

sented service bars to the girls

who had earned them during the

last term. He also presented Miss Persyn with the Moran

Necklace from the Rainbow

Miss Persyn and other line

officers introduced their parents and families, as well as dis-

tinguished guests and visiting assemblies. Her motto for the term is "After the Rain the

Rainbow". Her flower is the

petunia, her colors are light

blue, lavender and white and her

song is Sunshine. These were

used on the programs given each

person attending the installation

Dewey Conroy sang a selection

of songs and everyone enjoyed

four girls from one family to

become worthy advisor to be a first in the Nehalem Assembly and asked Patricia, Gwen,

Rhonda and Evan to come

forward. He was Rainbow Dad

for all four and congratulated

the girls on their work in

The installation concluded

with the benediction by Mr. John

For the retiring march Dewey

sang Sunshine then the assembly

and all other visiting Rainbow

girls joined in at the altar to sing

Refreshments were served in

the downstairs dining room with

Mrs. Chet Fisher, Mrs. Bob Cone, Mrs. T. F. Tomlin and

Mrs. Norman Hamnett on the

serving committee and Mrs.

Ralph Sturdevant and Mrs. Dan

Koch as dining room committee. Miss Persyn announced her

projects for the term would be to raise funds for the Vernonia

Ambulance Heart Machine, the Oregon Heart Fund and the American Cancer Society.

The Bureau of the Census will

conduct its regular monthly survey in this area on employ-

ment and unemployment during the week of February 18-22, according to John E. Tharald-

son. Director of the Bureau's Data Collection Center in Phil-

adelphia. The Bureau is part of the U.S. Department of Com-

merce's Social and Economic

Local households in the survey

are among the 50,000 nationwide that have been scientifically

selected to represent a cross

The survey is taken by the Bureau for the U.S. Department

of Labor, which analyses and publishes the results each mon-

th. The Labor Department re-

ported that the December sur-

vey showed a rise in unemployment-up to 4.9 percent from 4.7

percent in November, after rea-

ching a 3-½-year low of 4.5 percent in October. Employment

was little changed, following

substantial gains earlier in 1973.

Information supplied by indi-viduals participating in the sur-vey is confidential by law and

results are used only to compile

Census representatives visit-

ng households in this area are:

Statistics Administration.

section of all households.

Take Survey

"Let There Be Peace".

and in the decorations.

his fine performance.

Rainbow

G. Crowston.

Ralph Sturdevant

## Miss Evan Persyn Installed As Rainbow Worthy Advisor

Board.

An open installation ceremony of the Nehalem Assembly No. 18, International Order of the Rainbow for Girls, was held Sunday afternoon at the Masonic Temple. Miss Evan Persvn was seated as worthy advisor for the spring term. Acting as installing officer was Miss Patty Cone, outgoing worthy advisor.

Miss Cone was assisted by Kathy Poetter as chaplain, Patricia Fisher as marshall, Gwen Tomlin as recorder and Rhonda Persyn as musician

Officers seated with Miss Persyn are as follows: Worthy Associate advisor, Jill Beamish; charity, Debbie McLean; hope, Noell Sturdevant; faith, Beverly Starr; recorder, Patty Cone; treasurer, Debbie Bergerson; chaplain, Sandra Leonard; drill leader, Lynette McLean; love, Cheryl Dunaway; religion, Elita Morford; nature, Kathy Matteson; immortality, Michelle Fuller; fidelity, Debbie Westbrook; patriotism, Dana Andrus; confidential observer, Kacey Haney; outer observer, Kathy Osgood, musician, Rhonda Persyn.

The boys from the Forest Chapter DeMolay, Forest Grove, under the direction of their dad advisor, Harold Johnson, were here to perform the crowning ceremony. They presented Miss Persyn with a toy owl.

Miss Persyn presented Miss Cone with a gift from the Assembly and Mrs. Alice Smith liara from the Rainbow Board as a token of their appreciation for her service during her term. Ralph Sturdevant, Rainbow dad, pre-



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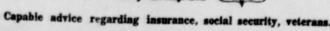


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### **Board** of Commissioners

The Columbia County Board of Commissioners met in regular session 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 Janaury 30 be approved. Motion carried.

Miscellaneous claims were approved.

Commissioner Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded to approve the following purchase orders: 2955-Watters Concrete Products, for rock. \$1,346.25; 2956-Scappoose Sand & Gravel, for rock, \$2,124.91; 2957-Olson and Johnson Shell, for diesel, \$676.70; 2960-Les Brady, Coal Creek Road fill, \$12,167.

Motion carried.

Dan Koch met with the board to discuss repairs of the Scappoose-Vernonia road, and questioned bidding procedure on the

The second reading and public hearing on Reward Ordinance

remonstrances Commissioner Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded to adopt Reward Ordinance No. 201, containing an emergency clause, to become effective February 6, 1974. Motion carried with voting of three "ayes" and

no "no" votes. The first reading and public hearing on Ordinance No. 202 prohibiting logging operations on public rights of way was held. The second reading and public hearing on the proposed Ordin-ance will be held on February 20,

Dan Cannon, Columbia Area Manpower Council, met with the board to discuss signing of a porposed agreement with regard to planning for area jobs needs within the Multnomah, Clackamas. Washington, Columbia County regions. After discussion of the proposed contract, the board advised Cannon that it had no intent to enter into such an agreement until it had been further clarified as to what Columbia County's costs would be, and what the county would receive from entering into such an agreement

Mrs. Amanda Kammer met with the board to discuss a questionnaire to be distributed throughout the county to determine the number of handicapped people, what the handicaps are, invalid persons in them for rescue purposes in case of fire.

No. 201 was held. There being no purposes in case of fire. Terry Rahe met with the board

from the property of Sue Murphy He indicated he had received this request from a person who plans to remove the car bodies, but felt there was insufficient time to get this accomplished by February 11. Rahe was advised that the person could proceed with removal and that it would be checked on February 11 to determine his progress. At that time a decision would be made

as to extension of time allowed. Jeri Johnson met with the board to discuss whether it might not be advisable to have some type of assurance of insurance coverage for those employ-ees using their own vehicles on county business, and being paid mileage for such use.

to discuss a possible extension of

time for removal of solid waste

Commissionr Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded an agreement be signed with Oregon Audio Video Systems Co. Inc. for installation of the closed circuit TV system in the jail. Motion carried.

Sitting as the Dog Control Board, a claim for livestock damage for \$80 was approved for Mrs. David A. Thompson, for a calf killed by dogs.

Commissioner Foshaug presented a recommendation of the St. Helens Rural Fire Department with regard to conducting fire drills in the courthouse After discussion, it was agreed

this should be referred to the Safety Committee with a request that all department heads attend the next safety committee meeting to be instructed about the procedures to be followed.

With regard to fire department recommendations, Commission-er Ahlborn indicated it would not be feasible to plan to paint the fire escape from the old courthouse building until the weather is more stable than at present. Discussion ensued regarding the painting of the wood trim on the old courthouse building. It was agreed to discuss this with the painters now doing the interior of the new portion.

Commissioner Minkoff moved and Commissioner Ahlborn seconded to enter into an Agreement with Western-Communications, Inc. to construct and maintain structure and antenna for radio communication station site at their location near Pisgah Home. Motion carried.

Commissioner Ahlborn moved and Commissioner Minkoff seconded a Resolution be signed in the matter of requesting federal assistance for restoring the channel and protecting the bank of Scappoose Creek, near Highway 30. Motion carried.



# ANNUAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET

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