

## Silverton Has New Officials

Fireworks Expected When Appointments Come Up at Monday Session

SILVERTON, Jan. 1.—Some fireworks in local politics are expected to explode at Monday night's council meeting when new aldermen and officers are sworn in, with principal controversy expected to revolve around the issue of selections for appointive offices.

Some adherents of the group which won the November election are reported to be firmly of the opinion that "to the victors belong the spoils" although this was not the viewpoint expressed by the mayor-elect, W. H. Moffett, who said Friday morning that he wanted "to work for unity and harmony in city affairs" and further expressed the hope that he would "be permitted to do this."

He admitted that one of his "big problems" would be an endeavor to work out some parking system downtown. This, he said, could be done only with the cooperation of the Silverton business men. He elaborated by explaining that some vacant lots could be made into parking space so that rural friends and customers in the city could be adequately accommodated.

Two incumbents favored when further questions were asked, Mr. Moffett admitted that he would like to see some changes under his new power of appointment with council ratification. Two officers, however, he indicated, would not be removed. One of these is the city health officer, Dr. P. A. Loar. Mr. Moffett spoke highly of Dr. Loar's work as city health officer and also of his interest in the proposed sewage disposal plant.

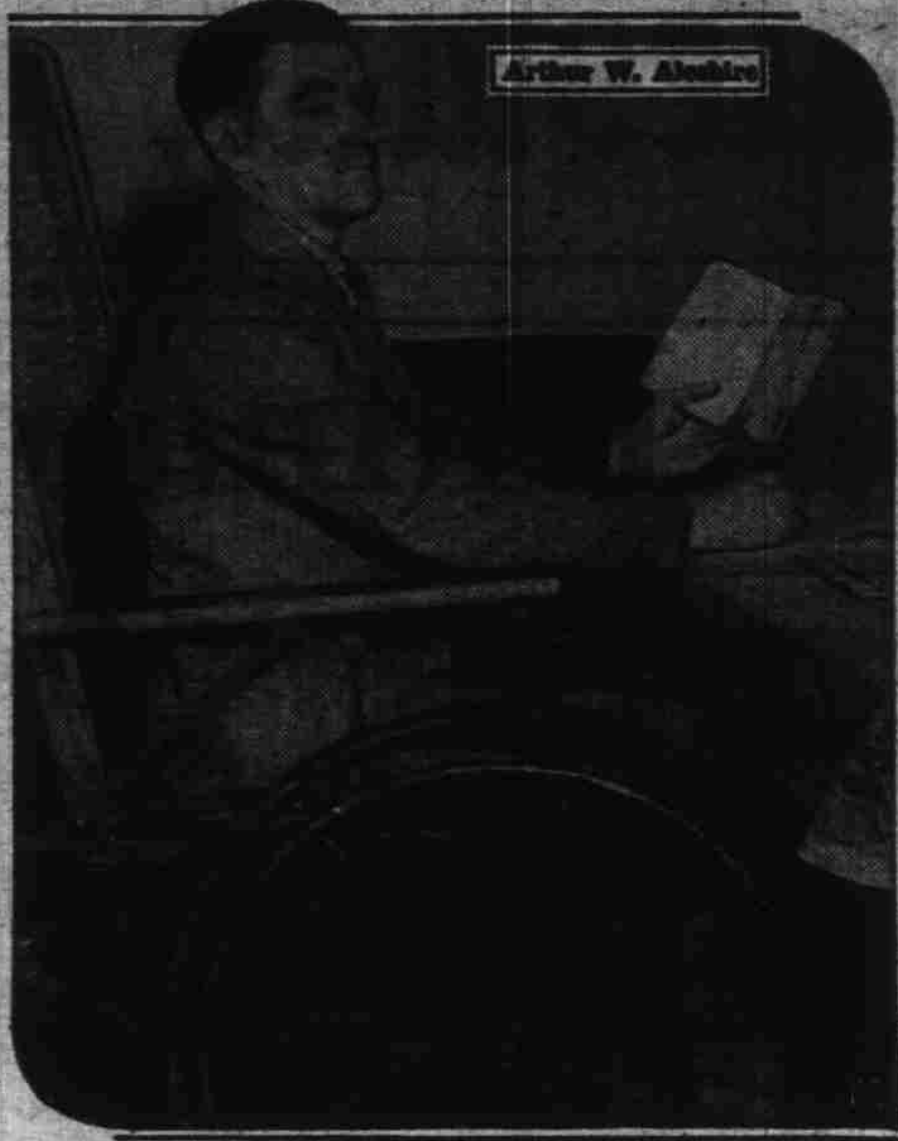
The other city officer who will not be removed, according to Mr. Moffett, is Dr. A. W. Simmons, present chairman of the city water commission. The work of Dr. Simmons, said Mr. Moffett, was highly commendable. This will leave the water commission as it is, the two members holding over being Roy Morley and Austin Eastman. The water commission has power to appoint the superintendent, a position now filled by Elgin McCleary, of whom both the commission and the incoming officers speak commendably.

New Attorney General could not deny the rumor that there would likely be a change in city attorney. Custer Ross, a resident of Silverton for many years but who moved to Salem during the past administration, is still serving as city attorney. For convenience sake said Mr. Moffett, a local attorney would likely be appointed if the council would ratify the appointment. Councilmembers interviewed indicated that they held with Mr. Moffett in this matter.

"We would like to have a member," "to have kept Mr. Ross in Silverton, but as he moved to Salem we feel that should Mr. Moffett appoint a new legal adviser we would back him up in the move."

While Mr. Moffett refused to be quoted directly on the matter of city police, it is general talk that some change or an effort at change will be made in appointing a new police chief, a position now held by Lloyd Kennedy, former night officer. The new mayor will have somewhat the doubtful favor of the recent King Edward. New appointments cannot be made without ratification of the council. Some members of the council are known to be in favor of the present police setup. One member remarked that "we are not out to see how many arrests we can make. Of course, we want enforcement of law and

## Rides Wheel Chair to Congress



Forced to campaign from a wheelchair, Arthur W. Alshouse of Springfield, O., staged a successful race for congressman from his district, and takes his place in the new congress convening next month despite a physical handicap which many would have thought insurmountable to a political career. Injuries received in an automobile accident some years ago left Alshouse paralyzed from the waist down. Despite his disability, Alshouse built up a successful gasoline station business, operating his stand from a wheelchair, and won hundreds of friends whose votes helped get him his new job as congressman.

order, but we also want people to feel welcome in the city.

Yates May Remain

The office of street commissioner, now held by L. Yates, is expected to be untampered.

Mayor-elect Moffett spoke highly of his predecessor, Mayor E. W. Garver, and expressed the hope that he would be able to carry on as successfully during the coming two years of his term as Mayor Garver had through the admittedly hard four years just gone.

John Porter, elected to city council, who has been ill during the autumn, is much improved and expects to be in attendance Monday night to take his oath of office along with Mr. Moffett and other incoming officers who include Clifford G. Rue, city treasurer; A. W. Green, newly elected councilman; C. E. Anderson, re-elected councilman, and George Custer, re-elected city recorder.

Outgoing officers are Mayor Garver, M. G. Gunderson, city treasurer; Dr. C. R. Wilson and C. A. Hande, councilmen.

## Telephone Office Sold to Bassett

Weed Control Explained to Farmers of Lyons by College Men

LYONS, Jan. 1.—At a recent meeting of the shareholders of the People's Cooperative Telephone company, it was voted to sell the central office building to S. M. Bassett for \$350. The phone office was moved to the home of the present operator a year ago and the phone office building has been leased as a dwelling house. Mr. and Mrs. Miller are living in it at present.

Floyd Mullin, Linn county agent, and Mr. Jackson, State college weed control man, were in Lyons Tuesday night to hold a meeting sponsored by the grange. Slides were shown giving the different varieties of weeds and how to destroy them. Statistics on weed control, methods and preparations used were explained by the college expert. Twenty-eight men were present.

Monopoly Enjoyed

A "Monopoly" party given at the George Clippell home Tuesday night was much enjoyed by the younger set.

The Women's community club served the lunch for S. M. Bassett's auction sale at Gates Tuesday and cleared around \$18 for the club. Mr. and Mrs. Bassett are moving to Lyons.

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**GRAND**

## 1936 Is Good Year, Stayton

\$100,000 New Construction, Big Cannery Business Are Highlights

STAYTON, Jan. 1.—At the dawn of 1937, residents of the Stayton district are facing the New Year with a greater optimism than has prevailed since the post-war days. Business has been good during the past 12 months, farm products have paid a greater return to growers, and unemployment has been cut to a negligible figure.

Two important barometers of community conditions, the building industry and realty market, show important gains during the year. A survey of building disclosed that more than \$100,000 in new construction had been contracted. Of this amount it is estimated that about \$60,000 was spent for residential projects, with but few exceptions the owners financing their own building and not taking advantage of federal aid.

More than \$10,000 in real property was sold, the bulk of these sales being small acreage and residential properties.

Cannery Makes Record

The Stayton Cannery company reports the heaviest pack of fruits and vegetables in 1936 of any cannery in the Pacific Northwest. This cooperative plant has been in operation a total of 193,000 cases and 1700 barrels in cold pack; \$225,000 was expended in wages and materials, the payroll for the year aggregating \$33,118 and \$130,000 was paid to growers for fruits and vegetables. Sales have been curtailed recently because of the maritime strike.

Of great importance locally has been the steady gain in the woolen industry, with the Pacific Woolen Mills and the two batt factories running at capacity basis a greater part of the past year.

## Hendrickses Are Hosts For Card Play, Stayton

STAYTON, Jan. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hendricks were hosts to a group of friends at a card party at their home Sunday night. At the end of the evening Mrs. John Schumacher and Joe Perry held the high scores and Mrs. Wollister and Ambrose Dwyer were awarded consolations.

**Hollywood**

Continuous Performance Today, 1:30 to 11 P. M. 10c

**JACK HOLTS IN ZANE GREY'S "END OF THE TRAIL"**

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News, Colored Cartoon and Comedy, Andy Clyde in "PEPPERY SALT"

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday Continuous Performance Sunday—2 to 11 P. M. 15c

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**CRAIG'S WIFE**

A Columbia Picture

## No Fatalities For Corvallis

Benton City Got Rating for Lack of Motor Deaths During 1936

CORVALLIS, Jan. 1.—For the fourth successive year Corvallis has made the enviable record of not having anyone killed in automobile accidents occurring within the city limits. City officials believe this to be a record for cities having a population of over 5000 persons.

This will be the third time that the National Safety council certificate has been received. Less than a hundred communities in the over 5000 divisions received this award last year.

Benton county received a black mark on its no fatality record three months ago when Oliver Hardwick of Salem was killed on the highway south of Corvallis. Hardwick, a 21-year-old passenger car as he was wiping mist from the windshield of his car.

Thanks Thief Set Fire

CORVALLIS, Jan. 1.—Fire which damaged the Gay W. Jordan home here the first part of the year was first believed to be caused by defective wiring was blamed by Jordan today on thieves who, he said, ransacked the basement, during his absence from the city. He thinks someone who had been in the house, had been burning upon their exit.

The electric switch had been shut off by Jordan before he left for the beach, it was this fact that blasted the defective wiring theory.

Stamp Fans To Meet

CORVALLIS, Jan. 1.—In an effort to stimulate an interest in stamp collecting, members of the Corvallis stamp club, composed of the O. S. C. staff members and townspeople interested in stamp collecting, are holding an initial meeting of junior stamp collectors in the Oregon State Memorial Union Sunday afternoon.

The embryo collectors will be aided by the senior stamp collectors in mounting and classifying and determining the value of their unmounted stamps. Prof. H. A. Scullen, senior stamp club member, said yesterday that if sufficient interest is shown by junior stamp fans, a junior exhibit will be held some time this winter.

## South Dakotans To Return Here

Series of Card Parties to Begin Wednesday at Sublimity

SUBLIMITY, Jan. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kremer, who have been visiting here for the past three months, have returned to White Lake, S. D., but intend to return to the valley in the spring and make this their future home.

A large number of the local patrons of the Mt. Angel co-op, took in the meeting and banquet at Mt. Angel Thursday.

St. Ann's Altar society will begin its card parties Wednesday night, January 6, at the parish hall. Good prizes will be given and an additional prize at the close of the series on February 9.

Miss Dorothy Starr, is out on crutches for the first time, having been confined to her home for several months with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zuber and son, Johnnie, are returning here after spending the week here visiting relatives. They were accompanied by Clarence Zuber who is working at Portland.

## Annual Reunion Held, Will Home

AURORA, Jan. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Will, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Will and Miss Leona Will entertained members of the Will and Snyder families at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Will New Year's eve. This party is an annual event.

The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Will and Miss Sarella Will, Jennings Lodge; Mrs. Anna Scholl, Lenore, Elvera and John Scholl, August Will, Mrs. Winnie Mulby, Vera and Leonard Koehner, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Will and son, Ray, Hubbard; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Archer, Portland, A. C. Snyder and Miss Emma Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. L. Snyder, Jean and Carl, Mr. and Mrs. T. Smith, Miss Clara Will and Miss Bertha Stark, Mr. E. C. Nafziger of Wilder, Idaho, who is visiting his daughter, Mrs. P. M. Will, was also a guest.

## The Call Board

**HOLLYWOOD**  
Today—Jack Holt in Zane Grey's "End of the Trail."

**ELISNORE**  
Today—Clark Gable and Joan Crawford in "Love On The Run."

**GRAND**  
Today—"One in a Million" with an all star musical comedy cast.

**CAPIKOL**  
Today—Double bill, Bob Wallace with Margot Grahame and Gene Autry in "The Old Corral."

**STATE**  
Today—Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers in "Swing Time." 4 acts of eastern circuit vaudeville.

**Mickey Sez—**  
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I Will Be Kind and Generous

**WICKY MOUSE CLUB Junior Statesman**  
Wilfred C. Hagedorn, Editor Dean Archart, Manager

**Minnie sez—**  
Attend the Cartoon Meeting Now Wednesday

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## Cartoon Club Is Proving Success

Frank Whittemore Winner of Award at First of Regular Meetings

The first meeting of the cartoon club which met in the YMCA Wednesday was a huge success for the Mickey Mouse Club-Oregon Statesman, for nearly 35 boys between the ages of 7 and 13 years old were present to learn how to draw funny faces from Bob Bushnell, chief cartoonist.

At this meeting a pass to the Elsinore theatre is offered for the boy who draws the best picture during the hour. The award went to Frank Whittemore, 2390 Trade street, who is 13 years old. Honorable mentions went to Raymond Page, Bobby Harrington and Bill Wharton.

There is no charge or dues for belonging to this club, every boy and girl is welcome to attend this cartoon club meeting, which will be held every Wednesday at 4 o'clock on the second floor of the "Y."

## Birthdays And Your Horoscope

Persons born during this month should try not to depend on the appreciation and gratitude, for frequently these fall them, and they spend many bitter hours.

Congratulations to the following: Jean Bartlett, Louise Thompson, Harry Carson, Glenn March, Bertha Cannon, Francis Douglas, Harrell Kanner, Edgar Allen, Lola Jean Bentall, Jean Swift, Bernice Bowersox, Erma Ryan, Leonard Sheldon, Ruth Louise Barton, Dorothy Gulp, Harold Mitchell, Donald Porter, McKay Beard, Betty Mann, Bunnie Runyolds, Ruth Director, Jean Schuobauer, Helen Craven, Leroy Wilekstrom, Virginia Covert, Raymond McCoy, Robert Cameron, Pauline Zane, Jane Nichols, Eddy Wolf, Freddie Gilbert, Donald Boldingers, Bobby Jones, Teddy Endicott, Bobby Mackenzie, Lytle Hickenger, Harold Bebbie, Clayton Cotton, Betty Austin, Grace Stienka, Perry Thorpe, Edith Farley, Shirley Blier, Ruth Snyder, Emma Louise Miller, Shirley Hansel, Robert Kenner, Roy Eversly, Winifred Mann, Patsy Canon, Clinton Breedlove, Gayle Crozier, Betty Jane Smith, Mary Bayne, Laura Mae Wright, Bonnie Dickson, Glenna Kruppin, Donald Barnett, Erma Swinstinger, Jack Wiles.

## More Songs and Yells Requested

Your songs and yells are coming in fine, only more of you could exercise your talent and send more of them in. Remember all you have to do is to write a verse to some song, carrying out Mickey or Minnie in it. When composing your yells do the same as with the song, bringing out Mickey or Minnie.

Either mail entries to the Mickey Mouse editor in care of the Elsinore theatre or drop them in our contribution box. Remember the contest closes January 9.

## Chamber and Women's Club Will Hold Joint Gathering January 7

STAYTON, Jan. 1.—The women's community club and the chamber of commerce will hold a joint meeting at the clubhouse Thursday at 7:30 o'clock.

Civic problems of Stayton will be discussed by several speakers. Refreshments will be served by a committee from the women's club, including Mrs. J. F. Lau, Mrs. Merle Teleton, Mrs. Mathilda Jones, Mrs. Conrad Nebert and Mrs. Marie Shields.

## 200 Pounds Meat Burns As Smoke House Blazes

STAYTON, Jan. 1.—The Stayton fire department was called out Wednesday afternoon for the first time in several months to a fire of undetermined origin in the smoke house of the Gehlen Brothers' store, 1111 Main house, located behind the store was used for the smoking of meats. About 200 pounds of meat was destroyed by the fire.

STAYTON, Jan. 1.—The woman's community club and the chamber of commerce will hold a joint meeting at the clubhouse Thursday at 7:30 o'clock.

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## Hidden Spies Contest



A free pass to Mickey Mouse next Saturday to the first ten Mouseers that mail or bring this cartoon to the Elsinore theatre before 6 o'clock next Wednesday with most hidden spies circled. Address all letters in care of the Mickey Mouse editor.

## Clay Modeling to Be Next Venture

Our Cartoon club has been such a huge success that Manager Carl Porter is going to buy a great amount of clay to be used in our Mickey Mouse club-Oregon Statesman Clay Modeling club.

This will be open to any Mouse member and will be under the direction of Bob Bushnell, the hobby, and mail it to "Bill" the Mickey Mouse editor and it will be printed.

Here are a few that arrived in the mail last week:

Evelyn Roseman, 10 years old, likes reading books; however she added that she would like to be a movie actress someday.

Keeping rare buttons is the hobby of Doris Finnee, 11 years old, who goes to Richmond school. Other interests of hers include swimming.

Kathy Cooper, 12, who attends Bush school, asserts that his interests are football, baseball and basketball.

Jeannette Pitzer, who is eleven years old and goes to Richmond school, likes keeping dolls and stamps for her hobby.

Darlene Finnee, 9 years old, and is in the fourth grade at Richmond school, likes tap dancing and singing as her special interests.

"Bill" O'Hearn, who lives at 833 E. 11th street, likes to fish.

Orville Mull, who is 13 years old, likes to play football during his spare time, even though he does live in the country.

## Cracker-Whistle Contest Popular

Last Saturday's cracker-whistle contest went over big, with three boys as the winners. Each contestant was given five crackers to eat and the first boy to

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## Club Notes

Good morning and a Happy New Year, Mice. Yes sir, now that all the noise is over I can probably write another column for you.

—MMC-JS—

While yours truly was working so earnestly at this week's column, who should barge in the door but Al Rafeity. Remember Al when he used to sing for all you Mouseers? Well, Met Draper and I are trying to persuade him to sing for all you Mice this Saturday.

—MMC-JS—

Many letters are coming in through the mail telling of hobbies and what I would do if I had a million dollars. However I want one thing to see you on the stage so come down next Friday.

—MMC-JS—

Don't forget to come down to rehearsals Friday at 4 o'clock, note the change of time. I know many of you can sing and many of the Mice would like to see you on the stage so come down next Friday.

—MMC-JS—

Last week's stage show went over keen with all you kids. I guess because it was local talent composed of such entertainers as Doris Kline who went over in great style with you Mice. Did you ever see two girls come forth from the audience and sing without me knowing about it? That's what happened last Saturday when Jean Perry and Barbara Bell sang "Boat on Island Magic." Bernice Michler represented Barbara Barnes and she did a cute little dance specialty. "You Turned the Tables On Me," was the song that went over in such a likeable way. Standing on your head before all you Mice is no simple task; however it seemed to be a "snap" for little Betty Pierce from Barbara Barnes. It was quite amusing to see Jerry Cottle "One, Two, Buckle His Shoe," however he did it with a song and the audience liked it too. A military dance routine for you Mice was done in a graceful manner by Darlene Gardner from Ed Cheney.

—MMC-JS—

On the screen this Saturday Mr. Porter has booked for a special Mouse feature the "Staging Cowboy" plus chapter 9 of the serial and the regular attraction "Love on the Run," with Clark Gable and Joan Crawford.

—MMC-JS—

So until one o'clock I'll be looking for all you Mice to see Wilfred, Bill to see you Mickey Mouse chief.

whistle was considered the winner. The first lucky boy, Morris Starr, won a flat-gram from Cooke's stationary store, a helmet from Lloyd Ramsden the bike man, and popcorn balls from the Karmelkora shop. Darryle Gemm placed second winning two popcorn balls and a pass to next week's show. Buddy Chig came in third, winning some popcorn balls from the Karmelkora shop and a pass to next week's show.

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