

EDITORIAL

Should We Have a Community Chest?

Should Heppner have a community chest of its own? That's a question being studied by the Heppner chamber of commerce and the subject for the principal discussion at next Monday's luncheon meeting.

As far as the subject has been discussed by the luncheon group the opinion prevails that one drive should be made to build up a fund to meet the various calls coming from local and outside agencies. There are certain dependencies, such as the Salvation Army, the Red Cross and the Christmas Seal Sale, which are not included, or have not been, in the War Chest drives conducted here the past three seasons. It has so happened that following the canvass for the War Chest, some of the homes that have always solicited independently have put their representatives in the field asking for funds. This has confused many people who have already given to the War Chest and they naturally have sought the reason for being solicited when they thought they were giving once for all the agencies.

The Seal Sale and the Red Cross are classed as membership drives and will remain that way. It is doubtful if the Salvation Army will come in with a quota, relying more upon the efforts of authorized representatives to continue their work.

In the War Chest drive recently completed here certain amounts were allotted for the Boy Scout and Girl Scout movements. It develops that the sums are not sufficient and that another drive may be made to raise the required amount. Proponents of the community chest idea feel that local needs should be taken care of first, at the same time deeming it necessary to provide a fund that will meet the quotas set up by agencies for which we have been providing and which will continue to look to us for support.

The principal idea back of a community chest is to get away from so many financial drives by establishing a fund which, if not all used in one year can be retained as a starter for the next year's campaign.

It is hoped the chamber of commerce will find good reason for taking the proposal to the business houses and the people of the community. It can't be calmed that it will require less giving, although there may be individual cases where the one

check will effect a saving to the donor. The chest idea should also prove a protection to those who subscribe to its funds. There are many bogus solicitors who, when confronted with a card denoting the holder is a subscriber to the community chest will not remain long in the community. It might be added that we can expect a crop of solicitors of one kind or another at the first signs of a tightening of business. When that time arrives we should be in position to protect ourselves.

Dictatorship Costly

While one might wish to see a much heavier fine pinned on John L. Lewis, in all probability the judge gave him about all the law allows and the public will have to be content. It may be that Judge Goldsborough had a yearning to make the fine stiffer but being restrained by legal limitations took the satisfaction of putting the UMW chief in his place by administering a thorough verbal spanking. And a plugged nickel says that John L. would prefer paying more money and hearing less from the judge.

It remains to be seen what the coal dictator's next move will be, for he is a dictator of the first order. So long as he is in the saddle as ruler over some 400,000 subjects whose labor so vitally affects industry and the comfort of millions of people he will hold on to every advantage within his power. He has defied the government, but in the words of the presiding judge he is promulgating a "monstrous thing—a threat which, if successful, would reduce the American people to cold, hunger and destitution, overthrow their government and set up a dictatorship over them."

Judge Goldsborough then issued a note of warning to Lewis and his followers when he said: "If it becomes a question of the destruction of this union, or the preservation of the country, the country is going to be preserved."

It is not the will of the dictator to listen to warning. Huey Long couldn't be bothered, and Huey Long was stopped by an assassin's bullet. Hitler believed firmly in the abuse of power and his dream of world conquest faded into oblivion—Hitler along with it. And now we have John L. Lewis defying the United States government and it may be that he is treading on thin ice. Public opinion has not been aroused to a desperate point but once it is it will spell the doom of the man with the iron jaw.



LEGISLATIVE FLUX FORESEEN

There will be super steering committees, branch steering committees and sub-steering committees at the coming session of the Oregon legislature. State officials here at the capital reveal that at the meeting of the Multnomah delegation, "the little legislature," held last week, all were apprehensive of a record number of bills. Legislators who are now in a "receptive hypnotic state" for their constituents declare there also is a preponderance of proposed legislation.

Under the order of first things first, the problem of state building will receive major consideration. The state has \$14,000,000 allocated for badly needed state buildings and buildings to replace badly dilapidated structures. This amount will now construct only 64 percent of the number planned when the money was allocated. "Humanity demands that we care for state wards. We must not let the increased cost violate our duty towards them," says Secretary of State Robert S. Farrell Jr. The weight of his statement will be adhered to by the Multnomah delegation. An additional \$5,000,000 will be required to augment the state building program of the 1945 legislature, which when adopted was considered to be conservative compared to the emergency. It is only good business, argues Farrell to keep state buildings in good repair, not let them deteriorate to the point where they will become a total loss.

STATE POLICE REPORT

During the past thirty days state police arrested 2210 persons for violations of motor vehicle registration, equipment and operation laws which resulted in fines totaling \$15,575.67 and sentences totaling 1778 days in jail or the penitentiary, 233 cases are still pending. Drivers without licenses lead the list of violators with proliferators of the rules of the road second and drivers of cars without tail-lights in third place. Stolen motor vehicles with a value of \$23,085.38 were recovered. In the same period 259 general law violators were arrested resulting in sentences totaling 33.53 years and \$1,832.70 in fines. There were 373 arrests made for violation of the game code resulting in \$13,372 in fines and 3.77 years in sentences.

RECENT LEGAL OPINIONS

Attorney General Neuner this week released the following decisions on state laws. Only the public employer, and not the employee, can move to defer the retirement of a superannuated employee, on and after the effective date of compulsory retirement. The secretary of state's department is not authorized to issue a motor vehicle dealer's license to one who deals exclusively in trailers. The Oregon law, regulating the conduct of a business under an assumed name, the filing of only one assumed name is permitted. An alien, unlawfully in this country, but who resided in the state of Oregon for the legal period of time with the intention of making his home here, has sufficient legal residence within the meaning of the Oregon law to obtain a valid divorce decree. The Oregon law requiring the payment of wages upon end of employment, makes no exception in regard to employers whose pay roll records are not readily available at place where employment ceases. The law requires immediate payment, whether the work ceases by discharge of the employee, by mutual agreement or by resignation after notice.

FIRST CAR MANUAL OUT

Secretary of State Robert S. Farrell Jr. will start distribution this week of the first printed copies of the Oregon high school driving course booklets. The course has been designed to conform with the state's required curriculum in health, physical education and accident prevention program. The course is in eight parts arranged for high school students to instruct them in the technique of handling a car and their responsibilities as drivers.

NEW WEAPON IN PEST WAR



A fog-maker similar to that used in World War II to screen troop movements, is a powerful new weapon in the peacetime war on insects and other pests. Produced by Desler Corporation of Emeryville, California, and called the "Ber-Kill Aerosol Generator," the machine sends out a lethal fog which destroys pests on crops and livestock; in orchards; and in barns and other buildings. It is also being used in cities and towns for controlling flies and mosquitoes.

Oregon Junior Growers • Win Top Western Awards

A 19-YEAR OLD Oregonian, George Grenz of Albany, was declared regional champion grower for 11 western states as member of the National Junior Vegetable Growers' Association gathered in Boston, Mass. for their 12th annual three-day convention. In addition to the regional championship, residents of the Beaver State also walked off with two sectional and three state awards from the \$6,000 in scholarships provided annually by the A & P Food Stores for the competitive production and efficient marketing of vegetables. In all, Oregon captured six of the sixteen prizes distributed west of the Rockies. National champion, and winner of the \$500 top scholarship award, is 17-year-old Jim Spell of Mississippi. Results in the year's project were announced by Prof. Grant B. Snyder of Massachusetts State College, adult advisor for the young vegetable growers. George, who collects a \$200 scholarship for his year's efforts, is the son of John F. Grenz, operator of a 137-acre farm in Llan County. George entered his den project of slightly over nine acres in the 1946 NJVGA contest. He sold much of the produce from his 25 crops, used the rest at home, and recorded a net profit of \$2,633. He attributes his success this year to four factors—good seedbeds, maximum use of fertilizer, over 90 per cent top grade produce and early marketing. Grenz is a veteran winner, having captured over 60 awards in garden, poultry and field competition. He has been president of his 4-H Garden Club for two years and holds an FFA "Oregon Farmer Degree."

Marjorie Zeller, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Zeller of Brockway, and Lynn Hofer, son of Mrs. E. Hofer, of Albany, were crowned sectional champions, each receiving a \$100 A & P scholarship. Marjorie, Douglas County 4-H garden titleholder this year, grew produce valued at \$722 on two-thirds of an acre at a cost of only \$95. Lynn, who graduated from high school a year ago, has the entire responsibility of running a 60-acre farm with the help of his mother. He nevertheless was able to show a net profit of \$2,034 from his vegetable project of 22 acres. The three state winners in Oregon, each receiving a \$10 prize, are Ted Schattner, 17, of Brockway, Jo Anne Lang, 14, of Sublimity and Rex Vollstedt, 10, of Albany.



George Grenz



Lynn Hofer



Miss Zeller



Lynn Hofer

PIN-UP SET TO MUSIC

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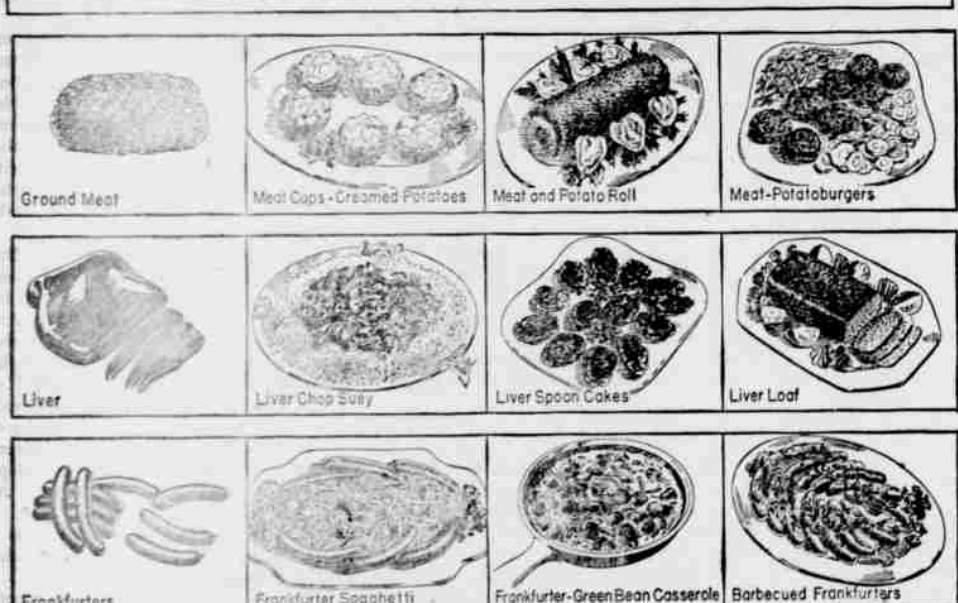
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BUDGET HELPERS FOR THE HOUSEWIFE



Although more meat is available today, Mrs. Housewife can continue to make good use of the meats she relies on during the period of scarcity. There are a number of these which offer many opportunities for variety and at the same time are easy on the budget.

The meats pictured above are excellent examples. Most housewives include them in their family meals but more often than not the ways in which they are served are very limited.

As a matter of fact there are almost endless possibilities for using these meats in preparing dishes that are different. A few suggestions are given here.

Meat-Potatoburgers
Combine 1 pound hamburger, 2 cups coarsely grated unpeeled potato, 1/4 cup grated onion, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt and 1/4 teaspoon pepper. Mix well. Shape into 8 patties and broil or panbroil slowly until done.

Liver Chop Suet
Cut 1 pound liver in 1" x 1/4" strips. Cook in 4 tablespoons lard or drippings 5 minutes. Add 1 cup sliced celery, 1 cup sliced onions. Cook 5 minutes. Add 1 can Chinese vegetables and liquid and 4 teaspoons soy sauce. Simmer until meat is thoroughly cooked, about 1/2 hour. Season, thicken. Serve over hot rice.

Liver Spoon Cakes
Cook 1 pound sliced liver in 1 tablespoon drippings in frying-pan about 5 minutes. Grind liver; add 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, and 2 eggs, well beaten. Mix well. Drop by tablespoons into hot shallow lard or drippings. Brown well on both sides.

Liver Loaf
Cook 1 1/2 pounds sliced liver in 2 tablespoons drippings 5 minutes. Grind liver. Combine with 1 cup bread crumbs, 1/4 cup milk, juice of 1/2 lemon, 2 tablespoons tomato catsup, 1/2 cup pork sausage, 1/4 teaspoon paprika, 1 small onion, finely chopped, 1 egg, beaten, 1 teaspoon salt, and 1/4 teaspoon pepper. Mix well. Turn into a loaf pan lined with bacon. Place bacon strips on top. Bake in moderate oven, 1 hour.

Frankfurter Spaghetti
Slice 1 pound frankfurters in 1/4-inch pieces. Brown frankfurters and 1/2 cup diced onion in 1 tablespoon lard or drippings. Add 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon allspice, 1/4 teaspoon cloves, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, 1 1/2 cups tomato juice and 3 cups cooked spaghetti. Simmer until thickened. Brown 1/2 pound whole frankfurters. Serve around spaghetti.

Frankfurter — Green Bean Casserole
Slice 1 pound frankfurters, 1/4-inch thick. Brown in 3 tablespoons drippings. Stir 5 tablespoons flour into drippings, add 2 cups milk and 1 teaspoon salt. Cook until thickened. Add 1 tablespoon Worcester sauce, 1/4 cup grated cheese and 2 cups green beans. Combine with frankfurters. Bake in moderate oven 40 minutes.

Barbecued Frankfurters
Arrange 1 1/2 pounds frankfurters in shallow pan. Pour Barbecue Sauce over them. Bake uncovered for 30 minutes in a moderate oven. To make Barbecue Sauce: Brown 1 medium onion, chopped, in 2 tablespoons margarine or butter. Add 2 tablespoons vinegar, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 1 cup catsup, 3 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce, 1/2 tablespoon prepared mustard, 1/4 cup water, 1/4 cup chopped celery, salt and red pepper. Simmer 30 minutes.

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NEW LAWS EFFECTIVE
There are six more laws on the statute books of Oregon than there were a week ago. The six measures passed by 59-22 percent of the registered voters at the November general election became effective when the official canvass of the vote was made last Friday. The new measures are constitutional amendments providing for succession of governor, permitting legislative bills to be read by title only, allowing Chinese to hold real estate and mining claims; and bills to create a basic school support fund, regulating commercial fishing, and to create rural school districts.

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