Adams Given New Contract

Silverton Board Rehires all Teachers, Except Three Who Resigned

SILVERTON—Harold Adams, superintendent of Silverton schools, was this week given a three-year contract, according to information issued from the school clerk's office Wednesday. He came here last summer from Corvallis on a one-year contract.

No changes have been made in basic salaries of teachers rehired. It is unknown whether Miss Elizabeth Corrigan, who is away on a year's leave, will return next September so her place here has not yet been filled. Miss Gertrude Branthover has been teaching in Miss Corrigan's place this year.

Willard P. Steward, high school teacher, was granted a year's leave of absence. Miss Marie Kiev, resigned a few weeks ago, to accept a Portland position, and her place is temporarily being filled by Mrs. Lee Haskins (Ruth Scott). It is unlikely anyone will be hired to fill this vacancy for the spring term.

Miss Velma Hill, Eugene Field teacher, has resigned.

Teachers rehired include senior high school: Herman J. Kramer, Wallace J. Cochran, Floyd Ellefson, W. A. Gates, Lucy Howe, Lois Metcalf, Margaret Savage, Willard P. Stewart, Doris Wiese, G. W. DeLay, Alice Fish, Ethel Hardie, Leonard Hudson, Jean Parmen, Joseph W. Smith, Isobel Tracy.

Junior high school: Harold C. Davis, Lewis Bartlett, Elaine Clower, Vera I. Cox, Olivia DeGuire, Roy Mueller, Richard W. Pickell, Fred F. Sears, Mildred Nickerson, Irene Roubal.

Eugene Field: Harry Cameron, June Braley, Elizabeth Hafenbrack, Velma Hill, Edna Merritt, Helvie Silver, Harriett Ann Smith, Florence Wimber, Muriel Bentson, Thelma Davis, Lucile Henkle, Olga Johnson, Lanna Olson, Katherine Slawson, Florence Story.

Miss Stella Dybevik has been rehired as secretary and bookkeeper; Milton Kolin, teacher of crippled children; Gladys Fletcher, librarian; P. H. Tucker, janitor; Charles Amos, assistant janitor.

Nellie B. Zook Dies at Silverton

SILVERTON—Nellie B. Zook, 59, wife of Rev. Frank Zook, pastor of the Christian church, died at her home here this morning.

Survivors, besides the widower, are the following children: Mrs. James Sweet of Bell, Calif., Mrs. Ruth Boyle of Portland, Naomi and Paul, and a foster daughter, Terrun, at home. Remains are at the Larson & Son chapel.

On the Record

By DOROTHY THOMPSON

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to make her more nearly the size of the other states.

These states would have cultural self-government and many of the prerogatives enjoyed by the states of the American union. But there would be a strong federal government, with control over foreign policy, trade, finance, currency and a large measure of regulation of economic life.

In the economic field the new federal republic would retain a large amount of state capitalism, but in limited areas, outside of which free enterprise would be encouraged and released from a great number of the existing restrictions and controls. They would probably have to abrogate the debts of the nazi reich and start with a new currency on a new basis, as Germany did once before in 1923.

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For the time being at least they would have to retain foreign trade restrictions, but the object would be to achieve as quickly as possible economic liberation internally and externally.

They would restore intellectual freedom and repeal the Nuremberg racial laws, which they consider utterly nonsensical.

Jews still resident in Germany would have the full restitution of their rights as citizens. The repatriation of all those who have left would not be encouraged for economic reasons.

They would put the executive power in the hands of a president or a chancellor and a strong government responsible to the people, not to the parliaments, and they would not restore the party system.

The Fourth Reich of which they dream will not be a single party state or a many party state but a no party state. It will have a bi-cameral parliament, the upper house representing the states and the lower house selected from electoral districts.

A candidate would be nominated by being able to get a certain minimum of signatures on a popular petition asking for his nomination.

He would be personally responsible to the electors and not to a party.

In this way the planners of the Fourth Reich hope to make real the leadership principle which, in the Third Reich, is completely travestied, since the Third Reich has no responsible leaders but a single leader irremovable and responsible to no one but himself and his own voices.

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As far as Austria and the Sudetenland are concerned, the plan is either to incorporate them as federal states, or to relinquish them provided the other nations of the Danubian basin, formerly incorporated or partially incorporated in the Austro-Hungarian empire — Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Rumania and Yugo-Slavia—will create a Danubian federation independent of but friendly to Germany. In this case they would prefer to see Austria and the Sudetenland in that federation.

In the Fourth Reich, religious teaching will be compulsory for all school children. But their parents will be allowed to decide whether they wish them to be instructed in the Protestant, Catholic or Jewish religions.

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The planners of the federated German republic envisage as their greatest gesture toward the outside world total disarmament. They are convinced that if the strongest nation in Europe disarms, vis-a-vis its neighbors, the others will do the same, and there will result out of this a new era of economic prosperity and of real peace. They will, however, maintain a very strong federal police, which will be necessary during reconstruction. They will abandon all claims to colonies, because they consider colonies a liability and not an asset in the modern world. They will advocate the open door for all nations in all colonies and a collaborative effort for their development.

They hope that the birth of the federal German republic will mean the beginning of an eventual federation of all the nations of Europe.

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Fantastic? It is not anything like as fantastic as the Third Reich! It is only fantastic because we are accustomed to believe that anything reasonable and intelligent is impossible!

Perhaps it is fantastic, but there are people in Germany who formerly were politically aligned from the extreme right to the extreme left who today dream of this republic.

They are reviewing the history of the last twenty years. The great military dynasty of the Hohenzollerns collapsed in blood and revolution.

That was followed by a brief period of communism in Bavaria, with Spartacist risings all over Germany.

These were quelled by the first German republic, the republic of Weimar.

The Weimar republic was a mixture of all the half-baked liberal ideas of the nineteenth century with twenty-odd political parties, socialistic measures supported by the draining off of private enterprise, liberty running into license, proportional representation to diffuse responsibility and weak central government patched together out of party coalitions.

They don't want this back.

And this was followed by the brown despotism of Hitler, which has tyrannized a free people, attempted to destroy its culture and science, isolated it intellectually from the western world, thrown the bulk of its productive processes into armaments and started out on an expansion of unlimited scope.

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Now, what the German people want is not a red dictatorship in place of a brown one.

What they want is the restoration of legitimate government, of a reign of law instead of arbitrary despotic decrees; of civilian rights and immunities; of intellectual and religious freedom, and of collaboration with the rest of the western world. They want a regime in harmony with Germany's great cultural and intellectual traditions; a government of ordered liberty.

The great word of those who wait and work for the German liberation is not socialism—although the new regime will have a large measure of state socialism. But the word that fires the German heart today is "freiheit!"—freedom!

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Cold Retards Garden Stand

Sweet Peas Are Sickly too, but Fall Sown Grain Is Looking Good

PRATUM — Continuing cold weather is having a bad effect on garden peas and sweet peas. Last year at this time sweet peas that had come up in the fall were at least 2 feet tall, while now volunteer sweet peas have almost disappeared and the few that are left are a sickly looking mess; also seed sown during winter and early spring is either slow in coming up or slugs nip the young plants before they get a chance to develop.

Garden peas are also very slow in coming out in the open, but the cool spring weather seems to have a good effect on fall sown grain which is doing real well.

Berries Look Healthy

The small amount of berries grown in this neighborhood seem to face spring in a healthy condition.

Camelias, which have been budding for several months without making hardly any noticeable change, have slowly taken on unusual large proportions and are beginning to show red. It is expected that a week of sunshine will bring them out in their full glory with exceptionally large blossoms.

Willamina Scouts Get Advancement

WILLAMINA — The Yamhill county Boy Scouts' court of honor was held in the school gymnasium recently. Scouts from all parts of the county were present. Kerny Benefiel, Orley Brock, Glenn Larkins, Curtis Benefiel and Paul Franklin received second class merit badges, and Jack Shetterly, Wayne Rickert, Delmar Jensen, Oscar Benefiel, Charles Colburn and J. A. Jensen, jr. received first class merit badges.

David Glass, son of Mrs. Albert Glass, is home from the McMinnville hospital where he had been the past six weeks, being treated for ear trouble, in an effort to prevent a mastoid operation. His condition is much improved though he is still under the doctor's care.

Luke Hyder has vacated his work shop here, the property having been purchased from B. A. Kliks by S. W. Stewart.

Three Families in New Residences

WILLAMINA — Recent exchanges of residences were the W. C. Tremblay family to the Roy Cobb house; Mr. and Mrs. Al Newby to the house vacated by them, and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lupro to the house vacated by the Newbys. The Lupros have purchased the property of Otto Heider.

William McIntyre of Highland was in town one day last week looking for a location for a general store.

Jack Crook and little son Loren, who left here last July to spend an indefinite time in Texas and Illinois, returned to the Earl Smith home Monday. Loren will live with the Smiths, his grandparents.

Cooperation Is Theme for Club

WOODBURN—The East Woodburn Highway Commercial club held its regular weekly meeting at Brandt's tavern Tuesday noon. Clyde Smith, president, appointed as an attendance committee, Mr. Brandt, Kenneth McGrath, George Cummins and Elmer Mattson.

Rev. T. J. O'Connor of the Christian church gave an interesting talk on cooperation, bringing out the point that much more can be accomplished in a community by cooperation than can be accomplished otherwise.

Want Salem to Aid In Road Request

SILVERTON—At the Tuesday night business meeting of the Silverton chamber of commerce the group voted to request the local committee to get in touch with the Salem chamber in an effort to bring combined pressure on the county court to obtain at least a rough surface for the Salem-Silverton highway in the near future.

Announcement was made that the program committee hoped to bring a speaker from the state college for the last March meeting and that Victor P. Morse of the university would be guest speaker in April.

Lindahl Rites Today

WOODBURN—Funeral services for Martinius J. Lindahl will be held at the Beechler O'Hair mortuary Thursday at 2 p.m. instead of Saturday as previously reported.

Mission Society Selects Officers

Mrs. E. V. Dalton Retained as President; Group to Attend Meet

DALLAS—The annual election of officers and opening of the mite boxes were special features at the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon. A covered dish luncheon was served at 12:30 with Mrs. E. V. Dalton and Mrs. Sidney E. Whitworth acting as hostesses.

Officers elected to serve for the new year: Mrs. E. V. Dalton, reelected president; Mrs. Robert R. Van Orsdel, vice president; Mrs. Donald Gabber, reelected secretary; Mrs. L. W. Plummer, reelected treasurer; Mrs. Robert Kutch, secretary of missionary education; Mrs. R. C. Wilson, membership secretary; Mrs. J. G. Van Orsdel, secretary of stewardship;: Mrs. L. G. Smith, secretary of sewing.

To Attend Presbyterial

Members from this society plan to attend the Willamette Presbyterial meeting in the First Presbyterian church at Salem Thursday and Friday of this week with E. V. Dalton, Mrs. Mark Hayter and Mrs. Frank Johnson elected delegates.

Reports on the study book, "City Shadows," were given by Mrs. E. V. Dalton, Mrs. Robert Kutch, Mrs. Sidney E. Whitworth, Mrs. L. W. Plummer, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. Mark Hayter, Mrs. R. C. Wilson and Miss Anne Haugeberg.

Ben Harris Dies And Brother Hurt

SHELBURN — C. D. Harris, who recently returned from a stay with his twin sons, Ben and Bert Harris in various parts of California, this week received a message telling of the death of Ben and serious injury to Bert in an auto collision in New York.

The boys, expert acrobats, had traveled extensively in this country and Europe.

Ben's body is expected in Oregon soon where it will be buried.

Seasons' Party, Program Held

WOODBURN — The Lutheran Daughters of the Reformation held a birthday party at the Lutheran hall Wednesday. Four tables decorated according to seasons of the year, each bore three cakes representing each month of the season. Everyone paid a penny for every year of their age.

This program was presented: Talk by Rev. O. Asper; vocal trio, Dorothy Lee Wilkins, Ione Anderson, and Thelma Asper; piano duet by Edna Hermanson and Muriel Haroldson; accordion solo by Joy Randall; Norwegian song by Bernice Hanson; piano solo by Margery Evenson and song by all.

Grangers Guests As Mickle Speaks

SILVERTON—Grangers were guests of the Lions club Tuesday night at a dinner at Tony's. J. D. Mickle, head of the state department of agriculture, guest speaker, discussed the work of the state department.

Roy Larson, with the law enforcement of the state department, also spoke briefly.

The speakers were introduced by Harry Riches, Marion county agricultural agent.

Plans were started for a ladies' night entertainment and an entertainment for other local service clubs.

Next week's meeting will be devoted to business.

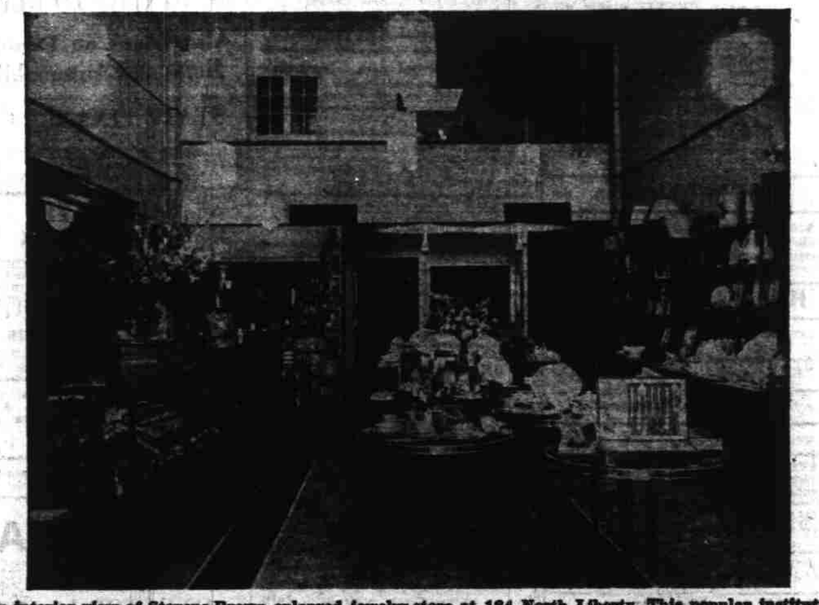
Aurora Youths to Play in All-Northwest Band

AURORA—William B. Kraus of Aurora and Gale Quinn of Canby were selected from the senior class band of Canby union high school to play in the all-northwest band at Tacoma March 29 to April 2. The players in the northwest band are selected from schools in the Pacific northwest and Alaska.

The band's appearance will be in connection with the northwest music teachers' conference in Tacoma.

The Southern Pacific company this week erected a new crane beside the tracks to catch the mail from trains going through Aurora.

Celebrating 5th Birthday



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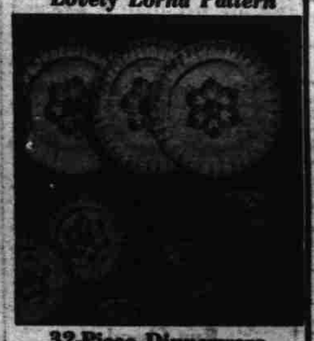

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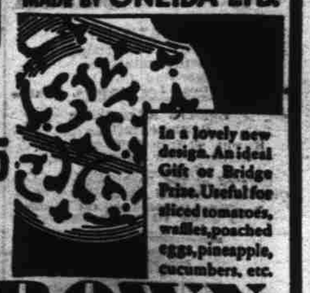

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