

The City Fathers Talk Business

Mayor Paterson, our six councilmen, Recorder Dyke, the chief of police and city treasurer held a business session at the council chamber Tuesday evening, talking over matters for the advancement of the happiness of the people.

After reading and approving the treasurer's monthly report, a warrant for \$1,750 was ordered drawn to take up two \$500 refunding bonds and pay interest on others, as well as warrants for the month's running expenses.

M. R. Johnson, president of the First National Bank, appeared and convinced the council that two fire escapes on the bank building were not necessary and he was told to go ahead and put one on the south side only.

Councilman Coon reported that contractor McGee was well started with the grading of North Seventh street.

The gas people asked permission to run their mains up the parking on the north side of Pacific avenue and there was no objection raised. They expect to have gas in the city by next Monday.

Property owners on North Main street asked permission to allow hydrants to run to drain mains and several old soldiers asked permission to allow their light and water bills to run three months. No action on either request.

After giving the cement sidewalk ordinance its final reading, council adjourned to next Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Veterans Hold Reunion

The annual reunion of the Washington County Veterans' association, held in the court house at Hillsboro last Thursday, was one of the most enjoyable of all the similar gatherings by the members.

Adjutant General Williams and W. H. Hendershot of Portland were present and made patriotic speeches, as did Rev. Smith and Mayor John Wall of Hillsboro. Comrade Beach was particularly pleased with Mayor Wall's address, which was patriotic to a marked degree.

In addition to the fife and drum music, without which no reunion or encampment is complete, there was singing and piano music galore, with a big basket dinner at noon. The attendance was very good, in spite of the fair in this city.

Make "Substitution" Your Motto

Our armies and allies must have thousands of tons of meat. We must use other body-building foods, in place of meat. Peanuts are rich in protein and fat and can well be used in our diet for, not only is the peanut abundant and cheap, but it is also very nutritious.

Save meat by using this peanut butter loaf:

2 cups cooked rice, $\frac{3}{4}$ cup peanut butter, 1 cup bread crumbs, 1 egg, 2 teaspoons salt, 1 cup milk, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley.

Mix all ingredients and bake in a moderate oven until firm. May be served with tomato sauce

EDNA L. MILLS,

Emergency Home Demonstration Agent.

To Advertise the County

Through the efforts of the Commercial Club, with the co-operation of the county fair board and the County Court, Washington county is to have an exhibit at the Manufacturers' and Land Products Show, to be held at the new Auditorium, Portland, Nov. 3d to 24th, inclusive.

The nucleus of the exhibit will be the exhibit shown at the state fair, augmented by grains, grasses, fruits and vegetables donated by exhibitors at the county fair, including the various granges. This will make a good showing for the county, but the officers of the Commercial club want still more and persons having anything good to add to the exhibit are asked to notify Secretary M. R. Johnson. A good exhibit at this show will be worth considerable to the county making it and Washington county farmers will be benefitted by this publicity.

Woman's Club Meeting

The members of the Forest Grove Woman's club met last Monday afternoon in Langley hall, with a good attendance and considerable business was transacted. It was decided to make the next meeting (Oct. 22) open to the public. On this occasion Miss Edna Mills, home demonstration agent for Washington and Yamhill counties, will make a talk on "Conservation" and have charge of the meeting.

Mrs. White, the new president, read to the members her address, in which she called attention to the vast amount of good the club members could do for humanity. The Woman's club does not stand in the way of patriotic service, but, rather, offers an opportunity for the intelligent and collective

administration of such service. She asked the members to take more interest in the schools and college than in the past and encourage the city officials to make Forest Grove still more beautiful and interesting. Buying away from home might be reduced in volume if the merchants would meet Portland prices, she thought. A large part of the address was an appeal for food conservation, to the end that our soldiers and their allies might be better fed than the enemy.

Five new members, Misses Waggener, Willard and McDonald, and Mesdames E. S. Sparks and C. E. Harke, were admitted.

Patriotic Instruction

The Patriotic Instructor, Department of Oregon, Grand Army of the Republic, will be at the K. of P. hall on October 17th, at 1:30 p. m. The Comrades should not miss this opportunity to hear something to their advantage.

W. J. R. BEACH.

NOTES AND PERSONALS

Dr. Lowe, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James McFarlane of Manning were in the Grove Tuesday.

William Kappel of David's Hill Tuesday sold his prune crop at 9½ cents, the best price received in recent years.

Oscar Love and C. W. Mertz have been representing the local K. of P. lodge at the grand lodge meeting in Portland Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Rice and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCracken leave today by autos, equipped with camping outfit, for Berkeley, Calif., expecting to be away all winter.

J. A. Peterson, a member of the local I. O. O. F. lodge, Monday sent the members a big basket of nice grapes and after lodge those members who had "pep" enough to attend lodge enjoyed a feast. Mr. Peterson makes his presentation of grapes an annual affair.

It is not given to many couples to celebrate their sixtieth wedding anniversaries, but Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Perry of this city enjoyed that distinction Saturday, when they celebrated quietly and sanely with a family dinner, attended by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lyons and son, Ralph. Mr. and Mrs. Perry were married at Frankfort, Ky., on Oct. 6, 1857. Mr. Perry did his bit as a soldier in the 30th Kentucky infantry. They came to Forest Grove nine years ago and are among the city's most respected citizens.