

PAUPER'S OATH RELEASES PAIR FROM SENTENCE

Silverton — Advantage of the pauper's oath was taken for the first time in Marion county Tuesday afternoon when Frank Alfred, Silverton justice of the peace, was legally obligated to allow Ordie Oldham and Loy Brown to go free of their sentence.

On April 26, the two young men were apprehended on a charge of dynamiting fish on the Abiqua creek. They drew fines of \$200 and, being unable to pay, were sentenced to the county jail for 125 days. Oldham and Brown appeared before Alfred Tuesday afternoon by written petition under statute passed by the 1935 legislature which provides that when any person has been sentenced to jail for non-payment of a cash fine, after he has served thirty days towards such, he may apply to the court for a discharge from his obligation. He must take an oath that he cannot pay the fine and that he is worth less than \$20. Then it becomes the duty of the judge to discharge him from finishing the sentence.

This was the routine followed by Oldham and Brown and they were pronounced free men Tuesday after serving 74 days of the allotted sentence.

LINN LINES

Albany and county news in brief

MONEY BAG STOLEN

Albany—George Silver, local restaurateur, reported to police Monday night that \$70 contained in a money bag was stolen from his restaurant on Lyon street Monday afternoon while he was absent from his place of business for a minute. Late Tuesday the officers had no clue as to the identity of the thief. Whether or not there was a connection between this theft and that of \$150 in a similar manner from the kitchen of Myrtle's Lunch, the officers were unable to state.

SCIO MAN JAIL

Albany—Bob Cousins of Scio pleaded guilty to a charge of drunken driving in justice court and was assessed a \$100 fine and imposed a 30-day jail sentence, besides having his driver's license suspended for one year. Cousins had at first asserted he would fight the case. Since his arrest he has been in the county jail. He was arrested last week by Sheriff Shelton and Deputy Mills.

TANGENT DRIVER HELD

Tangent—Mrs. Dolly Sufert of Tangent was arrested in Albany Monday by city officers on a charge of having an automobile equipped with defective brakes. After her car had crashed into a parked automobile, owned by Postmaster G. T. Hocken-Smith. She was to appear in court Wednesday. Bail was set at \$5.

LITTLE GIRL HURT

Albany—Alice, 12 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Bennett of Albany, suffered cuts on her head and sustained a number of bruises, when the car in which she was riding with her parents and brother Phillip, was struck by a car driven by Frank Shieler of Albany, at Sixth and Perry streets, Tuesday. The other occupants of the Bennett car and Shieler were uninjured. The Bennett machine was overturned and badly damaged.

HEALTH NURSE FAVORED

Albany—The Linn county Red Cross chapter, at a special meeting Monday night, met with unanimous favor the proposed employment of a health nurse by the chapter in collaboration with the Linn county court. It was determined that a budgetary provision for such a project could be made for one year or more with funds on hand. The executive committee of the chapter had previously expressed approval of the project. The executive committee was delegated with power to act.

DRAIN OAK CREEK

Albany—Thirty-two property owners of the southwest portion of the proposed Oak Creek drainage district voted in favor of creating a district and proceeding with construction work, at a meeting held at the Oak Creek school Monday night. R. H. Murphy was appointed chairman of a committee delegated to solicit names for a petition asking for federal approval of the project. Thereupon an application will be prepared, in conjunction with the

KING GEORGE RETURNS FROM REST



Hat in hand, King George from his car responds to the cheers of the London crowd gathered to greet him as he left King's Cross Station for the palace. He was returning from a three weeks' rest at Sandringham, where he had been in retirement since the Silver Jubilee celebrations. (Associated Press Photo)

FLIGHT OF ARROW CAUSES EYE LOSS

Silverton—Bernard Bennett, ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bennett, is reported seriously injured and sustaining the loss of his left eye as the result of a group of boys playing with a mechanical bow and arrow late Monday evening. The injured boy was taken to a specialist in Salem and was operated on at the Salem General hospital. The eye was removed.

The boys were taking turns at shooting the toy and it was the turn of Bobby Veerrier when the harm was done. The Veerrier boy is inconvalescent because of the accident as the two were last friends.

POLK HEALTH UNIT HAS FIRST MEETING

Dallas—The first regular meeting of the newly formed county health association, headed by Mrs. E. E. Utley of Brush College as president and P. O. Powell of Monmouth as secretary, was held in the Legion room Monday night. Speakers on the program included Mrs. Sallie Orr Dunbar, Dr. A. B. Starback, Dr. George C. Knott, Josiah Wills and Mrs. Joe Rogers. A representative group from all parts of the county including delegations from clubs, schools, churches and other organizations took part in the meeting.

Girl Scout Summer Camp Opening Soon

Lebanon—The sixth annual encampment of the Girl Scouts of America, which includes girls from any part of the valley, will open July 28 nine miles east of Lebanon. The national rating is given for complying with requirements in sanitation, training, equipment, etc. so that any Girl Scout can apply for admission with full assurance that the two weeks will be filled with real pleasure and useful instruction.

REUNION AT PEDEE

Silverton—Among Silverton folk that attended a family reunion Sunday at Pedee were Mrs. M. L. Verbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Verbeck and Marlene and Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Verbeck and Rosella, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Verbeck and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hamby. The affair was held at the Roy Verbeck home at Pedee. More than 30 were present.

THOMAS TO BUILD

West Salem—The recorder has issued a permit to Lyle Thomas to build a house in block 23 on Ruge street at an estimated cost of \$1000.

STUDY IN MEXICO

Silverton—Miss Betty Haseman of Nebraska and Miss Olivia DeGuire of the local schools are attending summer school in Mexico City. The young women met as fellow travelers during past summers to Alaska, the Orient and around the world.

SCOTTS MILLS—Mrs. C. W. Ballard, who has spent the winter months and until the first of the week in Portland with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hatten, has returned here to be with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Taylor through the summer months.

COURT MARION HEARS REPORT OF CONVENTION

Mr. Angel—The Catholic Daughters of America, Court Marion 718, held a very interesting meeting Monday evening with Mrs. Valerius Beggs, grand recent, presiding.

Mrs. Rose Appleby, who was a delegate to the Biennial National Catholic Daughters convention held in Seattle July 2 to 7 gave a detailed report on the activities. She said that there were several hundred delegates and visitors attending the convocation, representing 200 subordinate courts and 200,000 members in the United States, Canada, Porto Rico, Cuba and the Panama Canal zone. Miss Mary C. Duffy of Newark, New Jersey, supreme regent of the Catholic Daughters, presided at the business meetings of the convocation and was the principal speaker at the convocation banquet July 2.

Many distinguished leaders of the Catholic hierarchy addressed numerous functions; and state and civil dignitaries took part in the social festivities. Outstanding Catholic women leaders from all parts of North America participated in the convention meetings and discussions in the Olympic hotel bowl.

After Mrs. Appleby's report Miss Dorothy Keiser gave a vivid description of the Mediterranean cruise which she and her father, J. K. Keiser, made this spring.

The committee selected for the next social meeting of the Catholic Daughters includes Mrs. G. D. Bepko, chairman, Miss Irene Butcher, Mrs. Frank Walker, Mrs. Frank Amari, Mrs. Frank Schieder, Mrs. Albert Diehl and Mrs. Otto Wellman.

Brisk Breeze Reveals Lead Pioneer Plate

Silverton—When Dr. A. J. McCannell read recently of a tornado doing damage at the town of Sault, N. Dak. he was reminded of a souvenir he had obtained near that place during the Upper Missouri Historical Expedition of 1925. This is a reproduction from the original Verendrye lead plate.

The original plate was placed by the Verendryes the 30th of March, 1743, and was discovered February 16, 1913, when a group of young people was walking on the bluffs and found it near the surface. The find is considered the most valuable in the early history of the Dakotas and is now in the possession of the South Dakota Historical society. The inscription is written in French and details of early explorations. The plate is 8 1/2 inches long, 6 1/2 wide and one-eighth of an inch thick.

Dr. McCannell is a student of history of the mid-west and prizes the reproduction very highly.

Honor Mrs. Thiessen On 68th Birthday

Scorvethill—The 68th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Claus Thiessen which occurred on July 4th was celebrated Sunday with a family dinner party at the Thiessen home.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Arch Ramsden and daughter Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilsey and daughter Marjorie of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. George Cree and children, Joan and Johnson of Mill City, Mrs. Alice Burton and son Charles of Scio, W. L. Burton of Lacombe, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wight and sister Ruth and niece, Ramona Edwards of Lebanon, Chester Boyce of Albany and Mr. and Mrs. Claus Thiessen.

WILL WORK TIMBER

Scio Mills—Mr. and Mrs. Don Littlepage and family left Monday for Silver Falls Timber company. Littlepage & Landwag camp No. 8, where Littlepage and Landwag have secured a tract of timber. New roads are being built into their camp and the rest of the crew expect to follow soon.

ON PLANNING BOARD

Stayton—Dr. Paul Fehlen of Stayton is one of the 12 men appointed by Governor Martin on the Marion county planning board.

Hubbard Pythians To Seat Officers

Hubbard—The Knights of Pythias will hold installation of officers Thursday evening with George Pfeiffer as installing officer assisted by Clarence Bevers as grand prelate and A. J. Smith as grand master at arms. Officers to be seated include George Knight, Lester Pulley, A. R. Bevers, A. F. de Lespinasse, Robert Brown, L. M. Schell, Harry Hinkle, Arnold Christian and Elton McLaughlin.

COUNTY LODGE FORCES UNITE FOR BIG TIME

Silverton—Officials of the Odd Fellows of Marion county are announcing that everything is now in readiness for the annual picnic to be held next Sunday at the South Falls of the Silver Falls state park.

Reports coming from the various lodges to the county indicate that much enthusiasm is being shown in respect to the coming picnic and that there will be a large attendance of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs from all parts of the county and state. Each is to be responsible for his share of a basket dinner with free coffee, sugar and cream furnished by the host lodge.

Among the unique prizes to be offered are for the one coming the farthest distance, the first car to arrive, the one with the most passengers, the one containing the most children, the one having the most flat tires on the way to the picnic, the oldest car to arrive and the largest caravan of cars from the same lodge. A number of competitive games are planned.

The general committee includes George Busch and Max Scriber of Silverton, J. C. Formick, Glenn W. Moore and Peter Philippi of Salem, Ben Schaefer and Dr. George Cole of Stayton, Emil Cramer of Gervais and G. A. McKay of Turner. The coffee committee will include Mr. and Mrs. S. Teglund, Jessup Mosher, George Christopherson and John A. Gehrkke, all of Silverton.

OFFICERS SEATED BY ODD FELLOWS

Monmouth—At the Monday night meeting officers of Normal lodge of Odd Fellows were installed with Charles Bowman acting as district deputy grand master and Charles Calbreath as grand marshal.

New officers are: L. N. Lindeman, noble grand; Ben Muellem, vice-grand; Paul Tachern, secretary; Gordon Bowman, treasurer; Oscar Groves, warden; Van Grider, conductor; C. W. Price, R. S. N. G.; Orville White, L. S. N. G.; Frank Alsp. R. S. V. G.; Sieber, Williamson, L. S. V. G.; Lowell Drabinger, inside guardian; Ivan Williams, outside guardian; J. V. Johnson, R. S. S.; Metz Hubbard, L. S. S.; W. A. Bessler, chaplain.

Full City brought two candidates who were given the third degree. They were Aaron and Bennett Grey, father and son.

Missionary Society To Discuss Picnic

Hazel Green—The Women's Missionary association will hold its July meeting Thursday at the Charles Van Cleave home.

Mrs. Laurence Hanner will be leader of the program and Mrs. Mary Wainwright will conduct the devotional services.

Mrs. Pearl Van Cleave, president of the W. M. A. urges a full attendance as plans will be formulated and perfected for the annual picnic observed at which time the local W. M. A. will be guests of the Englewood W. M. A. in Salem.

LEAVE HAZEL GREEN

Hazel Green—Mrs. Richard Slater and daughter, Barbara and Shirley of Coquille, who have been houseguests at the home of Mrs. Slater's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis for the past month, have left for their home. Mrs. Lewis Donaldson (Wima Davis) and Mrs. Slater were called here by the illness and death of their grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Kirkpatrick, who resided at the Davis home.

PLAN LAUNCHED TO MAKE BOWL PERMANENT ONE

Independence—Dr. C. E. Long, a local veterinarian, was selected as president of the Hop Bowl association, at a meeting held in the city hall when an organization was perfected to carry out plans to make the Hop Bowl a permanent project.

Other officers are Dr. George Herley, vice president; A. W. Foster, secretary-treasurer. These with four others to be named by the president, will compose a board of directors. As soon as the necessary details can be completed, application is to be made for a charter under the tentative name of Independence Hop Bowl. Stock at \$5 a share is to be issued to those who have made contributions to the fund. The report of Glen Smith, treasurer of the old hop bowl committee, revealed that \$783 had been raised, leaving a balance of \$519 on hand with no outstanding indebtedness.

The last three days of August were selected as the dates for the hop festival, and plans are to make it bigger and better than ever.

GUESTS IN SUVER RETURN TO WYOMING

Suver—Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Johnson of Superior, Wyo., who have been visiting at the Tyler Johnson home here have returned to their home. Tyler Johnson's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Johnson and infant son, returned home with them. The Johnsons are newcomers here from Bismark, N.D. They lived near Crawfordville last winter and came to Suver last spring where Johnson purchased the store and property of the late J. M. Larsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Countryman returned home Monday evening, having spent the past week with his mother at Molalla. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Douglas, grandchildren Hazel and Raymond Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mumma, sons Ver and Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Seal, all of Corvallis, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dedele, Richard, Douglas, Elaine and Geraldine, all enjoyed a picnic at Helmick park recently.

E. L. Baker has just finished building a new granary on his farm. Work is progressing rapidly on the I. N. Peterson and I. P. Oglebee houses. Peterson has the siding all on and the roofing almost completed. He bored a well last week and reports lots of water.

COUNCIL OF CHURCH PEOPLE IS CLOSED

Silverton—Rev. and Mrs. O. R. Cross returned home Monday from a two weeks' stay at the southwest Washington fair grounds between Centralia and Chasabla. They attended the northwest district council of the Assemblies of God and reported a continued attendance of 200 people daily with many times more than three thousand.

The council will meet again next year at Centralia. The regular services of the Calvary Pentecostal church at 235 Lewis street will continue as usual where Rev. Cross is pastor.

IDAHO MAN GUEST

West Salem—Raymond Gray of Wallace, Idaho, has arrived for a visit with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Davenport, and family at their home on the corner of Gerth avenue and Ruge street.

JACKSONS ON VACATION

Woodburn—Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jackson and daughter Janice left Tuesday morning for a two weeks vacation part of which they will spend at Neakowin. They also expect to drive south over the coast highway to Roseburg for a visit. Jackson is assistant manager of the Woodburn branch of the First National bank of Portland.

Silverton—Recent visitors at Cascadia for a brief outing were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dick.

New Hubbard Pastor Preaches First Time

Hubbard—Rev. N. Sherman Hawk, recently appointed to serve the Federated church by the Methodist conference, made his initial appearance in Hubbard Sunday morning taking charge of the service. Rev. and Mrs. Hawk and their family are newly domiciled in the Congregational manse in West Hubbard. The family came to Hubbard from Turner.

LEGION PICNIC GROUP CONFERS

Silverton—The committee chairman of the American Legion picnic plans met Monday evening in the armory club rooms and furthered arrangements for the annual out-of-door all day affair to be on Sunday, July 21 at Hazel Green park. The main feature of the sports program includes a ball game between the county champions of the American Legion juniors, Mr. Angel, and a picked all-star team from the county. Prize money will be offered for the winners in races and water sports. Egg throwing for the women's contest proved so popular that the committee decided to stage it again. On the sports committee, E. M. Powell will be assisted by Walter Morgan and C. E. Hinchbetham.

One of the attractions will be a free dance from 8 until 12 o'clock with a fine orchestra of eight pieces furnishing the music. Plans are to have a band playing on the grounds in the afternoon for the pleasure of the crowd. George Towle is music chairman.

A number of concessions will be managed on the grounds. Twenty posts have received invitations to attend aside from numerous individuals. The public will be welcome to attend.

J. J. Lewis is publicity chairman. Ernest Starr is in charge of finances. Clair Jarvis of gate and Ralph Bilyeu, chairman on refreshments will be assisted by Otto Alm, William Swift and J. J. Lewis.

MEMBERS OF CHURCH CLASS HOLD PARTY

Woodburn—A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McClure at their home Saturday evening by members of the Berean class of the Church of Christ Bible school. The evening was spent in games and guessing contests. Refreshments followed the games. Mr. and Mrs. McClure expect to leave soon for California to be gone several months.

Those present were Conley D. Silsby, Miss Carol Stephens of McMinnville, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Williams, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Smith, Mrs. C. M. Hicks, Mrs. E. J. Morris, Mrs. Minnie Bissell, Mrs. Lela Hughes, Mrs. Rena Latta, Mrs. Wilkins, Mrs. Berna, Mrs. George Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McClure, Arline, Harold and Roy McClure.

MONMOUTH PEOPLE WELCOME VISITORS

Monmouth—Several Monmouth homes are open this week to visitors coming from a distance.

At the W. L. Smith home are Mrs. Smith's aunts, Mrs. Claire G. Wright of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Charles E. Smith of New York City; Mrs. W. L. Smith's father, S. F. Gillespie from Centralia, Wash., is also a houseguest of the Smiths.

Miss Mary Jo Ferguson, formerly of Monmouth, now of Redlands, Calif., is here for a visit with old friends, Opal Scheuerman, daughter of Rev. A. N. Scheuerman of Verbonia is spending several days with Delores Bracken, Mrs. M. D. Coulter, who was a houseguest of her cousin, Mrs. R. J. Hampton over the week-end, returned to her home in Portland Sunday. Mrs. Gilbert Scott and two children of Lebanon have been recent visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sere, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell and two children of Salem were entertained recently by Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Huber, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Persons of Salem were dinner guests of his sister, Mrs.

K. Steadman Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ferguson and Kenneth were accompanied to their home in Portland from their recent visit here by Mrs. Ferguson's mother, Mrs. M. Alderson, who will spend several days with her daughter and family. Mrs. Wallace and daughter, Mrs. A. Shenae, the latter's infant daughter and Mrs. S. L. Partlow returned to their homes in Woodlawn, Wash., Monday after spending two days as houseguests of Mrs. M. Mack. Mrs. Partlow also visited her son, E. J. Partlow and family Mr. and Mrs. L. Webb of Kalama, Wn., have been guests recently of relatives here.

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