

Woodburn Meeting Stormy; Gas Franchise Comes Up

BLANKET GRANT NOT APPROVED

Widespread Extension Plan Of Portland Company Coming to Valley

WOODBURN, August 7.—Lengthy wrangling upon various presentations of the ordinance committee comprised most of the business at the regular meeting of the Woodburn city council in the city hall Tuesday night.

The regular routine of business was carried on by the group minus the presence of Councilman Beach, who is on his vacation at this time. An ordinance was presented to the city by the Portland Gas and Coke company pertaining to a grant to be made by the city giving the company the right, privilege and franchise to lay, maintain and operate conduits, poles and such appliances as necessary to supply the city of Woodburn with gas for use in homes and otherwise.

Method Thoroughly Discussed

The ordinance was read by Councilman Espy and after lengthy discussion the council decided that it would not favor the terms of the ordinance by which the company was privileged to place its equipment anywhere in the city.

The body decided that they should provide a means by which each separate extension of the company's line should be presented to the council and that they did not approve of the blanket franchise as suggested by the company.

City Attorney McCord reported that he had written the company to the effect that it should present detailed account of its proceedings in the city.

30 Cords of Wood Needed

City Recorder Beebe suggested that the matter of wood for the coming winter be attended to and the council advised the recorder to advertise for bids for 30 cords of large second growth fir wood for use in the city's buildings.

It was suggested that the Southern Pacific company be reminded that it had not attended to the matter of settling the dust on their roadway which is annoying to the business section of town.

The city street commissioner was instructed to enforce the ordinance pertaining to the removal of all junk from premises within the city limits or the building of a fence to be at least ten feet high around it.

Bills were signed by the finance committee and ordered paid as read by the council.

MANY VISITORS IN HOMES OF DALLAS

DALLAS, August 7.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. William Herzog of Fresno, Calif., arrived last Friday to visit for a time with Mrs. Herzog's mother and sister, Mrs. E. F. Coad and Miss Nola Coad.

Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Bullman and children, Paul, Lenthal and Edna, left Monday to spend a week at Rockaway beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coad went to Newport Wednesday to spend a week or ten days at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Crider and granddaughter Leanna Severson are in Walla Walla visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Marion Hadley.

Mrs. Edward Hamilton is still in Portland with her young daughter Helen, who has undergone an operation on her eye.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith have returned from a vacation trip to California. Mr. Smith is associated with the Dallas city bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinsecki spent Saturday and Sunday at their cottage at Pacific City. They had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. John Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. Glatt of Woodburn and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jerman of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Erle Fulgham left Tuesday for Longview where Mr. Fulgham will attend sessions of the West coast lumbermen's association. Mr. Fulgham is manager of the Willamette Valley lumber company of Dallas.

Mrs. Seaborn Garvin and daughter Virginia of Portland visited in Dallas for several days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Scott Loughary and sister Mrs. Ray Scott.

CEMETERY ASSN. TO MEET FRIDAY

CLEAR LAKE, August 7.—W. P. Collard, one of the directors of the Claggett cemetery, has called a meeting for all who are interested in the cemetery, at the Clear Lake schoolhouse, Friday evening, August 9 at 8 p. m.

The principal purpose of the meeting is to take care of the imperative need for a parking space at the graveyard.

The Claggett cemetery lies about a quarter of a mile from the river road, and the land owner has fenced in the adjacent property, so that no parking space is available, unless a piece of land is purchased.

This cemetery is one of the oldest in Marion county, dating back for 75 years or more. The land was donated by Claggett, Zieber, and Smith whose property cornered this.

Smiles! Why Shouldn't He?



Paul Kelly, stage juvenile, as he nattily appeared Friday when released from San Quentin on parole.

Percy Brown Garden at Silverton Attracts Many

SILVERTON, August 7.—Many visitors took the opportunity to view the beautiful gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Percy L. Brown when they welcomed visitors and members of the Silverton garden club at their home on McClaine street Monday evening. Although it was the regular meeting of the club no business meeting was held.

The gardens, Mr. and Mrs. Brown regretted, were not at their best. The spring and early summer flowers were gone. The late summer and autumn flowers were just beginning. The Browns had intended, they said, to have the garden open to visitors in about three weeks when more of the autumn flowers would be in bloom but as Monday was the regular meeting night of the club and so many visitors had expressed a desire to see the gardens members of the club extended an invitation for the evening.

"But it is really an education in gardening to view a garden such as the Browns' at this time of the year," one of the visitors remarked. "I am glad we were invited now instead of three weeks late. Now so many of our gardens are a sorry mess. Seemingly Mr. and Mrs. Brown have contrived to make their gardens interesting at all times and have no 'in between's'."

The landscaping of the garden, with the exception of the rockery, was done by Mr. and Mrs. Brown themselves. The location of the lawn, sloping as it does down to the edge of Silver Creek, is an ideal place for a garden. At the water's edge tall water lilies of oriental origin. A utility garden which called for many "ohs" and "ahs," lay between the garden on the banks of the creek and that surrounding the house. Besides the space in this occupied by vegetables, a portion of it was devoted to cut flowers and to propagation and experimental purposes.

A lily pool with its rose and creamy-white flowers, its fountain and its gold fish, drew forth much comment. A fig tree filled with fruit was of particular interest to many. This, said Mr. Brown, was four years old and had fruited each year. When asked if he projected it during the winter months he answered that he had done so the first two years but found it unnecessary. The tree had with-

Odd Fellows Enjoy Picnic Held Sunday At Shad-E-Acres

WOODBURN, Aug. 7.—Sports and a bounteous noon day luncheon featured the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs' picnic at Shad-E-Acres, near Barlow last Sunday.

Over 100 members of the Home Lodge, No. 102, and their families left Woodburn at 10:00 o'clock Sunday morning and at noon gathered for their lunch under the canopy of nature's own trees at Shad-E-Acres. After lunch was served young and old participated in the various sports which may be enjoyed at this park. Some took to the water like ducks, but others preferred to play horse shoes on dry land.

Like or jugs, loaf around in the shade. At 4:00 o'clock ice cream was served and at different late hours of the evening the group disbanded for home.

VISITING SONS

BETHIL, August 7.—Mrs. Margery Bently of Portland is visiting her son, L. L. Stewart.

BROOKS SENDS LEAGUE GUEST'S

Falls City Convention is Drawing Card; Other News Items Given

BROOKS, August 7.—Brooks and Keizer are represented at the annual Epworth league institute which opened Monday in Falls City by Rev. D. George Cole and Mildred Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coffin-daffer have treated their house to a new coat of paint. Mr. Coffin-daffer is proprietor of the Brooks barber shop.

To Visit in Yakima

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Wilson and children, Lester, Carmel, Mae, Mary, Beatrice and Clarence Wilson, left Friday morning for Yakima, Wash., where they will spend a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Cris Otto and daughter, Benah Otto, were guests on Monday evening at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilferd La Fountain and family at North Howell.

Miss Gladys Otto entertained the following guests at dinner Sunday at her home in Brooks: Miss Emmaline Sears, Miss Inez Allison, Waldo Lowery, and Iris Isham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Harris and children, Layone Harris and Albert Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Miller and family spent Sunday at Simon's landing on the Willamette river. A picnic lunch and swimming was enjoyed.

GERVAIS PEOPLE AT SILVERTON FOR GAME

With Torn Muscle, Schwab Hurls Winning Ball Against Eugene

GERVAIS, August 7.—A number of Gervais people went to Eugene Saturday to see the baseball game between the Silverton league team and Eugene. Silverton won with a score of 6 to 2. Orville Schwab of Gervais pitched the game with a torn muscle and did not know it, although it pained him when he had to "bear down." It is not serious and he will be ready to play Friday, August 9 in the state championship game at Salem.

A family dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. DeJardin with Mrs. DeJardin's sister, Mrs. C. W. Cutsforth assisting her. Their aunts, sister Winifred from Vancouver, Wash., Sister Florence, Miss Jennie Flynn and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young of Portland, and their brother, Ralph Hall of Salem, were their guests, and their own immediate families.

Coach Stewart Visits

J. Carl Stewart, athletic instructor for the Gervais high school, was in Gervais looking after school interests Monday.

Mrs. E. J. Harding and daughter, Amy Harding, have as their guest their daughter and sister, Mrs. C. S. White of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Alsop had as their guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hugil and children of Parkersville and Mrs. McLeod of Portland. Other recent guests at the Alsop home were, Mrs. Rista Nendel, and Mrs. Frank Wright and daughter of Woodburn, and Mrs. S. F. Parker of Fairfield.

ZENA PEOPLE COME TO FAMILY PICNIC

ZENA, August 7.—Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Barker and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Barker and their son Sammy accompanied by their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kluekner (Cornelia Phillips) of Portland and Krader Gould of Tillamook, motored to Salem Sunday where they joined a group of Salem relatives, namely, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Woolke and daughter, Martha Justine, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Henderson and daughter Mary Francis and the party then went to "Hager's Grove" where they enjoyed a picnic dinner, games and other diversions.

CAREY BALL PASSES AT SILVERTON HOME

SILVERTON, August 7.—Carey Ball for many years a resident of Silverton died at his home here this morning.

Until a year ago Mr. Ball was head sawyer for the Silver Falls Lumber company here. He suffered a paralytic stroke and since that time has been unable to work.

He is survived by his widow and a brother and other relatives in California. No funeral arrangements will be made until California relatives are heard from.

VISITING IN MEDFORD

SILVERTON, August 7.—Ethel Smith, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Smith of the Needlecraft shop, has gone to Medford to visit her sisters, Mrs. Beryl Jones and Miss Kathryn Smith.

Past Noble Grands Of Lodge Feted at Home in Gervais

GERVAIS, Aug. 7.—Members of the Gervais Rebekah Past Noble Grand club were guests of Mrs. Mary Sawyer Saturday evening at her home in Gervais. The business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Minnie Moore, after which the evening was spent in sewing. At the close of the evening refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Minnie Moore and Anna Dunlavy.

Members present were: Minnie Sigmond, Adolphine Harris, Ida Schwab, Minnie Moore, Florence Shields, Minnie Alsop, Jessie Coomer, Gladys Fitts, Mary Sawyer and Anna M. Dunlavy. Other guests included, Mrs. Fanny Stockton, Miss Lois Coomer, Miss Lavone Harris, Grace Shields, Merle Fitts, Albert Harris and John Coomer.

LINCOLN HOME HAS ASTORIA GUESTS

LINCOLN, August 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Ira O. Alsmen of Lincoln are entertaining at their home, Mrs. Alsmen's sister-in-law, Mrs. Roxey Hansen and her daughter, and children, Mrs. Kenneth Parker and Lenna Jane, and Edwin, all of Astoria. They arrived here Sunday and will spend the week with the Alsmen family. Tuesday the group visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brower, who reside near Salem.

Read the Classified Ads.

GERVAIS BLAZE SOON STOPPED

Grass Blaze Starts for Reason Unknown; Little Damage is Done

GERVAIS, August 7.—The ringing of the fire bell Monday noon calling the fire department to the west part of town to help subdue a grassfire, which for some unknown reason started in the dry grass back of the Colby residence. It had spread considerable before it was under control. No serious damage was done aside from a few burnt fence posts.

Neus Jelderks of Albany, visited friends and relatives in Gervais Monday. Mr. Jelderks was a former resident of Gervais having been employed in the pickle factory here, before the plant was moved to Woodburn.

Albert Stokk, relief agent for the Southern Pacific company has been working at Turner the past week relieving Mr. H. S. Bond, agent there, who is taking his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Moore entertained at dinner recently Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hart of Portland. Other recent guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hammock of South Bottom.

Chamber Officer Guest at Dallas

DALLAS, August 7.—Leonard E. Reed, assistant manager of the western division of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States will be a guest of the directors and past presidents of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce at a lunch-

WHEAT AT 53 BUSHEL'S

Heavy Crop Reported at Zena District EDWARDS CROP IS BEST

ZENA, August 7.—The steady hum of threshing machines can be heard throughout the valley from early in the morning until nightfall. T. J. Merrick started threshing on his own farm Monday and after finishing there started

threshing on nearby farms. W. R. Edwards has the best crop of wheat reported so far, running 53 bushels to the acre, machine measure. This is an unusually good yield. The Campbell, Crawford and Henry threshers are now busy here also.

This is the first visit of Mr. Reed to Dallas, and the meeting is arranged in order that he may become acquainted with directors of the chamber of commerce activities.

RETA WALLING COLE BURIED AT AMITY

AMITY, August 7.—Reta Walling was born in Amity, Oregon, March 15, 1898, and died in the hospital at Ashland, Oregon, August 2, 1929, at the age of 33 years, 4 months and 17 days. She was the daughter of John W. and Lottie M. Walling, both of whom belong to old pioneer families.

She was raised in Amity and educated in the schools of this city and on her 18th birthday was united in marriage to Harry Lloyd Cole, to this union were born two children, Jack and Betty Jean.

In 1921 she met with a very serious train accident near La Grande in which her son Jack and her mother were killed and she was seriously injured, and it is thought that the effects of this in-

jury brought on her early death, as she never was in perfect health since. The past five months she has been in a hospital and while a sufferer all this time she always retained her sunny cheerful disposition and pleasant smile. She was a member of the Christian church of Amity which she joined in 1909 and has always been a faithful and consistent member.

Surviving her is her husband, Lloyd Cole, the daughter, Betty Jean, one brother, Norman Walling, of Colone, Panama, and her father, John W. Walling of Amity. Funeral services were held in the Christian church, Sunday afternoon. It was conducted by Rev. K. H. Sienkoff, of Newberg, an old friend of the family, and interment was made in the cemetery at Amity. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Ladd's Funeral home. The funeral was one of the largest in the history of the community. The floral offerings were very numerous and beautiful.

RETURNS FROM SCHOOL

SILVERTON, August 7.—Miss Muriel Benton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudd Benton of Benton Groceries, has returned from summer school at San Jose, California. Miss Benton taught in the Silverton Hills district last winter.

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