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## BILLS ORDERED PAID BY CITY COUNCIL

COMMITTEES ARE APPOINTED TO SERVE FOR ENSUING YEAR AT OSWEGO.

Regular meeting of the city council of Oswego, was held Thursday, February 1, 1917.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor A. Kinn Wilson. Roll call all present, excepting Councilman Kempin.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. The following bills were received and approved and ordered paid, as follows: J. Hickner & Sons, supplies, \$8.75; Oswego Lumber Co., material, \$2.91; Oregon Iron & Steel Co., water, light, \$8.25; H. W. Kohlin, recorder salary, \$15.00; H. R. Davison, marshal, \$15.00; John Hickner, treasurer, \$2.50; T. Schowper, labor \$6.95. The mayor appointed the following committees for the ensuing year: Finance, Fox and Zeller; streets, Kempin and Dizon; light, Clinefelter and Kempin; license, Fox and Pollard; health, Clinefelter and Pollard.

Councilman Fox received the unanimous vote of the councilmen for president of the council for the ensuing year.

A. J. Weitz, through the street committee, reported he would attend to keeping crossings and sidewalks clear on Front street, south of A avenue. If the city would purchase a broom. Street committee was authorized to purchase a broom.

Thomas Fox asked permission to remove the top soil on C avenue, between Front and First streets. Permit was granted and mayor appointed Clinefelter and Dizon to meet with Mr. Fox and show him in what shape the city would want the street left in.

C. H. Rosenstreuter made application for permit to install a filling station in front of his place of business, at Front and B streets, and on motion the permit was granted.

Recorder was instructed to notify James Platt and Joseph Bickner to have the pile of rock on Front street moved by March 1, 1917.

On motion by Dizon council adjourned.

## ALTAR SOCIETY HOLD VALENTINE PARTY

MRS. ZIMMERMANN DRAWS THE LUCKY NUMBER, WINS PRIZE.

The Ladies' Altar society of the Catholic church held a valentine silver tea at the home of Mrs. J. Conway, Wednesday afternoon. A prize valentine was given to the lady drawing the lucky number. Mrs. Zimmermann being the winner. Each guest was presented with a valentine.

Miss Lida Westergaard rendered very beautifully "The Death Disc," a selection from Mark Twain's writings. The recitation was very much appreciated by the guests.

A delicious luncheon was served, and the hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. George Thomas. Those present were: Mrs. George Schneller, Mrs. McManus, Mrs. White, Mrs. T. R. Haines, Mrs. B. O'Brien, Mrs. T. Fox, Mrs. R. Copenhaver, Mrs. James Copenhaver, Mrs. George Leslie, Mrs. T. R. Clinefelter, Mrs. J. Moross, Mrs. H. Schaubel, Mrs. Oskar Schaubel, Mrs. Lona Thomas, Mrs. Stockman, Mrs. Daly, Mrs. Gus Smith, Mrs. Zimmermann, Mrs. Quigley, Mrs. Anne Russell, Mrs. E. P. Clay, Mrs. B. Crago, Mrs. M. Shipley, Mrs. Stella Shipley, Mrs. Charles Rosentretter, Mrs. Steingale, Mrs. O. Johnson, Mrs. George Thomas, Mrs. C. N. Haines, Miss Lida Westergaard, Miss Margaret O'Brien, Mrs. J. Hill, Mrs. J. Conway and Mrs. R. McDonald. Mrs. George Thomas assisted Mrs. Conway in serving.

Severe Cold Quickly Cured. "On December first I had a very severe cold or attack of the grip as it may be, and was nearly down sick in bed," writes O. J. Metcalf, Weathersby, Mo. "I bought two bottles of Chamberlain Cough Remedy and it was only a few days until I was completely restored to health. I firmly believe that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is one of the very best medicines and will know what to do when I have another cold." Obtainable everywhere.

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## FIRE DEPARTMENT WILL HOLD TAG DAY

FIVE HUNDRED TAGS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED THROUGHOUT OSWEGO.

Oswego fire department is to have tag day shortly, according to reports from the firemen's last meeting. Five hundred tags are to be distributed throughout the city, which is for a relief fund. A committee from the firemen's department is to be brought before the council's next meeting for damaged suits of the firemen who make fire calls; also asking for larger equipment for the fire department. It is in doubt if the council will approve of a larger fire equipment.

## SCHOOL REPORT SHOWS CHILDREN'S INTEREST

Pupils whose names are on roll of honor for past month for third and fourth grades: Marie Johnson, Dagmar Westergaard, Alice Zeller, Willie Rizor, Fay Erwin, Willie Hendrickson, Owen Brimm, Vario Hayes, Wallace Worthington, Clarence Johnson, Lawrence Johnson.

Pupils whose names are on roll of honor for past month for fifth and sixth grades: Doris Blumsh, Julia Wilson, Leonah Foote, Dorothy Brumbaugh, Esther Keseler, Machie Neal, Cleo Tapher, Dorothy Baker, Merle Chuck, Garton Eastman, Neph Westergaard, Ernest Schaubel, Gordon Clinefelter, Bernhard Johnson, Dustin Brumbaugh, Lawrence Ervin, Frank Schaubel, Earl Schaeberl. Following is the roll of honor for the seventh grade: Glen Waldorf, Lloyd Davidson, Earl Worthington, Martha Smoke, Erma Schaubel, Delia Davis, Mary Wilson, Edith Myers, Goldie Neal, Harold Hoffman, Harold Brumbaugh, Clark King.

## Oswego Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Spencer have located in Oswego. They have moved in apartments at Mrs. V. F. Cooper's. Mr. Spencer is employed at the log hoist.

Miss Anna Lyons, of Portland, was the guest of Mrs. W. Clyde Bowden, Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Skeel was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Murray of Altameda, Tuesday.

Miss Lucile Coppens was the weekend guest of Miss Gladys Sinclair.

Mrs. L. A. Rathbun and daughter, Dorothy, visited relatives in Oswego, Sunday.

Miss Gladys Sinclair and Miss Lucile Coppens, of Hillsboro, left for Seattle, Monday morning. They will spend a month in Seattle visiting relatives and friends.

The cement plant will resume operations February 15, if the construction work can be completed.

The Rebekahs gave a card party last Wednesday evening for the benefit of the Orphans at the Odd Fellows Home. About fifty were present. A delicious lunch was served, and the Rebekahs realized a neat little sum from their party.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Haines and daughter, Frances, and Mrs. J. C. Haines, Sr., were the guests of D. H. Bussard and family, of Portland, Sunday.

Mrs. Rosa Headrick was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Arch Coon, Sunday.

Mrs. D. B. Fox is ill at the St. Vincent hospital, having undergone an operation.

Mrs. Kate Rolfe and Mrs. Ralph Hatch are guests of Mrs. George Prosser.

The Women's club postponed its meeting because of the death of G. W. Prosser.

Mrs. Belle Pauling and daughters, Pauline and Lucile, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pauling, Sunday. Miss Alto Wirtz accompanied them home.

At the home of Mrs. Otto Johnson last week, a most delightful Dorcas tea was held. There were present 40 ladies, ten children and seven babies. Refreshments were daintily served, and all present enjoyed themselves, as they usually do in that very hospitable home.

The Christian Endeavor meeting on Sunday next will be a consecration service. The subject is "Confession," led by the president. All are requested to answer the roll call with a verse.

Mrs. John Bickner is on the sick list last week.

Miss Anna McDonald, of Northfield, Mass., was a business visitor Wednesday in the interests of the non-sectarian baby home.

## OAK GROVE OAK GROVE STUDENTS VISIT LEGISLATURE

The graduating class of the Oak Grove school, accompanied by the principal, motored to Salem Friday. They visited all departments in the capitol building including both houses in the legislature, and later went up into the dome of the building for a birds-eye view of the city.

While visiting the capitol they were who expressed himself as being very much pleased at the visit.

After lunch and just before leaving the capitol building they had their pictures taken. The party then visited all the state institutions and on their way home they stopped at the Chemawa Indian Training school and witnessed Indian students in their closing exercises of the day. The school band played as the stars and stripes were lowered at sundown. Those making the trip were Prof. Gurtlie, George Roher, Rolin Jinkins, Irven Jackson, Dorpha Sundquist, Ruth Bingham, Beatrice Cederson, Grace Stokes, Emily Jones, Eiva Ungarner and Alma Lewis.

James M. Kibbie died in Camas Wash, Monday January 29. He was a resident of Portland until about a year ago, having been a printer by occupation. Interment was made under the auspices of the Typographical union at River View cemetery. Mr. Kibbie had many friends here. He leaves a wife and eight grown children. One son, Guy, from Wichita, Kansas was here.

## OAK GROVE CHURCH NOTES.

OAK GROVE, Ore., Feb. 8.—(Special).—A new patrol has been formed in the Scout troop. The boys are gathering papers to earn money for troop expenses.

"Things We Value," will be the subject of an address to be given Sunday evening at the church by Rev. R. W. Allen. The evening offering is to go to the church fund. Topic for discussion next Sunday morning, "Who is Wise."

The Epworth League is already "doing things." Attendance at the devotional meetings is very satisfactory. A business meeting was held at the parsonage Monday evening which was largely attended.

A Valentine social will be given in the church parlors Friday evening, February 9.

The Epworth League and church services were combined last Sunday evening at which time J. A. Goodell gave his illustrated talk on "Stewardship." Every body enjoyed and profited by it.

After the sermon Sunday morning, the board of trustees presented the subject of improving the church building, which included extending the rotunda, finishing the class rooms and tinting the walls. Estimate cost \$125. It was all raised except \$15, which has been subscribed. The carpenter work is being done this week.

The sermon on the Book of James is proving helpful to all. Next Sunday's sermon will be preceded by a tribute to Lincoln.

OAK GROVE, Ore., Feb. 8.—(Special).—The Milwaukee and Oak Grove Social Service club will meet Thursday, February 8, at the home of Mrs. W. W. Thompson, Roethe station. French art will be discussed, papers will be read by Mrs. R. E. Webb, Mrs. Davenport and Mrs. Dunham. Miss Francis Dayton will play several piano selections.

Mrs. Anna Kuehl was called to the bedside of her mother near Oswego, who has been sick for several years with rheumatism. Mr. and Mrs. Schubert formerly lived on the river road but left here on account of Mrs. Schubert's health.

Mrs. S. Proctor, of near Portland, was a visitor at the home of Miss Colburn Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Barnett and Mrs. Anna Ahault motored to Portland Friday.

Miss Mamie Colburn was a Portland visitor Friday.

Mrs. Church, the court matron, of Oregon City was here Friday on official business.

The auditor of the American express company was here Friday looking after their business of which W. B. Stokes is agent.

J. W. Crow, of Seattle, Wash., uncle of Mrs. A. M. Goetz was a visitor at their home last Saturday while here attending the Shriners convalesce in Portland. Mr. Crow's father and mother crossed the plains in the forties and secured 640 acres where the town site of Oak Grove, Courtney, Silver Springs and Evergreen now stand.

A. R. Harder has sold his beautiful home and two acres of land to W. A. Fowler, of the Boise Valley, Idaho, for a consideration of \$4500, cash. Mr. Fowler and family will take possession March 1. Mr. and Mrs. Harder will move to Portland and rent for the present.

Mrs. W. H. Moore went to Portland Tuesday morning to spend the day with her sister who will celebrate her birthday.

E. P. Steventon, Misses Josephine and Edna, father and sisters of Mrs. A. E. Harder of Portland were visitors here Sunday. Also John Neely, of Weiser, Idaho, a friend of Miss Edna, was in the party.

John Hickadr, of Day Center, Wash., was a week-end visitor at the home of A. E. Harder.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Warren entertained at five hundred Saturday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bullard, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Blackerby, Mr. and Mrs. J. Norberg. A jolly time was had. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Doris Brumley gave a candy pull to a few children Saturday evening. The little tots played games and enjoyed the few hours together.

Miss Hattie Williams is on the sick list.

Louis Brandt is quite sick and Dr. Hugh Mount was summoned Tuesday morning to attend him.

Harry Worthington returned home from Canby Tuesday morning.

W. W. Thompson, Rotherstation. The Needlecraft and Domestic Science club meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Felix. A paper was read by Mrs. Barksdale on "Polished or Yellow Rice," and was discussed.

Mrs. J. B. Evans won the guessing contest. Musical numbers were given by Mrs. Barksdale, Mrs. Thompson and Miss Felix. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. J. B. Evans, February 20; Mrs. J. Courson Hare, of Portland, will entertain in honor of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Evans' birthday. Mrs. Dodson, their mother, of Troutdale, will be present, also Mrs. Graves, Mrs. Evans' daughter.

## HAZELIA.

HAZELIA, Ore., Feb. 7.—(Special).—Mrs. Fred Lehman was a visitor in Oswego Saturday evening.

C. C. Borland, a progressive pioneer citizen of Hazelia was subpoenaed and will serve on the United States grand jury. He will begin duty as juror, February 12, in Portland.

Joseph Zivney was transacting business in the rose city, Monday.

Mrs. S. S. Boutz was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. C. C. Borland, Monday afternoon.

Korkins Ackerson, of the Tualatin Meadows neighborhood, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. C. C. Borland and family Tuesday.

W. H. and R. J. Zivney were transacting business in Portland, Thursday.

Richard J. Zivney sold a car load of potatoes Wednesday, making two car loads he has sold recently.

Max McMahan, of Oswego, was in the neighborhood Saturday.

Jerry Flala, Sr., was a business visitor in Oswego, Saturday.

Master Garton Eastman spent a pleasant afternoon in Portland, Saturday.

M. Wilmarth of Oswego, was a visitor at the Hazelia Literary and Debating society Saturday evening.

S. S. Boutz was transacting business in the rose city, Saturday.

Mr. Balda spent the week-end at his farm at Hazelia.

Messrs. Henry and Emil Zivney were pleasantly entertained by C. Antonio and Shirley Boutz, Saturday.

Richard Zivney, one of Hazelia's prominent farmers, was in Portland Saturday, and while there purchased a seven-passenger automobile.

Mr. Balda, of Portland, very pleasantly entertained a number of his friends at an informal dancing party at his country home in Hazelia, Saturday evening. Refreshments were served.

John Pollard spent the week-end with his parents at Hazelia.

Albert R. Boutz spent a pleasant evening in Oswego, Sunday.

The Hazelia Literary and Debating society gave an interesting program, followed by a mock-trial, Saturday evening. There will be a spelling match at the next meeting, February 17. Sides will be chosen and the losers will treat the winners to a supper.

The teachers of Hazelia and surrounding vicinity are being urged to take up the work of the Parent-Teacher association.

Boutz Brothers were transacting business in Portland, Monday.

Mr. Coleman, of Clackamas, will preach at Hazelia Saturday evening, February 10.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Thomas and son of Stafford, were in the neighborhood, Sunday.

ENDORSED AT HOME. Such Proof as This Should Convince Any Oregon City Citizen.

The public endorsement of a local citizen is the best proof that can be produced. None better, none stronger can be had. When a man comes forward and testifies to his fellow-citizens, addresses his friends and neighbors, you may be sure he is thoroughly convinced or he would not do so. Telling one's experience when it is for the public good is an act of kindness that should be appreciated. The following statement given by a resident of Oregon City adds one more to the many cases of Home Endorsement which are being published about Doan's Kidney Pills. Read it.

M. G. Christensen, 1119 Seventh St., Oregon City, says: "I don't hesitate to speak a good word for Doan's Kidney Pills at any time for I know from personal experience that they can't be equalled for backache or kidney disorders. I have been taking Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for several years whenever I have noticed my kidneys have been out of fix or my back has felt stiff and lame and they have never failed to overcome the trouble."

## ESKIMO ICE CREAM.

It's a Fine Dish, No Doubt, but Your Guests Might Not Like It.

The main food of the Alaskan Indian is meat and fish. In the winter many people do not cook the fish at all; simply leave them in the house for two or three days and then eat them raw. Women always serve the food and always see that others are satisfied before beginning their own meal. They have to be very careful not to spill anything, for that would bring bad luck to the one whom they are serving.

When a person is invited to eat in the village it is considered bad manners to eat all that is before him. He must leave enough to take home to the members of the family who did not come. The host generally gives his guest a piece of dried fish to hold the food which he is to take home. The fish is broad and flat, about one-half inch thick, and the bundle is carried away openly without any attempt at hiding it. In the summer berries, fruit and roots are added to the diet, and berries are frozen in the fall to last through the winter.

Since white people came flour and canned goods have changed the food very much. It is easy to have ice cream for dessert any time. There is no cream about it, but fallow and berries are mixed with sugar, sometimes fish is added to it, and when it is frozen it makes a fine dish—Southern Workman.

## WHY NOT BE CHEERFUL?

It Will Help You to Increase Your Mental and Physical Power.

Good cheer is a great lubricant. It oils all of life's machinery.

Good cheer is a great producer. It adds wonderfully to one's active ability and increases mental and physical power. It makes hosts of friends and helps us to be interesting and agreeable.

Good cheer will attract more customers, sell more goods, do more business, with less wear and tear than almost any other quality.

Optimism is the greatest business getter, biggest trader, truest achiever, in the world.

Pessimism has never done anything but tear down and destroy what optimism has built up.

In the business office, in society, in politics, in workshops, everywhere, the favorite is always the cheerful fellow with the bright smile and bright thoughts.

Good natured, cheerful ones do not waste their vital energies as rapidly as the grumblers or the too sober, too sour ones do. They work and live with much less friction.

Good cheer is a simple habit. It is one of the best in all the list.—Christian Herald.

Availing a Defeat. A certain political boss always controlled his delegations to the conventions, and the delegates voted the way he told them to—and not until he did tell them.

On one convention a delegate presented a resolution that the boss favored, but had not heard about soon enough to post his delegates as to how they should vote on it.

The chairman of the convention put the question, "All in favor of this resolution say 'aye.'"

"There were a few ayes, and the boss' delegates looked at him inquiringly. Seeing that he would not have time to pass the word and wanting the resolution passed, he dashed down the aisle toward the chairman, waving his hands and shouting:

"Don't put the negative! Don't put the negative! I did that once and got in a duce of a fix."—Saturday Evening Post.

Mangrove Forests in the Bahamas. Mangrove trees are to me the most fascinating of all the vegetable growths of our strange planet. When young (we must first come upon them at the opening of the creek) there is something tender and lyrical about them, with the fresh, childlike laurel-like leaves and dangling rods of emerald that were really the suckers of their barren-like roots; but as we proceeded inland they grew into an obscure and blarney maturity, like nightmares striding in every direction, with prancing skeleton feet planted in noisome, festering swamps and stretching out horned, clawing hands that seemed to take root as one looked and threw out other roots of horror like a dream.—Richard Le Gallienne in Harper's Magazine.

Vocational Education. One day Morton came home from school much discouraged. It seems the teacher had been explaining the difference between pints and quarts, but Morton failed to understand it. To make it plain his mother showed him the actual milk bottles of two sizes, when he impatiently declared:

"There is no use bothering about this any more. I am not going to be a milkman."—New York American.

The Way of It. "The man they picked up on the street and carried to the hospital was suffering from knockout drops."

"Knockout drops given him on the public street? Impossible!"

"Two bricks fell on his head from a building he passed."—Baltimore American.

Too Honest. "He's too frank to be a good politician."

"Why?"

"When he has said something that the people don't like he doesn't deny that he said it."—Detroit Free Press.

Good corn is not reaped from a bad field.—Danish Proverb.

Grants Pass — Co-operative best growing company formed. Umatilla county expended \$120,000 on roads in 1916.

## SPORTY OUTFIT FOR THE ATHLETIC GIRL



## COUPLE WED SEVENTY YEARS WITHOUT STRIFE

Married Pair Celebrate Their Anniversary of Life in Happiness.

Glasgow, Mo.—J. P. Bentley, ninety years old, and his wife, Mrs. Susan Frisroe Bentley, eighty-eight years of age, were married seventy years ago and never had a fuss. They recently celebrated their anniversary. They live near Forest Green.

Mr. Bentley, who has lived all his life on his farm and still runs the 600 acre tract himself, is rated one of the wealthiest men in Chariton county, having amassed a fortune of between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

Both he and his wife were born on adjoining farms. When they were wed they agreed that if either became angry the other should take cognizance of it and preserve an unruffled demeanor. This, they say, is the secret of their smooth relations.

Nine children, five of whom are living, were born to the union. The five are T. M. Bentley, Salisbury, Mo.; S. J. Bentley, Forest Green; William Bentley and Mrs. William La Motte, Roanoke, Mo., and Mrs. Lloyd Herring, Forest Green.

The Bentley farm descended to its present owner from his father, who obtained it from the government by grant in 1815.

Mean! "Fa, what is spending money?"

"Any coin your mother gets hold of, my boy."—Detroit Free Press.

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At a meeting Tuesday night the building committee of the Gladstone Chautauqua association decided to recommend to the board of directors the erection of a new auditorium.

This was the first definite action taken in authorizing the proposed new building, which is expected to cost in the neighborhood of \$5000.

The building will be put up on the site of the present auditorium. If the board of directors takes favorable action on the report at their meeting early next week.

The building committee consists of H. E. Cross, Christian Schaubel, John Loder, Fred Olmstead and E. G. Caudwell.

## Building Committee Will Recommend New Gladstone Auditorium

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