

Ernie Cooper Takes Oath at Gold Hill Council Meeting

By MRS. CYLDE KELL
Gold Hill—Mayor-elect Ernie Cooper was sworn in Monday night, Jan. 7, at a meeting of the Gold Hill city council by Floyd Lance, council president.

Five councilmen also were sworn in. Taking the oath for the first time were Truman Price, Edward Tulare, and Kendal Dufur. Also taking the oath were two former councilmen, Virgil Gribble and Harry Foley, and the city recorder, Ferd Jones, who was reelected last fall.

Mayor Cooper appointed the standing committees for the ensuing year.

Council President
The council reelected Floyd Lance to serve as council president.

The appointment of Floyd C. Taylor, as city superintendent, and chief of police, for the next two years was approved.

A resolution required every two years designating the United States National bank, Medford branch as depository of city funds, and authorizing signatures to be used on city bank checks, was passed.

Ray V. Neilson, 44 Sixth st., was granted permission to dismantle and dispose of old car bodies at the city dump.

An ordinance was passed establishing a uniform charge for sewer connections to the city sewer system. A charge of \$65 will include labor and materials for connecting.

J. Fred Lewis requested that the council take appropriate action to vacate that part of Fifth ave. east of First st. and extending to the Sams Valley rd. The matter was referred to the street committee for study and report.

Doors Repaired
Police Chief Floyd C. Taylor reported that the fire hall doors are in the process of being repaired.

The council also granted Taylor permission to purchase 12 Junior Police badges.

A contract to furnish and install doors and windows at the city garage was awarded Mel Kuikman at a cost not to exceed \$410. Kuikman was the only one to submit a bid.

The problem of what action to take where private wells are dug and owners disconnect from the city water system was discussed and referred to the water committee for study and report at the February meeting.

The street committee agreed to study complaints concerning city street drains.

Standing committees appointed by Mayor Cooper were: finance, Kendal Dufur, Truman Price, and Virgil Gribble; nuisance, Edward Tulare, Floyd Lance, and Harry Foley; water and lights, Truman Price, Virgil Gribble, and Harry Foley; streets, sidewalks and drainage, Floyd Lance, Truman Price, and Virgil Gribble; fire exposure, Kendal Dufur, Harry Foley, and Truman Price; police, Edward Tulare and Floyd Lance; sanitation, Virgil Gribble, Floyd Lance and Edward Tulare; and equipment, Harry Foley, Kendal Dufur, and Edward Tulare.

Feeding the Family

By ZOLA VINCENT
Food Editor

Pineapple Check-list

Replenish the pantry pineapple shelf with seasonal good buys. Keep these uses in mind: coarse or fine crushed pineapple for two-crust pies, soft pies of all kinds, fillings and toppings, icings, jams, cookies and using with cake mixes of all kinds. Pineapple slices are best for upside-down cakes, glazed tarts, decorating, garnishing, coffee cakes and filled rolls. Pineapple tid-bits and chunks are just right for salads.

And of course unsweetened pineapple juice for flavoring apple pies, for cake mixes (substituting for whatever liquid called for in recipe), for blending with other flavors... and for sheer enjoyment, chilled as it comes from the can.

Pineapple Kuchen Fruity Coffee Cake

A fruity hot coffee cake, fresh and aromatic from the oven is a fine finish for any meal along with plenty of good coffee. Milk for the children, of course. This is quickly made with a package of hot roll mix and a 9-ounce can of crushed pineapple. Ten servings. Make sweet dough of one package hot roll mix, following package directions. After first rising, pat half the dough into a greased 10-inch round cake pan. Combine one-half cup brown sugar, firmly packed, one-quarter cup butter or margarine, one-half teaspoon cinnamon and one-quarter cup Marshmallow cherries cut into quarters. Sprinkle dough with half this mixture. Add rest of dough patting down evenly. Spread with one nine-ounce can crushed drained pineapple. Add two tablespoons flour to remainder of sugar mixture and sprinkle over top.

When doubled in size bake in hot oven, 400 degrees, 40 to 45 minutes.

Spiced Grapefruit

It may surprise you to know that 40 per cent of the grapefruit crop is canned; goes almost entirely into whole segments with Florida doing 99 per cent of the canning. Grapefruit sections are a very good buy and every can is packed with good nutrition. Here's a fine first course for brunch or lunch; a good dessert when served with cookies.

Drain two cans grapefruit sections. Pour grapefruit syrup into saucepan, boil rapidly two minutes. Add one-quarter cup firmly packed brown sugar, one-half teaspoon whole cloves and one-half teaspoon nutmeg; simmer five minutes. Remove from heat; add grapefruit sections. Serve hot or chilled. Six servings.

Chicken Pacifico

Makes Fine Eating
If you haven't tried cooking bright western-grown carrots, green pepper and onion with fryer size cut-up chicken and a dry sherry wine, you've been missing a real treat. So easy to do; then just leave barely simmering until ready to serve.

Perfect with steamed rice or noodles. Four generous servings using two 2½ pounds fryers or cut-up broilers.

Two fryers, cut-up
Salt and pepper
¼ cup oil
1 clove garlic, minced
½ cup chopped green pepper
6 carrots, cut in quarters
6 small white onions, optional
1 bay leaf
2 cups dry sherry
¼ teaspoon rosemary

Clean and wash chicken, dry and season with salt and pepper. Brown chicken in oil in heavy skillet; remove to platter. Add garlic, onion, green pepper, whole onions and quartered carrots to skillet; brown lightly. Add sherry, bay leaf, rosemary and chicken. Cover tightly; cook over low heat about 45 minutes or until chicken is tender. Serve with vegetables and pour additional sauce over chicken.

Pork A' Plenty for Spanish Specialty

Here are six generous servings for a shoulder pork chops or diced pork shoulder skillet specialty certain to delight the family. These pork cuts are reasonable in price.

Brown six pork shoulder chops cut one-inch thick or 1½ pounds diced pork shoulder in skillet. Add one cup sliced onion and brown lightly. Add 2½ cups cooked tomatoes, one-quarter cup diced green pepper, one-third cup diced celery, one-quarter teaspoon chili powder, 1½ teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, one teaspoon sugar; cover and cook slowly one hour. Make smooth paste of one tablespoon flour and two tablespoons water. Stir in to the mixture. Stir until thickened; cover and simmer about five minutes.

Canned Fruits, Vegetables, Load Parade of Best Buys

January offers exceptionally good buys in canned foods as warehouse stocks move into grocery stores and grocery store stocks move to consumers via advertising and special displays. Few things are more satisfying to the home maker than well-stocked shelves of staple, convenient, every day foods that can meet daily demands as well as those for emergency rations.

When you buy canned foods it will pay to buy the half dozen, buy the dozen or buy the case according to family needs, money available and storage facilities. Watch ads, store displays.

Canned Fruit Buys. Bartlett pears, peaches, purple plums, pineapple, and grapefruit sections are much the most popular staple items with apple sauce and cranberry sauces leading among the "soft" fruits. Citrus juices in the large economy size cans are a good buy.

Canned Vegetable Buys. Corn, both cream style and whole kernel, is particularly abundant with supplies at an all-time high and prices extremely favorable. Try it in corn chowder, fritters, puddings, in main dishes of all

Group May Restore Millrace at Eugene

Eugene (U.P.) — A citizens' group in Eugene today launched plans to restore the traditional millrace through the city while at the same time using the water for irrigation, improving the flow of Amazon creek and maintaining the level of Fern Ridge lake, 11 miles northwest of here.

A plan proposed by Dr. E. D. Furrer, a Eugene physician, would divert millrace water through a six-foot pipe to Amazon creek.

The Millrace Citizens' committee said the year-around flow would end unsanitary conditions on Amazon creek, converting it into an attractive waterway. Millrace water in the Amazon would be used for irrigation water west of Eugene and the rest would flow into Fern Ridge lake. Estimated cost of the project was set at between \$260,000 and \$500,000 to be financed through sale of irrigation water.

Purcell Indictment Ordered Dismissed

Portland (U.P.) — Presiding Circuit Judge Frank J. Lonergan yesterday dismissed a grand jury indictment against Jim Purcell Jr., which had charged the former police chief with malfeasance and incompetence in office.

Judge Lonergan ruled that the question raised in the indictment was moot because the only office from which Purcell could be removed, if convicted, is that of chief of police. Purcell already has resigned and gone back to his civil service status of police captain.

Purcell resigned as chief at midnight Dec. 31. His attorney, Earl Bernard, asked dismissal of the indictment last week.

kinds as well as simply seasoned with butter, salt and pepper. Blue Lake canned green beans, west coast grown, are in bountiful supply. Dress them up with canned pimiento strips and sour cream for something extra special. Record supplies of canned soups, beets, sauerkraut, tomatoes, green lima beans and spinach, too.

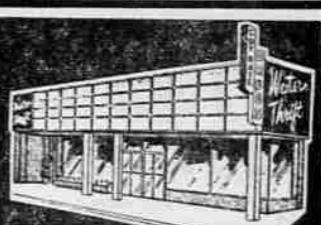
Pleasant Potatoes. America's number one vegetable is available by the hundreds of millions of pounds for mashing, frying, baking, creaming, going into salads, stews, chowders, casseroles and for being roasted along with meat. Lots of onions but remember to keep these in a cool, dark place. Menu planning is easy with cabbage, cauliflower, lettuce, spinach, winter squash, sweet potatoes, parsnips, rutabagas at modest cost.

Other Good Buys. Egg supplies are increasing with quality high, prices lower. Big turkeys, broilers and fryers continue plentiful, reasonable. Among fish, low prices mark easy-to-cook ocean perch fillets from our Pacific waters. Medium-size dried prunes suggest good breakfast eating when simmered gently with thin lemon slices. Enjoy California dates while you can.

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