

# School Clerk Sworn In

## Silverton Considers Applications of Teachers

SILVERTON—W. R. Tomison has been elected chairman of the Silverton school board for the coming year. A. B. Anderson, recently elected superintendent, has been sworn in as clerk.

Several vacancies still exist in the local faculty but a number of applications have been received and are being considered. Some of these may be acted upon at the July meeting of the board.

Some discussion of moving the district office from the Eugene Field building to the high school, was held at the board meeting this week, but no decision has been reached.

**BRUSH CREEK**—Fred Krug has been elected new member of the Brush Creek school board to succeed D. F. Hillman, whose term expired. Mrs. J. C. Larson was reelected clerk and her daughter, Mrs. Viola Nybakken, has been hired as teacher for the coming year.

**MEHAMA**—The annual school meeting Monday night resulted in the reelection of Mrs. H. C. McCarter as clerk and of McCarter as director, to fill the place vacated by James Blum. The other two directors are A. W. Landers and Ira Kirsch.

**CENTRAL HOWELL**—At the annual school meeting, Elton Watis was elected as school director to succeed Henry Werner, who declined reelection. School clerk D. A. Steffen was reelected. The other directors are A. L. Cowden and W. A. Roth.

**MEHAMA**—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Branch have purchased the Carter property which adjoins their own. The Branches intend to move into their new home and rent the old one.

Ralph Downer has purchased a farm near Mill City and expects to move there with his family soon.

**CENTRAL HOWELL**—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gower sold their 87-acre farm to M. O. Kephart of Aumsville, Kephart, who recently sold his farm at Aumsville, will take possession in December. Gower has not yet made any definite plans for the future.

# Donnelly In News Again

E. A. Donnelly, formerly superintendent of the Statesman's typographical department, now newspaper publisher and justice of the peace at Oswego, gets into the news frequently.

On Friday he was in a barber shop getting a haircut, when his automobile which he had parked "almost in front" of the shop, according to his report to the Clackamas county sheriff, was stolen. The car was found soon afterward only a few blocks away.

Deputy Sheriff Shobe in reporting the recovery observed that "because of the girth of Justice Donnelly, the frame of his car had probably been sprung, making the car go sideways and causing the thieves to become too dizzy to drive it far."

# Sawmill Starts; Steincamp Fells 20,000 of Trees

GATES—The Eckleson-Shepherd sawmill at Gates began operations Friday morning. The sawed lumber will be sold and trucked to the Gates Cochran mill at Lyons.

AUMSVILLE—Henry Steincamp is felling 20,000 feet of trees on the Lee Sutton place. This will be made into lumber at the Walter Rak sawmill north of Aumsville. Wet weather has prevented hauling the logs out as yet.

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# Pictur Draws Wallace Criticism



This picture of a suit-suit couple dancing, which won for Ollie Atkins, Washington Daily News former photographer now with the Red Cross, the White House Photographers association grand prize, drew criticism from Vice President Henry A. Wallace, who presented the awards. "I cannot see how the judges could have picked a suit-suit picture in times like these," Wallace said with a grin as he handed Atkins the prize.—Associated Press Telemat.

# Naming of Real Estate Head Seen

Following Gov. Earl Snell's return to his office here Monday, an appointment to the office of state real estate commissioner is expected.

Claude H. Murphy who has held that office since separation of the real estate department from the insurance department early in the administration of Gov. Charles A. Sprague, was reported to have submitted his resignation to Gov. Snell some time ago with the request that he be relieved of his duties not later than July 1.

Names of several prominent real estate brokers have been mentioned in connection with the appointment but some of them have later indicated lack of interest in the office.

# Webb Razes Old Store, Aumsville

AUMSVILLE—One of the oldest store buildings here is being razed by Harry Webb, who has purchased the Morris place just south of the Wetzel school. He will use the lumber to build chicken houses on his farm.

The building being razed is more than 40 years old and has been settling and leaning the last few years until it was considered unsafe to leave standing.

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# Lumber Price Channeling Rule Lifted

Buyers of premium priced western pine lumber who were heretofore required to certify that they would absorb the increased mill price today were relieved of that obligation by the office of price administration.

Prior to today's action, a \$3.00 "premium" over the regulation ceiling prices was provided for producers in five western states, to apply on twelve specified grades and sizes of western pine lumber which by order of the war production board were to be channeled almost exclusively to government agencies, contractors and sub-contractors and manu-

facturers of western wooden agricultural containers. Purchasers not within the classes named under this prior provision were permitted to buy such grades and sizes under special WPB release, and at the "premium" price, provided they certified that the increased price would be absorbed by them and not passed along.

Recently WPB has released increasing quantities of this lumber to "non-government" buyers. Production is at a level to permit such releases, which are said by WPB to be necessary to maintain the wartime civilian economy. Lumber channeled into these uses will be available principally for farmers, manufacturers of essential millwork, and through retail yards to small domestic consumers.

# 40 Additional Blood Donors Still Needed

Forty additional volunteers for blood donors' service Tuesday in Salem were still needed Saturday night, J. Scellars, Legion chairman for the Red Cross blood bank contributions in the capital city, said.

Approximately 130 pints of blood were given last Tuesday by Salem residents.

Donor center is the First Methodist church; hours are from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and registrations are taken by the Red Cross over its office telephone, 9277.

# Canine Deserter Gives Up

CAMP ADAIR, Ore., June 26—Blazer, the pedigreed army colie who went AWOL in the early hours of dawn Tuesday, gave himself up this morning when he voluntarily returned to the confines of Camp Adair.

The searchings of the dog's trainer, a military police motorcycle patrolman, and the Albany town patrol were of no avail after the guard at the canine detachment reported that Blazer, fed up with the restrictions of army life, shook free his leash and took off.

The prodigal pooch is now

# Miss Davenport Marks Birthday Thursday

WEST SALEM—Shirley Mae Davenport celebrated her 14th birthday with a party on Thursday afternoon.

Guests were Delores Hathaway, Bonnie Bell Hathaway, Betty Jo Davenport, Beverly Abbott, Helen McVey, Ruth McVey, Arline Kuhn, Maxine Glenora Lee and Shirley Davenport. Games were enjoyed.

Afterward a lunch was served with the table centered with a decorated birthday cake.

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