

In The Valley

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Silverton to Vote on School

SILVERTON — The members of the Silverton school board, District No. 4, Dr. E. L. Henkel, chairman, Herman Goschie, Art Bollinger, Ted Rutherford and Ted Burian, board members, and Howard Balderstone, superintendent of the Silverton schools, met Wednesday night for consideration of problems that may cause drastic changes in the local high school program.

On Saturday, March 6, at a special election, Silverton voters will decide on whether or not this district will join the proposed Union High School district. The Wednesday night resolution passed by the board states that other districts include Evergreen, Brush Creek, Evans Valley, Central Howell, Victor Point, Bethany, Mt. Angel, Silver Crest, Crooked Finger, and Portions of Monitor, Scotts Mills and Butte Creek.

The resolution as passed also includes that the site of the Union High school shall be the present Silverton high school buildings, its equipment and real property. The site to be sold to the proposed Union High School district at a price to be determined by a qualified appraiser mutually acceptable to the respective board members.

Other matters decided by the local district board members were to buy the Schubert home property at N. 1st and A streets adjoining the Eugene Field play ground, for school purposes; voting for final acceptance of the new grade school heating system; discussion of the high school parking space; and possible location of a new Junior High school, should the Union High school plan be approved.

Willamina

WILLAMINA — The city council has adopted a resolution calling for paving and improvements to 25 blocks of city streets, and engineering surveys will begin next week.

The program calls for storm sewers, catch basins, curbs, gutters and paving, and will be financed under provisions of the Bancroft bonding act, with payments to be divided into 20 semi-annual payments over a 10 year period with interest of six per cent on deferred payments.

Credit for the paving program is given to the Willamina Chamber of Commerce, whose active support made it possible to realize the paving of the streets.

The engineering firm of Clark and Grof of Salem will survey the designated streets and present specifications and cost estimates to the council at the March meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Clay of Grand Ronde are the parents of a son, born Feb. 8 at the McMinnville hospital.

K. E. Shetterly, hardware dealer and Justice of the Peace, has been appointed as chairman of draft board No. 7 of the Selective Service system for Yamhill county. He replaces Elliott Cummins, a McMinnville attorney, who was forced to resign due to pressure of business.

WOODBURN WCS

WOODBURN — The Women's Society of Christian Service will meet at noon Tuesday, Feb. 16, at the home of Mrs. James Livesey. Those attending are asked to bring sack lunches and dessert and coffee will be furnished by the co-hostesses, Mrs. Livesey, Mrs. Thomas Engle, Sr., Mrs. Arthur Burt, Mrs. Mae Otjen and Mrs. Charles Conye. Mrs. W. M. Burke will be program chairman.

Mill City

MILL CITY — Mrs. Arnold Syverson and Mrs. Fred Duffy were hostesses Tuesday for members of the Three Links Club at the Syverson home. Mrs. Phillip Hess presided at the business meeting. It was voted to make several improvements on the IOOF hall, among them repairing of the Officer stations. Plans were also discussed for serving luncheon to the Theta Rho Convention which will meet in Mill City April 10. New members joining the club was Mrs. George Stafford.

The next meeting of the club will be at the Stayton home of Mrs. Claude Bruder with a No-Host lunch to be furnished by the members.

Mrs. Syverson and Mrs. Duffy served refreshments to the 17 members present.

Visiting at the home of her parents Sunday was Miss Lela Mel Kharles Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly, from Oregon State College. She was accompanied by Johnny Gabrielsen, stationed with the Army at Fort Ord. On his return to service this week he will report for duty at the Presidio at San Francisco.

Mrs. Kenneth Morris and daughter Beverley of Prineville visited last week end at the home of her niece, Mrs. Fred Duffy and relatives in Lyons.

Mrs. Charles Stewart and Mrs. C. W. Stewart were luncheon guests last Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Young in Salem.

Mrs. Ann Crook and son Dick Crook accompanied by Miss Geraldine Humberger of Sublimity visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Garrison at Corvallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thomas of Seattle visited last week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Yankus, where their son Dick Thomas is staying while he completes his Senior year at Mill City High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart and family returned this week from a vacation trip to Nevada and California.

Joint installation ceremonies for the Presbyterian Womens Association and the Friendship Circle were held Tuesday February 9 at the home of Mrs. James Swan with Mrs. W. W. Allen acting as installing officer. Installed as officers for the Association were: President, Mrs. James Swan; Vice-president, Mrs. C. E. Mason; Mrs. Fred Grimes, Secretary-Treasurer; Devotion Chairman, Mrs. Ralph Fough; Social Education, Miss Daisy Geddes; Fellowship, Mrs. John Swan; Membership, Mrs. Otto Witt; and childrens Work Secretary, Mrs. Noble Streeter.

Friendship Circle Officers include: President, Mrs. Ario Tuers, Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Dolores Hoeye; Fellowship Secretary, Mrs. B. B. Hill and program Chairman, Mrs. Vernon Todd.

Mrs. Swan said that World Day of Prayer would be observed at the Presbyterian Church on the afternoon of March 5.

Mrs. W. W. Allen sewing clubman, stated that articles of clothing would be sent to hospitals in Thailand, Point Barrow, Alaska and Arizona.

Printed programs for the two organizations were distributed to the members. Mrs. Ida Geddes who was observing her 89th birthday that day was presented a cake, cards and gifts.

Work has been started on the renovation of the dance hall in the Daves building. This was a popular spot for holding dances in former years but has not been used for some time. Jim Holtz, High School gymnasium will be in charge of the dances when work is completed.

Americans, on the average, drink about a pint of wine a week and Frenchmen about a pint a day.

Woods Crews Back On Lebanon Jobs

LEBANON — Eastern Linn County, 49 lumber and logging operations have hired men since the first of the month. Stepped up operations are starting in all parts of the county. The activity marks the start of 1954 woods employment and only a late snow will curtail a work revival.

Many of the operations are small and hiring has been restricted to less than five men, while others have added as many as 20 men to payrolls during the past 10 days.

Among the larger firms hiring are McKay Logging company, Oak Lumber company, Relog Logging, Lester Shingle Mill, J & J Logging, Hammond Lumber, Cedar Creek Log company, Gilbert Eaton, Santiam Lumber and Santiam Logging, Snow Peak, and Wimer Logging company.

The back to work program so far this month has employed 400 persons.

Dayton

DAYTON — Robert Teed, principal of the Dayton Grade School, has invited the Dayton Garden Club to attend the Arbor Day exercises, to be held at the Grade School on Friday at 10 p.m. February 12.

Mrs. Steve Taylor returned Monday from southern Oregon, after visiting 10 days with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Randels, and brother, Guy Randels, both of Ashland; and her daughter, Mrs. Claude Harris and family of Grants Pass.

Mrs. Taylor rode out to Ashland with her son, Robert Sutton of Milwaukie, who was driving on to San Francisco, Calif. She also returned with him.

A group of Daytonites enjoyed dinner and a pleasant day Sunday, at Timberline Lodge, and Mt. Hood.

Those enjoying the day were: Mr. and Mrs. Clare Heider; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Inlath and children; Mr. and Mrs. John Howard and family; Mrs. Floyd Willard and daughter, Pat.

The Dayton Civic Club is sponsoring a cooked food sale, to be held at Frink's Hardware Saturday, February 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Lioen Phelps visited Mrs. H. H. Hillier in Portland Sunday. They were old friends in Montana.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Mamie Randall and her sister, Mrs. D. M. Taggart on Friday, were Mrs. Earl Nott of McMinnville, and Mrs. Guy Nott of Oregon City.

Sunday, Mr. Taggart came from his home at Ontario. Also Sunday Dr. Clinton Cook and daughter Margaret of Portland called.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Willard, Jr., are the parents of a son, born on Sunday, Feb. 7, at the McMinnville hospital. The child weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces and has been named Jeffrey Owen.

The Willards have four other children, Alice, David, and twins, Carrie and Kathy. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Owen Holliday, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Willard.

Miss Lois Newcomb, who has been spending the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Friday morning, Feb. 5, for San Francisco, Calif., where she is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Arne Willson, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Perry of Newberg, visited their daughter and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Perry and Calladee at Sweet Home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Stoutenburg and family spent the weekend at The Dalles visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Stoutenburg.

Jefferson

JEFFERSON — The Jefferson Lions Club will have a dinner and guest night on Monday night, Feb. 15, at 7 o'clock at the high school. Dr. Frances E. Clark, department of education and psychology at Oregon State College at Monmouth will be the speaker. Members are asked to bring covered dishes and guests.

A guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith on the Greens Bridge road Saturday was Phonge Dibiadi of Bancock. He is a chemist and is representing his country. He is studying canning and refrigeration and on his return home he will assist in setting up canneries and refrigeration plants.

Mrs. Paul Smith and Mrs. D. W. Porter were hostesses to the Past Noble Grand club lunch at 1:30 in the I.O.O.F. hall. Mrs. Porter was installed vice-president. Mrs. Wes. Carl, Mrs. Ida Hartley, Mrs. Nettie Hawk, Mrs. Howard Hampton and Mrs. Charles Smith are to plan a car party for March 11. Mrs. Hawk and Mrs. S. H. Guin will be hostesses for the next meeting.

At the altar Society card party Tuesday night were Mrs. Orrin Smith and Lloyd Hilker with high score in pinochle and Mrs. Overholser and Hall Russell in "500." Mrs. Paul McKee and Orrin Smith held low score in pinochle and Mrs. Hal Russell and Herman DeLaugh low "500" scores. The fifth and last of the parties will be held on March 17.

The Jefferson district will have two voting precincts No. 160 and No. 161. The City precinct will vote in the Masonic building on Main st., No. 161, the rural area, will vote in the new high school building.

Serving on the first board of precinct No. 160 will be Irvine Wright, chairman; Mrs. Nettie Hawk, judge; Mrs. Leah Blackwell, Mrs. Paul McKee and Mrs. Lester Shields, clerks. On the second board are Mrs. Lillian Smith, chairman; Gilbert Hoevet, judge; Mrs. Ruth Daulton, Mrs. Eileen Hampton and Mrs. Donna June Bailes, clerks.

Precinct 161. First board, Mrs. Carrie Glasgow, chairman; Albeit Gurgerich, judge; Eileen Marcus, Mrs. Bernice Skelton and Lucille Harris, clerks. Second board, Mrs. Doris Hampton, chairman; Mrs. Fern McAllister, judge; Mrs. Ann Hochspieker, Mrs. Keithel Smith and Mrs. Vivian Phelps, clerks.

Jack Wells of Independence was guest speaker at the annual guest night and supper of the Jefferson Woman's Club in the City Hall Wednesday night. He told of the five years spent in Bolivia working on farms sent there by our government on the Point Four program.

The hospitality committee included Mrs. Gilbert Looney, Mrs. Kenneth Zemlicka, Mrs. Hal Reeves and Mrs. Henry Thiesen.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Irving Wright, Mrs. Trefethon, Miss Josephine Getchell, Miss Ruth Hart, Miss Virginia Mason and Miss Edith Libby.

John Wright, high school senior, will speak at the club's Feb. 24 meeting. He will tell of the Boy Scouts Jamboree. A dessert lunch will be served at 2 o'clock, preceding the meeting. Hostesses will be Mrs. W. F. Gulvin, Mrs. Lester Shields and Mrs. Clayton Wills.

The first organized Mardi Gras street parade in New Orleans was held Feb. 27, 1838.

Sheridan

SHERIDAN — Phil Sheridan FOE building west of Sheridan will have a grand opening Feb. 27 and 28, and it is expected that the event will attract many Eagles from other lodges in this vicinity.

The lodge received its charter March 15, 1947, and the Auxiliary in May, 1947. The Aerie and Auxiliary have spearheaded many civic and charitable movements in the community.

The Auxiliary is well known for winning numerous trophies in drill team competition.

The PTA will observe Founders Day Monday, February 15 at the Chapman grade school. Past presidents will be honored during the social hour following the meeting. Girl Scouts will put on a skit, and a movie will be shown.

Beryl C. Swails, manager of the Sheridan branch of the U. S. National bank, was elected president of the Chamber of Commerce at their noon meeting this week. Francis Bragley was elected vice president; Dean Holmes secretary; Art Hebert, treasurer; Bill Ivie and J. W. Hammoms, directors.

Thirty-two new students have registered at Linfield college for the spring semester, including William Shaw, George Byrkit and Lloyd Nisly of Sheridan; and Lewis Littlejohn and Robert Thorn from Willamina.

The Rev. Father G. Sheffold of St. Michael's church at Grand Ronde left recently by plane for Germany, called by the serious illness of his mother. He expects to return in two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Alfors were hosts at a birthday party honoring their son, Allen, on his ninth birthday. Those present were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zanders of Milwaukie, Miss Dorothy Zanders, Mr. and Mrs. David Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swatz and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cappers and son David.

L. B. Howard of Spanish Forks, Utah, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Roy Bird and family.

Past presidents of American Legion auxiliary and past commanders of Legion post in Sheridan will be honored at the annual banquet, scheduled for February 22.

Mrs. Clay Tatom was hostess to the Pinochle club. Mrs. Lester Haenny won high, Mrs. Etta Ladd second; Mrs. Kay Sparks and Mrs. Haenny pinochle, and Miss Martha Hintzen, consolation.

Mrs. Don Ross and children of Fairbanks, Alaska, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Hintzen, for a month. They will return to Fairbanks by plane, where Ross is stationed.

Randy Johnson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson, was blessed at the Latter Day Saints church in McMinnville Sunday. Presiding Elder was the baby's uncle, Melvin Woodall.

Howard Wilmarth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilmarth of Sheridan, has been moved to the Holladay Park hospital in Portland from the Portland Isolation hospital where he has been since early in December when stricken with polio. He is still in serious condition, but can be out of the iron lung 30 minutes a day now. He will begin water therapy treatments soon.

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