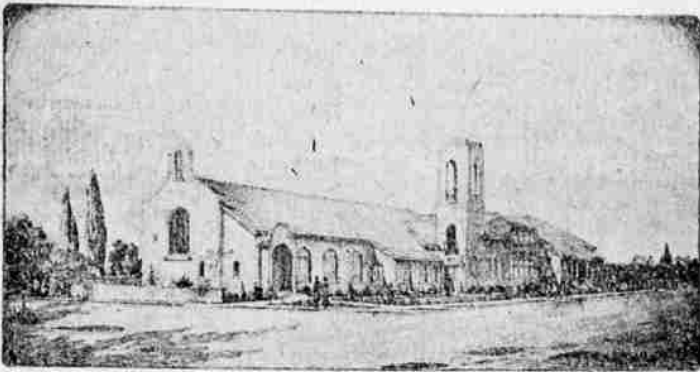


THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS SUBSCRIBED AT CHURCH SERVICE YESTERDAY TO BUILD NEW METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN CITY



Drawing of Proposed new Methodist Church

The campaign to complete the raising of funds for the new Methodist church was definitely launched yesterday with two great services. Dr. A. L. Howarth of Portland was the principle speaker. His sermons were inspirational in character. His subject in the morning was, "The Beautiful Gate of the Temple." He outlined the place of the church in serving the community, and commended the local congregation for their effort to give to Medford a modern church, equipped to render large service to the city.

At the close of Dr. Howarth's sermon at the morning service, O. C. Boggs, chairman of the official board, made a statement. He said that the trustees were unanimous in their conviction that now is the time to build the church. "Three years ago we launched our forward movement program, and have made steady progress," he said. "We purchased a modern parsonage, and have it paid for and all clear. We then purchased the lots for the new building, and they are paid for; we do not even owe any paving assessments on them. And our fund for the new building has been growing. We now have twenty thousand dollars in cash and cashable assets. Now the time has come when the officials feel that the new building should be erected." Mr. Boggs concluded by asking all who felt that this is the time to build and would make a

subscription, thus showing their cooperation, to arise. A large majority of the people stood up.

Subscriptions Taken

Dr. Howarth then said that it might be a good plan to expedite matters by starting the subscription list there and then. Thereupon M. I. Minear arose and said, "I for one feel that we should back our officials with the heartiest cooperation. I will give a thousand dollars." S. L. Leonard followed with a pledge of five hundred dollars, and one after another until approximately three thousand five hundred dollars was pledged in a very short time.

The matter of raising the balance of the fund is in the hands of a committee and several teams of workers. Headquarters for the campaign have been established in the office of the Building and Loan Association on Central avenue, and all the members of the church were asked not to wait for the teams to call on them, but go in to the campaign headquarters and voluntarily make their subscription.

Will Avoid Debt
The trustees have announced their purpose not to let the contract until they feel that the building is financed. Rev. Sasnett said this morning, "There is a fixed determination on the part of our officials not to saddle a back-breaking debt onto our people. We have plans for a church that will be a credit to the community, both from the standpoint of architectural design and facilities for serving the social, recreational and spiritual life of the community, and we believe the entire community will support a business like policy in making this building possible. We desire to give this building, fully completed and equipped to Medford this fall; and we do not want dedication day to be a debt-raising day, but a day of rejoicing over a worthy achievement. The plans have been passed upon by all the officials connected with the work of the northwest, by our bureau of expert architects at Chicago, and duly adopted by our local officials. We now have bids on the building and are ready to let the contract the minute the cost of the building is underwritten."

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Medford, Oregon, Jan. 12, 1917.

This is to certify that I, the undersigned, had very severe stomach trouble and had been bothered for several years and last August was not expected to live, and hearing of Gim Chung (whose herb store is at 214 South Front street, Medford), I decided to get herbs for my stomach trouble, and I started to feel better as soon as I used them and today am a well man and can heartily recommend anyone afflicted as I was to see Gim Chung and try his herbs.

(Signed) W. R. JOHNSON.

Witnesses: Wm. Lewis, Eagle Point; W. L. Childers, Eagle Point; M. A. Anderson, Medford; S. B. Holmes, Eagle Point; C. E. Moore, Eagle Point; J. V. McIntyre, Eagle Point; Geo. Von der Hellen, Eagle Point; Theo. E. Nichols, Eagle Point.

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SHEARER RECITAL SUNDAY NIGHT MUCH ENJOYED

The Presbyterian church was filled to capacity Sunday evening when Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shearer of Montreal, Canada, who have been in town since Thursday, gave a program of sacred music. Groups of songs and organ numbers representing French, German, English and American ideals of religious music were given in a most delightful and enjoyable manner. "The Voice Crying in the Wilderness" by John Pringle Scott, "I Will Extol Thee" by Bosta, and "The Procession" by Cecil Franck were big numbers, making heavy demands on the musical and interpretative powers of the singer and were pleasing to the audience at the same time. Mr. Shearer's organ playing is scholarly and intelligent and while he is well schooled in the traditions of organ and piano playing he gives his renditions the human touch that makes them a delight to his listeners. This concert tour began a year ago as a six months' vacation trip, but the semi-impromptu concerts were so well received and Mr. and Mrs. Shearer liked doing it so well that the six months became twelve and is now to be extended another year. Should they return here they have made many friends who will give them a warm welcome.

Stanfield's Secretary To Aid Service Men

E. J. Adams, secretary to Senator Stanfield, who will be in Medford on Wednesday to address the members of the Medford Chamber of Commerce at their meeting that evening, wishes to be of assistance to ex-service men who are having difficulty in getting their claims against the government adjusted. Appointments with Mr. Adams may be arranged for in advance at the Chamber of Commerce office.

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS

(Continued from last Friday)

County Attorney

Rawles Moore, district attorney stenographer, \$75.00

Rawles Moore, expenses district attorney, \$21.76

Stock Inspection

W. M. Barber, claims for slaughtered cattle, \$12.50

M. M. Brower, claim for slaughtered cattle, \$8.94

E. L. Childers, claim for slaughtered cattle, \$50.00

B. L. Delsman, claim for slaughtered cattle, \$10.10

J. P. Dittworth, claim for slaughtered cattle, \$9.39

R. Earl Jones, claim for slaughtered cattle, \$9.02

Leonard Oorthuys, claim for slaughtered cattle, \$10.64

C. T. Payne, claim for slaughtered cattle, \$8.84

R. E. Robison, claim for slaughtered cattle, \$9.31

C. M. Walto, claim for slaughtered cattle, \$12.21

Total, \$140.95

County Library Fund

Carol Cox Book Co., books, \$15.85

The J. K. Gill Co., books, \$1.68

Mildred Bliton, salary, \$70.00

The H. R. Huntington Co., books, \$4.50

Marjorie Myers, salary, \$30.00

Medford Book Store, books and supplies, \$355.88

Oregon City Enterprise, binding 80 volumes, \$52.00

E. Fay Woolsey, current expense, \$20.00

E. Fay Woolsey, salary, \$66.66

Total, \$616.57

Prohibition Enforcement Fund

J. H. Leggett, prohibition enforcement, \$122.00

Bert Moses, prohibition enforcement, \$4.00

Standard Oil Co., supplies prohibition enforcement, \$61.74

S. B. Sandefor, prohibition enforcement, \$457.42

Hilton Motors, prohibition enforcement, \$58.50

S. B. Sandefor, salary and expense prohibition enforcement, \$25.00

Bert Moses, prohibition enforcement, \$20.00

Total, \$758.66

General Fund

E. A. Flemming, grand jury witness fees, \$2.00

Road Fund

Road District No. 1

The Billings Agency, premium on bond road district No. 1, \$3.00

Road District No. 2

Wm. Bruin, payroll road district No. 2, \$173.00

Road District No. 3

Wm. Perry, payroll road district No. 3, \$376.50

Road District No. 4

Medford Concrete Cons. Co., supplies road dist. No. 4, \$4.32

W. M. Tetherow, payroll road district No. 4, \$111.80

Jim Watkins, labor, road district No. 4, \$15.00

Total, \$147.62

Road District No. 5

Paul B. Ryaning, payroll road district No. 5, \$100.71

Fred A. Smith, payroll road district No. 5	60.71
Roland A. Smith, payroll road district No. 5	91.07
Lester E. Smith, payroll road district No. 5	60.71
Tomlin Box Factory, supplies road district No. 5	5.00
F. J. Watson, payroll road district No. 5	36.20
Total	\$254.40

Road District No. 6

John Welch, payroll road district No. 6, \$206.97

Road District No. 7

Wm. Von der Hellen, Butte Falls market road No. 7, \$161.95

Estimate No. 3

Brownlee Olds Lumber Co., supplies market road No. 7, \$62.00

Fennauhty Machinery Co., supplies market road No. 7, \$980.72

H. L. Heryford, supplies market road No. 7, \$66.25

Total, \$7270.92

Road District No. 8

H. L. Gregory, payroll road district No. 8, \$229.90

Road District No. 9

R. B. Vincent, payroll road district No. 9, \$183.66

Road District No. 10

A. L. Goodman, payroll road district No. 10, \$217.75

Road District No. 11

Charles Magerle, payroll district No. 11, \$689.75

Road District No. 12

W. L. Van Houten, payroll road district No. 12, \$516.48

General Roads

Ashland Iron Works, supplies general roads, \$15.45

W. J. Burbridge, payroll general roads, \$120.00

Billings Carriage and Auto Works, supplies general roads, \$4.85

Chandler & Lyon Co., supplies general roads, \$21.62

Sherman Davis, payroll general roads, \$120.00

Fred J. Flick, payroll general roads, \$15.30

C. E. Gates Auto Co., payroll general roads, \$28.73

Lyan Hartman, payroll general roads, \$10.50

A. Hinkle, payroll general roads, \$7.00

Hubbard Bros., supplies general roads, \$.50

A. T. Lundgren, payroll general roads, \$43.75

Elmer Morse, payroll general roads, \$120.00

Medford Furniture & Hdw. Co., supplies general roads, \$2.55

Oregon State Highway Commission, supplies general roads, \$764.23

Riverside Garage, supplies general roads, \$58.00

Rolly Rinsburger, payroll general roads, \$108.00

Thos. Roseberry, payroll general roads, \$146.02

Union Oil Co., supplies general roads, \$249.29

Arthur Shaffer, payroll general roads, \$144.00

Jack Thrasher, payroll general roads, \$306.21

Union Oil Company, supplies general roads, \$17.66

Auto Supply Co., supplies general roads, \$3.72

Busy Corner Motor Company, supplies general roads, \$3.80

Chandler Lyon Co., supplies general roads, \$30.53

W. C. Stone & Co., supplies general roads, \$535.44

Offutt Garage, supplies general roads, \$51.96

Standard Oil Co., supplies general roads, \$127.82

Shell Company, supplies general roads, \$20.87

Young's Machine & Auto Repair shop, supplies general roads, \$45.00

Colyear Motor Sales Co., supplies general road, \$9.47

Wesley Hartman, labor general roads, \$10.50

Total, \$3152.77

Crater Lake Highway

E. H. Hurd, right of way Crater Lake Highway, \$150.00

Bounty Report

Webb Neathamer, \$4.00

P. J. Amer, \$3.00

M. W. Denkens, \$2.00

J. B. Short, \$4.00

F. E. Edler, \$7.00

Clarence Hiles, \$14.00

Murrell De Ford, \$4.00

Ike Coffman, \$3.00

A. E. Collings, \$2.50

M. M. Mow, \$7.00

R. M. Conley, \$21.00

Mrs. E. T. Hall, \$9.00

Joe Culbertson, \$4.00

H. H. Fox, \$3.00

E. M. Case, \$4.00

C. L. McKinney, \$2.00

W. A. Cox, \$6.00

O. E. Austin, \$4.00

Marion Lance, \$4.00

Chester Kubli, \$2.00

W. H. Pomeroy, \$8.00

George Walter, \$7.00

Webb Neathamer, \$8.00

Hugh Combest, \$17.00

Frank Ortmann, \$8.00

L. C. Taylor, \$3.00

A. L. Kromling, \$11.00

Mark Wittingham, \$2.00

E. H. Finley, \$3.00

John Neiman, \$3.00

Zora Dahack, \$6.00

J. P. Denkens, \$2.00

M. H. Wampler, \$13.00

M. H. Wampler, \$16.00

Frank Kendall, \$8.00

Chas. J. Humphrey, \$5.00

Anton Ring, \$4.00

H. H. Fox, \$3.00

John Neiman, \$2.00

H. W. Barron, \$6.00

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