

Independence Repairing Damages of This Week's Storm

EDITORIAL

The fortieth session of the Oregon legislature swings into action Monday. During the statutory 40-days the members receive compensation for their services, much legislation of importance will be placed before its members. Some of this will be of great interest to the voters and residents of the three counties served by the Capital Journal.

All papers will carry full accounts of major legislation and roll call will be recorded. It is impossible for the papers serving the state at large to carry recorded votes of all members upon all measures, particularly upon those which pertain to certain districts and which are known as "local measures."

To inform the people of the vote of each member in the territory most thoroughly covered by the Capital Journal, this paper will watch the vote of the senators and representatives from Marion, Polk and Linn counties and record this in connection with legislation of importance to those three counties as a feature of this session.

Marion county has two state senators and four state representatives. Polk county shares its senatorial seat with Benton county and has one representative. Linn county has one senator and shares one with Lane county, while it has two representatives. — C.K.L.

Four Jubilarians Observe Anniversary

Mt. Angel—In observance of the golden jubilee of their profession, four sisters of the Order of the Queen of Angels renewed their vows at impressive ceremonies Friday morning in the convent chapel.

The Rt. Rev. Placidus Puerst, O.S.B., chaplain, officiated at the high mass and Rev. Maurus Snyder, O.S.B., was present in the sanctuary. The jubilarians are Sister Mary Dominica Zerkow, Sister Mary Eugene Hess, Sister Mary DeSales Fischer and Sister Mary Frances Wildhaber.

The four sisters, all from Switzerland with the exception of Sister

Turner Garden Club Is Active

Turner—Mrs. J. S. McKinney entertained members of the Turner Home and Garden club at her home Thursday with Mrs. E. Whitaker as assistant hostess.

The committee on New Year's resolutions, Miss Rosa Ahrens and Mrs. Mary Schifferer, brought in the following, which were adopted: Providing one summer school scholarship for the 4-H club; a spring flower show with Mrs. Elizabeth Ball, Miss Helen Peetz, Mrs. Mary Schifferer and Miss Rosa Ahrens as the committee in charge; a floral display to be arranged at the time of the summer lamb show; entertain luncheon at the Masonic hall at 8 o'clock February 14 with a Valentine party.

Mrs. Francis Whitehead, Mrs. Katie Ahrens and Mrs. Nora Robertson are the committee in charge. The sub-committees are: Refreshment, Miss Rosa Ahrens, Mrs. Ina Riches, Mrs. Gertrude Pearson and Mrs. Alice Chance; entertainment, Mrs. Elizabeth Ball, Miss Helen Peetz and Mrs. Gertrude Hennies; decoration, Mrs. Lucille McKinney, Miss Mable Walker and Mrs. Mary Ball. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Hennies, who will be joined as hostess by Mrs. Alice Chance, Mrs. Joe McKinney and Mrs. E. Whitaker, joint hostesses.

Attending were Mrs. Edie Whitaker, Mrs. Mary Ball, Mrs. Elizabeth Ball, Gertrude Hennies and daughters, Shirley and Patricia; Frances Whitehead, Anna Whitehead, Clara Kendall and daughter, Beverly; Emma Ahrens and daughter, Patricia; Alice Edwards, Neal; Dora Sophia Robertson, Maude Bones, Nora Robertson, Gertrude Pearson, Nellie Hamilton, Helen Peetz, Katie Ahrens, Rosa Ahrens, Mable Walker.

Evergreen Chapter Has 43rd Birthday

Woodburn—Evergreen Chapter No. 41, Order of the Eastern Star, will observe the 43rd anniversary of its organization at the regular meeting, which will be held Monday night at the Masonic temple. Charter members will be honored and the newly installed officers will occupy their stations for the first time.

Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Edgar Dodge, Mrs. L. M. Bittney, Mrs. L. S. Mochel, Mrs. O. F. Wright and Mrs. Ivan C. Beers.

Hubbard Evangelistic Campaign Under Way

Hubbard—A revival campaign is being conducted at the Gospel hall by the pastor, J. L. Green, assisted by Evangelist Alvin J. Ellison of Los Angeles, Calif. According to Rev. Green the interest is increasing nightly. An invitation is extended by Rev. Green to all folk interested in these services to attend the meeting. A number of interesting themes of vital importance will be presented and friends are urged to be present.

Alumni Organizing

Aumville—The recently organized alumni will hold a meeting Monday evening in the city hall of Aumville at 8 o'clock. It is hoped a large crowd will be present to help complete the organizing and make plans for an annual event to be held in the spring.

Substitute for Thomas

West Salem—Starting Monday, Mrs. O. O. McClelland will be the substitute teacher for Lyle Thomas, who will be busy as a representative in legislature.

City Estimates Total Losses Around \$10,000

Independence—The estimated damage to buildings and property in this vicinity from the recent storm which will run well towards \$10,000, is being repaired as rapidly as possible.

Plate and other glass in the business section which was blown out, will run well up to \$1000. These are being replaced as fast as the sizes can be obtained.

New roofs are being replaced and where buildings were blown down the debris is being cleared away. Several large black walnut trees on the Hill property across Monmouth street from the Spaulding Logging company yard were up-rooted. These are landmarks of long standing.

Fulmer's Service station in C street which suffered great damage, is being repaired.

The Mountain States Power company sustained considerable loss when the power line was wrecked by a falling flagpole at the high school. Eighty-four street lights were burned out and had to be replaced.

The W. C. Hill gravel bunkers, which were put out of commission by falling trees and poles, are being repaired.

Many of the marquees have not been rebuilt, the owners waiting for more favorable weather. Some have been temporarily repaired.

Walter Waite Heads Forum

Dallas—Walter L. Waite was installed as president of the Chamber of Commerce, E. J. Page, retiring president, made a few remarks before stepping down and the new president addressed the group briefly in regard to the work of the coming year. A list of committees was announced by the secretary, W. Blackley, who also gave a brief resume of some of the accomplishments of the chamber during the year just closing. The financial report for the year just closing will be presented at the next meeting.

Guests at the luncheon were Judge R. Frank Peters of Hillsboro and Frances T. Wade of the attorney's office.

The following are the committees with the first name in each case acting as chairman: Roads, C. L. Orider, Carl Gerlinger, Jr.; J. A. Ingalls; rural, Earle Richardson, Al Cadde; legislative, Oscar Hayter, Fred Cadde; house, C. B. Sundberg, Donald Galt; civic, Oramel Shreve, John Elizer, George Gould, Jr.; Ivan Warner; finance, Walter Muir, Walter Williams; investigation, Maurice Dalton, Laird Woods; community chest, E. J. Page, J. A. Ingalls, W. L. Pemberton; membership, the secretary.

Forum Meets Tuesday

West Salem—The West Salem Chamber of Commerce will meet Tuesday evening at the Coffee Shop, 1128 Broadway street, at 8:30 o'clock. The chamber has not held a meeting for three weeks on account of holiday activities. All West Salem people interested are invited to attend.

Lebanon Stamp Sale Passes Former Mark

Lebanon—Sales of stamps and stamp stock in 1938 exceeded those of the year before to set a new all-time high record, according to figures released by Postmaster Merrill Smith. The previous high, set in 1937, was \$15,902.38, and last year's sales were \$16,125.30, or an increase of \$222.92.

Permit mailings for 1938 were somewhat less, however, dropping \$31 under the previous year's figure. Last year's total was \$638 as compared with \$1158. The grand gross for 1938, including stamp sales and permits, was \$16,953, opposed to \$17,062 in 1937.

Last year's money orders issued here were also less in number and

Lodges Stage Joint Ritual

Dallas—A joint installation of Dallas temple, Pythian Sisters of Dallas and Willamette temple, Pythian Sisters of Independence, was held Thursday evening in Independence.

Installing officers of Dallas were: Acting grand chief, Jennie Plaster; acting grand senior, Norma Hooker; acting grand managers, Ruth Hyde and Marcella Middleton. Installing officers of Independence were:

Acting grand senior, Dorothy Hanson; M. E. C. Raham Becken; E. S. Nadine Safford; E. J. Helen Slager; master, Jennie Ritchey; M. of P. Lorraine Newlin; M. R. and C. Ella Baker; newling, Jennie Carey; guard, Marie Kulland.

Officers installed for Delore temple were: P. C. Ruby Rowell; M. E. C. Ruby Irwin; E. S. Carrie Dunn; E. J. Oma Smith; manager, Alice Wilson; M. of P. Florence Hunter; M. of R. and C. Nettie Helgeson; protector, Jennie Eberling; guard, Alaida Smith; musician, Ardith Domachot-sky. Members who accompanied the officers were W. J. Collins, Mrs. Mary Starr, Mrs. Miriam Murray, Mrs. E. A. Warner.

Acting Grand Chief Jennie Plaster was presented with a gift by Mrs. Mary Starr on behalf of Delore temple. Garages were presented to all the acting grand officers. Refreshments were served following the meeting.

Unique Singing Club Presents 468 Programs

Woodburn—The ninth anniversary of the Harmony club will be observed Monday night at the home of its sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dickenson, on South Front street. This is a unique club in that there are no fees or dues and everyone is welcome.

The club meets every Monday night at the Dickenson home and during the past nine years 468 programs have been given and not one meeting night missed. During that time approximately 20,000 people have been in attendance at the meetings. It has been a place where both young and old people have had a chance to learn the art of appearing in public and have been encouraged to make the most of their talent.

Epley Outlines Suggestions for Better Service

Jefferson—A program of activities and city improvements, with all co-operating, was proposed by Mayor H. C. Epley in his inaugural address to the city council.

The new executive spoke of Jefferson's location, fertility of soil and climate urging beautification of Jefferson to attract home-seekers. He stressed the attractiveness of the new school building on the highway and the landscaping that is now being done, suggesting that a woman's floral club be organized to further beautify this portion of the highway and to solicit the earnest co-operation of property owners.

Mayor Epley recommended an amendment of the ordinance governing the parking of cars on main street to read "heading in" instead of "backing in." Further, he suggested that definite "No Parking Space" be marked off at each fire hydrant, so as to leave them free from obstruction in case of fire.

Epley also called for "flushing" of all hydrants at regular intervals with all parts carefully checked as to working conditions. Also "that the two emergency pumps be inspected as to their condition and any needed repairs be taken care of immediately."

Other recommendations in the message: That the light and water committee be instructed to make a careful survey of the water system as to its condition and make all needed repairs at once; that the same committee thoroughly examine the financial condition of the water fund, especially pertaining to the amount due on unpaid water bills; a more stringent enforcement of the speed law; and unnecessary sounding of horns and other forms of rowdiness on the streets at night.

A check-up by the street and sidewalk committee on fire hazards within the city was urged. This applies to dilapidated sidewalks on intersecting streets.

The new mayor urged citizens of Jefferson to attend the council meetings, extending the courtesy of the floor to anyone wishing to present legitimate business for the council's consideration. He also urged "that we carefully watch finances and live within our income, if it is at all possible. Strenuously avoid going into debt unless compelled to do so, that our slogan be 'Our debt reduction.'"

Special High Mass Honors Pioneer Priest

St. Paul—The centennial of Father P. N. Blanchet's arrival at French Prairie was observed Friday with a pontifical high mass of Euphany—the same service as the first held by Father Blanchet.

Presiding at the mass was Archbishop Edward D. Howard, assisted by Father John Laidlaw, Father Charles Smith and Father Osh, pastor at St. Paul. The sermon was delivered by Father Smith.

It was January 6, 1839, that Father Blanchet, whose diocese included 400,000 square miles of the far west, blessed the little log church which was to serve the settlers of French Prairie for many years.

Abiqua Farmer Discovers Use For Old Ties

Silverton—Ben Butler of the Abiqua section is using railway ties from the former track of the Silver Falls Timber company to construct a chicken house. The building is artistic, resembling a summer home of hewn logs.

A portion of the discarded track from Silverton to the company's camp 18 ran across the Butler place and the taking up of the tracks was completed within last month.

Inman Extends His Properties At Silverton

Silverton—Lee Inman has purchased the 53-by-83 foot building space adjoining his Court Apartments with frontage on Jersey street, making 180 from Water street and a full block frontage on Water street inclusive to the seven court apartments and filling station.

On the space purchased is the one-story business building formerly known as the George Barr Implement house. The deal was completed this week between Inman and the trustees and depositors of the Coolidge and McGinnis bank. The present building will be razed.

Inman has let a contract to Frank Struble, architect, of Salem, for the construction of a two-story building, the lower floor to be used for garage facilities and laundry for the Court Apartments and the occupancy of the five apartments of the new building. The exterior of the building will be of John Mansville fire-proof shingles. It will be built on modern design of gabled roof and modern window type. Inman is also proprietor of the

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Lyle Krug, student of Mt. Angel College and Portland Business college, has accepted a position in the Salem Ladd & Bush bank. Krug is a son of the Fred Krugs of the Brush Creek district.

Orville Tichaniz, who was badly injured in an automobile collision several weeks ago, is able to resume his work at the Silverton Electric store.

Classes for adults in knitting and sewing were opened last night in the Eugene Field building between 7:30 and 9:30 o'clock. Anyone desiring to do so may enter free of charge.

Mrs. C. E. Jaqua was hostess and Mrs. William Smith had charge of the program at Friday's meeting of the Junior Circle of the Methodist church in the annex.

Mrs. Arthur Buel has had as her house guest for several days her sister, Mrs. H. A. Radke of Antioch, Ill., and her daughter, Mrs. H. P. Carey of Dallas, Texas. The women had not seen each other for 48 years. Mr. Radke accompanied the visitors.

The Pudding River home of the A. E. Mathys family is being extensively remodeled and repaired. The new English type home of the Willard Bensons in the Silverton Hills district is nearly completed and the family will move to their new residence in a few days.

Inman building which includes eight living apartments and three business places on the ground floor.

Pre-Lenten Series Of Cards to Start

Woodburn—The women of St. Luke's parish will give the first of the pre-Lenten series of card parties at St. Luke's hall Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. A lunch will be served and a number of prizes given. Mrs. Frank Weiss is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements and will be assisted by Mrs. A. P. Zuber, Mrs. Frank Zurnstein, Mrs. Julius Vandenberg and Mrs. Max Warring. The public is invited.

West Salem—Mrs. Nellie Hathway is serving on the jury in Dallas this week.

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