

Council Takes Action On Liquor Licenses

Action to renew liquor licenses of various sorts and other routine business were items on the agenda of last night's city council meeting.

Renewals for 10 establishments already serving liquor by the drink were approved by the council. Included were the Owl club, Bud and Lucille's, The Hi-Way, Brown's cafe, Fraternal Order of Eagles, Hulse's Valentine, Jackson hotel, the Union club, Tabu dinner house and a Medford hotel. Also, club licenses to the Veterans club, Elks club and University club were approved.

Retail beverage Class A licenses (renewals) were approved for Casino tavern, Otto's tavern, 90 and 9 tavern, Jack's place, The Tavern, the Bohemian club, The Pastime, Fourth Wheel club and Berrydale restaurant.

Other Renewals
Other renewals approved were package store licenses, Class B, for King Street market, Quality market, OK market, Hawthorne market, Thrifty-Nifty market, both Safeway stores Inc., Northern Piggy Wiggly and Luman's; Class A, Community grocery, Laurel Street grocery, Groceries Super Food market, Court street grocery, Cooley's grocery, Oakdale market, Stop and Shop grocery and Riverside market.

Miscellaneous renewals approved were package store licenses for Ralph's, Huson's and Bell's Beverage shop.

In other business, the council discussed the Garfield subdivision application adjacent to the new Jefferson grade school. Owners of the tract are seeking connection with the city sewer main to the new school. The matter was continued for further study by a special committee.

Repealer Asked
Section III of Ordinance 4315 was referred to the legal department for action leading to repeal. It is part of the milk control ordinance requiring a \$25 fee by a dairy truck operating within the city, plus \$25 for

each additional truck. Jones pointed out that this section of the ordinance had not been enforced in recent years and had earlier been recommended for repeal.

The council approved the county clerk's canvass of city votes on candidates and measures on Nov. 2.

An ordinance was adopted vacating streets and alleys in the Highcroft and Laurelhurst additions at the new junior high site.

A sewer backup problem at the residence of Robert Elder, 317 North Columbus ave., was ordered investigated by the city superintendent's office.

Temporary Recorder

Doris Ruth was appointed recorder pro tem for the meeting in the absence of Recorder Neva Samuels.

There were six councilmen present. Frank Runtz was named mayor pro tem in the absence of both Mayor Flynn and Council President Earl Miller. The latter was to have returned from Portland in time for the meeting but his airplane developed trouble at Eugene and was forced to return to Portland, city officials said. Miller and other city officials are attending the League of Oregon Cities state convention at Portland.

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4-H Club

Gold Hill Club
The Gold Hill Livestock club met Nov. 10 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Gail. Twenty members attended the meeting, three of them first-year members.

Each member gave a report on what they were planning as projects this year.

Then there was the election of new officers. Grace Gail was elected president. Other nominees for president were Lois Biles and Mildred Gail. Jimmie Estremado was elected vice-president. Terry Gail was the other nominee. Mildred Gail was reelected secretary; also nominated was Lois Biles. Miss Biles was elected for the office of treasurer; the other nominee for that office was Carol Morris.

Jean Estremado was elected reporter; also nominated was Carol Morris.

The new historian is Jimmie Biles; Jimmie Burg and Terry Gail were the other nominees or that office. Norman Gail was reelected leader of the club. No other nominations were made for that office.

After the election Norman Gail appointed assistant leaders for the different departments of the club. Jimmie Biles was appointed for the dairy; Lois Biles for the hogs; Mildred Gail for the sheep and Jean Estremado for the beef.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Carol Morris on Dec. 8, for the purpose of having a Christmas party.

After the meeting was adjourned the members sang a few songs and refreshments were served.

Jean Estremado
Reporter.

Former Medford Woman To Be Buried at Redmond

Funeral services will be held Friday, Nov. 19, at Redmond, Ore., for Mrs. Emma Malick, 72, a former Medford resident who died there Monday after a long illness. Interment will be at Redmond. Survivors include a son, Robert Peebles.

Wilson Proposes Legislation To Extend Draft Law

Washington — (U.P.) — Defense Secretary Charles Wilson said late yesterday that proposed legislation to extend the draft law and create a 3,000,000 man reserve force will be ready to send to Congress soon.

Wilson told a news conference the nation must continue "some form of selective service" after the present draft law expires next June 30. He also said that a reserve force of the size needed cannot be maintained "on a voluntary basis."

Not Consulted on Peress

On other subjects, Wilson said:

He was not consulted on the "routine" promotion and honorable discharge of Maj. Irving Peress, the Army dentist called a "fifth amendment Communist" by Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.) after refusing to answer loyalty questions.

The Peress matter was not "anything I would expect the Army to take up with me; I'm busy enough with real problems, I assure you," Wilson said.

Sees No Big Defense Cuts
He does not expect the new Democratic controlled Congress to make big cuts in defense spending because he assumes "Democrats are as interested in security as Republicans."

He considered the Marine Corps a "100 per cent autonomous subsidiary of the Navy." This comment stemmed from a query by Sen. Mike Mansfield (D-Mont.) as to whether the Navy may be trying to assume full control of the Marine Corps.

Italian Refugee Physicist Honored

Washington — (U.P.) — Dr. Enrico Fermi, the Italian refugee physicist who helped this country win the race to develop the atom bomb, was the recipient today of the Atomic Energy Commission's first \$25,000 "special award."

AEC Chairman Lewis Strauss said in announcing the award that Fermi "as much as any individual . . . is responsible for the achievement of the controlled release of nuclear energy."

Fermi directed that release—man's first, in a chain reaction experiment under a football stadium at the University of Chicago in 1942.



Conelrad Test Claimed Success

Washington — (U.P.) — Preliminary reports indicated today the second nationwide test of a radio broadcasting plan for fooling enemy bombers during an air raid was a success.

The system, known as Conelrad, was tested between 1:30 a.m. and 4:30 a.m. in each time zone across the country. Participating radio stations, all broadcasting on either 640 or 1240 kilocycles, merged their schedules into a single program with only one station transmitting at any one time.

Continuous Program
The result was that listeners heard a continuous program, but any bomber attempting to "home" on the wave lengths with a radio compass would have been guided from one transmitter to another as the program continued.

Under actual attack, the broadcasting time would have been used for giving out civil defense instructions.

At Chicago, Conelrad worked smoothly, participating stations reported. American Airlines pilot Charles Lippincott, flying in to the city from New York, said his two radio compasses "kept going around in circles."

Immigrants from Ireland brought the white potato into the U.S. in 1719.

Machine Allows Equal Time at Testimony

Washington — (U.P.) — Science has come up with a new gimmick to insure everyone equal time at congressional hearings.

The automatic computer was inspired by Sen. Karl Mundt's (R-S.D.), troubles in allotting time to witnesses at the Army-McCarthy hearings. The machine, operated by the committee chairman, tells witnesses when to start and stop testifying and subtracts time consumed by interruptions of their testimony.

JOIN HONOR FRATERNITY

Ashland — Nine Southern Oregon college students have been initiated into Theta Delta Phi, men's honorary fraternity, President Don Ferguson said today. Initiates were Wyatt Rosborough, Ashland; Charles Peil, Grants Pass; Ronald McKenna, Ashland; Ned Landers, Medford; Ted Landers, Medford; Jack Bal-ding, Talent; R. J. Higgins, Medford and Monte Kounz, Medford.

Milk Producers Urge Marketing Agreement

Portland — (U.P.) — Oregon Milk Producers yesterday urged the association's executive board to study the feasibility of establishing a federal marketing agreement in Oregon.

Lester Adams, manager of Oregon Milk Producers, said he would call a meeting of the executive board for next week to consider the recommendation. It had been proposed earlier that the Portland milk shed be placed under the federal order.

Adams said he planned to attend a producers' meeting in Medford Friday night to determine the position of southern Oregon producers.

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