

Firemen Slate Banquet 23d

George Wood Named Chief of Independence Department

INDEPENDENCE—The annual banquet of the Independence firemen will be held Monday night at the City cafe.

At a meeting of the department elected these officers: George Wood, fire chief; Dean Craven, assistant; Lloyd Oberon, secretary-treasurer; Ross Oberon, fire master.

Committees include: Ross Oberon and Archie Hutchings, grievance and sick; Martin Pratske and Jack McCollum, social, dance and banquet.

Team Places Third INDEPENDENCE—The local high school Future Farmers team, entered in the recent lower Willamette valley contests at Newberg, placed third. Amly won first and Forest Grove second. The local boys won first in 1938.

The independence team members: Douglas Frenah, president; Don Rowland, vice president; Allen Ragdale, secretary; Alva Rickinson, treasurer; and Leslie Peterson, reporter.

INDEPENDENCE—A study on how the other half lives will feature the Tuesday, January 24, meeting of the Maude Allen auxiliary of the needlecraft group of the Calvary Presbyterian church.

Tuesday night a covered dish dinner will be held in the church with everyone invited. Reports will be presented by Mrs. H. G. Kenney, Dr. and Mrs. George C. Knott and Miss Henrietta Wolf.

CO Meeting 7th INDEPENDENCE—The local chamber of commerce will not hold a meeting next week, as meeting dates have been changed to the first and third Tuesday night of each month, starting with February 7.

INDEPENDENCE—A group of local women surprised Mrs. C. W. Henkle of Dallas Thursday noon with a no-host luncheon on occasion of her birthday.

Present were Mrs. A. L. Thomas, Mrs. M. C. Williams, Mrs. Theima Tallent, Mrs. Myra Montgomery, Mrs. R. M. Walker, Mrs. Z. C. Kimball, Mrs. G. G. Walker, Mrs. Charles Irvine, Miss Katherine Arbutnot, Mrs. S. B. Walker, Mrs. Claude Skinner and Mrs. B. F. Swope.

Lions Sell Tags To Aid Blind Man

DALLAS—The Dallas Lions club recently sponsored a tag sale to pay for an operation to restore the sight of Don T. Burr. It appears that the goal of \$225 will be reached easily due to the generous response of the people of the community.

Lawrence J. Smith is president of the Dallas Lions club.

Mumps Appear

BRUSH CREEK—Patience Moberg, who is a senior in the Silverton high school, is confined to her home here because of mumps.

Granger's News

MACLEAY—At the January meeting of the Grange Home Economics club, the names of the "Glad Ladies" of the past year were revealed and work planned for the coming year.

The projects for the club this year will be putting down a well and refinishing the diningroom walls.

Mrs. Joseph Perry won the prize in the true and false contest. The meeting was an all day affair with a no-host dinner.

VICTOR POINT—Marion county young granger's auxiliary will hold its regular meeting at Macleay grange hall Wednesday night. Mrs. Ruth Hadley of Silverton Hills, is president and Laurel Krens, Union Hill, secretary.

Trucks Crash Head-on in Snow, Three Hurt



Three men were seriously injured and firemen worked for nearly an hour to extricate one after two heavy trucks crashed head-on in a snowstorm near Falls Church, Va. Above is the twisted wreckage. Injured were Everett M. Simmons and L. M. Crocen, drivers, and Sidney Cleveland, who had to be extricated from the wreckage.

Royal Neighbors Hold Installation

BROOKS—Lalish camp, Royal Neighbors of America, met Tuesday in their hall, with Mrs. Ada Faust initiated into full membership.

Officers were installed: Oracle, Mrs. Pearl Harris; vice-oracle, Mrs. Georgia Matthes; recorder, Mrs. Myrtle Beckner; receiver, Mrs. Margaret Campbell; chancellor, Mrs. Katie Sturges; past oracle, Mrs. Nellie McCandlish; marshal, Mrs. Verda Beckner; assistant marshal, Mrs. Frances Hahn; inner sentinel, Mrs. Margaret Mears; outer sentinel, Mrs. Helen Windecker; managers, Mrs. Ethel Jones, Mrs. Marie Mumper and Mrs. Lena Zielinski; camp physician, Dr. Wm. Most; musician, Mrs. Iva Meddick; Faith, Mrs. Betty Groves; Courage, Mrs. Lorrene Harris; Modesty, Mrs. Malong Long; Unselfishness, Mrs. Lila Duffus; Endurance, Mrs. Ada Faust.

Plans were completed for the dedication of the new lodge hall, January 26.

The Ladies' Aid society met Wednesday in the church, with devotions led by the president, Mrs. Monroe Ward.

Puppet Show Is Next Project of PTA Group; Minnesota Folk Visit

SILVERTON—The Parent-Teachers' association at Silverton is sponsoring a puppet show, set for January 27, 2 p. m. Mrs. Frank Deckebach is in charge.

Mrs. Anna Ahern and nephew, Eugene Hildahl of Wadahl, Minn., are here for an extended visit. Mrs. Ahern will be guest of Mrs. Gertrude Moen and Mr. Hildahl, the guest of the Carl Moen family.

Four-Generation Dish Presented Recent Bride

SCIO—Among gifts presented to Mrs. Ward Slover (Joyce Westenhause) at a recent shower given by the As You Like It club, was a cake dish that has been in the Slover family for four generations.

About 30 members of the club were present at the shower, given at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Gladys Westenhause, in the Richardson Gap district near Scio.

Club Meets 25th

HAZEL GREEN—Mrs. C. A. Zielinski and Mrs. Virgil Perrine will be hostesses to the Sunshine Sewing club Wednesday, January 25 at Mrs. Perrine's home.

Laywomen's Retreats at Mt. Angel Academy Set for June and August

MT. ANGEL—The yearly Laywomen's retreats at Mt. Angel academy, begun in 1934, have been increasing in popularity each year and this year's dates, June 9 to 11 and August 11 to 13, were fixed early so that professional women might have ample time to make arrangements to attend.

Rev. Vincent Carey, O. S. B., of St. Martin's abbey, La-croix, Wash., famed throughout the Northwest as a retreat master, will conduct the June retreat.

Community Clubs

HAZEL GREEN—The Puppet club of the Hazel Green school will present a puppet show, "The Whishing Fairy" and "Rip Van Winkle," at the Popcorn schoolhouse in Polk county at the regular meeting of the community club. The club of this district will meet February 3 instead of regular date, January 27. The program will be a puppet show and music by the school. A admission charge will be made, funds to be used to finish the school dining room.

ROSEDALE—Rosedale community club held its monthly meeting in the local schoolhouse recently.

The program consisted of readings by Mrs. McNeal, Lawrence Richfield, Pauline Berndt and Jimmie Jimmerson; vocal solos by Vertie Duke and Reva English; a talk by Mr. Cook; piano solo by Fern Morgan and vocal duet by Carol and Marguerite Hamilton. Mrs. Floyd Bates led community singing.

Josephine Jones was named to produce a play.

Essay Contest Is Auxiliary's Plan

SILVERTON—Silverton Auxiliary to Veterans of Foreign Wars met Wednesday night with a large number of members present. One new member, Mrs. Carol Lacey was given ritualistic initiation. Details regarding the essay contest on "True Americanism—How Best to Achieve It" are nearing completion with Elsie Nelson, Americanism chairman in charge.

The first of a series of Hop Ching benefit parties will be given at Esther Long's home in the near future with Alma Fierst and Edith Devericks as assistant hostesses.

The membership drive is well underway and a good report is shown.

The next sewing club will be held at the home of Mrs. Lester Whitlock January 27, with a no-host dinner at noon followed by an afternoon of sewing for the veterans' hospital and fall bazaar.

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WPA Project Nears Finish

More Money Necessary if Additional Road Work to Be Started

LEBANON—The street committee reported at council meeting Tuesday night that WPA project no. 5 was almost completed and that more money must be available before going further.

The city recorder was asked to advertise for bids for placing a sewer on Carolina street. The recorder reported \$271 received for licenses and the attorney reported the trying of two cases in public court resulting in \$75 fines.

To Open Revivals

Walter Gilman, state evangelist for the Church of Christ, will begin a four weeks meeting in the local church January 24. Mrs. Ted Boyer, wife of the resident pastor of Church of Christ, Cantree will be song leader.

Mrs. Abbie Davenport, mother of Davenport, wife of the Red and White store, was stricken Tuesday with paralysis in the lower part of her body and is said to be in a serious condition.

A collision between the cars driven by Burl Waters, Sweet Home high school student and Leonard Sherill, near Foster resulted in a minor skull fracture for Waters and minor injuries to the other driver.

Mrs. Minnie Preston and Mrs. C. N. Gould were hostesses Thursday to the Riverside Sewing Circle at the Preston home. Quilts to be given the needy were pieced and work planned for the future.

The dinner meet and program at Thursday church night at the Methodist church was largely attended and was in charge of the young people's organization.

Franklin Walker Honored on 5th Natal Anniversary

INDEPENDENCE—Mrs. R. M. Walker invited guests to her home Monday to help her son, Franklin, observe his fifth birthday. Those invited were Bobby Robinson, Molly Herley, Marilyn Robinson, Margaret Mix, Charles Robinson, Harriet Guild, Allan Harwood, Edgar Hadley, Marcus Tallent, the host Franklin Walker, Mrs. Paul E. Robinson, Mrs. Gordon Hadley and the hostess Mrs. Walker.

'Pappy' Passes the Biscuits



W. Lee O'Daniel, Texas' new governor, whose campaign slogan was "please pass the biscuits, pappy," did a little passing himself as he sat down to dinner in the executive mansion at Austin, Tex. At his side are his son and daughter, Mike and Molly. O'Daniel also advocated old age pensions for those over 65, and means of providing state funds for such a proposal were among his first problems of state.

Abiqua Man's Car Does Somersaults And Lands on Brink of River Bank

Albert Biziko, who lives on the Abiqua seven miles from Silverton, considered himself a lucky man yesterday morning. He turned his car out quickly from the road at Dunningan's bridge to let another car go by, and as he turned back a wheel broke off his car.

Biziko was thrown clear of the car, which rolled over twice and landed dead on the edge of the bank of the Abiqua.

Just a few more inches and the car would have plunged the 30 or 35 feet down the bank into the stream, declared E. H. Bliven who told of the accident here. Bliven, with his son Ray, was traveling the Abiqua road when the accident happened, and brought Biziko to Salem to be checked over by a doctor. Apparently he suffered only a number of cuts and bruises. The Blivens live on the Abiqua nine miles from Silverton.

Last Rites Today For Ben E. Smith

INDEPENDENCE—Funeral services for Ben E. Smith, former Independence resident who died at Waldport Tuesday, will be held from the First Presbyterian church here Saturday at 1 p. m., with Rev. Henry G. Hanson officiating. Interment will be in Belcrest cemetery, Salem.

Mr. Smith, who moved to Yachats a few years ago following retirement as manager of the Spaulding Logging company plant here, has been a resident of Oregon many years. He was a member of the U. S. A. F. & A. M., the Royal Arch and Selected Masons and the Eastern Star of Independence.

Surviving are a brother, William C. and sister, Sallie B. Smith, both of Owensboro, Kentucky.

Silverton Schools Nearing Term End

SILVERTON—The first semester of school this year ends January 27 with mid-term examinations slated the two days previous. The second semester will begin January 30.

No new students in the first grade will be taken at mid-year this year. Efforts are being made to do away with the mid-term graduation. Only a small group will complete this year with names to be definitely announced during examination week. No graduation exercises will be held until June.

Clubbers to Get Certificates Soon

TURNER—The Tidy Cookers met January 14 for a club meeting and supper. Members prepared cake, salad and cocoa. Two new original pills were checked during examination week. All local club members are looking forward to receiving their club pins and certificates, which will be given out soon.

Anna Lou Miller and Alice Lee Locken are acting as the Happy Hour Health club president and secretary in the absence of Geraldine Edwards and Eunice Bear, who are ill.

Former Silverton Youths Graduated in Portland

SILVERTON—Mid-year graduates of Portland schools of special interest to Silverton were Rodney Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Johnson, who was graduated Thursday from Lincoln high school, and Mona O'Kane, high school. Both formerly lived here.

Johnson is a nephew of Mrs. Helen M. Wrightman, and Miss O'Kane is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bentson.

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Birthday Session Held by Rebekahs

Robert Quinns Honored on 58th Anniversary of Wedding

MILL CITY—After the regular meeting of Santiam Rebekah lodge Wednesday a lunch and social time were enjoyed in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Virginia Letellier, Miss Nellie Ward and Mrs. Gertrude Mason.

A tableau was given by members of the Rebekahs and Odd Fellows, exemplifying the mottoes of the order in honor of the founder and father of American Odd Fellowship.

Wedded 58 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quinn were honor guests at a dinner at their home Wednesday night celebrating their 58th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Quinn were married in Canada, moving to Mill City 50 years ago, where they have occupied the same home. Those at the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Faust, Belle and Val Faust, Mr. and Mrs. William Quinn and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Quinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris of Tacoma, formerly of Mill City, are the parents of a 8 1/2 pound son born in Tacoma January 16.

Rachel B. Eppers Funeral Is Today

ELDRIDGE—Funeral services for Mrs. Rachel Beardley Eppers, nearly 52, who died Thursday morning suddenly at her home here, will be held Saturday at 11 o'clock at the Terwilliger Funeral home in Salem, with interment to follow at 2 p. m. in the Rose City cemetery in Portland.

Mrs. Eppers, a resident here 4 1/2 years, was born January 27, 1887, in Sioux City, Iowa. She was a member of the WBA lodge of Salem.

Surviving are the widower, Lou Eppers; two daughters, Mrs. Verne Banyard and Bethel Eppers of Eldridge; two sisters and a brother, Mrs. Hazel Palmer, Mrs. Mae McKenney and Fred McClintock, all of Portland.

Young People's Group Aim of Sunday Meeting

HAYESVILLE—A special meeting will be held at the Hayesville Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, when a young people's society will be organized. Mrs. F. Parker will be in charge.

How To Relieve Misery of Your CHEST COLD

If you are suffering from a miserable chest cold, try this: Massage throat, chest, and back with Vicks VapoRub at bedtime. Then spread a thick layer on chest and cover with warm cloth. VapoRub goes right to work to bring relief—two ways at once. (1) Direct through the skin like a poultice; (2) Direct to the irritated air-passages with its medicated vapors. This positive-vapor action loosens phlegm—clears air-passages—checks tendency to cough—relieves local congestion. Other morning—the worst of the cold is over. **VICKS VapoRub**

Cardinal Greet Klan Wizard at Dedication Rites



Domini Cardinal Dougherty of Philadelphia extended a cordial greeting to Dr. Hiram W. Evans, imperial wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, at the co-cathedral of Christ the King which the cardinal dedicated at Atlanta, Ga. Between them stands Bishop Gerald P. O'Hara of Birmingham, Ala., who invited Evans to the dedication ceremony.

Rex Womers Entertain In Honor of Daughter

AIRLIE—Mr. and Mrs. Rex Womers entertained 15 relatives at a dinner given at their home in honor of the birthday of their daughter, Mrs. Victor Bevons. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Turner, Mrs. Emma Womers, Mrs. Thera Womers and daughters Nila and Madeline, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Burbank and Betty Burbank, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bevons and daughters.

Kenneth Bentson Weds Miss Johns of Arizona

SILVERTON—Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Bentson have received word of the marriage of their son, Kenneth G. Bentson, to Miss Elsinor Johns of Phoenix, Arizona, January 14 at Yuma. They will make their home at Phoenix where Bentson is employed by a construction company.

Improvement Reported In Mrs. Wray's Illness

SILVERTON—Mrs. Nell Wray, widow of the late Frank Wray, who has been seriously ill at Portland, is reported as being considerably improved. Mrs. Wray lived here for many years when her husband owned the furniture store now owned by H. L. Stiff company.

Takes Over Station

SILVERTON—Larry Carpenter has acquired the Shell service station at First and Oak streets from Errol Ross. Carpenter has been in the employment of the station during the past year.

West Salem News

WEST SALEM—Kingwood Legion post No. 31 will hold an informal stag party for members and friends Saturday night at 8 o'clock at the Legion hall here. The proceeds will be used for the post's building program, announces Adjutant L. A. Hamilton.

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