

CITY BUDGET BOARD CHOSEN BY COUNCIL

Five Freeholders to Meet With Council on October 22 to Frame Estimates; S. P. Wants Bus Franchise Changed Over Bridge.

The budget committee to make up the 1930 expense estimate for the town of Springfield was selected at a meeting of the council Monday evening. Each councilman and the mayor chose a freeholder to assist the council in the work. They are George Perkins, C. E. Wheaton, Roy W. Carlton, William Donaldson and George Vallier. The first meeting will be held Tuesday evening, October 22 and 7:30 o'clock.

McKlin Now Councilman

M. J. McKlin was elected to fill the vacancy of W. P. Tyson, who has been elected mayor. Mr. McKlin has served several terms on the council before. He will fill the committee in which Mr. Tyson was a member.

S. P. Wants Franchise

A request for a franchise to operate over the new Springfield bridge and to change the routing in the town was made by T. L. Billingsley, manager of the Southern Pacific company motor buses. He requests a franchise to operate from Second on Main street to the new bridge and possible to run over the new bridge Sixth to Fourth streets and down Fourth to Main street.

20 Minute Service

A petition signed by about 160 residents has been sent to the company requesting that the bus service be extended to G street. Mr. Billingsley said that there was not sufficient time to grant this request but that at some later date, when it was possible to run over the new bridge at a greater speed that the buses would possibly go out as far as E street. Twenty minute service will be used under the new schedule and new routing, according to Mr. Billingsley. The council has the request for a change of franchise under advisement.

Mike Bainbridge has petitioned the council for the construction of 58 feet of cement sidewalk in front of his property on East Main street.

Hydrant Flushing Change Wanted

The council voted to turn the flushing of hydrants over to the Mountain States Power company, provided that the company was willing. The power company now pays seven dollars a month for this service. Councilmen believe that the company would know better the condition of the hydrants if it did the flushing, instead of the chief of police for the city.

The Baptist church was granted permission to erect a sign on the parking near the corner of Main and Second streets, if the property owners did not object.

Mayor Tyson directed the sewer and street committee to bring in recommendations at the next meeting. Traffic problems will be studied by him, he promised the council.

EUGENE CHAPTER INVITES EASTERN STAR LADIES

Announcement was made at the regular monthly dinner meeting of the ladies of the Eastern Star held Tuesday evening, that the officers and members of the Evangeline chapter of Eastern Star at Eugene had extended an invitation to the members of the chapters at Springfield, Creswell, and Junction City to be their guests at an entertainment to be given by them on Friday evening. Several local people will attend the gathering.

Plans for a silver tea are being formulated by members of the group. They will have their tea at the home of Mrs. W. C. Wright at 650 E street on October 24.

TRIPLE AGREEMENT SUN. SERMON TOPIC

Rev. Ralph Mullholand, pastor of the Baptist church, has chosen the "Three Fold Agreement" for his sermon topic for Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m.

"A Fatal Mistake and how to Make it" will be the topic for the evening service, which will begin at 7:30.

Sunday school meets at 10:00 a. m. with classes for all ages. The young people will meet at 6:30 and will study the book of the Ephesians.

The pre-service question for Sunday evening is "Do Married Men Live Longer than Single Men?"

BLACKSMITH SHOP WILL BE REBUILT DECLARES OWNER

The Al Senseney blacksmith shop which burned to the ground in a bad night fire last Wednesday, while the owner was in California, will be rebuilt on the same site, according to Mr. Senseney, who arrived in Springfield the day after the fire. Actual work of rebuilding will be started as soon as the debris can be cleared away.

About three thousand dollars, most of which represented tools, was the estimate which Mr. Senseney placed upon his loss this week. He carried no insurance on the building or the equipment.

Workmen were busy the first of the week repairing the buildings belonging to Dr. W. H. Pollard which were partly burned by the fire.

The fire was one of the most stubborn ones which the local fire force had to contend with for some time. Charred lumber continued to smolder over the week-end and fire officials made another run to the site of the fire Tuesday morning to sprinkle water on a pile of wood which threatened to burst into flames again.

COUNTY CHAMBER TO MEET TONIGHT IN CITY; INTERESTING PROGRAM

More than fifty people are expected to attend the banquet and meeting of the county chamber of commerce, which is to be held here this evening at the chamber of commerce rooms.

Judge C. P. Barnard will address the gathering on the road oiling program for Lane county. Edward Bailey, Junction City, state representative from Lane county, will talk on "Taxation," and Thomas Nelson, also of Junction City, will discuss the new calendar which has been proposed by the United States Chamber of Commerce, and which is being considered by most of the civic bodies in the country.

An added feature for the program this evening will be the showing of the motion pictures taken at the Obsidian camp last summer by Dot Dotson. The pictures depict the wild life and natural beauties of the mountain ranges in Eastern Lane county.

The women of the Christian church are preparing the banquet for the guests, who will include delegates from each chamber body in the county, the grange, specially invited speakers and the general public.

The county chamber of commerce holds meetings in various parts of the county each month, and each member of the organization has its officially elected delegates to attend. All persons interested in these meetings are invited to attend those held in their home town.

W. A. Taylor is chairman of the committee making the arrangements for the meeting here tonight.

FORMER CITY COUNSEL DIES IN CALIFORNIA

J. H. Bower, who was city attorney of Springfield during the years of the world war, died early this week while on a trip to California. He was a resident of Springfield for several years prior to his holding office. The family later moved to a small ranch on Motor Route B, where they lived for a few years before moving to Eugene.

FOUR-L ELECTS MONDAY INITIATES SAME MEET

Election of officers will be the principal item of business to come before the regular meeting of the Four-L members on next Monday evening, when that body meets at the W. O. W. hall, according to James King, secretary. The officers will be elected for a six months' term of office and will be initiated the same evening.

NEEDLECRAFT CLUB HAS MEETING TODAY

The regular meeting of the Needlecraft club will be held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. N. Long in this city. Mrs. Long will have as her assisting hostess, Mrs. O. H. Jarrett.

Spends Sunday at Mapleton

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Turner motored to Mapleton Sunday, where they enjoyed a dinner prepared over an open campfire. They were accompanied by Mrs. Turner's brother, L. B. Woodruff and the A. S. Newman family, all of Eugene.

Fog No Problem at Airport Sunday

Sunday Program Draws Large Crowd; Waco Plane Repainted

Another of the advantages of the Springfield municipal airport over many of the others in the Willamette valley was demonstrated here last Sunday when Major Eckerson took his ships from the hangars and went into the sky for four hours before the fog had lifted sufficiently over Eugene to permit complete visibility of the city, and before ships were able to leave the ground there with any certainty of finding the field when they desired to land. The major was hauling passengers here at the one cent per pound rate many hours before the ships at the Eugene port left the ground.

About one hundred and fifty more people took their first rides at the local field Sunday, and several thousand more drove out and watched from time to time during the day. It was very evident last Sunday that Springfield has one of the foremost fliers in the country stationed at her port here in the person of Major G. H. Eckerson. This was indicated by the manner in which the large crowds of people, gathered at the field at three o'clock to watch the Sunday afternoon stunting carnival, which has become a fixed part of every Sunday's flying with the major.

Four hundred and fifty passengers have been hauled at the local port last week, and several of the students have been taking daily lessons in the Arrow sport plane, which is equipped with dual controls for instruction purposes. In this ship the pilot and instructor rides in the same seat with the student and is able to watch the manner in which the student handles the controls of the plane.

Lloyd Keeny has had eighteen hours of solo flying at the present time, and it was expected that an inspector from the Department of Commerce office at Portland would be here this week to examine Mr. Keeny for his private pilot license, but word reaching here Wednesday indicated that the representative would be unable to visit the field until the first of the week.

The red Waco sport ship which Major Eckerson has been using in his stunting work, and which has proved so popular with passengers is receiving a new coat of paint this week. It was announced at the field this morning that the paint would be dry and that the usual passenger hauling would continue Sunday.

Christian Church Will Hold Rally Next Sunday

Elaborate Program Offered; Men will Provide Venison and Bear Meat for Dinner; Eugene Women Will Present Pageant at Evening Program

The program for the annual rally day at the Christian church next Sunday has been carefully worked out in every detail, and the committee is expecting the largest crowd that has ever been present at a similar rally. Miss Frances Travis is the general chairman of the rally program arrangements. She is being assisted by several sub-committees.

The rally day program, which is scheduled to start promptly at 9:45, has been announced by Miss Travis as follows:

Orchestra selection—"Pride of the Navy."
"Will Your Anchor Hold?"—Quintet. Lawrence Moffatt, Dallas Murphy, E. L. McKinney, Walter Nealon, Gerald Morrison.
Prayer.

Rally Day Message by Professor Earl S. Childers of Eugene.

Orchestra—"Fort Washington March."

Twenty minute class period.
Orchestra—"Vallonia."

"Ready Our Captain to Obey."
Male quintet.

Violin Solo—"Souvenir," by Eldred Glespey.

"When the Roll is Called Up Yonder," Ladies quartet. Mrs. Charles Wilson, Mrs. Percy Tyson, Mrs. Cliff Abrams, and Miss Agatha Beals.

Talk by Supt. S. G. Moshler, and Rally Day Offering.

Steel Guitar solo by Walter Lee. Vocal solo, by Miss Uldine Garten, of Eugene Bible University.

"All the Way My Savior Leads Me." Ladies quartet.

SWARTS FAMILY IS IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Springfield People Have Ribs, Collarbone, Broken in Highway Accident Near Albany; Auto is Burned; Passengers Taken to Hospital.

Five Springfield people were badly shaken up and three of them received severe injuries yesterday afternoon at 3:30, when the automobile being driven by C. E. Swarts turned over on the highway about half way between Albany and Jefferson. The automobile caught fire immediately and was completely demolished by the flames. It was necessary to cut out the rear end of the auto to release the passengers, who were imprisoned within the flaming machine.

The passengers were C. E. Swarts, driver, Mrs. C. E. Swarts, Miss Edna Swarts, Mrs. Mary Kessey, and Mrs. Alice Johnson. Mrs. Swarts has three broken ribs, Mrs. Johnson has a broken collarbone, and Miss Swarts has several cuts about her legs, the result of flying glass. The others were badly bruised and shocked. They were taken to Albany for treatment in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Swarts did not hear of the accident until six o'clock last night, when his father called him and gave out the particulars. They went to Albany immediately and finding that the patients were all resting easily, they returned home. Mrs. Kessey accompanied them. The others were still at the hospital this morning.

Another motorist following behind the Swarts car said that he watched the Swarts machine begin to swerve and skid just before it turned over. It happened so fast that he was unable to tell just how many times it turned over, if it did so more than once.

A light rain had been falling and the pavement was still wet when the accident occurred. The Swarts auto was completely destroyed, and was not insured against fire. It was insured for public liability, however, according to C. A. Swarts, son of the driver of the wrecked machine.

The party had been to Salem and were returning home when the accident happened.

Leave for Canadian Tour

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson expect to leave Springfield sometime today on an extended motor trip, which will take them to Victoria and other points in Canada before they return.

Football Team to Meet U.H.S. Here

Local Team to Make Bow on Home Field Tomorrow At 3:15 P. M.

The first home game for the Springfield high school football team will be played tomorrow afternoon when the University high school team is booked to cross the river and try to turn the tide which has until the present time carried the local boys to two successive victories.

It is expected that the entire aggregation of players will be out and in uniform for the game tomorrow, which the boys confidently expect to win. There is not very much available information as to the relative strength of the two teams. The University high men have not had the benefit of two previous matches.

The game will be called at 3:15 on the field adjoining the Brattain school. The classes of the high school are conducting a contest in the sale of season tickets which are good for all the home contests.

Two games and two victories is the record made thus far by the Springfield high school football team. The local men went to Lebanon on October 3, and had very little difficulty in defeating the high school team of that city. Last Friday the boys, together with a large number of students and townspeople, went to Junction City, where they handed their opponents the short end of a 19 to 0 score.

Despite the fact that two of the regular tackles, Jess Sumner and Gerald Morrison, were out of the lineup on Friday due to illness, the local boys played their best football of the season. The game was very different from the one at Lebanon, where the playing was very loose and penalties very frequent. There was only one penalty attached to the locals in the Friday game. The Junction City boys made only one first down and never seriously endangered the Springfield goal.

The starting lineup for the Junction City game was as follows: Ralph Cole, L. E.; Claire Thurman, R. E.; Dalton Thurman, L. T.; Gaylord Morse, L. T.; Harold Geiger, L. G.; Quentin Thurman, R. G.; John Lynch C.; Hersey Tomseth, L. H.; Pat McMurry, R. H.; Freeman Squires, F.; Everett Squires, Q.

OFFICERS ELECTED AT ANNUAL MEETING OF BAPTIST PEOPLE

About eighty members of the local Baptist church gathered at the church parlors on Friday, October 10, for a basket supper which preceded the annual meeting of the congregation.

The work of the past year and the plans for the new year were discussed.

Many of the church officers were re-elected for another term. The officers elected were Luther Steinhower, deacon; Harry Chase, superintendent of the Sunday school; Mrs. Ella Walker, deaconess; Mrs. Francis Zachary, clerk of the church; Fred Frese, treasurer; Dale Horton, Elmo Chase and Clarence Chase, trustees for one year; Wilford Cook, choir leader; Mrs. W. Cook, superintendent of primary department; Mrs. Ada McPherson, president of the ladies aid; and Mrs. Ogilvie, president of the missionary society.

The B. Y. P. U. elected Vernice Hawke as president; Hazel Wilson vice president; and Myrtle Harvey, secretary treasurer.

The congregation voted to redecorate the young people's room, to buy a new rug and to secure some new pictures. The young people have been meeting upstairs now for some time. The congregation also voted to purchase some new song books.

Mr. and Mrs. Pyne Here

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Pyne were in Springfield calling on their friends yesterday. Mr. Pyne was formerly connected with the mechanical department of The News and has recently been employed in a similar capacity on a Crescent City, California, newspaper.

Given Promotion

Private Neal Gillons has received his promotion to the post of corporal in the local guard unit. Alfred Townsend, former corporal, has been appointed staff sergeant. The regular weekly drill will be held this evening.

FULOP TO REOPEN NEW STORE IN CITY

Lease Two Rooms in Stevens-Perkins Building on Main Street and Prepares to Take Possession November 1st After Remodeling.

A new drygoods and furnishings store will be open in Springfield about November 1 by Julius Fulop, for many years a merchant here, who Wednesday leased the Stevens-Perkins building on Main street, between Third and Fourth streets.

Workmen were busy early this morning removing the hales of hops which have been stored in the building and in tearing out the old partitions preparatory to the remodeling of the building, which is expected to be complete by the first week of November.

Mr. Fulop stated when here yesterday that he wanted to move into the new location just as soon as remodeling could be completed. He left last night for Portland, where he will purchase stock and fixtures.

The merchant, who is returning to Springfield, formerly operated the Farmers' Exchange store at Fifth and Main streets. He disposed of his stock to Kafoury Brothers and has lately been conducting a store at Monroe. He is well acquainted with the merchandising problems of the Northwest. He is a brother of the Fulops who have the store in Eugene and who also own and operate several other stores in Oregon and Washington.

SPRINGFIELD RESIDENTS ATTEND N. O. W. MEET AT COTTAGE GROVE

Many members and friends of the Springfield circle of the Neighbors of Woodcraft went to Cottage Grove Friday evening, where they were the guests of the Cottage Grove chapter at a supper and entertainment. The occasion was the third anniversary of the founding of the chapter in that city.

Miss Ida Adams entertained the meeting with several readings. The local people presented the Grove chapter with a huge basket of yellow chrysanthemums in honor of the anniversary, and they in turn were each given ribbons of the color of the order.

Those attending from Springfield were Mrs. C. F. Eggmann, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Hilderbrandt, Mrs. Ida Adams, Mrs. Wayne Clover, Mrs. Ike Endicott, Mrs. H. McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chase, Mrs. W. A. Taylor, Mrs. Arnie Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Webb, Mrs. O. F. Kizer, Mrs. Ernest Bertsch, Mrs. Walter Laxton, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lipes, Mrs. W. C. McLagan, Mrs. Edgar Trotter, Miss Melba Mellon, Mrs. Stella Lewis, Mrs. Chick McPherson, Mrs. Rachel Thatcher, Mrs. Mary Ernst, Mrs. Mary Gibson, Mrs. Leota Rodenbough, Mrs. Roda Lloyd, Mrs. Nellie Carr, Mrs. Cowert, and Mrs. Fred Hills.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB TRYOUTS COMPLETED; DIRECTOR PLEASSED

The tryouts for the girls' glee club at the high school were completed last week and regular practice is now being held every Monday and Wednesday during the activity period. There were many students who tried out for the various parts and both Mr. McKinney, the music instructor, and Principal Buell are very much enthused over the prospects for a first class girls' glee club this year.

The successful contenders for the positions are: first soprano, Vernice Hawke, Eva Louk, Ruth Bettis, Leola Gates and Junia May; second soprano, Doris Chase, Hazel Wilson, Beulah Richardson, Daisy Tomseth, Betty Anderson and Jessie Beals; alto, Lela Squires, Nellie Wright, Lela Maxwell and Evelyn Beal.

Bernice Cline was selected as the pianist for the singers.

Three alternates were selected and they meet with the regular members of the glee club and practice with them, so as to be in readiness to fill any vacancy that might occur. They are: second soprano, Jewel Hildebrand; first soprano, Helen Mersdorf; and alto, Pauline Meakins.

The boys' glee club is suffering for want of sufficient material. They are holding practice sessions, however.