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SIDELIGHTS OF THE LEGISLATIVE GRIND

(Special Correspondent)

George Alexander, the new warden of the state penitentiary was snacking lands with the Washington county delegation Tuesday evening. Mr. Alexander was former sheriff of Washington county, more recently Ass. Supt. state police. His host of Washington county friends wish him success in his new position at the penitentiary, which is a tough spot for any man, but George will fill the bill.

Dr. Edw. Borning of North Bend was at Salem Wednesday romancing with the Washington county delegation in regard to pending legislation. Mr. Borning was a former student at Beaver-ton schools. He states that his mother, Mrs. Lullie Underhill, former assistant postmaster at Beaverton has been ill the past month at her home in Willamina.

Thurlow Weed of Beaverton and runner-up in the republican primaries for U. S. senator, short term, was at the capital Monday greeting friends. Mr. Weed carried Oregon outside Multnomah county in his campaign.

One of Oregon's foremost sportsmen, Albert Rossi, was at the capital Wednesday. Mr. Rossi likes clay pigeons on the wing.

Mrs. F. H. Shepherd, R. 2, Beaverton, was in the capital last week supporting legislation favorable to the poultry industry, to sell a fresh egg from a cold storage egg. This is being thrashed out in the legislature, and it seems like it is hard for anyone to say just what is a fresh egg. The Washington county delegation has decided that the only way to settle the question is by breaking eggs in a frying pan.

Prominent visitors Monday at the legislature were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Weed and Thurlow Weed, owners of Weed's National Iris Gardens, Beaverton. The Weeds are commercially engaged in the growing of irises and Memocallis lilies (day lilies). Their collection is one of the finest in the world. At present they have over 600 different varieties of irises, 60 different species of oriental poppies, and 75 varieties of Memocallis lilies. On May 20 of this year will be the grand opening "When Irises Bloom". All who are interested in beautiful flowers are cordially welcome to inspect the Weed gardens on this occasion. Admission is free.

Albert Kemmer, prominent attorney of Portland, was at the capital Monday and made a splendid talk in regard to educational bills that was before the public hearing at that time. Mr. Kemmer's home is in Cooper Mountain.

SQUIRREL POISON AVAILABLE

Poison barley for use in the eradication of ground squirrels has been prepared for Washington county farmers and may now be obtained from the various local feed dealers or at the county agent's office, according to an announcement made this week by Assistant County Agent Palmer Torvend. This poison was prepared under the supervision of the United States Biological survey in cooperation with the Oregon State College Extension Service, reports Torvend, and is being sold at cost. Because there has been a mild winter, ground squirrels will likely appear in February or early March. If these first few are treated early before the young are born a cheaper and more effective control will be obtained.

Information and data collected by the Biological Survey show that the young are usually born the first of April and the litter average about eight in size. As ground squirrels usually live in colonies the spreading of a table spoonful of the poison grain in or near the mounds provides an effective method of treatment.

This grain is prepared especially for ground squirrels and is not effective when used for other rodents.

BOOK REVIEW FEB. 23

In spite of old man winter, 74 women celebrated the first anniversary of the Book Club, and deeply enjoyed the book, "Disputed Passage," which Mrs. Pettinger, from Oswego Lake reviewed for them.

The committee, Mesdames Mason, Beeler, Martin and Gibson surprised the members with a birthday cake, a candle and flowers. They later presented the flowers to Mrs. Pettinger in appreciation of her having helped start the book reviews.

Mrs. Pettinger gave a late book to the library, and highly complimented the club on the fine showing made in the library.

Every woman in the community is invited to the next review to be given in the Beaverton Kiwanis hall at 11 a. m. on Feb. 23.

LETTER FROM CHINA

We quote portions of a letter received by Mrs. John Imah from her brother, John Blalock, who is a missionary in China at Tainan, dated January 5: "The weather here is just fine, cool and clear. Hud Tai Shan peak stands up above the city with spots of snow here and there above the towering cliffs. Out in my back yard there is still a bit of snow. I am writing this letter by electric light. We have very nice lights here, but have electricity only at night. The house I live in is quite nice inside. The ceiling is of paper, pasted onto reeds. It is the only house in the mission with wooden floors. Wood is very expensive here. This room is sitting room and dining room combined, has a big bay window a nice dining table, lounge, book case, dining chairs and one rocking chair. I have the heating stove up, and a little organ sits beside the front door. This house and furniture belong to the Randalls who are still at Tsing Tao. We get practically no news here at all. Our American papers are not allowed to come from Shanghai. I don't know when it may be that those who have taken this country will drive us out. American business is going. I wanted to say more, but it is not allowed to come in any more. The new kerosene will hardly burn in a lamp it is so poor. We foreigners here in Tainan all gathered together for Christmas dinner at my uncle's. There were ten of us, three Baptists, two methodists and Church of God, from America, and four English from the Church of England. One of the English is a young man about my age and a very good friend of mine. We had a big goose for dinner, pumpkin pie, lots of cake and other things besides candy. I directed in decorating the church this year and we did have that real pretty with lots of cedar boughs, a tree and paper chains and other decorations. On Sunday we had a program of Christmas songs, etc., and gave candy and peanuts to the children. There were about three hundred children present. I have three pumpkins left that came out of my garden this year. The seed came from America as the Chinese do not raise them. The Chinese raise squash, potatoes, carrots, turnips, beets, peanut, walnuts, apples, apricots, peaches, pears, grapes, tomatoes, wheat, barley, and other things we do not have in America. They have delicious persimmons without seeds, as big as peaches. So we have lot of things to eat besides noodles and birds nest soup. I did eat some of the bird nest soup not long ago at a rich man's home. It is delicious but very expensive."

BEAVERS DEFEAT NEWBERG

Game played at Newberg Tuesday night, Feb. 14. TVV league game. Score at half 8 to 6 in favor of Beaverton. Score at 3rd quarter 19 to 14 favor of Beaverton.

Lineups:
Beaverton (30) Newberg (20)
Hillsboro (25) Beaverton (23)
F-Grogan (10) Jones (14)
F-Tsugawa (6) Bixby (14)
C-Herber (2) Davies (4)
G-Brownlee (5) Chase (2)
G-Nolan (2) Courtwright (5)

STUDENT ACTIVITIES OF BEAVERTON SCHOOL

(PAT WARD REPORTER)

LEAGUE STANDINGS

W	L
Hillsboro	10 0
Sherwood	6 4
Tigard	5 5
St. Mary's	5 5
Newberg	5 5
Beaverton	4 6
Forest Grove	4 6
Banks	1 9

Beaverton High School Beaver's snowed under in their first few ball games, have grown steadily better throughout the season, and last Friday night on the local court they gave the undefeated Hillsboro team more than an evening of thrills, spills and excitement.

Hillsboro finally won out by a 25 to 23 score, but only after two very torrid overtime periods. Beaverton held the lead throughout the game but Hillsboro tied the score in the 4th quarter. Half-time score was 12 to 9 in the Beavers' favor.

Just as the game ended Loris Bixby went out on fouls and could not play in the overtime; and this fact had much bearing on the outcome. Before leaving the game he had scored 14 points and helped in silencing most of the Spartans big guns. The Beavers simply got a bad case of jittery playing off the tie—and missed several easy chances to win. Bill Grogan shot the winning basket for Hillsboro during the second overtime period.

The Baby Beavers remained in first place by defeating Hillsboro's B team 38 to 29.

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STATE CHAPLAIN TO BE LEGION SPEAKER

State Chaplain of the American Legion, James Osborn, Pastor of the Christian Church in McMinnville, will be the principal speaker at the special meeting of the Tualatin Valley Post to be held at the Kiwanis Club in Beaverton, on February 22nd according to the announcement of W. L. Cady in charge of arrangements.

All ex-service men and members of the Legion are cordially invited to this meeting. I. R. Metzler and Dr. Talbert are in charge of the entertainment and Harry P. Eliander is in charge of the refreshments. An effort is being made to contact every ex-service man in the eastern portion of the Tualatin Valley and invite them. Several prominent Legionnaires are expected to be present.

St. Mary's of the Valley

The socialists took the Catholic Press as a topic for discussion at their last meeting, February 10th. Talks were given by Germaine LaVoie, Dorothea Singleton, and Frances Carlson. Martha Summers, perfect stressed the importance and need of collecting Catholic literature for future distribution.

Reports from the grade school records give the following honors: eighth grade, Coleen Keating, Edna Mary Murphy and Betty Baarely; sixth grade, Catherine Anzelone, Jacqueline Ydstie, and Marian Ruschoff; fifth grade, Consuelo Dinneen, Patricia Harden, and Vera Berning; fourth grade, Rosalie Peterson and Gloria Talcott; third grade, Josephine Anzelone, Theresa Ross, and Lois Belzer; second grade, Carol Ruschoff and Carol Dean Keating; first grade, Letha Petersen, Michele A. Davis and Rosalie Wilson.

AGAINST WAR BUILD-UP

David E. Norcross, with the National Council for the prevention of war, was a guest speaker at the Central Trade and Labor Council meeting Tuesday evening. He emphasized our staying out of all foreign wars—that the very freedom for which we would be fighting we would destroy for ourselves at home. He spoke for the mandatory neutrality legislation, in that it should be strengthened to include basic war materials such as scrap iron and oil—at least up to normal trade.

Mr. Norcross stressed the fact that there was a great deal of unnecessary war hysteria in America today and that we should do all we possibly can to keep down the war build-up. Salem Capital Press.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Our Boy Scout dinner given by the Kiwanis Club at the Congregational Church was a huge success, Wednesday evening. There were over 140 persons attending. We want to thank all those who contributed foodstuffs and all those who attended.

ANXIOUS TO "HELP" US

The Hillsboro Argus, apparently was a load of misinformation about the county superintendent of schools, and with its customary manner of attempting to vilify Beaverton and its school system has solved the school problem in Beaverton by transferring 100 students to Tigard and 100 to Hillsboro.

However, the committee, selected at a meeting and composed of influential and progressive taxpayers interested in the Beaverton school, is investigating ways and means of correcting the situation here, and may possibly arrive at a solution of the proposition which concerns the residents of this district and the people in this territory only, notwithstanding the premature plans of our friends to the west.

DEATH PARTS OLDEST SWEETHEARTS IN SEATTLE

Following is an article which appeared in a Seattle paper recently. Mr. and Mrs. McCutchin are the grandparents of Mrs. Carr of Beaverton, being the parents of Mrs. Carr's mother, Mrs. J. W. Anderson of Portland. Mrs. Carr received word of the death of Mr. McCutchin and left Sunday morning to attend the funeral.

Sweethearts eighty-eight years—sixteen years "a-courtin'" and seventy-five years as man and wife—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCutchin, 23 Aloha St., were declared winners yesterday of the contest sponsored the past week by Nelson Eddy and Jeanette McDonald, screen stars, to select the city's "oldest" and "youngest" sweethearts.

Born ninety-six years ago near Dodgeville, Wis., then a territory inhabited by many Indians and wild animals, they attended country school together "mad, mad pies together and fell in love at the age of 6. Sixteen years later they were married.

Four years later the McCutchins traveled in a covered wagon to file a homestead in Kansas. They lived there until coming to Seattle in 1888. In company with the city's "newest sweethearts," Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kerr, first couple to wed in 1939, the McCutchins were to attend a showing this afternoon of "Sweethearts" technical filming of the Victor Herbert operetta followed by a dinner party at the Olympia Hotel, where James Q. Clemmer, manager of the 5th Avenue Theatre, will present them with framed autographed photographs of Eddy and Miss MacDonald.

"Work hard, eat three home-cooked meals a day at regular times and never quarrel," is Mrs. McCutchin's recipe for longevity, health and happiness and it was seconded today by Mr. McCutchin, who spoke proudly of the home baking his wife had just completed in the kitchen.

MARY ELLEN BEAUTY NOOK

Features New Permanent. Mary Ellen's Beauty Nook is featuring Shelton's Oil of Tulip permanent waves. It is claimed that Shelton's Oil of Tulip will rejuvenate your hair, bring back its luster and lively beauty, because it reaches the source of "hair life"—at the roots. It also creates new hair wealth.

Mary Ellen assures her patrons the highest form of perfection when a permanent wave is given with Tulip Oil on a Shelton machine.

It is also especially fine for gray hair, light and thin hair. All hairdressers and coiffure artists at the convention agreed that the new three-inch haircut is the most exciting news in the hair styling field. It means a much more adaptable coiffure for the average woman, and much less difficulty in keeping the hairdress neat and attractive.

The new haircut is the same length over the entire head, and it can be arranged with an upward sweep or be left to fall in soft rolls or curls at the nape of the neck. Come in and let the Mary Ellen Beauty Nook give you this new hair style.

Mrs. Robert Johnston and son Howard called on Mrs. Earl Hall and Mrs. A. J. Bernash in Good Samaritan hospital Tuesday. Both ladies are reported to be improving.

KIWANIS AND SCOUTS JOIN IN BANQUET

At the banquet on Wednesday evening at the Congregational church factors, in honor of the Beaverton Boy Scouts and their scoutmaster, Dave Phelps, the scouts opened the meeting by giving the Flag Presentation and the Scout Oath.

The singing was led by Lee Richey, accompanied on the piano by Do3 Berg.

The mother of the boy scouts prepared and served the banquet which was very delectable. The proceeds taken in by the Kiwanis Club for the dinner were presented to the Boy Scout Troop.

President Wm. Grauer gave a very pleasing talk, honoring the Boy Scouts, and introduced the speaker for the evening, Marian Miller of the Oregonian staff of Portland, who gave a clever heart to heart message, which was enjoyed by the audience immensely.

President Grauer suggested that the Kiwanis Club would prepare and serve the dinner next ladies meeting night.

District Scout Commissioner Bryan Walker, who is chairman of this district and has been in active scout work for the past 25 years gave a very interesting history of the scout work. He also thanked the Beaverton people for their cooperation in attending this meeting which was close to the anniversary of the time scouting was started, 29 years ago.

Dr. George was introduced as leader of the Cub Scout Troop, which has boys from 9 to 11 years of age. He made an announcement to the parents of Cubs, concerning this movement. There were around 150 people present, and the scouts appreciate this boost for their treasury.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARIES

Mrs. Don Loug entertained Sunday afternoon fourteen school friends of her daughter, Anna Mae's birthday anniversary. The party was a surprise on Anna Mae.

The afternoon was enjoyed playing Chinese checkers. First prize was won by Norman Bishop, and the booty prize went to Randall Peck. Delicious refreshments were served, with a birthday cake and Valentine hearts decorating the table.

C. E. ENJOY PARTY

The Intermediate members of the Christian Endeavor of the Christian Church entertained a large group of young folks to a Valentine party at the Church parlors Saturday evening. Refreshments pertaining to Valentine Day were served following an enjoyable evening of games.

BEAVERTON CHAPTER O. E. S. GUESTS OF DAVIDSON BAKERY

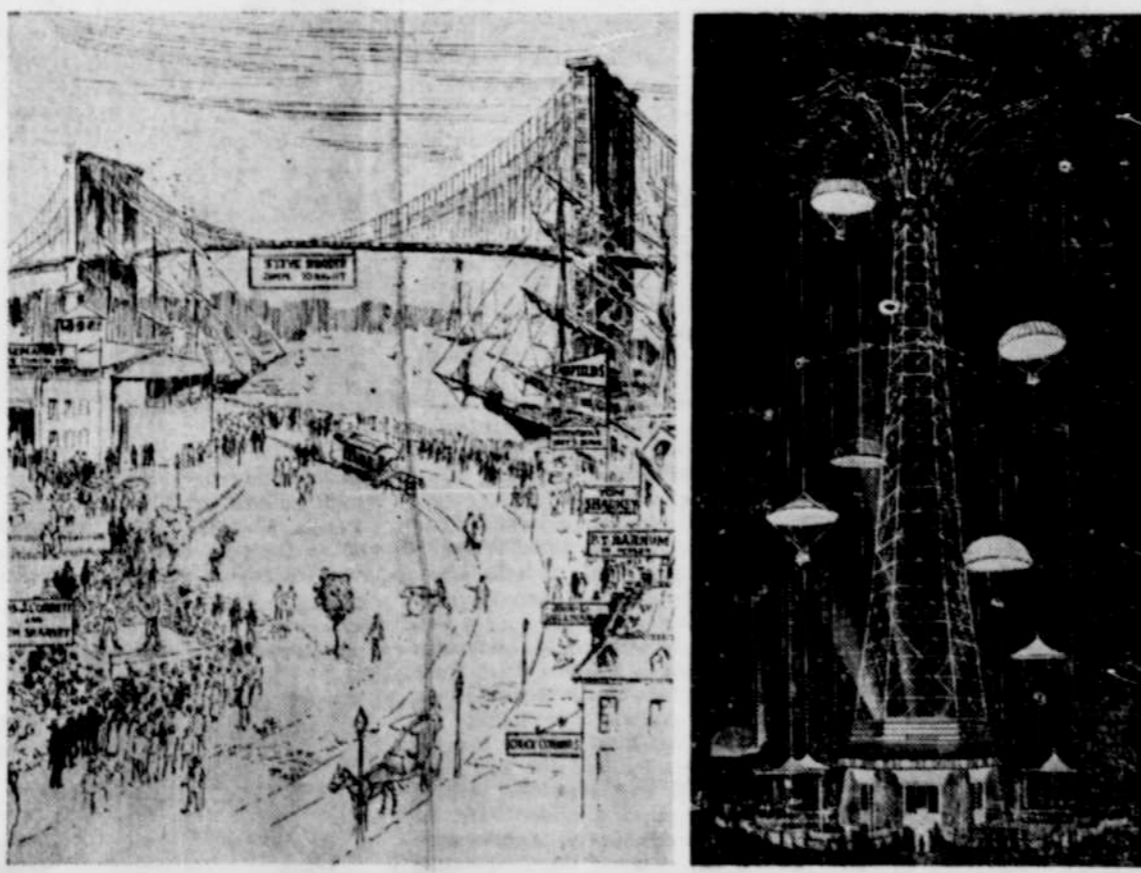
The members of the Beaver Chapter were invited to be guests of the Davidson bakery for a 12 o'clock luncheon Thursday. The committee in charge of arrangements and cards were Mrs. Geo. Thyng, chairman, Mrs. Geo. Blasser, Mrs. Walter Scott, Mrs. Stark and Mrs. Fayne Enzeleke.

BEAVERTON CANNERY WILL BE OPENED IN JUNE

The Beaverton cannery is progressing nicely, and will be opened in June, to take care of berries and all small fruit. They will use a tremendous amount of berries, and they would like to contact farmers on small acreages to grow berries for them.

Mrs. Ivan Koeber entertained for a Valentine dinner at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening. Alice Benson, Myrtle Davis and Margaret Yantli and Helen Pearson of Hillsboro. A beautiful bouquet of roses formed the centerpiece for the table.

FUN AT THE FAIR



NEW YORK—Three of the hundreds of amusements that will furnish enjoyment and thrills at New York World's Fair 1939. Above is a sketch of George Jessel's "Old New York," which will feature "Stove Brodie" jumping from the Brooklyn Bridge (6 times daily). At the right, top, is the 250-foot parachute jump which will bail out passengers and bring "happy landings." At the right is one feature of the Children's World—"A Trip Around the World."

We Made An Error

Strange as it seems, the Beaverton Review printer this week made an error in the meat department of the Safeway advertisement on page 5. Beef roast is 14½¢ per pound instead of 19½¢ as shown in the ad.

If Ken gets too tough about this slip of ours, we'll tell you all about the big fall at the boy scout banquet Wednesday night.

Mrs. M. C. McKercher entertained Mrs. Lorraine Knight and daughter, Helen, Harold Nesler and George McKercher, all of Portland, and Miss Florence Lucas to dinner on Friday evening.