

Turner Church Session 'Off'

Silverton—Word was received officially Thursday by Rev. Russell Myers of the First Christian church pastorate that the federal war committee on conventions turned thumbs down on the planned state convention of Christian churches at Turner on grounds that the nature of the sessions do not come under the rulings of the committee.

Plans had been well toward the completion of the program, housing proposition and speakers, and two appeals were made by the state board, but to no avail. The Silverton church group is disappointed, as practically the entire congregation had hoped to attend the sessions this year, which were to have been the last week in June.

The annual Turner conventions, called camp meetings in former times, had been held without an omission since pioneer days. This would have been the 95th annual meeting and featured as the "kick-off" program for the centennial year for Christian churches in Oregon in 1946.

Budget Is Approved For Scio Expenses

Scio—Expense account for the city of Scio for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1945, and ending June 30, 1946, as recommended May 11 by the budget committee, was accepted by the council at the monthly meeting this week. Action on proposed tax on punchboards operated by the three Scio concerns represented by Karl Caswell, J. E. Smith and S. A. Sadowsky, was suspended for the time being. Operators had stated they did not consider a tax of five per cent or two and one-half per cent a just tax for our population or volume of business.

During this strenuous and seemingly endless day there is no protest on the part of the elephants. They are amiable and willing at all times, whether working or performing. They are great creatures, these "ponderous pachyderms," and they have great hearts too. They are circus troupers.

With a host of internationally famous performers and sensational features, including a magnificent new inaugural pageant and a stirring grand finale, the Russell Bros. Pan-Pacific Circus will give performances at 3 and 8 p.m., the doors opening at 2 and 7.

Recreational Program Planned for Albany

Albany—Members of the newly created Albany public recreation council named Jess Savage as president and Mrs. T. G. Cowgill, secretary, and discussed general plans for an outdoor public recreation program during the coming summer at a meeting held in the Albany USO Servicemen's club.

The recreation program will be financed largely from funds to be raised through a maximum 2-mill levy authorized by the people of Albany at the recent special city election.

Burns Are Received By Youthful Painter

Mt. Angel—Franklin, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Vistica, received burns extending from the ankle to his hip a few days ago. After raking the yard he set fire to the rubbish. He then went about cleaning up some paint brushes with gasoline, and thoughtlessly wiped on his trouser leg. When he returned to the fire the gas started to burn.

Silverton Rotarians Hold 'Ladies Night'

Silverton—Mrs. Saidie Orr Dunbar, nationally and internationally known for her executive programs of progress among civic, social, health and federal groups, was the speaker Wednesday evening for the ladies' night dinner of the Silverton Rotary club, of which Henry Pritzlaff was program chairman and Jonas Byberg, Rotary president, was master of ceremonies. More than 80 members and guests were present at the First Christian church social rooms for the affair.

Mrs. Dunbar, as member of a responsible federal group that knows, said a number of things that "showed teeth" which she requested to be withheld from the written record, nevertheless she placed responsibility on every adult American in the job of solving the problems of a deeply serious nature that are already arising as an aftermath of the years of war. She openly frowned on the "first cut in the budget to be against child welfare work and old age relief."

Special guests introduced were Mrs. Gladys Irish, Silverton; Mrs. Roy Marlan, Rotary president; and Mrs. Harlan, Ervin Smith, Salem Rotary secretary; and Mrs. Smith, from Woodburn Rotary president; Fred Hocker and Mrs. Hocker and Pat McLaughlin, secretary, with Mrs. McLaughlin, from Astoria; Mrs. M. Kosovitch, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Keene.

Mrs. Arthur Dahl was pianist for the group singing, led by Mrs. Tom Anderson, and accompanied Max Holland in baritone solo. The tables and rooms were bright in a decor of pink posies.

Silverton Library Receives Support

Silverton—Mrs. H. B. Latham, chairman of the board, presented the Silverton public library report for May to include: Books purchased 64; circulation 950; books added by gift 11; new readers added 21.

Donors during May were Mrs. Troy Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Latham, Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Keene, Miss Elizabeth Klein, Mrs. Foster Goss, Robert Miller, Mrs. William Scarth, Mrs. J. E. Stoy, Mrs. May Hill, Mrs. George Christensen, Mrs. W. L. McGinnis, Max Olsen, Johnson, Mrs. Conrad Dahl, Mrs. H. H. Page, Mrs. W. A. Woodard, Mrs. Henry Pritzlaff, and Mrs. O. E. Lee. Mrs. A. E. Schierbaum, Mrs. Alan Foster.

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Bonds at This Theater!

Warning Given About Ragwort

Bethel—The Farmers Union meeting on Monday night drew an interested attendance and a fine discussion was had on the peace conference led by Gus Schlicker; measures on the ballot led by Theodore G. Nelson; development of PUD districts and benefits to patrons of the Salem Electric cooperative led by Dr. O. A. Olson.

Walter Baker was in the chair and was assisted by Warren Creech, conductor. Mrs. A. C. Spranger, good-of-the-order chairman, reported on a good enameled range available for purchase and it was voted that the Farmers Union purchase it for use in the school kitchen to replace the old range that has been in the kitchen since the present school building was erected.

Mrs. Spranger reported on the conference held in the Farmers Union hall in Salem and on the report of the peace conference given at the university on Sunday. Mrs. Ralph A. Wilson disclosed plans for the Farmers Union camp which will be held at Camp Adams near Molalla for one week during the summer, with special days for officers, junior reserves and junior groups. Theodore G. Nelson told of the progress a n d growth of the Producer-Consumer Co-op in Salem and of the installation of a large walk-in refrigerator.

Members were notified by Kenneth Runner, secretary, that certificates of interest from the state warehouse will be distributed at the next meeting.

The appearance of tansy ragwort in this district was reported. This is a poisonous weed and will kill livestock if eaten green in the pastures or eaten in dry clover, alfalfa or other kinds of hay. It will grow anywhere, in thick sodded pastures, in the timber, or in plowed fields. It is a perennial and spreads from the roots as well as from the seeds which will blow from field to field. This is the most alarming report that has ever been made in this district. No one farmer can fight the pest alone, but it will be necessary to band together in weed control districts, and it is hoped that adjacent counties will cooperate.

This weed will remain green

in the summer when all other vegetation in a pasture is dry and brown. Stock do not like it but will eat it if the ground is pastured too close. The market for dried hay will be lost to the valley farmers unless drastic action is taken to stamp out the pest.

It was reported that at least three head of stock have died from some unknown cause, and tansy ragwort is now being viewed with suspicion as a possible cause. The weed can be killed by digging out the roots or by spraying with a poison mixture.

A committee was appointed to arrange a public meeting and to spread information about the weed. The members are Arno Spranger, A. J. Mader and Ralph Wilson and they already arranged for a meeting for the night of July 2 to be held at the Bethel school with the county agent, Gerald Nibbler, and a specialist from OSC as the speakers. The meeting is public and all are urged to attend.

Mrs. Ralph Wilson and Mrs. Oscar Wigle were in charge of the serving at the close of the meeting.

Water for Pioneer Cemetery Assured

Mt. Angel—A group of citizens, Mrs. Cletus Butsch, Fred J. Schwab, Charles Bochsler, Clem Duda and Al Stupfel, attended the council meeting to ask the city to extend adequate water supply for sprinkling purposes to the old St. Mary's cemetery, where so many of the pioneers of the community are buried. The councilmen gave assurance that their request would be granted as soon as material becomes available.

This year's budget calls for about \$3300 more than last year as sinking funds are being set up for post-war improvements in the city.

A letter from the secretary of state concerning the matter of taking a new census for the city was read. The council felt that a new census would show the city's population at least 100 more, due to the fact that the federal census takers had overlooked the academy, which is in the city limits.

School Clinics Set

Independence—The PTA will sponsor two pre-school clinics Tuesday and Thursday, from 9:30 to 3:00. Tuberculin tests will be given also. These will be the last clinics for the summer. Appointments can be made by calling Mrs. Martin Fratzke, phone 120R.

Woodburn Area Realty Moves

Woodburn—W. Earl Dunn of the Dun Realty Exchange has announced the following properties which have recently been sold through his office in Woodburn and vicinity:

P. T. Glass has purchased a 10 acre tract about one and one-half miles west of Woodburn, from Harvey W. Gibbs of Oakland, Calif.

Victor V. Hixson has purchased the Baldwin tract on Brown street and will make his home there in the near future.

Clyde Graham and wife have purchased the new home recently completed by Howard Leachy North Front street and moved there.

George A. Everts, personnel manager for the Birdseye-Snyder cannery, who has been transferred here from Yakima, Wash., has purchased the home formerly owned by Henry Beaman, located at 347 South Front street, and will occupy the property with his wife and two sons.

Bruno Haas, formerly of Montana, has purchased the 15 acre farm owned by A. F. Glenn, about five miles out on the Woodburn-Negus highway, and will take possession June 20.

B. W. Odicks of Beavercreek, Oregon, has purchased the 5-acre improved tract on the Pacific highway from James V. Lator, who recently moved to Portland. The Odicks will make their home on the property.

Dan Muck of Lynwood, Calif., has purchased an unimproved tract of five acres on the Pacific highway as an investment.

Woodburn Electric Franchise granted

Woodburn—At the regular meeting of the city council Tuesday evening, the Portland General Electric company was granted a franchise for a 20-year term and as compensation the company will pay the city \$500 per year.

Two more petitions for paving the city streets were accepted by the council. Property owners on Gatch street and on a block on South First street have petitioned for pavements.

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In

"Suspicion"

Tickets on Sale Circus Days at Quisenberry's Central Pharmacy

"Doubling in Brass," three of the performing elephants with the Russell Bros. Pan-Pacific Circus move a heavy cage wagon into the show's menagerie. Even though they "double in brass" nowadays with the big show—that is, they are actors and workers, too, the elephants are the most even tempered and obliging creatures on the lot, and that does not except any of the human troupers, either.

When the big Russell Bros. Pan-Pacific railroad circus comes to Salem, Thursday and Friday, June 14 and 15, the elephants will be seen in the dawn's early light unloading the show's railroad cars, hauling cages and wagons along the strings of flat cars to the ramps, jerking them

Eighth Grade Pupils Presented Diplomas

Dallas—In graduating exercises held in the junior high school auditorium Wednesday night, eighth grade diplomas were presented to 83 graduating pupils. S. E. Whitworth, Dallas superintendent of schools, awarded the diplomas.

Rev. Claude O'Brien, pastor of the Springfield Christian church, addressed the graduates on the subject, "Desperate Faith." Other program numbers, opening with the processional with accompaniment by Miss Earline Gleason, included the invocation by Rev. Clark Enz; flag salute, led by Donald Blanchard, eighth grade class president; song by the high school sextette; trumpet duet played by graduates Willie Heinrichs and George Slawson, with Betty Gossan, accompanist; singing by the eighth grade chorus; benediction by Rev. Enz and the concluding recessional with Miss Gleason accompanying.

Central Howell—Miss Helen Way of Portland spent a portion of her week's vacation at her home in this community. Miss Lucille Roth, also of Portland, is planning to spend next week at her home in this community.

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Navy Hospital Men Visit Masonic Unit

Independence—Page H. Carter, Ph.M. USN, of Richmond Hill N.Y.; H. L. Ingelhart of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Charles B. Isakson of St. Paul, Minn., all of the navy hospital at Camp Adair, were guests at the meeting of Lynn lodge No. 29 of the Masonic order Wednesday evening. Following the meeting the members and guests adjourned to the Cafe Adair where a late lunch was served. Edward Dunkle acted as toastmaster during the lunch hour.

Two Accident Victims

Independence—The small son of E. E. Dwinell suffered cuts and bruises inflicted when hit by a car Wednesday evening. Suffering from a broken arm Wednesday was Marie Eberman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Eberman.

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