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New Ticket Is Filed for All City Offices

OWENS, JOHNSON EACH OUT FOR MAYOR

Kent, Cline and Dennis Davis Are Candidates for Council

An independent ticket for each of the city offices was filed Friday afternoon as follows: Mayor, George W. Johnson; councilmen, Walter Kent, B. J. Cline and Dennis Davis; treasurer, Mrs. William Hammack.

Owens Also Files

A petition for Ben S. Owens for reelection as mayor also was filed with Recorder C. F. Hieber that afternoon.

The caucus candidates who will be in the running are Frank Hartwick and F. J. Tousley for councilmen, and J. W. Brown for treasurer.

There will be a contest for each of the offices, except that the withdrawal of Loel Roberts, caucus nominee, leaves only one candidate who has filed thus far for one of the terms as councilman.

A. E. Adams, incumbent, will be the fourth member of the council, his term holding over.

Burns Man Hurt On Mist Road In Auto Crash

Edwin N. Brown of Burns was injured in the head, and his new Pontiac sedan was badly wrecked on the Mist road a mile and a half below Pittsburg Saturday night when he crashed into a tree that had fallen across the road during the burning of slashings.

Mr. Brown, who was knocked unconscious, was given first aid by some CCC men, and his car was towed to Vernonia.

Feathers . . . and . . . Talons

SEEN AND HEARD

Harold McEntire rescuing from two dogs a kitten that had climbed a pole . . . R. M. Aldrich's "Bummer" chewing a bone from the buck killed by Doc Eby . . . Three Koster donkeys on a train en route from Rock creek to McPherson . . . Library board members and Boy Scouts gathering up bundles of old papers . . . High school students staging a rally on Bridge street and practicing their "Hold that line" yell . . . Lode McDonald starting to sit with the high school football squad at the chamber of commerce lunch, and Judd Greenman advising him to be his age . . . Joe Wangler standing on the running board of his car jiggling it to get it started down hill . . . Les Sheeley hopped up over prospects of Vernonia's being made an air base.

EXTRADITION COSTS ARE VERY LOW

"It cost less than ten dollars to extradite John Mace and Frank Dean from the State of Washington on a riot charge filed against them at St. Helens," stated John L. Storla, district attorney. "Part of these expenses are chargeable to the state and part to the county. No charge is made by either Oregon or Washington for the extradition papers, the only expense being that incurred in traveling," continued the district attorney.

Fine Response Is Reported for Library Drive

Many Assist in Gathering Paper Bundles

A splendid response was made last week to the library board's drive for old papers. Bundles were collected from Vernonia and Riverview Saturday by members of the library board assisted by boy scouts, and many pounds of old paper were brought directly to the library by the donors.

The paper will be taken to Portland sometime this week by Wilbur Davis, who is donating his service.

Alice and Patricia Baker and Tom Crawford assisted in collecting and delivering old papers from Camp 8.

Dr. H. M. Bigelow arranged with his boy scouts to help collect bundles and prepare them for shipping. Boys who worked Saturday included Charles and "Pat" McGraw, Homer and Ellis Austin, Edison Aldrich, Howard Rundell, Elvere Thompson, Jr. and Clifford Smith.

People who were not able to get old magazines and papers ready for the drive may leave them at the library any time in the future, and they will be sold from time to time as enough accumulates.

The public library board which is decidedly hampered in its work by lack of sufficient funds will appreciate donations of old papers at any time.

Oregon to Have 41 Winter CCC Camps says Forester

Seventy-six conservation corps camps will be allotted to Oregon and Washington this winter; 41 of these will be located in Oregon and 35 in Washington, according to C. J. Buck, regional forester, who has just announced the winter move camps to occur during the month of October. This change means an increase of two camps for Oregon and a loss of three camps for Washington as against the summer allotment, but leaves the total camps on approximately the same basis as last winter, according to Buck. Nineteen summer camp sites in Oregon and 23 in Washington will be vacated on account

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High School Team Support Is C.C. Topic

Chamber Hears Speeches from Coaches and Boys

Support of the high school football team was the key-note of the meeting of the meeting of the chamber of commerce Tuesday noon in the Masonic temple. The program was arranged by Judd Greenman, who declared it to be up to the citizens to do their part in assuring a winning team.

He introduced Harold McEntire, principal, who in turn introduced Wallace McCrae, coach. Mr. McCrae described this year's team as consisting largely of green material. "But the boys are showing a fine spirit," he declared, "and will be in the game every minute, win or lose."

Senior members of the football squad each gave a short talk when called upon. They were Dave Howard, Holly Holcomb, James Rainey, Earl King and "Swede" Overson. Twenty underclassmen also belonging to the squad were introduced.

Leslie Skuzie, assistant coach, praised the spirit shown by the boys.

Need for a full attendance at the game with Banks Friday afternoon was stressed by Mr. Greenman and President L. H. Dewey.

Merchant Aid Asked

Cooperation of the local merchants in accepting as many school warrants as possible was asked by Ivan N. McCollom, principal of the grade school, who stated that the teachers would prefer to do their trading at home. Certain outside merchants had offered to accept warrants at little or no discount, he said, and he wished it understood that any trading teachers might do on this basis would be because of the inability of local merchants to accept the warrants on a similar basis.

Upon suggestion by Mr. Greenman President Dewey was authorized to appoint a committee to investigate possibilities of disposal of warrants.

Air Base Suggested

Lester Sheeley suggested the possibility of the government's establishing an air base in Vernonia, and declared the object to be worth going after.

President Dewey told of a telegram sent by the directors to the bureau of public roads in Washington, D. C., upholding the state highway commission in the allotment of federal funds to the northwestern counties.

Earl Smith was named as program chairman for the next meeting.

EPPING ROAD IS FINISHED SATURDAY

Rocking of the new road from Stony Point to the Nehalem in the vicinity of T. F. Epping's was completed Saturday by the county under Lode McDonald, supervisor.

Most of the hand labor on the road was done as a CWA project last spring.

CONNACHER EQUIPMENT TO GO TO GLENWOOD

The Connacher equipment is to be moved to Glenwood, where a logging railroad is being built into the Tillamook burn. A flat car has been spotted for shipment of material out today, the first to be moved to that destination.

A number of carloads of rails were shipped recently from Connacher camp to Portland for export to Japan.

Fri. Night Trip, Earlier Arrival Is New Schedule

Changes to Be Effective Friday, October 5

Addition of a Friday night service out of Vernonia by way of Forest Grove, replacing the Wednesday night trip via St. Helens, also arrival time one hour earlier in the afternoon of each week day, is announced by the Vernonia-Forest Grove stage lines, K. H. Cliff proprietor, effective October 5.

The changes will permit those who wish to take week end trips to start earlier than Saturday morning, and will enable readers of Portland evening newspapers to receive their copies an hour earlier.

The complete schedule appears on page three.

Russell Stresses Dangers to Workers In Hunting Season

Hunters should keep off CCC roads because of the danger to the men working along these roads, says J. J. Russell, supervisor. For this reason, as well as the liability of cutting up the newly finished roads in wet weather, the roads have been closed to travel by the public.

APPLE BLOSSOMS AND A BIG APPLE APPEAR IN ORCHARD

A 14 ounce northern spy apple and a spitzenberg apple tree in bloom are reported by Albert Wood as found yesterday in the orchard on his place.

Mr. Wood exhibited the apple and a branch of the blossoms in town yesterday.

ZIMMERMAN RALLY PLANNED FOR OCT. 1 IN ODD FELLOWS HALL

A Zimmerman for governor rally is planned for October 1 at 3:30 p. m. in the Vernonia Odd Fellows hall, according to a telephone message yesterday from Rainier.

Further particulars will be announced in posters on the street.

Airport Needs Team

Renting a team, without hiring driver, at the airport has been authorized from the county SERA office in St. Helens. Efforts to secure a team are being made by Loel Roberts, timekeeper.

Ordinance for City Attorney Passed 2-1

GEO. JOHNSON OPPOSES MEASURE

Necessity for Office Upheld By Councilman Hartwick

The ordinance fixing the salary of city attorney at \$25.00 a month, not to include fees for any cases tried in justice, county circuit or supreme courts, was passed by a two to one vote at the city council meeting Monday night.

The ordinance was opposed by Councilman Johnson, who declared himself opposed to appointment of any one as city attorney at the present time, believing it to be a needless expenditure.

Councilman Hartwick stated his belief that a city attorney is necessary, especially in the matter of delinquent assessments. Some people have the money and are not paying, he declared.

Mr. Johnson objected that it would not be fair to force some to pay and not others, and not all could pay.

After discussion as to the rights of the city to assessments on property taken over by the county Mr. Johnson called for a record vote, which resulted: Hartwick and Adams, yes; Johnson, no. Councilman Tousley was absent.

Budget Dates Set

The council set the dates for the budget hearing at 7:30 p. m. October 17, and for the election on the right to exceed the limitation, October 30 from 1 to 8 p. m.

Hotel Ruins Condemned

Upon suggestion of Earl Smith, fire chief, the council ordered the condemnation of the Gordon hotel building ruined by fire, the owner to be given ten days to remove it, and the city to do it if he fails.

F. FIGER TO TAKE OVER DUTIES IN COLUMBIA COUNTY

ST. HELENS—A dispute in the Columbia county dog control committee has resulted in the resignation of H. G. Bandeen, dog license collector. Collections for the year to date on dog licenses totaled \$1004.50, with disbursements of \$1013.

A check of the disbursements shows that \$697.10 was paid to Bandeen and an assistant for collecting licenses and \$51.30 for dog license supplies, leaving only \$264.60 for the relief of the sheepmen who lost their sheep by dog slaughter, and the fees of the control committee, which totaled about \$65. On the showing made by the control committee, the resignation of Bandeen was accepted and Fred Figer appointed to the job, he to receive all of the license money collected.

Franklin Rogers was home for the week end from his duties at Hoffman lookout station.