



This Dangerous Character is, as you see, Fred Allen a little agitated at his predicament in "It's In the Bag." Fred is aided and abetted by such funny men as Jack Benny, Don Ameche, William Bendix, Victor Moore, Rudy Vallee, Bob Benchley and Jerry Colonna in the Jack Skirball production at the Grand theater tomorrow.

West Salem City Council Approves Budget for Year

West Salem, July 10—A budget providing for \$33,825 for operational expenses of the city of West Salem for the current fiscal year beginning July 1 was adopted by the council at a special meeting held last evening for the purpose of giving the taxpayers an opportunity to consider the budget.

This budget, which is slightly higher than that drawn last year, allocates \$12,910 to the general expenditure fund, \$8710 to the water fund, \$3095 to the

street fund, \$350 for sewer expenditures, \$2720 sinking fund for water bonds and interest, \$6040 for sinking funds for street and building improvement. Of the estimated annual expenditure, \$28,145 will be met by revenue from the water department, utilities service fees, building permits, motor vehicle tax refund, fines, etc. The \$11,550 to be met by direct taxation is within the 6 percent limitation.

The budget adopted Monday night was recommended several weeks ago by a budget committee composed of O. C. Brown, chairman, John Van Santen, secretary, A. F. Goffrier, F. P. Wells, O. B. Hanson, Don J. Burns, G. C. Newgent, Donald Kuhn, Arno Myers, Sam Alexander, Harold Reinwald, Larry Fitzgerald and W. C. Heise.

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The picnic will be in the nature of a dedicatory event in observance of the completion of the wading pool and other park improvements built this year through the sponsorship of the participating groups.

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Woodburn Legion Inviting Veterans

Woodburn—All veterans of World War II of Woodburn and vicinity are invited to be the guests of Woodburn post of the American Legion at the Legion hall, Wednesday evening, July 11.

A short business meeting will be held, followed by a social get-together. This is to be a special night for war veterans not members of the post. Harold M. Austin is chairman of the committee on arrangements and Arvid Ostrom and Floyd Maricle are in charge of refreshments. All veterans in this vicinity are urged to attend.

Evergreen District People Will Picnic

Silverton—Miss Olive Ottaway, secretary-treasurer of the Evergreen school district group, announces the annual reunion for all former students and friends of the district to be Sunday, July 15, at the Silverton city park.

P. L. Blackerby, president, will not be able to attend on account of illness. Vice presidents are Lillian Burnham, Sarah Maulding, Dan Geiser, Wynola Ottaway and Leona Witzel of Salem.

Serving as program chairman will be Lette Bye, and in charge of the coffee are Dan Geiser and Miles Ottaway.

Woodburn Aid Group Helping Red Cross

Woodburn—The Presbyterian Aid society will meet at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon in the social room of the church. Devotions will be read by Mrs. Jane Mack while Mrs. Jessie Wageman will have charge of the program. Hostesses include Mrs. Olive Smith, Mrs. O. F. Larson and Mrs. Clara Bohn. Members are asked to bring waste grease and any yarn they may have on hand for the Red Cross.

School Health Plans Outlined

Albany—Reduction of the new state law providing for an improved statewide program of health instruction and physical education in Oregon grade and high schools to a curricular basis was accomplished Monday at a meeting held here by the curricular sub-committee of the state joint committee on health education and physical fitness. The meetings were held at the high school.

The final draft of the program was presented to committee members by Greba Logan, health education supervisor of Portland schools, covering material for the first six grades, and by H. S. Hoyman, associate professor of physical education at the University of Oregon, dealing with junior and senior high school work. The program to be followed in all of Oregon's schools next year was adopted.

The program as now constituted provides for instruction in personal hygiene, community health and sanitation, communicable diseases, nutrition, mental health, safety education, first aid, choice and use of health services and health products, physiology of exercise, structure and functions of the human body and effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics.

Existing health education not incorporated within the new program remains unaffected.

Benbow to Supply Pulpit at Dallas

Dallas—Rev. Earl W. Benbow, recently appointed pastor of Dallas Presbyterian church, will supply the pulpit here during the month of August but will not start his duties officially until September 1, according to church officials.

Rev. Benbow is at present serving as Presbyterian student pastor at University of Washington. He will move to Dallas with his family at the expiration of his contract with the university.



Rev. B. A. Franklin

Canby Is Host Church Session

Silverton—Rev. B. A. Franklin, 702 North Water street, Silverton, is in charge of accommodations for the Canby camp meeting combined with the annual youth conference at Canby, of the Pacific northwest district of the Christian and Missionary Alliance to be held from Thursday, July 12, through Sunday, July 22.

The theme of the conference and camp meeting will be "American Youth for Christ." Each day's program begins at 6 a.m., and closes with the evening service beginning at 8:15 p.m.

Speakers are from throughout the Pacific northwest and include Rev. W. H. Weston, Rev. R. L. Cramer, Rev. H. L. Turner, Rev. H. W. Post, "Bill" Weston and Rev. R. F. C. Schwedler.

The daily program includes: 6:00—Rising bell. 6:30—Morning prayer hour. 7:30—Breakfast. 9:00—Young people's period. 9:30—Children's meeting. 10:30—Missions. 11:00—Bible study. 12:15—Dinner. 1:00 to 2:00—Rest period. 2:00—Occasional meeting. 5:30—Supper. 7:15—Song service. 7:30—Missions. 8:15—Evangelistic service.

Aurora Orders Fire Pumper

Aurora—The Aurora volunteer fire department just recently placed an order with Howard-Cooper Fire Equipment Co. of Portland for a new 150-gallon pumper capable of pumping 300 gallons of water a minute. The pumper will be mounted on a Ford chassis with a Mercury motor. It will be equipped with 1000 feet of hose, a 500-gallon booster tank, latest fog nozzles and other equipment. It will be one of the most modern fire trucks in the entire country and will be used for rural fire protection. The pumper will be stationed in the new fire house in Aurora which is to be built by the city in the very near future. This will give the Aurora community two modern fire trucks.

Under the supervision of Chief Willis Matthieu, members of the fire department have worked endless hours in soliciting the rural districts for contributions toward purchasing the new truck, which will be ready for use in approximately 30 days.

Meetings Suspended By Aurora Temple

Aurora—At the last meeting of Una temple, No. 28, Pythian Sisters, it was voted to suspend meetings during July and August. Meetings will be resumed as usual in the fall.

The local temple recently

Dallas Shipment Tin Cans Ready

Dallas—Ready for shipment from Dallas is a full carload of tin cans collected through the Polk county salvage committee by residents of the area, according to Mrs. J. A. Inglis, county chairman.

Previous shipments have been made in conjunction with Marion county, but with increased response by local residents, it is possible this month to ship directly from the county. Members of the salvage committee and other volunteers, including a group from the Lions club, will assist in transporting the cans to the car and loading.

The shipment will boost the per capita average of Polk county residents in the tin salvage to approximately four pounds per person.

Monmouth—Mrs. Harvey Robinson, who underwent an operation last week at the Bartel hospital, Dallas, is making satisfactory recovery.

Bean Festival Date Changed

Stayton—Plans for Stayton's annual bean festival were advanced this week with the dates August 7 to August 11 tentatively set. Charles Johnson is president of the Santiam Festival, Inc., directors, in charge of all arrangements.

L. R. Wright and Mrs. Edward Bell have been made the committee on carnival location. Marc Landon will be in charge of dances and will be assisted by Edward Bell and Walter Bell in arranging for festival music. Contests, pet parades and other attractions will be arranged.

Amos Installed For Lodge Year

Silverton—Charles C. Amos was installed as noble grand at the Saturday night meeting of the Odd Fellows. His assisting corps of officers for the coming year includes Ed Bolme, VG; Olum Larson, warden; Roy Skafte, chaplain; S. Teglund, IG; W. C. Larson, OG; Charles Meyer, RSG; Eldon McClure, LSG; Axel Olson, RSVG; P. W. Nofsker, LSVG.

The installing team were George Christenson, deputy district grand master; Ray Skafte, marshal; Charles Meyer, warden; Ole Jacobson, IG; and S. A. Gay, grand chaplain. S. Teglund and George Busch were the committee responsible for the watermelon feed.

Ungers Entertain At Silver Jubilee

Mt. Angel—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Unger opened their home and gardens to the members of the original KK club, a sports organization, at a barbecue Sunday afternoon and evening. When the group organized in 1920, they planned this party to meet again in 25 years to celebrate their silver jubilee.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Harwood McIntire of Portland; Lawrence Butch of Oakland, Calif.; Mrs. Georgia Webb of Portland; Mrs. Frank Bentley of Woodburn; Miss Helen Kehr, Mrs. Elizabeth Truer, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wachter; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kaiser; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Butch; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Butch; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krell; Mr. and Mrs. David Traver; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Unger.

Dallas City Park Capacity Taxed

Dallas—With the temperature ranging in the 90s, facilities of the Dallas city park have been hard pressed to meet demands of crowds seeking to keep cool the past few days. Coming early and bringing picnic dinners, groups stay late, awaiting the abatement of the heat. The park pool has been crowded.

That it hasn't been as warm as it has seemed locally is indicated by readings of the Polk county fire patrol which lists the mercury top for Friday at 93, Saturday at 93 and Sunday at 91.

ENDS TODAY! (TUE.)

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Vivian Blaine "SOMETHING FOR THE BOYS"

OPENS 6:45 P.M.

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OPENS 6:45 P.M.

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