

Taking Census Of Businesses

Merchants Interviewed for Special List of Information

WOODBURN—The business and manufacturers census was taken in Woodburn this week. Mrs. Alice L. Barnett of Brooks, census enumerator, was in Woodburn, beginning Monday, interviewing local merchants and business men. She indicated that some of the most important questions she is required to ask have to do with gross receipts for 1939, payroll for 1939, inventory and credit sales.

John Whittaker of Salem is taking a similar census in Hubbard, Gervais and other communities near Woodburn.

The general census is to start on April 2. Appointment of general census takers is to be announced about the middle of this month.

Mrs. Barnett has taken the business census in the rural territory north of Salem and also in Silvertown.

Trial Postponed

WOODBURN—Trial of Andrew L. Whitney, S. M. Gillock and Lillian Gillock, all of Hubbard, has been postponed until March 12. They were to have been tried Wednesday, March 6, in the Woodburn justice court.

Sell Garage

WOODBURN—Charles L. Saunders and George B. Stuckey, who have been operating a garage and auto repair shop at First and Arthur streets for the past fourteen years, have sold their business to Steven Bauman of this city. Bauman has had experience in garage work in Salem and Woodburn and intends to add fender and body work to the list of services available.

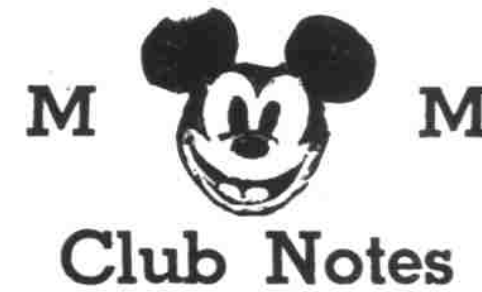
Delays Action

WOODBURN—The Woodburn city council at its meeting held last Tuesday night delayed final action on calling for bids for drilling a new city well.

Marion Women Guests at Scio

MARION—The Woman's club entertained by Mrs. Selmar Lee at Scio was attended by 23 members. A delicious luncheon was served at noon by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Arden Hamner at North Santiam.



Club Notes

Hiya, Mice, and how's the world treating you this zesty March a.m.? It would definitely appear as though the little clambake is put on for your benefit and for your enjoyment, so, if you don't like the way it's run it's your duty to say something about it. It isn't like the weather—something you don't like and can do nothing about. On the last week's show we had something of a "field day" for members of the Spence Family, with both Ronald and Ramona doing their bit toward making your afternoon more enjoyable. On this show, too, were such well-known personalities as Fred Andrews, Leontine Behold, and an old favorite of long standing, Orville Beardley. I want to thank all of you for the swell job you did on your respective songs, and commend you on a situation well taken care of.

MMC

Seems as tho' the Mickey Mouse show is starting a triumphal march from Saturday to Saturday with a very fine show of home talent. It makes all of us around the Elsinore very happy to note the added interest you seem to be taking in this club. After all, you know, this little clambake is put on for your benefit and for your enjoyment, so, if you don't like the way it's run it's your duty to say something about it. It isn't like the weather—something you don't like and can do nothing about. On the last week's show we had something of a "field day" for members of the Spence Family, with both Ronald and Ramona doing their bit toward making your afternoon more enjoyable. On this show, too, were such well-known personalities as Fred Andrews, Leontine Behold, and an old favorite of long standing, Orville Beardley. I want to thank all of you for the swell job you did on your respective songs, and commend you on a situation well taken care of.

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Let's see, now—if I remember correctly, we have a pretty doggone good show coming up this week, too. Some old friends and favorites you haven't heard from for quite a while will be here to entertain you and renew old acquaintances. I'm not going to tell you who they are but will surprise you when the show starts.

MMC

Glancing over the "scorecard" I see we have a real screen treat lined up for you this afternoon. We're really and truly happy to present a team who were born to dance—together; Fred Astaire and Eleanor Powell in "Broadway Melody of 1940" with George Murphy, Frank Morgan, Florence Rice, and Ian Hunter in the first musical hit of the new year. Manager Porter has booked a special feature for the Mickey Mouse matinee only, starring Gene Autry in "Prairie Moon" with "Smiley" Burnette. Also, on this program is the latest March of Time on the peace programs of Pope Pius with the first pictures ever to be taken with official permission of the Vatican City, and, too, the latest news of the day, and chapter 11 of "The Green Hornet". Remember, there's only two chapters left of this serial after this one so you'd better get in on all the action finish. And, of course, another swell stage show.

MMC

Until 12:30 then, at which time the doors swing wide to greet you with open arms and all that sort of stuff, I'll say, "adios" gang.

DEAN, Mickey Mouse Chief

German Crewmen Aided, Red Cross



So that the Nazi crew of the liner Columbus might have some means of relaxation during its enforced stay at San Francisco's Angel Island, American Red Cross members delivered a stock of books, magazines, games, playing cards recently for use during the crew's imprisonment. Mrs. Sherman Chickering, San Francisco socialite, is shown with crew members and First Officer Hans Rupert as packages were delivered.—LIN photo.

Scientific Analysis of Economic, Social Ills Needed to Safeguard American Democracy, Says Speaker

SILVERTON—America must be as scientific in dealing with her social problem as she is in dealing with her public health if she would make "democracy safe," according to Dr. John C. Duval, sociologist and world traveler who spoke before a large adult forum group at the high school auditorium Thursday night. Dr. Duval was introduced by Herman Kramer, principal of the senior high school, and he spoke on the subject, "How Safe is Democracy?"

"Symptoms are only steps in analysis. Cause and not symptoms must be studied if a democracy is to be preserved. You don't treat the rash, you treat the disease that causes the rash," Duval said.

Free trade and staying out of the present world war were two points on which Dr. Duval insisted at least a portion of democracy's safety rested. Each state in America, he explained, is a sovereign power and yet no tariff between these states exist. Cooperation, rather than cut-throat competition, is what is needed between the countries today, he said.

Other pertinent points brought out by Dr. Duval were: "before we start out again to make the world safe for democracy we should begin to make democracy safe at home. We should be careful not to develop a class that has everything to gain and nothing to lose from a revolutionary upheaval."

Causes of democracy's failure, Dr. Duval said are four major ones: The lack of a further frontier to go to when out of work. Collapse of the economic system. Failure of government to do anything about it after the economic system fails. A revolutionary organization.

Dr. Duval will return in two weeks and speak on the subject, "The Present War and the Next World Peace."

Altruistic Club Meets at Dallas

DALLAS—Members of the Altruistic club were entertained at the home of Mrs. T. B. Hooker Wednesday night with Mrs. Ed Dunn as assistant hostess.

Seven tables of "500" were in play at the conclusion of which prizes were presented Mrs. Arden Domaschofsky, Mrs. C. D. Helgerson, Mrs. Andrew Irwin, Mrs. A. J. Kracher and Mrs. Roy James.

Guests included Mrs. Harvey Carpenter, Mrs. Martin Knittel, Mrs. Roy James, the Misses Hazel and Helen Butler and Georgia McClanathan. Twenty-four members were also present.

Tests Scheduled For Tuberculosis

DALLAS—Skin tests for tuberculosis will be given at the Dallas high school Tuesday morning, March 2, under the auspices of the Polk County Public Health association. Arrangements are being made by Margaret Gillis, Polk county health nurse.

Dr. E. B. Bossatt, Dallas physician, will give the tests. Parents of high school students are urged to see that their children take the tests which are being made at the suggestion of Dr. G. C. Bellingier.

Herley Named Chamber Head

Independence Group Picks Officers for Year, Hear Speakers

INDEPENDENCE—Dr. George D. Herley was elected president of the Independence chamber of commerce at its regular meeting held in Campbell's hall Tuesday night. Other officers elected for the coming year included R. A. Sylvester, vice-president; Ira D. Mix, treasurer; and Ralph H. Kletzing and William F. Karbel, directors. R. M. Walker and James Hart are the holdover directors and past president Melford Nelson will also be a member of the board.

Special guests at the meeting included Alford Cox, coach at OCE, who spoke briefly, and A. J. Farrell, state plumbing inspector, who showed moving pictures of sanitary plumbing problems as studied in institutes of specialized work.

W. F. Karbel and Dean Walker, members of the recently formed Salem Independence, Kings Valley road club gave a report of the project. Walker stated that the whole project would depend on the building of a bridge across the river at Independence and that he would work to bring this about.

Thomas R. Smith mentioned the possibilities of securing a plywood plant and was appointed as a committee of one to investigate the matter.

The next regular meeting of the chamber will be Tuesday night, March 19, at which time the newly elected officers will preside. The secretary will be appointed by the new board of directors and the committee for the coming year appointed by the president.

Problems of Hop Raising Are Told

INDEPENDENCE—Senator Dean Walker as guest speaker at the Lions club meeting Monday noon, spoke on hops.

"Hops are the most important crop of Polk county and have never been below fifth in farm products and have even been as high as second. The same number of acres in other crops do not require the investment as do hops which require approximately \$400 per acre," he said.

He told of the history of the hop industry relating how they were first brought to the United States to Virginia, later to New York and then to the West. He also related the many problems of the grower.

He stated that the survival of the hop industry will depend upon the scientific methods made through experiments in the future. "The growers must face the future with modern methods. Many growers are still growing hops as their fathers did," he said.

Church Circle Is Entertained

DALLAS—Members of circle C of the First Presbyterian church were entertained at the home of Mrs. R. C. Wilson Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Clarence Curry assisted in serving.

Mrs. E. V. Dalton, Mrs. E. D. Conwell, Mrs. Hanor and Mrs. Curry were guests of the circle and members present included: Mrs. George Kurze, Mrs. Conner, Mrs. E. A. Hamilton, Mrs. W. V. Fuller, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. H. H. Beebe, Mrs. Charles Plessinger, Mrs. C. J. Enstad and the hostess.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George R. Eberling.

Officers Elected By Dallas Group

DALLAS—At a meeting of group two of the Sisterhood of the First Christian church at the home of Mrs. Clyde Gibbs, election of officers was held.

Officers elected were: Mrs. James Herra, president; Mrs. Joe Remington, vice-president; Mrs. Elmer Ray, secretary-treasurer.

Grangers News

UNION HILL—A resolution requesting the county agent to hold meetings to demonstrate the control of pea weevil was passed at a meeting of the Marion County Grange council at the Union Hill Grange hall Wednesday.

Members and officers were present from Chemawa, Macleay, North Howell, Red Hills, Roberts, Salem, Silvertown, Silvertown Hills, Stayton, Surprise of Turner, Union Hill and Woodburn.

The morning was taken up with group meetings. At noon a covered-dish dinner was served to about 60.

In the afternoon a program was presented by Mrs. J. C. Krenz, the Pamona lecturer. Rev. Robert Hutchinson, minister of the Congregational church at Salem and members of the Salem grange, spoke on Americanism. Elmer McClure, state grange deputy, also spoke. Group singing was accompanied by Mrs. D. B. Kiehege of Chemawa.

Dallas Speakers Enter Tournament

DALLAS—Several students of Dallas high school are taking part in the state speech tournament which is being held at Willamette university this weekend.

Dallas high school entered two debating teams. The debaters are Clark Robb, Betty Smith, Cathryn Robbs and Thomas Riggs, members of the first team and Dorothy Wiebe, Lorene Agree, Jimmie Boydston and Caroline Brockway, members of the second team.

In the speech division of the tournament the local entries are Betty Smith, extempore; Wilma Robb, Thomas Riggs and Florence Elliott, oratory; humorous and serious interpretation, Mary Friesen, Carolina Brockway, Dolores Auitrit, Bonnie Grow and Nadine Gerard.

Esther Greenwell and Ralph Murphy, debate coaches, accompanied the Dallas team to Salem.

Hazel Henry is coach of the students in the interpretive division; Donald Gabbert, coach of those in oratory and Ralph Murphy coach of the extempore division.

Fined for Driving Without License

DALLAS—Orval Harold Hansen, who was arrested by the state police at Monmouth on a charge of driving without an operator's license, was brought to the Polk county jail Tuesday to serve out a 10-day jail sentence.

Charles Frederick Orman, who was arrested at Valseiz by Deputy Sheriff W. W. Williams on a charge of driving without a license, was arraigned and ordered to pay a fine and court costs amounting to \$17.50.

Joseph Ross, 51, was taken to the state hospital this week. He was recently arrested by the local sheriff's office on a charge of statutory rape involving his 14-year-old daughter.

South Dakota Man Takes Store Job

SILVERTON—Carl Hallauer of Watertown, S. D., has accepted a position at the local J. C. Penney store.

A series of classes in credit fundamental will open here March 14, with Professor W. Jones of Willamette university in charge. The classes will continue for ten weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. McMannus are reporting the birth of a son March 7, at the Silvertown hospital.

Plan 4H Party At West Salem

State Club Leaders Will Speak; all Members Are Invited

WEST SALEM—Leaders of the boys 4H clubs will sponsor a party Tuesday night in the school gymnasium. All 4H club members will be entertained. State Club Leader H. C. Seymour and Josiah Willis will speak.

The Methodist Ladies Aid society held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Leighton Dashiell Wednesday afternoon. Proceeds of a program to be given by the Jolly Time Quilting club March 29 at the city hall will go to the aid. March 29 a program in keeping with Easter will be held in the church committee room. Mrs. W. D. Phillips, Mrs. Donald Kuhn and Mrs. Arthur Hathaway are in charge. Mrs. Leighton Dashiell and Mrs. R. Blockman, delegates to the convention of the Methodist ladies' organizations in Salem, gave reports.

The HEC club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Art Hathaway. Mrs. Leighton Dashiell, Mrs. Phil Hathaway and Mrs. Donald Kuhn were appointed to work with Rev. Don Huckabee in completing arrangements for a special church service for the grange March 10. Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. M. C. O'Brien in two weeks.

Five were fined in police court Thursday for violations of the basic speed rule. They were Robert Kodak, Gold Beach, \$5; Paul B. Wardell, Silvertown, \$3.50; Claude J. Edwards, Salem, \$2.50; Eric Paul Berkman, Salem, \$3.

Mission Society Meets at Dallas

DALLAS—Members of the Women's Missionary society of the First Methodist church were entertained at the home of Mrs. C. O. Hawkins Wednesday afternoon. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. E. H. Low and Mrs. A. H. Davis. A benefit luncheon was served preceding the afternoon meeting.

Mrs. Peter Berg had charge of the devotions and Mrs. George L. Hawkins was in charge of the program. Dr. H. F. Pemberton, pastor of the church, gave a talk on foreign missionary work.

More than twenty members were present for the meeting.

Church Mission Group Gathers

DALLAS—The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary society of the First Christian church was held Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors.

Mrs. Martha Clay had charge of the devotions. Talks on the lesson study for the day were given by Mrs. Eugene Hayter, Mrs. Ella Gard and Rev. O. D. Harris. Miss Harriet Fullenwider sang, accompanied by Miss Gladys Wright.

Hostesses included Mrs. Frank Dorchester, Mrs. Frank Inman, Mrs. Chloe Butz, Mrs. George Sumpter and Mrs. William Domaschofsky.

Married in California

WOODBURN—Miss Betty Jane Hicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hicks of Woodburn, was married last Thursday to William Hall of San Francisco. Mrs. Hicks left Woodburn Tuesday night for San Francisco to attend the wedding. The couple plan to make their home in San Francisco.

Farmers Union News

DONALD—Arbor Grove local of Farmer's Union met in Donald school house for its last meeting. Harley Libby installed the officers for the coming year, and gave a talk.

Four new members were added: Mr. and Mrs. Newton Davis and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Mitchell all of Woodburn, route 1. We are glad to welcome these good neighbors and hope that they will receive and give much help to our organization.

Brooks Aid Has Large Attendance

BROOKS—Twenty-six were present at the regular meeting of the Methodist Ladies Aid society Wednesday afternoon at the church.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. John Lesher, Mrs. Roy Reed and Mrs. Orval Otto. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. Maude Timm, Mrs. Bertha Streeter, Mrs. Alta Singletary and Mrs. William Slaughter as hostesses.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. McClure, mother of Mrs. Herbert Cagle of this place. Mrs. Cagle and her sister, Mrs. Maude Rogers, left immediately for Exeter, Mo., to attend the funeral services. Mrs. McClure visited here last summer.

Kraid Ashbaugh left Wednesday for his home in Angwin, Cal., and Ira Ashbaugh left Saturday for his home in Ventura, Cal.

Mrs. Roy Reed and son, Kenneth, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Alvin Reed, left Thursday morning for Redmond, Wash., where they will spend a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. Reed's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Darland.

Nominating Group Is Named by PTA

SILVERTON—Named as the nominating committee for the Parent Teacher association were Mrs. W. P. Scarth, Mrs. T. R. Hobart and Olga Johnson. The association met Thursday afternoon and officers will be elected at the April meeting.

Herman Kramer, high school principal, spoke on education, Thursday afternoon and music was furnished by the chorus from the high school.

Announcements were made concerning the PTA jamboree on March 29, a proposed rummage sale in April, and a PTA benefit card party sponsored by the Legion auxiliary March 12, at the armory.

Powell Funeral Will Be Today

MONMOUTH—Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. at the Christian church here for Ira C. Powell, 75, who died Wednesday at the Deaconess hospital. The Rev. W. A. Elkins will officiate. Interment will be in Fir Crest cemetery here, directed by the Smith-Baun mortuary.

Visit in California

ORCHARD HEIGHTS—Mr. and Mrs. James Best are visiting in California. Two cases of pneumonia have been reported from Orchard Heights. Kenard Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Adams and Buddy Dillon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Dillon.

Detroit Teachers Offered Contracts

Logging Equipment Being Repaired for new Camp Setting

DETROIT—The Detroit school board at their regular meeting this week offered teaching contracts to N. Walter Shelby, principal; Mrs. Bonnie Kesler, high school teacher; and Ivan Icker, upper grade teacher.

Bud Harris has some men busy repairing tractors and getting ready to set up logging operations next week. The camp site will be at the former Davis Johnson pole camp, and logging will be across the river east of the camp.

Members of the Happy Hour club were entertained at the Walter Shelby home Wednesday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Richard Lee, Mrs. Earl Parker, Mrs. Joe Wright, Mrs. Henry Beard, Mrs. Ward Stahlman, Grandma White, Mrs. Edward Thompson and son Bobby, Mrs. Glenn Charlton, Mrs. Richard Hanson and children, Richard, Carol and Della Mae, Mrs. James Neilson and Nancy, Mrs. Tom Fryer and the hostess, Mrs. Shelby. The Happy Hour club will hold its next meeting the night of March 20 in the high school music room.

Major Baughn, local automobile dealer, attended a banquet in Portland Wednesday night. Frank Allen accompanied Baughn to Portland.

Mrs. Russell Hammon took Mrs. Charles Chester to Portland Wednesday for medical attention. Mrs. Chester has been in poor health the past 16 months and Tuesday night became much worse. Mrs. Chester remained in Portland at the home of her brother, Mr. Howland, where she will stay for some time.

Fruitland Women Are Entertained

FRUITLAND—At the meeting of the Woman's circle at the home of Mrs. K. O. Runner, reports on late books and their authors were given by Elsie Gird, Daisy Lambert and Leila Paine. Mrs. Paul Silke sang. After various games lunch was served by the joint hostesses, Mrs. K. O. Runner and Mrs. Emma Runner. The next meeting will be held April 4 at the home of Mrs. Harvey Armstrong with Mrs. Leila Armstrong as joint hostess.

Measles have broken out in the neighborhood and caused several children to miss school. Recently Fred Pagg went to Detroit, Mich., to purchase a new car.

Charles Yorgen is building an addition to his house and a garage. Val Gerig, who had an operation at a Salem hospital, is recuperating at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Virgil Buck in Los Angeles, Calif.

MICKEY MOUSE MATINEE TODAY AT 1 P. M.
Special Feature - Gene Autry in "Prairie Moon"

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Clarence E. Mulford's "THE SHOWDOWN"
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STATE CONTINUOUS SHOW-MATINEE 1 P. M.
Bob Hope Paulette Goddard in "Cat and the Canary" Pat O'Brien and Joan Wayne Morris in "Kid from Kokomo"

Board Empowered To Sell Building
MIDDLE GROVE—Thirty-nine votes in favor and 5 against, giving the school board power to dispose of the Polk County Public Health association. Arrangements are being made by Margaret Gillis, Polk county health nurse.

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