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ODD FELLOW, REBEKAH ORGANIZATIONS MEET

DISTRICT CONVENTION BRINGS MEMBERS FROM ALL PARTS OF CLACKAMAS COUNTY

The Clackamas county semi-annual I. O. O. F. district convention held in Estacada Saturday, proved a successful and enjoyable meeting. Rebekahs from all over the county also assembled in Estacada for the meeting, which was held in the I. O. O. F. hall, while the men gathered in the Masonic building. A business session was held in the forenoon and a third degree contest took place in the afternoon.

Officers elected by the Odd Fellows for the next meeting were V. H. Dunton, Molalla, president; E. W. Scott, vice president; Wm. Moreland, secretary; J. G. Hayman, treasurer; W. E. Kendall, warden; Charles Mel-drum, conductor; George C. Perdue, chaplain; R. B. Stanton, inside guard and Adam Bany, outside guard.

Rebekah officers named were Mrs. Amelia Peters, president; Mrs. Elizabeth Ames, secretary, and Mrs. Clara Hicinbotham, treasurer. The other officers were appointed.

Lunch was served in the banquet room of the Odd Fellow's building by Mrs. Jacob Moss, proprietor of the Gem Cafe.

The evening session was open to the public and was highly entertaining. The Estacada band furnished music at intervals all day long and gave a concert at 7 o'clock in the evening to begin the entertainment. Following the band concert, a silver cup was presented to the Rock Creel lodge of Needy, for the largest attendance at this meeting.

The Estacada high school orchestra gave a few numbers and Mr. and Mrs. T. Ahlberg's violin-piano duet was a delightful musical number. F. J. Meindl, grand master, gave an address which was very interesting. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lawrence entertained with a vocal duet. Mrs. Val Cary gave two readings and the program closed with two numbers by a male quartet composed of L. A. Chapman, Wm. Gilgan, J. K. Ely and G. E. Lawrence.

Dancing followed until the midnight hour when a lunch was served in the I. O. O. F. hall by the Odd Fellows. Those who did not care to dance congregated in the hall and a social time was enjoyed. The next meeting is to be held in Canby.

DATE OF BAZAAR CHANGED

The chicken dinner and bazaar being arranged by the Ladies Aid of the Christian church, will be held on December 8, instead of the date recently announced.

ILL IN PORTLAND HOSPITAL

Mrs. Glenn McIntyre is still in the city with her daughter Celeste, who is taking treatments for goitre. Mr. McIntyre goes to see her often. Mrs. John St. Clair is cooking at the mill while Mrs. McIntyre is away.

IMMEDIATE DELIVERY OF FORD CARS POSSIBLE

Bob Cooke, manager of the Bob Cooke Motor company of Estacada, announces that immediate deliveries can be made on all the new models of cars. Mr. Cooke returned first of the week from a meeting at the Portland branch of the Ford Motor company with the news that the branch is now under large production. Beginning Monday the branch will build 55 cars and trucks a day.

This, Mr. Cooke says, will insure dealers in this territory of being able to make immediate deliveries. The Cooke Motor company is now receiving two cars per week, and is now able to fill all orders without delay. The production schedule at Portland, he says, includes plenty of the new trucks and truck equipment.

The Ford branch at Portland now employs about three hundred men. The Detroit factory is shipping large quantities of parts and production at Portland will reach 80 cars per day in the near future.

Mr. Cooke says that orders placed now for Christmas or January 1 delivery will be given preference over all other orders.

LEGIONNAIRES GIVE TALKS TO H. S. STUDENT BODY

Dr. Walter W. Gilbert, J. C. Moreland and Wallace Smith gave Armistice Day talks before the student body of the Estacada high school, Friday morning, the program having been arranged by the Carl Douglass post of the American Legion.

Dr. Gilbert gave a patriotic address and Moreland and Smith each told of some of their experiences in the World war. Moreland was in active service on the west front at the time of the signing of the Armistice, and Mr. Smith was in Siberia.

SANDY GRIDS WIN—LOSE

Sandy grids won their first game Friday when they played Parkrose in Sandy, 14 to 6, making two touchdowns. Monday, in the return game at Parkrose, Sandy lost 25 to 0. This terrible defeat was due to Sandy's best players not being able to play.

HENSONS ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henson of Sandy had a visit from Mrs. Henson's brother, H. A. Foster, assessor of Crook county, over Sunday. Mr. Foster was returning from the state session of assessors which met at Salem. Mr. Henson, luckily was at home, the work at Heller & Company having halted for a few days.

GRIFFIN DRYER BURNS

L. L. Griffin was lucky; all but a few sacks of walnuts had been marketed last week when his dryer burned, caused from an overheated stove. Only a few sacks of nuts were lost.

SECOND LIBEL SUIT FILED AGAINST BANNER-COURIER

OREGON CITY, Nov. 16.—A libel suit for \$25,000 damages was filed in circuit court Tuesday afternoon by the Carver-Canby Packing company, against the Banner-Courier Publishing company, of which E. A. Koen is editor and publisher, says the Morning Enterprise. The plaintiff concern claims that Koen published an article in his paper on September 3 for the purpose of destroying the credit of the corporation.

The Carver-Canby cannery seeks \$25,000 damages on the following grounds: That as a result of the article, credit was destroyed, unable to secure funds to complete work; given widespread attention and has been used by various banks as basis for withdrawal of all their dealings; caused growers, producers and farmers to refuse to have further dealings with the cannery and practically causing it to discontinue business.

The plaintiff alleges that the article intimated that the cannery used money of the Clackamas Producers Co-operative for their own business and insinuated that the Carver-Canby Packing company had violated the laws of the state of Oregon and had been guilty of misusing funds.

Koen was named defendant recently in a \$30,000 libel suit by C. V. Kilgore, former principal of the Molalla high school. Irving Goodman of Portland and Mulvey & Lindas of Oregon City are representing the cannery.

OLD SANDY BRIDGE BRACED

The bridge across the Sandy river has had some braces put on, but is not considered safe for trucking, and the enormous amount of lumber being hauled for the Bull Run flume is being freighted via the Bluff road and Dodge Park bridge.

COTTRELL MAN SURPRISED

H. H. Watkins, Cottrell, had a big surprise on his birthday, Sunday, when friends came in with baskets filled with good things to eat. About thirty were present.

EWALD CHOSEN ON COLLEGE DEBATE TEAM

CORVALLIS, Nov. 15.—Harold Ewalt of Estacada, sophomore in agriculture, was chosen from the intramural debaters to take a place on the Oregon State debate squad. Debates between fraternities and men's living groups have been waged for some time. The championship was won by Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity. Debaters who took part in the final debate and those showing ability were chosen for the varsity.

COUNCIL CONSIDERS CITY WATER PROBLEM

CHLORINATION SYSTEM NOW USED TO MAKE WATER SAFE FOR DRINKING

The water problem of the city of Estacada was discussed at length by the council at the meeting held on Tuesday evening. The newly elected mayor and councilmen were also present and joined in the discussion of the one big subject to confront the city officers following their installation after the first of the year.

Consensus of opinion seems to be that the only possible method of securing an adequate supply of pure water is by drilling a well and installing a pumping plant.

Both the present and new council are giving the matter serious consideration and they have planned to visit two water systems next Sunday to get information on pumping plants in order to decide on what would be the more practical for installation here, in case that it was decided to put in a pumping plant.

The cost of a gravity water system for Estacada seems prohibitive, according to statements made by members of the council. While this would be the most desirable solution of the problem, the cost of building a pipe line to a water source back in the mountains is apparently too expensive a proposition for the city to undertake. Even if bonds can be issued sufficient to build such a line, the present number of water users would not be able to retire them, it was pointed out.

Marshal Jim Norris states that a chlorination system has been installed and appears to be working satisfactorily. Some few have complained about the peculiar taste of the water, but apparently but a small number of water users has noticed it. By this method the water is made safe for domestic use and the city water may be used now without having been boiled without danger.

SANDY GRANGE MEETS

The lecture hour at Sandy Grange Saturday included interesting discussions of potato and ginseng raising, and a talk on Armistice Day by R. W. Mallery.

BULL RUN CLUB ENTERTAINS

The Bull Run Community club gave a party at the hall Saturday night, sixty attending, and eleven tables of cards were arranged. The hostesses were Mrs. Wm. Sidell, Mrs. A. Phelps and Mrs. Helms. Prizes were awarded to Don Allen and Mrs. Maplethorpe. After refreshments were served dancing was a feature for a short while, Birch Roberts, Mr. Butler, and Charles and Mrs. Norquist furnishing the music. Attending from Sandy were Mr. and Mrs. W. Bosholm, Mildred Gray, Mrs. Shelley, Mrs. Alice Scales and Birch Roberts.

MRS. BROWN'S MOTHER VISITS

Mrs. Clarence Brown and Mr. Brown of Sandy had the former's mother, Mrs. Boxman of Portland, here for a week's visit, but she has returned home.

JOHNSONS AT WASHOUGAL

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Johnson, Rhododendron, were at Washougal to spend the Armistice vacation, taking Henry Lee with them.

DIXONS ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dixon attended the wedding of the latter's niece, Miss Helen Manary and Fielder Allison Jones, at Mt. Tabor Presbyterian church, Sunday. They also attended the reception at the Manary home, where 185 guests were invited. The long veil worn by the bride was made in Egypt and she carried a white prayer book from which fell a shower of lilies of the valley. The gown was ivory satin. Dr. Steinmiz sang, and the ceremony was read by Chaplain Beard.

STOCK BILL CARRIES IN SANDY PRECINCT TWO

No more stock is to run at large in Sandy Precinct No. 2, according to the big majority which voted "no" last Tuesday. W. G. Duncan received the majority of votes for constable.

P. T. A. TO BE ORGANIZED IN GARFIELD DISTRICT

Mrs. M. J. Brown of Gladstone, county president of the Parent-Teachers association, will organize a circle in the Garfield school district at a gathering to be held at the school house at 2 p. m., on Friday, November 23. Parents and patrons are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

BRIGHTWOOD CLUB MEETS

Mrs. William Alt and Mrs. John Allen jointly entertained the Brightwood club at its last meeting, at the former's home. Delicious refreshments were served. Present were Mrs. S. B. Rowan, Mrs. Dewey Alt, Mrs. Roy Hickey, Mrs. Charley Hickey, Mrs. Glenn Harris, Mrs. Art Reynolds, Mrs. Art Jonsrud, Mrs. Henry Steiner, Mrs. Gifford, Mrs. W. E. Alcorn, Mrs. Blozons, Mrs. Henry Larsen and the hostesses.

LATE STAGE DISCONTINUED

C. A. Dykes, manager of the Estacada-Portland stage line, announces the stage leaving Estacada at 8:15 and leaving Portland 11 p. m., on Sundays, has been discontinued. The week day schedule remains the same as present and the Sunday schedule is not changed except the discontinuance of the late stage in and out of Portland.

MISS GULDENSOPF HOME

Miss Lydia Guldensopf of Sandy has not returned to the city to work since she and her brothers Henry and Emil returned from Yakima where they spent five weeks in the apple fields.

SANDY BUDGET TO BE VOTED ON DECEMBER 8

The Sandy city budget is to come up for final approval at a regular meeting of the council on December 3, at 8 o'clock in the evening, at the city hall.

Anyone having objections or desiring information on any portion of the budget may make same known at that time. The millage as proposed will be less than 15 mills.

Last year the levy was 23 mills. The estimated expenditure for running the city is \$3955. The estimated tax valuation of property within the city of Sandy is \$76,743.56.

The 1928 assessment will likely increase the valuation to \$78,000. The budget as presented is 7.9 lower than for ten years.

EMBROIDERY CLUB MEETS

Armistice night Mrs. Fred L. Proctor entertained the Sandy Embroidery club, the following being present: Mrs. Henry Perret and Amanda, Mrs. Thompson, Miss Edna Thompson, Mrs. C. L. Hanson, Miss Kammerer, Hazel Brown, Mrs. Dittert, Mrs. Proctor. Mrs. Brown will be the next hostess.

WEBSTER CHILDREN IMPROVED

Cardell Webster of Sandy was brought home this week. Two weeks ago he was not rational, and was hardly expected to pass the crisis of the fever. Velma Webster is now in school again, but was out two weeks from over exertion while taking physical exercises.

SANDY HIGH GIRL WINS HONORS

Florence DeShazer, class of '27, continues to hold the highest typing honors in her class at the O. S. A. C. Florence won the state honors last year.

APPRECIATION EXPRESSED FOR AID OF LADIES

In behalf of the Eagle Creek Parent-Teachers association we wish to thank the ladies for their splendid response and co-operation in making the apple pie contest a huge success. Every pie brought to the school last Friday evening was a work of art, and the three competent judges, headed by Miss Noble of the Estacada high school, found it no easy task to judge the winners, but finally the honors were awarded to Mrs. H. Weitz, Mrs. Roy Myers, and Mrs. W. M. Hyde. We have taken pleasure in giving to each of the three winners a sack of Sperry's flour as per our promise. "Grandpa" Bulger was delighted with the bids for these pies and the prices which they bought materially helped the finances of the P. T. A. We again thank the ladies.—Eagle Creek Trading Company.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL ORGANIZATION PLANNED

WOULD BE COMPOSED OF ONE MEMBER OF EACH CIVIC AND FRATERNAL CLUB

Plans for the formation of a Community Council have been suggested by members of the American Legion. Such a council would be composed of one member from each of the civic and fraternal organizations of Estacada and the communities surrounding.

The fact was brought out that such a council could act in an advisory capacity to the city council, the school board, etc., and could be made the means of united action and effort in matters of importance and concern to the community in general.

Of the many organizations in the community of Estacada and surrounding country, the purpose of which is work for the betterment of the community and the development of the country, few of their members belong to more than one or two organizations, and with the formation of the council as proposed would be made possible the bringing before all the people any worthy community project, with the result that our citizens would be more firmly united for the common good, it was pointed out.

As an example, if the P. T. A. undertook to develop better playground facilities for the children, and wanted the assistance of the people as a whole, their member of the council would be instructed to take the matter up with the community council, and the members of that organization would go back to the club they represented, and in this way the proposition would with in a few days be brought before everyone in the community.

A committee has been appointed to bring the matter to the attention of the different organizations of the city, and if the plans is approved such an organization will be formed at an early date.

One community project that is being considered now is the development of an emergency landing field for airplanes. While there is no immediate need, such fields are marked on all maps supplied aviators, and would prove a valuable advertising medium for the city, Bob Cooke has suggested.

INN PROPRIETOR IN SANDY

E. J. Siedler, proprietor of Battle Axe Inn, was in town Monday on business and reports improvements at his resort still under way. Lumber for the new hall is being delivered by Dixon-Howitt.

NEW HOUSES AT ZIGZAG

Bill Alt of Brightwood is helping H. Steiner build several log houses at Zig Zag park.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH LADIES BAZAAR AND DINNER

The ladies of the Christian church will give their annual bazaar and dinner Saturday, November 24th.

ORCHESTRA ADDS TO BIBLE PICTURE SHOW

The Estacada orchestra at the Liberty this week in conjunction with the showing of the great Bible story, "Kings of Kings," added considerably to the entertainment afforded by this great feature show. There were 65 different pieces of music used by the orchestra during the performance and the musical program was generally considered to be as entertaining as the picture itself.

"King of Kings" was shown here Sunday, Monday and Tuesday nights and was largely attended. The orchestra consisted of Neal Bronson, violinist and leader, Harry Grable at the piano, C. A. Dykes, cornet; A. G. Ames, bass horn; Carol Yocum, cello, and Lee Bronson, clarinet. This picture completed its first run in the large cities only a few weeks ago, and Manager Bill Perry of the Liberty gave his patrons an opportunity to see one of the big productions of the year shortly after it was exhibited in Portland when he brought this show to Estacada.

SANDY WATER ONE HUNDRED PER CENT PURE, TEST SHOWS

An engineer for the state board of health was in Sandy last week, took a sample from the Sandy city water supply and the test proved 100 per cent pure.

The Sandy water system has 125 users and the water collections are about \$225 per month. Bonds to the amount of \$1000 have been retired and water warrants amounting to \$1000 have been paid from the water sinking fund. Funds will be sufficient to take up the next bond when due.

POOL HALL SOLD TO SCHOCK

Cecil Schock has bought the pool hall and confectionery business located on Main street from L. E. Bailey, having taken possession first of the week. Included in the deal was Mr. Schock's residence property across the river from Estacada. Mr. Bailey says he has made no plans for the immediate future, but will probably remain around Estacada or in Portland.

RETURNS TO ESTACADA

Millard Lynd, who has been employed in the circulation department of the Portland News for the past several months, returned to Estacada two weeks ago and has entered high school. When the present school term ends he expects to take up his work with the Portland paper again. Millard was the carrier for the News in Estacada before going to Portland and his record here was responsible for being given a position in Portland. He has again taken over the route here for the Portland News.

RED CROSS ANNUAL ROLL CALL STARTED

The annual Red Cross roll call is from November 11 to Thanksgiving, during which time an effort will be made to enroll everyone in the community.

The Red Cross is the greatest humanitarian organization in the world and in time of disaster or need is always ready and willing to give the necessary aid.

The funds for carrying on the work of this organization is in a large part supplied by the memberships collected during November of each year.

Within a few days everyone in Estacada and surrounding community will be called upon for their membership dues.

KLIGELS CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Max Kligel of Kelo celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary with a party at Marvel Inn, Saturday night, about fifty guests being invited. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight. Refreshments were served and many gifts were presented the couple. Music for dancing was furnished by Jerome Coekelreas and Mr. Eckleman. Serving were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawthorn, Miss Florence Kligel, Alice and George Hartwig. Mr. and Mrs. Kligel were wed at Sandy in the old Catholic church by Rev. Father Anselm.

KITCHEN AID DEMONSTRATION AT SANDY HIGH

L. M. Hibbs of Kitchen Aid manufacturing company will give a demonstration at Sandy high Wednesday night, Nov. 21, at 7:30 p. m. All interested are cordially invited. Mr. Hibbs will serve a luncheon to as many as come—even up to 100, which will be prepared by the Kitchen Aid. The affair will be in the nature of a social gathering and a program by the school will be interspersed.

SANDY HIGH SCHOOL HOLDS PEP RALLY

The pep rally Wednesday night in the interest of the grid games was a live one. The band played, and Naomi Child, peepist of all yell leaders, called for the following to step forward and "speechify": Bob Smith, the new mayor, Coach Ranow, S. G. Spittler, Sandy's chief of police, Norval Naas, captain, and Stanley Bacon, student body president. All the speakers received the plaudit of "Rah! Rah! Rah!" Beside the rally up-town the alleys were visited by the crowd and band.