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## Chamber of Commerce Meets

### President's and Treasurer's Reports Read, Election is Postponed Until Weather Moderates

The Beaverton Chamber of Commerce met Wednesday evening in the office of Covell & Co. This was the annual meeting when there were to have been reports of officers and the election of new officers for the ensuing year. Owing to the inclemency of the weather there was but a bare quorum present.

Mr. Roy Gray as treasurer was present and turned in his report which showed something like a hundred and thirty dollars collected and a balance of about thirty four dollars still in the treasury.

The President, Mr. E. E. Swenson, turned in a rather full and complete report and on motion which was duly seconded, the report was ordered printed.

The election of officers was deferred to another meeting to be called when the weather moderates a little.

### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

A Chamber of Commerce is a body composed of a community's most progressive citizens who build up and promote the welfare of their town and vicinity.

A Chamber of Commerce is a personality to a community or city.

It has been my privilege and good fortune to have served you as your President for the past three years, and I feel that it has been a success.

We have grown from a small membership to a fair sized organization. In connection with this I will say that those little membership plates that we have decided to use will become a source of pride to display and will aid to increase our membership.

Some of you may think that more could have been accomplished by the Chamber, and I agree with you; but it must be remembered that our means are limited, and also that there has been more or less dilatory attendance at our meetings. To improve the attendance I would suggest that we make our programs more interesting so that no one could afford to stay away.

A glance over our town today presents to one quite a different view from the town of a few years ago; streets paved and rocked, a fine water system, many new business buildings and homes and a great increase in population, all of which is highly gratifying, we are being talked of everywhere as a LIVE GROWING CITY.

**My Home: Beaverton**

This last year street signs have been posted about town, we have co-operated with the City Council and secured the National famous Bull Run Water.

Our Street Festival was a great success, and a great advertisement for our Town. Over 3000 people witnessed the new thing in Beaverton and went away well pleased.

We have undertaken to purchase a park site which I feel will shortly be accomplished, besides other community advancements, I wish to make special mention of the Tunnel project for which we ought to all join hands and push to a successful finish.

Our citizens have responded to the call for progress of reasonable things, for publicity, betterment and need, without a murmur.

In looking forward I have a few suggestions to make, all Cities and Communities have problems to solve and we are not exempt. Beaverton Chamber of Commerce has the best element of business acumen for the solution of such problems.

Right now the garbage question should be taken care of.

Old fences, shacks, and unsightly entrances to our Town should be put in order.

Certain building restrictions should be made covering our business section to prevent and protect it from contamination by wood shacks.

Better sidewalks about Town. A restroom conveniently located.

I would also advocate a publicity fund for the year.

The City limits extended, making

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## COUNTY AGENT NEWS

The interest in balanced rations for dairy cows seems to be particularly keen at this time. The following are suggestions on dairy feeding only and the amounts indicated can be varied. Leaflets giving more definite information on cow feeding may be secured from the County Agent at Hillsboro, Oregon.

When clover hay and corn silage are fed a grain ration mixed as follows is often used:

1200 lbs. mill run; 400 lbs. ground oats; 200 lbs. rolled barley, or corn meal; 200 lbs. linseed meal.

These quantities can be varied somewhat. One can use 600 pounds of rolled oats and no barley.

Another ration used successfully, where one has an abundance of oats, is:

1000 lbs. mill run; 600 lbs. rolled oats; 200 lbs. barley, or corn meal; 200 lbs. linseed meal.

Soy bean meal or cotton seed meal may be substituted for linseed meal, depending upon the price.

The dairyman can vary the amounts to feed each cow according to the animal being fed. Some cows respond to heavy feeding better than others. A common rule is to feed the grain mixture daily at the rate of one pound to each three pounds of milk produced, except in cases of cows producing forty pounds of milk or more daily, when the ration can be one pound of grain mixture to each three and one-half or four pounds of milk produced.

In most cases feed all the hay the cow will clean up. Silage is fed in amounts varying from 25 to 40 pounds daily.

Directors of the Grays Harbor County, Washington, cow testing association have fixed the price for calves from grade association cows from purebred sires as follows: from cows with records of 300 to 350 pounds of butterfat, special prices depending upon the breeding.

Washington County has twice the number of dairy cows but no cow testing association, and no special market for grade heifer calves as has Grays Harbor and Tillamook Counties.

A third car load of war surplus sodalite blasting powder was ordered December 31. The cost will be \$3.78 per fifty lb. box f. o. b. Hillsboro. A total of 110,000 pounds has been ordered by Washington County farmers.

The first car load of 23 tons was unloaded December 19 and 20. The second car is scheduled to arrive about January 7 or 8.

**OBITUARY**

Mrs. Savilla Jane Sparks died at Forest Grove Sunday. She was born January 28, 1841, in Cedar county, Iowa. She was married to the late Levi Sparks at Prosser, Iowa, November 8, 1862. The family came to Vancouver, Washington in 1874 and in 1883 moved to Washington County and settled on a homestead near Banks. In 1890 they moved to Forest Grove.

The funeral was held Tuesday at the Christian church in Forest Grove, Rev. O. L. Curtis officiating. She is survived by the following children, all of Forest Grove: Mrs. Emily J. Brown, Mrs. Anna Billinger, Levi Sparks, William Sparks, Edwin Sparks, Hush Sparks and Miss Maude Sparks.

Mr. Edwin Sparks was the one who first thought of starting the Banks Herald. Miss Maude Sparks is our Forest Grove correspondent.

**CAR OVERTURNED ON HIGHWAY**

A car driven by C. A. Hande of Hillsboro, to avoid running down Mrs. Laura Holcomb of Beaverton on the Highway near here, ran off the road into a ditch overturning the car and pinning the occupants under. Mrs. Hande suffered a three inch cut to the bone over the right eye. The other occupants while badly shaken up escaped uninjured. Mrs. Holcomb, who narrowly escaped being struck by the machine fell and sprained her left ankle.

The program at the Pacific Theatre this week, Saturday and Sunday, is a big special called "What's Wrong With Women?" and a Dippy-Do-Dad Comedy called "Going West."

## Masons and Eastern Stars Install

### Joint Installation of Officers Chapter 106 O. E. S. and Lodge No. 100 A. F. and A. M. Held

A joint installation of officers of Beaver Chapter 106 O. E. S. and Beaverton Lodge No. 100 A. F. and A. M. was held on Thursday, December 27th.

A bountiful supper was served at 6 o'clock in the dining room of the Hall. The tables were very prettily decorated with red candles and red carnations. That all did justice to the food served was a compliment to the committee of which Mrs. W. H. Boyd was chairman, assisted by Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Harris.

After all were served, they repaired to the Lodge room where the incoming Star officers were installed first. This ceremony was very beautifully and well conducted by several of the Grand Officers of the State. Mrs. Stella Kellogg Drake, Worthing Grand Matron was installing officer, assisted by Mabel Boone of Portland, Grand Marshal, Mrs. Corson of Bandon, Grand Organist, Mrs. Emma Hanken, Grand Warden, Mrs. Minnie Wolf, Acting Grand Secretary and Mrs. Vincent, Grand Chaplain. The retiring Worthing Matron, Mrs. Dora Stipe, being a sister of the incoming Matron, Iva Summers, she was requested by the Worthing Grand Matron to install her sister, which she did in her usual graceful manner. The love and esteem felt for Mrs. Stipe and an appreciation of the successful year's work were fittingly shown when she was presented with a beautiful Past Matron's pin from the Chapter and her husband Elmer Stipe, also a gorgeous bouquet from the Past Matrons.

The following remaining officers were then duly installed:

Worthing Patron..... V. A. Wood  
Ass't Matron..... Frances Hudson  
Conductress..... Martha Wood  
Ass't Conductress..... Verna Huntley  
Secretary..... Jessie Pharis  
Treasurer..... Mary Blosser  
Chaplain..... Hattie Harris  
Marshal..... Barbara Gorham  
Organist..... Mabel Jacobs  
Adah..... Fayne Engleke  
Ruth..... Luanna Boring  
Esther..... Eva M. Wise  
Martha..... Margaret Shaw  
Electa..... Nellie Anderson  
Warder..... Marie Goshorn  
Sentinel..... Gilbert Goshorn

The Worthing Grand Matron gave a very encouraging talk in which she commended the officers and especially the harmony and good-will of the entire Chapter.

The flower girls, Evelyn Alexander and Rhoda Thynge, added to the beauty of the work by presenting each participant in the evening's entertainment with appropriate floral offerings.

The incoming Worshipping Master of the Masonic Lodge, John Kamberger, was installed by Earl Evans. The following remaining officers were installed by the

## BEAVERTON FEELS COLD WEATHER.

The past week has given us a taste of what we might expect were we situated a little farther inland. The temperatures, though not breaking many low records have been hovering just a little too low for comfort.

Seaside reports the coldest weather in fifty two years when the temperature dropped to 9 above. Though that does not seem much of a low temperature, out there on the coast it would make a fellow think of "what he had done with his summer's wages."

The dailies have been predicting rain and water but at the time this was written, 4 P. M. Thursday, there was little indication of a decided break. The temperature was a little higher than it had been but it is yet too cold for comfort.

The snow, which is about 4 inches deep, will help to protect the ground and it is not thought that aside from frozen pipes and such damage, there will be little permanent injury inflicted.

**THE YOUTH'S COMPANION HOME CALENDAR FOR 1924**

According to our way of thinking, a calendar should be, above all, useful. Unfortunately many of the calendars we see are nothing but pretty pictures with the calendar attachments. In the Companion Home Calendar for 1924, however, we find a calendar beautifully printed in red, blue and gold, and designed especially for handy reference. Each page carries not only the calendar of the current month in hold readable type, but also a marginal reference to the preceding and coming months, the moon's phases, and a choice bit of cheerful philosophy.

## COYOTE TRIES TO STEAL A PIG NEAR RALEIGH

Mr. E. Arns was awakened early Friday morning by a commotion in his pig pen. Upon investigation he found that a coyote was trying to catch one of the small pigs for breakfast and was having a hard fight with the old one.

Arns hurried to the house to get a shot gun. Upon his return the coyote had disappeared.

City Recorder Thynge reports that the work is progressing rapidly on the waterworks and that practically all the pipe line is laid to the reservoir and there only remains that part from the reservoir to town to be laid. Work began yesterday on the excavation for that part of the line.

Worshipping Master, John Kamberger:

Senior Warden..... V. A. Wood  
Junior Warden..... G. S. Goshorn  
Secretary..... W. E. Evans  
Treasurer..... A. M. Kennedy

The following program of musical numbers given at different times throughout the evening, was much enjoyed:

Vocal Solo..... Mr. Willis Cady  
Piano Solo..... Elfia Goshorn  
Vocal Solo..... Mrs. Helen Davis  
Vocal Solo..... Mrs. Mabel Jacobs

## Programs Given by Churches of Town

### High School and Grades Have Christmas Trees, Programs Arc Given at Churches

Through lack of space, and the hurry incident to the Season, no mention was made in these columns of the Christmas entertainments which were put on here by the local churches and other organizations. The schools led off with their programs and celebration, which were held Friday afternoon of the week before Christmas. Though many of the pupils were out of school on account of the prevalence of measles there was a goodly number in attendance and everything went off nicely excepting where some little chap who had drawn a name of some pupil failed to show up with a present for that pupil.

There was a program and a Christmas tree at the M. E. Church Sunday evening with a good sized crowd in attendance. The program was well presented and things went off nicely. Being too new in the community to remember all the names of those who took part, your editor will not attempt to comment on the different parts of the program. However, there is one little girl who spoke so well and who acted her part out so nicely that we felt constrained to make mention of just that one, the little Summers girl who was going to send her Dolly to her little heathen sister of whom the Missionary wrote. She was so earnest and spoke so loudly and clearly that her voice carried to every part of the room. Then her acting was so natural, she certainly did well.

Rev. Gray in his comments at the end of the program spoke of the big reduction in numbers that the program had undergone. "For instance," he said, "There's Mrs. Gray's class. She has 8 and they were all to have a part but you saw only two who were able to take part." This tells the story of some of the disadvantages under which the leaders worked.

The Cantata at the Congregational Church we did not get around to attend but there was a fair sized crowd at the exercises Monday night, Christmas Eve, when some really excellent exercises were put on. The little Hendricks girl was too cute for words. First she spoke her own assignment, then when they applauded, she spoke "Little Jack Horner" and the way she hugged herself when she told how he said, "What a good boy am I," was surely enough to make a deacon split his sides laughing.

A vacant pulpit wanting a pastor, announced: Send us not an old man in his dotage nor a young man in his goslinghood, but a man with all the modern improvements.

—Adeline Rieff.

## FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Interesting Little Notes from the Surrounding Country as Told by Our Active Special Correspondents Weekly

### BANKS NEWS

Mr. Robt. Carlson was in attendance at the Court House a day or two last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stephens passed through town enroute to Hillsboro the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Corey of Roy transacted business in the county seat the first of the week.

Phil Parmley, George Howell, and Harry Davies were in Portland recently as principal and witnesses to the proving-up of Phil's homestead.

Mr. Erwin Lippert was called upon one day last week to help finance the county to the tune of about \$8.00. He was covering too many miles per hour, according to Judge Smith.

Mr. John R. Bailey of Buxton passed through town one day last week enroute to Hillsboro. His hirsute adornments had attained such a growth that few of his old friends were able to recognize him.

Mr. E. E. Nickerson was married to Olive M. Deakins in Portland one day last week. The groom is well known here while the bride is a former resident of Portland. They expect to make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grizmacher are the proud parents of a nice big boy born December 22. Mrs. Grizmacher is well known here as she has lived with her parents here some years. She was formerly Miss Dorothy Hunt.

### TIGARD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Beehman entertained relatives on Christmas Day.

Mrs. C. F. Tigard has left for San Francisco to visit her daughter, Miss Grace Tigard.

Mrs. H. W. MacDonald entertained friends and relatives in her home on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Winnebigeles of Portland were guests at the R. H. Grady home Christmas Day.

B. C. Rue and family spent Christmas at Silverton at a dinner and reunion of the Rue family.

Mrs. A. A. Baldwin, wife of the principal of the Metzger schools, is recovering from a severe attack of the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy and three children of Wheeler are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George Reed and Mr. and Mrs. L. Sealey.

P. E. Lewis and E. B. Nedz were among those who attended the meetings of the Oregon State Teachers' Association at Portland recently.

The new mattress factory in the Homestead building has begun operations in manufacturing the Sealey mattress. The company has received many orders, and are busily engaged turning out mattresses to meet the orders.

Nancy, the 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Cox of Metzger, died from an attack of the measles, on Thursday morning. She had attended Lincoln High School. The funeral was held from the M. E. Church Saturday afternoon.

Oreomah Lodge No. 177, A. F. and A. M. held their installation of officers at the Masonic Hall at Multnomah, Thursday evening December 27. It was St. John's Day and the occasion was made more impressive with the regular ritual work of the Masonic lodge. After the ceremonies a fine lunch was served.

### BURVILLE

Jack Gillispie is on the sick list for the past week.

Garry Lee was a Sunday afternoon caller at the J. M. Mills home.

Chas. Myers and wife of Scofield were Sunday visitors at the I. P. Bledsoe home.

L. G. Selfridge and family of Hillsboro are visiting a few days at the W. White home.

J. M. Mills, who has been quite ill for the past month, is improving at the present writing.

Benton Phillips of Manning was a Saturday afternoon caller at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Lee.

### WHITFORD NEWS

The Baseball nine are promising us something in the line of a play soon.

Miss Amy Snider returned to her school work at Goble after spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richardson, former residents of this place announce the arrival of a baby daughter, December 14 at Brookings, Oregon.

The local school gave an excellent Christmas entertainment with the customary Christmas tree and the ever jolly Santa Claus. Mrs. Falkenberg, the teacher deserves credit for the success of the event.

Our young people who are attending Portland High Schools and Benson Polytechnic returned to their work Wednesday morning. They are Edward Bettendorf, Rex Denney, Greve and Heloise Selby, Harold Frances and Reuben Miller.

Miss Ivy Peterson who is teaching in the Walla Walla, Washington, High School returned to her post after spending the holidays with her father, John A. Peterson. Miss Peterson attended some of the sessions of the State Teacher's Association in Portland.

The wedding of Kenneth Denney and Miss Mary Vose took place recently at the home of the bride's aunt, Miss Amy Vose, of Oswego, who is a teacher in the Oswego schools. Relatives and a few friends of the young couple were guests at the wedding. Kenneth is one of our young farmers and Miss Vose has been teaching for the past two years near Laurel. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vose of Oswego. The best wishes of their many friends of this community are extended to them.

### SCOFIELD NEWS

John Boos was at Hillsboro Sunday.

E. Cobb made a trip to Portland Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Willis and son were Sunday visitors at Buxton.

Thomas Caldwell of Hillsboro was visiting over the holidays here.

Mrs. John Peppers and children are home here over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. G. McCormack of Timber are visiting at the Lull home here.

Alfred McParland of Buxton was at the D. O'Donnell home Christmas day.

E. B. Whittlesey went to Portland Sunday morning for a visit with his mother.

Mrs. M. O'Donnell of Hillsboro came up on Saturday to visit her sons and daughters here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Irvin are visiting over the holidays with Mrs. Sarah Irvin at Portland.

Fred Caldwell of Hillsboro visited Sunday evening and Monday at the D. O'Donnell home.

Oliver Cutright and family of Timber are here visiting at the A. L. Cutright home over the holidays.

Mrs. Fred Caldwell and children of Hillsboro were in Scofield Saturday and Sunday visiting her sister here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Myers were Sunday visitors at the I. P. Bledsoe home at Burville. Mr. Myers also called on Ed Stevens.

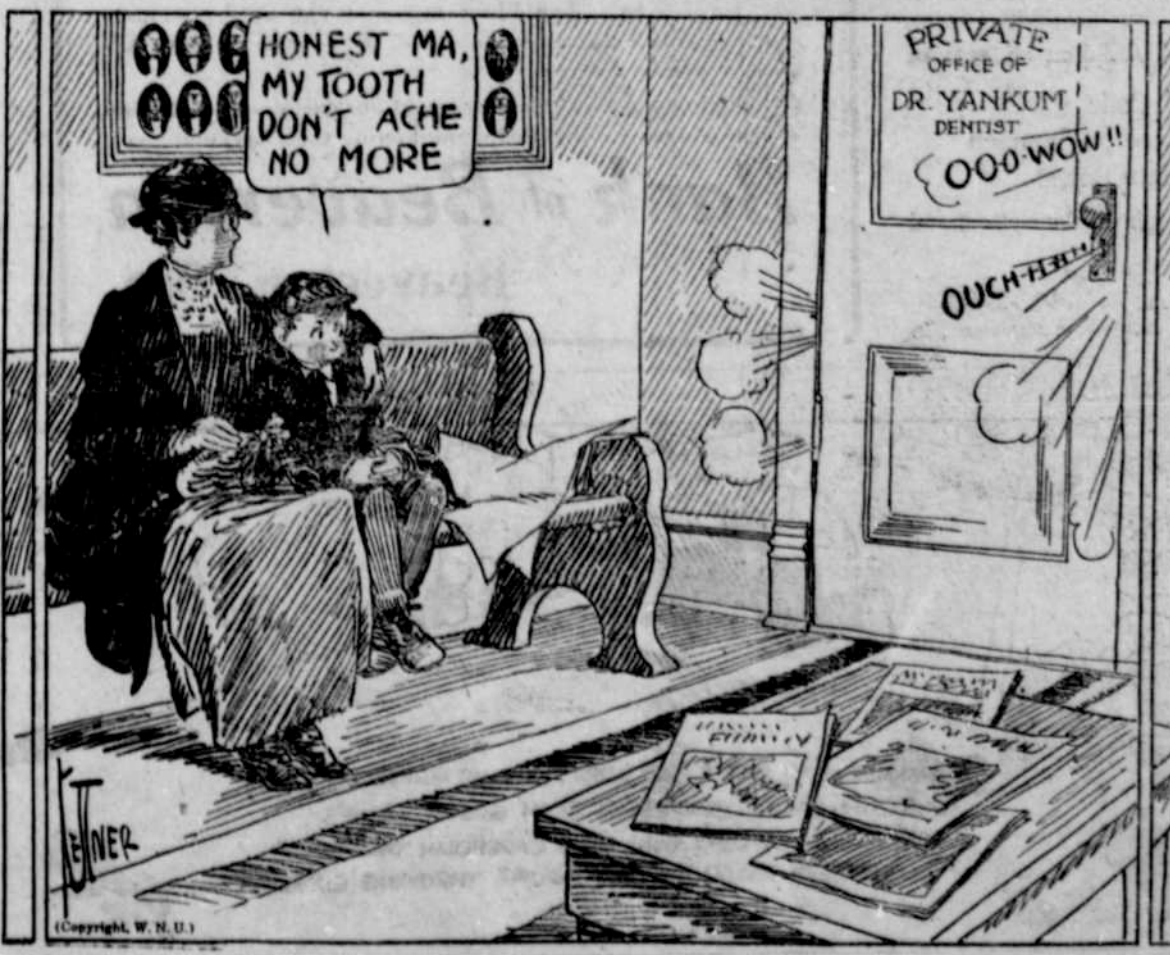
### MCKINLEY NEWS

Adam Spies has been quite ill of late at his home one mile west of the Robert Walker ranch.

Herbert Trachsel and his sister Clara are sick with the measles at their home one mile north of Elmonica.

Messrs Felton and Chas. and John Spies of the McKinley neighborhood were trading in Beaverton Wednesday.

## Events in the Lives of Little Men



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