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PARAGRAPHS ABOUT LOCAL PEOPLE

Alice Johnson and Erma Nelson visited Erma's aunt, Mrs. G. A. Olson Saturday.

The layman committee conducted the services Sunday at the Bethel Congregational church. The speakers were: R. C. Doty, Mrs. Metcalf, Mr. Bennett, E. G. Webb., E. E. Swenson, Dr. Mason Mr. Myers and Mr. Boswell.

Last Sunday was the "Every Member Canvas Day" at the Bethel Congregational church. Following the morning meeting in which several of the laymen participated, dinner was served at the church for the canvassers and their families. The men solicited in the afternoon and were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. MacNiel in the evening.

The Ladies Aid of the Bethel Congregational church will hold a bazaar and turkey dinner Friday, December 7th. Dinner will be 50 cents for adults and 35 cents for children. A good program is promised for the evening.

The son of Martin Bonfigt, of Sherwood, had his knee operated on at St. Vincent hospital Monday by Dr. Mason.

The "Pow Wow" boys took an all day hike to Cooper Mt. Wednesday. Friday they will meet at the Congregational church with their pastor and they will prepare their own supper.

Frank Salee, of Hazeldale, is very low.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Earl F. Hall, Sunday, November 25, a 9-pound son.

The new Halsten home is nearing completion.

H. L. Davenport is building a new house on his place south of Beaverton

Dr. E. B. Flett, of Yamhill, was was visiting friends in Beaverton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrel Cox, of Portland, have rented the Pirtle place at Woodland Acres and moved into their new home Wednesday.

Alton C. Allen, of Beaverton, was initiated into the 53rd Cathedral class A. A. S., Rite Masons in Portland last week.

Mrs. Rose Fletchers mother, Mrs. Mosier, was very ill this week but is improving.

Mrs. J. C. Huntley entertained the Bridge club Monday afternoon at her home in Portland. Those present were: Mrs. Guy McCormick, Mrs. Elmer Stipe, Mrs. R. R. Summers, Mrs. Otto Erickson, and Mrs. Henry Nelson. Guests were: Mrs. Wm. McKell, Mrs. E. W. Woodruff, Mrs. Wm. McKell,, Mrs. Doy Gray, Mrs. W. Grant, Mrs. Collis Moore, Mrs. F. G. Donaldson and the hostess. Mrs. Henry R. Nelson held the high club prize. Mrs. Wm. McKell the guest prize, and Mrs. Otto Erickson the consolation.

The Lady Slipperclub met at the home of Mrs. Williis Cady Friday afternoon. A one o'clock luncheon was served and the afternoon was spent in needlework and a social time

Mrs. W. Barnes was operated on Thursday for ulcers at the Portland Surgical hospital . Mrs. Barnes is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Jobe and son Laddie from Philamoth visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Allen Sunday.

The singing club met at the home of Mrs. Harry Barnes Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Gertrude McKalline, of Portland, is their instructor.

Mesdames Robert Summers, R. L. Dean, Elmer Stipe, and Harry Barnes attended a shower for Mrs. Hazel Pegg Paxton at the home of Dr. Ostemand, of Portland, Saturday. Many beautiful gifts were received.

Mrs. W. G. Linnard is moving into the Dr. Graffies house on Watson street.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Drorbaugh of Vernonia were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Drorbaugh Sunday.

J. Kegerries, of the Rankin Airport, Inc. was in Beaverton Monday. He will be back next week to look over land.

Mrs. N. W. Gorham, Mrs. Wm. Engleke, Mr. Walter Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schrader visited the Vancouver Lodge, O.E.S. Saturday evening.

BEAVERTON SOCIAL CLUB HOLDS CARD PARTY

A card party sponsored by the Beaverton Social club was held in the Masonic Hall Saturday evening. There were 9 tables of 500 and 5 of bridge.

The winners of 500 were: ladies first, Mrs. Doy Gray, ladies second Mrs. Benjiman, ladies consolation Mrs W. Dariot. The gentlemen's 500: 1st O. H. Breiten; second Dr. Welsh; consolation, Charles Jones.

The high scores for bridge were: ladies, Mrs. Elmer Stipe; second Mrs. J. W. Linnard, consolation, Mrs. C. W. Craig. Mens: First E. W. Craig; Second W. C. McKell; consolation A. C. Adamson.

SOPHS WIN DEBATE FROM FRESHMEN

The sophomores triumphed over the freshmen in the annual debate between the two classes last Friday.

The question was "Resolve That The Philippine Islands Should be Given Their Independence Within The Next Five Years." The sophomores upheld the negative side of the question while the freshmen the affirmative.

The sophomore speakers were first George Harris, Elizabeth Huff and Ronald Webb. The freshmen were Lebert Wilson, Lucille Johnston and Noma Brown..

The juniors and seniors will debate on December 5th.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to friends and relatives for their sympathy and floral offerings extended during our recent bereavement in the loss of our husband and father

MRS. A. E. STORY.
MR. and MRS. VALMORE STORY.

HAVE A FINE LINE OF PARLOR FURNACES

Are you ready for the cold snap? You should keep an even temperature in your home with a parlor furnace. The Dietsch Hardware and Furniture store of Beaverton have a fine line of these furnaces priced from $55 and up. Either coal or wood can be used. The Martha Washington has a foot warmer, side doors and he also carries the Quality Junior, Oakland Circulator, Northern King and the Cherokee.

P. S. Peaches, No. 1 tins, 2 for 35 cents; 6 for 99 cents; and 12 for $1.95. Thrift Store Beaverton.

B. H. S. MEETS OREGON CITY FOOTBALL SQUAD

Beaverton Beaten In Final Game To The Tune Of 26 to 6

Two good football teams met on the Oregon City field last Thursday, but one of them was 3 touchdowns better than the other. Final results: Beaverton 6, Oregon City 26.

Speed, power and deception-and the greatest of these is deception, for that was what won the game for Oregon City. If the Beaverton players had known who had the ball they might have tackled him, but nobody seemed to know who was packing the pill. Even the spectators were mystified. In fact, we doubt if the Oregon City players themselves know where the ball was half the time, but after nearly every play the pigskn oval rested closer to the Beaverton goal then before.

Oregon Cty scored once on a line buck—the other touchdowns came as a result of long passes and hidden ball plays. "Football, football, who's got the football" was the game, and Beaverton was "it."

Buru fell on a blocked punt on the business side of Oregon City's goal line for Beaverton's only touchdown, to tie the score in the third quarter, 6 to 6, but after that it wasn't even close.

The game marked the close of the season for Beaverton. Six won, two lost, one tied—and 175 points to their opponents 53. If that's a bad record, Al Smith is President of the Anti-Saloon League.

Score by quarters of Oregon City-					
Beaverton game:	1	2	3	4	
Beaverton	0	0	6	0	6
Oregon City	6	0	7	13	26

SEASON'S RECORD

Beaverton 31	Grant 2nd.	0
Beaverton 13	Scappoose	13
Beaverton 12	Amity	0
Beaverton 30	Gresham	6
Beaverton 33	Tigard	7
Beaverton 6	Hillsboro	7
Beaverton 6	Forest Grove	0
Beaverton 38	Parkrose	0
Beaverton 6	Oregon City	26
Total 175		53

Broken Slice Pineapple, No. 2½ tins, 2 for 39 cents; 6 for $1.10; 12 for $2.20. Thrift Store, Beaverton.

Mr. Lynn Hugh spent the week end at the home of his parents in Forest Grove.

City Election Next Tuesday December 4th

Polling Place at City Hall

Open From 1 to 7 P. M.

The regular annual election for the offices of mayor, councilmen and recorder-treasurer will be held at the City Hall next Tuesday afternoon, December 4th between the hours of 1 and 7 P. M.

The candidates nominated for these offices at the last caucus meeting were Otto Erickson for mayor, A. E. Wilson and J. Lewis for councilmen and Geo. Thyng for recorder-treasurer

Messrs Erickson, Wilson and Thyng are up for re-election while Mr. J. Lewis is the new candidate for councilman.

Since the caucus meeting however two other petitions have been filed by independent candidates, that of Jack Raynard for councilman and F. J. Dietsch for recorder-treasurer.

There will also be on the ballot three feasible plans for Beavertons water problem for the voters to decide: The Wessenger Springs, Hillsboro Water from the Tualatin Valley Water Company and Bull Run.

A survey on this subject by Baar and Cunningham, engineers, will be found in this issue.

The results from the ballot will show the tendencies to each of these three propositions and will enable the council to act according to the voters wishes.

The present water system shows an income over cost of water of approximately $300 a month, which shows the city is proceeding in the right direction. The actual figures of cost of maintenance, interest, sinking fund, etc. as well as income from the water system are on hand at the recorders office for the information of the public.

The complete treasurers annual report of receipts, disbursements and balances including the water department was published in this paper April 13th of this year without cost to the city.

The mudslinging proceedure taken by those few having personal interests at heart are again in evidence at this election but are entirely unwarranted.

Editorials containing veiled threats and false accusations have been published to deceive the innocent voter as to the ability of the candidates for re-election.

These unwarranted accusations have been given little consideration, as against proven ability, in past elections and it is expected that the voters will continue to make their own choice on merit only.

Every man on the caucus ticket has been successful in his own business affairs and the people of Beaverton can be assured they will give the same careful attention to the business of the city.

BEAVERTON'S WATER PROBLEM

Authorized by
CITY COUNCIL
And Prepared by
BAAR and CUNNINGHAM
Engineers

The City of Beaverton faces a very serious problem with respect to its water supply. At the present time, pressure and service is inadequate and there has been some complaint regarding quality of the water. The City Council has given the situation very serious and thorough consideration. Every possible plan, or source of supply has been studied. Engineers have been employed to make estimates of cost for a number of different schemes. Before taking any further steps it has been thought best to secure an advisory vote from the citizens and tax-payers of Beaverton and this little pamphlet has been prepared to give the voters some of the leading facts which are known to the Council.

The information herein contained is of necessity concise in form and is limited to only the most favorable projects. The City Council has in its possession further data, and any citizen who is interested is invited to read the report by Baar and Cunningham dated October 22nd, 1928, which is on file in the office of the City Recorder. This contains detailed discussions and estimates for all the alternatives.

THE PRESENT SITUATION

After repeated attempts to repair and utilize the pipe line from the Portland system to the reservoir the Council has concluded that if this source is adopted, a new pipe line must be built. The reservoir itself is well built, in excellent condition and can be used. The line from the reservoir to Beaverton can be used with repairs. The City distribution system is now rather old and the loss from leakage is expensive. Extensive replacements must be made within a very few years and certain extensions and replacements should be made now.

Beaverton has an outstanding bonded debt for water of $81,800 with $8,000 now on hand in the sinking fund. It requires $4,745.50 during the next year to pay interest on this debt, and about $4,000 annually should be raised for sinking fund purposes or for the retirement of serial bonds. It costs about $2,000 annually to run the Water Department in addition to the cost of purchased water.

Beaverton now has about 320 water users, and the city uses about 50,000 gallons per day. The population has doubled in seven years and prospects are good for rapid growth in the future. The present assessed valuation of property is $580,000.

THE MOST FEASIBLE PLANS

Eliminating certain plans which have been considered not feasible, and combinations, the following sources of supply are presented for consideration.

Wessenger Springs,
Hillsboro Water, from Tualatin Valley Water Co.
Bull Run.

WESSENGER SPRINGS

The flow of the spring is 240,000 gallons per day and tests show the water to be of excellent quality. Under this plan, the water from the spring would be pumped to the present reservoir for distribution to the city. The advantage of this plan is adequacy of supply, cheap water and low cost of improvement. The disadvantage is from conflicting water rights on the creek below. Beaverton has the only filing on this water but certain land owners have used the water for irrigation for years, thus establishing vested rights. Before developing this source the City must be assured of its right to use the water.

HILLSBORO WATER FROM TUALATIN VALLEY WATER CO.

This scheme contemplates the purchase of water as at the present time from the Tualatin Valley Water Co. but with the addition of a pipe line through the city to connect with a pumping plant at Beaverton's easterly city boundary. The water would be pumped to the existing reservoir. It is well known that under the present arrangement during the peak hours of demand the pressure in Beaverton drops alarmingly. By pumping to the existing reservoir for a few months, during the summer, a satisfactory pressure for both domestic use and fire protection can be maintained at all times. The advantage of this plan is low cost of improvement. The disadvantages are a doubtful adequacy of supply and the fact that such an improvement can be considered only as of a temporary nature and can be used for only a few years at the outside.

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CITY MARSHALL A. E. STORY PASSES FRIDAY AT NOON

Addison E. Story, 63 years old, died at Hillsboro hospital Friday, November 24, at noon. He was ill only a week. He leaves a wife, Rosanne and a son, Valmore of Tacoma, Washington, who was at his bedside during his last illness.

The funeral services were held at the W. E. Pegg Chapel Saturday under the auspices of the W.O.W. The body was shipped to Puyallup, Washington Tuesday and interment was in the family plot.

Mr. Story was born in Wisconsin, but for the past twenty years has lived in the vicinity of Beaverton. About ten years ago he married Mrs. R. Williams, his second wife. He was employed in the car shops for some time and had been City Marshall for the past two years.

Of a kindly, jovial disposition he made many friends and he will long be remembered.

CITY COUNCIL PASSES PAVING ORDINANCE

The Beaverton City Council met Monday and passed an ordinance approving the paving of Watson street.

The water question was discussed and attorney Allen and Baar and Cunningham, engineers for the city were-authorized to make up a pamphlet setting forth the cost of the different proposed sources of water supply for thee city.

After a short discussion the council adjourned to meet again Monday just before the city election.

BAKER SELLING OUT STOCK OF MERCHANDISE

C. L. Baker has accepted a position as representative for a large wholesale firm and will close out his entire stock of merchandise regardless of cost, before Dec. 1, as he must leave for Seattle Saturday to take up his new duties.

PETE VANDAHEY CITY MARSHALL

Pete Vandahey has been temporarily appointed city marshall of Beaverton to fill the vacancy caused by the untimely death of A. E. Storey. The council will make its regular appointment at some further date.

Several applications have been made for the position.

A. V. Bixby has been reading water meters for the past week.

BOLD ATTEMPT TO ROB SCHRADER'S BAKERY

A very bold attempt was made Tuesday evening to rob Schrader's Bakery. About 9:30 o'clock a heavy set man about six feet tall, smooth shaven and wearing a blue shirt, with a cap pulled well over his eyes entered the bakery. The oldest daughter came through the swinging door from the back of the bakery and asked what he wanted. Instead of answering, the man grabbed Miss Schrader, making an effort to smother her screams. However it was too late as the mother was on the scene frightening the would be hold up man away. After a fruitless search the acting constable reported there was no stranger to be found.

ELIZABETH FREELAND WEDS ARTHUR SORENSON

Miss Elizabeth Freeland and Arthur Sorenson were married at the home of her aunt, Mrs. V. Kearney, near Hillsboro Thursday. The groom is a son of Dr. Sorenson of Beaverton.

The bride looked lovely in a satin back white crepe dress with a bandeaux of silver leaves. She carried a boquet of white carnations. The couple stood under a white bell made of flowers with pink satin streamers, in a bower of pink and white flowers.

The room was filled with lovely pink and white crysanthemums.

Among the out of town guests were Dr. Sorenson, of Beaverton; Clyde Freeland, of Hillsboro; Mrs. Hattie Freeland and daughter, Harriett of Orenco; Mr. and Mrs. L. Gilmore and daughter June; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stickney and daughter, Betty; Mr. and Mrs. Mitzel and daughter Mary; Mr. and Mrs. Hays and daughter Elizabeth; Mr. and Mrs W. T. Lehnherr, of Aloha; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Snyder and daughter, of Scholls; Mrs. Borden, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Watt and daughter Mary; Miss M. Patee of Farmington; Ralph Snipe, Reedville; Messrs. Matterson and Kenough of Hillsboro.

The young couple drove to Portland and after a short honeymoon will reside in Beaverton.

Now is the time to buy that box of apples, See our display and prices. Beaverton Feed and Produce Market

GREATER ECONOMY AFFECTED IN LARGER SCHOOLS

Average Cost Per Pupil in Small School Nearly Double That of Schools Having an Attendance of 200 or More

Greater efficiency and economy could be effected in Oregon schools through a movement for the creation of larger school centers, both for elementary and high schools, and more careful attention to problems of organization to eliminate waste, declared F. L. Stetson, professor of secondary education at the University of Oregon, in a talk before the second school finance conference in session on the Eugene campus Saturday.

Professor Stetson's conclusions were given as the result of a survey of costs per capita of students in Oregon schools, which indicates that greater economy is effected in larger schools and one of the biggest handicaps experienced by Oregon schools is the fact that they are so small.

Professor Stetson presented data showing the cost per pupil in average daily attendance in 1495 one-room rural schools of Oregon. He found that the median cost in one-room schools for each pupil ,annually, is $86; in the two-room schools, $60; school of 50 to 100 pupils, $50; 100 to 150, $44; 150 to 199, $45; and above 200 pupils, $43.

This clearly shows, he pointed out, that the costs are much higher per capita in smaller schools, and the greatest chance for economy lies in consolidations. Prof. Stetson also found that in the small schools there is a lower teaching salary than in the larger, and even at that the costs are greater.

The same situation exists in the high schools. Prof. Stetson's study shows, the small schools having high costs, In a group of high schools with less than 10 pupils in attendance the average cost per student shows a median of $172, and it is found that as the size of schools increases this per capita cost drops. Thus in high schools with between 40 and 50 pupils in attendance, the median is $102.

"The situation as it stands indicates that many schools operate at an inexcusable high cost," said Prof. Stetson. "This is particularly noticeable in the small schools, many of which are maintained primarily for local and sentimental reasons, and could be consolidated satisfactorily. The consolidation movement is under way, but it is slow, particularly in western Oregon where conditions make it more advisable.

"In the small high schools the problem of courses of study and proper conditions for instruction is a serious one. The survey shows a great disparity in the efficiency of the organizations, some of them wasting time right and left. One of the big things looking toward economy would be to set up a reasonable program with a fair teaching load, and establish a safary schedule to attract and hold the more-professional type of teacher who could work in such an efficient organization."

"HORSE AND BUGGY STREET" NEEDS WIDENING"

During the past two years Portland has been trying "to widen their horse and buggy streets" with the reesult that all of the main arteries of travel have been widened and business houses established along these streets property values have been raised and more business is transacted along the widened streets than on any other street.

The same thing will happen to Beaverton if they will take advantage of the opening of Canyon road. More people are going to move out here to get away from crossing the bridges in Portland. This will mean that property values will be higher and taxes will be distributed more equitably. This will also meean more water users, more people to pay for street assessments, larger schools and a bigger and better Beaverton.

Broadway will have to be widened in a few years, why not do it now and take advantage of the opening of Canyon Road.

Standard Corn, No. 2 tins, 2 for 25 cents; 6 for 70 cents; and 12 for $1.39. Thrift Store, Beaverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Egelus, of Salem, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Drorbaugh Tuesday.