

CHAS. A. WING TO TAKE CROSE SEAT ON CITY COUNCIL

A. J. Crose is no longer a city councilman because of his continued long absence from the city...

This action was taken in heed of a petition signed by 47 representative citizens of the third ward...

In the interest of fairness, and in order that before voting on the petition there would be a thorough understanding of the situation...

There had been grumbling also in city hall circles about only having seven councilmen, as it sometimes made it difficult to secure up a quorum for the transaction of important city business...

Anton Ring of Ashland is again in the toils of the law for an alleged same violation, following his arrest yesterday afternoon by Deputy Game Warden Roy Parr...

It was a little over a year ago when Ring was arrested in the Elk Creek section, where he was accused of killing a deer...

Salem—Two-story store building will be erected shortly.

MONOTONY IN DIET IS UNDESIRABLE Eat Wide Variety of Foods Sweetened for Enjoyment

If a diet expert could visit every home in the United States and combine all the diet mistakes into one phrase, he would doubtless say, "Too monotonous." Food authorities are complaining that the richest nation of the world is sacrificing both health and enjoyment by eating monotonous, unappetizing foods...

It is simply impossible to keep well without eating the varied foods that contain all the health elements. It is almost impossible to eat these foods unless they are pleasing to the taste. Sugar, in addition to being a wonderful food, is nature's perfect flavor.

ALASKA PICTURE PRAISED BY MEN OF 'TRAIL OF '98'

No greater amount of praise can be given the picture, "The Trail of '98," now being shown at the Rialto theater...



DOLORES DEL RIO and RALPH FORBES in "THE TRAIL OF '98"

J. B. Stevens of Central Point, who reported at the Mail Tribune after he saw the show yesterday afternoon...

The Central Point man, whose home was in the stage of Washington in the early days, left Seattle for the Klondike in 1898...

He says that he fully intends to go back some day and retrace the old ground, and that the picture, "The Trail of '98," made him even more desirous of taking the journey.

Daily Meteorological Report Medford and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Not much change in temperature...

Table with columns for City, High, Low, and Weather. Includes cities like Baker City, Bismarck, Boise, Denver, Des Moines, Fresno, Helena, Los Angeles, Marshallfield, Phoenix, Portland, St. Bluff, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Santa Fe, Seattle, Spokane, Walla-Walla, and Winnifog.

Births Mr. and Mrs. G. V. McKinzie of 129 Kenwood avenue, are the parents of a girl baby weighing five pounds and 11 ounces, born at the Sacred Heart hospital today.

Deaths I wish to thank my many friends for their kindness and sympathy extended during my recent bereavement, and for the beautiful floral offerings. Mrs. Ben H. Plymouth.

COURT CONVENES MONDAY, FEB. 25 CALL GRAND JURY

The February term of the circuit court, Judge H. D. Norton presiding, will convene next Monday, February 25, and at that time a grand jury will be drawn...

The court will be in session one day here—Monday—and will then hold sessions in Grants Pass, returning to this city later in the week.

The Josephine county term is expected to be short, and was postponed for the convenience of jurors. With two holidays—Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays—the court held over. Most of the jurors have to travel long distances, and it was thought advisable to have them in session without a break.

The local grand jury, in accordance with the law, will be composed of the first seven names drawn from the jury.

FORGER'S PHILOSOPHY UNDAUNTED BY LONG SENTENCE IN PRISON

"An Irishman is either all for the law or all 'gain' it." He never straddles the fence. That's why you'll find 'em either 'bulls' or soldiers, enforcing the laws, or crooks defying them...

Bishop, who claimed the sentence was good for him, is going to be good from now on, because he has learned his lesson. This will make his second sojourn in the Oregon state penitentiary, the first having been a three-year sentence for a \$2800 embezzlement charge.

During that time he is said to have escaped from the institution twice, once by hiding the beams beneath a truck, as it left the penitentiary with a load of supplies. His escape took him up as far as Seattle, where after a while he ran into a former companion in the penitentiary, who asked him for the loan of a dollar and something to eat.

While the two were eating, the companion slipped out and turned Patrick Henry in for the reward that was on his head. But justice did not reward the double crosser, who was sent back to the penitentiary on the same day, as the reward of having passed a bad check the day before. Just how Bishop settled with him on the deal he left to the imagination.

RETURN ENGAGEMENT OF NORRIS AIR PLAY ENJOYED LAST NIGHT

Many local people heard and enjoyed the return engagement of "The Chuckie," Norris radio drama, by the popular "Cocpo Players" last night. This clever pioneer story was full of thrills and human interest and kept all who listened in well entertained from start to finish.

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LINDGREN SPEAKS AT OPENING DAY FARM WEEK HERE

The "Farmers Week" program opened this morning at the Hotel Medford with about 20 present. H. A. Lindgren of the Oregon State college was the principal speaker...

This afternoon R. L. Clark of the Union Stockyards of Portland spoke, discussing phases of the livestock business, and marketing conditions.

According to County Agent R. G. Fowler, the fine weather will cut down the attendance, as the farmers and orchardists are all busy in the fields, and catching up with their work, after a two months cessation.

The session at Ashland closed yesterday, and was attended by talks and study of the poultry business, and there was a large attendance.

JESSIE OFFORD IS AGAIN LEADING CONTESTANTS TO BIG COFFEE PRIZE

The girls again showed the way to the boys at the end of the fifth day of the big cash contest sponsored by Golden West coffee and the Mail Tribune, in the person of little Jessie Offord.

Jessie's sales were just sufficient to keep her in front of Dicky Sleight, who has given notice that he is to be considered in the final disposition of the big \$25 cash first prize. Albert Ransall again turned in a consistent hard day's work and climbed from fourth to third place.

Woodrow Reich, leader of the second day, rested in fourth place to the fact that his order came in just a little too late to be counted as yesterday's business. Watch Woodrow; he is a hard and enthusiastic worker.

Myron Fleiser, one of the potential star salesmen, had a big gain for the fifth day, climbing from ninth to fifth, just enough to surpass Rachel Fry out by one round order. Rachel is in sixth place.

Lou Dodson and Don Anderson are in a tie for seventh, this representing a climb for Miss Dodson and a slipping for Don, as he was in fourth place at the end of the fourth day.

Another new name to appear among the leaders is that of Ed Walker of Gold Hill. Ed started late in the contest, but once started he is coming ahead like a locomotive. Ed was in eighth place when Tuesday's standings were compiled. Little Dorothy Tedrick had a fust with a cold which retarded her work, and she slipped a little, from sixth to ninth. John Murray is in tenth place after a day's work.

The contest is getting so torrid that one extra pound changes the standings of the leaders. Only ten pounds separate the contestants between fifth and tenth places. Three more good star salesmen appear on the list, Dicky Sleight and Don Anderson tied for big on the fourth day and Ed Walker copped the fifth day's honor. The gold star is awarded every day along with an extra dollar for the junior salesman turning in the most orders on that day. With only four days more, the contest closes next Saturday night. Medford and surrounding towns will be covered by these live wire men more thoroughly than ever. Every order they secure means 5 cents in commission money and another ten points towards the prizes. Save your coffee orders for them. All prizes and commission monies will be awarded the contestants next Monday afternoon, after school, at a big theater party.

OAK GROVE WATER DISTRICT MEETING PLANS CAMPAIGN

Following agitation dating over a period of several months, definite action was taken for the formation of the Oak Grove water district...

A committee to investigate the territory between Medford and Jacksonville to a point just west of the Oak Grove school. It is the plan of residents of this section to purchase water from the city of Medford and it is probable that another meeting will be held to discuss further plans in a short time.

A committee to investigate the cost, headed by W. H. Gore and composed of other residents of that section, was appointed last evening at a meeting held at the Oak Grove school house. Ralph Jennings was named temporary chairman of the evening session and I. W. Prickett was named secretary.

The district, if plans materialize, may include the houses along Lozer lane and on Stewart avenue as well as the large number of dwellings along the highway.

REV. MELL TELLS LIONS GREATNESS FIRST PRESIDENT

George Washington was a man of great religious faith and great determination, who was willing to pay the price of service to his country. That explains his greatness, said Rev. E. Mell, speaker of the day at the Lions club luncheon this noon.

Washington never suffered the curse of despondency, which befalls the downfall of smaller men. He faced all his trials and hardships with a firm determination to overcome them.

It is not the fact that he was the first president of this country that marks him as a truly great man. Nor is it the fact that his generalship was able to overcome the enemy in any outstanding battle. His greatness was established at Valley Forge, when, in the face of disheartening disaster, he was able to forget himself, in his pursuit of a great cause, and to cheer his suffering men on to victory.

COPCO SPONSORS SCOUT SKI RACE

Local members of the Boy Scout organization have been invited to participate in the Copco "scout ski race" at Fort Klamath Friday, February 22. This is one of the many interesting events in the third annual winter carnival put on each year at Fort Klamath, and which is growing to be a big attraction for lovers of winter sports throughout the northwest.

The Copco Boy Scout race will consist of a 200-yard dash on skis and is open to all Boy Scouts of southern Oregon. A handsome prize will be presented the winner by The California Oregon Power company, under whose auspices this race is being put on. Much interest is being taken in this event, and competition promises to be keen among the scout ski fans of "Copecoland."

Other outstanding events of the winter carnival will be the 12-mile ski marathon to Crater lake and return, a 21-mile race from the lake to Fort Klamath, relay races for men and women, dashes, stunts and finally a big boated race with four-horse teams, all of which promise a thrilling program for the day. Several parties of local people plan to make the trip to Fort Klamath to attend the 1929 winter carnival Friday.

COUNCIL CREATES CODE COMMITTEE AND AERIAL BODY

In addition to creating a new department of the city administration in an airport committee of the city council, that body last night created a committee of representative citizens in the trades to revise the building code, and Mayor A. W. Pipes appointed Jack Coe as city plumber inspector.

The airport committee, as explained by Mayor Pipes, is in connection with the new airport project on which the voters will pass judgment April 2 next. The mayor pointed out that many matters would come before the council pertaining to the projected new air field, and recommended that a special committee should be created to which all such matters should be referred for investigation, this committee to report back its recommendations for action by the whole councilmanic body.

The councilmanic body, the councilman approved the plan, and also the mayor's appointees on that committee as follows: E. M. Wilson, E. H. Janney and J. O. Grey.

Mayor Pipes also called attention to the fact that there was much sentiment for the revision of the city building code, about which there have been many complaints, and said that more teeth should be put into it in spots, to bring about desired reforms. The councilmanic body agreed unanimously on the necessity of revising the building code.

Thereupon the mayor appointed a committee from the architects, builders, electricians, plumbers, etc., whom he said were willing to serve, as follows: Frank Clark, O. O. Alenderfer, Wm. A. Aitken, L. B. Humphreys, M. B. Merritt and H. D. Turner, with City Superintendent and Building Inspector Fred Scherffel and Fire Chief Roy Elliott as ex-officio members.

LIONS GIVEN SUPPORT OF SOLONS FOR BILL TO RESERVE SPRINGS

Favorable reports upon the bill adding California and Oregon grant lands containing Soda Springs and McAllister Springs, to the Crater National Forest for recreation and forest purposes, were included in telegrams sent to the local Lions club, in answer to wires from them sent to Senator McNary, Franklin P. Korell and Senator Stetler.

The responses received by Dr. L. D. Inskeep, chairman of the Lions club committee in charge of activity on this project, were read before the Lions club today. They follow:

"Pleased to have your endorsement of senate bill, 5529 which today, I am reporting favorably from senate committee of agriculture and forestry." Signed, Charles L. McNary.

"Will do all I can as requested your telegram." Signed, Franklin P. Korell.

"Answering your wire regarding 5529, have to advise regarding this bill. Department, however, has favorably reported upon it and it seems likely some action will be taken in this regard in the near future. Appreciate your interest." Signed, Frederick Stetler.

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