Eugene's Three Million Dollars in Bonds Will Double in Interest Before They Are Retired --- Will They Vote More?

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PICNIC ON HILL TO BE FRIDAY NIGHT

Civic Club Invites Town to Meet in Park as Preliminary Move to Open Street; Band to Play Concert.

A community picuic and band concert on the top of Willamotte Height will be sponsored by the Civic club Friday evening. Everyone 'n Scringfield is invited to bring their lunch and attend. The time set is at 6. Several members f the club have driven to the top of the butte in ears. made for appointment of a temporary accessible.

concerts at the picnic instead of at the bandstand, as they usually do on Friday evenings. The affair will be very informal, and was planned to make the front door. Boxes need be of no the people of Springfield better accity park.

owned by the city, but due to the inconvenient road arrangement has not prices. been developed as a park. If Fourth street is opened up, as the Civic club now plans, a convenient and good road will be opened. A vista house is being planned by the Civic club, and receptacles for receiving their mail will be ereced on top of the butte, from which all of Springfield, Eugene and the surrounding country can be seen.

THIEVES ENTER HOME: MILL RECOVERS PAPERS

While she was away attending the tent revival meeting in Eugene last the home of Mrs. M. J. Cruzan at pocket knife with a photo under its transparent handle, a white shirt, inning and three in the third, Spring-Springfield for vote according to law.

No trace of the missing articles has thief is unknown to the police.

in two strongboxes in the Springfield and the last three counters came in which were taken when the safe was more runs in the seventh. blown up by thieves last week, were The Eugene Southern Pacific team of Allan Simmons, tax collector of Eugene. The boy was swimining with a group of friends mear he overhead crossing beween here and Goshen when he found a sack consining he

Attend League

The meetings started Monday evening, and will be concluded Sunday The Misses Jewel Roden, Theo Bartholomew, Gertrude Mustoe, Violyet Mustoe and Elizabeth Hughes and Edward Louk, Will'am Pollard and Evan Hughes are the Springfield young people attending

Boys Take Suits

Four boys whose names are being withheld were brought before the juvenile court Wednesday afternoon and charged with taking a bathing suit, a pair of skates, some checkers and a checkerboard and a lampshade from the shed back of the Walker chapel and a bathing suit from behind the Spong hotel. These articles were taken last Saturday.

Two of the boys were exonerated by the other two, who will be paroled to their parents. The missing articles were returned.

Motoring to Belknap-Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Parsons will motor to Belknap springs tomorrow to meet their son, Walton W. Parker. Mr. Parker, who is a druggist at Baker, and wife are motoring to Western Oregon and will spend some time at Coos bay before returning, Mrs. T. L. Karau and Clair Parson will motor to Belknap Saturday to meet the party.

Bicycle Fine Imposed-Elmo Long was fined \$1 by Judge R. W. Smith Wednesday for riding his bicycle on the sidewalk. This was the first fine collected for this offense since the passing of the ordinance. C. F. Bowman was also fined \$2 for parking his car without lights.

City Delivery Will Start on Sept. 1st

All Mail Boxes Should Be Up by August 15 When Survey Is Made

uthorized to be established on Sepember 1, or as soon thereafter as the preliminary arrangements can be completed.

All supplies and equipment have been ordered by the postoffice de pariment. Part of them have arrived nd the rest are expected daily.

Examiation for carrier has been and report that the road is easily substitute carrier if necessary. It The Springfield band will give their boxes or receptacles for receiving the

These may be either a slot in the quainted with each other and their particular make or brand. Metal boxes, preferred. They may be had at the local dealers either with or

A survey of the town will be made by the postmaster on Saturday, August 15, at which t'me at least 85 per cent of all houses must be provided with Railroad Committee Makes the vance the two parts of the greater or the service must be again post-

SPRINGFIELD TEAM DE-

eers were taken on.

After scoring one run in the first two white collars and \$2 in silver. field gave the visitors their chance by making six errors in fast succeabeen found, and the identity of the sion, and the Pioneers made three

diamond Sunday.

Some of the papers were badly damligan, third base; C. Mulligan, short this ground that the proposal is made.

Grove and back today. stop: Sankey left field: Thompson, center fied; Hardesty, right field.

Having Sidewalks Laid - Thomas institute being held there this week. doty, contractors, are doing the work.

Deserting Springfield

(Salem Capital Journal)

The Southern Pacific company has joined forces iwth the Ladies Civic Club and Other Eugene boomers to complete the sandlbagging of Springfield Women of Town Will Make through abandonment of its proposed railroad shop site at Springfield and acceptance of a new site northwest of Eugene Village delivery of mail has been to be purchased by a \$175,000 Eugene municipal bond issue.

> The Southern Pacific purchased the Springfield site 13 years ago, and announced its plan for the building of divisional shops upon the completion of the Natron cutoff. Cessation of the railroad's construction delayed action, but Springfield has since then lived upon hopes of eventual realization of this plan.

To Springfield, the railroad's desertion is a death-blow. To to discuss plans for the campaign. Eugene it can make but little difference whether the shops are Mrs. John F. Ketels, Jr., was appointlocated northwest of Eugene on the new site or east of Eugene ed general chairman of committees Ninth street to Tenth street. Accalled for August 22 and provision on the Springfield site. The only person benefitted by the trans- to handle the campaign. fer are the adjacent realty owners and boomers who have optioned the property, and ask the city to vote bonds to make their speculation good.

Throughout all these years, Springfield has been loyal to the estimate of bankers. It is to keep They will be improved as soon as Southern Pacific, while Eugene has divided her allegiance with the Oregon Electric and recently flirted with the Union Pacific. All of which proves that if you want favors from a raiload, culivate rival railroads.

Consolidation Promised If Shops Are Left In City

Same Proposal to People as It Did to Eugene Committee; Ask Citizens to Vote No.

An offer to consolidate with Eugene FEATS PIONEER PLAYERS provided the shops and terminals were located as originally planned in Springfield's baseball team won a Springfield was made this week by 16-5 victory over the Pioneer Lum- the railroad committee of the chamber company team Sunday at the lo- ber of commerce. The offer was made cal diamond. The visitors came from to the people through circulars and Thursday even ng, thieves entered a mill just north of Drain. A game advertising and carried the promise was to have been played with the if Eugene voted no on the terminal Drain town team, but when it was bond issue of \$175,000 and the shops Third and B streets and stole a Sav- called off late last week, the Pion were brought here that the railroad committee would put the question of consolidation up to the people in

This proposal was made several weeks ago by the railroad committee points. One more point was added to the Eugene committee at a meeting The papers which were contained by the locals during the fifth inning in the Eugene committee who Mill and Grain company safe, and the seventh. The visitors made two field and the shops and asked the local committee to work toward that end.

Springfield's lineup for Sunday's ficient investment here to warrant will be Tuesday. game was: Delps and Carter, pitch. the holding up of property values to the present level and cause business

> On account of unbalanced represensufficiently established here in ad- Wednesday,

city would grow evenly, the committee believes.

CHEVROLET AGENCY IS STARTED IN SPRINGFIELD

A Chevrole sales and service agentery and Electric company. The housewife has much to do with the agency is a branch of the Gannett spending of this money and the wom-Motor company of Eugene, which has en in this campaign say their purpose the Lane county agency, but it will will be to reach her car. be operated entirely by local men. M. L. Rewey, owner of the shop, and LEGION BOUTS FAST Clifford H. Hayes will have charge of the sales and service.

Parts for Chevrolets will be handled by the company, and at least one demonstration car will be stationed here. into the Rewey shop Monday. He will do general repair work.

Daughter Will Be Married - City

Drive to Cottage Grove-Mr. and A surprise curtain raiser was a To Sell Property of Delinquent papers and \$40 worth of gasoline tickets, also taken from the safe. Some of the papers were badly dam
Some of the papers were badly dam
To Sell Property of Delinquent to increase in Springfield would it be safe to consolidate with Eugene, the local committee believes. It is on Grove and back today.

To Sell Property of Delinquent two-round bout between Teddy Black-well and K'd Lewis, 60-pound young-ligan, third base. C. Mullian short.

tation which would result in the civic Here from Los Angeles-W. Scho-Eight members of he Springfield McKinnis and Carl Olson are having administration after consolidation field registered at the Spong hotel Method st Epworth league are in Cot. sidewalks, driveways and steps laid Springfield would be at the mercy of Wednesday from Los Angeles. J. Daltage Grove attending the Epworth in front of their property. Briggs and Eugene. If industry and business is ton of Dallas also stopped at the hotel

Club Start Trade at Home Move

House to House Canvass

Plans for a trade at home campaign, which has been under discussion by the Ladies' Civic club for the last several weeks, were consummated at a meeting Tuesday evening of the organizat'on. Several business men of the city were called into the meeting

Spend Over Half Million

Between \$500,000 and \$600,000 a year is exended in other cities by estimate of bankers. It is to keep part of this money, at least, at home that the campaign is planned, officers of the club declared. A publicity campaign and a house to house canvass is the plan of committees.

Slogans such as, "Give the Springfeld Merchant the First Chance, "Give to Springfield Its Own," "Trade at Home and Get Another Chance at

Million Dollars Belongs Here Because of the large payroll here in the various industries and the rich there was danger to school children agricultural country surrounding this crossing the tracks where there is city it is felt that Springfield should much switching, in going to and from enjoy much more business than it school. The petition was referred to does. At least a million dollars a year the city attorney for information as cy has been installed in Springfield that rightfully belongs in Springfield to the power of the city to open the in connection ith the Springfield Bat- goes away, it is estimated. The street.

in the main event of the American for sidewalk. 50 cents for excavating J. J. Wheeler, until recently opera- Legion smoker held at their pavilion and 85 cents for filling. All the sidetor of the A street repair shop, moved Friday night. The bout was exciting, walks let were under the Bancroft and ran to seven rounds, instead of act. the six arranged before the mistake was noticed.

Recorder R. W. Smith will leave for given a decision over Curly Watson this amount \$114 is for two horns and recovered Saturday by the small son, will play the locals at the Fifth street. This proposal the Springfield committee deemed impossible. Only if ding of his youngest daughter, Doris, tional battle of the evening. The Cox the city took title to the instruthe Southern Pacific will make suf- to Edwin C. McElroy. The ceremony fighting was fast during all four ments to be purchased and will hold rounds, each man trying vainly for the bandmaster responsible for their

sters which finished in a draw.

a four-round preliminary. Roy Cas- out adjustment is made or some acteel was knocked out by Johnnie Tom- tion taken looking toward satisfaction seth in another preliminary, and of liens. Hugh Cowart floored Jack Jones in their fight, Red Wilson of Westfir was An ordinance giving the city of knocked out after only a few min- Eugene a franchise to cross Fifth and utes of fighting with Kid Smith of other streets in the north part of the

Trubert Henderson is in charge was passed. of another smoker to be held on the night of August 21 when Eddie Hath- OPEN NICHT SCHOOL FOR away and Kansas Stevens will stage the main fight.

A Riverside Park

enjoyed by a group of Springfield Kinnon, of the Booth-Kelly office folks Monday evening at Riverside force. The school will be held on Park. Attending the party were Mr. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenand Mrs. Moody Neet, Mr. and Mrs. ings. D. E. Neet, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Neet | A tuition of \$2 a month will be and family of Oroville, California, charged by Mr. McKinnon, and the Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neet, Mr. and students will furnish their own sup-Mrs. Levi Neet, Mrs. O. R. Neet of plies for their courses. The choice Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cas- of subjects will be left to the studteel and son Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. ents. Merle Casteel.

Work on Labor Day Plans

where the 4-L labor day celebration will be held are being cleaned and The park grounds at Wendling made ready for the crowds. Workmen are constructing stands and seats for the guests, and a framework over for the guests, and a framework over which green boughs may be laid is of Eugene a coupe, and J. I. Jones of

Another meeting of the committees will be held Monday evening at Wendling.

she will visit for several weeks.

Tenth to Be Opened from Main to D Street; Civic Club Asks for Viaduct; Hasting Given Contract for Mile of Sidewalk.

Tenth street was ordered opened from Main street to D street and macadamized by the Springfold city council at its regular meeting last evening. C and D streets were also tion came on a petition signed by the property owners and the school board. The new streets are necessary to give entrance to the new Brattain school.

Viaduct Petition Submitted

A petition to open Fourth street from the postoffice to South C street and build a viaduct over the Southern Pacific tracks was presented by the Ladies' Civic club. The petition was signed by all the property owners living on Willamette heights, who de-Your Dollar," and many others have business section of the city. The been suggested by the women in their Civic club is interested especially to open the city park on the top of Willamette heights with a direct entrance. It was also pointed out that

Mile of Sidewalk Let

Approximately one mile of cement sidewalk was let to F. O. Hastings, the lowest b'dder. His bid was 75 cents a foot for sidewalk, 70 cents a cubic yard for fill and 40 cents for AT FRIDAY SMOKER excavation. Briggs and Doty bid 75 cents per foot for sidewalk, \$1.15 for Car Martin of Wendling and Elza fif: and 50 cents for excavating, and Cavit of Springfield fought to a draw pierle and Sons bid 80 cents per foot

Band Gets Money

The band was allowed all the money Eddie Hathaway of Eugene was budgeted for that purpose, \$250. Of safe keeping.

property that had not paid delinquent Another draw was called between assessments. All persons notified will Eddie Tomseth and Leroy Knight in be liable to lose their property with-

Eugene Given Permit

city with the McKenzie water line

PEOPLE OVER 14 OCT. 4

A night school for people over 14 years of age will be opened October A picule dinner and swimming was 2 at the public library by D. W. Me-

Sell Six Fords

Six Fords were sold by the Anderbeing put up over the band stand. Cottage Grove a two-door sedan.

Remodeling Confectionery

The Drop Inn, confectionery and Go to Newport-Mr. and Mrs. Del- lunch room owned by W. E. Estes, bert McBee of Wendling will leave will be closed Monday, Tuesday and Saturday for Newport to visit the for- Wednesday of next week while the mer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. shop is redecorated. All the booths, McBee, who are spending a month counters and cases will be painted black and trimmed in orange. The walls will be kalsomined orange, and Goes to Yoncalla-Miss Lola Crab, the present lights will be taken out tree left today for Yoncolla where and replaced with more decorative fixtures.

CORN ON THE COB By A. B. CH. PIN BEGING ON PETTRN END -! FIRST STOP - !! PERFECT EAR -DETERMINED TO BE NEAT AND POT NUISY -! REGISTERS PLEASURE -!! LOOKS TENDER AND SWEET -BUTTER DROPS ON TIE, WONDERS SPREADS BUTTER, MOIT OF WHICH RUNS OFF ON PLATE — AND TABLE CLOTH. SPRINKLES SALT —! IF GASOLINE WILL CLEAN IT ? FINGERS STICKY - 1 MAKES FIRST TURN WITHOUT FEELS DROP OF GOO RUNNING WIGHES HE HAD RUBBER GLOVES WATERS AT MOUTH! ALL GUMMED UP - !!! STEPS ON THE STARTER AGAIN -! TEETH FEEL MOST UNCOMFORTABLE -MUST DO SOMETHING !!! TOOK LAST TWO ROWS WITHOUT CASTS ETIQUETTE ASIDE AND TAKES FIRM GRASP ON COB: MISSING A STROKE - ! SEARCHES FOR JOTHPICK-NO LUCK-HITTING ON ALL SIXES - !! HAD TO LEAVE "CUT OUT WIDE OPEN-TRIES FORK-NO GOOD -HOPE LADY AT NEXT TABLE DOESN'T WONS WHY SOME ONE DOESN'T WISHES FOR BATH TUB AND TURKISH TOWEL -! NOTICE , BUT SIMPLY HAS TO INVENT MUD GUARDS FOR-DISENGAGE THOSE PESKY HUSKS USES TABLE CLOTH WHEN CORN FATERS - ? ? ? WAITER'S BACK IS TURNED !