

HUBBARD TAKES STEPS TOWARDS ROTARY CHARTER

Hubbard, Or., Nov. 13.—If Hubbard is granted a charter the town will be the smallest in the United States to have such an organization. Albert Reynolds, representing the district Rotary governor, at a meeting here Friday night looking toward a Rotary club for Hubbard. Dinner was served by the Rebekahs in the L. O. O. F. hall to 50 members and guests of the commercial club. Several Salem men were in attendance, with a good delegation from Portland.

The proposed club, including some Woodburn members, could have a membership of about 25. Other speakers at the meeting were George Pearson, president of the Union Stockyards, and Joseph Aldrich, both of Portland. Edward Johnson, representing the Associated Creameries, was the principal speaker of the evening, having delivered his paper on "The Rotary International."

In connection with the meeting an excellent program was given, with an original sketch of the chamber of commerce, a burlesque, by Mrs. H. L. Carl and Mrs. George Garland; a Spanish song by Muriel Beckman, with Mantin Carl, Robert Beckman, Margaret Britton, Dorothy School, Marion Carl and Amy Hershberger in the chorus. E. L. King, superintendent of the Portland division of the Southern Pacific, and Tommy Luke of Portland were unable to attend the meeting.

Those representing the Salem Rotary club were George Grabenhorst, president of the chamber of commerce, Lester Barr, Max Page, Charles Knowland, Walter T. Jenks, Dr. J. Lyman Steele, Eric Butler, R. O. Snelling, C. E. Wilson and George Arbuckle, president of the Salem Rotary club.

CARNIVAL STAGED BY STUDENT GROUP

Mill City, Nov. 13.—The "Chili-Con-Carnival" staged Thursday evening by the high school students was a big success, both financially and socially. The Hammond hall was jammed, with the SRO sign hanging out.

The show acts were exceptionally clever and well acted out, the first act being a representation of three cities, first Valencia with the now famous hill and town, then Lavello Hill and town, then Blazek, assisted by a chorus including Misses Flook, Dunivan, Elder, and Holthouse, Dan Olin, Edward Wachter, Charles Kelly, Rex Harlan and Lewis Ellsworth. The next city was Madrid, Miss Greta Glenn singing and Miss Lavello Hill dancing. Mill City was then represented by the ensemble.

Act two was a screaming farce, depicting the taking of a movie, and drew a big hand from the audience. Miss Greta Glenn and Miss Francis Chance then sang "Marching," accompanying themselves on the ukuleles. A boys acrobatic act followed, doing their stuff in great shape. Kenneth Lettenmaier, Gwen Dolyn Flook, Iris Elder, Bessie Klock and Mary Wachter were next with songs pulling some good jokes on local people.

The grand finale followed. After the show, numerous concessions were well patronized, and a dance finished out the evening.

COUNCIL WILL MEET AT HUBBARD MONDAY

Hubbard, Nov. 13.—The Hubbard Health council reports the usual activities along community welfare lines. On Tuesday C. E. Thompson took one of the children requiring assistance to the Doernbecher hospital in Portland. Monday the council will have its usual committee meeting in the consultation rooms at the bank.

Kelly Family Visits
Mill City, Nov. 13.—Mrs. C. H. Kelly and family of Linton, Ore., former residents of this city, are in the city for a few days visiting old friends.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL ATTRACTING MANY

Woodburn, Nov. 13.—The regular session of the week day religious school was held yesterday on account of Thursday being a holiday. Much interest is being shown in this school and with the exception of five pupils in the fifth grade the attendance is 100 per cent from all the grades. At the meeting of the week day church council held recently reports were given by the teachers and it was decided to purchase report cards to show the credits earned by the pupils. Visitors are welcome at this school any time.

ARMISTICE DAY FOR WOODBURN IS HUGE EVENT

Woodburn, Nov. 13.—Armistice day in Woodburn was a very quiet affair. All places of business except drug stores were closed and front street was appropriately decorated with flags but not until evening was there anything resembling a celebration, most of the people being out of town during the day.

As the time drew near for dancing, cars appeared from all directions and soon the armory was filled to capacity and one of the most successful and enjoyable dances ever held in Woodburn was given by "Dad" Watson's old time orchestra of Portland.

"Dad" Watson always accompanies his players and his cheery friendliness does much for the success of the evening. He is sponsoring a movement, which has found great favor in Portland, of bringing the parents and children together in the dance hall where they can enjoy wholesome recreation together. No liquor is allowed around his dance and no one is allowed to leave the hall and return without paying a second admission, which helps more than any other thing to keep the dances free from drinking.

There were about 500 people present at the Woodburn dance and at 11 o'clock horns were distributed and for a few minutes the signing of the armistice was celebrated in regular American style.

GERVAIS GIRL NOW PAPER PUBLISHER

Gervais, Or., Nov. 13.—Miss Verna McNeal, who has been connected with the Gervais Star for the past nine months as business manager, is now publisher of the weekly, with the announcement of Pearl P. Hooper that he will not be active in the publication of the paper but will continue in the capacity of associate editor.

T. J. Stroudbridge, pioneer printer and one of the first English speakers in Oregon, to enter Mexico, is now connected with the paper. Stroudbridge was with the Oregonian 46 years ago and has been in California for the past 25 years. He has worked on many of the larger dailies through the United States from New York city to San Francisco. He is accompanied by his wife and has taken up residence in apartments at the J. J. Rondeau home.

SILVERTON COUPLE MARRIED THURSDAY

Silverton, Or., Nov. 13.—Orvin Severson and Miss Nellie Copple, both of Silverton, were married at the Christian parsonage by Rev. Bennett, Thursday morning, at 8:30 o'clock. Melvin Bell took the young couple as far as Portland, from where they went to Vancouver to visit her sister. The young people expect to be back Sunday or Monday.

HARMON ILL

Gates, Or., Nov. 13.—John Harmon, for many years a resident of Gates, is confined to his home suffering intensely from an injury to his knee, sustained Thursday evening by a fall from the improvised steps of the Carryall store building, which is being repaired. It is thought no bones are fractured, yet the muscles are badly torn.

TAX INCREASES WILL BE ISSUE FOR MILL CITY

Mill City, Or., Nov. 13.—A meeting will be held at the school house at 7 p. m., November 22, for the purpose of voting on the question of increasing the tax levy more than 5 per cent over that of last year, this being necessary to take care of expenses in connection with the furnishing and equipping of the high school, extra teacher for the grade school, reduce outstanding warrants, also increased cost of insurance on building and furniture and janitor service.

At the same meeting the budget for the 1926-27 term will be submitted for approval. The total amount this term is \$35,755, being divided as follows: Teachers, clerk, janitor and other personal services, \$18,460; material and supplies, \$4,795; construction, \$2000; building maintenance, \$1500; warrants and interest, \$800; insurance, \$250; miscellaneous, \$500.

WOODBURN WCTU TO GIVE BIG DINNER

Woodburn, Nov. 13.—The Woodburn W. C. T. U. met in the basement of the Methodist Episcopal church yesterday afternoon. Mrs. W. G. Preston the president in the chair. Plans were made for a chicken pie dinner to be held in the church basement on December 2, for the purpose of raising the last half of the \$200 pledged by the society for the children's farm home at Corvallis.

The committee on arrangements is Mrs. Alfred Klump, Mrs. E. N. Soule, Mrs. Effie Castle, Mrs. Nellie Muir and the president Mrs. W. G. Preston. A feature of the afternoon was a report of the recent state convention which was held at Graham and which was given in an interesting manner by Mrs. C. J. Rice.

A short program of music and readings was given by a group of students and a surprise lunch of cookies and tea was served by some of the members. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. James H. Livesey.

AT CARVER HOME

Donald, Or., Nov. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carver of Clatskanie will be guests for a few days at the home of E. D. Carver here. Upon their return home, Mrs. Anna Carver will accompany them to spend a short time with them before going on to San Francisco to visit her daughter.

MCALLS ARRIVE

Silverton, Or., Nov. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. E. Jay McCall and four children of South Dakota, have arrived in Silverton. Mr. McCall will have charge of DeGulnes registered Jersey herd. He is an experienced cattle and horse man. Mr. McCall is a brother of Mrs. Gilbert Benton of this city.

SHORTCAKE SERVED BY DONALD CHAPTER

Donald, Nov. 13.—The Caroline Lewis Past Matrons club, of O. E. S., met on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Leona Miller. At the business session a letter of greeting was read from Mrs. Caroline Lewis, past grad matron of the grand chapter, who is improving in health, after a long illness. Refreshments served by the hostess and her daughter, Miss Elizabeth, included a fresh strawberry shortcake, made from berries grown on the Miller farm and which are now ripening.

IMPROVEMENT BURIAL PLOT IS OBJECT OF CLUB

Gates, Or., Nov. 13.—Mrs. Maude Davis extended the hospitality of her home to the Mill City and Gates members of the Ladies' Improvement club for the Fairview cemetery, Thursday afternoon.

During the business session, with Mrs. Marietta Smith as president and Mrs. Eva Bevier, secretary, plans were discussed for the purchase of an additional acre of land from S. M. Bassett, to adjoin the present cemetery plot on the north. Financial reports showed \$212.52 in the treasury of the improvement club and the cemetery association. Mrs. Maude Davis was unanimously chosen as treasurer to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mrs. Lou Collins.

A social hour followed the business of the afternoon during which the hostess served refreshments to Mrs. Ed Haynes, Mrs. Charles Hazeman, Mrs. Mabel Schroder and Mrs. Edith Schroeder of Mill City, and from Gates, Mrs. Eva Bevier, Mrs. Mary Stafford, Mrs. Jennie Heath, Mrs. Ruby Winters, Mrs. Marietta Smith, Mrs. Anna Powell, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. Della Dike, Mrs. Effie McCurdy, Mrs. Lou Collins, Mrs. Florence Carryot, Mrs. Edna Myers, Mrs. Bess Demore, Mrs. Gladys Grate, Mrs. Len Young, Mrs. Al Cary, Mrs. Mabel Timmerman, Miss Lola Timmerman, Miss Josephine Powell, Mrs. Ruby Horner, Mrs. Blanche Syverson, Mrs. Harry White, Mrs. Charles Holman and Mrs. Minnie Robinson.

The next regular meeting will be with Mrs. Gladys Grate in January.

SENIOR GIRLS TO PRESIDE AT CHAPEL

Chemawa, Or., Nov. 13.—The senior girls will preside at the Sunday evening chapel services in the school auditorium here tomorrow evening at which Mrs. Josephine Corliss Preston, superintendent of public instruction in the state of Washington, will speak. Mrs. Preston is bringing four friends from Washington with her.

The senior girls will entertain Mrs. Preston and other invited guests at a dinner to be given in the Wigwam, senior domestic science department, tomorrow afternoon.

Superintendent and Mrs. J. H. McGregor and Principal H. H. Carroll will attend the dinner.

JAZZFEST HELD BY FIREMEN IS MUCHLY VARIED

Mill City, Or., Nov. 13.—One of the most hilarious and enjoyable parties that has been held in this city for years was staged Tuesday evening at the monthly jazzfest of the Mill City fire department, with a remarkable amount of actor talent being "exposed," and resulting in six candidates that were initiated having to eat off the mantle for several days, while nature healed the sore spots inflicted by Elizabeth, the official goat which must be ridden by all new members. This goat is a bear for efficiency, but is short on comfort, to which the six will willingly testify.

The show opened up with a wrestling match between William Gillenwater of this city and C. W. Peter of Gates. They put on as fast and clever an exhibition as was ever seen here, going five minutes without a fall, and after a short rest went another five minutes with same result, the match being called a draw.

L. A. Stoffeld of Niagara stopped Chris Smith in the first round of a scheduled three-round bout.

Following this, a screaming farce was staged depicting the trial of a certain evangelist that is more or less in the limelight at the present time. The cast of characters included Art Elder, judge; Zeek Catherwood, beautiful but lowly evangelist; B. A. Cober, prosecuting attorney; Hal Ladd, defense attorney; H. Boggess, clerk of court; A. E. Abelson, policeman, and, although he was unaware of the fact until gathered from the court room, A. J. Pekasey represented a red hot wireless operator. The crowd was in a convulsion of laughter all of the time, the sketch being very cleverly put on.

This was followed by three dainty maidens giving a very faithful depiction of the dances featured in the south sea isles, the "girls" being characteristically garbed for the occasion, and causing a near riot among those present. The winsome misses were named Mike Hacker, Joe Dawes and Fred Olin Jr. By their performance they have enrolled their names on the roll of fame. Following this, the candidates got their heads bent, but which they will remember for some little time. After this a hot tamale feed was served. Another like party will be staged next month, the following committees being appointed: Feed—A. J. Pekasey, D. B. Hill and C. T. Hazeman; entertainment—B. A. Cober, A. E. Abelson and Fred Olin Jr.

During the course of the evening, Eddie Dropela furnished stirring music on his piano-accompanist. A large crowd was present and about 40 new members were taken into the club.

ELECTRIFY PLANNER

Mill City, Nov. 13.—Hammond Lumber company will start work in the next few days on electrifying the first unit of the planer shed.

CHURCH HOMECOMING EVENT APPROACHING

Silverton, Or., Nov. 13.—Cards are out for the Christian church homecoming festival Sunday, November 21. A basket dinner will be served at noon in the basement. The morning sermon will be delivered by Rev. Albyn Eason and the afternoon sermon by Rev. Bennett. This will also be rally day for the Sunday school classes, whose slogan is "Don't Dally—Rally." The Sunday schools hope quota of attendance to be 301 on this day.

LITTLE GIRL BETTER

Silverton, Or., Nov. 13.—Violet, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mikkelsen, is improving after a critical illness of several weeks of typhoid pneumonia. Mrs. Mikkelsen is confined to her bed with tonsillitis. The Mikkelsen's live near the Bethany school on the Salem road.

STUDENTS REHEARSE PARTS FOR COMEDY

Gates, Or., Nov. 13.—The students of the Gates high school are rehearsing daily on the three-act farce, "Poor Father," to be given in the high school auditorium, Friday, December 3.

Representing the characters in the play are: William Tompkins, the poor father, Wynn Scott; Clifford Tompkins, student of psychology; Harold Ball; Harold Caldwell; Sidney Dummel, a wealthy bachelor; Marshall Powell; George Washington Brown, trifter with the truth; William Kelle; Sergeant O'Connor, of the police; Edwin White; Mary Tompkins, a distracted mother; Mabel Silt; Gladys, the elder daughter; Margaret Keiser; Bessie, another daughter; Eloise Myers; to Chemawa this evening.

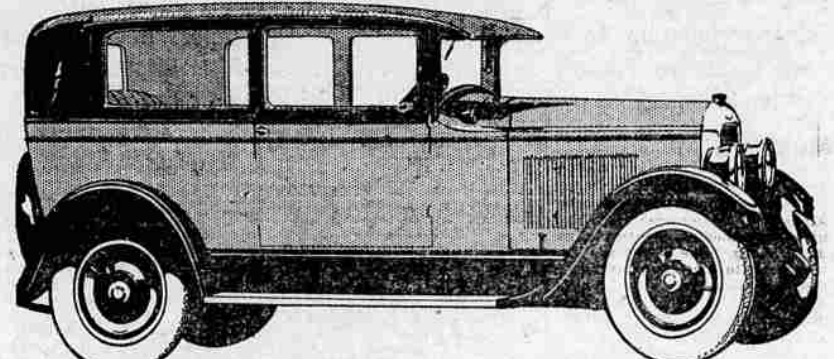
PROHIBITION TALK SLATED FOR SUNDAY

Monitor, Nov. 13.—A prohibition lecture will be delivered at Lenora's hall at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening by Rev. R. E. Close, in connection with the film "Triumph of Justice." Admission is free, but an offering will be taken. Children will not be admitted without their parents.

McGREGOR IN PORTLAND

Chemawa, Or., Nov. 13.—Superintendent J. H. McGregor and family left last night for Portland, where they will visit friends, Mr. and Mrs. William Freer, former government employees. The Freers and McGregors met several years ago while on their way to the Philippines. Mr. McGregor will return to Chemawa this evening.

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