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Feed Office Men Tied Up; Robbed

Two men entered the Findley Milling company office Wednesday night about 6:00 o'clock and held up H. R. Findley and Hollis Fleenor. They entered by the back door of the office just as Mr. Findley was preparing to close up. They ordered Fleenor to open the till where they secured about \$20.

One of the robbers wore a mask who covered Findley with a gun while the other, unmasked, rifled the till. The two then bound Findley and Fleenor with sack twine and tied the two together. It was several minutes after the robbers left that the victims were able to free themselves and call the state police at the West Slope office.

Sgt. Hatfield stated it as his opinion that the two men were the same two who held up the stage terminal in Portland recently and have committed several other robberies in other parts of the Willamette valley.

Kiwanis Plans Active Year For 1940

The regular weekly Kiwanis meeting was held Wednesday night at the new hour, 6:30. The new officers were in charge with W. T. Stratton presiding. Each committee chairman was called on for a report of the proposed activities for the coming year. From reports of the committees Kiwanis faces one of its most active periods.

Twenty-six were present with Edward Janssen and Frank Moore as visitors. Committees for the year were appointed and the chairmen gave a report of the plans for the year.

Committees are: Attendance, Harold Miller, Leonard Adams; membership, John Kirby, Dr. C. E. Mason, Albert Wilson; public affairs, Dr. R. S. Welsh, Robt. Burnside, Al Janssen, Fred Goyt; program, I. R. Metzler, Jay Giblin; agriculture, Jas. Lewis, H. R. Findley, Elmer Benson; interclub, Lee Richey, Cecil Martin; music, A. D. George, A. L. Berg; house, Harold Miller, Barry, Elmer; reception, Leonard Adams, Larry Hiatt, L. W. Short, Ted Emerson; boys and girls work, Wm. Grauer, Tr. O'Keefe, D. W. Peck; support of church, Otto Reil, Barry, H. M. Barnes; Kiwanis education, Dr. J. R. Talbot, Al Janssen, John Kirby.

The inter-club meeting with the Tigard Lions club next Monday night at Roamers Rest was announced and a large number indicate they were planning on attending.

J. H. Hulet's Sister Dies in Michigan

J. H. Hulet received word Saturday morning of the death of his sister, Mrs. Frank Pender, and her husband in Hastings, Michigan. Mrs. Pender's passing was very sudden. Mrs. Pender had been in ill health for several weeks. They had planned spending the winter in Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Hulet visited with them in October.

American Legion Card Party

The American Legion will give a card party at Metzger Wednesday night, January 10. The public is invited. All veterans are urged to attend.

On January 17 the Legion and Auxiliary will hold a joint meeting with special entertainment. All Spanish American war veterans are especially invited to attend this meeting.

Miss Kathleen McCrae New Home Agent

Miss Kathleen McCrae, newly appointed home demonstration agent in Washington county, assumed her duties January 2. Miss McCrae will office with the county agent, Mr. Cyrus, in the extension office in the courthouse at Hillsboro.

The agent comes to this county with a background of farm experience, which includes 4-H club membership and leadership, rural school teaching and high school home economics teaching. Miss McCrae was raised on a sheep ranch near Monmouth, from which her first 4-H club projects developed. She has been a member and leader of clothing, cooking and sheep clubs at various times. She has judged 4-H club fairs and achievement days in several counties, and demonstrations at the state fair this year.

After graduation from Oregon Normal school in 1932, Miss McCrae taught four years in the rural schools in the coast section of Lane county, entering Oregon State college in the fall of 1936. She was graduated from Oregon State college in the field of home economics education in 1938, after which she taught home economics at Crook county high school.

Miss McCrae joined the Home Economics staff of Oregon State college in July, 1939, as Home Demonstration agent at large. During the past six months she has assisted at 4-H club and homemaker's summer camps; judged at county fairs and 4-H club achievement days; and has participated in the Extension program in ten counties since joining the staff.

Because of the continued and great interest of the women of Washington county for the service of a home demonstration agent, the county appropriation for this work was granted. Miss McCrae, because of her training and experience, will be able to bring scientific help in homemaking to the homes of Washington county.

Beaverton Rebekahs Hold Election

The Beaverton Rebekah lodge met Tuesday evening and the following officers were installed by District Deputy Mildred Osfield assisted by Deputy Marshall Myrtle Hardman.

The officers installed were: Virginia Chamberlain, noble grand; Josephine Barron, vice grand; Lois Doyle, conductor; Esther Troup, chaplain; Myrtle Hardman, inside guardian; Hazel Miller, outside guardian; Lily Warner, RSNR; Mildred Osfield, LSNR; Nettie McElroy, RSVG; Helen Pearson, LSVG; Mary Cavanaugh, musician; Kathryn Dessinger, secretary; Sarah Walker, treasurer; Rose Stevens, junior past noble grand; Frankie Dotts was presented with a PNG pin by Rose Stevens, president of the PNG club. Adeline Frost was reelected trustee. After the meeting refreshments were served by Edna Sheets and her committee.

Mrs. Barton and Miss Peters Honor Guests

Mrs. E. H. Barton, of Longview, Washington, and Miss Anne Peters, daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. F. Peters of Hillsboro, were hosts, guests last Friday at a tea given by Miss Lula Coyner at the home of Mrs. H. D. Fisher, 507 Ansel street. Mrs. Barton's daughter, Betty, and Miss Peters are students at Cotley college, Nevada, Missouri. Miss Barton remained in the east during the holiday season.

PUD Club Will Meet

The Washington County PUD club will meet in the Hillsboro grange hall Tuesday, January 9, to elect officers and perfect the organization. All are invited to this meeting. There are no paid memberships. Several very successful meetings have been held recently with good attendance and interest.

In The WEEK'S NEWS



AIRPORT CHARGES VISITORS—A fee of ten cents a person is charged at the observation deck of La Guardia Field, the new New York City airport at North Beach. Authorities also inaugurated a 25-cent charge for parking.

STREET SCENE—A delivery truck covered by falling building blocks during the recent Russian air raids on Helsinki. This photo shows clearly why citizens run to air raid shelters when the warning sounds.

SAVED FROM SCUTTLED SHIP—Some of the 577 sailors from the scuttled German liner "Columbus" enjoy a government meal at Ellis Island. The rescued sailors expressed amazement at the "wonderful coffee and butter" Americans enjoy.

IMPORTANCE OF ENDURING PAINT on the nation's farms was emphasized by R. E. Wormser, while lead paint expert, in address before American Society of Agricultural Engineers in Chicago.

FOUR-HORNED NAVAJO SHEEP—"Confucius," a four-horned Navajo sheep was born recently on the Navajo Indian Reservation in Arizona. The sheep is owned by Loria Bell, an Arizona trader.

THE GINZA, Broadway of Tokyo, which is now being readied to play its part in the 1940 celebration of the 2600th anniversary of Japan. Preparations are especially designed to entertain American tourists.

Full Program Offered On Dad's Day

Two varsity basketball games between Oregon and Washington, offers opportunities to meet their sons and daughters' instructors, and a number of other special features and surprises will be offered fathers of University of Oregon from Beaverton who attend the annual "Dads' Day" week end on the campus January 26, 27. It has been announced by John Cavanaugh of Portland, general chairman of the celebration.

Approximately 600 "Dads" are expected. It has been predicted by Dean Karl W. Onthank, who is executive secretary of the Dads' group. The mass business meeting of the group has been set for Saturday morning, and a humorous entertainment, details of which are to be announced later, will be held that afternoon.

Members of student honor societies will act as guides for the faculty members acting as hosts. Two exciting athletic contests between the University of Oregon and the University of Washington teams, have been scheduled for Friday and Saturday nights of the weekend at McArthur court. The annual banquet will be held early Saturday evening.

Invitations to Dads' here and throughout the state are being mailed this week.

Attendance Drops

The attendance in the Bible school at the Church of Christ suffered a loss last Sunday from an average attendance of 147 to 103. The loss was due to the holiday and sickness. The school will make a drive to regain the loss and continue in the drive for 200 in attendance. Mrs. Vern Hopper is general superintendent. Miss Bertha Osterlah is superintendent of the junior department.



OPERA Star Gladys Swarthout and Mrs. Walter Hoving, New York Social Register, were two of the women who met recently with former President Herbert Hoover, to discuss plans for bringing the women of the country into the campaign for the Finnish Relief Fund, of which Mr. Hoover is Chairman. 1200 Newspapers throughout the country are collecting donations for the fund, and are working in conjunction with local committees of prominent people.

State Nurserymen Meet January 24

The mid-winter meeting of the Oregon Association of Nurserymen will be held in Portland all day January 24, announces J. S. Wieman, superintendent of nursery services for the state department of agriculture.

Dean Collins, Portland newspaperman, will be the banquet speaker, and on the afternoon program will be H. F. Groner, Puget Sound Bulb Growers' association at Sumner, Wash.; J. I. Griner, Washington state department of agriculture, Olympia; Ted Crauer, U. S. National Bank, Grants Pass; J. D. Mickle, director, and Frank McKennon, plant division chief, both of the state department of agriculture.

Dean W. A. Schoenfeld, Oregon State college experiment station, will lead a report on experimental findings at the morning session.

Heidelberg Has Fire

The rural fire truck was called to the Heidelberg park for a small chimney fire Tuesday afternoon. There was no damage.

Beaverton Firemen Elect Officers

Beaverton Fire Department held their annual meeting and election of officers Tuesday night. C. J. Barnes was elected president; R. T. Connors, vice president; Frank Moore, secretary. Recommendations were made for the past year's chiefs to serve the coming year. They are Archie Olson, chief; L. Clausen, first assistant; and Murdo Hockley, second assistant.

Plans were made for the annual firemen's ball to be held February 17 in the high school gymnasium.

Oregon Motor Stage Shears Off Pole

An Oregon Motors stage which had broken down near Tillamook and was being towed to Portland via the Wolf Creek route late Tuesday left the pavement of the Tualatin Valley highway west of here and crashed into a power line pole. The impact broke the pole and damaged the front end of the vehicle. No one was injured.

State Game Commission Plans Game Refuge

A new project recently inaugurated by the State Game Commission through aid of Pittman-Robertson federal funds provides for the development of seed stock refuges in the Willamette valley for the benefit of pheasants, quail and other small game.

Sites of not less than 7,000 acres each that are suitable for restocking purposes will be selected and easement control for a period of five years secured from the landowners, which will give the commission the right to develop food and cover resources on the land, restock it with game and regulate the seasons and methods of hunting.

The program proposes to keep the refuges closed to all hunting for a period of three years, after which they will be opened on a rotation basis. It is anticipated that this plan, together with last year's closure of the Willamette valley, will accomplish a great deal toward the rehabilitation of the pheasant and small game in the western part of Oregon.

Inasmuch as a detailed survey of game conditions had previously been made in Benton county by the Oregon Research unit, the present program is being initiated in that county to take advantage of the data already available but will be extended to other counties of the valley also.

Although the work has been under way for only a short time, farmers and land owners have shown a great interest in the program and in most cases cooperated readily in signing up the necessary easements.

Leaders Association Will Banquet

A banquet to be held January 5 at 7 o'clock will start off the activities of the Washington county local leaders association for the ensuing year. At this time the newly-elected officers will be installed at the Hillsboro chamber of commerce room where the banquet is to be held. L. J. Allen, assistant state leader, and Mrs. E. F. Wright, president of the state local leaders, as well as others have been invited to take part in the program which will be given during and following the banquet.

The newly-elected officers for the year are Mrs. E. Ray Miller, Hillsboro, president; Richard Joyce, Sherwood, vice president; Vernice Sahnow, Cornelius, secretary; executive committee, Clayton Nyberg, Tualatin, Viola Wescott, Hillsboro; song leader, Mrs. L. Coleman, Beaverton; and pianist, Mrs. E. E. Guerber, Helvetia. Mrs. Harriett Ford, Hillsboro, the outgoing president, will act as toastmaster. The other officers for last year were Clayton Nyberg, vice president and Miss Viola Wescott, secretary.

Besides the banquet, plans for the coming year's activities will be announced. Local leaders, their families and older club members are especially invited to attend.

Demonstrations Farms Selected

HILLSBORO—Several farms throughout Washington county have been selected as demonstration farms by the soil conservation service where practices to lesson soil erosion and otherwise conserve the soil will be applied, reports William Cyrus, county agent. The Elmer Guerber farm at Helvetia and John Mulloy farm at Laurel will cooperate in this program. The SCS is also developing farm plans for Robert Warrens and Alex Elschen.

Candle Light Service

The Christian Endeavors at the Church of Christ will hold a candle light service next Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. at which time the Endeavors will be given an opportunity to consecrate their lives anew in the Master's service at the beginning of the new year.

Basketball Team Hard Hit By Flu

The immediate winning prospects for the Beaverton high school basketball team is none too bright as influenza has hit a large number of the players.

Friday night the A and B squads will see action on the Tigard floor. Tigard has the same lineup as last year and should take this one from the Beavers. The Beavers took the first game with the Tigers but dropped the other league game with Newberg. A squad has won five games and dropped two. The B squad has taken all four of their games they have played. The freshman team will play their first game here January 9 with Banks.

Marble Cook is coach of the A and B squads and Mr. Zumwalt is the freshman coach. The remaining schedule is as follows.

Varsity—
Jan. 5—Tigard, there.
Jan. 12—Forest Grove, there.
Jan. 23—Milwaukie, there.
Jan. 26—Sherwood, there.
Jan. 30—Parkrose, there.
Feb. 2—Newberg, there.
Feb. 9—Tigard, here.
Feb. 13—Parkrose, here.
Feb. 16—Forest Grove, here.
Feb. 23—Hillsboro, there.

The B squad schedule is as follows.

Jan. 5—Tigard, there.
Jan. 9—Banks, a team, here.
Jan. 12—Forest Grove, there.
Jan. 19—Hillsboro, here.
Jan. 23—Milwaukie, there.
Feb. 26—Sherwood, there.
Feb. 30—Parkrose, there.
Feb. 2—Newberg, there.
Feb. 9—Tigard, here.
Feb. 13—St. Mary's, here.
Feb. 16—Forest Grove, here.
Feb. 23—Hillsboro, there.

The freshman squad have the following games scheduled.

Jan. 9—Banks, here.
Jan. 16—Hillsboro, here.
Jan. 23—Forest Grove, there.
Jan. 30—Banks, there.
Feb. 6—Newberg, here.
Feb. 13—Newberg, there.
Feb. 20—Hillsboro, there.
Feb. 27—Forest Grove, here.

Veva J. Boge Weds Melville R. Jack

Miss Veva J. Boge and Melville R. Jack were united in marriage Friday evening December 29 at the Christian parsonage. Rev. E. E. Coulter officiated. Miss Boge is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Boge of Farmington. The bride wore a beautiful gown of royal blue chiffon velvet, blue and gold accessories and a corsage of gardenias. The bridesmaid wore a wine velvet with gold accessories, rosebud, and bouvardia corsage. Mr. Jack wore a dark blue suit. Bevy Boge was best man. After a short honeymoon the young couple will be at home at Sherwood, route 2.

Annual Church Meeting

The annual meeting for the Church of Christ will be held Monday evening at 7:30 in the main auditorium. Reports of all departments of the church will be heard. Refreshments will be served after the program. Members and friends of the church are urged to be present and enjoy the meeting.

Church Council Meets

The Women's Council held its last meeting of the year Friday. A potluck dinner was enjoyed at noon. An interesting program was given in the afternoon. The council recommended sending \$60.00 for missions, closing the year's work. The new officers for the council will be installed at the next meeting.