

JOSEPH MAKES SOME INROADS

Portland Man Believed Gaining Support From Dissatisfied Ones

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attack on the rate increase. Senator Harry L. Corbett has had a busy week and with his pleasant personality has doubtless added many friends to his camp of loyal supporters. Speaking in Salem, North Bend, Coquille, Medford, Toledo and Corvallis he has been well received.

Governor Al Norblad has received some editorial criticism the past week for his continued activity in the Astoria bank case. Counteracting this unfavorable report is the result of some straw votes taken in the state showing him to be the leading candidate at this stage of the game. The same straw votes are disconcerting in that they indicate a better than 50 per cent undecided vote, enough to swing the election in most any direction should a real issue arise.

Hall's Supporters Claim He'll Win

With Ben Morris, Senator Charles Hall's hustling campaign manager announcing a Hall victory as a certainty, and the withdrawal of T. W. Gillard from the district attorney race in Multnomah county with the avowed purpose of assisting Charles Hall in his campaign, the senator from Coos county seems to be coming into a more formidable position in the race. Senator Hall has had an active week speaking several times developing his slogan of "Industrialize Oregon."

Bennett and Jeffries the other two Multnomah county candidates are constantly on the alert for additional converts to their cause.

Local and county politics have been even more quiet than the statewide campaign. A number of candidates for county offices fraternized with the sportsmen at the annual banquet of the Marion county Game Protective association and lost no opportunity to show their friendliness to the sportsmen's cause.

Mott's Legislative Record is Observed

A noticeable impression was created on this occasion by James W. Mott when his record of legislation introduced in behalf of game fish was outlined.

On the same evening organized labor was engaged in frank discussion of various candidates past records for or against legislation supported by the unions. Ben T. Osborne, executive secretary of the state federation of labor, urged his listeners at the Salem Trades and Labor council meeting to study this question carefully.

When specific candidates were mentioned, it is reported, Mr. Mott was declared to have stood 100 per cent for labor legislation and Ivan Martin was described as worthy of support, being affiliated with organized labor, although he had once voted against free text-book bill. Mark A. Poulson was also approved, but W. Carlton Smith was described as a consistent opponent of labor and Senator Sam Brown, according to Mr. Osborne, "is honest but has never been able to see the labor program."

The speaker urged support for M. Clifford Moynihan, an active worker in labor circles, in his race for justice of the peace, while E. A. Rhoten was criticized for his votes in the city council against the "home labor" ordinance.

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Jefferson Loses To Independence

JEFFERSON, April 12.—(Special)—Scoring eight runs in the ninth inning, the Independence high school baseball team defeated the Jefferson high team here 10 to 9 Friday. Jefferson was ahead 4 to 2 when that inning opened. After Independence staged its rally, Jefferson also came to life and pounded the ball for five runs in the last half of the ninth, falling one run short of tying the score. Batteries were Nys and Pate for Jefferson, Eddy and Harding for Independence.

WOMAN SAYS SHE'S HIGHWAY SPEEDER

While prohibition officers were eagerly awaiting the arrival in justice court here of the owner of the mysterious big green touring car in hope that they would recognize a person connected with a liquor manufacturing outfit, a slender young woman of about 28 years of age, stepped in the courtroom and pleaded guilty to a charge of speeding in the machine. She was fined \$75, which she promptly paid.

One night last week State Traffic Officer Mulkey gave chase after the big car and for two hours followed it about numerous country roads in Clackamas. The machine was finally abandoned in a farmer's yard near Molalla. In the rear compartment of the car was an assortment of empty kegs, gallon jugs and about 75 pounds of dry yeast.

The car was brought to Salem and held for its owner. Thursday an attorney attempted to get the machine and wanted to enter a plea of guilty for the mystery driver but it was ruled here that a plea of guilt must be entered by the defendant in person. Friday afternoon the mystery driver was scheduled to appear but a long distance call from Portland informed the officials here that the driver could not be here until Saturday morning.

Then when Saturday morning came and when the officers were all ready to "size up" the guilty party, she made no comment on the wild race and gave her name as Glad Holmes, 82nd street, Portland.

BIG LEAGUE CLUBS TO PLAY THIS WEEK

NEW YORK, April 12.—(AP)—Washington and Boston will beat the gun in the opening of the major league baseball season with a start at the capital Monday where President Hoover will throw out the first ball. The other American league clubs and all the National league entries will follow Tuesday. The line-up: Monday, April 14, at Washington: Senators vs. Red Sox. Tuesday, April 15: At Philadelphia: Athletics vs. New York Yankees; at Chicago: White Sox vs. Cleveland Indians; at Detroit: Tigers vs. St. Louis Browns; at Boston: Red Sox vs. Washington Senators. National League — Tuesday, April 15: At New York: Giants vs. Boston Braves; at Brooklyn: Robins vs. Philadelphia Nationals; at St. Louis: Cardinals vs. Chicago Cubs; at Cincinnati: Reds vs. Pittsburgh Pirates.

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2 OF VALLEY'S TOWNS DROP

Turner's Population Reduced By Thirteen During 10 Year Period

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other, were first given to J. C. Tibbitts, but he has found that he cannot finish more than the one on which he is working.

Four districts in Polk county, in the Airle and Ballston sections, are vacant on account of the sickness and the measles of the enumerator in the first and the illness of the wife of the enumerator in the second. Mrs. Rowena B. Speer will be appointed to take one of the districts, in the Airle section. Her home is in Salem, and she is finishing the Ankeny district. Two or three other enumerators will be assigned to take the rest of the territory left to be taken by sickness.

Mr. Tibbitts will resume his work on the census of distribution and manufacturers within a few days—covering the whole of the city of Salem that is unfinished, or that will be after another enumerator in that class is done with his district.

21 KILLED IN BLAST OF MINE AT TACOMA

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are made through small triangular crosscuts, barely large enough for a man to climb through on his stomach.

Difficulty Encountered
In Bridging Corpses Out

After locating the bodies, it was necessary to move each one individually along the 50 foot crosscuts and lower them through the small manways to the next lower level and progress in this fashion until the lowest level was reached, where the victims could be placed on motor driven coal cars for transportation to the portal of the tunnel more than a mile away.

The tragedy was one of the worst in the history of the mine and though mine officials and workers carried out their work with dogged persistence it was a hopeless task for as one official said "they were all killed instantly by the blast."

A sorry procession it was, coming up the mile long dark tunnel carrying the dead human cargo that but a short time before had been brave and happy workmen just doing their day's work. Now their mates struggled up the shaft—grim, terrible tragedy had struck the men who go down in the mines.

ILLAHEE TO PLAY SILVERTON'S TEAM

SILVERTON, April 12.—The Silverton Country club golfers will play against those of the Illahee club of Salem Sunday on the Silverton course. This will be the first outside tourney of the season for Silverton. A number of others have been scheduled, however.

From the list of players in last Sunday's club tourney the team of 20 players, who will represent the local organization in games with other clubs this season were selected as follows.

Reynolds, Cunningham, Werle, Rue, Eastman, Thumberg, Currie, A. F. Eastman, Opsum, Latham, Range, Dunn, Simmons, Jarvis, Ames, Kleinsorge, Hubbs, Adams, Cowden, and McGinnis with Duncan, Dickerson, Peel, Preston, and Woodard as alternates.

The Illahee club team which will compete against the Silverton golfers today includes Frank Shafer, Foster Cone, H. H. Olinger, John Farrar, Robin Day, Brazer Small, W. J. Page, Fred Williams, E. A. Skelley, Jack Nash, Charles Cone, R. F. Wood, I. M. Doughton, O. F. Franklin, R. E. Jackson, Ross Grady, O. E. Chase, W. G. Stacey, V. E. Kuhn and Max Flannery.

A one day sweepstakes tournament will be played at the Illahee course today, open to both men and women. The men will play 18 holes and the women nine. Janice McAfee won the women's tournament Friday. M. O. L. Schwabauer took second place. In the midweek men's tournament Fred Williams took first place and T. A. Rafferty second.

REV. LUTHER DECK DIES AT VANCOUVER

Word has been received here of the death in Vancouver, Wash., early Friday of Rev. Luther B. Deck, well known in Lutheran church circles throughout Oregon. Rev. Deck was instrumental in establishing the American Lutheran church here, spending some time here in the fall of 1927 in getting it started as a mission church. The church was organized January 1, 1928.

Rev. Deck had been in Vancouver 10 years, coming west from Minnesota where he had served 10 years as mission superintendent in the synod of the northwest. Since coming to the coast he had been treasurer of the Pacific Synod of the United Lutheran church.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at St. Paul's English Lutheran church at Vancouver. Rev. and Mrs. P. W. Eriksen and family of the American Lutheran church here expect to attend.

BAND CONTEST WON BY JEFFERSON HIGH

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Medford, twice winner in former contests, took third place today with a score of 85.75. The next three in order were Grant of Portland, Ashland and La Grande. Roosevelt of Portland scored 83.39 against 82 for West Linn to win the class B championship. Ben was third with 80.55.

The Seaside girls' band of 22 pieces ran away with the class C competition with five points to spare over Estacada. This is Seaside's third year in the contest and Estacada's first. Hood River, another newcomer, was third.

First and second place winners in all three classes may enter the national meet in Flint, Mich., in May.

Judges were C. A. Waddingham, Longview; W. R. Beatty, Vancouver; and Sergeant Donald Wagner, Vancouver barracks.

MT. ANGEL PUPILS END 4-H PROJECTS

For the sixth consecutive year, every boy and girl enrolled in 4-H club work in the Mt. Angel school has finished the projects, reports William W. Fox, county club supervisor who visited that school Friday on occasion of the club's achievement day program.

The five clubs organized up to this time, camp cookery, bachelor sewing, health club, and two sewing clubs, made hundred percent completions. Members in these clubs number 72. Much of the credit for the excellent record made in this school has been due to Miss Theresa Dehler, who has promoted the work each year; the principal, Mrs. Margaret Ritchie; and the two other teachers, Miss Gladys McKee and Miss Rose Hanning.

Many parents and also students from the academy and normal school there attended the program Friday, numbers of which were:

Introduction, Mary Bell; club pledge, "How Do You Do?" members; darning of stockings demonstration, Marie Seifer and Constance Hanning; health play, "Teeth"; health club; demonstration, making biscuits, LeRoy Aman and Alfred Boehler; song, "Club Workers"; all members; weighing and measuring demonstration, Thersilla Barr and Virginia Kehoe; song, "The Club Trail"; all members; demonstration, making an emergency kit, Billy Brockman and Gilbert Michel; piano duet, Jean Barnum and Georgianna Boutbannals; Demonstration, making a rag rug, Anna Bigler, and Delphine Ebner; reading, "A Girl's Story," Margaret Frank; accordion solos, Helen Firemel; play, "Winning Pa"; sewing and cooking clubs; songs and yells, all members; address, W. W. Fox, county leader.

West Salem

West Salem, April 12.—The Ladies Aid is making plans for a pre-Easter Japanese silver tea to be held in the Community hall Wednesday afternoon April 16. Over 100 invitations have been sent to ladies of this and nearby communities. Various ladies organizations have been invited. A splendid program is being arranged. This is expected to be the largest and best silver tea of the year. All ladies of the community are cordially invited.

In the volleyball games Monday night, West Salem won four games and lost one to Turner. The West Salem team will play a return series at Turner Tuesday evening, April 15.

A group from the Salvation Army led the mid-week service Wednesday evening with Ensign Williams speaking. Before the service these good people marched through the streets singing and inviting the residents of West Salem to the meeting. All who were present enjoyed their coming.

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Chiang wrote a \$6 check just as he had seen many another man do and cashed it—with no money in the bank. Informed by the court of his crime, he made restitution and the merchant who cashed the check withdrew prosecution.

"Honorable judge," pleaded Chiang, "I come from a venerable and honorable family. Demand you punish me some way for the wrong I have done. Only liars and scoundrels fear punishment. I am neither."

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FIRST OF NAMES ON PETITIONS, REPORT

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were being circulated by 12 volunteers and in addition, sheets were in the hands of a number of other persons, notably the officers of the Hollywood community club which sponsored the initiative campaign.

Attached to each petition sheet is a copy of the proposed charter amendment, the title of which reads as follows: Specific Purpose Of Petition Told

"An act to amend the charter of the city of Salem, Oregon, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as and designated 'section 90,' authorizing, empowering and directing said city to acquire all physical properties whatsoever used, and capable of being used, in procuring and distributing water in and about said city, of and by Oregon-Washington Water Service company, a corporation, or its successors or assigns, by voluntary sale and purchase, following an appraisal and evaluation thereof, to be made as therein provided, or if not so possible, then by condemnation as therein provided; providing for the creation of a commission to govern, operate and maintain such waterworks and system so acquired, and authorizing and empowering said city, to issue and sell the negotiable bonds of said city in the total sum of not more than One Million Two Hundred Thousand dollars (\$1,200,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary for such purpose, and to expend the proceeds thereof in effecting the intent and purposes of this act."

Sheehan Charged As Drunken Driver

J. Sheehan, 148 North Commercial street, was arrested Saturday night by local police on a charge of driving while intoxicated, after his automobile had hurdled curb and sidewalk and turned over on a private lawn at 24th and Center streets. Lawrence Smith, a passenger with Sheehan, was held for investigation.

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LONDON NAVAL PACT IS PUT INTO WRITING

LONDON, April 12.—(AP)—The London naval treaty, which in large measure will eliminate world competition in naval building for the next five years, today began to take shape in definite written form.

A draft was rushed into shape by the drafting and expert com-



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Insurance Agents To Meet Monday

The Oregon Insurance Agents' union will meet in Salem Monday and Tuesday, with members present from a majority of the cities in the state. Sessions will occupy mornings, afternoons and evenings of the two days, and will be held in the Salem chamber of commerce rooms. Homer H. Smith is in charge of arrangements.

The committee assigned to the work of drafting labored at their task all through the day and into the night. They were aided by special treaty experts under Sir Maurice Hankey, secretary-general of the conference.

The experts waited outside the committee's room in St. James's palace ready at a moment's notice to furnish advice on the precise wording of any doubtful clause.

All outstanding points in the various technical reports were approved this afternoon by the first committee of the conference and will be presented at the formal plenary session on Monday.

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