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By Capital Journal's Special Correspondents

SEPTIC TANKS MAY BE NEEDED FOR WOODBURN

Woodburn, Or., Dec. 2.—A division engineer from the state highway department will visit Woodburn to investigate and offer estimates on improvement to Blaine street that will prevent water from annoying property owners and to advise the city council in reference to filling Lincoln street, Alderman W. F. Norman reported to the council last night.

The question of more septic tanks was discussed at length. City Engineer White offering estimates for a tank and filter bed on Front totaling \$1270.75. Necessary street improvements would swell the total about \$500. It was suggested by the city engineer that a survey be made looking toward a trunk sewer from the south outlet that would take care of septic tanks and eliminate much of the nuisance arising from an outlet into a creek. Such a plan would better conditions fully 80 per cent, it was estimated. The city engineer was authorized to employ a man to assist in the survey.

When two bidders for 570 feet of sidewalk both quoted the price of 16 cents a square foot, the council voted to award 235 feet of the job to each. M. J. Olson will construct the north half of the work on North Third and W. H. Alteman and the south portion.

W. J. Wilson and Oscar Allen were awarded a contract to improve Wilson street with 103 cubic yards of gravel. Finding there was no bid for the work the council quoted \$617.95 for the job, \$180.23 over the estimated cost. They expressed willingness to go ahead and refund the difference as both are property owners and are anxious to have the street improved for the actual cost of the work.

An open ditch is needed to provide an outlet for water on Settler avenue as the ground is higher than the tilling, the street commissioner informed the council. Investigation by the water committee revealed that the carry-off ditch ends about 50 feet from the street and if that is old tile, it is insufficient to carry off the waste water.

Residents living outside the city limits may avail themselves of the water supply if they will finance the construction of about 1500 feet of ditch and furnish the necessary pipe. The city will agree to supply the water.

"UNCLE BILLY" WRIGHT RETIRES AT AGE OF 85

Independence, Dec. 2.—William Wright, commonly known as "Uncle Billy," who owns the large peach orchard and garden tract adjoining Independence, has leased his farm to Elmer Lewis, a recent arrival from Nebraska. "Uncle Billy" will make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis. He says he is only eight-five years old and is not retiring on account of age but just to give the younger folks a chance. Mr. Lewis will make a specialty of gardening and raising peaches, grapes and other small fruits.

WOODBURN MAY AMEND CHARTER

Woodburn, Or., Dec. 2.—Woodburn is interested in two civic matters that may result in amendments to the city charter and be given ballot titles for the next election.

The first of these is whether or not general fund warrants of \$34,000 will be refunded with a bond issue and the matter of dividing the city into the east and west wards instead of one ward as at present.

Consideration of the bond issue is being given by the community club and a committee is expected to make a report at the next meeting. The result of the report will be reported back to the city council at an early date and final action will be taken.

XMAS SEAL SALE IS BEGUN

Monmouth, Or., Dec. 2.—The Christmas seal sale began yesterday in downtown booths under the supervision of Mrs. J. S. Landers. Assisting in the work is the book club, the civic club, the Ladies Aid of the Christian Evangelical and the Baptist churches, the Dorcas society and the Epiphany society of the normal school. The sale will last this week but stamps will be procurable until Christmas.

The Dorcas society of the First Christian church gave a play entitled "Patty Makes Things Hum." Tuesday night in the high school gymnasium. The cast was as follows: Captain Braithwaite, William Saver, Captain Little, Earl Stewart; Mr. Green, Mr. Loucks; Mrs. Green, Mrs. F. E. Chambers; Mr. Smith, A. C. Powers; Mrs. Smith, Mrs. A. D. Horner; Hope Dunbar, Opal Wedekind; Helen Braithwaite, Valerie Miller; Hazel, the colored help, Mrs. Sickafous.

Laura J. Taylor, head of the physical education department of the Oregon Normal school, underwent a major operation Saturday morning at a Portland hospital. She will not return until after the Christmas holidays.

BRUSH COLLEGE

Brush College, Dec. 2.—Grange will meet at Brush College Friday evening, Dec. 4. Election of officers will be held. The program will be furnished by students of the Chemawa Indian school. Hot supper at 8:30.

The Brush College Helpers will be entertained this week at the home of Mrs. Blodgett Thursday afternoon.

The Bible study class will meet at Mr. Buell's home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney had as guests for Thanksgiving dinner Mrs. Hawes and Mrs. Smith of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Caspell and daughter Luella, Mr. and Mrs. Vandervort, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Winslow and family of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Lehman and sons Russell and Robert of Brush College.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ewing entertained the following guests at Thanksgiving: Mr. George Ewing's family of Portland and Mr. Archie Ewing's family of Brush College.

Thanksgiving was celebrated in the Buell home by the following members of the family: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buell, Mr. Ayre Buell and family of Astoria, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Smith and daughters Estella and Marjorie.

The Munson family spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Walker east of Salem.

Guests at the Munson home the past week were Mrs. Oils Gillett and son Warus of Cosmopolis, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Blodgett, Mr. and Mrs. Utley, Mr. and Mrs. McCall, motored to Portland for Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. Utley.

Mr. Howard Norwood and family of Sumas, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Will Norwood and children, William and Virginia of Seattle, were guests at the K. W. Harritt home Friday evening.

The song service held at Brush College Sunday evening was well attended and many beautiful songs rendered.

The funeral of Mrs. Jaeger took place Friday. It was attended by many sorrowing relatives and friends of this community.

Mrs. McCarter entertained her sister, Mrs. Cannon and family of Rosedale and her mother, Mrs. McDonald of Salem Sunday.

Miss Jessie Harritt of Portland visited her mother, Sunday.

ROSEDALE

Rosedale, Dec. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bates visited relatives at Portland during the week-end.

Miss Mary L. Scott, principal of the school, spent Thanksgiving at her home in Portland.

Miss Helen Casnack spent the week end in Portland.

Mr. C. A. Cole and family took Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Cole's mother, Mrs. Retta Pemberton of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Alexander visited at the Alexander home last Sunday.

Miss Laura Casnack spent Thanksgiving vacation at her home returning to Monmouth Monday morning.

Several from here attended the funeral of Father Townsend, a former resident of this place, last Friday from the South Salem Friends church.

The Gleaners S. S. class held a class social at the home of their teacher last Saturday in honor of the birthdays of two of their members, Misses Lela Cook and Ruth Smith.

There will be a N. P. E. I. week end conference held at the church this week. Services Friday night, Saturday night and all day Sunday. Bring your basket dinner Sunday and enjoy the social hour. Students platform meeting in the afternoon. Mrs. Boss Owens Runyan, a talented singer, of Portland, will conduct the singing.

Has Birthday Party

Broadacres, Or., Dec. 2.—Mrs. Louisa Madden gave a birthday party for her little daughter, Marion, Sunday, November 29. Those present were: Audrey and Dorothy Elmer, Elva and Neil Isaacson and Mrs. Isaacson. Marion was four years old.

Hold Union Service

Independence, Dec. 2.—The Presbyterian and Methodist churches of Independence united in Thanksgiving service at 10 o'clock on Thanksgiving morning. The services were held in the Baptist church, Rev. Howard Mori, pastor of the Methodist church, delivered the sermon.

Attend Drainage Meet.

Woodburn, Or., Dec. 2.—John P. Hunt and Eugene Courtney attended the joint session of the Oregon Drainage association and the Oregon Irrigation congress held at the Salem chamber of commerce rooms Tuesday.

Weekly Drill Held

Woodburn, Or., Dec. 2.—The Howitzer company of the 188th Infantry held its regular weekly drill last night, followed with a feed. The military unit now has 62 members. Officers are Captain G. S. Olson and Lieutenants E. T. Sims and M. J. Mahony.

POLICE CHIEF AT SILVERTON IS DISMISSED

Silverton, Dec. 2.—(Special.)—A special meeting of the city council was held Monday evening at which W. Gains, chief of police, was dismissed by the Mayor, G. I. Barr, because of dissatisfaction on the part of the mayor and M. L. Barnett was appointed temporary chief of police. The matter will be taken up further at the next regular meeting.

The council also voted upon and passed the assessments for West Main and Cherry streets.

A delegation headed by J. Stalker brought before the council the matter of impeachment of S. E. Richardson and W. L. Cunningham of the water commission. The matter was tabled because of insufficient reason for impeachment.

HEALTH WORKER WILL BE LIBERTY SPEAKER

Liberty, Or., Dec. 2.—Miss Anne Simpson, of the Marion county child health demonstration, is scheduled to be the principal speaker at the regular meeting of the Liberty Parent-Teacher's association meeting Friday evening. A short program will also be given by the pupils of the upper grades.

DEFENDANTS WIN ACTION

Woodburn, Or., Dec. 2.—A suit to recover \$120 from an alleged breach of contract brought by the Oregon Collection Agency of Salem against Harold W. Berthelson and T. N. Berthelson, his father, resulted in a verdict for the defendants in Judge H. Overton's court Tuesday. Misrepresentation and fraud were alleged by the defense. Young Berthelson and his father signed a note for \$120, April 6, 1922, to cover the cost of a special law course offered by the Brodell Burham company of Chicago through its representative, F. C. Johnson of Portland. The defendants held that the agreement was that if the course was not wanted they could drop it at any time and their money would be refunded. Both the note and a contract were offered in evidence. Virgil Massey, Woodburn, represented the defendants and Donald W. Miles and Connie Eschwig of Salem the plaintiff.

Credit Men Meet.

Silverton, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—At a recent meeting of the Silverton Credit association, E. Banks was elected to represent the association at the community council. Earl Adams, Louie Beck, Floyd Allen and N. Digerness were appointed as a committee to confer with the American Legion relative to the curtain and scenery for the local armory.

Accident Victim Recovering.

Dallas, Or., Dec. 2.—Mrs. E. B. Hatwell of Monmouth, who was injured Sunday in an auto accident at Rickreall, is reported as progressing nicely at the Dallas hospital. No complications have set in as yet and unless some do she is expected to make a rapid recovery.

Basket Social Planned.

Broadacres, Or., Dec. 2.—At the last meeting of the parent-teacher association it was decided to give a basket social at the school house Friday evening, December 11. A good program is being prepared and a good time is promised to all who attend.

Remodeling Store Room

Independence, Dec. 2.—Mr. Zumwalt is remodeling the store room formerly occupied by the Independence Bowling alley.

Nothing has been done to the building since it was partially destroyed by fire some time ago.

Auburn Club to Meet.

Auburn, Or., Dec. 2.—A business meeting of the Auburn community club has been called for Thursday evening, December 3, at 7:30 o'clock at the school house.

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SILVERTON TEACHERS TO HOLD OPEN HOUSE

Silverton, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—The teachers of the Eugene Field building will hold open house this evening in order that all town people will have an opportunity to inspect the completed building. A musical program featuring Mrs. Ethel Warburton Stevens, a graduate of violin of Guild Hall of Music at London, England, Miss Ruth Agnew, vocalist, and Miss Cummins, pianist, will be given between 8 and 9 o'clock. Between 7 and 8 o'clock and 9 and 10 o'clock the teachers will be in their rooms to receive the visitors.

STATE TO SELL TIMBER

The state land board yesterday announced that it will sell the timber from certain state lands in Klamath county, the sale to be made after the opening of bids in Salem on January 26. No sale will be made at less than the appraised value, which is as follows: Yellow pine, 23,665 feet, \$3.50 per thousand; white fir, 835,000 feet, 50 cents per thousand; incense cedar, 185,000 feet, \$1 per thousand.

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MT. ANGEL STUDENTS ORGANIZE ORCHESTRA

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