

SIX TEACHERS ARE ADDED TO SALEM STAFF

Few Shifts Made in Local School Situation at Board Session

Head of Machine Shop Cut To Ten Months Basis By Directors

Six new teachers were hired, and contracts of all but two now on the faculty definitely settled for the next year at the regular school board meeting held last night.

E. E. Bergman, head of the machine shop, was put on a 10-months' basis, which means a \$400 a year reduction in salary; and the salary of Merritt Davis, head of the commercial department, was reduced by \$200, inasmuch as he no longer keeps the student body books for which work this sum was added a few years ago. Albert DeWalt, now student body auditor, was given a \$200 raise. A few other minor adjustments were made. Resignations of 18 teachers have been accepted.

Status of Luke S. Gill and Hollis Huntington of the high school physical education department was tabled until a further date.

The new teachers elected last night are: E. K. Derry, now director of the home and biology teacher at Klamath Falls, who will have the duties here at a salary of \$1,700; Gertrude Shuler, now substitute at the high and junior high and a Willamette graduate of some years back, with a salary of \$180; Harold Hawk, Willamette graduate this year, with a salary of \$180; Vilet T. Swanson, Corvallis teacher of penmanship and spelling, salary, \$140; Lillian E. Mervin, Willamette graduate, with a salary of \$140; Vilet T. Swanson, Corvallis teacher of penmanship and spelling, salary, \$140; Ruth B. Taylor, Astoria teacher, grades, \$110; Cecilia Mielke of Salem, grades, \$110.

Teachers retained are:
High school: Fred Wolf, principal; E. K. Derry, E. R. Baizer, Carmelita Barquist, E. E. Bergman, Ruth B. Taylor, Margaret Burroughs, Myrtice Christensen, Mildred Christensen, Ola Clark, Enla S. Crouch, Lillian E. Mervin, Vilet T. Swanson, Albert DeWalt, U. S. Dutton, Mary Lynn Ferguson, Ellen Fisher, Katharine Lina Heist, Grace H. Hays, G. W. Harris, Beryl Holt, Lella Johnson, Marie McInley, Eklawana Murton, J. C. Nelson, John Philpott, E. B. Snyder, F. L. Helen Richards, Pauline Rickli, Mabel Robertson, E. D. Roseman, Ada Ross, Leah Ross, Mary B. Saylor, Fred E. Siegmond, Gertrude R. Smith, Mary S. Smith, Ruth Smith, Lena Belle Taylor, E. T. Tanner, Muriel Wilson, Grace S. Wolgast, etc.

Clever Manipulation Of Petitions In O-W Firm's Propaganda Now Charged

Youthful Players Are Placed Upon Davis Cup Team

CROWD GATHERS AT MOCK LEGISLATURE

Warm Argument Exchanged By Women in Session Last Night

PHILADELPHIA, May 13 (AP)—George M. Lott of Chicago and John Van Ryn, East Orange, N. J., will play No. 1 and No. 2 respectively, in singles, and Wilmer Allison, Austin, Texas, and Van Ryn will be paired in the doubles for the United States in the first American zone Davis cup tennis tilt against Canada at the Philadelphia Country club, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Members of the Hollywood Progressive Community club stated at their meeting Tuesday night they had information that the company was planning to supplement its series of broadcasts in the advertising columns of the newspapers, and reprints of those advertisements mailed to all of its patrons, with a folder which would contain arguments advanced by several prominent citizens against the purchase of the water system at this time.

Clever wording of Propaganda Cited

They further asserted that the company's folder would contain a reprint of the petition signed by 134 business men sometime ago asking the city council not to place on the ballot the \$7000 bond issue proposal for an appraisal of the water system.

The water company's propaganda will be so worded, one member of the club charged, as to make it appear that the petition opposed the present bond measure, when in fact it was directed against an entirely different proposal.

He added that one firm whose name appears on the petition in question, later circulated a petition to place the municipal ownership charter amendment on the ballot, and two individuals whose names appear thereon, signed the initiative petition, indicating that they were opposed to the \$7000 bond issue which would be required by taxation, but favored the purchase of the water plant since it would be self-supporting.

High Pressure Methods
Declared Resorted to

Mention was also made of the attempt to influence employees of the Valley Motor company to vote against the water measure.

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Signatures of 134 Business Men on Previous List Printed to Give Impression of Op- position to Present Purchase

COUNCIL MATERIAL FOUND PLENTIFUL

Wealth of Candidates Avail- able For Selection as City Dads Here

Council Lineup

First ward—V. E. Kuhn unopposed.
Second ward—S. A. Hughes and F. G. Delano.
Third ward—Walter H. Smith and F. E. Needham.
Fourth ward—Four year term, S. E. Purvine and L. G. Bugin. Two year term, George W. Averett unopposed.
Fifth ward—Four year term, David O'Hara unopposed. Two year term, F. L. Wilkinson and H. W. Elgin.
Sixth ward—Watson Townsend and E. B. Perrine.
Seventh ward—Four year term, Dr. O. A. Olson and E. V. McMahon. Two year term, E. A. Rhoten and Paul R. Hendricks.

The contest for city council seats this year is unusually extensive, because of the numerous vacancies caused by resignations and deaths in the past two years which were filled by election within the council, those elected serving only until the next popular vote. As a result, there are ten places to be filled instead of the normal seven. Seventeen candidates are seeking these ten places. Personalities more than issues count in the aldermanic race, since votes are cast within the confines of wards in which the candidates are well known. The candidates have done little public campaigning, but according to reports have been extremely busy with personal solicitation for votes and their friends have been even more active.

Herewith are presented brief statements containing information about candidates for Salem's city council, and their views on matters which the council may have before it for consideration in the coming two years. Not all of the candidates availed themselves of this opportunity to acquaint the voters with their personalities and opinions.

S. A. Hughes, Second Ward
A resident of Salem since 1894, Mr. Hughes has been engaged in (Turn to page 2, col. 1)

LOOPHOLE IN DRY STATUTE IS ADMITTED

Present Law May Not Prohibit Making Home Brew Says Prohi Chief

"Not 100 Per Cent Perfect Yet" Declares McBride At Prohi Probe

By JAMES W. DOUTHAT
Associated Press Staff Writer
WASHINGTON, May 13—(AP)—The opinion that under certain conditions liquor can be made in the home without violating the prohibition laws was expressed today before the senate judiciary committee by F. Scott McBride, general superintendent of the anti-saloon league.

The statement was made in response to questions by Chairman Caraway of the committee concerning a speech delivered recently in the house by Rep. Fort, republican, New Jersey. McBride quoted Fort as saying "the law permitted the making of liquor in the home."

"You don't agree with his interpretation?" Caraway asked.

"We think that was a very good speech that he made, as a whole," the witness replied. "That is his interpretation. I think probably he is right."

Imperfections Exist in Law Declares McBride

"Do you think that ought to be the law?" Caraway demanded.

"The law is not 100 per cent perfect yet," McBride said.

The examination of McBride took this tack when Caraway questioned him about a resolution recently adopted by the New Jersey anti-saloon league which said the drys were going to do their best to have a candidate in the republican senatorial primary for whom they could conscientiously vote.

"If that got in Dwight Morrow's way it wasn't our fault," he asserted.

The reference was to Dwight W. Morrow, ambassador to Mexico, who is a candidate for the republican senatorial nomination from New Jersey. His views on prohibition have not been announced.

Japanese Girls Stop in Salem on Good Will Tour of United States



Left to right: Misses Y. Sato, K. Nakanuma, S. Tokuda; Mr. Hidesaburo, Yokohama. Members of party of goodwill from Japan to the United States.

Japanese Maidens Visit Cherry City

Good Will Delegates From Land of Cherry Blossoms Bring Good Wishes to Salem in Brief Stop Here Yesterday Morning

THREE of the four Japanese maids who have been touring the United States on a mission of good will stopped in Salem yesterday morning long enough to greet those who gathered at the railway station. They were bound on the Shasta for San Francisco whence they will sail for their homeland. The three who were in the party were Misses Y. Sato, S. Tokuda, and K. Nakanuma. They were accompanied by Hidesaburo Yokoyama, secretary of the Japanese people's mission of gratitude to the United States organized by the Jiji Shimpo, of which he is the editor. The purpose of their visit has been to express the gratitude of the Japanese people to the Americans for the relief extended following the earthquake and fire in their home country in 1923.

The three girls very graciously posed for photographs. They were dressed in colorful native costumes. Greeting them here were Rev. Niwa and other members of the Japanese colony of Salem. The local Japanese association presented the girls with a basket of confections and Mrs. B. F. Franklin gave the girls a copy of her sister's "Brotherhood in Browning" and her own "Stevenson in Monterey" for Tokyo university as a memorial of the visit of the girls to this country. A large delegation from Willamette headed by Professors L. E. and L. P. Campbell greeted the party, and Willamette girls took pleasure in welcoming them.

The fourth member of the party, Miss K. Acino, remained in Portland for a longer visit with her brother, Consul Hiroshi Acino. The girls were much feted in Portland as well as everywhere else in the country where they have stopped. They called on President and Mrs. Hoover and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge.

Women's Gathering Launched

Session Gets Down to Business After Opening

Report Places Mem- bership Total at 7,638

The first session of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs opened Tuesday morning in the house of representatives with approximately 200 women present. Mrs. G. J. Frankel and Mrs. George T. Cochran presided.

The house looked for all the world like a real session of the legislature. Each representative's chair was occupied and two and three delegates were grouped around each desk. The name of the club represented was arranged on the back of the chairs in each section. Business like, poised and alert, sat down on the platform each woman speaking made absolute proof that so far as procedure and direct accomplishment was concerned, there was no difference between the women who occupied the house and the worthy representatives when they sit in august session.

The report of Mrs. Charles N. Bilyeu, recording secretary of the federation, gave 7,638 as the total membership of the federated clubs of Oregon and the number of clubs in the federation as 144. Total dues paid by this group is \$1,992.25. Under the system of division of the federation, adopted at the last convention, there are five districts in which there are 72 clubs; two county federations of 36 clubs; three city federations of 107 clubs. Seven more clubs have been admitted during the last year and according to the report of Mrs. C. O. Long, extension chairman, given Tuesday afternoon, there are at present 153 inquiries from clubs wishing to join the federation.

12,000 CHILDREN DECLARED IN NEED

There are 12,000 children in Oregon, who do not have the support of a home, according to Miss Louise Cottrell, director of the Oregon state child welfare commission, who spoke before the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs in the house of representatives Tuesday morning. Of these, 75 per cent have both parents living, and one five percent are whole orphans.

This condition is becoming worse according to Miss Cottrell for the number of children in institutions is increasing. The attributes to home condition which may be going to wreck because of family desertion, home standards, ill health, poverty, and all these causes, said she, may be found in the rural community, or the town just as quickly as in the city. Because of this, Miss Cottrell asked the members of the federation to look closely to their own individual communities and see if there was not something that could be done to improve the welfare of the children in their community.

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MEMORIAL PROGRAM PLANNED FOR CITY

Coming Event Discussed by Legionnaires at Meet Tuesday Night

Plans for the Memorial day program and the American Legion's part in it were discussed at Tuesday night's meeting of Capital Post No. 9. It was announced that Col. Carl Abrams would be grand marshal of the day, Col. Thomas Riley, chief of parade and L. P. Campbell executive officer.

A drawing of the plaque which is to be placed prior to Memorial Day in memory of Clifford W. Brown was exhibited at the meeting by Brazier C. Small.

Members of the Boy Scout troop No. 9, a group recently organized under the sponsorship of the legion post, were introduced.

Much of the evening's discussion was given over to the motion picture which will be produced by Dagmar Pictures under the auspices of the legion post. It was announced that headquarters for the production had been established in the Oregon building, and that persons interested in appearing in the picture should apply there. Jack Sherry, a representative of the Dagmar organization, explained the plan to the membership.

A resolution requesting action by the 1931 legislative session to safeguard airways was adopted by the legionnaires.

ANOTHER LANDMARK DESTINED TO PASS

Evangelical Church Will Be Replaced by Service Station, Word

Final details of transfer of the large lot at the corner of North Liberty and Center streets owned by the Evangelical church to the General Petroleum corporation will be completed here today, following receipt of word yesterday by D. C. Brees, district manager here, that the corporation will exercise its 30-day option on the site. The option expires today. The deal is among the largest reported here in some time, the corporation paying \$35,000 for the property. The transaction was handled by J. F. Ulrich, local realtor.

The church building and parsonage which now stands on the lot will be moved within the next 30 days, according to the agreement, and immediately after that the new owners will start erection of a service station. The lot is about 88 feet on the Liberty street side and extends about 100 feet along Center.

At the present time, no deal has been made for the church, however it will be moved off the property immediately, as will the large parsonage which is next to the church on Center.

With sale of the church property, the Evangelical church will now face consideration of final plans to construct a new edifice on its building site on the corner of Summer and Marion purchased a year ago from George Waters. The church has had building plans under advisement for since before purchase of the old Waters property, but no definite move was contemplated until the present church property can be disposed of. The church had already had remodeled the large residence on the Summer street property and this will be the home of the Rev. and Mrs. A. P. Layton.

MUSIC CONVENTION PLANS ANNOUNCED

The plans for the state music teachers convention which will convene in Salem June 16-17 were announced in the meeting Tuesday night of the Salem music teachers at the home of Mrs. Guy Phelps.

The sessions will be held in Waller hall of Willamette university, which has been donated to the music teachers for this convention. The Monday session will start at 9:30 a. m. and Carl G. Doney will give the address of that morning. Other speakers on the convention program will be David Scheels Craig, publisher of "Music and Musicians"; Dr. Charles Sherman, who will speak on "Psychology and the Mind"; Dr. Anderson of Oregon State college; Glen Woods of Oakland, Calif., on "Group Music"; and for a second lecture, "Music Elsewhere"; Josef Borisoff will speak on "Music in America."

Luncheon will be given both Monday and Tuesday noons; a banquet will be given Tuesday night; and a garden party is planned for Monday afternoon. Two big concerts will be given. Monday night Josef Borisoff, violinist, will play on Tuesday night, Olga Steeb, pianist of San Francisco, will play. Prof. and Mrs. T. S. Roberts will also give an afternoon recital Monday afternoon at 8 o'clock.

It is expected that between 300 and 400 people from all over Oregon will be in attendance at this convention.

FLYERS WELCOMED

RIO JANEIRO, May 13—(AP)—Three intrepid flyers who conquered distance and storms over the South Atlantic, tonight were eagerly awaited by the people of Rio Janeiro who declared a holiday in their honor.

NEW PRINCIPAL ON STAFF SAID NEEDED

Need for full time principals at both the McKinley and Lincoln schools, which are now being served by one principal, and a sixth grade at Lincoln were told the school board last night by a delegation from the McKinley-Lincoln-Leslie council of parent-teachers. Dr. B. F. Pound was spokesman. W. F. Greenwood, president of the South Salem parent-teachers also spoke.

Dr. Pound said the delegation's request made no reflection upon the present principal, but said it was simply impossible for one person to give attention to both schools and that the schools suffered because of the fact. He paid high compliment to the work being done by Miss Dorothy Taylor, principal of the schools, and asserted that she was too hard worked and that her salary should be much larger than it is for the service she is giving.

The delegation also asked for a sixth grade, saying that there is plenty of room in the building for another grade and that there are enough pupils to warrant opening of the new grade.

The school board took the matter under advisement, however intimated that the principalship question will be settled by asking one of the teachers in each building to be in charge when the principal is at the other building. Sentiment of the board and superintendent was in favor of adding a sixth grade at Lincoln, inasmuch as there will be about 30 pupils in that grade at each school next fall.

SAMPLE BROADCAST IS GIVEN BY STAFF

An outstanding part of the Tuesday's federation convention program was the demonstration given by National broadcasting representatives who gave an exhibition broadcast of a standard symphony hour study period for school children.

Arthur Gabbert, speaking in regard to the motive back of this broadcast, said that musical education before the radio had been a matter of one or two hours a week in the life of the school child and for the fortunate few the development of specialized knowledge and appreciation of music through superior training. With the radio the whole world has a chance to develop the appreciation heretofore had only by the few if the world is properly trained.

To train the school children first and the parents second is the aim of the national broadcast. The demonstration proved both enlightening and enjoyable for some excellent numbers were presented by the N. B. trio.

CAPONE ARRESTED

MIAMI, Fla., May 13—(AP)—Al Capone was arrested here tonight by Police Chief Guy C. Reeve while a spectator at a boxing bout. The Chicago gangster was lodged in the city jail on a charge of "investigation."

Prize Winners At County Fair Heard By Kiwanians

Twenty-eight boys and girls of Marion county, winners of first and second prizes and scholarship awards at the recent county fair, were guests of the Kiwanis club yesterday noon, when the entire program was given over to them.

Theresa Racette of Butteville, holder of one of the scholarships, responded for the guests to the clubs welcome.

Speakers included H. C. Seymour, state club leader, who gave a general educational talk on club work; Miss Madge Reese, representative of the federal department of agriculture in charge of home economics and 4-H club work in 11 western states; and Miss Helen Cowling, assistant state club leader in charge of home economics.

Attending the luncheon in addition to W. W. Fox, county club

MRS. PIERCE QUITS PRESIDENTIAL RACE

The political situation in the election of officers for the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs became a bit simplified Tuesday when Mrs. Cornelia Marvin Pierce refused to be considered as a candidate for the office of president, which will be vacated by Mrs. G. J. Frankel Thursday morning.

With Mrs. Pierce out of the list of candidates the number to run in so far as indications are now evident will be two, Mrs. Charles N. Bilyeu of Dallas, and Mrs. George L. Buland of Portland. Mrs. Bilyeu whose club and public work is well known, was endorsed as the candidate from the third district at a board meeting held Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Buland, a clubwoman of long standing in both Portland and in Oregon is not making an active campaign, but her friends are busy in her behalf.

The cry seems to be quiet but insistent that the next president come not from Portland, which city has held the presidential honors for a long time.

Other political outcroppings Tuesday was the criticism of Mrs. G. J. Frankel for agreeing to report, having been a paid worker in the campaign of Governor Al W. Norblad. No resolution calling for an expression from the convention will be introduced it was maintained by those closest to the inner working of the federation activities.

SHARKEY IN TRAINING
ORANGEBURG, N. Y., May 13. (AP)—Jack Sharkey opened his training campaign today for his first heavyweight title bout with Max Baer June 13 in Yankee stadium.

TICKETS LINING UP FOR ELECTION HERE

A late forecast of proposed officers to be submitted for election Thursday morning at the election for officers for the Oregon state federation of women's clubs includes the names of Mrs. Charles Bilyeu of Dallas and Mrs. George Buland of Portland for president; Mrs. George J. Frankel of Portland for first vice president; Mrs. Charles E. Willis of Hillsboro, second vice president; Mrs. Seymour Jones, auditor; Miss Jessie McGregor of the Portland grade teachers association, treasurer.

If the proposed revision of the state federation constitution is carried the presidents of the five districts of the state will become members of the executive board. A second revision to be voted upon is that which will provide for a national secretary. If this is done the woman to be proposed for this office will be Mrs. L. C. Palmer of Newberg.