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Notification On
Next TuesdayRepublican Leaders of
Eleven States to Attend
Ceremonies at Salem

Republicans of Oregon who gather at Salem ahead of time for the McNary notification ceremonies next Tuesday afternoon will find special entertainment provided for the hour immediately preceding the official activities now set at 4:30 o'clock.

The program proper will include in addition to the national anthem, an invocation, opening remarks by National Chairman Joseph W. Martin, Jr., republican leader of the house of representatives, notification speech by Governor Stassen of Minnesota, republican convention keynote and the acceptance speech of United States Senator Charles L. McNary, republican leader of the senate and nominee of his party for vice-president.

Added impetus for precinct committeemen and committeewomen to attend the ceremony where a special block of seats is being held for them will be a special meeting at the Marion hotel at noon when Chairman Martin and Governor Stassen will address them. This meeting is in charge of Dr. F. Pound, chairman of the Marion county central committee and his committees.

Tuesday noon will come also a press conference at his farm home at which Senator McNary will receive the press of the state for an exchange of confidences and official interviews preceding the notification ceremony.

Mrs. Robert G. McNary, Multnomah, representing the four Tualatin Valley publications will attend the press luncheon and ceremonies as a special guest.

On Wednesday the national committeemen and committeewomen of 11 western states will meet National Chairman Martin and Governor Stassen at the Benson hotel in Portland.

Wednesday noon in the Arabian room at the Multnomah hotel will be a meeting open to all members of the party at which Chairman Martin, Governor Stassen and other notables present for the notification will take part in the program.

Senator McNary is expected to return to Oregon by plane arriving Sunday. The remainder of the party from the national capitol including Chairman Martin and Governor Stassen will arrive Monday night.

Lee Richey Selected
Kiwanis Lt. Governor

Lee Richey has been elected Lt. Governor of the Pacific Northwest Kiwanis district No. 8, it was learned at the Kiwanis regular meeting held Wednesday, August 21. Lee has worked hard for Kiwanis and for Beaverton. We all wish him well in his new honored post, and the new activities that go with it.

The Playground boys have challenged the Kiwanis to a soft ball game for next Wednesday, August 28, it was learned. It seems that the Kiwanis have taken on a large responsibility this time. Hute Johnson states that he observed several of the boys watching over the fence at the last game with West Slope Improvement club. Due to this taking notes on the Kiwanis, Hute says that he is going to have to exercise his team by running them around the track at the high school every night till the game. (They ran too long in one place last game.)

The admission to the game next Wednesday will be free to everyone. After the game, the high school, which has had work done on its lighting and heating systems, will hold open house to all. Mike Metzger says that the work has improved the school so much that it is almost a new building.

Miss Howard of Tuscon
Visits in This Vicinity

Donna Rae Howard is visiting Helen Cavaness of Beaverton. They started to school together in the first grade. She will spend a week here and with her grandmother, Mrs. Feathers of Multnomah.

Her father was formerly in business in Beaverton. Since her parents passed away about 8 years ago, Miss Donna Rae has made her home with her uncle Russell Howard, a professor in University of Arizona, located at Tuscon. She was graduated this year, majoring in textiles. Sunday Donna Rae, Helen and Emerson Walker drove to Timberline Lodge and spent the day.

Sell! Swap! Rent! Buy! Via
Want Ad Way.

Washington County Fair Gates
Open to Public Next Thursday

Construction was begun this week at the Washington County Fair grounds of a building to house the chicken exhibits. The additional building was found necessary when it was announced that a portion of the new stock barn, recently completed, which had been set aside for poultry, would be needed to care for livestock.

The new barn was designed to care for additional 4-H club exhibitors for at least two years more, but livestock club work has been growing so swiftly this year that a capacity exhibit has been assured.

On the entertainment side of the county fair, August 29, 30 and 31, the failure of part of the Saturday program prompted the fair board to an appeal to all communities in the county for talented acts for the vaudeville show in the open air theatre.

Any and all acts will be welcome, it was decided, and every community has been invited to participate. Should more talent seek entry into the show than can be accommodated in one performance, a preliminary show will be given.

Fifteen dollars in prize money has been posted for the three best numbers presented. To avoid confusion, the board has requested that all acts wishing to participate, write the board in Hillsboro at once.

Arrangements are being made for another entertainment enterprise which promises much hilarity for the assembled crowds. This is to be the hog driving contest in which stubborn hogs must be driven at least 100 yards and placed in proper pens. Prizes will be given in this event and if enough contestants can be obtained, the race will be run twice a day, once in the afternoon and once in the evening.

Crowded to capacity, the farm machinery show again will be a leading feature of the fair, with all the new models in farmer aids on display.

Arrangements were completed last week with the state forestry service for a large educational display featuring forest fire fighting equipment in charge of a forester to discuss forestry problems with the public.

Last details of renovating were underway this week including a roofing crew replacing roofs on three of the display buildings assuring a weather proof fair should the rains come during the three days of the fair.

Visitors this year will find a great changed exposition setup, with new features and new construction on every hand to bring more interest and variety to the 1940 show.

Three nights of entertainment in the huge auditorium again will be presented including Jimmy Amato and his dance band playing the Queen's Ball, Thursday night. An animated and experienced troop of 30 young men and women from the Journal Juniors and a dazzling style show for Friday night.

For Saturday night, preparations are being made to welcome a record breaking crowd at the open air theatre and inside the auditorium where Monty Brooks, noted Portland master of ceremonies will present his 10 piece dance band and conduct the Jitterbug contest hour at 10 p. m.

The glitter of a diamond ring fascinated at least two of the Harvest Queen candidates for the county fair this week as the five can-

didates turned into the last week's stretch toward the end of the contest Wednesday night August 28.

Increasing her lead by a comfortable margin, and bracing herself for the last effort, Mary Schainek, Grable candidate, was 75 thousand votes ahead of the Gaston contender, Marjorie Eby, princess of the 1938 court.

Toward the bottom of the list, Donna Fletcher, Forest Grove, dropped into fifth place to bring Erna Staehle of West Union into fourth place, Myreen Pumroy, of Aloha, candidate of the Grange there, remained in the center position.

Fate of the five girls will be determined, when a committee of businessmen of the county open the ballot box following a dinner in the chamber of commerce rooms Wednesday night. Girls and escorts from their sponsoring groups will be guests of honor.

Standing follows:
Mary Schainek 501,000
Marjorie Eby 425,000
Myreen Pumroy 189,250
Erna Staehle 122,000
Donna Fletcher 103,000

Court of Honor Held at
Peck Home in Beaverton

The Tualatin Court of Honor met this time in Beaverton on the beautiful lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Peck. Potluck supper at 6:30 followed by the court when boys from Tigard, Metzger, and other troops received their ranks as well as many Beaverton boys.

Mr. Templeton from the Portland office was present and conducted the meeting, Bryan Walker presided as judge of the court. Everyone had a delightful time.

Second class scouts—208—Jim Bergin, coll., George Weedman, coll., Wade Lewis, Gorham Leverett, Paul Harrison, Kenneth Lundy.

First class scouts—208—Ferry Bergin, coll., Floyd Carlson, 204, Jack Doty.

Second class merit badges: Troop 204, Harry Wann, handicraft, wood-working; 208, Gordon Heughe, Frank Marquis, Bob Myers, safety.

First class merit badges—Troop 208 Warren Hohnstein, athletics, scholarship; Jack Miller, carpentry, wood-working; Crandall Peck, (Pd) basketry, camping, gardening, landscape gardening, swimming. Richard Smurthwaite, gardening, stamp collecting. 228—Jack Jensen, athletics, life saving; Ralph Johnson, first aid, personal health, athletics, Ward Nedry, handicraft, safety. Ralph Wood, life saving, athletics.

Star Scout, troop 208 Merwyn Boge.

Life Scout, troop 208—Warren Hohnstein, 228, Jack Jensen, Ralph Johnson and Ralph Wood.

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School Open
September 9J. B. McGinn Supervisor
Bus Transportation for
Non-High and Local Pupils

The Beaverton public schools will open for the school year on Sept. 9, at which time all high school Freshmen and grade school pupils will report. Freshmen registration in the high school will be conducted during the first two days during which time classification and class schedules will be completed. All upper class pupils will report for registration of Sept. 11, 1940.

The playroom at the grade school has been floored and the interior of the building painted.

The high school building is in process of being renovated and additional room provided for an expected increase in enrollment. A new oil burning steam plant is being installed.

The lighting condition so bad during the past has been corrected.

Five hundred and fifty students are expected to register for high school work during the school year. The former wood shed is being remodeled into a locker, lunch music and recreation room and is connected with the main building by a corridor opening directly in line with the front entrance of the building.

The high school and grade school buildings are open for inspection during all week days and you are welcome to visit the buildings during that time.

The school bus transportation system is under the supervision of J. B. McGinn who has contracted with the non-high school board to transport non-high school students and with the local school board to transport all District 48, high school grade school pupils. The school bus routes will be about as they were last year. Information regarding transportation can be secured at high school office or by calling J. B. McGinn, phone 3611 Hillsboro, Oregon.

L. M. Cook, athletic director has issued a call for all football players to report for practice on August 29 at 2 p. m.

The following teachers will teach in the Beaverton grade school: Miss Merle Davies, prin., V. H. Bullis, David Phelps, Misses Esther Schrader, Paye Lide, Lily Wagner, Barbara Cady, Bertha Osterloh and Merza Halsten.

High School: L. M. Cook, E. G. Webb, Edwin Zumwalt, L. Russell Mills, F. E. Bushnell, Mrs. Gertrude Robertson, Misses Geraldine Sanford, Annette Barnes, Mary Martha Sweeney, Bernice Conoly, Gayle Duff, Perria Green, Helen Irwin, Eleanor Zurcher, Florence Woughter, and Violet Nestell, formerly of Hermiston, Oregon.

Gearhart Couple Take
Over Commercial Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sheldon formerly of Gearhart, have taken over the lease on the Commercial hotel. She will have family style meals and roomers, later she will serve chicken dinners. Mr. Sheldon is employed at Geo. A. Rahoutis Co. Mrs. McFerrer has moved into Portland.

Washington County stood in third place in Division 1 of the 1940 counties traffic safety contest at the end of June, according to Earl Snell, sponsor of the contest to stimulate counties in improving their traffic accident record.

FALL OPENING
SCHOOL DATES

September, 3—Multnomah, Garden Home, Shutes, Tigard, Reedville, Kinton, Orenco, Helvetia, Witch Hazel.

September 9—Beaverton, Union, McKay, Cipole, McKinley, Cooper Mt., Aloha-Huber, Cedar Mills.

Yes, in just a few days they'll be trooping back. Which brings up the problem of a variety of needs. Schoolbooks, and supplies, new dresses, shoes, pants, sweaters, shirts, etc. And, if you don't realize the youngster's ambition to wear something NEW to school, you've forgotten your OWN school days. Then the High School and College Girls will need a new permanent. And, getting on to even more serious thought on EDUCATION,

—there are many fine private schools, some of higher learning; — Academic, Business and professional. In this issue of your newspaper, we bring to you information along all these lines.

County Caravan to Attend
McNary Notification

Washington County will send a caravan to Salem Tuesday to attend the McNary notification ceremonies at the state fair grounds. All county cars will meet at Dundee and Lafayette at 10:30 a. m. sharp route will be by way of Dayton. Banners available.

Beaverton PTA Name
Chairmen For Year

As the opening date for school draws near, the importance of the work of the Parent Teacher association becomes more apparent. Since the success of the association depends on its leaders and the interest of its program, a program has been arranged for the Beaverton school year. The subject to be dealt with and enlarged during the year is The Practical Problems of Life.

The first meeting of the year will be on September 17, 2:30 p. m. at the grade school. A general business meeting. All invited.

The complete list of chairmen for the year are: Program—Mrs. H. A. Speer. Hospitality—Mrs. Carl Hanson. Refreshments—Mrs. Bruce Steel. Membership—Mrs. C. O. Ackerman. Publications—Mrs. Laukat. P. T. A. Magazine—Mrs. Harry Wright. Health—Mrs. Meade. 4-H Club—Mrs. G. J. Smith. Publicity, Mrs. A. C. Cook. Social, Mrs. Elmer Benson. Budget, Mrs. Bergin. Music, Mrs. Noel and Mrs. F. Johnson. Ways and Means, Mrs. Louis Reuter. Founders Day, Mrs. Bergin.

Theft of Five Sacks
Barley Reported

Theft of five sacks of barley from a field on the Witch Hazel farm Sunday night has been reported at the sheriff's office by Charles Buchanan, farm operator.

Freeman Dull of Tucker street, Beaverton, reports his house prowled and \$3 taken from child's bank; entrance was gained through south window of living room.

Majority Tuition Pupils
Attend County Schools

Practically all tuition high school pupils of Washington county attend school in the county, according to O. B. Kraus, county school superintendent. Last year Beaverton led with 309 tuition pupils enrolled. Portland high schools had 39 pupils from Washington county. Tigard 37, Sherwood 3. Total number of tuition pupils last year amounted to 690 with an average daily attendance of 570.

ARNOLD H. WYMAN

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Bethany Baptist church for Arnold H. Wyman of Bethany, route 2, Beaverton, who died August 17. He was husband of Mrs. Emma Wyman, father of Mrs. John Luck, Milwaukie, 2 grandchildren; son of Mrs. Anna Gerber; brother of Mrs. Mary Gerber, Mrs. Emma Stoller, Bethany, Mrs. Paulina Corrieri, Mrs. Lillian Hanson, Mrs. Louise Cleveland, Mrs. Clara Furrer, Portland. Interment, Union cemetery. Arrangements in care of Pegg's Mortuary, Beaverton.

Every Dog
Has His DayBabson Says
Railroads Emerging
From Doldrums

Salt Lake City, August 23—No matter how you figure it, railroad securities are cheaper today than at any time in years. Traffic and earnings are up, expenses are down. The ghost which stalked the industry for years—taxes—actually may become an asset instead of a liability. Moreover, the pesky problem of constantly rising labor costs seems to be fading into the background as the nation's eyes focus on self-sacrifice and efficiency for the defense program.

To get a rough idea of the changes which have swept over the carrier situation, just glance at the following figures which compare freight carloadings with railroad stock prices and monthly average income before bond interest in several of the crucial years since the last war:

	Mo. Av. RR Stock	Mo. av. Net Carloadings	Prices \$	Oper Inc
1923	4,200,000	84	82,000,000	
1929	4,300,000	158	106,000,000	
1932	2,300,000	27	27,000,000	
1937	3,200,000	47	49,000,000	
1938	2,500,000	26	30,000,000	
1939	2,800,000	30	49,000,000	
1940	3,200,000 (est)	24	63M (est)	

Earnings Up Too
An earnings comparison is also interesting. In 1938 for instance, the carriers earned 1.4 per cent on their total investment. For 1940, they are expected to earn 3.0 per cent. Now compare stock prices for 1938 with current prices. From these few rough statistics, readers can see that railroad securities may be over sold. It may be that a constructive transformation is taking place in this industry—the nerve-center of our national defense.

It looks to me as though railroad investors are due for their first "break" in years. It is generally supposed that the "excess profits" tax bill will call for taxes on profits in excess of (1) average earnings since 1936 and/or (2) a varying percentage on invested capital. Congress finally seems to realize that these taxes must be "liberal" because speed on the defense program is vital. Congress understands that

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All American Revue
State Fair Feature

Good vocal and instrumental music, good singing, good comedy and good dancing will all contribute to making the All-American Revue, 1940 edition, which will be presented at the Oregon state fair, Salem, September 2 through 8, an even more outstanding production than the ace revue of a year ago.

That is the word of Larry Allen, former Oregon boy, who is producing the revue again this year and who is bringing the talent direct to the fair from Treasure Island at San Francisco. Every individual act that goes to make the big production is a winner in its own right, Allen has informed state fair officials.

Ran Wilde, known as the grand kid with the big smile and probably the biggest ears outside the circus, will bring his orchestra to Salem for the dances to be held nightly, except Sunday, in the fair grounds dance pavilion. Wilde comes north from San Francisco, too, and has played the Hotel New Yorker and other big spots.

Swim Champion Guest at
Gestring, Benz Park Home

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gestring of Benz Park have as guests his brother and wife and daughter Marjorie of Los Angeles, California.

Miss Marjorie was the youngest winner of the springboard championship in the Berlin Olympics in 1936 being only 13 years old, at that time. She is here for the National Aquatic competition at Jantzen Beach. She has been outdoor and indoor 10 foot springboard champion for three consecutive years and present over champion at 33 ft. She carried away the national championship at this meet, which is equivalent to the same honor in the Olympics, which could not be held this year on account of the war.

Garden Home Woman
Injured in Accident

A car driven by Mrs. Saunders of Garden Home, was struck by another car on Canyon highway and demolished on Tuesday. Mrs. Saunders was badly shaken up but not seriously hurt.

