

## Board of Commissioners

(Memorandum Minutes)

The Columbia County Board of Commissioners met in scheduled session November 13, with Chairman Fred Foshaug presiding, Commissioners Minkoff and Ahlborn, and secretary Gloria Salvey (deputy clerk) present.

Commissioner Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded the minutes of the meeting of November 7 be approved. Motion carried.

Miscellaneous claims were approved.

Purchase Order 2677, to St. Helens Paving Company for supply mix in the sum of \$2,340, and purchase order 2615, to Watters Concrete for crane rental and rock in the sum of \$1,064 were approved.

Various personnel action forms were approved.

The appointment of Kenneth L. Smith as deputy sheriff was approved.

Resolution No 77-73 transferring the sum of \$1,000 from the contingency fund to Planning, Printing and Advertising, was approved.

Order No. 78-73 was signed, accepting a deed from Robert and Gwen Ketrenos, for road purposes, to widen Slaven and Marracci Roads.

Order No. 79-73 was signed, accepting a deed from William and Dorothy Foster, for road purposes, to increase the intersection of Neverstill and Hedlund Roads.

Order No. 80-73 was signed, accepting a deed from Richard and Joan Wallin, for road purposes, for realignment of Millard Road.

Resolution No. 81-73 was signed in the matter of the vacation of a portion of the Ellison Road No. 138, and setting December 26, 1973, Room 308, Courthouse, at 2 p.m. as date and time for public hearing.

Roy Wilburn met with the board to discuss personnel matters in his department. He indicated that his interpretation of the union contract was different than that accepted by the board and as a result, he would not recommend 12-month salary increases for people in his department. He also advised that Geneva Shadley, deputy emergency services coordinator, had indicated she would not continue in that capacity.

Ron Reeves met with the board to present the Planning Commission's recommendations with regard to the creation of a road by Jensen Nicholson developers.

At the recommendation of the Civil Service Commission, Commissioner Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded the following action be taken: 1. Establishment of a classification of Clerk-Matron with recommended salary range of 15; 2. Establishment of classification of Sign Maintenance Man with recommended salary as that of Road Maintenance Man 4 which is presently \$4.50 per hour; 3. Establishment of classification of Planning Director with recommended salary range of 28. Motion carried.

Agreement and application for reimbursable funds were signed on behalf of the Adult and Child Guidance Clinic programs.

As a result of conversations with Sheriff Roy Wilburn, John DeFrance was appointed as Civil Defense Director, effective November 13, 1973.

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We had a good turn out at our Thanksgiving potluck. 46 were present for dinner and 25 hot dinners were delivered, only wish we could have reached more.

Our thanks to Mr. Hearing of Sam's Food Store for donating a Virginia Smoked ham. It was delicious and appreciated. Many of our members donated toward the dinner and we thank each and everyone of them, also the helping hands that assisted in the kitchen.

Nellie Davis and Zada Snook roasted the turkeys-Thanks ladies. Bill Harders entertained, after dinner playing his accordion, many joined in and sang to the tune of some old favorites. Thanks to you too, Bill.

We wish you all a very Happy Thanksgiving.

Next business meeting and potluck will be Friday, December 7. Try and come as new officers for 1974 shall be voted on.

## Tea Party Weekend Set

The 200th Anniversary of the Boston Tea Party has been granted official recognition and use of the national Bicentennial logo as a major event commemorating the nation's Bicentennial.

The American Revolution Bicentennial Commission (ARBC) granted the official status to the city's sponsoring organization, Boston 200, who will conduct a series of Tea Party related activities, culminating with Tea Party Weekend, December 14 to 16.

Speaking of the Tea Party and its relevance in this modern era, Boston Mayor Kevin H. White said, "A prime purpose in commemorating the event is to remind people of the principles about government that were enormously important to Bostonians of the 18th century. Although times have changed, these same issues of the role of government and the rights of man still continue on to today."

Boston 200, the Office of the Boston Bicentennial, has sought to stimulate an active reconsideration of these issues through a series of forums, lectures and literary and artistic competitions—just as meetings and forums in 1773 kindled the spirit for the original Tea Party.

The ARBC feels that the commemoration will make a significant contribution to the Bicentennial and suggests a level of quality of which we can all be pleased. It will provide a comprehensive and interesting portrayal of the impact that the Boston Tea Party had upon the American Revolution and the course of American life and history. Its focus is both historic and contemporary.

## CARE Starts Food Crusade

Some 7,000,000 children across the world have had to be dropped from CARE's child nutrition programs because of reductions in U.S. Food for Peace commodities allocated to private American agencies for humanitarian use overseas, according to Mrs. Marguerite Kelly, regional director, CARE in Seattle, as the annual Food Crusade begins in the Pacific Northwest.

To continue daily supplementary feedings for 20 million persons, mainly children, during the coming year and to provide emergency food aid for 6 million refugees and disaster victims, the 1973 national holiday-season drive seeks to raise \$7,300,000, CARE's New York headquarters announces.

Special events such as pre-Christmas booths, distribution projects by business and youth groups are scheduled throughout the area to gain public support for the drive to help feed the hungry in 25 most destitute areas abroad.

"Painful decisions had to be made to drop large groups of preschool and school children in countries where hunger and malnutrition are the biggest killers of the young and cause permanent physical and mental damage in the millions who survive," CARE explains, adding that the agency is hopeful Food for Peace cuts may be restored in the months ahead, as the public is urged to respond to the Crusade so that most crucial programs may be maintained.

While U.S. agricultural donations are mainstays of the programs, CARE also buys other foods to meet local needs, and host governments help with distribution cost, the public contributions used for purchase and remaining delivery costs. Contributions to the Food Crusade may be sent to the CARE outlet, Meier & Frank, Portland, Ore.

Place An Ad Today

## Herrin-Weller United In Marriage At Bible Church

Maxine Weller of Keasey route and Luther Herrin of Dallas were united in marriage at the Bible church Saturday, November 10. Pastor Kenneth Wooten performed the double-ring ceremony at two o'clock.

The bride was given away by her son, Gene Weller. She was attended by her two daughters, Kathy Feakes of Aloha and Judy Holsey of Beaverton. The groom was attended by his son Jerry Herrin of Lead, South Dakota and the bride's son James Weller of Beaverton. Ushers were the sons-in-law of the bride Jerry Feakes and Dennis Holsey.

Mrs. Weller wore a pink floor-length gown accented with belted back, pearl accessories. Her attendants wore pink and green paisley brocade floor-length gowns. The wedding prayer was offered by Don Wantland of Cosmopolis, Washington, "A Wedding Prayer" was sung by Misses Pamela and Linda Wantland.

A reception followed in the social room of the church where about 140 guests offered best wishes to the new Mr. and Mrs.

Herrin. Mrs. Beulah Blakeley of Seattle, sister of the bride, presided at the reception table. Mrs. Gene Weller and Mrs. James Weller cut and served the cake; Mrs. Blakeley served coffee and Mrs. Sterling Cash of Portland served punch.

The three daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James Weller, Marsha, Bonnie and Jennifer tended the guest book.

The couple are at home at Dallas. They plan a wedding trip later to visit Dr. and Mrs. Jerry Herrin in South Dakota and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gandy at Dallas, Texas and other relatives and friends.

A family dinner for the Herrin and Weller families was given Friday evening, November 9, by the children of Luther Herrin prior to the wedding. Dr. Jerry Herrin of Lead, South Dakota and Mrs. Beverly Gandy of Dallas, Texas. The rehearsal dinner was held in the social room of the Bible church and was prepared and served by ladies of the church.

## Vernonia Grange Elects Officers

The Vernonia Grange held their election of officers at their last meeting.

The elected officers for the coming year are: Master, Leona Turner; Lecture, Betty Gardiner; Secretary, Nel Davis; C.W.A., Marie Christensen; Overseer, Ed Bala; Stewart, Bill Harclers; Assistant Stewart, Vern Lindsay, L.A. Stewart, Alice Lindsay; Chaplin, Ted Hill; Treasurer, Norman Davis; Cereals, Marie Christensen; Pamona, Jean Barton; Flora, Jean Bala; Gate Keeper, Charlie Haskell; three year Exc. Comm, Nora Harders.

Rose Haddix was elected News Reporter for both Grange and C.W.A. meetings.

## Dinner Guests Entertained

BIRKENFELD-Dinner guests at the Francis Larson home on Wednesday evening of last week were the Fred Larson's and Dennis, the Dave and Don Larson's and the Willard Garlocks.

Hunters coming from Silverton on last Friday were, Walter Larson, Don Wertz and his son Johnathon; they stayed at the Francis Nordstroms. They brought a trailer house with them. They returned home Sunday. No luck. They left the trailer house and will be back this weekend.

Paul Provost of "Hammond" spent the weekend at the DuPuis home while his folks were hunting.



MEMBERS of the Wasco County High School Chorus from Maupin presented a choral program for the Vernonia High School students recently. Among the many selections the 57-member group entertained with were "Proud Mary," and "I'm Proud To Be An Okie."

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## Motors Given Local Group

The Grease Monkeys met at the home of Henry Turner November 19 with 12 in attendance.

They were instructed on the fundamental parts of a two-cycle engine and are required to learn them by heart before going on to the more mechanical workings of the assembled motor.

We wish to thank the man who donated two motors for the boys, but we are still in need of more.

These motors when donated are given to the boys who have none and when they finish working on them they are given to the boys to keep.

When these boys learn the two cycle Engine they will be going on to four cycle engines, which are also badly needed.

## Ladies Attend Meet Of Delta Kappa Gamma

Mrs. Maude Wells and Mrs. Dorothy Sandon attended a meeting of Tau chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma society at Clatskanie High School on Saturday.

The program was given by Mrs. Bernice Bodenhamer. She had helped chaperone a group of mentally retarded youth on a trip to Arizona under the auspices of World Wings. She showed some slides, played parts of tape recordings and told of the help and sympathy given her and her charges by the people whom they came in contact with. She concluded that many want to help such children but don't know what to do for them.

## Thoenes Enjoy Weekend Visit

Mrs. Ann Orvald, (ex-coworker of Kay Thoenes, formerly of Bess Kaiser Hospital in Portland) spent the three day weekend at the Thoenes; Mrs Orvald returned to work on Monday.

Also Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Thoenes were greatly surprised to have their granddaughter, Linda K. Liveing along with great-granddaughter little Heidi E. Liveing, arrived here from a year's stay in Frankfurt Germany. Linda and Heidi stayed over two nights, returning to her parents home, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Albert of Beaverton, then took a plane out last Friday to Elkhart, Indiana to greet their husband and father Spec. 4 - David Liveing who will be stationed at Elkhart for the next six months.

## Parents Reveal Engagement Plans

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene E. Christensen of Beaverton announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Jean to Timothy P. Conroy of Vernonia. The bride-elect is a graduate of Beaverton Hi and is employed as a dental assistant in Portland.

Timothy is the son of Mrs. Ralph Keasey of Vernonia and Mr. John Conroy of Pendleton. He attended Vernonia High, graduating in 1968. A veteran of the U.S. Navy, he is employed by Hillsboro Aviation as a flight instructor.

The couple plan a January wedding.

## 1974 Great Decisions Program Groups Form

Informal groups which discuss America's role in critical international issues are now being formed in many communities for the 1974 Great Decisions program, announces Don Coin Walrod, Columbia County Extension Agent.

"The Middle East conflict and the energy crisis are two of the eight topics to be discussed this year. Everyone is welcome to participate. No prior knowledge is required," Walrod says.

This year's topics include the Atlantic Community; the Soviet-Detente; Cuba and the Panama Canal Zone; President vs Congress; the People's Republic of China; People! People!

Great Decisions is a nationwide organization which encourages citizen awareness of foreign policy issues. Its core is informal meetings of 8 to 15 people in homes, clubs, religious centers, libraries, offices or community centers.

Participants use booklets provided by the program which give background and impartial analysis of issues with pros and cons of alternative actions open to the U.S. Questions relevant to Oregon are included.

The booklets will be available from the county extension office after January 2. They cost \$3.

"At the end of the series opinion ballots are furnished to participants who want to express their views on the issues to legislators and the State Department," Walrod added.



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