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LARGE ATTENDANCE AT COOPER MT. SOCIAL

NETS TIDY SUM FOR SCHOOL

Vocal Solos and Orchestra Round Out a Successful Affair

A very successful pie social was held at the Cooper Mountain school Friday night, netting about \$65. The orchestra, Frank Sappington, Mrs. Hoffman and C. Barron, proved a very popular feature of the evening. Mrs. Emma Bryant gave an interesting talk on Oregon history. Hugh Waldrett of Hillsboro sang two vocal solos, accompanied by Mrs. Melhuish. Charles Inlay of Reedville whistled several numbers. Two novelty songs, "Little Black Moustache" and "School Days," were presented by some of the boys and girls. A negro skit by Al and Joe Rigart and Ray Spearling caused much laughter. Mr. Sherman Rhodes proved himself a very competent auctioneer. Mr. John Huber was chairman of the event. Candy and ice cream were sold. A cake, which was baked and donated by Mrs. V. Bany, brought the sum of \$10. A big crowd attended the affair.

INCREASED BUS SCHEDULE DENIED BY COMMISSION

The petition of the Pacific Stages and the Southern Pacific Co. for increased bus schedule was denied by the state highway commission Thursday. They claimed that the highway must bear the extra wear and tear, also there was a hazard attending a congested highway.

A traffic count taken at Beaverton during the past 10 months showed an average of 2823 vehicles per 16 hour day, or an estimated traffic of 3000 vehicles every 24 hours. The schedule for Southern Pacific busses provides for 10 busses per day each way between Portland and Forest Grove and that of the Pacific stages calls for four additional busses between Portland and Hillsboro.

CLASS DAY PROGRAM MAY 10

The Senior class will present the following program Thursday afternoon as a farewell to their fellow students:

Class Yell—Led by Anna Young.

Class History—Alice Blomquist and Leah Kingston.

1928 Question Box—Ellis Antrim, Daisy Taylor, Glen Kingston.

Class Poem—Mildred Sears.

Let Me Call You Sweetheart—Boys' Quartet.

Class Will—Clyde Edwards.

A Non-Stop Flight in 1938—Donald Jackson, Phyllis Taylor.

Cup Award—Mr. Metzler.

1928 Awards—Henrietta Gerrow, Anna Young.

Class song.

WOMEN IN DEMAND AT THE MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

A general invitation is extended to the women of Beaverton to attend the meeting of the Boosters club Monday night to discuss plans for a float for the Rose Parade. The members of the club say that women have the best ideas on matters pertaining to anything of this kind and are still talking about the work done by the women last year, on the float. They feel that in a great measure its success was due to the untiring work of the women.

The Beaverton Chamber of Commerce, at their meeting Tuesday night asked the Boosters club to take up the matter of a float in the Rose parade and asked them to call a meeting Monday night to discuss plans. They also offered \$5 for a design for a float, the winner to be chosen by a committee to be appointed later. Judge Swenson reported that he had made an exhaustive study of the matter of securing reduced bus and railroad rates between Portland and Beaverton and he advised the chamber that it would be a good idea to wait until the Canyon road is completed when the distance will be shortened to five miles and rates would be reduced.

A communication was sent to the council asking them to set a date for a general clean up day for the city. Meeting adjourned subject to call.

GRADE SCHOOL NOTES

School closes a week from Thursday. Some of us are glad but some are sad.

State examinations will be held all next week.

Each room held a picnic in their rooms Friday. 'Twas lots of fun.

SPECIAL SERVICES ON MOTHERS' DAY

Mothers' Day will be fittingly observed at the Aloha Community Church next Sunday by the Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. and the morning service at 11:00 a. m. Mr. Ewter who has charge of the choir is planning special music. Rev. G. H. Marrs will give a message for mothers.

The B. Y. P. U.'s meet at 6:45 and there will be an evening service at 7:30 p. m.

All are invited to come and worship.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to offer our most sincere thanks to the many friends who so kindly aided us during the recent illness and at the death of Harold Gerrow, and for the beautiful floral offerings. Also we extend thanks to the Odd Fellows and the Woodmen for their kind assistance at the time of interment.

A. J. Gerrow,
Mrs. A. J. Gerrow,
Henrietta Gerrow,
Mrs. Matt King,
Matt King.

The fourth grade of the Aloha-Huber school held a picnic Tuesday afternoon in the grove on the Burton place.

AN OPEN LETTER

Mr. J. E. Lewton,
Forest Grove, Ore.

In asking the support of the general public, and the taxpayers in particular, for their votes for any office to which a candidate aspires, particularly one as important as that of County Assessor, it is but just and fair that the voter, whose support we ask, should be fully advised as to who and what he is asked to support in more definite terms than those expressed in generalities.

To this end we have the following questions to submit to you and would ask a more specific statement as to the real merits and our ability to put into force the things we promise.

First: You state, among other things, that your platform is "Lower Taxes" (we all advocate that); will you please state specifically whether or not you intend to convey the idea that, if elected, you can or will reduce taxes, and if so just how you would proceed to do it? Would you, as Assessor, have any control whatever over the various levies submitted, or would you accomplish this by a general reduction of values? If the latter do you know that the same amount of taxes would have to be raised regardless of the valuations placed upon property and that to do this the lower your valuations the higher must be the millage to produce this tax?

Second: You state in one of your advertisements for the support of the voters that you have always been of the opinion that "the office should seek the man and not the man the office." If you were sincere in this statement, may I ask why you changed your registration from that of a Democrat to Republican on the very day of filing for the nomination, when the registration of the county shows a Republican majority of approximately two to one?

Third: You state in this same article that you have been a taxpayer in Oregon for 26 years. The records in the Assessor's office fail to disclose you as the owner of any property, either real or personal, and this, too, as far back as we have access to the records in the office (1914). For the further information of the public we would ask on what property, whose and where you have paid taxes?

Fourth: In a former communication in the Forest Grove paper you make the inference that the Assessor entered into collusion with the county court for a one-mill tax for a new courthouse. Did you know, when you made this statement, the truth or falsity of the same? If not, why did you not ascertain the facts in the case, and if found not true, refrain from making the statement, thus by innuendo at least, placing the Assessor in a false light?

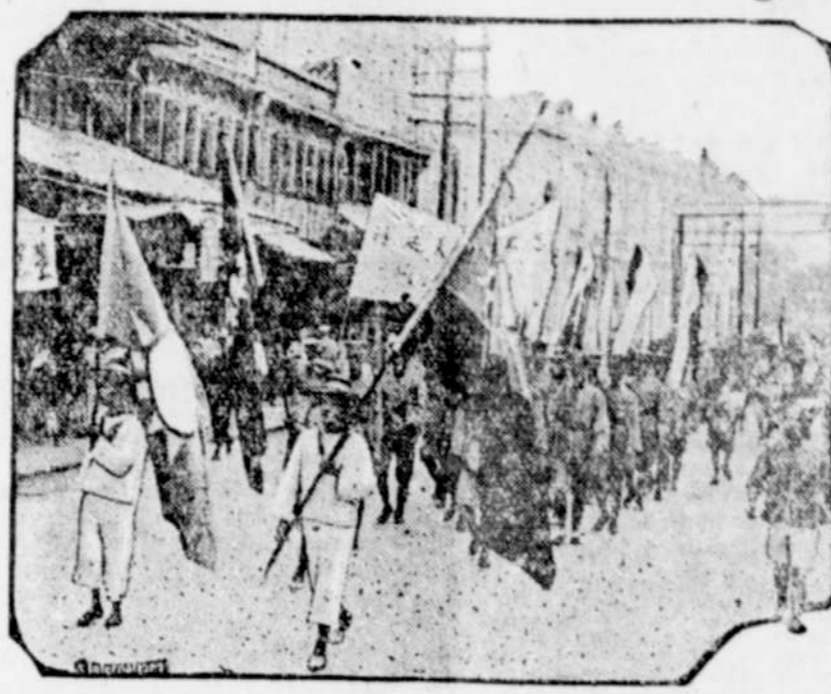
We have many more questions upon which the public should be fully enlightened but refrain from so doing because we do not care to be personal in our candidacy.

Now as to our position, we have simply this to say to those whose support we solicit: We shall stand on our past record and shall continue along the same lines in the future if nominated and elected.

An absolutely square deal for ALL, by closer co-operation with the general public.

Respectfully submitted,
W. F. BOLEY

"China for the Chinese" Their Slogan



Militant Chinese parading through the streets of Wuchang in protest against the presence and intervention of foreigners in the Orient. "China for the Chinese," is the purport of the inscriptions on some of the banners they carry.

BIDS LET FOR LAYING TILE

E. W. Rowe was the lowest bidder on digging and laying tile through the Fordney tract. His bid was \$187.85 or 54 cents a foot. Emrick Bros., V. H. Bixby, W. J. Williams, V. Donnagalla, S. T. Walters, C. N. Zehr and W. I. Noyes submitted bids. The city council, at its meeting Monday accepted Rowe's bid, the same to be completed by July 1, 1928.

The following claims against the town were presented and referred to the committee on finances:

P. E. P. Co., April, lights.....\$135.10
Tualatin Valley Wtr Co., April 326.93
A. E. Story, marshal, salary April \$10.
A. E. Story, reading meters.....\$21.50
Geo. Thyng, recorder, salary.....\$25.00
Geo. Thyng, clerk.....\$50.00
W. I. Noyes, work on water system and 2 meters.....\$39.12
Gladding McBeen Co., pipe.....\$62.25
Invest. Syndicate, May payment \$97.65
F. W. Bishop, repair leak.....\$1.60
Gladding McBeen Co. 12 in tile \$106.80
Beaverton Lumb Co. screenings \$13.40
G. T. Smith, hauling tile.....\$46.71
Dan Adams, work on ditch.....\$28.00
V. H. Bixby, work on ditch.....\$19.50

A petition was received from E. G. Watts & Co., to vacate certain streets in the Watt Air Field and the same was referred to the city attorney, who was ordered to draw up an ordinance as prayed for in the petition.

A petition was received from property owners living on the west side of Lombard street, asking the council to lay a 8 inch drain tile. It was referred to the street committee.

Recorder was instructed to order P. E. P. Co., to put in two street lights, one at First and Washington and one at Watson and Allen streets. C. Beach, L. Lasswell, and John Manning asked for new meter boxes.

Plans for a clean up day for the city were discussed and J. W. Raynard was appointed to make arrangements, date to be announced later.

Beaver chapter order of the Eastern Star entertained the past matrons and past patrons Wednesday evening. There being present fourteen past matrons and nine past patrons. After the regular business meeting a short program was rendered as follows: Reading, Norma Brown; solo by Dr. Talbert, accompanied by Mrs. Talbert; orchestra selections by Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, Floyd Teft, Albert Rossi and Roy Dunbar. Mrs. Myrtle Felcher also sang. The speaker of the evening was Mrs. J. C. Huntley. Several others also gave short talks. May baskets were given to each of the past matrons and carnations to the past patrons. A lovely lunch of ice cream, cake and coffee was served. The dining room table being beautifully decorated in miniature Maypoles and tiny dancing dolls.

You can now get your Pacific Legion votes at the Aloha Service Station with every purchase.—Adv.

DIED

Robert Fehlman, aged 57 years, died Thursday at Good Samaritan hospital after an illness of several days. He leaves a cousin, Robert G. Hofer, of Portland, and a sister, Louise Fehlman, of Beaverton.

Mr. Fehlman was a pioneer of Beaverton, coming here over 30 years ago. He was on the city council for several years.

The funeral will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. from the undertaking parlors of W. E. Pegg. Interment will be in Crescent Grove cemetery.

C. J. EDWARDS

Asks your support at the primary election May 18 for the nomination for state senator from the 24th senatorial district, comprising Washington, Yamhill, Lincoln and Tillamook counties. He was in the House in 1919 and 1920 and in the Senate in 1921 and 1923 which gives him a knowledge of the needs of the district and of legislative problems which will be valuable in this position.

Mr. Edwards is a member of the Methodist church, Masonic lodge and W. O. W. lodge.

Drink cold milk instead of coffee you'll feel better. Aloha Dairy.—Ad

MIRWIN DANT WINS IN CONTEST

Mirwin Dant, of Beaverton, pupil of Audia Ramsay Frazee, won first place for boys low voice at the states high school music tournament which was held at the Pacific University Saturday, April 28th. Mr. Dant attends the Benson Polytechnic School and represented that school in the contest. He has studied voice with Mrs. Frazee for two and one half years. Mrs. Frazee also assisted Lydia Marks, who won second place for girls low voice in the same contest. Mirwin Dant attended Benson schools before entering Beaverton.

N. A. FROST



Candidate for Republican Nomination for County School Superintendent (Paid Advertisement)

ANNOUNCEMENT

I stand for a reduction of automobile license fees consistent with maintenance of the roads. I am opposed to scenic highways being built before the farmers' roads are improved. I have worked for and obtained better market roads. I have favored economy and the income tax. I shoot straight and stand square.

LOYAL M. GRAHAM,
Republican Candidate for Senator.

FERRELL'S CANDIDACY FOR SHERIFF GAINS STRENGTH

The candidacy of J. A. Ferrell for sheriff in Washington county is gaining in popularity with each day, according to reports received from districts where he or his workers have been active. He is receiving almost unanimous support in the district surrounding Aloha and in his own section of the county there is no doubt of his popularity with the voters, especially the women. His platform is printed in another part of this paper and is an able and honest exposition of his principles in connection with the office he seeks.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE AND IN MEMORIAM

Whereas: It has pleased our Heavenly Father to take from our midst our esteemed brother Harold Gerrow. Therefore Be It Resolved: That Beaverton Lodge No. 252, I. O. O. F., does hereby give expression of its sorrow, and offers condolence to the family of the deceased; and

Be It Further Resolved: That the secretary of this Lodge be directed to communicate these resolutions to the Lodge, spread them on the minutes of the same, and send a copy to the family of the deceased; and further,

Be It Resolved: That as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, the Charter of this Lodge be draped for a period of thirty days.

Signed,
FRED C. STRICKLAND,
C. W. FLORENCE,
J. F. GODARD.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON WILL BE GIVEN SUNDAY

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class will be held in the school auditorium Sunday, May 13. Rev. W. E. Ingalls will deliver the invocation and will also give a Scripture reading. Rev. O. A. Cooper is scheduled to deliver the address, entitled "The Beginning of Wisdom."

Rev. MacNeil will pronounce the benediction to close the service.

Musical numbers on the program include Greig's "Morning," a prelude played by Mrs. Walker of the high school faculty; a hymn in which the entire gathering will join; "Servant of See," a chorus by the Church of Christ choir; Kreisler's "The Old Refrain," by the High School chorus.

BEAVERTON HIGH WILL SEND MANY STUDENTS TO COMPETE

Oregon State College, Corvallis, May 10—State wide interest is being shown in the annual Oregon state interscholastic track and field meet at Corvallis May 12 as entry cards from all corners of Oregon have been received. This meet will surpass last year's in number of high schools entered as 43 entries have been received to date.

Beaverton entries in the following events are: 100 yard dash, Edwards; Underwood; mile run, Welch; 200 yard dash, Edwards; 440 yard run, Jones; 880 yard run, Welch; half mile relay, Edwards, Jones, Toby, Jackson, Wright, Anderson; shot put Jones, Welch and Edwards participated in last year's meet.

A large silver trophy will be presented by the associated students of Oregon State college to the team placing highest in the meet. Another cup has been offered by L. V. Windnagle, vice-principal of Washington high, Portland, to the winner of the half mile, and a cup will be presented by Dank & Co., of Portland, to the winning relay team. Banners will be awarded teams placing second and third in the meet. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded first, second and third place winners, respectively, in all the events including the relay.

Bridge and 500 Card Party in Masonic Hall Wednesday evening, May 16. Sixteen prizes for ladies and gentlemen. Refreshments. Admission 35c.—Adv.

WASHINGTON COUNTY DECLAMATION WINNERS

GRADE & HIGH SCHOOLS WIN

Students of Eastern End of County Take Share of Honors

The Washington county declamation contest for both the grade and high schools was held Friday. High schools of the county were divided into two groups with Class A high schools including Hillsboro, Forest Grove and Beaverton, which met at Forest Grove and Gaston. Banks and Tualatin comprised the Class B group which met at Banks.

The results of the humerous section for grade schools was:

Division 1—First, Bobby Osborne, Cornelius; second, Robert Engleke, Beaverton; third, Evelyn Young, Kinton.

Division 2—First, Mildred Rock, Cornelius; second, Millicent Russell, Metzger; third, Ruth Asbury, Beaverton.

Division 3—First, Francis Marvin, Aloha-Huber; second, Ronald Sherk, Sherwood; third, Gilbert Priest, Hillsboro.

Declamatory winners were:
Division 1—First, Delbert Burke, Cornelius; second, Doris Sue Abraham, Jackson school.

Division 2—First, Jack Barr, Hillsboro; second, Robert Grant, Garden Home; third, Percy Hines, Forest Grove.

Division 3—First, Robert Montgomery, Aloha-Huber; second, Hazel Blades, Hillsboro; third, Lydia Renner, Cornelius and Josephine Selby, Garden Home.

Class B high schools—Committed prose, first, Alvin Smith, Gaston and second, Margaret Strandberg, Banks; committed poem, first, Zira Nyberg, Tualatin, and second, Mabel Strandberg, Banks; original essay, Blaine Martin, Gaston; original poem Louise Mason, Tualatin.

Class A high schools—Original prose, first, Kenneth Wood, Beaverton; second, Beverly Kramer, Hillsboro; third, Marie Melanson, Forest Grove.

Original poetry, first, Ruth Geiger, Forest Grove; second, Lewis Poole, Beaverton; third, Margaret Pratt, Hillsboro.

Memorized Prose—1st, Irene Stalder, Beaverton;; 2nd, Ann Samuels, Forest Grove; 3rd, Grace Gifford, Hillsboro.

Memorized Poetry—1st, Della Barker, Beaverton; 2nd, Jean Blades, Hillsboro; 3rd, Alice Phelps, Forest Grove.

Mrs. Kate Wilkes of Tillamook spent the week end with her brother, A. F. Doughty. Mrs. Wilkes is here because of the illness of her father in Hillsboro.

BEAVERTON TRACK TEAM TAKES TRIANGULAR MEET

In a triangular meet held at St. Mary's Wednesday, May 9, the Beaverton track team won over St. Mary's and Hill Military Academy. Beaverton scored 67 points, St. Mary's 54½ and Hill 52½. Jones, with 16½ points and Edwards with 14½ were high point men for Beaverton.

KNOWLEDGE

Verne Bright

If I were an old man,
Old as rocks and trees,
I would know the world's ways
And its mysteries.

I would know why old men
Laugh and young maids die—
And how a broken heart may sing
When love's gone by.