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NEW SIDEWALK PROJECT WILL BEGIN SHORTLY

Council Authorizes New District in Vicinity of Normal School

ACTION IS UNANIMOUS

Improvement Work Costing Approximately \$27,000 Given Approval

Without a dissenting vote, the city council last night authorized the creation of the sidewalk improvement district in the vicinity of the new normal school. The city attorney was directed to draw up the necessary resolution to have it in readiness for the next meeting, while the city engineer was instructed to prepare plans and estimates for the work.

Several minor changes were made in the district from that first proposed several weeks ago. These changes were agreed upon by the council and Mayor Johnson following a personal inspection of the district several days ago.

Streets are Named
As finally agreed upon, the sidewalk district will embrace portions of the following streets: Union, Fairview, Sherman, Iowa, Harrison, Morton, Liberty, Beach, Mountain avenue, Palm avenue and Henry street.

The work will cost approximately \$27,000, according to a preliminary estimate of City Engineer Walker. It will cover 15,665 feet of concrete sidewalks, and 17,985 feet of concrete curbing and gutter.

Court action by protesting property owners is not expected inasmuch as the city officials hold the charter gives them the right to authorize this work regardless of what protests may be filed. It is generally understood that this is but the forerunner of several similar sidewalk improvements which will be ordered by the council this spring and summer.

LEGION DRUM CORPS WILL PLAY TONIGHT

Medford Musicians to Appear on Streets Prior to Legion Show

The American Legion drum corps from Medford will play on the down town streets tonight prior to the performance of the legion's "Black and White Revue," at the Vining theater. The Medford ex-service men have reserved a block of seats for the drum corps and their appearance here is expected to arouse added interest in the show.

American Yeomen Enjoy Initiation

The Brotherhood of American Yeoman at its regular meeting last evening gave the obligations to a large class of candidates. The degree team of the Medford Homestead came over and exemplified the work for the benefit of the new members. They put on the work in a creditable manner. Several other visiting members were present to give interesting talks on Yeomanry. State Vice-President Welch of Medford gave a short address on the work of the order.

Following the initiation ceremony a lunch was served, after which there was dancing. Another large class will be given the work within a short time, it was announced.

THE WEATHER
Oregon and Washington—Fair tonight, frost in interior Wednesday. Fair east portion, cloudy west portion, warmer, gentle coast winds.

Will Start Work On Cottages In City Auto Park

Construction work on the first two of the double cottages for the city auto park will get under way by the last of next week, according to announcement today by Frank Jordan, chairman of the city park board. The board today advertised for bids for construction of the two cottages. The bids will be opened next Monday night.

Due to the activity of the Lithians, the necessary private finances have been procured for the building of the first two cottages, and others will be built next month before the auto tourist travel reaches its usual summer proportions.

SLAYER OF HUSBAND CONVICTED BY JURY

Mrs. Elizabeth Nusbaum is Ordered to Prison for Rest of Her Life

CHICAGO, Ill., March 9.—(AP)—Mrs. Elizabeth Nusbaum, aged 60, left for state's prison today to serve a life sentence for conspiring with John Winn to murder her husband, Albert Nusbaum. She was convicted Saturday night. Winn was sentenced to hang. The pair murdered Nusbaum in order that they might be free to marry.

AMUNDSEN SAILS TO PREPARE FOR FLIGHT

Famed Arctic Explorer Will Seek North Pole in Italian Dirigible

NEW YORK, March 9.—(AP)—Captain Roald Amundsen, discoverer of the south pole, sailed today aboard the Cunard liner Berengaria to complete his plans for an air voyage over the north pole in an Italian dirigible this summer.

The veteran explorer said he hoped the crossing from Spitzbergen to Alaska could be made successfully within 50 hours. Weather conditions will determine the date for beginning the flight he added, and likewise will determine whether his ultimate destination is to be Point Barrow or Nome.

JAPANESE VESSEL STRIKES SAND BAR

Lumber Steamer Aground in Coos Bay Harbor This Morning

MARSHFIELD, Ore., March 9.—(U.P.)—The Japanese steamer Boston Maru, bound for the orient with a cargo of lumber, went aground in Coos Bay this morning when it struck a sandbar. It was refloated an hour and a half later with the coming of a higher tide.

More University Students Failing

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, March 9.—(Special)—Total percentage of failures given students during the fall term of this year was higher than last spring, according to figures just announced by the registrar. In the fall the percentage was 4.95, against 4.13 last spring.

The department of political science, with 19.19 per cent of failures, led all other branches of the University. No failures were given in Greek or household arts departments. Enrollment in both of these departments is very small.

LEGION SHOW BETTER THAN WAS EXPECTED

"The Black and White Revue" Makes Great Hit With Capacity Crowd

WILL CLOSE TONIGHT

If You Want to Enjoy a Real Riot of Fun, go to the Vining This Evening

Advance notices concerning the American Legion show, "The Black and White Revue," didn't half do it justice. In fact, the folks who filled every seat at the Vining theater last night received a delightful surprise which kept the theater noisy with either laughter or applause throughout the evening.

Here's a tip straight from the shoulder: If you didn't see this show last night, be sure you're there tonight even if you have to beg, borrow or steal the money. You'll get your money's worth many times over and see a home talent production that has the earmarks of professionalism in many scintillating spots.

Speed and Pep
The minstrel part went off with a bang from the opening curtain to the closing ensemble, during which John Enders, the "interloper," kept his jokesmiths, soloists and shufflers working over time. S. A. Peters and Andy McGee, the two versatile end men, were riots of fun. Andy McGee's rendition of "Bumble Bee," brought down the house.

Claycomb and Smith, another pair of blackface comedians, were a decided hit in their feature dance, "Shufflin' Along," and were forced to repeat it until they were tired out. Others who did singles in the minstrel work were Karl Nims, Carl Loveland, S. A. Peters and R. E. Bowen.

GRAND JURORS WILL PROBE ATTACK CASE

Serious Charge Involving Girls is Faced by Two Pendleton Men

PENDLETON, Ore., March 9.—(AP)—The grand jury this week will take up investigation of the cases against Ed Arvin and J. Dunn, Pendleton men, who are in the county jail here charged with statutory offenses involving several young girls. Dunn is reported to have made a confession, but Arvin denies his guilt. Portland operatives assisted local police in an investigation of the affair.

FATHER HELD AS SLAYER OF YOUTH

Canadian Farmer Alleged to Have Starved Young Son to Death

PETERBORO, Ontario, March 9.—(AP)—A formal charge of first degree murder was filed today against John Dwyer, a farmer, as a result of the death of his son, John, aged 12 years. The boy died in a hospital here after he had been found in a starving condition. He never regained consciousness. He weighed but 27 pounds although he was four feet in height.

Legion Post To Meet Thursday

Because of the Legion show which will be held at the Vining theater tonight, the regular meeting of the local post has been postponed until Thursday evening, according to announcement by J. E. Enders, commander. A complete report on the result of the show will be made at that meeting.

BOTH WET AND DRY LEADERS ENDORSE PROPOSAL TO HOLD PROHI POLL BY NEWSPAPERS

FROM WET CAMP

By NEA Service
JOHN PHILIP HILL
WASHINGTON, March 9.—

"Expressions of public opinion on great issues through newspaper straw votes are second in value only to votes at the polls."

With this remark, Congressman John Philip Hill of Maryland today gave his strong commendation to NEA Service and the 700 newspapers which will co-operate with it in a nationwide poll on prohibition, beginning tomorrow.

"I favor such a vote on the question of national prohibition," said Mr. Hill. "With the volume of votes cast in a widespread balloting campaign, convincing evidence of the people's will can be obtained to guide popular thought and legislative action."

Newcomers' Club To Meet Tonight

Sidewalk improvements and other civic matters will be up for discussion at a meeting of the newly organized Newcomers' club this evening, according to announcement today. The club is composed of Ashland residents who have come here within the past two years and was organized solely for civic betterments, according to the announced program following the meeting last week.

NEW AUTO PAVILION TO BE CONSTRUCTED

State Fair Board Plans Additions to Annual State Exposition

SALEM, Ore., March 9.—(U.P.)—Plans for a new pavilion to house the annual auto show at the state fair are under contemplation. The state fair board has instructed Frank Lynn to submit details of the cost at the next meeting. The board decided to increase the racing card purses from \$17,500 to \$22,500, with \$15,000 of this amount devoted to harness races.

Cannot Marry All Girls He Kisses, Defense In Court

CHICAGO, March 6.—If a man married every girl he kisses, he would have a harem that would have shamed Solomon, according to Hugo Altenberger of Chicago. He is defendant in a suit for \$25,000 instituted by Miss Anna Van Ruten, who testified that he had refused to marry her after making a promise to do so.

Warring Chinese Troops In Battle

PEKING, March 9.—(AP)—Fighting was out of from freight and mail communication today as the result of a battle which is raging around the Taku forts near Tien Tsin where the Kuomintang troops hotly engaged the Chang Tso Lin coalition.

Altitude Flight To Be Postponed

MCCOOK FIELD, Ill., March 9.—(U.P.)—Due to atmospheric conditions and low visibility, Lieutenant John McCready today postponed his attempt to recapture the world's altitude record. He may try it tomorrow, weather permitting.

IMPROVEMENT PLANS GIVEN AT LUNCHEON

Mayor Johnson Discusses City Business at Chamber Forum Today

COOPERATION URGED

Declares Much Sidewalk and Street Work Will be Done During Year

Faith and vision, hard work and cooperation are the four big factors in city building, and although Ashland has been somewhat lax in former years, a new civic spirit seems to have awakened and big things are in store for the city.

This was the prophecy voiced today noon by Mayor Johnson, chief speaker at the chamber of commerce luncheon in the Lithia Springs hotel.

The mayor told primarily of the sidewalk improvement project which had been mapped out by the administration and which was authorized by action of the council last night. He promised that other street and sidewalk improvement work would be completed during the summer months.

"By next fall I predict that we will have a good city here," he declared. "At least, we are going ahead with these improvements and play our part in building Ashland as we think should be done."

Ancient Post Cards
The mayor called attention to the fact that several stores are selling postal cards depicting street scenes in the city of 15 and 20 years ago, and these he said were bad publicity for the city. He also urged that suitable signs be placed along the highway calling attention to the new normal school now under course of construction.

On motion of G. F. Billings the advertising committee was empowered to get a sign and place it at the earliest possible moment.

William Briggs, chairman of the advertising committee, submitted a report of the work of the committee during the past year which showed it had been active in giving Ashland desirable advertising and publicity through many channels.

Malone Speaks
Clyde V. Malone, newly appointed city manager, spoke briefly and pledged his best efforts toward an economical and business like administration of city affairs. He said he would welcome suggestions and constructive criticism at all times.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR TO AID TAXPAYERS

Assistance in Making Out Income Tax Statements Will be Given

Starting tomorrow and continuing until Saturday night, a deputy revenue collector will be in Ashland to assist federal taxpayers in making out their income tax statements. The deputy will be located at the armory where all persons who wish may confer with him.

Government Price Fixing is Urged

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 9.—(U.P.)—Government price-fixing as a solution for farm ills was proposed to the house agriculture committee today by Edwin Meredith, secretary of agriculture under President Wilson. He advocated the formation of an agriculture stabilization committee.

Rabbit Day Will Be Held In Tillamook County

Have you a little rabbit in your stew pan? Well, anyway, you're asked to have rabbit as the piece de resistance of your dinner on the evening of March 28.

The request comes from the Southern Oregon Rabbit Breeders' association, which today announced that March 28 has been set aside as rabbit day.

The association has its headquarters at Talent, but the membership is distributed about the county. Butchers have agreed to cooperate with the breeders in urging families to partake of rabbit meat on that date.

WARDROBE DRESSER MANUFACTURED HERE

Frank Jordan Has Clever Bit of Cabinet Work At Provost Store

Something new and distinctive in cabinet work has just been completed by Frank Jordan of Jordan's Sash and Cabinet works, and it is now on display at the Provost Hardware store.

It is a combination wardrobe dresser of a design and pattern never before attempted and should prove especially attractive to women who are seeking something distinctive for the dressing room.

At one side is a commodious wardrobe. At the other side is a combination dressing table, with hat box at the top, neat little jewel boxes and a handy shelf for dressing and toilet articles. Two doors to the dressing table swing open, providing mirrors on two sides and in front. A stool of the same design as the wardrobe dresser also is provided.

Mr. Jordan made the dresser for his wife, but it attracted such widespread notice among those who saw it that he consented to put it on display at the Provost store. He says it can be manufactured in his cabinet works and then be finished in any color to suit the needs or wishes of any woman who might want one.

MC CAMANT VOTE TO COME UP THURSDAY

Senate Judiciary Committee to Settle Nomination of Oregon Man

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 9.—(U.P.)—Chairman Cummins today issued a call for the senate judiciary committee to meet Thursday and vote on the nomination of Judge Wallace McCamant to be judge of the U. S. circuit court of appeals. The nomination has been pending for several months. An unfavorable report is considered likely.

Another Benefit Dance To Be Held

Another benefit dance is to be given next week by the Bellview Community club to help build the new community house. It was announced today by officers of the club. The dance will be held on Thursday, March 18, at Jackson Hot Springs. Mr. Milton has donated the use of the dance hall to the club. Both modern and old-time dances will be given.

CLYDE MALONE IS APPOINTED CITY MANAGER

Council Passes New Ordinance at Special Meeting Last Evening

NO SALARY INCREASE

New Directing Head of City Affairs Takes Over Work This Morning

Ashland today has a city manager. He is Captain Clyde V. Malone, who was appointed by Mayor Johnson last night and confirmed by unanimous vote of the council. He took over his added duties this morning.

With a few slight changes, the ordinance providing for the city manager was passed at the special meeting last night on recommendation of the ordinance committee. It was passed with the understanding that there would be no increase in Mr. Malone's salary for a period of six months. At the end of that time the council will fix a new salary, which, it is understood, will be \$300 per month, providing the city managerial form of government comes up to present expectations.

Captain Malone has been head of the city light department at a salary of \$250 per month. As city manager he will have supervision over the light, streets, water and fire departments, the police department being the only one excluded from his jurisdiction.

Captain Malone said today that he has no announcement of policies at this time. He first desires to get the work lined up before announcing his plans.

FATE TO CHAPMAN TO BE KNOWN SOON

Final Briefs in Noted Murder Trial Filed With Supreme Court

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 9.—(AP)—The United States supreme court will soon pass final judgment on the bitter fight of Gerald Chapman, notorious mail bandit, to escape the noose. State's attorneys of Connecticut have filed with the country's highest tribunal briefs which claim that the action of President Coolidge in turning Chapman over to state authorities for punishment was in every way legal.

ALLEGED HIJACKER TO BE EXTRADITED

Milo Eggers, Held at Tacoma, May be Returned to British Columbia

TACOMA, Wash., March 9.—(U.P.)—Identified as one of the men who hi-jacked the rum ship Madel at Pender Island two years ago and permanently crippled one of the crew, Milo Eggers will have an extradition hearing here on March 22. The identification was established at the city jail here where Eggers has been held since his arrest yesterday. A victim of the whiskey pirates picked Eggers out of a group of ten men.

Revival Meetings Start At Armory

Revival meetings started at the Ashland armory this afternoon, and will continue tonight, tomorrow afternoon and tomorrow night. Dr. C. S. Price, an evangelist of nation-wide repute, is conducting the services. Over 250,000 persons are said to have heard him when he held a series of meetings at Vancouver, B. C.