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88 PEOPLE HELPED BY RELIEF WORK

Central Committee Makes Report of Winter Showing \$188 Spent and Many Donations of Food and Clothing.

Showing a total of 88 people cared for, 58 of whom were children with an expenditure of \$188.40 the Central Relief Committee has rendered a statement and completed its winter work.

The Central Relief committee was organized and delegates appointed to it through the different fraternal religious and civic organizations of the city early last winter.

The investigation of cases and the distribution of food and clothing entailed a great amount of work on the part of the officers of the relief committee.

Following is the report of the committee:

Report of Central Committee The work of the Central Relief Committee is ended with the coming of spring, and wish to place before the people of Springfield a resume of the work done.

Funds Received: Balance Com. Chest Fund \$ 96.62 Organizations (cash) 58.78 Individual donations (cash) 39.60 Total \$188.40 Disbursements 232.18 Debit Balance 44.79

No. of families cared for 16 Average cost per family \$14.58 No. of cases investigated where no relief was given 5 No. of children cared for 58 No. of children enabled to continue their school work clothed and fed 29 Total No. adults and children 88

The following articles of food, etc. distributed were donated by kind friends, many of them from rural districts, willing to help those in distress.

Christmas basket and toys for children, were furnished to 12 families, each organization being assigned one family, and financing this from their respective treasurers, thus distributing an otherwise heavy burden.

Each case reported was thoroughly investigated, and relief furnished without delay, where deemed deserving. The Executive Committee was in constant touch with those employing labor, and was the means of getting several odd jobs, but found steady work at a premium.

In many cases, adults, as well as children needed clothes especially during the cold spell last December, and their wants filled.

We wish to thank the people of Springfield for their splendid cooperation in this work, also every organization represented.

W. P. Tyson, Chairman, Mrs. Gantz, vice-chairman O. Olson, Sec.-Treas. O. H. Jarrett, Adv. member

By Mrs. Verne Sneed has purchased the Mode Millinery shop, having taken over the establishment Tuesday, Mrs. Florence Grimes, former owner of the shop will continue to assist Mrs. Sneed there.

A complete line of needlework, as well as millinery will be handled, Mrs. Sneed reports.

Many Have Mumps About seven high school students are absent with mumps, according to an estimate of V. D. Bain, high school principal. Five who have been ill with the disease have returned to school.

Judgment Given Margaret J. Marshall has been given a judgment in circuit court against V. E. Way for \$304. The Willamette Collection and Credit Service has filed suit against C. W. Todd and P. V. Phillips seeking to collect \$21.20 alleged due on a promissory note.

Hates to Get Up, But--



Fowler McCormick, heir to the Harvester millions, is working for \$20 a week in a Milwaukee mill and living at a \$4 per week boarding and rooming house.

DRAMATIC CLUB WILL PRESENT COMEDY AT H. S.

"The Time of His Life," a comedy of mistaken identity, will be presented by the Dramatic club of the Springfield high school Friday evening May 8 at the high school, Miss Virginia Tomlinson is coaching the play.

The part of the old negro will be taken by Orval Eaton, and the leads will be acted by John Howard and Thelma Layson. Tickets for the presentation will be 25 and 50c, proceeds to go to the high school student body funds.

The complete cast of the play is: Tom Carter John Howard Mrs. Grey Dorsey Larimer Mrs. Wycombe, "a personage," Elizabeth Walker. Peter Wycombe, "A Prince of Pest-mists," Paul Nice Dorothy Landon Thelma Layson Uncle Tom Orval Eaton James Landon, Sr. John Cox Bob Grey Merle McMullen Officer Hogan Ed Bates

SOPHS BEAT JUNIORS IN INTERCLASS BASEBALL

The sophomores walloped the juniors in the first of the boys interclass baseball games, played at the high school Monday afternoon, by a score of 4-1. The game was played through five innings. The feature of the game was a home run by Frank Lewis for the sophomores.

The next of these games will be played Monday afternoon between the seniors and the freshmen. The winners will then play the sophomores for the championship, and the losers will have a consolation game with the juniors.

NINE RECEIVE AWARDS IN H. S. BASKETBALL

Nine basketball men received awards at an assembly at the high school Tuesday afternoon. John Cox won his second stripe, signifying three years on the team. Paul Nice received his first stripe, this having been his second year on the high school team.

Foreman of Shop

W. R. Dawson, a former employee of the Springfield garage, will again have charge of the garage shop, announces W. H. Adrain, owner. Mr. Dawson has been for the last several years with the Albany Garage. He and Mrs. Dawson were visitors at the Adrain home the latter part of last week.

Undergoes Major Operation—Alice Mortenson underwent a major operation at the Pacific Christian hospital Wednesday.

9 NEW TEACHERS IN CITY SCHOOLS

New Instructors Replace Teachers now Employed and Increase Staff; Principals Retained for Year.

Nine new teachers will teach in the Springfield schools next year, replacing some of this year's instructors, besides increasing the staff. The election of the teachers took place at the school board meeting Tuesday evening.

The principals of the high school, junior high and the grades will all be retained. Among the high school teachers who will be here next year are Miss Virginia Tomlinson, mathematics; Miss Anna Hill, English; Mrs. Pauline M. Bain, domestic science; and Alfred Morgan, manual training.

New teachers at the high school will be Miss Hulda Hagman, commercial course, Miss Janet Riley, languages, and Daniel Taylor, history. At the junior school, Miss Elizabeth James, Miss Mary E. S. Walker, Miss Jessamine Nelson and Mrs. Kathryn Duncan, will be here next year.

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BATTERY STATION PURCHASED BY REWEY

M. L. Rewey, formerly of Clatskanie has purchased the Springfield Battery and Electric company from J. H. Woodruff and H. M. Lichty, according to an announcement made Saturday. Mr. Rewey has already taken charge of the business.

Mr. Woodruff and Mr. Lichty are as yet undecided about their next business moves. Mr. Rewey, with his wife and little girl expects to settle in Springfield as soon as they can find a suitable house.

Missionary Society Meets

The Missionary Auxiliary society met Wednesday afternoon for a business and social meeting with Mrs. George Valliere at her home at 6th and B streets.

The local diamond is now in shape and games may be played here in the future, reports T. H. Hulbert, manager of the team.

EASTER CHICKS



For Governorship



Miss Julia Alexander, lawyer and member of the North Carolina legislature, wants to be governor of her state. She has announced her candidacy for the Democratic nomination.

NUT GROWER WILL TALK AT LIONS CLUB LUNCH

George Dorris, Springfield filbert grower whose reputation has become wide because of his success with the nut crop, will be the speaker at the Lions club dinner Friday noon. He will talk on the nut industry in the Willamette valley of which he has been a pioneer for the last 20 years.

The department of agriculture has sent experts from Washington to visit the Dorris orchards and has pronounced this the best adapted section in the United States for filberts.

Nelson F. Macduff, supervisor of the Cascade National forest, has been dated by the club for a talk on forest preservation and tourist attraction for the meeting on May 1.

SPRINGFIELD BASEBALL TEAM TO PLAY RESORTS

Springfield will play the Cascade resort team at the resort, up the McKenzie river Sunday at 1:30. Many local people are expected to attend.

EASTER SERVICES IN CITY CHURCHES

STARKEY AND HUBBS BUYS SCHOOL BONDS

Starkey and Hubbs, Incorporated, of Portland, bought the \$12,500 school bonds Friday evening at a special meeting of the school board at the rate of \$1002.67 per \$1,000 for 5 1/2 percent bonds.

One other bid was presented at the rate of \$1,004.46, but this bid was conditional in that it must first be placed under the consideration of a certain law firm in Portland for validation.

The bonds are to be paid at the rate of \$1,000 on April 1, in each of the years 1931 to 1943, and \$500 on April 1, 1943, bearing 5 1/2 percent interest.

NEIGHBORS CELEBRATE 28th ANNIVERSARY

Celebrating the 28th anniversary of the Neighbors of Woodcraft, members of the organization gathered at the home of Nina McPherson for a party April 1. Members of the Neighbors present were: Elsie Lambert, Flora Stearmer, Catherine Markee, Lily Kaiser, Florence Kaiser, Minnie Girard, Sarah Nelson, Alice Doane, Julia McPherson, and Mable Peddicord.

The next meeting of the club will be April 15 at the home of Mrs. Markee on Main street.

ACTION ON LEGION HALL WILL BE TAKEN TUESDAY

A definite decision as to the location of the American Legion pavilion will be made at the next meeting, April 17, it was decided at the meeting Friday evening.

Two locations are being considered. One, on the northwest corner of south Mill and south D street, is owned by M. B. Huntley, the other is on the corner of 7th and B streets.

Work on the pavilion, which will be built on a plan of developing it into an auditorium, will begin as soon as the land is chosen, Legion officers announce.

Commander C. A. Swartz urges a full attendance of Legionaires to decide on a site at the next meeting.

Here on Business—Mrs. Anna Baker of Winberry, former owner of the Springfield hospital was in town Wednesday looking after property here.

Special Musical Program Being Prepared for Sunday; Cantata at Methodist Church; Easter Drama at Christian.

Special Easter music in the form of anthems, cantatas, and solos are being prepared by the Springfield churches for Sunday. "The Thorn-Crowned King," a cantata by Fred B. Holton will be given at the Methodist church at 7:30 Sunday evening by the church choir.

Choral anthems, and an Easter solo by Mrs. Wetterhahn will be presented at the Baptist church, and special Easter selections by a double quartette will be offered at the Christian church.

The Bible school classes of the Christian church below high school age will give an Easter program at the Bible school hour, and the Christian high school class will give a dramatization of the Easter story at the evening service. The double quartette is composed of Mrs. R. E. Moshier and Mrs. W. P. Tyson, sopranos, Mrs. Cliff Abrams and Mrs. D. B. Murphy, altos, E. E. Morrison and P. B. Murby, tenors, and B. O. Smith and R. E. Moshier, bass.

Mrs. J. T. Moore, accompanied by Mrs. S. S. Potter will sing "Easter Dawn" at the morning services at the Methodist church. The Epworth League will have a sunrise devotional meeting at 6:30, followed by Good Fellowship breakfast in the church dining room.

Membership services will be held by both the Baptist and the Methodist churches.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Corner 4th and A. S. E. Childers, Pastor Church services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subject of morning sermon, "The Risen Christ." Evening "Christ Pre-eminent"

Bible school at 9:45. Classes up to high school age will give Easter program at Bible school hour. The high school class will give a dramatization of the Easter story at the evening service. Mrs. H. E. Knott of Eugene directing. The double quartette will sing "The Stone is Rolled Away," "Christ Being Raised," and "Unfold ye Portals" from the "Redemption" by Courod.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

2nd and C Streets J. Carlton Wetterhahn, Pastor Bible School 10:00 Morning Service 11:00

Special Easter anthems by the choir, "Hark! Thumphant Voices," by Ira B. Wilson and "Christ Now is Risen," by E. S. Lorenz. Sermon topic, "Central Doctrine of the Christian Faith." Intermediate, Senior B. Y. P. U. 6:00 Evening Service 7:30 Baptismal service. Easter music by the choir, "Great King of Glory Come" by Charles H. Gabriel, and Easter solo by Mrs. Wetterhahn. Sermon Topic, "The Risen Life."

Springfield Methodist Episcopal

An Easter cantata, entitled "The Thorn-Crowned King," by Fred B. Holton, will be given at the church at 7:30 P. M., by the church choir, under the direction of Mrs. Vern Bain, with Mrs. Ivan Male at the piano. The rendition will take the entire evening and will be a real treat to the community.

The morning hour of 11 o'clock will be the regular annual Easter church service, combined with membership day. Mrs. J. T. Moore will sing "Easter Dawn," accompanied by Mrs. S. S. Potter. There will be baptisms both of children and adults, with reception of new members, both by letter and on confession of faith. The pastors theme will be "The Power of the Resurrection."

The Epworth League will have a sunrise devotional meeting at 6:30 in the morning on the east steps of the church followed by a Good Fellowship breakfast in the church dining room.

The church school as usual at 9:45 A. M. Epworth League at 6:30 P. M.

Civic Club to Meet

All civic club members are urged to attend the regular meeting of the club next Thursday evening by Mrs. Paul Brattain, president of the club.