

Politics Come to Fore in Polk County as Candidates Appear

Judge Walker To Run Again

Bruce Spaulding States He Will Ask Return to Attorneyship

Politics are perking up in Polk county, what with two additional announcements of office seekers in the past week.

Circuit Judge Arlie G. Walker said in Dallas Tuesday that he would be a candidate for reelection and District Attorney Bruce Spaulding said he would seek the same post again.

Walker's office is non-judicial, so no party lines will be drawn for it, and this early on the political horizon, it looks as though he would have no opposition.

Spaulding to Run

Spaulding will go before the democratic voters at the primaries, but so far no opposition is known to be in the offing. He is filling his first term. Judge Walker has served two 6-year terms on the bench.

Last week Lyle Thomas of West Salem and Mrs. Joe Rogers, sr., of Oak Point announced their candidacies for representative in the state legislature. Both are republicans.

Two other county offices, surveyor and the commissioner now held by Fred Gibson, will be on the primary ballot. Ed J. Himes, incumbent surveyor, is expected to run again and probably without opposition. Gibson, too, will likely seek another term, but a contest is expected though none have announced that they would file for the job.

Shower Is Given Mehama Resident

MEHAMA—Mrs. Manual McCarey was the honored guest at a surprise stork shower given at the church.

Those present were: Mrs. Frank White, Mrs. Pat McCarey, Mrs. Floyd Monroe, Mrs. Harry Monroe, Mrs. Mabel Bevington, Mrs. Jim Blum, Mrs. Giles Wagner, Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes, Mrs. Ina Phillips, Mrs. M. W. Weber, Mrs. Russell Wilson, Mrs. K. Kirsch, Mrs. LeRoy Ledgerwood, Mrs. Ira Kirsch, Mrs. Carl Reid, Mrs. Jennie Mae, Mrs. Will Hughes, Mrs. Floyd Walsh, Mrs. Keith Phillips, Mrs. Roy Phillips, Mrs. Charles Day, Mrs. Berton Peyree, Mrs. E. Erickson, and Mrs. Manuel McCarey.

The C. A. Strables are having their home wired for electricity. They are putting in an electric pump and will have the water piped into their house at the same time.

Clothing Is Theme Of Women's Meet

WOODBURN—Eileen Perdue, Buxton of Corvallis, clothing specialist, will give an all day demonstration of proper clothing including a talk on the purchasing, wearing and combining different materials, at a meeting to be held in the Emanuel Lutheran hall February 22.

This meeting is being sponsored by the Woodburn Rural club with Mrs. H. Harbison chairman for arrangements, assisted by Mrs. Coble, delapandis of Hubbard who is chairman of the county visitation committee and Mrs. C. E. Allenback of Woodburn, who is assistant member of the general committee. The meeting will begin at 10 a.m., followed by a covered dish dinner to be served at noon. This meeting is the first of a series of meetings of this kind, the second one to be held in March with the topic, "Household Furnishings, and How to Buy Them."

These meetings are open to the public and there is no charge.

Shelburn Children to Give Program Feb. 14; Infant Child Is Buried

SHELBURN—Mrs. Margaret Kelly and pupils will give a program and play social Monday night, February 14.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baker was buried Tuesday afternoon at the Miller cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Quigley, aged mother of Thomas Quigley of Muners, has been quite ill but is improved.

Hallie Huntington to Pay Official Visit to Independence Chapter

INDEPENDENCE—Hallie Huntington, associate grand conductor, will visit Adah chapter, OES, for an official visit on Tuesday night.

A school of instruction will be held in the afternoon at 2 o'clock and in the evening the work will be exemplified. This will be the first meeting for the new officers since installation.

Farmers' Union News

LIBERTY—A resolution putting Liberty Farmers union on record as favoring public ownership of electric power and urging that the question appear on the ballot in the May primary or at a special election was adopted at the regular meeting of the local here this week.

Other locals are expected to take action on similar resolutions.

Surf Breaks Up Wrecked Ship in Golden Gate



Heavy surf, driven by high winds, recently lashed at the wreckage of the erstwhile freighter, Ohlson, breaking the stern and bow from the vessel and drove the pieces high on the narrow strip of sandy beach. The center section of the ship is the only fragment left upright. It is the center of the freighter that became lodged firmly on the rocks during a pea soup fog in Golden Gate at the entrance to San Francisco bay. Force of the pounding water is shown by the missing plates from the forecastle of the ship. These pieces gave way like matchwood when huge breakers dashed over the decks. IIN photo.

School Society To Present Play

Telephone Subscribers to Pay \$6.50 Assessment for Clear Line

OAK POINT—Oak Point School society will present the play, "Calm Yourself," a three act comedy at the school house next Thursday night. The cast includes Sherman Foster, Mrs. Leonard Peterson, Miss Ruth Allen, Delbert Seeger, Mrs. Edward Harnsberger, Mrs. R. A. Alderson, C. O. Allen, Grove Peterson, Howard Davis and Miss Elda Herr.

A. I. Sutter who has been ill with pneumonia is much improved and able to be up. Rodney Peterson cut his left hand Thursday, while splitting wood, and it took six stitches to close the wound. Junior Ramsdell will assist him with his work.

Mrs. Rennie DuPont and son Glen of Naples and her daughter, Mrs. Al Pickett of Portland, visited the three Peterson families to a week, returning to their homes Thursday.

Improve Phone Line

The subscribers of the telephone line 30 had a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the A. I. Sutter home. There are eight on the line and they voted to put new wire on the poles and each be assessed \$6.50 to cover charges. The wire will be purchased and work started right away.

Miss Elda Herr, primary teacher, is again staying at the Elms Laundry home, after driving to her home in Central Howell while her mother was on a visit to Arizona.

Sodality Honors 23 new Members

MT. ANGEL—Over 200 young men and girls attended the social reception given Wednesday at the auditorium by the Young Men's sodality in honor of its new members. Members of the Young Ladies sodality were special guests.

The new members included Gordon Aman, Rex Appleby, Edwin Berning, Edward Bigler, Charles Bocher, Howard Christensen, Jack Eggers, Eugene Eggers, Francis Epping, Thomas Kraemer, Wesley Lorenz, William Melner, Sylvester Meisner, Donald McKinley, Thomas Pienetti, Frederick P. R. C. Raymond, Prosser, Albert Schatz, Mathew Schatz, George Vachter, Ernest Van Dyke, Mathew Wagner and Francis Walker.

The program and initiation were held in the St. Mary's auditorium, followed by luncheon. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.

Woodburn Postoffice All-Time Record Set With \$12,173 Receipts

WOODBURN—Postmaster H. F. Butterfield has announced that the Woodburn postoffice has set a new record with gross receipts totaling \$12,173.67 in 1937. The increase in receipts is due to the increase in population, Woodburn's population being about 2500 according to an estimated made by the mail carriers recently.

The postal savings of the local office are also increased, more money being deposited in this department than in any other year of its history.

Meeting Called Today To Talk Address System

SILVERTON—A meeting has been called for Saturday afternoon at 3:30 at the offices of Supt. Robert Goetz at the Eugene Field school for the committee at work on obtaining a public address system for the Silverton school auditorium. Representatives of local organizations have been invited to attend the meeting.

Community Clubs

WEST SALEM—The West Salem community club will meet Monday night. The new president, Vernie Hindman, will have charge. A vice president will be elected at the business meeting. Mrs. Robert Fattison is in charge of the program.

Dan Quinns Are Wedded 57 Years

Have Lived in Mill City for Nearly Half Century; Lodge Installs

MILL CITY—Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Faust entertained with a dinner at their home Tuesday night to celebrate the 57th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Quinn, parents of Mrs. Faust. Mr. and Mrs. Quinn have made their home in Mill City for 48 years, living in the same house. Santiam Rebekeah lodge entertained with a lunch and cake after the regular meeting Wednesday evening in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Nellie Ward and Mrs. Gertrude Mason.

IOOF Install Officers

The following officers were installed at the last meeting of Mill City lodge IOOF by Deputy A. F. Berry: NG, Otto Witt; treasurer, D. B. Hill; VG, W. E. Haynes; IG, A. Koenke; secretary, M. J. Kuerr; marshal, George Berry; conductor, H. Haynes; RSG, W. W. Mason; LSG, W. E. Levine; RSVG, Sam Jorgensen; chaplain, Leroy Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bertram were given a surprise dinner and house warming in their new home Tuesday night. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Potter, Mr. and Mrs. William Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Saucier, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cline, and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hill.

County Childhood Group in Session

DALLAS—A meeting of the primary group of the Polk County Childhood Education association was held at the Dallas elementary building, on Wednesday night, with the assistance of Mrs. Elsie Bolt of the Independence training school, presiding.

Mrs. Florence Beardsley of Monmouth led a discussion on a new booklet on curriculum construction which she helped to compile. The next meeting of the group will be held at the Independence home of Mrs. Bolt.

Huff Campaign Draws Good Crowds, Valsetz; League Sponsors Social

VALSETZ—Under the sponsorship of the Union Sunday school Rev. R. Finley Huff is conducting evangelistic services at the schoolhouse. He started Sunday and has had increasingly larger congregations each evening since. The girls' league of the high school, under the direction of Mrs. Frances Coleman, sponsored a basket social at the gymnasium Monday night. A program of musical numbers and a one-act play were followed by the auction of baskets. Net proceeds were \$17.50.

Grangers' News

FALLS CITY—The regular monthly business meeting of the local grange will be held Monday night.

SILVERTON—The Silverton grange is sponsoring a social night for members and invited friends at the MWA hall this Saturday night.

Silverton Folks Suffer Illnesses

Susan Grinde, Past 80, Is in Critical Condition; Mrs. Starr Better

SILVERTON—Mrs. Susan Grinde, past 80, continues seriously ill at her home here. She was critically ill for a time this autumn but recovered sufficiently to attend the Benton-Grinde reunion on New Year's day. She is queen mother of the group. Since the holidays she has suffered a relapse.

John Fishwood, who has been ill for several months and under the care of a Portland specialist, has returned to his home and is greatly improved.

Sigurd Moe is recovering satisfactorily at the Silverton hospital from a recent major operation.

Mrs. Starr Better

Mrs. J. S. Starr, who suffered a relapse late last week, is now reported as being slightly improved although her condition is said to be grave. No improvement is reported in the condition of Mrs. Annie Woodward, who is ill at the Deaconess hospital at Salem. Mrs. Woodward is the mother of C. B. and George Weatherill.

Mrs. Jennie Lewis is reported ill at home on South Valley street. Mrs. Hiram Hartley, who has been seriously ill at her home, is reported somewhat better.

Harry Cameron, teacher in the local schools who has been at his home several weeks because of illness, is back to his classes.

Statewide Group Aim of Meeting

MT. ANGEL—A meeting of Salem and Mt. Angel business men will be held at the Mt. Angel city hall Saturday night at 8 o'clock to discuss the forming of a statewide organization of the merchants and retailers of Oregon.

The Willamette Valley league of the Holy Name society will meet here Sunday night. An interesting program will include a talk on the morality of strikes by Rev. Vincent Koppert, The Mt. Angel octet will sing.

Mrs. William Frank was hostess to the "500" club at her home Wednesday night. The high score prize was won by Mrs. Tony Miller. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Frosser.

Don Robinson Home Is Opened to Missionary Group of ME Church

DALLAS—The Women's Missionary society of the First Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Don Robinson on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Ralph Murphy, president, presided at a short business meeting. Mrs. Carl S. Graves had charge of the devotionals and Rev. J. A. Linn, pastor, talked on E. Stanley Jones. Mrs. Walter Duff (jr.) told something of the missionary work in India and Scotland.

Twenty-five guests and members were present for the program and tea hour. The next meeting will be held at the country home of Mrs. Herbert J. Elliott at Perrydale.

Old-Time Program Is Arranged for Roberts Church for Tomorrow

ROBERTS—At Roberts Community church the service for Sunday will resemble those of the years past. Special music will be given by a group of outsiders and the entire church service will be run along the lines of an old-fashioned meeting-house program.

Plans will be made for a church homecoming to be held in the near future.

Gilson Named Recorder Aide

Dorothy Bohle Wins High in School Typing Test With 55 Words

LEBANON—The city council Tuesday night elected Mervin Gilson, fire chief, deputy recorder. Recorder C. H. Wilman, who has been very ill the past few weeks, is at his desk again.

The council voted \$250 to be placed in the 1939 budget to be used for the upkeep of the Methodist cemetery. Investigations as to the legality of the city taking over the cemetery were ordered continued. The public property commission was requested by Mayor Booth to contact architects as to possible plans for a new addition to the city hall.

Tops School Typists

In a five-minute test in the beginning typing class taught by Elizabeth Bennett of the high school faculty Dorothy Bohle won highest with a record of 55 words a minute; her nearest competitor was Ellamae Pitting with 47. Helen Ann Sanders has the highest accuracy record with 42 words a minute.

At the close of the last semester Bruce Stacy's position as editor of The Lebanon Hi-Lite automatically ended and Elbert Kelley became editor and Mervin Jenkins, athletic manager, associate editor.

The men of the Methodist church have completed a neat job of remodeling the social rooms in the basement and have built and equipped a stage that fills a long-felt need.

A son was born January 19 to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Strohle of route two.

Vaccinate Children

A large number of Lebanon school children have been vaccinated against smallpox within the past week by suggestion of the teachers and not as a compulsory measure. There is not a single case reported in Lebanon although some have been noted in adjacent localities.

Following the noon luncheon at Hotel Lebanon Thursday the Lions' club was entertained by singing by the boys' quartette.

Stanley Quamme, an employee of the Crown Willamette paper mill, underwent an appendectomy at the local hospital Wednesday.

Bowl Cuts Head

MILL CITY—Ray Sisco, in removing a glass bowl from a shelf, dropped the bowl on his head, inflicting a bad cut. A doctor's attention was necessary.

Wife's Kin at "White Flame" Trial



Mrs. Jesse McBride and her daughter, Natalie, mother and sister of the slain Evelyn Wright, are pictured in a Los Angeles court where Paul Wright, airport executive, is on trial for the killing of his wife and his friend, John B. Kimmell. Wright said he found his wife and Kimmell in a compromising position and shot and killed them while his mind was blinded with a "white flame" of jealous rage. IIN photo.

Juniors Schedule Trio 1-Act Plays

PTA at Falls City Agrees to Sponsor Camp Fire Girls' Work

FALLS CITY—The junior class will present three one act plays, "Sea at Four", "Detour Ahead", and "Farewell Cruel World", next Thursday night at the Fireman's hall. A matinee will be given Wednesday afternoon, January 26, for the school children.

The Dessert Luncheon club met with Mrs. Clyde Bancroft in Salem Tuesday. Mrs. J. R. Strauss was elected president; Mrs. Calvin Barnhart, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. D. J. Ickes, Mrs. Chester Benefield, Mrs. Ross Bowman, Mrs. Reeve Helm, Mrs. J. R. Pearson and Mrs. John Gilbert attended.

PTA Sponsors Gift

The January meeting and cafeteria supper of the Parent Teachers' association was well attended. At a short business session conducted by the president, Mrs. Pearl Barnhart, committee reports were made and the association went on record to sponsor the Camp Fire girls organization, which is being organized under the direction of Miss Ruth Sundrud.

Frank Chapelles Home From Nebraska Where They Were Wed Jan. 12

WOODBURN—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chapelle returned to Woodburn by train Sunday from Gordon, Nebr., where they were married January 12 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson.

Mrs. Chapelle (Lucille Anderson) has been a Woodburn resident for the past year and a half. Chapelle has lived here most of his life, attended school here and was graduated from Woodburn high school with the class of 1926. The bride attended school in Gordon graduating from that school in 1934. They will reside here.

Young Married Folks Organize

Mrs. Theodore Hobart Is President of Group; Gatke Speaks

SILVERTON—A group of young married people, who have organized under the name of "The Builders" and will be sponsored by the Methodist church, met Thursday night for its first dinner meeting. Except for February, the group will meet the third Tuesday night of each month. In February the members will meet Thursday, February 17.

In charge of the February meeting will be Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fox.

Officers Are Named

Officers include president, Mrs. Theodore Hobart; vice president, Mrs. Alvin Krug; secretary, B. O. Russell; I. B. Alfred will be the teacher for those who meet Sunday mornings at the Methodist church.

Dr. R. M. Gatke of Salem was the Thursday night speaker, having for his subject "This Changing World."

Attend First Session

Attending this first meeting were as special guests, Dr. Gatke, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sylvester, Mrs. Edson Comstock and Rev. and Mrs. D. Leake Fields. Membership ship out at the first meeting included Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hobart, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Krug, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Coates, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fox, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scarth, Mrs. Vern Cotter, Mrs. Albert Stewart, Dr. R. M. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Buchanan, Mrs. Norman Naegeli, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ekman, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Alfred, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Finlay.

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