin award for enrolling 12 new members.

FAIRVIEW CHAPTER 57 President Vernon Fisher presented 100% Membership Awards to the Pan Room, Martin Cottage and the Construction Crew at Fairview. Emil Long was given the Order of Pin award for enrolling 12 new members in 1965. Chapter members voted a \$50 contribution to the OSEA scholarship and grants-in-aid fund. Collective bargaining was discussed by Don Beninger.

TWILIGHT CHAPTER 91 invited OSEA Wage and Salary Analyst Everett B. Stiles to speak on collective bargaining at its February meeting.

DAMMASCH CHAPTER 95 members heard a description of OSEA from Wage and Salary Analyst Everett B. Stiles. He outlined the association's function in regard to representation, fact finding, communications and chapter services.

DISTRICT NO. 9 PRESIDENTS' COUNCIL had Assistant Executive Secretary Edward L. Wilson and Field Representative C. D. Johansen as guests at its January meeting. Wilson discussed collective bargaining and Johansen spoke on membership growth. Law and Legislation Director Harold W. Adams will be guest speaker at the February 26 meeting.



HARD WORK IN THE AREA OF NEW MEMBER ENROLLMENTS resulted in Woodburn Chapter 45 President Eddie Kahut being presented with the Order of Pin award. Kahut, on the left, enrolled 10 new members to win the award. Making the presentation is Field Representative C. D. Johansen.



OSEA DIRECTOR OF RETIREMENT JERRY LIEBERTZ outlined the association's proposed improvements in the PERS to members of Salem Chapter 1 meeting on February 9. Shown discussing the proposal with Liebertz after the meeting are Jean Ashwill (left), the chapter's Recording Secretary, and June Evans, Vice-President.

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