

MARKETS AND FINANCE

YMCA Leader Sees Students

Lawrence Burr, founder of a YMCA in Madras, India, and a great promoter of youth work there for many years, told some 800 KUMHS students this morning that no longer is this merely "one world," but it is now one vast community.

As such, he said, we must concern ourselves with the problems of the community, if for no other purpose than sheer good business. He pictured one out of ten persons in Madras state who live right in the street—sleep, eat and die on the sidewalks. Life expectancy there, he said, is only 30 years as compared to better than twice that for Americans.

Because life is short and hard. Children of India mature much more quickly than we do here, he said. Burr's talk was made during the activities period at the high school under the sponsorship of the Tri-Hi-Y and Hi-Y clubs there. This noon he was guest of the Klamath Falls YMCA board of directors and wives at the YMCA where a buffet luncheon was served.

Local Issues

(Continued from page 1) thusiasm, although all acknowledge its good points. On a recent "Build the Basin" radio forum the proposition of an "open town" vs. a "closed town" was raised, in regards to gambling, which to some extent is and always has been prevalent in Klamath Falls. As an issue to sway the result of this coming city election, this also appears to lack enthusiasm or popular appeal.

One of the candidates for mayor, Dick Maguire, came out with the opinion that if laws are on the books, they ought to be enforced. Bussman and Landry expressed more tolerant attitudes.

Probably the most important job in City Hall is that of police judge, because the police judge generally is the fellow that does the work after the City Council makes the decisions. There are four candidates for the four-year term, and also a measure on the city ballot to raise the pay for this job from its present \$325 a month to \$375.

The candidates are: Frank Blackmer, 421 N. 7th, who is serving now by appointment after many years on the police force; Robert M. (Bob) Elder, 902 Mitchell, a former police judge; Orlis Metaker, 1736 Oregon, who is now county assessor but was defeated in the primary for re-nomination; and Wilbur (Red) Whitcomb, 1868 Fremont, former airport manager.

Elder gave up the office of police judge last spring, and Blackmer was appointed to succeed him. Elder wants it back and can point to a good record of achievement during his months in the office previously, in reorganizing city ordinances and in instituting a central purchasing system which probably has saved the city some money.

Blackmer started out as police judge in July knowing very little about the job, but is getting acquainted with the work and as far as can be determined is doing a good job. He has the further advantage of his years as day desk man at the police station during which he met thousands of persons who came to the police station, willingly or otherwise.

Metaker and Whitcomb have had previous administrative experience, but not in the particular type of work the police judge does. The one other city job to be voted upon this Nov. 4 is that of city treasurer, and Mrs. Ruth T. Berry, incumbent, has it sewed up. She's unopposed.

Church Sates Smorgasbord

The Klamath Lutheran Church is presenting a smorgasbord Tuesday and Wednesday nights to benefit the church's many charities. Rev. Irvin Tweet announced today. Serving starts at the church at 5:30 p.m. both days, with admission of \$1.50 to adults and 75 cents to children under 12. The public is invited.

Obituary

COMBET Joanne Marie Combet, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Combet, died here Oct. 26, 1952. Besides her parents she is survived by two sisters, Cynthia Combet of this city and Mrs. David C. Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Annon Tamer, Murphy, Calif.; Mrs. Dean Lehman, Denver; Mrs. Celia Wise, Gold Hill; Baby Combet was laid to rest in Klamath Memorial Park Oct. 27, Ward's Klamath Funeral Home in charge.

GRAY John M. Gray, 85, native of Greenville, Ill., and resident of Klamath Falls 28 years, died in Salem, Ore., Oct. 26, 1952. Survivors include the widow, Alice, of this city; three daughters, Mrs. Dean Lehman, Denver; Mrs. Lois Quicker, Raleigh, N.C. and Mrs. Carol Oberler, of this city. Funeral arrangements will be announced by Ward's Klamath Funeral Home.

CLARFORD Funeral services for Lawrence Imber, 60, who died in Tulare, Calif., Oct. 23, will take place from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral Home, 925 High Street, Wednesday, 2 p.m. The Rev. George Milne, Merrill Presbyterian Church, officiating. Committal service and interment in Klamath Memorial Park.

Death Claims Irene Vernon

LAKEVIEW—Irene E. Vernon, 58, wife of Harry Vernon, died Oct. 17, at her home, 845 Fourth Street, North, Lakeview. A native of Lakeview, Mrs. Vernon was born here April 26, 1894. She had been ill for about three years.

Mrs. Vernon was the former Irene Cameron, daughter of a pioneer Lake County family. On Nov. 20, 1910, she was married to Harry Vernon, who survives.

In addition to the widow, Mrs. Vernon is survived by two daughters, Dorothy Vernon and Mrs. Mildred Hopfield both of Lakeview. Mrs. Vernon was a member of the auxiliaries of both the Eagles and Elks lodges.

Funeral services were conducted from the Ousley-Osterman Chapel, Oct. 18, with the Rev. Louis York officiating. Interment was in Sunset Park Cemetery.

GOP Leader To Visit KF

Mrs. Leslie Miller, Portland, State women's chairman of the Eisenhower committee, is to speak to Republican precinct workers—both men and women—Wednesday night.

The gathering is to be held at the Eisenhower headquarters, across from the Willard Hotel starting at 7:30 p.m. Homemade cookies and coffee are to be served.

USBR Canal Gets Cleanup

The Bureau of Reclamation's big canal which bisects Klamath Falls is undergoing a cleanup process, with Graham Brothers contractors straightening out a good portion of Project Mgr. E. L. Stephens said the Bureau of Reclamation will also do some of the "big ditch" cleaning in town. The cleaning project starts at the lower end of the tunnel.

The first locomotive was built for an English coal mine 150 years ago.

Vandenberg Orders Study Of Grand Jury Hearings

Two more motions to set aside indictments returned by the grand jury Oct. 13 were filed in Circuit Court this morning, and Judge David R. Vandenberg ordered a hearing Wednesday morning to learn just exactly what went on in the courtroom at the time of the grand jury's report.

The motions are based on a sort of technicality in the presentation of the indictment papers to Judge Vandenberg. State law says that when the grand jury is ready to present its findings any open indictments not true bills or secret indictments shall be presented to the court by the foreman of the grand jury.

The procedure followed Oct. 13 was that the papers were handed to Judge Vandenberg by District Attorney Frank Alderson, rather than by the jury foreman, Roy Call.

There were 34 indictments in the bunch. To date, motions to quash have been filed in behalf of about half a dozen defendants, and the possibility is that if Judge Vandenberg rules that the presentation of the indictments was handled contrary to law, that all 34 will be dismissed.

In that case, the grand jury probably would have to be called to do its work over again. This morning motions to set aside indictments were filed on behalf of Maurice Berry, 32-year-old Negro held on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon, and Keith Edson Peck, 32, charged with negligent homicide.

Attorney George Proctor, representing Berry, and Attorney Ben Goddard, representing Peck, argued for the motions and Goddard said it was his belief that the indictment papers were in possession of the district attorney for some time out in the courtroom before the grand jury came into the courtroom of Judge Vandenberg assumed the bench.

Alderson said today that was true, that he had the papers on a table in the courtroom. Judge Vandenberg ordered a hearing for Wednesday morning. The judge declared that two rules may have been broken, one the state law and another his instructions to the grand jury in which he instructed the foreman to present any indictments found.

A third person under indictment was in court this morning, Jack Wagner, 56, charged with obtaining money by false pretenses, and he was given until Nov. 3 to enter a plea. The indictment against Wagner is an old one, returned last March, and is not in the batch he contested.

Lake County Pioneer Dies

LAKEVIEW—William Peter Dykeman, 85, an Iowa native, died at Lakeview Oct. 22. He had been a permanent resident of Lake County since 1867.

Funeral services were conducted Oct. 25, from Qualey-Osterman Chapel with Dr. H. N. Traight officiating. Interment was in Odd Fellows Cemetery beside his wife.

Dykeman moved from New York to Nebraska while quite young and in July, 1890, was married to Mary Emma Dainton at Hemmingford, Neb. Mrs. Dykeman preceded her husband in death Oct. 30, 1940.

In 1895, Dykeman moved his family to Oregon, stopping for a few months in Lake County then going on to Gold Hill where he engaged in mining for years. In 1897, he and his family returned to Lake County and until 1907, he was engaged by Heryford Brothers as foreman of their several ranches.

Since 1907, Dykeman has been operator of Mammoth Livery Stable, Lakeview. He was an experienced guard on the stage between Lakeview and Alturas, and for many years until his retirement here.

Dykeman is survived by: two sons, Chester Dykeman, Vancouver, Wash., and Walter Dykeman, town supervisor of Lakeview; daughter, Mrs. Lillian Osborn, Parkville, Calif.; seven grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

On The Record

BIRTHS NEARING—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Nearing, 414 N. 8th, at Klamath Valley Hospital Oct. 26, 1952, a boy. Weight: 8 pounds 15 ounces.

HEALTHY—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Healey, 124 Jefferson, at Klamath Valley Hospital Oct. 26, 1952, a boy. Weight: 8 pounds.

DECEASED GRANTED Wesley E. Hickford vs. Estella Hickford. Cleovert W. Hudson vs. Dorna Lee Hudson. Lola Rae Lasagna vs. George A. Lasagna.

Table with columns for Stocks and Grains. Stocks includes Wall Street, Admiral Corporation, Allied Chemical, etc. Grains includes Chicago Grain, Portland Grain, Livestock, and Stockton Livestock.

Griffith Heads Philatelists Bernard Griffith has been named chairman of a group of Klamath stamp collectors who are organizing under the sponsorship of the YMCA here.

Advertisement for Dr. Alva Custer Standard Optical Company. Features an illustration of a woman wearing glasses and a pair of glasses. Text includes 'style distinction and fine craftsmanship at its Best!', 'When selecting eyewear, QUALITY is the first consideration...', and 'DR. ALVA CUSTER REGISTERED OPTOMETRIST WITH OFFICE AT Standard Optical Company 715 MAIN STREET IN KLAMATH FALLS'.

Large advertisement for Holsum flour. Features an illustration of a woman and a large bag of Holsum flour. Text includes 'Be Holsum', 'See the difference it makes when your children eat better without coaxing...', 'Look Holsum', and 'Buy Holsum'. At the bottom, it says 'Fluhrer's KLAMATH'S FINEST BAKERY'.