

Lampport Files As Candidate For Senate

A republican, Fred S. Lampport, has filed intention of running for the state senate from Marion county in the 1950 political election.

Lampport was first appointed to the senate in 1943 to fill the position temporarily vacated by the war ser-



SEN. FRED S. LAMPFORT

vice of the then State Senator Douglas McKay. He served in the 1943 and 1945 sessions under this appointment.

When McKay resigned to begin his term as governor, Lampport again was appointed by the Marion county court and served in the 1949 session. The court was interested at that time with legislation to keep Marion county from falling within the class of special legislation applying to counties of more than 100,000 population that was originally intended to apply only to Multnomah county. Lampport was asked to supervise preparation of the needed legislation.

Lampport stated in part in his filing for intention of running:

"On two occasions I have been honored by appointment as state senator from Marion county. Many people seem to feel that the experience and seniority gained in the three sessions in which I have served should be made available to the people of the county.

"My interest in public affairs goes back to my long years of association



ON YOUR MARK!... No question when 1950 arrives for Laura Barone of Elgin, Ill. Watchmaker there produced giant time-piece complete with precision movement—just for moments like this!

with the late Senator Charles McNary in his law office and in his campaigns. It has been my earnest hope that my service in the state senate would reflect the high character and integrity of his career.

"My record in the 1943, 1945, and 1949 sessions is the best possible basis upon which the voters may decide whether they wish me to continue in the senate. No part of that record pleases me more than the reputation that I was one of the easiest men in the senate with whom an average voter could discuss legislation of interest to him."

Lampport's legislative activities have covered a broad field of interests. He has sponsored or co-sponsored laws requiring that circus tents be fireproofed and one prohibiting fishing in Mill creek by persons over 17 years of age, publicity releases state.

During the 1949 session, he was chairman of the Railroads and Utilities committee, vice-chairman of the Labor and Industries committee and a member of the committees on banking, revision of laws and medicine, pharmacy and dentistry.

He was campaign manager during McNary's last campaigns and in 1940 he acted as delegate to the Republican national convention and was instrumental in nominating McNary as vice-president of the United States on the republican ticket.

During World War two he was Marion county's first war bond chairman, a member of the board of

Power Failure Felt Monday At Gates

Gatesfolk felt grateful the day after Christmas, to Mountain States Power company for its selection of the morning after for a three-hour power failure that rendered useless all electric stoves and hotplates, electric lights, and water in those homes employing electric pumps.

In fact, a better selection of the day could not have been made. Everyone had savory leftovers to serve, and if cold turkey and pumpkin pie appears to be a peculiar menu at breakfast, that is more tempting by far than raw bacon strips and un-cooked cackleberries.

Also, on the dark day, Christmas candles that had been used for center pieces or mantel decorations were handy to give light.

Thank you, Mountain States, for quitting us on Monday instead of Sunday.

Dog And Candy Don't Mix

Missing: one three-pound box of French cremes.

Result: one very, very sick dog.

Mr. C. E. Coville, local real estate man, had to walk the floor of his home with his pet dog Christmas day and evening because of the following events:

He had given Mrs. Coville a 3-pound box of French creme candies. She laid the box near a living room chair when they left for an outing in the afternoon of the holiday.

Their pet dog, who will never touch food unless it is placed in his dish, got into the box, and in an effort to avoid leaving any evidence, ate up the entire box full. The result when the Covilles returned home was one very sick dog, which Mr. Coville had to walk the floor with throughout the night.

The first English language daily newspaper—the Daily Courant—was published in London in 1702.

directors of the YMCA, trustee of the YWCA and president of the Salem Community Concert association. He is a member of the American Legion Capitol post No. 9, a Mason, Shriner and Elk.

Voters Decide--

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from Mill City district has, up to the past two years, been using regularly over the hill by Taylor's Grove.

The distance via the Elkhorn-Gates road is approximately seven miles, he stated, with driving time only 20 minutes. The alternate route by way of Taylor Grove would increase the time to 35 minutes.

It was reported this week that the contingent road was put into driving condition the last part of September, following a road trip made by Walter Bell and Mrs. Booth, superintendent of the Marion county school district. Mrs. Booth stated, after her trip, that the school board would not allow a bus to transport students over the route.

The county road crew, it was reported by William Bickett, father of several of the Elkhorn pupils, has purchased gravel to place on the road when the weather clears. He also added, several painstaking turns have been eliminated, as well as much drainage work done by the crew who improved the road.

The Elkhorn-Gates road, it was reported, is now being used by crummies to transport men to and from CBI, and was used during the cold snap and snow bound days this winter. It has been brought out by those favoring the issue that only those fighting the consolidation are people in the Elkhorn district who do not have children.

Grade school students would have to wait, it was brought out by Mr. Bickett, for a school bus from Stayton, with high school pupils, if the proposed consolidation with Lyons, issued by those disfavorable to the two districts merger into one, were to go into effect. This would mean the grade school youngsters would not arrive home until nearly 5:30 or 6 P.M., he said.

He added the proposed route over the Elkhorn-Gates road would facilitate picking up the students on the south slope of the hump and transporting them into school at Mill City.

The merger would bring into the Mill City school district funds much needed by the community to maintain a high level educational opportunity for the children as well as a closer relationship with the people up yonder. Opening of the road would bring the recreational advantages offered in the Elkhorn area to the residents of Mill City and Gates as well as a more accessible route to visitors in the area.

Elkhorn would feel the advantage through the finer educational opportunities offered their children as well as a closer relationship with their friends in Mill City.

Joe Toman and his daughter of Scio had Christmas dinner with his brother, Albert Toman and family.

Highest recorded temperature in the U. S. was at Death Valley, Calif., July 10, 1913—134 degrees.

Pennsylvania was named in honor of Admiral William Penn, father of William Penn, founder.

Turpentine and rosin come from the pine trees of the south.

LYONS

By EVA BRESSLER

Miss Carrol Sletto who is attending Pacific Lutheran college at Parkland, Wash. is home for a two weeks vacation at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sletto.

Dinner guests at the Floyd Bassett home were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Burgess, Mildred Burgess, Donald and Vernon Case of Klamath Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Devine and family of Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bevier of Fox Valley, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bassett of Corvallis. Evening guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Syverson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cribbs and family of Mill City, and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Raines of Lacombe, Miss Norma Jean and Lorena June Devine returned to Klamath Falls with the Burgesses for the remainder of the week and Cecil Bassett went to Corvallis with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bassett.

Miss Jeanine Bentley who is attending Linfield college at McMinnville is spending her vacation at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bentley.

At the home of Rev. and Mrs. O. A. Jewell were their daughter and family of Richland, Wash., and Paul Jewell of Salem.

Christmas day dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Ayers were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stockwell and children of Salem, Mrs. Ina Stockwell of Stayton and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kimery of Lyons.

Miss Jeanette Nydigger, who is employed in San Francisco, arrived by plane at Salem to spend her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Nydigger in Fox Valley.

At the John McClurg home were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Altgibbers and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Kamy and son Ray of Portland. Ray remained for the week with his aunt and uncle.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bodeker were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton and son Douglas Earl of Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bressler, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Oliver and Elmer Hiatt.

Gordon Heinecks entertained her brother and family of Portland, and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Garber of Lyons.

Dinner guests at the Wilson Stevens home were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Toman and son Stephen of Mill City, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scott, Mrs. Ida Scott and Bill of West Stayton, and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Smith of Lyons.

Construction - - -

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adequate facilities should be made for the children of these incoming families, such as more social high school affairs, a place for teen-agers for dancing and games, and summer recreation.

Better highway facilities should be one of the main issues in the minds of local citizenry, he said, to bring in the visitors from out of state to see, what he called, one of the most beautiful spots for recreational activities in the state of Oregon. He added that it is not necessarily to the advantage of the constructors of the damsite that the highway be put in, but to the community to give visitors to the state a scenic route through the state.

It was brought into the limelight that construction of the dams is going ahead faster than expected, and people of the community and especially of Mill City should be more conscious of the fact that the influx of new workers will build the town. Bauer also stated that more emphasis should be placed on getting more industry into the area to care for those who wish to stay in the area, especially logging and timber products plants.

Many Guests Present

Other special guests of the evening were R. A. Hoffman, general superintendent of CBI, Mrs. B. O. Shuckling, vice president of the Salem chamber of commerce, Robert L. Jones, co-publisher of the Salem Capitol Journal, and W. R. Hutcherson, president of the Gates chamber of commerce.

Special piano music was played by Mrs. Don Peterson, former orchestra pianist from Helena, Mont., who played many old favorites for an after dinner dance.

Let George - - -

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could run. So, innocent little me had to challenge me to a race with him. Does anyone know where I can get a pair of wings. "If I had the wings of an Angel, I would," oh never mind.

Who is this bright young man, living at Wolverine castle, who is looking for a job behind a desk covered with lace? I have a job for him. A certain road, which is slowly being ground into oblivion, needs a little fixing. That road is right in front of your home Mister. We could stand some gravel dumped on it to spare my Leapin' Leans.

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