

H. T. PANKEY TO HEAD CHAMBER CENTRAL POINT

Chamber of Commerce Organized Last Evening—Beebe Vice-President, Tollefson Secretary—Co-operation Planned.

CENTRAL POINT, Jan. 29.—(Special)—With the organization of a chamber of commerce completed here last night, this city is looking forward to a period of development in increased population as well as in improved conditions. The chamber is the first to have been organized in 19 years and has plans of co-operating with other chambers of commerce in Jackson county and southern Oregon in solving problems of county wide interest and of benefit to the entire section.

L. C. Grimes, Kenneth Beebe, John Sheley, H. T. Pankey, Al Hermanson and I. D. Lewis were elected directors and out of their own number elected Mr. Pankey as president and Mr. Beebe as vice-president. T. P. Tollefson, organizer of the chamber of commerce, was chosen as secretary-manager and also as treasurer.

One of the first plans taken up by the directors included preliminary preparations for a city clean-up program and also plans for an entertainment to be held in a short time to raise chamber funds. A committee was also named to solicit memberships.

VALE—Contract to be let for bridge at junction of new stretch of Central Oregon highway with old piece of road.

SHORT TALK BY A THOUGHTFUL MOTHER

A California (Louis Beach) mother speaks: "Only a mother who has passed through anxious nights of fear of croup, hearing that hoarse, croupy cough constantly can appreciate our feeling of gratitude toward Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It stopped Junior's dreadful cough the first night he took it and it was a great relief to see him drop into a quiet sleep. Good also for whooping cough, measles cough and heavy, wheezy breathing. Sold and recommended everywhere. Jarmin & Woods Drug Store, Cor. Main and Central."

POULTRY RAISERS CONSIDER PLANS FOR DISSOLUTION

Clay D. Parker, manager of the Farm Co-operative; J. C. Hopper of Ashland and J. E. Judy of Griffin Creek, were elected trustees to liquidate the affairs of the Poultry Producers Association and prepare articles of dissolution in accordance with the state law.

A meeting of the members of the Poultry Producers Association of Southern Oregon was held at the Hotel Medford this afternoon at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of effecting a dissolution of the association and the absorption of its business by the Farmers Co-operative Exchange, recently reorganized.

J. E. Judy of Griffin creek, president of the poultryers, presided, and Clay D. Parker acted as secretary. There were 22 members present when the meeting opened, and more were expected before it closed.

A resolution adopted by the board of directors of the Farm Co-operative Exchange was read and approved. It called for the meeting of dissolution and a list of names of members dropped for failure to comply with the marketing clause of the agreement read.

The reasons for dissolution were that the business could better be handled by the Farm Co-operative, and that there was a sentiment within the organization that this be done.

W. Westerfield, a poultry raiser and expert of Washington state, addressed the meeting on problems of poultry raising. It was announced that Mr. Westerfield would be willing, if desired, to hold community meetings throughout the county, to discuss the poultry business.

President Judy told the gathering that \$5,000 of a \$12,000 obligation of the association had been paid.

Three trustees are scheduled to be elected this afternoon to liquidate and close the affairs of the association, in the event dissolution is decided upon.

Shayer Held Inmate

CANTON, Ohio, Jan. 29.—(P)—Edward Kalfenbaugh, 21-year-old Grove City, Pa., farm hand, who confessed killing Mr. and Mrs. John Oser while working at their dairy farm at Canal Fulton, today was held responsible for his act by three alienists appointed by the court.

SUTHERLIN—Union Oil company seeking location for tank service station here.

CRITESER LEAVES FOR DEAD INDIAN SNOW MEASURING

George Criteser of the district water master's office and his assistant, Fred Cummings, Jr., left the city this morning for the head of the Dead Indian divide to take water measurements of the snow content there, in accordance with the recently inaugurated state water department survey at various places over the state at various periods to reach conclusions as to the amount of water run that will be forthcoming next summer.

Mr. Criteser and assistant returned Sunday from having taken measurements at Anna Springs camp in Crater national park, and at the south of Klamath, entrance of that park. They report 42 inches of snow with a water density of 25.4 per cent at the Klamath entrance, and 70 inches of snow with an average water density of 23.5 per cent.

They did not go on up to the rim of Crater Lake, for on phoning an office from Anna Springs camp to the caretaker of the lodge, they learned that there was over six feet of snow there at that time.

The measurements reported are averaged from a series of 16 individual measurements taken along a line of 1500 feet in length at each station. They were taken January 23 and 25.

CHEV AND STUDEBAKER DISPUTE ROADWAY

An automobile collision which took place between a Chevrolet car driven by Claude Stevens and a Studebaker car, driver and owner unknown, at the corner of Holly and Main streets at 9:30 last Wednesday night, caused considerable interest in the downtown section at that time, and more since among the many people who knew of the accident because no report of it had appeared in the newspapers.

The sole reason for the non-publication is that the newspapers only learned of the accident last night and today, because of talk around town, and as far as can be learned no report of the accident being filed at the police station. One of the cars was quite badly damaged, according to report, having its radiator knocked completely off.

ASTORIA—New lighting contract proposed between Astoria and Pac. Tr. & L. Co. to save city \$2000 a year and give 85 more street lamps than at present.

ULMAN FEATURED AS ENTERTAINER FOR VIC MEYERS

Billy Ulman, popular entertainer and master of ceremonies, will be featured tonight with Vic Meyers and his original Columbia recording orchestra at Crystal Gardens, where a special dance will be staged under the auspices of the American Legion.

Ulman was featured with this orchestra for several years, and has won a place in the hearts of radio listeners, and the dancers by his exceptional singing ability. He comes with the Vic Meyers orchestra direct from the Trianon ballroom in Seattle, where they have been featured every night since the late Herb Weidoff closed his engagement there. Previously they were at the Rose room of the Butler hotel, and have played at numerous other leading hotels and ballrooms throughout the country.

He has won many admirers by his marvelous work over KJR and affiliated stations of the A. B. C. chain.

CAL PROMOTES ECONOMY

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years brought an ever-increasing improvement in the business of the government. Expenditures diminished until 1927, when, exclusive of the amount applied to debt reduction, they reached a point below the three billion mark. This was two billions below 1921. Billions were cut from the public debt with a large saving of interest. The first tax reduction came in November, 1921, and was followed by three succeeding reductions. Funds were saved to meet the cost of our much-needed public improvements, which had been in abeyance during the war period. Short-time notes and long-time bonds were paid off and refunded at lower rates.

While not claiming "that action by the national government deserves all the credit for the rapid restoration of the country's business from the great depression of 1921 or for the steady progress that has since taken place," the president declared that "unquestionably, however, wise governmental policies, and particularly wise economy in government expenditures with a steady reduction of the national debt, have had a dominant influence."

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LEGISLATOR AIMEE QUIZ IS BAFFLED

Mrs. McPherson Smiling But Hard Witness—Money to Judge Hardy Was 'Love Offering' She Says—Name of Ormiston Brings Flare From Counsel.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29.—(P)—Aimee Semple McPherson, celebrated pastor of Angelus temple, today had smilingly blocked all efforts of a special committee of the state legislature to revive her kidnapping, subsequent escape from her captors and trek across the burning desert sands into Douglas, Ariz., in 1926.

A happy witness before the five solemn assemblers, the bronze-haired chief exponent of the Four Square gospel gave a new characterization to the \$250,000 paid to Superior Judge Carlos S. Hardy, who is threatened with impeachment proceedings for accepting it. "The money was a love offering," Mrs. McPherson testified. She said it was not a part of the "fight-the-devil" fund which her congregation raised to defend her against charges of subornation of perjury and conspiracy to obstruct justice.

The hearing is for the purpose of determining whether Judge Hardy was "practicing law" while on the bench and accepting a fee for legal advice, on which question an impeachment action hinges. "Do you know Kenneth Ormiston?"

Effect Electrifying

The effect of this question was electrifying. It came suddenly from Chairman Little in the midst of some routine questions about Angelus temple finances. Mrs. McPherson straightened in the witness chair. Her attorney, Cromwell Ormsby, leaned to his feet.

"Don't answer that question, Mrs. McPherson," he ordered. Ormsby then addressed the committee, saying the question had no bearing on the hearing. The lawyer was told that he was overruled and that the witness must answer the question. Ormsby again turned to the evangelist.

"I instruct you not to answer that question."

"I decline to answer," Mrs. McPherson smilingly said, "on advice of my counsel."

All other efforts to extend the inquiry to bring out various enigmatic phases surrounding the disappearance of the evangelist ran up against the same legal stone wall.

Not Worth \$2500

"Isn't it a fact," she was asked, "that Mrs. Kennedy (the evangelist's mother) said to you she didn't see why Judge Hardy should be worth \$2500 when all he had done was to use the temple radio to make political speeches?"

"No. That would have been totally untrue."

"Why did you never pay him any?"

"Why, there wasn't any trouble," replied Mrs. McPherson. "No accusations had been made against me."

"Weren't you anticipating trouble?"

"I am always anticipating trouble. Someone is always making me the target for something."

CONTRACTORS BID ON HIGHWAY JOBS

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 29.—(P)—Contractors crowded into the court house here today to hear the reading of bids for the few jobs let by the state highway commission. There was little road work let, the largest job being for 8.5 miles of resurfacing the Baker-Eheims section of the Old Oregon Trail. Nine bids were received for this work, which includes the furnishing of 21,000 cubic yards of broken stone for maintenance.

Seven bids were received for resurfacing 1.6 miles of the Hilgard-La Grande section of the Old Oregon Trail and furnishing 14,000 cubic yards of broken stone for maintenance.

SCIO—Establishment of sawmills in dense forests east of town planned.

MANN'S—The Best Goods for the Price—No Matter What the Price—MANN'S

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"Daisy" Outing Flannel 27 inches wide, Regular 25c value, Wednesday 5 Yards for 95c	Linen Crash 17-inch Pure Linen Bleached Crash Toweling, Regular price 25c, Wednesday 6 Yards for 95c
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BLANKET SALE

Just received another case of those special value Part-Wool Blankets 66x80-inch size, comes in blue, rose, tan, green and lavender plaids. The biggest value ever offered in Medford price **\$3.45**

Paisley Gingham 32 inches wide, good quality in many new color combinations. Regular price 22c; Wednesday 5 Yards for 95c	Leather Bags Just received a new shipment of Women's Envelope Bags in black, brown, tan and blue. Regular price \$1.25. This Big Sale, each 95c
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WINDOW DRAPERIES

Your choice of plain, figured and striped Damask, Cretonnes for living and bed rooms. Values up to \$1.69. On sale Wednesday, yard **95c**

Stationery One pound box of English Glove Skin Writing paper and 2 packages of Envelopes to match in white, grey, tan and orchid. \$1.25 values, Wednesday 95c	Lace Panels Window Panels made of good quality filet weave lace 2 1/4 yards long; scalloped and fringed. Regular price \$1.29. On sale Wednesday, each 95c
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"ANNE HOWE" BAGS

Women's and Misses' Leather Bags in all colors, completely filled with lipstick, rouge and compact the very latest bag out. Regular price \$3.45. On sale Wednesday, each **\$1.95**

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