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MURDER JURY IS DRAWN

AMERICAN LEGION MEETINGS HOLD MUCH INTEREST

GATHERINGS ALL OVER COUNTY ATTENDED BY MANY FORMER SERVICE MEN AND INTEREST IS AROUSED IN ATHLETICS

The meeting of the American Legion at the Woodman Hall last Friday night was indeed a success. It was a red letter night. A number of prominent speakers were on the program. A wrestling match and two boxing matches amused the boys. The entertainment was plentiful as were the smokes.

The meeting was called to order by Commander Shearer. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved as read. State Adjutant, Harry Nelson, was the first speaker of the evening. He spoke upon Americanism, and the program of the Legion. He outlined the work that the Legion had accomplished in the past. He spoke upon the soldier's bonus and other things of interest.

C. W. Barrick, local attorney, was the next speaker. He spoke upon the need of teaching Americanism in the schools. Speaking of civics he said the majority of high school students could not answer the questions asked of alien applicants for naturalization. E. E. Blanchard, of Grants Pass, was the next speaker. He amused with a few stories and some sound logical statements. Robert S. Kresan, of Dallas, amused the boys with a number of amusing stories and made everybody his buddy at once. E. J. Claussen and Bill White, both past commanders of the local post were the next two speakers. Dr. Reedy made a few remarks.

Prof. Irwin rendered a few piano solos, and John Carroll entertained with vocal solos. Both were highly appreciated.

T. A. Reed and H. L. Dickinson participated in a wrestling match. Elmer Baker refereed the match. It was a draw. Two boxing bouts were staged and appreciated by the boys. The first was a four round bout between Earl Drumm and Young Leach. It ended in a draw. The second was the main event and was a fast battle from start to finish. The two local ex-gobs, Olson and Anderson, were the principals. They were so evenly matched, that neither of them seemed to have the better of the other. Both were well trained and experienced in the ring. It was the fastest four round battle that we have seen for a long time. John Carroll refereed both bouts.

The local post of the American Legion will hereafter meet at the Woodman hall. The hall has been engaged for the next six months. It is the intention of the committee to stage boxing matches every two weeks.

PIONEER OF ROCKAWAY RECEIVES PAINFUL INJURY

Rockaway, Or., Mar. 13. (Special.)—Mrs. Ed Best, a pioneer of Rockaway, received a painful injury to her hand last week. A horse she was leading became frightened, and in her efforts to hold on to the animal her hand became entangled in the chain, sinking the hook deep into her hand. Despite the painful injury she heroically hung on to the animal until it quieted down.

Mrs. Harry Painter, a local girl, administered first aid treatment and cared for her until the arrival of the doctor. Dr. Hawk found it necessary to take eleven stitches in the palm of her hand. Latest reports state that unless infection sets in she will be about in a few days.

The School Board of Rockaway, recently purchased eight swings and two saws for use in the school grounds. The first unit, consisting of two swings, fur rings and two bars were donated by the Rockaway Community Club last February.

COMMERCE BODY DIRECTORS MEET

The Board of Directors of the Tillamook Chamber of Commerce met on Thursday evening, when all the members of the board attended, which includes C. J. Edwards, W. J. Riechers, F. A. Beltz, A. G. Beals, R. B. Miller, Burr Beals, Jr., and Fred F. Baker. The meeting was called to elect a president, secretary-treasurer and select committees, which resulted as follows:

President, Fred C. Baker; secretary-treasurer, W. J. Riechers. Committee chairmen: Industrial, A. G. Beals. Traffic, transportation and waterways, F. A. Beltz. Legislation and taxation, C. J. Edwards. Tourist, publicity and convention, R. B. Miller. Social and civic, B. L. Beals. Administration membership and finance, Fred C. Baker.

There will be two members of the chamber to be added to each committee and it was decided to defer this until the next meeting of the board, when the chairman will submit the names of those who are to serve with them.

One important matter, and which is considered the most important matter that this city has to wrestle with and find a solution, is water transportation. The board discussed the question from different angles. As a large amount of merchandise originates in California that comes to Tillamook county, it was pointed out what a great saving there would be in freight rates if this part of the county had shipping facilities, especially in hay, feed and other merchandise. F. A. Beltz is the chairman of the traffic, transportation and waterways committee, and it is the intention of the board to get as much data as possible on the matter and if possible devise some way whereby this part of the county can obtain shipping facilities. Much depends upon the future industrial development of this part of the county, for without shipping facilities this city is going to be greatly handicapped and other localities with these advantages will soon make rapid growth in population and industrial activities. The president was instructed to call another meeting of the board as soon as some of the data is compiled.

It is expected that at the next meeting of the Chamber, which is the first Thursday in April, this will be made one of the topics for discussion.

TWIN ROCKS MILL CONVERTED INTO LATH MILL

Twin Rocks, Or., Mar. 14. (Special.)—The mill at Twin Rocks, known as the Tillamook County Box and Lumber Company, has been recently converted into a lath mill under the management of G. I. DeBois, who has installed the latest model Peterman lath machinery, as well as a 50 H P boiler. The head saw has been improved as has also the method of conveying lumber throughout the mill. The manager expects to resume operations about the twentieth of the month, and it is stated the approximate daily output will be forty thousand feet. Mr. DeBois came here about a year ago from Canada to take charge of the activities of the mill at that time under the management of the First Bank of Bay City.

NEW RESTAURANT TO OPEN AT GARIBALDI

Garibaldi, Or., Mar. 12. (Special.)—E. O. Hodges, formerly the proprietor of the Star restaurant of this city, is constructing a store at Garibaldi Cove. It is said that Mr. Hodges expects to open a first class restaurant in the neighboring city in the near future. Mr. Hodges recently sold the Star restaurant here to Wilber Denny, the present proprietor.

Among the citizens of Rockaway who were in the city to attend the Sederberg trial were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Menard, Judge and Mrs. Krebs, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Van Nortwick, an Hugh Sutherland.

GREATEST NEED OF DAIRYMEN HERE IS CHEAPER FEED

HIGH FREIGHT RATES ARE BLAMED FOR EXCESSIVE COST OF FEEDING THE MILK PRODUCERS OF THE COUNTY

(Written especially for the Headlight by Paul C. Norman.)

The biggest problem of the Tillamook dairyman is growing cheap feed. Where the wet growing season makes the harvesting difficult it is a problem to keep a supply of feed for the cows. The shipping facilities and the high freight rates make it unprofitable to ship in feed profitably.

"Clover will not grow very well in some localities apparently because of a lack of lime and phosphorus in the soil. The grass pasture is very luxuriant in the spring but is often not so productive in the summer. During the summer the pasture is not so palatable and the result is a falling off in the milk flow at that time. This is undesirable and can be prevented by growing succulents to be fed during the summer," said Professor G. R. Hylop of the Farm Crops department at Oregon Agricultural College.

Investigations at the Astoria experiment station have proved that if plenty of silage crop is available to feed that the production can be maintained 20 per cent higher than at present after the best of the spring pasture is used up.

Crops recommended by the Experiment Station are peas and oats Japanese Barnyard millet, Pomeranian White Globe turnip, rutabagas and kale. These crops when planted at the right time so that one will be ready to feed at the time the previous crop is exhausted, will give a source of feed that will carry through the summer. On the rich coast soils these crops will grow without the use of lime which is quite expensive. Applications of Super-Phosphate often increase the yields. This is especially true of the root crops.

Mrs. William Phinazer of Twin Rocks is recovering from an illness which was the after effect of a spell of influenza.

THE LUCKY ONE

The weekly prize of \$2.50 that the Headlight is giving away on its misspelled word every week was won last week by Everett Burrass. Burrass brought the word in to the Headlight office Saturday morning and received the \$2.50.

The misspelled word in last Friday's issue was Lamar. The misspelled word contest is being conducted in the Friday's issue only. In the Tuesday's issue we are running a puzzle contest every week. Later on we will arrange to give some kind of a prize to every one sending in a correct solution to these contests.

Look in the puzzle corner of this issue and see if you can solve the problem. The names of those sending in correct answers will be published next Tuesday. Miss Fannie Smith sent in a correct solution to last Tuesday's missing word puzzle.

Address all communications to the Puzzle Editor, Headlight.

NEWSPAPER TRUCK ON FIRE; AUTO BODY DAMAGED

Flames enveloped an Oregonian paper truck, containing a consignment of morning newspapers for Tillamook and some other freight for the coast city, five miles west of Willamina early this morning and reports were that the bundles of papers, most of the freight and the entire body of the car was ruined.

The truck was of one and one quarter tons capacity and was owned by Sinclair & Krahn. Information received at the office of the owners indicate that a carelessly thrown cigarette or a match spark started the papers burning.

A speedster truck was loaded up with an extra consignment of papers in Portland later this morning and picked up the remains of the freight to continue the trip to the coast.

PARENT AND TEACHERS ASSOCIATION MEETS WEDNESDAY

The Parent and Teachers Association will hold its regular meeting for the month of March next Wednesday at the high school auditorium. Many speakers are on the program and many subjects of vital interest to parents will be discussed. The president wishes all parents and all those who are interested in the welfare of children to attend the meeting.

GARIBALDI MILL STARTS AT ONCE

The Whitney Mill, at Garibaldi, will turn its wheels tomorrow. The initial cut of logs will not be for commercial purposes, however, but will be used for construction work and repairs work about the mill property. Many thousands of feet of planks will be used in the building of huge platforms about the mill on which to pile lumber. These platforms are to be built on piling and it is estimated that several weeks will be required to complete this work. The clearing out of the basin in which logs are conducted to the mill is progressing.

Garibaldi is already taking on metropolitan airs, for mechanics and laborers are continually arriving, and things are commencing to liven up. It is reported that all vacant houses in the town have been filled, that the company hotel has been opened and the bunkhouses have been filled with laborers.

Activity at Idaville is being speeded in anticipation of the opening by the addition of a force of men ballasting and otherwise putting the logging road in shape. The steel span bridge over the Kilchis river has been completed. Other small bridges along the right of way are being repaired and put into shape.

Houses in Bay City that have been standing vacant for a long time are now being occupied by laborers, and their families, employed at both Garibaldi and Idaville.

INSANE MAN PICKED UP SUNDAY NIGHT BY MARSHAL

Ed Stark, night marshal, picked up a suspicious looking character last Sunday night and later discovered that the man was insane. Nathan Israel was wandering about the streets at an early hour Sunday night and ran afoul of the night marshal who started to question Nathan as to his entry into the city. It was learned that he came in on a truck and as he acted lightheaded the marshal locked him up after taking him to a restaurant for a meal.

Investigation yesterday revealed that Nathan Israel was a paroled inmate from the state hospital for the insane. The authorities were notified and will return him to custody. Israel was paroled from that institution about eight months ago.

The postoffice at Twin Rocks is receiving a new coat of paint, looks "sorter" spring-like.

SEDERBERG TRIAL STARTS TODAY WITH TESTAMONY

TWELVE MEN FINALLY SELECTED TO DECIDE THE OUTCOME OF THE FATAL SHOOTING SCRAPE AT ROCKAWAY

William Sederberg, charged with second degree murder, goes on trial today. The indictment charges that Sederberg did on or about the 6th day of January, 1922, inflict a gunshot into the arm of one James Spencer, that later resulted in Spencer's death. It is alleged that the quarrel dates back for some time and that James Spencer was accidentally shot while trying to act as mediator between William Sederberg and O. D. Spencer.

According to the story of the crime O. D. Spencer and William Sederberg had some trouble over business affairs and Spencer left Sederberg with the remark that he would inflict bodily harm. When James Spencer arrived in his mission of mediator, Sederberg thought that it was O. D. Spencer returned to carry out his threat and shot through the door.

The jury has been picked and at the time of going to press the first witness, Dr. J. E. Shearer, has been called to the stand. The twelve good men and true in whom the fate of the defendant now rests are: Edwin Boquist, Ernest Haig, A. H. Harris, Amos Fuqua Thomas Shillinglaw, O. E. Gulstrom, B. J. McCowell, Chas. Wells, Thomas Kellow, Frank Devorey, Alfred Reynolds, T. B. Lucas.

BAY CITY BANK DEPOSITORS ARE NOTIFIED

The First Bank of Bay City is proceeding toward liquidation under the direction of the state bank examiner. A notice to this effect has been published and circular letters have been mailed to depositors to file their claims at an early date. Those who are indebted to the bank have likewise been notified to make arrangements for an early settlement.

Rumor has it that the bank is to be reorganized. Under the law directors have sixty days from the period of the closing of the bank in which to form a reorganization. This sixty day limit has not yet expired.

Though it has been intimated that the bank's assets are sufficient to cover all liabilities it can in no way be verified, for no information has been made public by the state bank examiner. Until the audit of the books has been completed depositors will not know with any degree of certainty what percentage of deposits will be returned. It is understood that only a few minor details are lacking to complete the auditing and that liquidation proceedings will soon be begun.

VIDITO HOSPITAL HAS SMALL BLAZE MONDAY

A fire broke out in the Vidito hospital about 10:30 a. m. last Monday. The loss amounted to about ten dollars. Patients were not in danger. According to the fire marshal and insurance men the fire was caused by the stove pipes being too close to the walls. The overheated walls caused a flame to ignite inside the wall and the building was filled with smoke while no fire was visible. An alarm was turned in and the fire department soon extinguished the blaze. Patients were removed from the rooms in close proximity to the scene of the blaze, but it was not found necessary to remove them from the building.

The Ladies of the Rockaway Commercial club held a surprise quilting "bee" at the residence of one of its members, Mrs. W. E. Walling on Monday evening.

Signs of Spring

