

Council To Take Action On Recreation Project

Action on the proposed purchase of the Will Humphrey property in the 1900 block on Main, to be used as a site for a municipal swimming pool and recreation center was referred at last night's city council meeting to the mayor and council as a committee with power to act and to report in the near future.

A meeting of the mayor and council will be held soon to take action.

Speaking of the recent primary election, Councilman Rollin Cantrall stated that he believed it was the duty of the council to see that the retirement levy is again brought before the people to be voted on. The city dads and the mayor were of the opinion that they could have done more to acquaint voters with the measure. The city attorney was asked to take the necessary steps to place the retirement levy on the November ballot as a special city election measure.

City Engineer E. A. Thomas pointed out that there are several areas in town which cannot be paved until they are built up, and in which people won't build until streets are paved. The cost of the improvement of these areas would amount to more than the assessed value. Mayor Ed Ostendorf stated that he has talked to county officials who favor reassessment of the entire county to bring the present high levy and low assessment on an equitable basis. The council referred the matter to the bonding committee for study.

Owners Offer to Pay

A petition presented from six property owners on Pine between 6th and 8th who are willing to pay cash for street improvements prompted Cantrall to remark, "I wish we had more petitions like this one."

On the heels of a recent suggestion from the planning commission to the traffic safety council that "something be done" to eliminate several loading zones, came a request from C. C. Overem that a loading zone be established in front of his plumbing shop at 1401 Espinade. This request was referred to the traffic safety council.

Police Chief Orville Hamilton sought the council's okay on ordering a new type generator, an "alternator-generator," which is recommended for police cars. Hamilton explained that the present generators burn out every month or two because of the heavy load on them. The council balked at the idea of paying \$150 per car for the new generators, but referred the request to the police committee with the power to act. A report will be made as soon as a decision is reached.

A petition from 27 property owners on Mountain View and Eldorado Heights for sewage and sanitary facilities was referred to the city engineer for study and report.

A letter of resignation was read from Gus Johnson, city building inspector. The council accepted the resignation which will be effective immediately, in accordance with Johnson's request, expressing their thanks to him for his work.

Motor Scooter Question

Leon Brogdon asked the council if it was necessary for him to have a license to operate a motor scooter in instruction and rental shop, and was told that there is no city ordinance requiring that type of license. His question was referred to the chief of police.

The city engineer reported that the city is advertising for bids on a used grader. At the present time, the city is renting one, and wants a new grader but it will be over a year before one will be available.

The council was in disagreement on a request from the Oregon Avenue garage for permission to install a gas pump on the parking strip in front of the building. Councilman Harvey Martin said he could see no objection to their request, but other members of the council believed that the pump could be placed inside the garage to avoid granting a concession which might prompt others to make similar requests. Further investigation will be made before a decision is reached.

No Progress Report In Fir Strike Talk

SEATTLE, May 28 (AP)—With no announcement as to progress, an all-day negotiation meeting between representatives of the Northwest Council of Lumber and Sawmill Workers (AFL) and Douglas fir operators was recessed yesterday.

The sessions will be resumed, spokesmen said, probably Friday.

The CIO-International Woodworkers of America leaders recently agreed to a five cents an hour wage increase, subject to ratification by the membership.

Allies Reject Nazi Arm Probe

BERLIN, May 28 (AP)—An American press relations officer announced today that the allied control authority's coordinating committee had failed to agree on a U. S. proposal for a four-power investigation of German disarmament and had taken the question off its agenda.

This means, he said, that there will be no commission as proposed to investigate the progress of German disarmament in each of the four zones.

It was not immediately known which power had blocked the inquiry, which was recommended by the American member of the coordinating committee, Lt. Gen. Lucius Clay, upon instructions from Secretary of State Byrnes.

The press relations officer said Clay had proposed an investigation into all fields of disarmament, including economic, and the implication was that the latter was the point of the stalemate.

He said the committee would formulate a communique after its next meeting and then disclose the stand taken by each power.

C Of C Names 17 Committees

Klamath County chamber of commerce has organized 17 committees to date and plans on at least another committee and maybe more.

Present committees include, agriculture and land use, aviation, civic affairs and education, executive, finance, housing, Indian affairs, industrial development, inter-city, legislature and national affairs.

Lumber, membership, roads, service fund, taxation, tourist, and veterans affairs. Plans to appoint a publicity committee are being made and perhaps a chamber of commerce quarters committee also.

Naval Vets To Sail To Alaska In Canoe

BELLINGHAM, May 28 (AP)—Two navy veterans, James Bolster, 22, former ensign, and William Barnett, 21, who was a radio technician, launched a sail-rigged canoe from a Birch bay beach yesterday bound for Alaska. Neither has had much canoe experience.

They carried Mae West life vests such as navy fliers wear, a navy issue camp stove, compass, maps and tide books, and planned to send postcards to their families from along the way. The two young men had a bet with a veteran friend, who leaves by boat for Alaska next week, as to who gets to Alaska first.

Training School Escapees Caught

OREGON CITY, May 28 (AP)—Three boys being returned to the state training school at Woodburn yesterday attempted to escape but were soon caught—two of them because they ran toward the courthouse and met the sheriff.

They had been on parole at their homes in Portland but disappeared and later were taken into custody at The Dalles when a car in which they were riding was involved in an accident.

Killing Hinted In Corpse Find

OREGON CITY, May 28 (AP)—Wilbur G. Pickens, 21, Portland, whose body was found in the Clackamas river at Parkplace Saturday, may have been slain, District Attorney Stanley Mitchell said today.

He said the youth's skull was fractured and the nature of the river bank at the spot makes it unlikely he fell and struck his head, Mitchell reported.

Pickens disappeared May 7 while on a party with five other young people. Officers pointed out that his wallet, which friends said contained \$50, was missing.

An autopsy is being performed.

Patterson Calls For Scientific Research

WASHINGTON, May 28 (AP)—Secretary of War Patterson testified today that America "cannot lag in the laboratory and hope to have any chance of victory in the event of a future war."

He appeared before the house interstate commerce committee in support of a bill by Rep. Mills (D-Ark.) to establish a national science foundation.

Starch Factory Meeting Called

Deposits made by growers for the proposed glucose and potato starch factory will be discussed at a special meeting called for 8 p. m. tonight, Tuesday, in the county agent's office.

Representatives of both Tulelake and Klamath Potato Grower associations' committees are urged to be present and decide what action to take in the event that less than \$100,000 is in sight by June 1. The committee must

decide whether or not to urge depositors to leave the amount deposited under some other plan. A representative of the Northwest Chemistry company is expected to be present.

Results of the financing campaign obtained by Tulelake people will be combined with those of Klamath people to determine whether the plant can be started this year as previously planned.

To keep carrots fresh, cut off the tops before you drop them in your vegetable bin. The same rule holds good for beets, turnips, parsnips and radishes.

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Rochester Tied Up By Mass Picketing
ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 28 (AP)—Disregarding a settlement reached on higher levels, organized labor in Rochester today held a mass picketing demonstration that halted public transportation, extensive men's clothing, manufacturing plants and other industries.

Anthony A. Capone, president of the Rochester Central Trades and Labor council, said 25,000 employees had been idled by the mass picketing five hours after it began at 5 a. m. (EDT) in defiance of a settlement of a dispute with the city over unionization of public works department employees.

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