



# THE BEAVERTON ENTERPRISE

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## C. OF C. BANQUET A BIG SUCCESS

Many People Enjoyed The  
Banquet and Interesting  
Speeches

### 225 WERE PRESENT

Committee in Charge Deserve Thanks  
of the Community for their Efforts  
in Making it a Success

The banquet given by the Chamber of Commerce was greatly enjoyed and the committee in charge, J. W. Raymond, J. W. Sprague, George Thynge and James Pinder deserve high praise for their untiring efforts to make the affair a success. 225 people enjoyed the dinner Tuesday.

During intermission the Bethel orchestra furnished the music.

The Emmerson orchestra furnished the music for the dance.

J. Pinder, president of the Chamber of Commerce, introduced the speakers and welcomed the visitors. Otto Erickson was toast master and made the hit of the evening by his clever speech.

W. E. Pegg, mayor of Beaverton, made a few timely remarks. Ira McGill, of Fairvale, talked of the advantages of a tunnel, bringing the city and the Tualatin Valley closer together and warned the people that he would be back next year to talk about it again.

Mr. Weil and Mr. Moore, of Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce, urged that the towns in the county should co-operate and work together.

E. E. Swenson spoke of the minister, who was afraid his congregation was not enjoying his sermons so asked the deacon what he thought was the matter. He replied, "there are three reasons, first you write sermons, second you can't read what is written and 3rd, there was not anything written."

C. B. Jones, county road master, spoke of how the failure of the tunnel project forced the improvement of the Canyon road. He said how everyone is a road builder even in the olden days when only paths were hewn in the woods. He regretted that so many needed roads were held up on account of squabbles over the right of way in particular the roads from Beaverton to Tigard and the Cedar Mills and North Plain roads. Districts needing roads should co-operate with the county court. There are now 200 miles of market roads in the Washington county and all this was done with out bond issues.

Ben Reisdand spoke of Fairvale as the sister to the east and stressed the fact that the tunnel was needed for quicker and cheaper transportation of produce from the Tualatin Valley.

He spoke of how the east side have accomplished so much because they always worked together. The small cities must "hang together or they will hang separately."

C. H. Scott, Market Master, urged development of market roads so that people can quickly and cheaply market their produce.

State Senator, W. M. Hare, of Hillsboro, spoke against dividing Washington county with Multnomah county. He objected to parts of the county becoming a part of a metropolitan city because taxes are always higher, new improvements are always needed. He spoke of the benefits of good roads and recalled that when he was a boy living at Hillsboro, it took all day to drive to Portland.

Mr. Byam, of the Portland Chamber of Commerce gave the principal address of the evening and urged that the cities co-operate with the Portland Chamber of Commerce in placing industries in the different towns.

Robert Tucker spoke of the beautiful Tualatin Valley as a home place and quoted Garfield. He pitied the man who did not have a place he could call home. He stressed the need of fellowship and good will as factors in the growth of the town.

Dr. Mason spoke on the benefits of the grade and high schools in educating the children of the future and making good citizens.

Among those present were: County Commissioner, Livermore; State Senator, W. M. Hare; Mr. Weil of Wells Dept., Store; Moore, Secretary, Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce; Carl Jack, Cashier Shute Savings Bank; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Easter, managers P. E. P. Co.

NOTICE—The Enterprise will appreciate it if those having items for publication will kindly present them not later than Tuesday evening.

## Only Three Teachers in School in 1889

It is interesting to note the contrast in the personnel of the Beaverton schools in 1889 and now. At that time there were only 3 teachers with an expense of \$610. The census showed only 146 pupils.

In 1903-1904 the census showed 255 pupils, 3 teachers, with an annual expense of \$1349.

In 1910-1911 the census was 322 pupils, 5 teachers, a new building was erected costing \$8600. The expense was \$11962.

1920-21 the census jumped to 504, and in the high and grade schools there were 11 teachers and it cost the district \$23,401.

1925-26 the census showed 599 pupils, 18 teachers and an expense of \$36,856.

In 5 years the expense increased from \$23,000 to \$36,856.

The valuation of this district in 1909 was \$195,350; in 1921 \$539,716 and in 1926 \$1,031,898.

Is Beaverton growing?

### Kuehne Will

Wrestle May 12

A wrestling bout is being arranged at the Beaver Theatre for the benefit of the baseball team May 12, between Harry Kuehne and Bill Stevens "The Wrestling Finn," of Astoria in a two-hour match.

The preliminary will be a real contest between L. Kennedy, rural mail man, of Tigard, and Kid Mystery, of Hillsboro. This will be a 30 minute go or the best two out of 3 falls.

Mr. Hicks will put on a complete picture program all for 50 cents. Kids will be admitted to the balcony for 25 cents.

### Mrs. Hatch Won

Picture and Umbrella

Mrs. Hatch was very lucky at the Country Store at the Beaverton Theatre, winning both a picture and an umbrella.

The lucky Mrs. Robbins won a box of groceries.

In the dance contest for young people, they done everything but stand on their heads.

After this the Country store and Treasure night will be combined and given on Tuesday night, with extra big prizes.

### Gus Dessinger Is Improving

Gus Dessinger, of Beaverton, seems to be improving, altho his spinal column does not seem to be broken, he is unable to move, but can use his hands and feet. It will be a matter of time before it is known whether he will recover the entire use of his limbs.

### Another Contract Let

To A. G. Hockens

A. G. Hockens has been awarded the contract for paving Lombard street. Merchants and citizens are always pleased when he is awarded a contract for he always uses local material and hires local men on all his jobs.

### Will Beaverton Be Present?

Will Beaverton have a float in the Rose Festival Parade in Portland in June? People from all over the United States will come to Portland to see this parade and the pageant "Rosaria" and here is an opportunity to call attention to the resources of our beautiful city. The Rose Festival is to commence June 13 and extend to June 18.

Charles Wells, Manager Oregon Telephone Co., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cornelius, all of Hillsboro.

A great deal of credit for the success of the banquet is due to those who were in charge of the important part of the affair—the dinner—being Mrs. Herman Jenne, Mrs. J. W. Raymond, Miss Icebister, Mrs. Geo. Thynge, Mrs. Hanna, Mrs. Ingram, Mrs. Spraner, Mrs. Doy Gray, and Ruth Raynard and high school students.

It took four days to prepare for the event. Some idea of the amount of supplies used can be imagined when it was stated 31 chickens were used, 1 sack of potatoes, 5 baskets of tomatoes, 5 gallon jello and Mrs. Raynard baked 14 cakes. Besides other cooked foods. Wadham and Co. furnished the coffee free, Forest Grove Creamery, the butter, and Yeager the bread.

After the banquet dancing was enjoyed. Everyone pronounced the affair a success and expressed the wish that these affairs would occur oftener.

## 16 MEMBERS IN TORCH HONOR SOCIETY

Record Is Kept Of Students  
As They Go Thru  
School

### 100 POINTS—WINS PIN

Takes 24 Points for 1 Bar Pin, 50 Points for 2 Bar Pin, 110 Points for Permanent Possession

The Torch Honor society was originated and put into effect by the Seattle schools. The torch was used by the Greeks as a symbol of progress and still retains this meaning and is the emblem of the society. This society is governed by a point system, the various activities of the school are listed and a certain number of points are given for each.

As the pupil enters high school his name is recorded on a "confidential data" card and this record is kept during the entire four years.

The list of activities include scholarship, each branch of athletics, debate, class officers, etc.

If the student earns 24 points during the first year he is entitled to a 1 bar pin in the sophomore year. If at the end of his sophomore year he has annexed a total of 50 points, he surrenders the 1 bar pin and takes the 2 bar pin to wear during the junior year, if he has 80 points at the end of his junior year he takes the Torch pin and wears it through the senior year. If at the end of the senior year he has reached a total of 110 points the torch pin belongs to him.

The following are members of the Torch Honor Society: Lowrie Baker, Clarence Bous, Lois Cox, Rose Eichmeyer, Helmi Laaman, Dorothy McMichael, Juanita Spencer, Howard Wilson, Mary Crabtree, David Tobey, Kenneth Wood, Ruth Maurer, Philip Meyers, Virginia Parks, Helen Stiles, Elsie Whitworth.

The officers are:

President ..... Helen Stiles  
Vice-President ..... Kenneth Wood  
Secretary-Treasurer ..... Dorothy McMichael  
Editor ..... Elsie Whitworth  
Advisor ..... Mr. Metzler

### Must Protect County Roads

No logs or piling shall be moved on or upon the highway of Washington County without written permission of the county court, according to an order issued by the court Monday. A bond must be furnished for any damage to the highways also. Any one being on land adjoining the highway may move his tractors without permit, providing he is responsible for the damages.

No tire on any motor vehicle or any other vehicle, except those engaged in road work, shall have on its wheels any protuberance of metal, which projects beyond the traction surface of the tire.

This order does not prohibit chains for safety because of snow or sleet.

### WHO DONE THIS?

Lynn Hatch lost his bicycle Saturday. It was left on the sidewalk in front of the Beaverton Pharmacy. Russell Godard left his toy wagon in front of the 20th Century Store and some child took it away. It had rubber tires and was a Piggly Wiggly.

## CITY COUNCIL MET AGAIN MONDAY

G. P. Fordney Appointed  
To Fill Unexpired Term  
Of Deceased

### WANT FIRE APPARATUS

Special Election for the Purpose of Raising Bonds to Purchase this and House for Same

G. P. Fordney was appointed to fill the unexpired term of A. Rossi, deceased.

Resolved—The city attorney was instructed to propose a resolution calling for an extension of Hall St., across and over the S. P. Ry., to North Broadway Street.

### RESOLUTION

Resolved—That, whereas, the Town Council of the town of Beaverton, Washington County, deems it expedient, necessary and wise to have installed in the Town of Beaverton some adequate fire protection in order to prevent and keep down fires and fire hazards, and also some suitable building to house said fire apparatus and city offices; and, Whereas, the fire department of the Town of Beaverton, Oregon, and buildings to take care of same, is at the present time, entirely inadequate and wholly defective and is worn out; and,

Whereas, it is the desire of the Town Council of the Town of Beaverton to pass an ordinance and initiate a measure to provide for a bond issue by the Town of Beaverton to the end that suitable fire apparatus and place to house same be purchased and owned by said town, and to take whatever legal steps are necessary under the laws of the State of Oregon and the charter and ordinances of the Town of Beaverton to call a special election to vote upon the question of purchasing suitable fire apparatus.

Be it therefore resolved; by the Town Council of the Town of Beaverton duly assembled, that the Town of Beaverton call a special election for the purpose of voting bonds to purchase suitable fire apparatus and place to house same for the Town of Beaverton in order that said town may be protected from fires and the fire hazard lessened.

Be it further resolved, that the Town Recorder of the Town of Beaverton post this resolution in the manner prescribed by the charter and ordinances of the Town of Beaverton, and any and all persons who desire to oppose the holding of said special election present their objections in writing to said Town Recorder to be heard at a meeting to be held in the town hall in the council chamber of the Town of Beaverton on the 6th, day of June, A. D. 1927, at 7:30 P. M. at which time any and all objections will be considered by said council before the ordinance authorizing said special election is passed and adopted.

Adopted by the council this 9th, day of May, A. D. 1927.

Be it further resolved, that the City Attorney take the necessary steps in preparing the proper ordinances, notices and ballots for calling and holding said election.

G. Thynge, R. W. E. Pegg, Mayor City attorney was instructed to write the Southern Pacific and Oregon Electric R. R. of the dangerous condition of Lombard Street and ask them to prepare by grading and macadamizing same to a width of not less than 20 feet.

Recorder was ordered to notify several property owners of the unsafe conditions existing on their property.

## Boys Jaw Is Broken

Carl LaFollett is in the hospital at Hillsboro in a precarious condition as the result of an alleged fist fight with Bill Stokes at Cornelius, Friday. An X ray disclosed that his jaw was broken.

The injured boy, who is only 13 years old, is a son of Charles LaFollett, Washington county representative to the state legislature.

## No Bugs or Dirt In Water Now

The 500,000 gallon tank holding a three day supply of water for Beaverton was drained out Monday and a force of men went all over the inside of the huge tank and cleaned it thoroughly.

The tank is on a hill back of Weeds nursery and is 75 feet across and 16 feet deep. It is topped with a high fence with barbed wire on top of that.

Looks as though the "City Dads" were afraid that the boys might make a mistake and go swimming there.

## OPERETTA TO BE GIVEN MAY 13

The comedy operetta, "Hearts and Blossoms" will be presented Friday, May 13th, in the High School Auditorium, by members of Bethel Congregational Choir. Those taking part are Mrs. H. M. Barnes, Mrs. R. T. Wells, Mrs. J. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Webb, Harris Hansen, W. H. Boswell and Willis L. Cady, besides several in the chorus.

Mrs. R. C. Doty is, accompanist and W. L. Cady, director.

## Troutdale Won Game Sunday

The Fujii, Japanese team, won the game Sunday 3 to 0. The game was lost through three errors.

Beaverton will play Verboort next Sunday and the game promises to be very exciting.

## LOCAL NEWS

Mary Crabtree, yell leader, received her letter for efficiency Tuesday.

The Sophomore class enjoyed a weiner roast at the rock quarry near the Weed nursery Monday afternoon.

The Beauty Box has put in a new line of cosmetic and on Mondays and Fridays they will give a free facial demonstration with each parcel, good only for the month of May.—Adv.

Myrtle Johnson is applying for a position as nurse at the Emanuel Hospital.

I. R. Metzler, superintendent of the public schools at Beaverton, was appointed on the credential committee for the state teachers association.

John Livermore will entertain friends with a lawn and dancing party Hookey Day, Friday, May 13, at Huber.

The Beaverton High School received another honor medal from the National Education Association. This is the second year they have received this medal for high professional spirit and 100 per cent enrollment.

Try Beaverton first—before you buy elsewhere.—X.

J. E. Stephens returned Sunday night from a trip to Seattle and northern points.

Jack Denny returned from St. Vincent hospital Monday.

Lila Germiquet is in St. Vincent hospital. Her appendix was removed Saturday.

Fred Weller is in St. Vincents hospital recovering from an operation. His appendix was ruptured.

Janet Huntley is at Good Samaritan hospital. She will be operated on this week for appendicitis.

The Beaverton grade schools received their second medal from the National Education Association for high professional spirit and 100 per cent enrollment.

David Mason, third grade at the

## BEAVERTON HIGH WINS EVENTS

Stands Third with 24 Points  
In Annual Track Meet  
At Forest Grove

### WINS 100 YARD DASH

Edwards Time was :10 1-5, in the Mile—Welch was First, Time 5:04

The Corvallis High School Track team won the annual interscholastic track meet at Forest Grove, May 7, with 49 3/4 points with Beaverton 3rd with 24 points.

Edwards, Beaverton, tied the old record for the 100-yard dash at :10 1-5.

100 yard dash—Edwards, Beaverton 1st.

Mile—Welch, Beaverton 1st—time 5:04.

120 yard dash—Barron, Beaverton 4th—Time :17 2-5.

440 yard dash—Brandle, Beaverton 1st—Time :54 1-5.

220 yard dash—Edwards, Beaverton 4th—Time :28 2-5.

Pole Vault—Bristoe, Beaverton and Hogue Corvallis tied for 1st—Height 10 ft 6 in.

Broad jump—Brandle Beaverton 2nd—Distance 20 ft 2 1/2 inch.

Miss Billie Woodruff entertained a few of her school friends Friday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Woodruff. The evening was spent in playing games and dancing. Those present were Fern Chinn, Dorothy Harris, Betty Taylor, L. rothy Robertson, Kathryn Beach, Margaret Wilson, Lucile Barnes, Verl Emmons, Verne Allen, George Parker, Marion Murk, Eugene Lawrence and Ward Nelson.

Beaverton school has been quite ill with diphtheria. The 3rd grade room was fumigated and cultures have been taken of all children in this room.

We will be able to announce, next week, the closing of a lease for our new home in Beaverton. As originally stated the Enterprise will install all modern up-to-date equipment, linotype machine, cylinder press, platen presses, etc., adding another business to the already thriving city of Beaverton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Yeager and family spent Mother's Day in Centralia, Washington, with Mrs. Yeager's parents. There were 19 children and grand children present. It was a long trip, 252 miles in one day.

Councilman Bishop will spend the week-end at Baker City on business.

Mrs. J. E. Davis attended a party Saturday in Portland given in honor of her nephews, Arnd Stribling's fifth birthday.

The petition for a change in the location of the Reedville-Orengo market road was denied by the county court Thursday.

Kings Garage is being rewired. Mr. Vinson has the contract.

E. Claussen, was a business visitor in Hillsboro Tuesday.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Kramer and family and Mr. Kramer's brother and family, made the trip to Mt. Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hempstead and children, have moved to their former home in Spokane.

John Henry Martin has rented the old meadow farm, 2 miles north west of Beaverton, on the Walker road through the Beaverton Realty Company.

Pacific University will have a May Day festival May 13-14 at Forest Grove. There will be coronation of Queen, baseball, track meet etc., winding up with a dance Saturday night.

If you don't get your paper, be sure and notify us at once, so we can find the reason for it.

## The Spirit of Spring

