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COMMERCIAL CLUB BANQUET WAS GREAT SUCCESS

Efforts of Committee on Entertainment Highly Successful and Community Turned Out to Enjoy It.

What was probably one of the most successful gathering ever held in Beaverton was the "Chat with your Neighbors" evening given at Grange Hall Wednesday evening by the Beaverton Commercial Club and the Entertainment Committee, composed of Fred Jensen, E. E. Swenson and F. G. Haukenbeck, was one of the best heard in town. Every number was a headliner. The gathering sang "America." Miss Gaskill recited. Mr. Haukenbeck sang. Mrs. Colt was heard in her pleasing songs. Miss Grete Gray gave a charming number on the piano. L. M. Thomas, of the Security Benefit Association gave an entertaining five-minute talk. Mr. Haukenbeck played a violin solo that called forth enthusiastic applause and even his encore was given prolonged applause. N. G. Freeman accompanied him on the piano. E. E. Swenson's talk on community chat was amusing and entertaining as well as carrying home some important facts and was well received.

After the program a generous and delicious lunch was served in the lower hall and many Beaverton folks got acquainted with others whom they should have known long ago.

It is the plan of the club to repeat just such affairs as this at frequent intervals until all of Beaverton's population is well acquainted.

NEWS FROM ST. MARY'S

A very pleasant cycle of social events took place at St. Mary's the last week.

On Thursday afternoon the members of the music class gave a delightful recital which showed the marked progress in skill and technique the pupils have made in that art, during the school term.

The auditorium was tastefully decorated in gold and white. And the beautiful lyre shaped programs were made by a member of the art class.

The program was as follows:

Duet—"Spring Blossoms," A. Shackelford, F. Bernards.

Chorus—"We've Just Arrived From Beautiful Town."

Duet—"March," C. Ditter, T. Dunlee.

Piano Solo—"Daffodil Dance," Opal Long.

Duet—"The Skaters," Helen and Iris Begle.

Mandolin Solo—"Forget Me not," M. Riddell, Accompanist, L. Ryan.

Duet—"Holiday Times," M. Schlegel, G. Stone.

Duet—"Learning to Play," Mabel and Violet Lahaie.

Orchestra—"The Rosary."

Chorus—"Tea-Kettle Song," Minnie.

Duet—"Hungarian Concert Polka," L. Ryan, F. Bernards.

Violin Solo—"Enchantment," E. Ingram, Accompanist, C. Ingram.

Duet—"Song Birds," B. Berovich, D. Duverney.

Duet—"Under the Mistletoe," G. Deranleau, Z. Constantin.

Piano Solo—"Happy Eulenie," L. Ryan.

Piano Solo—"Twilight," A. Shackelford.

Duet—"Tripping Through the Heather," L. Ryan, M. Riddell.

Duet—"America," E. Albertini, J. Gregory.

Orchestra—"Barcarole."

Piano Solo—"Summer Seas," J. Lagerfeld.

Dialogue—"Two Ghosts in White," Seniors.

Piano Solo—"Dying Poet," M. Schlegel.

Trio—"Absent," J. Lagerfeld, J. Uppenkamp, F. Bernards.

Recitation—"Excuses," G. Kennedy.

Violin Duet—"Blumber Song," Louise and Beatrice Dettler.

Piano Solo—"Farewell to the Alps," Margaret Muen.

Duet—"Camp of Glory," F. Bernards, C. Ingram.

The piano selection by Miss Leota Ryan, the orchestra numbers and the vocal trio, "Absent" deserve special mention and showed much talent on the part of the young ladies.

Mrs. Mary Dodge, teacher of String Instruments at St. Mary's Academy, gave the inmates a delightful surprise on Friday evening when she presented one of her pupils, Miss Kathleen Jordan, of Portland, Oregon. Miss Jordan rendered a series of selections with a skill which bespoke careful and efficient training on the part of her teacher.

The sweet solo stirring melodies drawn from her instrument found a responsive chord in the hearts of the audience and all were charmed with the simple grace of the youthful artist.

Mrs. Dodge accompanied her.

The beautiful sunshine on Sunday afternoon drew a group of Portland Knights of Columbus to St. Mary's. They furnished an enthusiastic audience with a pleasing program of vocal and instrumental music and recitation. They promised to visit us again, and we hope it will be in the near future.

SECURITY BENEFIT ASSOCIATION WILL MEET WEDNESDAY

Local Branch of Insurance Order Is Taking in New Members—Portland Team Will Visit.

Mr. H. W. Smith, Deputy State Manager of the Security Benefit Association is in our city signing up new members for the local council.

This society was formerly known as the Knights and Ladies of Security, a fraternal insurance order of more than 250,000 membership and Mr. Smith reports a number of new members ready to be initiated.

Wednesday evening, April 28th, has been set for this event and the unfettered degree staff of Kirkpatrick Council 2227, of Portland, will attend and have charge of the initiatory ceremony.

Among those who have joined recently are: Dr. C. E. Mason, Dr. Theodore Hetu, Geo. W. Ballard, Alfreda Ballard, Mrs. E. D. Young.

Others have signified their intention of going in at this first meeting. Officers will be installed at this time and L. M. Thomas, State Manager and his wife will be on hand as representatives of the National office, to install.

It is hoped to have a class of 25 or more by the time, which will make Beaverton Council 2274, one of the live councils of the State. Delegates to the State Convocation, at Portland, which will be in session at this time have been invited and will likely attend.

A FEW THINGS WED LIKE TO SEE IN BEAVERTON

Someone living in W. C. McKell's new houses.

A little more painting done on the old buildings.

A few more people following Gus Rossi's example so far as old building are concerned.

A few more buildings under construction.

Some action toward a definite policy regarding sewerage.

A few more businesses progressing like C. L. Stevens' barber shop.

A new postmistress as courteous, obliging and efficient as Mrs. Colt has been.

A hose welder, who could wash automobiles at the livery stable without sprinkling passersby on the sidewalk.

More men with the same amount of youth at 70 than Mr. Hockenberry displays.

Eleven more people as enthusiastic about school next year as R. W. Cook.

An entertainment each week as good as the one Dr. Stevenson gave Tuesday evening.

Everybody out to the school play next week.

More of our neighbors doing things the way Whitford people are doing. Paved roads north and south.

The sidewalks put back in repair on the way to the O. E. depot.

The S. P. new track put in and a suitable crossing to the postoffice and stores on the highway.

More roses and less rubbish.

More gardens and less weeds.

Park plans under way and some provision for campers here.

More cars going 15 miles and less going 50 through the streets.

Someone old-fashioned enough to ride a bicycle.

A cleanup campaign that would get rid of the tin cans and boxes back of several stores.

More humming and less knocking.

COOPER MT. NEWS

April showers bring May flowers.—It looks like a big crop.

Nick Kemmer is reported quite ill. C. L. Barron is cutting wood on his place.

There was a surprise party given for Bertha Kaufman at her home Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Walker was a County seat visitor Thursday.

Recent visitors at school were Miss Millie Jacobsen and Bernice Barron.

Byron Cole and others intend to take in the base ball game at Portland Sunday.

John Barron began cutting his 1938 hay crop this week.

Mrs. Oberg and Susse traded horses this week—both got a bargain.

Mr. Blomquist's family will soon move into their new residence.

Mrs. Oberg has purchased 200 chicks from Mrs. Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kaufmann and neice, Beula Kirby, visited with friends at Scholls last of the week.

Mr. Gothard and daughter, Miss Frances, were out from Portland Saturday.

Julius Gassner butchered a beef this week.

Everybody will be happy when the Rock Crusher begins grinding out "good roads."

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WASHINGTON COUNTY FARM BUREAU FORMED

Officers Are Elected—County Program Adopted—Many Splendid Improvements Planned.

Farmers representing the several districts of the County, met in Hillsboro, Saturday, April 17, and organized the Washington County Farm Bureau. The purpose of the organization is to develop, in each community of the County, a systematic program of work among the members, as a means of making agriculture more profitable, farm life more pleasant, the rural structure more permanent, thus contributing the general prosperity to the County as a whole.

The officers elected were A. E. Westcott, President, E. E. Jones, Vice President, N. A. Frost, Secretary, and William Schulmerich treasurer. A County program of work was adopted, which was based upon the needs of the several communities, after a study was made of the agriculture programs in each section.

Heading the list of projects adopted in the County program, is that of Dairy Herd Improvement. William Schulmerich was elected as County leader of this project, and he is already planning a County campaign for better dairy aires, and will also encourage the organization of Dairy Calf Clubs.

Rodent Control was another project adopted, with E. E. Jones as County leader. The Farm Bureau appointed a committee to appear before the County Court, requesting that body to take the proper steps for the enforcement of the Rodent Control law, enacted by the last legislature. It is the purpose of the Bureau to have rodents controlled on lands owned by non-residents, as well as all other areas infested. They will also continue the Mole Pelt Pools, and encourage in every way possible the trapping of moles and gophers.

Poultry Improvement was also adopted as part of the program, the County leader of which is yet to be selected. Poultry schools, culling demonstrations and tours will be a part of the work undertaken in this project.

Chas. Herb was selected as County leader of Crop Improvement. Under his direction, efforts will be made to certify as many fields as possible of grain this season for seed purposes. Potato certification will also be considered, and fertilizer trials will be undertaken in the several communities. The more important of these, will be the using of superphosphate on corn and potatoes.

Drainage was also made a part of the program, it being the belief that agriculture can be much improved by the use of more tile, and also that many of the lands can be improved by the cleaning out of the Tualatin river. During a discussion, mention was made of a bill which is now before congress appropriating money for the cleaning out of this river. A committee was appointed to make investigation, and to lend support to the measure.

The fruit interests were not overlooked in the program, and Horticultural projects were adopted, with Earl Peary of Dille as County leader. Under this project the best cultural methods will be investigated and tests of different orchard practices will be made, and tests will also receive consideration, while a tour of the orchards of the County is also planned. The officers of the Farm Bureau, together with the County project leaders will form an executive committee, which will hold regular meetings for the consideration of the County Agricultural needs.

Through such an organization, efforts will be made to put the industry on better business basis, and make it possible to continue Washington County in the lead as the most progressive agricultural section of the state.

NEAL C. JAMISON,
County Agent.

BANK TAKEN ON NEW COLOR
S.A. Fredericksen has been taking the interior of the Bank of Beaverton rooms the past week. This adds much to the already attractive and business-like appearance of Beaverton's healthy financial institution and shows that Cashier Doy Gray has an artistic, as well as an economic side to his good nature.

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY TO RECEIVE \$20,000

Local Institution of Learning to Benefit by Congregational World Movement.

The great world church movement to raise funds for the benefit and the advancement of church and school work throughout the country will have its effect on our own city locally when Forest Grove's splendid institution of higher learning comes into its own.

President Robert Fry Clark has just issued a letter which he addressed to friends of the College outside of Forest Grove wherever dispersed, and local people who contribute to this fund will find bread cast upon the waters returning many fold. The letter follows:

Pacific University is to receive during the next fiscal year \$20,000 from the Congregational World Movement.

Friends of the College will rejoice with us in this information and will be sure, for this reason work all the harder the inter-burial campaign. They will also, we believe, support the College more enthusiastically than before, because of this evidence of approval on the part of leaders of the Congregational World Movement.

Oregon's quota is \$22,500. Let us all work to reach it.

Pacific University, founded in 1849 always an important factor in Congregational life and work. College attendance this year larger than ever before. 45 ex-service men 8 "Life Work Recruits."

Grants, \$53,000; Estimated deficit, current year, \$5,000; program for next year, including necessary additions to salaries and new salaries, demands additional \$20,000; deficit, as of this year, \$5,000.

Never before was there greater need for educated Christian leaders. Pacific University helps provide these.

Questions gladly answered. Yours for the Congregational World Movement.

ROBERT FRY CLARK,
President.

THEY MAKE GOOD FOR YOU

Some months ago H. A. Concanon had a team for sale. He put a little liner in the Times and sold the team. He didn't tell us about his success at the time, but this week he has a buggy for sale and he remembered where he got results before. You will find his ad in this issue. More and more people are coming to know that the small ad in the Times is a mighty profitable investment of a small sum when they have anything to sell, want help, or wish to buy anything.

SHRINE SANDS ARE WARNED FOR NOVICES

Over at the Oasis of Portland last Saturday the sands of the desert were heated to white heat in order that 441 sons of the desert might be duly initiated into the mysteries of the Ancient, Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, of the United States of America.

The camels of the local tribesmen were duly harnessed and the charven proceeded to the banks of the Columbia where the ceremonies were to take place under the fostering care of the nobles of Al Kader Temple, who are busily engaged in planning for the biggest ceremonial ever held in America, when the Imperial Council of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine shall assemble in the city of Portland next June on the days of the 21, 22, 23 and 24th, but they were not too busy to pass on the hospitality for which that city is widely noted, and the thousands who made the pilgrimage from all parts of the land of Oregon to witness the ceremonial and note the writhings of the victims as they crossed the withering sands of the desert, were more than pleased with the kindly reception they received.

In the afternoon the army was the scene of the festivities and at night the great auditorium witnessed the first section, followed by the third section, and some beautiful scenery was displayed to the eyes of the novices. Forest Grove and her new Knights Templar Compandry furnished her portion of the candidates, as follows: C. L. Bump, Frank Ford, B. Y. Roe, J. G. Lennette, J. B. West, A. C. Burrill, W. J. Schmidt, Donald K. Gregg, Dr. W. R. Taylor, C. E. Wells, J. L. Crow. These Nobles witnessed the initiation: D. Rufus Cheney, Allan Rice, C. D. Roe, Ernest A. Roeder, A. E. Scott, W. H. Hollis, C. N. Johnson, John Anderson, A. G. Hoffman, J. E. Loynes.

DON'T BE A SLACKER

Join the vast army of Sunday School scholars. Recruiting station open at the Methodist church, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

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PARIS PICTURES PLEASE LOCAL PEOPLE VERY MUCH

Fine Crowd Greeted Dr. J. E. Stevenson at Auditorium Tuesday Night and Was Well Repaid for Time.

A goodly attendance of Beaverton greeted Dr. J. E. Stevenson, of Portland at the local auditorium Tuesday night when he presented his pictures of Paris and told of them in an entertaining and instructive manner. Pictures shown were of the famous churches, art galleries, palaces, tombs, the Catacombs, the Venus de Milo and numerous local and street scenes that the doughboys were familiar with and of which Dr. Stevenson learned intimately during the months he spent as a Y. M. C. A. secretary, guiding the furloughed soldiers about the French metropolis.

His story dealt with the history of France to a great extent and he told many of the interesting things in a manner that made them easy to remember and simple enough for even the little tots to understand.

Dr. Stevenson has also some very interesting slides and some motion pictures of modern lessons in the case of the teeth which he has promised to bring to Beaverton in the near future.

Doings at Hillsboro Told in Brief, Pithy Paragraphs

Married in this city, April 12, Miss Bertha Rosier and Ralph Huffaker, of Garden Home. Judge Good-tied the knot.

J. J. Ingram was called to the bedside of his brother, Dr. A. P. Ingram, of The Dalles, who was, on Sunday last, injured in an automobile accident.

Harry Sliger, who formerly resided in this city, was the past week the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Loren P. Jackson. Mr. Sliger used to work for H. V. Gatos when he owned the water and light plant.

Henry D. Schmeltzer has gone to Los Angeles for a visit with his brother, Elmer. He expects to visit various points in California and will be absent several weeks.

Marriage licenses were issued the past week to John F. Kalkofen and Louise Klase; Melvin S. Shattuck and Emma L. McIntyre; Lance Barker and Anna Rankin; Ralph W. Huffaker and Bertha J. Risior.

Father Costello, of St. Matthew's church, is in St. Vincent's Hospital in Portland, where he underwent an operation. About one year ago he underwent an operation at the same hospital.

C. W. G. Hyde, father of Dr. L. W. Hyde, of this city, passed away at his home in Bridger, Montana, April 12th, 1920. Mr. Hyde visited here a few months ago and will be remembered by many.

M. L. Shattuck and Miss Emma L. McIntyre were united in marriage at the home of Rev. H. A. Deck, who performed the ceremony. The happy couple will make their home in Oregon.

While working at the cannery one day last week Wayne Vaught was quite badly burned when a bucket of hot tar was spilled on his hands. The wounds received prompt attention and he is getting along all right now, but the pain was quite severe at first.

Judge Bagley and father, Wm. Bagley, were last week visitors in Newberg, which place they had not visited for twenty-five years. They called upon Charles C. Frick, a former Hillsboro man, while there.

Chief Larsen has the past week arrested numerous persons for fast driving within the city limits. In one day he arrested five different ones, four of whom were fined five dollars and one was fined ten dollars.

There were no boarders in the county jail last week, the first time in many months. The last prisoner was B. Fuller, indicted for syndicalism, and upon pleading guilty, was released on a suspended sentence. He had been confined in jail for three months.

The little daughter of Frank Barr was taken sick while at school, with smallpox, and has been quite ill the past week. The doctor thinks no other cases will develop. It is thought that she was exposed from a child who had a mild case.

J. A. Ormandy, assistant general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, and John Gardner, traveling

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GRANGE WILL GIVE "BELIEVE ME XANTIPPE" FRIDAY

Motion Picture Will be Interpreted With Local Numbers and Successful Show is Promised.

Beaverton Grange is to give a picture show, Mrs. F. G. Donaldson is chairman of the committee in charge of the arrangements and she has already arranged to show Wallace Reid in "Believe Me, Xantippe." A large number of Grangers are interested and this is sure to be a program of more than usual interest. Between each reel there will be vocal and instrumental numbers by talented members of the community. Mr. Haukenbeck, who has pleased so immensely with his violin selections, has already promised to play and Mrs. J. E. Davis will sing.

The evening is sure to be filled with entertaining features and it will pay anyone in the vicinity of Beaverton to save the date. Remember, April 30, at the high school auditorium at 8:00 o'clock in the evening.

COAST ALTITUDE RECORD SMASHED

The former altitude record of 19,800 feet, held by Olaf ("Swede") Meyerhoffer, made in San Diego in 1917, with an old type Curtiss plane equipped with an 80 H. P. motor, has been shattered. An altitude of 21,800 feet was made by Walter Varney flying a Lincoln-Standard airplane equipped with a 238-horsepower Hispano-Suiza motor. This new Pacific Coast altitude record was made over the City of San Francisco.

Varney "took off" at 10:01 o'clock attaining an altitude of 10,000 feet on his first circle of the field. The further series of circles took him out of sight of the spectators on the ground. His attempted altitude of 25,000 feet failed on account of the intense cold and the rarity of the air. At 14,000 feet he began to feel the cold and the thermometer on the "ship" registered six degrees below zero at the maximum height attained on this flight. Varney's face and even his hands although encased in fur gloves were blue with cold upon landing.

While Varney reported he had difficulty breathing at this great altitude, he had no engine difficulty whatever. Varney used Red Crown gasoline and Zerolene lubricating oil. Under the normal conditions of the first stages of his flight he climbed at the rate of 1,000 feet a minute, but at an altitude of 18,000 feet the air was so "thin" that at times the plane dropped 50 to 75 feet before catching hold and the speed was cut to 500 feet a minute.

Varney did not attempt to break the record set by Major Schroeder who, flying a Le Pore, attained a height of 39,000 feet. Major Schroeder, on this great climb, was equipped with oxygen tanks and apparatus and electric heated clothes. Varney plans other flights over San Francisco and expects to establish a new altitude record for the Pacific Coast.

Meyerhoffer, Chief Test Pilot for the Varney forces, also made a test flight and attained a height of 19,800 feet which is 800 feet better than the record he established three years ago.

WHITFORD HAPPENINGS

The operetta, "The Merry Maids," was played to a full house here last Saturday night. Much credit is due Mrs. Rice and Mrs. Walborn for their untiring efforts in directing the same. The cast was well chosen, and each did their part well. The orchestra, too, performed with credit to themselves and much pleasure to the audience. The members of the chorus feel highly honored in receiving an invitation from the Home Economics Department of the Beaverton High School to put on the operetta at the High School Auditorium next Friday night. The invitation was accepted.

The State Traveling Library has been installed in the home of Miss Letty McKay by the W. W. C. C. Miss McKay will act as Librarian. Books can be applied for and taken out every Thursday.

Ray Hanson had the great misfortune to almost sever the thumb from his left hand on Monday morning. He was rushed to Dr. Mason, who thinks the member can be saved. Ray will carry his hand in a sling for some time.

The Misses Crouse of Portland, spent the week-end with Miss Mary Feldman and incidentally took in the operetta Saturday night.

Wallace Hansen, who is an employee of the R. M. Wade Implement House of Portland left for Primville on Saturday evening, where he will install a number of tractors for farmers in that vicinity.

It is very much regretted by the community that Mr. and Mrs. Lou Glee will leave for Southern Calif. soon where they expect to make their home. Mrs. Rice will be greatly missed by the young people in whom she has taken so much interest during her stay here.

Many friendly and familiar faces from Hiteon and Garden Home were seen at the play Saturday night.

Mrs. P. G. Bettendorf is quite ill again with a gripe.