

LEGION GROUP IS ENTERTAINED

Monmouth Host to Independence Post and Auxiliary Members

INDEPENDENCE, Oct. 27. — The American Legion and auxiliary went to Monmouth Thursday evening where they were entertained by the Legion and auxiliary there. The evening was spent in cards and dancing, with refreshments served later. All reported to have spent a pleasant evening. The first meeting of the Polk county Odd Fellows visiting association met with the Fall City lodge Friday night. It was an open meeting and the Rebekahs attended, too. Those going from here were Mr. and Mrs. James Robble, Mrs. Eveline Davis, Mrs. Ellen Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Vick Seeley, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Travis and W. Frank Kelley. An invitation from the Dallas Delphians to meet with them at a luncheon October 29, was extended to the Independence Delphians which was accepted. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dixon entertained with a Halloween bridge party at their home on South Third street Friday evening. Fall flowers made the rooms attractive where four tables of bridge were in progress. High honors for the evening went to Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Foster and second high

National Grange Meeting to be the Largest in History

Rochester N. Y., is preparing for the greatest gathering of rural peoples ever held in the United States, the 64th annual reunion of the National Grange, which will meet November 12 to 27. Thousands of grange members will be there, over 12,000 are expected to take the seventh degree, which is conferred on November 14.

honors to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wiley. A dainty lunch was served at a late hour. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Mack, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker, Mr. and Mrs. H. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. S. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. R. Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Reed.

FIREMAN'S DANCE WELL ATTENDED

NT. ANGEL, Oct. 27.—Over 800 persons from all parts of Marion county attended the 15th annual firemen's dance here Thursday night. It was by far the largest dance the local firemen have ever had. Toy balloons, serpentine, whistles, and gaily colored caps, added a festive note to the occasion. The dance featured the carnival motif.

CANBY MASONS FETE GUESTS

Members From Other Lodges Entertained at Elaborate Ceremony

AURORA, Oct. 27. — Walter Grim, George Ehlen and J. W. Sadler attended a special meeting of Champeog lodge No. 27, A. F. and A. M. at Canby Saturday night, when 14 members of West Gate Lodge No. 186 of Portland visited the Canby lodge for the purpose of presenting to them the traveling trowel, which is a replica of the original trowel used by George Washington for the laying of the corner stone of the Capitol building at Washington, D. C.

The original trowel is in the archives of the Masonic Memorial, erected to the memory of George Washington at Alexandria, Virginia. Worshipful Master Brewer in behalf of West Gate made the presentation and was accepted by George Catley, worshipful master of Champeog. The trowel will next be presented by Champeog lodge to Pacific No. 56 of Salem. Late supper was served following the ceremonies. Mrs. Jane Graham of Butteville has been visiting at Moscow, Idaho and Spokane, Washington for two months. She returned to her home Saturday. Rufus M. Dinwiddie, a contractor of Longview, Washington, spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Will R. King, who is the house guest of Mrs. J. W. Sadler. Claire Miller and sister, Margaret of Portland were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Miller. William Flick, mail carrier on route 2, was poorly rewarded for his civic pride when he sustained a crushed arm while doing some cement work, in the improvement of his property. 'Bill' is taking an enforced vacation for a while.

OLIVER AGAIN HEADS S. SCHOOL GROUP

JEFFERSON, Oct. 27.—A large crowd gathered at the Christian church Sunday afternoon, for the Jefferson district Sunday school convention, with Rev. A. W. Oliver in charge. After the program, a short business session was held, during which the banners were awarded. The Friends church at Marion was awarded one banner for the largest attendance at the convention, while the other was retained by the Talbot Sunday school for the largest average attendance per quarter. The following officers were re-elected to serve during next year, president, Rev. A. W. Oliver; vice president, Dr. J. O. Van Winkle; secretary, Anna Klampe. The convention closed with prayer by Rev. Robert Smith.

JEFFERSON HAS RED CROSS CLASS

JEFFERSON, Oct. 27.—A Red Cross course is being given by the county health nurse for the sophomore, junior and senior girls of the Jefferson schools. A credit in "Health," will be given those who take this course. The county health officers were at school on Wednesday and all of the children in the grades were given a dental examination. A new flag pole has been placed on the school grounds.



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and have you *questioned* the measure
as Mr. L. B. Smith does here?

This means bonds which taxpayers must pay. How many bonds? A thousand dollars per capita? Who knows? There is no limit! What's to prevent extravagance, waste of our money, freak promotion schemes at taxpayers' expense?
L.B. Smith of the Greater Oregon Association

People's Water and Power Utility Districts Constitutional Amendment

That Article XI of the Constitution of the State of Oregon be, and the same hereby is, amended by the addition of the following section, to be known as Section 12:

Section 12. People's utility districts may be created of territory, contiguous or otherwise, within one or more counties, and may consist of an incorporated municipality, or municipalities, with or without unincorporated territory, for the purpose of supplying water for domestic and municipal purposes; for the development of water power and/or electric energy; and for the distribution, disposal and sale of water, water power and electric energy. Such districts shall be managed by boards of directors, consisting of five members, who shall be residents of such districts. Such districts shall have power:

- To call and hold elections within their respective districts.
- To levy taxes upon the taxable property of such districts.
- To issue, sell and assume evidences of indebtedness.
- To enter into contracts.
- To exercise the power of eminent domain.
- To acquire and hold real and other property necessary or incident to the business of such districts.
- To acquire, develop, and/or otherwise provide for a supply of water, water power and electric energy.

Such district may sell, distribute and/or otherwise dispose of water, water power and electric energy within or without the territory of such district.

The legislative assembly shall and the people may provide any legislation, that may be necessary, in addition to existing laws, to carry out the provisions of this section.

324 Yes. I vote for the amendment.

325 No. I vote against the amendment.

We make but one appeal to Oregon voters: Read the actual "Grange Bill," reproduced above. Read the arguments, for and against it, in your voters' pamphlet. Then make up your mind clearly from the facts rather than from political buncombe and jingoism. Pacific Northwest Public Service Co. "Pepco"