

JOHNSON - BROWN WIN GARDEN MEET

Silverton Gardens Vie for
Prizes for Beauty and
Improvement

SILVERTON, October 5.—Bernard Johnson won first place in the class where all the work was done by the individual or family in the garden contest held at Silverton this past summer.

Judges decision was announced Thursday. Frank Coffman won second with John Larson third, Ralph Benton, fourth; Oscar Crowder fifth, Frank Leslie sixth, Mrs. D. McCleary, seventh; Mrs. E. L. Reison, eighth; Herman Naegell, ninth; Mrs. George Towe, tenth; Mrs. J. O. Wilson, 11th; Mrs. Theodore Opsund, 12th; J. L. Whitlock, 13th; Mrs. C. Plank, 14th; Mrs. L. C. Allen, 15th; Harbo Thompson, 16th.

In the second group which included those who had outside assistance in improving their lawn, P. L. Brown won first; Mrs. A. E. Jenz, second; H. Good, third; Dr. William MacNeil, fourth; Mrs. W. L. McGinnis, fifth; W. S. Jack, sixth; W. N. Arbutnot, seventh. The judges were Rholin Cooley, Virgil Krusky and Clarence Reed. There were 50 contestants in all.

JEFFERSON HIGH ELECTS OFFICERS

JEFFERSON, October 5.—A meeting of the Jefferson high school student body was held at the school house September 26 for the purpose of electing officers.

Those elected were Pres. Betty Aupperle; vice pres., Charles Smith; secretary, Andy Fiedman; treasurer, Mary Louise Fontaine; athletic manager, Donald Boyer.

After the student body meeting classes met for election of officers: seniors elected, president, Charles Smith; vice president, Lauren Farlow; secretary treasurer, Betty Aupperle; class advisor, Professor Bennett.

The juniors: president, Elda Wintermantle; vice president, John Kihis; secretary treasurer, Kreta Calavan; class advisor, Miss Bolderston.

Sophomores: president, Margaret Goin; vice president, Alice Harris; secretary treasurer, Helene Weddie; class advisor, Mr. Windell.

The freshman: president, Eloise Matthews; vice president, Kenneth Selp; secretary, Ruth Rockhill; treasurer, Cecelia Robinson; class advisor, Miss Bolderston.

**Joy Riders Wreck
Car Belonging to
Carl Gerlinger**

DALLAS, Oct. 5.—The large Studebaker sedan belonging to Carl Gerlinger of the Dallas Machine and Locomotive works was badly damaged in an accident which occurred about 10:30 on Thursday evening, in or near West Salem.

According to report, Paul Parsons, who has been working at the Gerlinger pruning orchard west of Dallas, had been sent with the car to a local garage to have it cleaned, three other young fellows who have also been working in the orchard and camping in the vicinity joined him, and they decided to go for a ride.

Whether excessive speed or other reasons caused the accident has not been determined, but the car crashed into a telephone pole near West Salem, snapping the pole in two, and practically making a wreck of the car. Mr. Gerlinger has not taken any action in the matter so far.

Dallas Kiwanis Have Father and Son Luncheon

DALLAS, Oct. 5.—The Kiwanis program for Friday noon was in charge of N. L. Gurr. It being a father and son affair.

O. D. Peterson, pastor of the Christian church, was the speaker, using for his subject, "Boys Will Be Men." Rev. Peterson took issue with the old statement that boys will be boys, stating that the saying of the so-called "wild oats" is no more necessary than

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Unique Luncheon Plan Proves Successful at the Dallas Chamber Commerce

By MADALENE L. CALLIN

On several occasions during the past few months I have been in the office of the chamber of commerce in Dallas, and each time have found preparations being made to serve luncheon. Since the club does not have regular quarters for serving luncheons, questions were in order.

According to the secretary, Mrs. Lillian Bilyeu, the problem of getting members out for committee or directors meetings, or when an unexpected matter came up that required immediate action it was found almost impossible to call the members together during business hours or in the evening, and with the discontinuance of forum luncheons the matter became one of concern in the transacting of routine business.

At the suggestion of R. S. Kreson, president of the chamber in 1928, the plan of a buffet luncheon was tried out, everyone serving themselves. The plan was found to be successful in getting the committees or directors together during the noon hour, without loss of time to them from their business and also keeping the business of the organization up to date.

This year the club purchased dishes, silver, an electric plate and other supplies, a local woman has been secured to prepare sandwiches, salad, sometimes a desert or a hot dish, which is brought to the club room just before noon. The secretary sets the long reading table in the office, makes the coffee and serves the members when they arrive the matters requiring attention are gone over, and everyone goes back to their office by 1 o'clock. The cleaning woman comes in and clears up afterwards.

A definite amount of sickness. That the boys should not be allowed to handicap the men they are to be for lack of needed guidance, it is just as criminal to withhold assistance to them in deciding their life vocation as to deny them healthful food.

The trophies selected by the committee for the outstanding workers in the boys' and girls' clubs will be presented at the next meeting.

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Lack of a place giving privacy and inability of holding scheduled meetings in the evenings has brought about this plan in Dallas, which is one any organization



Mrs. Lillian Bilyeu, Secretary of Dallas chamber of commerce

could readily adapt to a like situation. Directors meet from two to three times a month, and special luncheons are arranged when the need arises.

Dallas has long had a unique reputation in chamber of commerce work in the state, since they have probably had more women for secretaries than any other like organization. Mrs. Winnie Braden has been perhaps the best known for her work, as she handled the exhibits for Polk county at the state fair, land products show and others, many of them being awarded the sweepstakes over all entries. The present secretary is Mrs. Charles N. Bilyeu, who occupied the same position some 10 years ago.

One service that has been rendered by the chamber of commerce to the people of the community has been that of employment, especially during the prune harvest, an effort being made to care for the supply and demand. More than 100 have been placed during the past few weeks. Office and telephone calls have averaged one every five minutes throughout that period.

OFFICERS AT DALLAS LEGION INSTALLED

DALLAS, Oct. 5.—Newly elected officers of the Carl B. Fenton post of the American Legion were installed by H. G. "Fod" Malson of Salem Thursday evening. A pot luck supper provided by the auxiliary preceded the meeting.

Officers of the post for the ensuing year are: Jack Eakin, commander; J. R. Beck, first vice commander; Oscar Groves, second vice commander; John Cerny, adjutant; Carl Davis, sergeant-at-arms; Laird Woods, treasurer; Clyde Gibbs, chaplain; F. V. Van Nys, and Penn C. Crum, members of the executive committee. The post meets the first and third Thursdays in each month, and has quarters in the national guard armory.

Airlie Baby Ill At Independence

AIRLIE, October 5.—Bobby Williamson, five year old son of Frank Williamson, took seriously ill with appendicitis Monday. He was taken to Dr. Knott at Independence, who operated on him immediately.

Bobby is in the Independence hospital under the care of Mrs. Davis and is reported as recovering quite satisfactorily. Bobby makes his home with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Wil-

liamson while his father is employed at Holts camp near Hoskins. Bobby is enjoying a visit this week with his father as Mr. Williamson had his foot injured last week and it will be some time before he can return to work.

First Quartely Conference Held At Hazel Green

HAZEL GREEN, October 4.—Rev. F. W. Pontius of Vancouver, Wash., held the first quarterly conference of this year, the new year for church beginning October 1, following the recent annual conference at Spokane, Wash. Rev. Pontius is superintendent of the Oregon conference of United Brethren church, Washington is included in this division.

The general conference that met in May, has outlined an extensive program of Christian education, and evangelism. Bishop Warner gave the local churches many splendid plans for Sunday school and Christian Endeavor work. The church will join in keeping the 1930th anniversary of Pentecost.

Among the changes made by the general conference in rules governing the local churches is the manner of electing trustees. Those on the board of trustees receiving largest and next largest number of votes hold office for two and one years, then another elected. A new one elected each year by the quarterly conference. G. G. Looney, C. A. Van Cleave and Lester Van Cleave were elected. Mrs. C. A. Van Cleave was elected steward.

BOYS AND MATCHES PROVE BAD MIXTURE

NORTH SANTIAM, October 5.—What might have been a disastrous fire here Tuesday was started by two small boys as they started home from school. They were playing with matches.

The dry grass along the roadside caught fire and spread into a fence row. It was getting quite close to the school house when the teacher sent a call for help to F. J. Parkers where most of the men in the neighborhood were at work, putting up ensilage.

The men rushed to the school house and soon had the fire under control.

MONMOUTH LEGION NAMES OFFICERS

MONMOUTH, October 5.—Monmouth post number 65 of American Legion has chosen as officers for 1930: L. B. Howard, commander; M. A. Young, vice-commander; Clarence G. Stem, adjutant; Charles Alwater, James Tilton, Clarence Grund, J. F. Santee, and Walter L. Smith, executive committee; L. L. Dally, chaplain; C. M. McGregor, finance officer; Herbert Thurston, historian; and Oscar Zook, sergeant at arms. Elected auxiliary officers were:

BRUSH FIRE CALLS OUT NEIGHBORHOOD

ZENA, October 5.—Frank McLench of Lincoln has come to the conclusion that starting a fire in a patch of dry Canadian thistles without taking proper precautions is costly business.

Sunday he started a fire and then went off and left it to its own devices. As a consequence most of his neighbors were kept busy fighting the fire which soon spread to a nearby woods and burned over 25 acres of bottom land along the Willamette river before being checked.

HEALTH ASSOCIATION GOES TO SILVERTON

SILVERTON, October 5.—A meeting of the Marion County Health association will be held at Silverton on Thursday, October 10. Representatives from the other health units in the county will be present and regular business attended to. The gathering will

include the chairman of each health center, also the nurse of that district and any others who are interested. Representatives are expected from Mill City, Scotts Mills, Mt. Angel, Woodburn, Aurora, Salem and Turner. A picnic lunch will be served at 12:30, the local committee furnishing free coffee.

ZENA, October 5.—Twelve students from the Zena district are attending the Salem high school this year; namely Frank Crawford Jr., Kenneth Hunt, A. G. Worthington, Gertrude Johnson, Julia Shepard, Verna Smith, Harold French, Jesse Walling, Jr., Lowell Purvine, Marjorie Walling, David Shepard and James Shepard. The route taken by the high school bus leads past the homes of all but one or two of the passengers.

A "No Trespassing" or "No Hunting" sign may save you much loss through property damage. These signs are for sale at The Statesman office.

Finds a Way to Stop Attacks of Fits

Reports are received of an amazing treatment that epileptics state has proved successful in stopping their attacks. R. Lepso, Apt. 63, Island Ave., Milwaukee, Wis., has been supplying sufferers with this treatment. He now wishes to reach all those who have not been helped and to do so is making the startling offer of a generous treatment free to all sufferers. Any one afflicted should write for this free treatment at once, giving age.—Ad.

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