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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING AROUSES INTEREST

The special committee appointed by the Beaverton chamber of commerce gave their report Tuesday evening to a group of 80 persons gathered at the high school building. Mr. Gates, of Hillsboro, gave a short talk, as also did Mr. Helwig of the Oregon and Washington Water company. A general discussion ensued, which at times was quite heated, several speaking at the same time. It was finally decided to call another meeting Tuesday evening in the chamber of commerce hall, Odd Fellows building, for the purpose of further discussing the water proposition. The preliminary report of the committee is as follows: The following data is the result of an investigation made of each of the proposed water projects for the town of Beaverton by a committee appointed by the Beaverton Chamber of Commerce.

THE WESSINGER SPRINGS PROJECT

The Wessinger Springs are located about one mile northeast of Beaverton. Flow of springs, 240,000 gallons in 24 hours. If all the water is used would supply town of 3500 people. Cost—3000 feet of 4-inch iron pipe from Springs to reservoir, buried 20 inches deep (pipe 65c a foot, laying 2c a foot, total 93c a foot) total for 3000 feet \$2,790, pump \$750, pump house and installation \$500, emergency fund \$500, total to get water in reservoir \$4530. For the above there would be a bill for power each month estimated at above \$75 and water engineer estimated at \$125 a month. The water users have certain riparian rights as given under Water Code Section 7091 Oregon Laws. These rights would have to be satisfied. The committee, in order to determine to what extent the farmers were using the water from the above named Springs made two excursions on August 16 and August 17, 1928, from the Springs to the trestle on the Oregon Electric railroad track, a distance of some three miles. It was estimated about one hundred acres were being irrigated by the Springs. Either a direct purchase of the land or condemnation proceedings seem to be the only apparent ways for securing use of the Springs for the city.

THE BULL RUN PROJECT

Distance from Portland boundary to Beaverton reservoir, 5.65 miles. Cost of 6 inch iron pipe \$42,134.40, total cost of pipe and laying for the 5.65 miles or 30096 feet at \$1.40 a foot \$42,134.40, emergency fund \$2,865.00, cost to city \$45,000, present indebtedness \$82,000, assessable valuation \$580,000. If 30-year bonds should be voted; interest on \$45,000 at 5.75 per cent; equals, \$2587.50; principal, \$1500, ave. \$820.83 a year; based on above valuation and paid by property taxation would equal 6.78 mills additional city tax. Present city tax for water is 10.8 mills, largely due to leakage in old pipe line, total city tax, 15.7 mills. Total millage for water, 17.58. If bonds are to be paid from receipts from water; average income, \$10,000 annually; average cost at 22c a 100 cubic feet, based on a population of 1000 and 100 gallons per capita per day for 30 days equals 3,000,000 gallons a month; 7.5 gallons per cubic foot or 400,000 x 22c is \$880. Then there is an overhead of the water clerk and some minor expenses.

THE TUALATIN VALLEY WATER PROJECT

Cost at city limits, 18c a 100 cubic feet. Based on the above use and population, 400,000 cubic feet times 18c is \$720 a month. The actual costs have been as follows: from Sept. 1927 to March 1928 were a little less than \$325 a month. March \$321.98; April \$326.93; May \$64.48; June \$382.75; July \$444.61. Average income about \$10,000 annually; less overhead. No bond issue this project.

SELLING OF BEAVERTON WATER SYSTEM

The Oregon-Washington Co. has made an offer of \$36,000 for the city (Continued on last page)

1929 TRUCK WILL ARRIVE

Merritt & Sons will soon have their 1929 model truck ready to go. It has a great "pick up" more details later. All trucks F. O. B. factory over on Peterson avenue.

HIGH SCHOOL TERM BEGINS SEPTEMBER 10

The Beaverton grade and high schools will open September 10 this year. Mr. Metzler will be in his office at the high school from September 1 to 9 from 9 a. m. until 12 m. to confer with new students and parents as to the selection of high school studies for the coming year. On the opening morning, September 10, only short sessions will be held at both the grade and high school. Lists of required texts and supplies will be given out and seats and lesson assignments made. Pupils will then be dismissed for the day to secure books. Regular class work will commence Tuesday morning. Books and supplies should not be purchased until pupils receive list given out by the teachers. The board are looking forward to a very successful year as all the teachers are well qualified by training experience.

Following is a list of the faculty: I. R. Metzler, superintendent; Gertrude Robertson, science and dramatics; Esther Walker, history and Glee club; Letitia Clary, commercial and school paper; Ruth L. Cook, English and girl's basketball; Geraldine Sanford, English and drama; Kate Belden, home economics and junior science; Beth Metzler, languages and orchestra; E. G. Webb, mathematics and debate; J. A. Cox, manual training and boys athletics; Miss Merle Davies, principal grade school, eighth grade; Constance Morse, seventh grade; Mrs. W. O. Wilson, sixth grade; Miss Lily Wagner, fifth grade; Luella Finnell, fourth grade; Della Glutsch, third grade and music; Mable Bagan, second grade; Rose Lowell, first grade; Florence Schenck, opportunity room.

High school transportation is being outlined and will be announced later. One additional bus has been purchased and one replaced making a total of five busses to operate this year. During the summer the school board has had the building and equipment repaired and renovated. One additional room is now available in the grade school and two class rooms in the high school. It is estimated that the total enrollment this year will exceed 600 for both grade and high school.

FOUR BANKS IN COUNTY COMBINE

Edward Schulmerich of Hillsboro was elected president of the newly formed Oregon Investors corporation, consisting of the Commercial National Bank of Hillsboro, Cornelius National Bank of Cornelius, the Citizens Bank of Sherwood and the North Plains Commercial Bank. The linking of these banks is the fourth bank holding concern formed in the state within the last four months.

Your child should drink at least a quart of milk a day. Phone Aloha Dairy.—Adv.

BLUE BARLEY CROP YIELDS WELL

Two years ago George Biersdorf of Schefflin secured a sample of Blue barley from Eastern Oregon. Last year the crop yielded well and Mr. Biersdorf was so pleased with it that he planted an acreage this season. This Blue barley has been inspected and certified by the farm crops department, O. A. C., as a variety giving considerable promise locally for fall and winter planting. Several plantings of this variety will be made in the Schefflin community this coming season.

"NEW" WAITRESS ON JOB

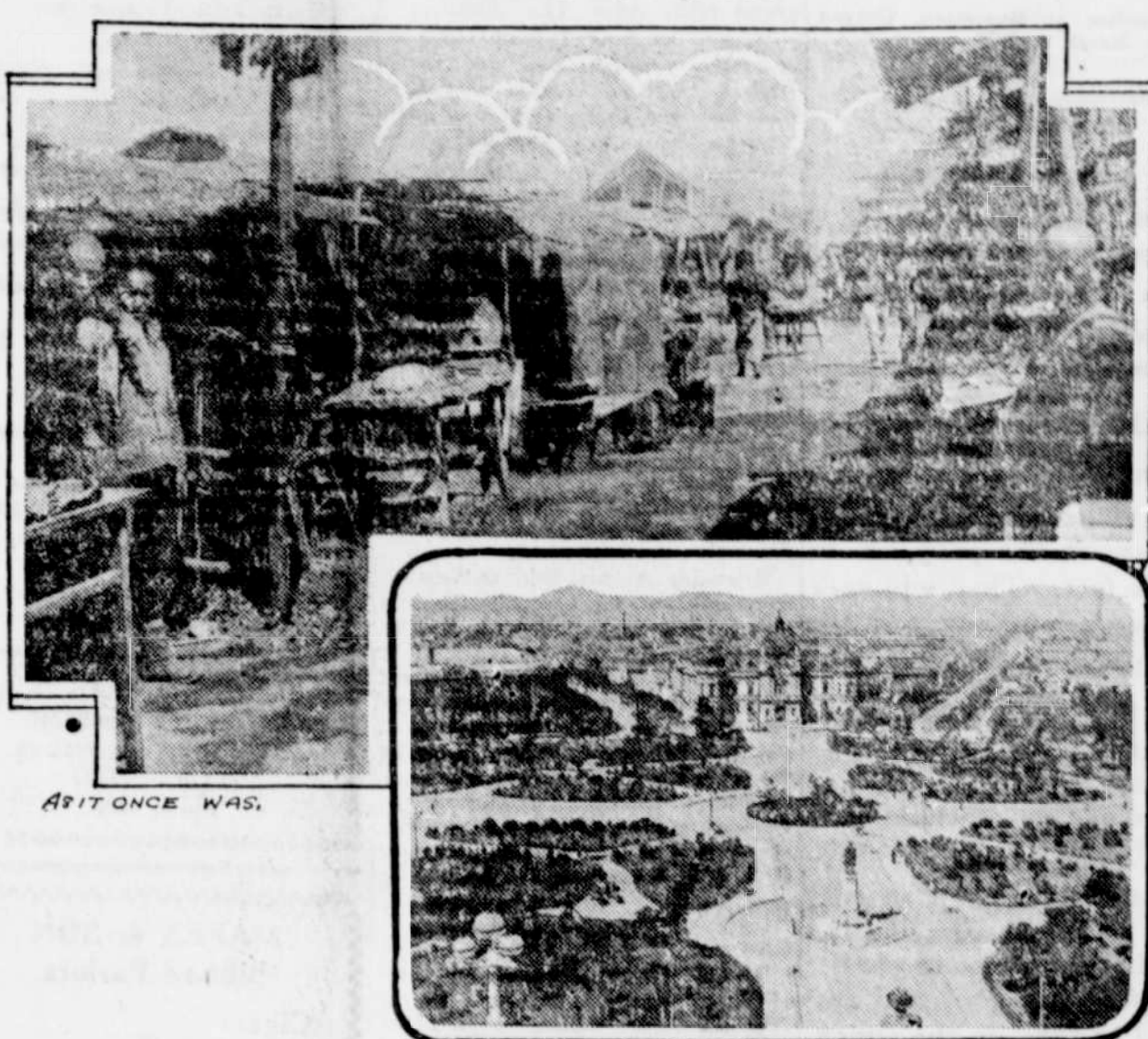
Waitresses come and go—but one waitress comes back at White Hall Cafe on Broadway. Oh hello Irene! —a cup coffee, piece apple pie and that smile—Oh boy! Say Hanna we'll be back tomorrow.

EXTRA! ORDERS! EXTRA!

Beaverton, Oregon August 22, 1928 Beaverton Enterprise. City Dear Editor:—Want ad in "Enterprise" last week's issue—sold all my Bartlett pears and many extra orders. We thank you for the splendid service. Yours respectfully, DELLA C. FISHER.

The P. L. La Follette Elberta Peaches will be at their best next week. Place your order now. 1 per bushel, Beaverton Feed and Produce Market, Highway and O. E. railroad track.

Manchuria Modernized by Japanese



AS IT ONCE WAS.

DAIREN IS UP TO DATE CITY

YEAGER BAKERY SOLD TO FOREST GROVE MAN

John Schraeder of Forest Grove has purchased the Yeager bakery at Beaverton and will assume charge about September 1. Mr. Yeager is moving his household goods this week to his large farm near Jacktown where he has a well stocked and equipped ranch. He has several foxes there and a number of goats and will add to his livestock as needed. Beaverton will miss Mr. Yeager as he has always been identified with every activity here. Mr. Schraeder will move his family here and will occupy the Yeager home about September 1. He has been in the bakery business at Forest Grove but sold out about four months ago.

DAIRYMEN PLAN MEETING

Dairymen of Oregon will hold their annual association meeting in southern Oregon this year for the first time in many years. Medford is to be the meeting place and January 9-10 the date, according to announcement of J. R. McCracken, Ashland, president of the association who has just conferred with the secretary, P. M. Brandt of the state college, as to the program. Many leading commercial dairymen are being lined up for the program, officers report.

RURAL LINE EXTENSION Tualatin Valley Farms Served With Electricity

One-fourth of the farms in Tualatin valley are already electrified and a vigorous policy of rural extension will amount to an expenditure of several hundred thousand dollars by the Portland Electric Power Company.

Installation of poles and wires for a high-voltage around the population center of Washington county is progressing rapidly. The line starts from Beaverton and runs in two separate directions, carrying 25,000 volts. There is a distributing plant at Beaverton to handle the electric energy manufactured at the Oak Grove station.

One routing follows along the Tualatin Valley highway through Reedville, Hillsboro, Cornelius and Forest Grove. Running to the north from the beaver-dam metropolis, the other line winds along county road after county road, through Cedar Mills, North Plains and Banks. The two lines are to join at Forest Grove. After all the main issue with the candidates is whether Al Smith or Herbert Hoover will be elected.

DIDN'T KNOW THE GAME

Sweet Young Thing—Uncle sent me a whole box of these pretzels, and I don't even know how to play the game—High School Bulletin.

Get your velvet auto cushions at Aloha Service Station—adv.

FUNERAL OF M. S. BARNES HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The funeral of M. S. Barnes was held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. from the Beaverton M. E. church. W. E. Pegg in charge of the arrangements. Mr. Barnes was 81 years old and had been ailing for a long time. He was a grandfather of H. M. Barnes, manager of the General gasoline plant. He came to Beaverton in the early eighties, when this town was the terminal of the S. P. road and had seen many changes during his residence here. He is survived by the following children, Mrs. William Steen, Milton, Ore.; L. S. Barnes and Mrs. Orton McLeod of Beaverton.

AUCTION SALE OF CARS TO BE HELD SATURDAY

The Stipe garage announces a big auction sale of all old cars which they have on hand, standard makes, as Fords, Chevrolets, Essex, etc., both touring cars and trucks, at their headquarters in Beaverton next to Dietsch Hardware and Furniture store Saturday at 3 p. m. J. P. Walsh will auction sale of all used cars which be the auctioneer. Everything must

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

DON'T FORGET THE SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC SATURDAY

The Sunday school of the Congregational church are planning a picnic for Saturday at Lost park. Members will meet at the church at 2:30 p. m. and transportation will be provided for all who wish to go. A basket dinner will be served at 6:30. Everyone should bring a plate, cup, silverware and a basket dinner. Ice cream will be furnished.

FOOT BURNED SEVERELY

Harry Burfield burned his foot severely Thursday morning while at work in the Southern Pacific shops at Beaverton. He was carrying a can of asphaltum across the shop when the bottom dropped out and the liquid ran down his leg inside his shoe, burning him severely.

SPECIAL MEETING

Special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening at 7:45 in the Odd Fellows hall for the purpose of further discussing the water proposition. All water users and taxpayers are cordially invited to attend.

Piano, String Instrument and Vocal, with harmony taught. Room 5 Rossi Bldg. Prof. Kolkenbeck, Beaverton.

LOSES VALUABLE HORSE

Last week Gus Tascella, local gardener on Cedar street, reports that his gray horse died suddenly, cause unknown. This horse knew how to pull a cultivator between rows of horseradish, seldom stepping on a plant—a horse that knew it's horse-radis.

PARTY LEADERS NAMED

Washington County's Republican Executive Committee Chosen

Mayor M. P. Cady of Hillsboro, as chairman of the Washington county central committee, has announced the appointment of a Washington county executive committee for the republican party. The members are Thomas H. Tongue and J. W. Bailey of Hillsboro, A. C. Hoffman and J. W. Hughes of Forest Grove, C. J. Stickney of Aloha, W. L. Moore of Banks, A. Bunny of Cornelius, H. T. Bruce of Reedville and C. W. Noyes of Tigard.

VETERANS HOLD PICNIC

Annual Outing Held at the Oaks on Tuesday. The annual picnic and business meeting of the members of the Oregon Veterans' association was held at the Oaks Tuesday, August 21. T. E. Hills of Garden Home, the president, presided. There was a noon spread under the oaks served by the relief corps and auxiliary, with the old soldiers as honor guests. Following all bivouaced about the stage for the annual election of officers.

PICNIC HELD FOR ILLINOIS VISITORS

An enjoyable picnic was held at Lake Grove park on Sunday, August 19, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson of Illinois who are visiting relatives in this neighborhood. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and daughter, Cassius Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Willis of Moline, Ill., Mr. Hert, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ray of Portland, Mrs. Cora Smith of Los Angeles, F. M. Smith, Mrs. M. E. Smith and two sons, Roy and Dan, Mr. and Mrs. Van Kleek and two sons, and Miss Brown.

ARCHIBALD, MASTERS MARRIED SATURDAY

Miss Phyllis Taylor of Portland and Archibald Masters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Masters, were married in Portland Saturday evening at St. David's Episcopal church, by Rev. Alfred Lockwood. Miss Muriel Taylor was the bridesmaid and Earnest Masters the best man. The wedding was a very quiet one, only the immediate relatives being present. After the ceremony a reception was held for the young couple. Archibald Masters is well known, having been employed at the Bank of Beaverton for a number of years and has the good wishes of a host of friends.

BOARD TO MEET

The Washington county board of equalization will assemble for 1928 on September 10. County Judge E. J. Ward, Clerk Ed C. Luce and assessor W. F. Boley, members, will hear claims for readjustments of assessments in daily sessions to follow for 30 days. These claims may be filed with the board up till September 25.

INTEREST KEEN IN THE LEGION AERO CARNIVAL

Committees Promise Twenty Excitement for Day

Interest in the first annual American Legion air circus Sunday, August 26, at the Hillsboro airport, is being shown throughout the Willamette valley and the legion committees are laying plans to give the spectators "a thrill a minute." It is expected that at least 20 planes from various parts of the northwest will take part in the day's events. The circus will be opened at 11 a. m. with a race from Swan island field in Portland. This race is free for all. They will leave the port a minute apart and the prizes will be \$75 for first, \$50 for second, and \$25 for third. The second event will be formation flying over Hillsboro.

Stunt Flying

The stunt flying contest will start at 1 p. m., and it is open to strictly stock 90 horsepower motors. Cash prizes are \$40, \$30 and \$20. The fourth event is a 15-mile three-cornered race for 90 horsepower strictly stock motors with prizes of \$75, \$50 and \$25.

Planes will vie in a dead-stick landing for \$30, \$20 and \$10. A dead-stick landing is cutting motors off at 1000 feet altitude, freezing the stick and landing at a given point. The winner is the one who has his wheel nearest the line.

A tentative event is a 15-mile race for 200 horsepower motors, strictly stock, for cash prizes of \$75, \$50 and \$25. The last event will be the sensational parachute drop from a plane by Fred L. Stump of Beaverton.

Winners will be declared and introduced after each event and the money will be awarded at the end of the show.

Charge Admission

An admission charge of 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children will be made and cars can be parked at the port and in nearby fields. The age limit on children for the 25-cent admission charge is 12 years. The securing of Fred L. Stump, Beaverton aeronaut, to do the dangerous parachute jump from an aeroplane, is expected to create considerable interest in the county because of his being a county man.

FAMILY DINNER GIVEN

Mrs. F. A. Noyes was hostess Sunday to a gathering of the Noyes family at a dinner at her home in Beaverton. Among those present were: C. W. Noyes of Tigard, A. J. Noyes of Portland, W. L. Noyes and children, and W. T. Roles of Portland, her father. W. L. Noyes is greatly improved, having gained eight pounds. He will leave this week with his children for California and Arizona.

STAGES ISSUE BOOKLET

Seven Circle Tours in Oregon Well Illustrated

The Oregon Stages system has issued an attractive folder describing seven circle tours which carry passengers to many points of scenic beauty in Oregon and to a few points outside the state. Most of the trips offered can be taken in one or two days, but stopover privileges, in some cases 60 days, are offered.

The folder contains many attractive views and the descriptive matter extols the beauties of Oregon scenery of each tour. An accompanying map makes plain each tour. The folder will be widely distributed throughout the northwest and is expected to give Oregon's attractions much favorable publicity.

Stage concerns participating in the circle tour arrangements include Oregon Stages system, Coast Auto Lines, Columbia Gorge Motor Coach system, Corvallis-Newport Stage, Oregon Stages, Pacific Stages, Pickwick Stages system and Southern Oregon Stages. Headquarters of the group in Portland is at the Yamhill stage depot.

CAUGHT MONSTER HAWK

While on his ranch at Williams mountain, southwest of town, Fred Koshland heard "Old Sandy" barking. He went over to see what it was—found one of the largest species of chicken hawks. He now has him for exhibition—probably in the City park, Portland, soon.