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PARENT-TEACHERS MEET AND ELECT

OFFICERS OF ORGANIZATION ARE ELECTED AT ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING

LARGE MEETING AT SCHOOL BUILDING

Home And School To Be Brought Closer Together

The Parent and Teachers Association was reorganized at a meeting of parents and teachers at the high school last Friday night. Mrs. Frances B. Stranahan was elected President of the organization; Mrs. B. E. King and Prof. L. N. Bennett, Vice-Presidents; J. W. Heyd, Secretary; and Carl Haberlach, Treasurer. A number of impromptu talks were given on the purpose of the organization, and a committee on by-laws was appointed. The meeting adjourned to meet again on the second Monday in March. An informal get-acquainted reception followed, and refreshments were served.

The attendance at the meeting at the high school last Friday night was exceptional; between one hundred and one hundred and fifty parents and teachers were present. A short musical program before the meeting was called to order was enjoyed by everyone. The four-piece orchestra of Miss Ammetta Jenkins, piano; Mrs. Betty Lantz Meyers, violin; Mr. Carlisle Stranahan, saxophone; and Mr. Harley Davidson, traps; entertained with several good numbers.

Mrs. Stranahan, acting as temporary chairman, called the meeting to order. The first speaker was Prof. Turnbull, principal of the high school. The substance of Prof. Turnbull's talk was to bring the home and school into closer relationship. He gave a review of the school system, and of how the school and home were drifting apart. "In the early days," said Mr. Turnbull, "the home and school were closely related. Teachers used to stay at the home of one pupil for a while, and then go on to the next, and so on. This meant that parents knew at all times just what the children were doing, and didn't get the report from a few figures written on a card. It meant also, that the teacher got a glimpse into the real character of the pupil; of how the child acted toward his parents, and how it behaved when away from the discipline of the school."

"The home and school," Mr. Turnbull continued, "are no longer so closely related. And the purpose of the parents and teachers association is to bring them back together."

George Krebs, brother of E. G. Krebs and a contractor from Sandy, arrived in Tillamook last week. He is here for the purpose of erecting factory and dryshed building for the Tillamook Clay Works. The structure is to be a four storied building.

A. N. Davies of Netarts was in the city today, bringing with him samples of a peculiar substance picked up on the beach near his place. It is said to be spermaceti.

MANY DEER SLAUGHTERED BY PREDATORY ANIMALS

Bringing the report that he had discovered the carcasses of fifteen deer on the divide between the Miami and Kishish rivers, F. Ostrander of Bay City was in the city this week and stated that the slaughter of the deer appeared to be the work of three cougars, which have evidently been working on the edge of the herd of deer that frequents that vicinity. The carcasses were found during the first part of January and the tracks of the cougars were plainly visible in the snow, though no one has actually seen the animals. Hunters are said to be unwilling to hunt the predatory animals on account of the possibilities of their dogs getting on deer tracks. This would lay the hunters liable to a fine for hunting deer with dogs.

B.P.O. ELKS LODGE NOW ORGANIZED

Officers Are Elected For New Institution

Tillamook Lodge 1437, B. P. O. E., was installed in this city last Saturday. An elaborate ceremony attended the installation, followed by a banquet in the evening. Many visiting Elks from all over the state were here for the event. Congratulations were extended the local order. Dr. Norden, installer of the lodge, acted as toastmaster in the evening.

Dr. Ben L. Norden, District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler for Oregon North, installed Tillamook Lodge 1437, P. O. E., last Saturday afternoon. He was assisted by W. F. McKenny, Exalted Ruler of Portland lodge 142. Dr. Norden is widely known in the Northwest, both in fraternal and professional circles. He has an extensive medical practice in Portland, and has distinguished himself by his scientific writings in medical publications.

The officers of the newly installed lodge are: J. C. Turner, Exalted Ruler; Webster Holmes, Esteemed Leading Knight; David Kuratli, Esteemed Loyal Knight; John A. Carroll, Esteemed Lecturing Knight; Howard Lamar, Esquire; Dr. Gridler, Inner Guard; Ben Joy, Tiler; G. S. Barnes, Treasurer; Clarence B. Stanley, Secretary; Frank Fitzpatrick, Chaplain.

The McMinnville delegation numbered fifty strong, and was headed by William J. Lillyquist, Exalted Ruler of McMinnville lodge, 1283. Portland was well represented, as were the neighboring towns.

GALES CREEK AND WILSON RAILROAD IS PURCHASED

Word comes from St. Paul that the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads Tuesday exercised their option held by them on the Gales Creek and Wilson River, and they have officially closed the deal and taken over the railroad. The Gales Creek and Wilson River Railroad is a line running from Wilkesboro to Aagaard, Ore., a distance of fourteen miles, and which taps one of the most valuable sections of timber of the Northwest. The cost of building this fourteen miles of road was between \$700,000 and \$800,000.

Negotiations have been in progress for some time between the Tillamook Chamber of Commerce and the railroads, regarding an extension of this line to Tillamook Bay. With the revival of the logging and lumber industries it seems quite certain that the line will now be extended. The Tillamook Yellow Fir Co., and the Wilson River Lumber Co., have agreed to buy railroad company bonds to the amount of 50 cents per thousand for the amount of their timber that this railroad will serve. If the other large owners of timber like the Blodgett Company and th Whitney Company will help in some such manner, it will be an easy matter to build the road on to Tillamook.

This would be a great factor in the development of this county. This line would follow one of the most scenic routes in the state, and shorten the distance between Tillamook and Portland by 47 miles. The distance to be covered to complete this road to Tillamook Bay, is thirty-five miles. And the total distance from Tillamook to Portland, over this route, will be seventy-five miles.

The adverse grades and curvatures will be very much less than on the railroad now in operation. The short distance, the slight grades and slight degree of curvature on the proposed extension of the Gales Creek and Wilson River places this large body of timber in an excellent position in regard to market.

TILLAMOOK BOY WINS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

B. C. Lamb, Jr., son of B. C. Lamb, of the Lamb, Schrader Co., of Tillamook, has won the debating championship of the State of Oregon. Young Lamb made a splendid fight to make the team. He distinguished himself by his profound thinking and eloquent oratorical expressions.

He has won a place on the Oregon State Debating Team that is to take part in the tri-state debate meet, at Stanford University, Palo Alto, Cal., in the near future. California, Oregon, and Washington are the three states that will compete in that event.

T. B. Handley, state corporation commissioner, arrived in the city Tuesday, and is looking up old friends in this section.

PATRIOTIC RESOLUTIONS ARE PASSED BY LOCAL POST, AMERICAN LEGION

MORE THOROUGH RESPECT FOR THE FLAG AND A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THE CONSTITUTION BY SCHOOL CHILDREN IS ENJOINED IN DOCUMENT

TEACHING OF GERMAN LANGUAGE IN SCHOOLS CONDEMNED BY COMMITTEE

Legionaires Ask For Recognition Of Former Ex-Service Men Regarding County and Municipal Employment

AMERICAN LEGION TO MEET AT CLOVERDALE

Adjutant Heisel of the local post of the American Legion here announces that the local post will meet at Cloverdale on Friday, February 17th at the I.O.O.F. hall. The Tillamook members will leave from the Sunset garage at 7:30 p.m. on that date.

The next meeting of the post, says Adjutant Heisel will take place at the city hall at this place on the 10th. The officers of the Legion are especially anxious that there be a good attendance at both of these meetings and are asking that all young men over the age of 17 years meet with them next Friday. There is said to be something of great interest coming up for everybody, whether they are ex-service men or not.

INEBRIATES DRAW SUBSTANTIAL FINES

Elmer Hanson and Bill Hoffman who were found on the streets last Saturday night in a sociably inebriated condition, were paraded before Justice E. W. Stanley, Monday morning. Justice Stanley looked them over and fined them each \$50. The fine was paid and they went rejoicing on their way.

A few arrests were made Tuesday by sheriff John Aschm for the unlawful possession of intoxicating liquor. R. H. Cady, of Wheeler, and Harold Wells, of Tillamook, it is alleged imbibed too freely in the fire water Saturday night. They had small quantities of it in their possession when they collided with the law. Cady was fined \$200 and costs. Two other cases were dismissed.

A mandate became a matter of record yesterday in the case of Ernest Harris. He was ordered to pay a fine of \$150 and \$134 costs on or before Saturday next. On this condition the remaining \$350 fine would be suspended during good behavior. Failure to pay the required amount on or before Saturday would result in serving out the entire fine of \$500 and costs in jail. The Harris case has been pending for some time.

The Tillamook Post of the American Legion has passed two resolutions that are significant. One for the purpose of giving preference to employment of ex-service men, and the other for the observance of flag exercises in the schools.

A letter received by the local post from the Adjutant General of the state heartily endorses the sentiments of the resolutions. The city of Tillamook has been placed at the top of the list to be granted the organization of the next infantry company that is allotted to the state.

For this purpose, and for the purpose of development, of increasing the industrial and commercial possibilities of the county, the local legion has gone on record for the endorsement of an amory plan. Last week the Headlight published an editorial for the cooperation of the citizens in bringing more conventions to this city. The Legion now proposes the building of an amory for that very purpose.

"An amory is what this city needs," said Dr. Shearer, the President of the Legion Post, "as it is we have no place where a large meeting can be held. We have no building suitable for the entertainment of a large crowd. We have no place to house them, no place to banquet them."

"We have," continued Dr. Shearer, "applications from a large number of young men from Pleasant (Continued on page 10, col. 1.)"

THE COUNTY COURT TAKES TOUR OF INSPECTION

The County Court made a tour of inspection today, in company with the roadmaster and the county surveyor. This morning they inspected the Bayocean road. This afternoon they took a trip over the Saling and Farmer grades.

The object of the trip was to inspect the condition of the roads, and formulate plans for the beginning of work as soon as the weather permits.

BAY CITY HAS NEWSPAPER

The Bay City "EXAMINER" has just been established, and the first number published last Friday. M. D. O'Connell is editor of the new enterprise. It is a weekly sheet of four pages and will be published Fridays of every week. Mr. O'Connell is an experienced printer and newspaper man, and is operating the plant at Bay City. He has come to Tillamook county to stay.

TEACHERS MEET FOR INSTITUTE

Very Good Attendance At Annual Instructors Gathering

The first institute of the Tillamook County Teachers was held in the auditorium of the local high school, at Tillamook, Saturday Feb. 4. The meeting was well attended. The opening speech was delivered by City Superintendent L. W. Turnbull, chairman. This was followed by the appointment of committees.

The primary pupils entertained with several unique and original folk dances. These were under the supervision of Miss Hanson. The pupils were well disciplined and kept very good time.

The reports of the O. S. T. A. were read by Mrs. Hanson, of Tillamook, and Prof. Collins, of Bay City. Mrs. Collins gave a very interesting resume of addresses of some of the country's leading educators. Prof. Collins gave an outline of some of the constructive measures under consideration for the building up of the teaching profession.

The afternoon session opened with a program of selections by the High School Glee Club. Mr. Buell gave a very interesting talk on the health of the pupils, and benefits of a county health nurse. County Superintendent of Schools, Goe. Lamb, spoke upon many subjects of interest to the teachers.

CIRCUIT COURT HAS ADJOURNED TWO WEEKS

The Circuit Court has postponed for two weeks. Adjournment was announced Monday night by Circuit Judge Geo. B. Bagley, due to the present illness of the county attorney. No action was taken on cases of importance. The court calendar is made up, and cases set for trial during the latter part of February and first part of March. The HEADLIGHT will publish the court calendar before that time. The Grand Jury is still in session and has not yet returned any indictments.

Action was taken Monday on the following naturalization cases before the court. Five applicants were admitted to citizenship; five were postponed until May; one was denied; and one failed to appear. Valentine Paul Werner, Herman Wilhelm Thiesen, Gottlieb Wyss, Karl Robert Carlson, and Fred Kebbe were admitted to citizenship. Napoleon Legault, Karl Martin Blaser, Nels Erickson, August Max Charles Vogler, and Emilie Baumann were postponed until May. Chris Wyss' application was denied with prejudice for five years, Frank Von Ew failed to appear.

The Grand Jury was instructed, charged and sworn Monday morning, and immediately went into session. The Grand Jurors are:

C. E. Ward, Foreman; U. S. Edwards, R. O. Allen, Kasper Schlapp, A. J. Heater, John J. Perry, August Chopard.

A bulletin just received as we are going to press states that County Attorney Goynes condition is much improved.

BOOSTER MEETING OUT FOR BUSINESS

AIM OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IS TO GET BUSINESS MEN TOGETHER

SPEAKERS DISCUSS IMPORTANT SUBJECTS

Subject Of Roosevelt Highway Is Again Discussed

The Tillamook Chamber of Commerce is the one live organization in the city that is accomplishing much for the upbuilding of Tillamook county, one of its aims now is to get the business men together for the purpose of boosting the business interests of the county, and with that object in view the Chamber of Commerce extended an invitation to all the business men to attend a banquet at the Tillamook Hotel on Thursday evening of last week, and like the banquet given by A. F. Coates and P. J. Worrall to the business men last month, it proved a great success in every particular, for many things of importance were discussed. Nearly 100 business men were present, and thoroughly enjoyed the sumptuous banquet and splendid talks.

Attorney H. T. Botts proved himself a very able toastmaster.

Fred C. Baker, president of the Chamber, read apologies from Geo. M. Cornwall, editor of the "Timberman," who has promised to visit Tillamook in the near future and address the business men; and from John M. Scott and E. L. King of the Southern Pacific Co.

Mr. Baker said that since the last banquet the Chamber of Commerce had taken up the matter of road connections with some of the officials of the State Highway department, stating that Lincoln county had bonded for \$120,000 to construct the Roosevelt Highway in that county, the forest reserve officials had agreed to go 50-50 with the State Highway Commission to build the road through the reserve, part of which is in Lincoln and part in Tillamook county. This left about a mile and a half of road to be built in this county for which no arrangements had been made to finance it. The state highway engineer had informed Mr. Baker that he was having plans and specifications prepared and would submit them at the next meeting of the State Highway Commission, a copy of which is to be sent to Mr. Baker to take the matter up with the county court. If this work is done this year, and there appears every probability that it will be, for the forest re-

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The Tillamook County Creamery Association held its annual banquet Wednesday night. About one hundred members of the association were present. A musical program was given during the course of the dinner.

A. Werschul gave the opening speech. Carl Haberlach spoke upon cooperation. Several other members gave short speeches. County Agriculturalist, W. D. Pine, acted as Toastmaster.

The following members were awarded prizes: Reed Harris, first prize; Hugh Baker, second prize; and Guy Ford, third prize. These awards were made for cleanliness of factory and best cheese made during 1921.

Mrs. Ward and Mr. Zumstein obliged with several vocal solos. Oliver Mathers entertained at the piano.

William Spencer, age 75 years, for many years a resident of Rockaway, died early yesterday morning at a city hospital. He leaves a widow, Mrs. William Spencer, of Tillamook, and several relatives in Portland. Funeral arrangements are not completed.

TAX INCREASE

IS \$116,378.28
The taxes for the year 1921 have just been turned in to Sheriff Aschm, under date of Feb. 4, 1922.
The total amount of taxes for the year 1921 for the County of Tillamook, State of Oregon, is \$926,612.65. This is an increase of \$116,378.28 over the total amount of taxes for the year 1920, the figures for the year 1920 being \$810,234.37.

