POLK PROGRAM PUBLIC WORKS IS UNDER WAY

Dallas—The CWA program in Polk county was off to a flying start this week, according to Mayor Lief S. Finseth, chairman of the relief committee, and other county officials interested in the work.

Locally, full crews were the order of the day, and the one at the city park had a good start in felling old trees which were in various stages of decay and in removing old stumps to make room for the new trees and shrubs which will be planted. The old bandstand and the rows of seats facing it, were in the hands of the wreckers early Monday and were a thing of the past by Tuesday noon. Five men began the work of minor street repairs and a decided improvement for the better is expected in that direction.

Two road projects were also started, the one through the Oakdale district and the one from Orchard Heights to Oak Grove. Only half crews were working but a full complement in both instances, was working Tuesday.

Tuesday also saw work started on the Ballston-Salt Creek job and on the Hopville one south of Independence, with full crews.

Reports from West Salem are to the effect that the city project there got under way Monday morning with a full crew being employed.

Headquarters for CWA have been established on the main floor of the courthouse immediately adjacent to the county clerk's office, where Fred Holman will be in charge.

TALKS OFFERED AT PTA SESSION

Falls City—A program was attended by a large crowd Monday night at the Parent-Teacher association meeting. The business session was conducted by the new president, Dorothy Benefiel. Several new committees were appointed and reports were made by various committees.

Mabel Hatch was appointed parliamentarian and will conduct a five minute parliamentary drill at each meeting. It was decided that the grade school give a Christmas benefit program for their hot lunches. The P. T. A. meeting date was changed from the last Monday to the second Monday in each month.

State President Mrs. Kletzer and Mrs. Wright, vice president, were guests of the association, each favoring with very interesting talks on the school situation in Oregon and P. T. A. work in general.

The remainder of the evening was turned over to the chairman of the entertainment group, Ira C. Bailes. Georgianna Loftus gave two vocal solos accompanied by Geraldine Richardson. Short talks were given as follows: "The Effect of Home Life of the Child on Their School Life," Mabel Hatch; "Physical condition of the home and its effect on the child" by Ira C. Bailes; "Satisfactory relations bewteen members of the family and their effect on the child," Jess Reiber; "Getting ready for Christmas in the home," Mrs. John Gilbert; "Games that can be played by the entire family," Mrs. Bill Groves.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Loring Frink, Mrs. D. J. Ickes, Mrs. Calvin Barnhart, H. Mather Smith and Mr. Sample.

Pictures of Oregon Scenery Scheduled

Labish Center—Pictures of Oregon scenery as well as several short comedies will be shown Friday night at the school house by the Oregon state forestry department as part of the program for the December Community club meeting. The pictures will be presented by Mr. Fuller and it is said that they differ from those shown here several years ago.

The program also includes the popular Saucy brothers of Hayesville in yodelling numbers, readings by Oscar Noren of the same place, and old-time dance numbers by the Purvis orchestra of Salem. The program has been arranged by Mrs. Joe Burr and Emma McClaughry.

A business meeting will precede the program, and following it, refreshments will be served in the basement in charge of Mrs. O. G. McClaughry, Caroline Harris and Willard Aker.

BRUCE WILL SPETAK

Dallas—Miss Edith Dunn, teacher a tthe Guthrie school, is planning a Thanksgiving program for Thursday afternoon and has secured Rev. George W. Bruce, minister of the Methodist church here to be the speaker.

OWEN CRANE GUILTY

West Salem—Owen Crane of route 8, Salem, was arrested in this city Sunday for driving an auto with four adults in the driver's seat. He appeared before Recorder J. T. Miller Monday morning. He pleaded guilty and was fined $3.

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Evergreen Chapter Has Social Affair

Woodburn—A social meeting of Evergreen chapter Order of Eastern Star, was held Monday evening at the Masonic hall, following the regular business meeting. A short program included two vocal numbers by Mrs. J. Melvin Ringo, who played her own accompaniments; readings by Miss Bonney Susan Scott and Piano solos by Mrs. Kathleen Beckman. Refreshments were served with Carolyn Evenden, Mrs. Edith McCord, Mrs. Corinne B. Gill, Mrs. Mabel Settlemier, Mrs. Winona Coleman, Mrs. Eleanor Vickers and Mrs. Minnie Richards on the serving committee.

SEAL CAMPAIGN STARTS FRIDAY

Silverton—Mrs. R. E. Kleinsorge as chairman of the Christmas sale seals for the relief of tuberculosis in the state campaign called a meeting of the committee of helpers at the city hall Monday evening which resulted in the final arrangements for the work to start in a definite form Friday of this week. The committee workers are enthusiastic in forwarding a movement of this kind.

Robert Goetz, superintendent of the local schools is directing the sale by the schools with the work in the hands of adults rather than by children as in former years. Ellen Christenson is head of the junior Woman's club for a section of the town. Individuals aiding Mrs. Kleinsorge are Miss Billie Johnson, president of the American Legion Auxiliary; Gladys Fletcher, school librarian; Miss Muriel Bentson, Mrs. Martin Hannan, president of the P. T. A.; Mrs. Ed Givens, Mrs. W. L. McGinnis, Mrs. H. R. Irish, Mrs. Robert Goetz, Mrs. Frank Milliken, Mrs. Fred Baker, Mrs. Charles Reynolds, Mrs. W. C. Larson and Mrs. E. E. Taylor.

During the campaign period the Von Flue, DeGuire and Fox dairies have volunteered to use a Christmas seal on each bottle of milk and cream sold to aid the committee in going over the top in sales.

RIVERVIEW HOLDS HARVEST FESTIVAL

Riverview—The Thursday Thimble club gave its annual harvest festival Saturday night. One of the largest crowds ever to attend was present. The program was presented by the entertainment committee with Mrs. Tena DeWall as chairman.

The following numbers were given: Several numbers by Mrs. C. Clodfelter's orchestra, vocal duet by Misses Veloris Crenshaw and Mary Lois Goar; one act play, "Hiring a School Teacher;" reading by Miss Margaret Densmore; musical numbers by Miss Mary Lois Goar; one act play, "Mixed Smiths."

Mrs. Muriel Gilkey held the lucky number and was presented with the quilt.

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Vera Gilkey, December 7, with Mrs. Elizabeth Gilkey as joint hostess.

Taxpayers Slated To Appear Friday

Dallas—There are indications that at least some of the taxpayers of the county will be present at the public hearing Friday of the budget for the coming year, all primed for action. Saturday afternoon a select group met in a room at the Gail hotel and reviewed the items on the budget for several hours. Just what course of action is planned has not been revealed as one of the members, when approached on the subject, indicated that he had nothing to say on the matter. The public hearing is slated for 10 a.m. in the circuit court room.

HOOP GAME STARTS

Gates—Basketball practice has begun in the high school gym with the boys out to make a third year's victory in their class forthe district. Principal Ferd W. Jones does the coaching. Leon Cline and Carl Ball are lost to the ranks by graduation and this is to be regretted as they were strong in the winning lines of the last two years.

YOUNG PEOPLE CHURCH OF GOD AT CONVENTION

Woodburn — The tenth annual Oregon state young people's convention of the Church of God will be held in Woodburn beginning Friday and continue for three days. Young people from all over the state will attend.

Rev. C. W. Hatch, pastor, will be in charge of arrangements, and Miss Hazel Shrock is to ffave charge of the lodging of delegates. The convention committee consists of Lottie Franklin of Central Point, president; Ruth Schaeter of Eugene, vice president; Walter Shrock of Hubbard, secretary-treasurer; Hans Nelson of North Bend, associate members, and Rev. C. K. Chapman of Eugene, advisor. Miss Ethel Shrock will be in charge of music.

The convention theme will be "An Unchanging Christ in a Changing World."

Delegates will gather Friday at 7:30 and 8:30 o'clock for breakfast. At 10 o'clock they will gather in the auditorium of the church and be welcomed by Rev. Hatch. Sessions will close with evangelistic meeting Sunday evening. A feature of the convention will be the evangelistic services by Rev. Myrle Cross.

NIGHT SERVICE PLAN, CHURCHES

Dallas—The union Thanksgiving service for Dallas will be held in the Christian church Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. The address will be delivered by Rev. K. E. Burke. Special music will be provided by musicians and singers of the community. The choir members from the different churches will serve as the chorus choir for the service. Mrs. Arna Dashiell will sing a solo. Carl Ernst will play a cornet solo. Mrs. K. E. Burke will be in charge of the music for the service.

Following the preaching service the young people of the different churches will be in charge of a social time in the basement rooms of the church. Booths will be displayed of materials which the young people have gathered to turn over to the local Red Cross. All who would like to help the young people in this matter are urged to call one of the pastors or bring the materials to the church Thursday night. Vegetables and fruit, both fresh and canned, staple groceries and clothing are being collected by the young people. Following the inspection of the booths the young people will lead in a platform program of stunts which will be followed by games.

HYMN DRAMA GIVEN AT DALLAS CHURCH

Dallas—The dramatization of the old hymn "Near the Cross" attracted a large crowd Sunday night to the Methodist church. The dramatization was directed by Mrs. H. G. Tefft and Lois Miller, Laura Marsh, Della Marsh and Esther Myers played the parts. The sermon topic was "The significance of the Cross."

Sunday morning the pastor will preach the concluding sermon in a series of ten on the Lord's prayer under the heading "Victorious Prayer," Roy Livesay will sing a solo.

In the evening a most unusual service will be conducted. It is known as "The Hour of Silent Worship." Solos, duets, chorus numbers, lesson, prayers and sermon go on but without a spoken word.

SCHWABS ARE HOSTS

Mt. Angel—Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. Schwab were hosts Sunday at their home when they entertained a number of their relatives. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Le Doux, Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Schwab, Misses Charlotte and Lois Schwab, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Wachter and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. Schwab.

MASS IS SLATED

Shaw—On Thanksgiving a high mass will be offered at 9 o'clock.

Landys Are Hosts To Pleasure Club

West Salem—Miss Josephine Landy and brother Richard were hosts to their pleasure club. Dancing to radio music was enjoyed throughout the evening and was followed by the serving of refreshments by the hostess and her mother, Mrs. G. E. Landy.

Those present were the Misses Mona Vosburg, Margaret Kaster, Ruth Maerz, Violet Wallace, Catherine Applewhite, LeRoy Wells, Riginald Vosburg, Percy Weatherby, Willard Wells, Ralph Barnes, Robert Mathers and the hosts, Miss Josephine and Richard Landy.

WACONDA CLUB MAKING QUILTS

Waconda — The Waconda Community club held a special meeting at the home of Mrs. Fern Runcorn, due to the regular date conflicting with Thanksgiving. The session was an all-day affair and a pot-luck luncheon was served at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. Runcorn had charge of the business session. Plans were discussed for the annual Christmas party and gift exchange to be held at the home of Mrs. Van Kelley or Mrs. Ben Larkins near Salem, on December 21. A Christmas tree and program will be featured.

The group was occupied during the day with quilting on the charity quilt. Two more meetings will be required to finish the quilt.

Mrs. J. C. McDonald and son Jack of Gervais, Mrs. George Thurman of Clatskanie and Mrs. Lou Eppers were special guests for the day. Others in the group included Mrs. A. L. Lamb, Mrs. Charles M. Hall, Mrs. William McGilchrist, Mrs. Ed Scharf, Miss Hattie Skelton, Mrs. Aaron Nusom, Mrs. Richard Patterson, Mrs. Allyn Nusom, Mrs. Brentford J. J. Miller, Mrs. Henry Stafford, Mrs. Ben Larkins, Mrs. A. N. Parsons, Dale Nusom, Bobbie McGilchrist, and the hostess, Mrs. Runcorn.

The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Sil Wane, 344½ North Front street, Salem. All members are requested to be present with thimble and scissors.

Silverton Union Services Planned

Silverton—Observations of the Thanksgiving season in the various churches this week will include a union service at the Christian church Wednesday evening with Rev. C. J. Hall of the Methodist Episcopal church the guest spacker of the program, and the Christian church choir of which Mrs. J. W. Jordan is director, furnishing the special musical numbers. Thursday forenoon at 10 o'clock the Rev. Carl Foss will hold services at the Trinity Lutheran church.

Rev. J. M. Jenson of the Immanuel Lutheran church will conduct special services beginning at 11 o'clock Thursday forenoon as will Rev. Ernest G. Larson of the Calvary Lutheran church.

Many family and social Thanksgiving dinners are being planned here.

DALLAS EDITOR RECEIVES NOTE OVER SENTENCE

Dallas—Earle Richardson, editor of the Itemizer-Observer, is the recipitent of an anonymous communication having regard to the sentencing of Hugh G. Black, former county clerk of Polk county.

Black was found guilty in May of this year of 'larceny of public money' in the amount of $2111.27. Judge Bagley of Hillsboro, who tried the case, has indicated that he will be here Saturday to pass sentence.

Anonymous letters do not appeal to any one who has the moral courage to speak his or her mind and this one is likedly to have very little effect on the actions of Richardson, who has a habit of saying and writing just exactly what he means. None can gainsay the fact that he is a solid substantial citizen, ever ready at all times to promote the welfare of the community in which he lives. Instead of diverting public attention from the case the letter has landed it in the full glare of the spotlight.

The letter follows:

"Earl Richardson it is nearing time for Black's sentence and I would like to say many eyes are watching you and your paper. Whatever way the judge decides needs no comment on your part. You had entirely too much to say before. Black has many, many friends and your part in all his troubles has not deceived them. You know and so do many others that you lost lots of sub. and a lot of ads by your part in the play.

Now if you value your sub. list as worth anything then keep your opinions and comments where they belong.

Friends don't mean anything to some people, but you sure lost a lot and may lose more. It is not one but many who are watching you not alone for your paper but all others which you write for.

A reader and watcher

SUMMER STUDIES ARE GIVEN SEVEN

Albany—Seven Linn county 4-H club workers have been awarded scholarships at the summer 4-H club course at Oregon State college. The awards were given for outstanding exhibits at the 1933 state fair.

The seven club members honored are: Paul Quimby, Halsey; James Vannice, Halsey; Willard Mallow, Albany; Clifford Burton, Albany; Ruth Shelby, Albany; Homer Shelby, Albany; and Leland McClain, Lebanon.

Social Is Staged By Church Women

Mt. Angel—The Catholic Daughters of America held their social meeting Monday evening in the music room of St. Mary's school with seven tables of cards in play. Mrs. George S. May, Jr., made high score honors and Mrs. Frank Schieder drew the door prize. Luncheon was served in the dining hall by the following committee: Miss Elizabeth Beyer, chairman, Mrs. Valeria Begin, Mrs. Agnes Wampach, Mrs. Leona Wellman, Mrs. Antionette Klinger, Mrs. Josephine Barr, Mrs. Rose Rothenfluch and Mrs. Mary Butsch.

MONEY SOUGHT FOR PROJECTS

Albany—Linn county's unemployment relief committee was beseiged with petitions for public improvements within the county when it met Tuesday to act on proposals that were not approved by the state administrator of federal civil works program at Portland last week.

Applications came from many school districts, which are asking for money to improve buildings and grounds, and the Lacomb irrigation district which is the petition of a delegation of berry growers seeking federal funds for furthering their plan of getting water on their berry fields.

The projects approved at the session last week were refiled for action and were again sent up to the state office for action and projects that have been amended since were filed again as new projects and were acted on by the committee.

Ivan White, Portland, field representative of the state administration, attended the meeting.

FIRST WINTER SNOW HITS LOGGING CAMP

Silverton—Official reports from camp No. 18 of the Silver Falls Timber company Tuesday, were that freezing temperature was their lot, seven inches of snow having fallen during Monday and Monday night, with lowering clouds during Tuesday but a slightly higher temperature.

Practically all workers are away from camp No. 15 now, with the same depth of snow there as at camp No. 18 which is some distance north of No. 15.

Operations in logging are continuing full force.

Mill City—Miss Genella Gentry, who is attending the Northwestern business college in Portland came home Saturday to spend Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gentry.

MUSIC FEATURE OF CLUB MEET

Parkersville—The second meeting of the Parkersville Community club was held at the Parkersville school Tuesday evening with the rooms filled to their capacity. A short business meeting was held with Miss Rose Marie Kronberg presiding and Mrs. Fred Manning, secretary.

After the business meeting Mrs. Fred Manning acting as chairman of the entertainment was in charge of the program.

The program was made up almost entirely of musical numbers. The Mt. Angel band honored the crowd with their presence and played a number of selections which were greatly applauded by the audience.

Those who made up the band were as follows:

John Stecklien, director, played the cornet, Andrew Schmidt, baritone; Steve Schmidt, piccalo; Frank Schwerter, clarinet; Al Siefer, cornet; Leonard Siefer, saxaphone; Andrew Schmidt, Jr., bass; John Stecklien, Jr., alto; Joseph Stecklien, drums; George Oster, alto; Louis LeDoux, trombone. Other numbers were a very interesting talk on "Conditions of Today," which offered much food for thought. Several piano selections by Miss Marguerite Estudillo, primary teacher. Vocal numbers by Bill Pfau, accompanied on the guitar by George Schmidt. An accordion duet played by Joseph Schindler and Fred Schlechter and another favorite number was Mr. Andrew Schmidt, who played the piccalo while his son George played both the guitar and harmonica.

After a most enjoyable evening refreshments were served.

The following were in charge of the evening's program: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manning, Mr. and Mrs. George Andres, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schmidt.

BURKE WILL SPEAK

Dallas—Rev. K. E. Burke will deliver an address before a community gathering at Bridgeport Thanksgiving day. The program will be held in the morning with a community dinner at noon.

Silverton—Miss Blanche Hubbs and her mother, Mrs. Laura Hubbs, are leaving Wednesday afternoon for Eugene to spend the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. B. Treadgold. They plan to return Sunday evening.

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