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Up and Down The Avenue

By Don Moffatt

About all you see in the papers this week are cries for the resignation of President Nixon, and many are starting to talk of impeachment. Maybe they're right, but I think that they are a little premature at this time. From where I sit, I still don't think he has defied the courts. Like I say, this is just my own opinion, but I feel that he is as good as many of those in high office who are shouting for blood. I still think they will get Nixon before they are done — but it is certainly a case of the pot calling the kettle black.

Just analyze those who are shouting the loudest. We have the AFL-CIO convention going on in Miami as this is written, and this group is one of the outspoken outfits that are calling for the president's scalp. George Meany (who certainly has a large flap) is doing his best to get Nixon out. I just wonder how clean he, Meany, is — if he were placed under as close a scrutiny as those in Washington, D.C. I'll bet there is a lot of money changing hands in that area. Even poor Humphrey is now getting a little taste of it, when it has been revealed that some of his campaign funds were received from corporations — one of the things that Watergate seems to be all about. Personally, I am wondering just who you can trust. There was a time when most people had faith in their government. This has sort of gone down the tube, and many of us have real serious doubts if there are any truly honest people in our government. It would appear to me that money is the thing that tells everyone where to go and what to do. Something has to be changed and the sooner the better. I have been for Nixon since he was elected. Not necessarily that I believe in everything he has done — but on the other hand, what have the democrats to offer. Absolutely nothing!

The democrats are now dragging their heels on the appointment of Ford as vice president—and if you think that isn't dirty politics, you are as naive as I was when Ford received Nixon's nod as the man to replace Agnew. I really thought that this was a man who both parties could settle on, and I thought that those pursuing Watergate would be glad to let go, before the tables are turned, and they, too, would be put on the pan. I do not condone cover-up of any wrongdoing in our government—but right now, I think as long as we have been burned, and have found out what politicians of both parties are capable of doing to become elected, our primary concern is to fix things so it can't happen again. Evidently, the democrats are not as smart as I thought they were as they are playing the hand to the hilt. It is sort of like a poker game. When I used to play, I didn't like to place my final bet until all the cards were dealt, and I could see what I was up against. Seems like a little smart poker would be nice right now. Heaven only knows we need a little common sense in Washington, D. C. for a change.

One of the reasons the democrats are dragging their feet on the Ford OK for vice-president is they feel that if they can stall long enough, possibly the speaker of the house — a democrat of course — would be chosen, and then if Nixon did resign, or be impeached, they feel they would have complete control of things in Washington. We've been that route too, and look what it got us. A hell of a lot of bureaus and money-spending programs which are about as useful as last year's bird nest.

Even Teddy Kennedy is starting to sound off now. If he knows what is good for him he'll keep his mouth shut. The Chappaquiddick affair when Mary Jo Kopechne lost her life, is not yet a dead issue, or at least it won't be if he runs. Better check that out before he is nominated to run for the high office. He has lost two brothers to assassins, and I for one, if I were in his boots, would stay out—if for

Gates Council Awards Bid On Roof

GATES — The October 18 meeting of the Gates City Council was held at 7:30 p.m. at the Gates City Hall.

To clarify a previous printing, Westech Engineering Firm has recommended that Franks Power and Ditching of Salem, as low bidder on the water line in Dist. One and Two, be awarded the contract. As of this time, no action has been taken pending the problem of financing.

The bid to repair a portion of the firehouse roof was awarded to Mill City Builders for \$205.

A permit was approved for William McCall to move a mobile home onto the lot across from the Gates Community Center.

Action was also taken to issue a permit to build a two and a half story building on Cecil Shirts for Lot Five, Block Two of Riverview Park Terrace pending availability of water to the lot.

Suggestions were made by Councilman Tom Woods on specific clarifications to be amended to the Gates City Charter. Those will be further defined and submitted to the people of Gates for vote at the next general election.

Gates City Council meetings are held the first and third Thursdays of each month. In November this will be Nov. 1 and Nov. 15 at 7:30 p.m. The Gates City Planning Commission meets the second Tuesday of each month. The November meeting will be Nov. 13 at 7:00 p.m. (Note change of time due to Daylight Savings). Both of these meetings are held at the Gates City Hall (fire station) on Sorbin St. in Gates. The public is invited to attend.

Woodcutters Need Owners Permission

Persons seeking relief from the energy crisis this winter by cutting their own firewood are reminded that they must have permission from forest landowners, according to the Oregon State Department of Forestry.

The department noted that there has been an increased interest in cutting of firewood. Concern over possible fuel shortages and electricity cutbacks has caused many families to look to the forests for wood fuel.

Both commercial woodcutters and those cutting for their own personal use must know ownership of the lands on which they are cutting and must have expressed permission for the activity. Knowledge of land ownership may be different because the typical ownership pattern is often intermingled county, state, federal and private lands.

State-owned forest lands are widely scattered and offer only limited opportunities for cutting firewood. Information on woodcutting permits may be obtained from department offices at Astoria, Tillamook, Forest Grove, Coos Bay, Medford and Philomath.

Idanha Firm Purchases Two Timber Sales

DETROIT — Two recent timber sales, Woodpecker 2 RDU and Bruno 2 RDU were sold on the Detroit Ranger District. These were two cull material sales. Woodpecker 2 RDU, with an estimated 700,000 bf, was appraised and sold for \$350. Bruno 2 RDU, with an estimated 300,000 bf, was appraised and sold for \$150.

Both sales were purchased by Mel Round Trucking, Idanha.

no other reason. There is apparently a vendetta against the Kennedys — something that should never happen in the United States, but just look what has happened to them so far. Teddy should be smart, stay out, and be satisfied with his present position.

Santiam Tallies Six Points



Santiam goes into the end zone for another six points against the Scio Loggers in Friday, October 19, League game. The Wolverines will host Jefferson here Friday night at 8 p. m. Photo by Sue Poole

Homecoming Set For Friday

"That was then — this is now" is the theme for the 1973 Santiam High School Homecoming Friday evening, Oct. 26 when the homecoming queen will be crowned during half-time at the Santiam-Jefferson game at Allen Field.

Chosen as homecoming princesses are Deanna Quarry, freshman princess; Renee Brown, sophomore princess; Christy Spurgeon, junior princess and Katie Stone and Jocelyn Clark, the senior princesses.

Halftime activities will include crowning ceremonies of the 1973 homecoming queen and entertainment by the Santiam Wolverettes dance and drill team and the pep club.

The homecoming dance, sponsored by the GAA, will follow the game. Alumni of the past two years are invited to the dance.

Chemeketa CC Ground Breaking Ceremonies Oct. 30

Ground breaking ceremonies for Chemeketa Community College's new technical-vocational building will be Tuesday, Oct. 30.

The 10 a. m. ceremony is open to the public. State Sen. Anthony Meeker, R-Amity, will speak.

The new 85,000-square-foot Phase II structure, the second in the college's permanent expansion program will be located east of Phase I which was completed and occupied during the 1972-73 year. The 65,000-square-foot Phase I houses the learning resource center (library and study skills) and general education classrooms.

It is anticipated the Phase II structure will be ready for occupancy by fall term 1974. A general contractor has not been selected. The architectural firm for the project is Carkin and Sherman of Salem.

The new combination one-story, two-story facility will house present mechanical and shop programs including technologies in civil-structural engineering, forestry, drafting, electronics, well drilling and general classrooms. In addition, it will accommodate a new program in automotive technology. The building is planned to include 927 student stations.

The Phase II building is being financed by state construction funds and a serial levy that was approved by district voters in May 1970.

Watch Out For Young Folks on Hallowe'en

Residents of the area are asked to drive with extra precaution next Wednesday night, Oct. 31, as it is Hallowe'en.

Young people are likely to be on the streets on this night, and a little precaution may save a life, so won't you be extra careful when driving?

Logger Injured On Blowout Road

DETROIT — A Grande Ronde man sustained a severe injury to his mouth and teeth while at work Tuesday of last week. He was Ed Johns, a logger employed by Mel Phillips, a cutting contractor for Shipler Logging Co. The accident occurred on Blowout Road about 13 miles South of here.

A report said Johns was bucking a log when the power saw kicked back striking him in the mouth and cutting through the lips and teeth.

He was taken to Salem Memorial Hospital Emergency Center by Idanha Rural Fire District ambulance about 1:45 p.m.

Well Child Clinic Set For October 30

DETROIT — A reminder that a well child conference and immunization clinic will be held by Marion County Health Dept. Tuesday, Oct. 30, at the Detroit High School conference room. Hours will be from 10 a.m. to noon and 1 to 3 p.m.

Parents wishing their children to be seen by the physician should make an appointment by calling Marion County area coordinator, Mrs. Barbara Whiteley at 854-3423 or Mrs. Jean Roth, 854-3515.

The immunization program is for all ages, including adults.

Pre-school mothers are especially urged to bring their pre-schoolers to the clinic.

Well child conferences provide an opportunity for parents to consult with a physician and a public health nurse about the health status of their children. Immunizations for all ages are given at the clinics when indicated. No appointments are necessary for immunizations.

Special emphasis is being focused on measles immunizations. If your child is one year old or over, and has not had hard measles, you are encouraged to have him immunized. Parents must accompany children requesting this service.

Mrs. Whiteley said, to date, not too many appointments have been made for children to see the physician. She urges parents to take advantage of this free service.

Santiam JV Game Is Canceled

The Santiam JV football game which was scheduled for Monday afternoon, Oct. 29, against Jefferson at Jefferson has been canceled. Many of the Jefferson JV players have been injured so they are unable to field a team.

The Jefferson game would have been the last of the season for the JVs. They played Salem Academy two weeks ago.

Savings Time Ends

Daylight saving time will officially end Sunday, October 28, as standard time goes into effect once again.

Clocks should be set back one hour Saturday night.

City Police Arrest Prowler Saturday

Mill City Police apprehended a suspect early Saturday morning on a charge of criminal mischief.

A call to the local police at about 1:40 a.m. Saturday morning by George "Sparky" Ditter, that there was a prowler in his vehicle alerted officer Brewster to be on the watch in that area. Officer Brewster noticed a strange car parked near Hoover's Supply. After checking it out, he then checked the vehicles in back of Vern's Shell Station. Officer Brewster then checked Frank Stromquist's VW van and found the suspect inside spraying it with Snow

Upon questioning the suspect said, he was in the vehicle to keep warm from the rain. The officer then asked the suspect to get in the patrol vehicle as he was taking him to the station. The suspect broke and ran.

Fire Chief Eldon Hutchinson heard extra noise and a call for help and came to aid Officer Brewster. While attempting to subdue the suspect, Eldon Hutchinson was bit on the leg.

The suspect, Gene Craig Perez, 20 years of age from Portland, was then turned over to Deputy Grossnicklaus, to be held in the Linn County Jail with three charges against him and bail set at \$1,500.

It was later learned that Vern's Shell was missing 20 feet of air hose, and a wrecked car was broken into and some tools taken.

It is believed at this time all items were recovered.

Detroit Smashes Alsea Eleven 38-6

DETROIT — Detroit, led by the Roth brothers and sophomore Brian Smith, shockingly clobbered defending state Class A-8 and Casco League champion Alsea 38-6 here Friday afternoon. Alsea player, Clifford Parker, 16, was injured fifteen minutes after play began. He was taken to Salem Memorial Hospital Emergency Center by Idanha Rural Fire District ambulance for medical attention. Attendees said he suffered a dislocated left shoulder.

Detroit is now 5-0 in league action, while Alsea drops to 5-1 along with Falls City and Eddyville.

Smith scored three touchdowns, while Randy Roth tallied once and threw two TD passes to brother Rick.

Alsea — Schreiber 23 pass from Olsen (pass failed).

Detroit — Randy Roth 45, (Brian Smith run); Smith 35 pass from Randy Roth (pass failed); Smith 30 run (run failed); Rick Roth 13 pass from Randy Roth (pass failed).

Tillamook Catholic will host Detroit at Tillamook Thursday, Oct. 25 at 3:00 p.m. On Nov. 2, Falls City will host Detroit at 2 p.m.

Wolverines Trounce Scio Loggers 33-0 Friday Night

The Santiam Wolverines scored 13 points in the first quarter and went on to trounce the Scio Loggers, 33-0 at Scio, in a league clash on Oct. 19. This makes Santiam's conference record 2-0 for this season and puts them in a first place tie with Regis.

Santiam's first touchdown was set up when David Plotts intercepted a logger pass. Santiam then drove 33 yards in eight plays for the touchdown, which was scored by Craig Blackburn on a four yard run. David Plotts kicked the extra point, giving Santiam a 7-0 lead.

Santiam went ahead 13-0 late in the first quarter when David Plotts ran five yards for a touchdown. David Plotts missed the extra point attempt.

Santiam scored again with

7:15 left in the first half when Gary DeMain collected a 37 yard touchdown pass from David Plotts, giving Santiam a 19-0 half time lead. The PAT pass failed.

Santiam went ahead 26-0 with 4:22 left in the third quarter when Craig Blackburn bulled in from ten yards out. David Plotts' extra point kick was good.

Santiam capped the scoring in the fourth quarter when Craig Blackburn smashed in from one yard out. David Plotts was successful with the extra point kick, giving Santiam the lead, 33-0.

Scio never threatened to score as they were held to only 64 total yards as compared to 304 for Santiam. Santiam had 18 more total plays than Scio.

Santiam's Craig Blackburn led all rushers for the game, gaining 141 yards in 22 carries.

David Plotts completed four out of seven passes for a total of 89 yards for Santiam. He was also Santiam's second leading rusher, gaining 42 yards on eight carries.

Frank Bryant, who leads the team in pass receptions, collected 52 yards on three catches.

Gary DeMain, playing his second game of the season, caught the first pass thrown to him and romped for the touchdown.

The offensive backs and linemen of Santiam blocked extremely well. The secondary also played well as they only allowed ten yards in passing. Coach Gibson singled out Mike Andermat as an exceptional linebacker.

Santiam's next game will be against Jefferson on the 26th at Mill City at 8:00. This game will be Santiam's homecoming. Jefferson, currently tied for last place in the Tri-River Conference, is winless in league play.

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Referral Center Film Shown At Lions Meeting

Lions Club members Monday night saw a film, brought to the club by Erick Parker, Salem and Kitty Horton who are both connected with the Marion County community action referral center. They are co-ordinators working with the council of governments, which includes Marion, Polk and Yamhill counties.

Many present were pleased to learn just what this program is all about, and the film shown by Mr. Parker gave them some insight on the scope of the program. It would appear that this community action referral center, which is handled in Mill City by Mrs. Ruth Wirth, helps people in need of services to contact the right agency to fill their needs. Much to the surprise of the members present was to learn that some 300 agencies are working in the tri-county area, attempting to solve the problems of all the people.

Mrs. Wirth, who spoke briefly stated there is a need in this area for the service as many people just don't know where to turn for assistance.

In a short business meeting, Calendar Chairman Harry Nelson urged all members to get their calendar areas covered at once. He also reported that Intermountain Trucking Co. of Idanha will sponsor the picture for the calendar this year. It will be a shot of their truck and a huge log in the July 4 parade, which is certainly a good subject for this logging community.

President Dick Blakley asked that the club be represented at the zone meeting in Stayton Tuesday night.

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