

# South Talent Board Honors Deceased Member Schmelzer

TALENT — Members of the South Talent Sanitary District board of directors held their regular meeting Thursday at the Talent City Hall. Several interested persons attended the meeting.

Don Grimes acted as chairman. A. W. Oettinger, recently elected board member appointed temporary board member by Jackson County Court, was sworn in by Grimes.

Grimes read a commemoration to deceased chairman of the board Everett Schmelzer, which was inserted into the minutes.

Grimes then introduced the guest speaker, Joe Butler, manager of the Ashland Branch of the Jackson County Federal Savings and Loan. He spoke on financing in the area as it applies to individuals financing improvements on their own property. This was followed by a question and answer period.

Grimes then explained that the board, after talking to property owners in the area, has come to the conclusion that the best way to charge for sewer connections would be by a flat \$400 charge for sewer connection plus a monthly service charge of \$4 and a 15 mill property tax levy.

He also explained, as did William Kerns, other board member, that the sewer line would be brought to the owner's property line, even though across the road from the property; but that the property owner would be responsible for running his lines from the sewer connection at his property line to his house.

Board members reminded those present that the election for a bond issue of \$135,000 is being held today from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Resmore Motel, Cabin No. 7. All residents of the area were urged to vote.

Oettinger said persons coming to vote could drive back to cabin No. 7 but to please keep the driveway open.

# School News

## Prospect Schools

Prospect Schools will have their Christmas program on the evening of Thursday, Dec. 19. Vacation will start Dec. 20. School will reopen Jan. 2.

Enthusiasm is running high on the coming annual snowball dance and queen contest, which will be held Dec. 20. A candidate for queen has been picked from each class. They are Barbara Beck, senior; Becky Pitts, junior; Diana Moore, sophomore; and Sharon McElmurry, freshman.

Student Court will soon be in effect at Prospect High. Out of each of the four grades students were to elect a sheriff and a deputy for the purpose of seeing that students abide by the rules set up for them. Student Court will enforce the rules made by the students.

The following students were elected by their classmates to report any unmannerly conduct: Seniors: Sheriff, John Scott; deputy sheriff, Cleve Shafer; Juniors: sheriff, Jerry Wilson; deputy sheriff, Jean Grigsby; Sophomores: sheriff, Mike Eastman; deputy sheriff, Sidney Hemphill; Freshman: sheriff, Jimmy Cloud; deputy sheriff, Philippe Gastonguay. Presiding judge will be La-Quita Barnes, senior.

The awards to be earned by Pepsters was the principal item of business at a recent Pepsters' meeting. Awards will be given to those girls who earn a certain number of points each year. A committee is planning the point system to be used. All Pepsters will be issued a cougar emblem to wear on their Pepsters sweater. These emblems will be purchased by the Pepsters and will belong to the club. Freshmen girls earning enough points will be given a small blue letter "P" emblem; sophomores will receive a larger "P" in white; junior girls will earn a pin; and the senior girls earning the necessary points will be given their cougar emblems to keep.

The seventh grade has elected class officers. They are Mike Larson, president; Leri Adams, secretary; and Ronnie Bean, treasurer.

There were reports made in social studies. They were on "Francis of Assisi" by Virginia McFall and "Peter the Hermit" by Tungsten Tucker. The class is studying the Middle Ages in social studies.

The fourth grade is working hard on long division and multiplication tables. The fourth grade is also writing letters on Oregon's commercial trees to send to a school in New York State. They were asking for information about the trees.

On the honor roll at Prospect Elementary School are the following: Fourth Grade — Alice Peterson, Jackie Peterson, Karen Gunderson, Mary Ring, Ronnie Barnes, Chris Hale. Fifth Grade — Nancy Blaine, Lynda Freeland, Jimmy Goode, Yvonne Hemphill, Jeannie Peterson. Sixth Grade — Mary Beck, Janet Culver, Kim Gray, Dick Maurer, Boyd Powers, Vernon Pritchard, Georgene Ring. Seventh Grade — Sue Beck, Linda Downing, Tungsten Tucker. Eighth Grade — Brenda Adams, Mike Gray.

## Flora Rheta Schreiber makes her second report in the series on contenders for the '64 nomination:

### THE WOMEN IN BARRY GOLDWATER'S LIFE

Two pretty Midwestern girls went West; Jo Williams, a strong-willed "invalid" who's still hardy at 88, became Barry's mother; Peggy Johnson, a gentle, artistic heiress, became his wife.

The important roles these women played in his life are reported in the

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# Santa Claus To Accept Appointments With Eagle Point Area Children

EAGLE POINT — The Beta Nu Chapter of Epsilon Alpha sorority has contacted Santa Claus and made an agreement whereby he will accept appointments made for him with children within the Eagle Point school district.

The "Have Santa Will Travel" project is an annual project for the chapter now in its second year.

Parents wishing to have Santa call on their children may contact Mrs. Dick Camberlain at 497-3661, Mrs. Robert West at 497-3523, or Mrs. Gordon Moxley at 497-1798 for appointments. Santa will be calling at homes between Dec. 15 and 23.

## Regional Calendar

**GOLD HILL** — Tuesday, 8 p.m., Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7416 will meet at the VFW Hall on Old Stage Road.

**APPLAGATE VALLEY** — Wednesday, 1 p.m., Home Economics Club will meet at the Grange Hall. Women are to bring Christmas decorations for Grange Christmas party the following night.

**GOLD HILL** — Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Gold Hill Volunteer Firemen will meet at the hall.

**CENTRAL POINT** — Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Central Point Junior High School winter band and chorus concert, in junior high gymnasium.

**TALENT** — The Talent Insurance and Real Estate, formerly owned by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bechtold, has been sold to Darling Realty of Medford.

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# Gold Hill Councilman Steps Down Because He Resides Outside City

By MARY KELL

Mail Tribune Correspondent

**GOLD HILL** — Councilman Roland Washburn resigned from the Gold Hill City Council on Dec. 2 because of business reasons. He moved recently from the city limits and although he now resides only 20 feet outside Gold Hill, this disqualified him as a councilman, because of a stipulation in the City Charter that requires a member of the council to be a resident of within the city limits.

Washburn was elected to a four year seat on the council Nov. 1962 and had served in that post since Jan. 7, 1963.

Real Estate Manager

His new residence is combined with his business. He is manager of the new Gold Hill Branch office of the Bill Colley Real Estate Agency.

In a letter to the council, Washburn said he had enjoyed working with fellow council members and was sorry about leaving the council. He stated that it has been an educational experience and feels that things he has learned the past year while serving on the council will benefit him for the rest of his life.

Mayor Straus and members of the council voiced regret in having to accept Washburn's resignation. All expressed the opinion that he had done an excellent job in his duties as a councilman.

Did Not Vote

Washburn did not vote on any issue of business during the council session.

The mayor and council indicated that Washburn's successor will be sworn in at the Jan. 6, 1964 meeting.

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## Scout News

PROSPECT — Dens 2 and 4 are combining efforts for the rest of the year. They will meet on Thursdays instead of Tuesdays. There will be two den mothers, and meetings will be held at their homes.

A baked food sale will be conducted next week to raise money for Christmas. The boys will sell their merchandise from door to door.

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# Programs Of Gold Hill PTA Outlined

GOLD HILL — Officers of the Gold Hill Parent Teacher Association this week announced programs outlined for the remainder of the 1963-64 school year.

Mrs. Ronald R. Kalista, president of the local unit, conducted a meeting of the executive board Monday, Dec. 2.

Mrs. H. S. Duehl is program chairman.

Because of the Christmas programs to be presented by students of Hanby and Patrick Elementary Schools there will be no regular business session of the unit during the month of December.

In January Miss Judy Guttridge a foreign exchange student at Crater High School will

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# Illinois Valley Democratic Club Elects Officers

CAVE JUNCTION — The Illinois Valley Democratic Club held an election of officers at the American Legion auxiliary room recently.

Don Orton was elected president. Other officers chosen were Mayor Carroll Banks, vice president; Mrs. Edith Poole of Selma, secretary; James Dierkes of O'Brien, treasurer.

Fred Kaufman was elected to the executive board for a three-year term. Pat Whitley for a two-year term and Clyde Hays for a one-year term.

The meeting was presided by a potluck dinner in the charge of Mrs. Fred Kaufman. Edward Hare was guest speaker.

Many remarks were offered in honor of the late President John F. Kennedy.

## Regional News

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