

STATE CAPITOL NEWS
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Sprague in Political Arena

Salem, Oregon—Entry of Chas. A. Sprague into the political arena, forecast in this column last week, has lent a touch of uncertainty to the Republican gubernatorial contest in which Sam Brown, the Gervais farmer, was generally conceded to have a decided edge over his other opponents. Sprague who is held in high regard by the citizens of Salem where he is well known as a leader in civic political affairs, is lacking in that statewide acquaintance which is such a valuable asset to a candidate for public office. He is, however, possessed of a large circle of friends in the newspaper fraternity who may take up the fight in his behalf in which event he can be counted to give Brown and his old Ford a real race for the party nomination. At any rate the political prognosticators are already placing their bets on these two favorites to set the pace in the forthcoming struggle with the remainder of the pack trailing for being when the final results are tabulated.

In the Democratic camp it appears to be all over but the shouting so far as the gubernatorial contest is concerned. Governor Martin is generally conceded to have it in the big bag if he does not talk himself out of it by too many tactless comments on touchy subjects. His defense of Senator Reames support of the president's reorganization bill last week is said to have cost him a lot of support among conservative Republicans who are fearful of a continuation of New Deal policies.

In the senatorial arena State Treasurer Holman is believed to enjoy a big advantage over his only Republican opponent, Robert N. Stanfield who is trying for a political comeback after several years in private life. The Democratic senatorial race looks like a toss up between Carl Donough of Portland who is said to have the blessing of Postmaster General Jim Farley, and Willis Mahoney of Klamath Falls.

Saturday Afternoon Hoodoo Hours

By far the greatest number of traffic accidents occur on Saturday between the hours of 4:00 and 6:00 p. m., according to a survey conducted by Secretary of State Snell. That more accidents occur on clear days during daylight hours than on cloudy or rainy days and after dark is taken by Snell as indicative of greater care on the part of motorists when driving conditions are recognized as dangerous.

Forestry Building Started

Construction work on the new state forestry building to be located on a tract of land near the state prison east of Salem got under way this week. The new building to cost \$31,000 will be L-shaped with a frontage of 70 feet and a depth of 100 feet. Different kinds of native Oregon wood will be used in finishing the interior of the building which will be the first unit in a group which ultimately will include a machine shop, garage, warehouse and oil house.

Inshurance Week

Governor Martin has appealed to the citizens of Oregon to join in the observance of accident and health insurance week beginning April 25. The governor said he made the appeal in an effort to reduce the number of preventable accidents.

Democrats Gain Two Counties

Eleven Oregon counties are now in the Democratic column according to figures compiled by election officials in the state department. This is an increase of two over the showing made by the Democrats two years ago. Latest recruits to the Democratic column include Hood counties. Crook county which was Democratic two years ago now reports a small Republican majority. Other Democratic counties include Baker, Coos, Deschutes, Gilliam, Harney, Klamath, Union and Wallowa.

Politicians Want to Warm Up

The State Emergency Board will probably be called into session soon to finance purchase of a tract of land on which to construct a new heating plant for the capitol group. The present heating plant is too small to heat all of the buildings in the state group including the new capitol which will be ready for occupancy in June and the library building which will be completed some time next winter. The Capitol Commission is anxious to move the plant from its present close proximity to the capitol but lacks authority to purchase land on which to locate the plant. Attorney General Van Winkle has advised the Board of Control that it has authority under an act of the 1935 legislature to purchase the necessary land if the Emergency Board can be persuaded to finance the project. The Capitol Commission will build and equip the plant out of surplus funds appropriated for building "and heating" the new library building.

Riverview News
BY MRS. GROVER VEST

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gonnason and two children have moved back to their farm Mr. Gonnason has had the balance of his land cleared and grubbed and is now ready for seeding.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Osburn and family, who have been living on the Ed Gonnason farm, have moved into their new home on their own land.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur McGinnis and baby daughter have returned to their homestead; they have commenced building their new home.

Jackie Waud, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Waud, has recovered from a severe ear infection.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. C. W. Barrett entertained at tea for Mrs. Lena Guernsey, mother of Mrs. Walter Thompson, and on Sunday Mrs. Guy Nelson of Oregon Slope invited friends in to meet Mrs. Guernsey.

Tommy Clowers, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Clower, invited Joan Hibbert, Jackie Waud and Harold Blackburn to help celebrate his sixth birthday on Monday afternoon, March 28th. Games were played and nice refreshments served and the children all reported a very happy afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Loe have moved to another location on their land.

The matter of naming and marking all the roads in the new district in the other communities and the

is being systematically worked out question will be discussed with each resident in this section as to the advisability of such a plan. It will greatly facilitate the matter of locating people on this new land if such a program is carried out and put into effect.

Mildred Loe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hom Loe, was chosen from the third grade in the Nyssa school, to enter the declamatory contest held at Ontario on Friday. She was successful in winning a silver pin.

Mrs. Tom Loe spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. P. L. Frank, who is still confined to the Mercy Hospital at Nampa.

The Soil Conservation meeting, held Tuesday night, March 29, at the Nyssa High school, was well represented by this district. A large, enthusiastic crowd was in attendance from the various districts. Topics of general interest and the program for the following year were discussed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Waud enjoyed a visit with their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow of Uhrichville, Ohio, whom they had not seen for several years. Mr. and Mrs. Morrow were returning to Ohio from California, and they are very anxious to return to this section when the crops are about ready for harvesting.

Buena Vista News

A very enjoyable party was held at the O Chelldian home Saturday evening in Richland District. The evening was spent in playing pinocle. Mrs. John Bartholma and Loyd Adams won first prize and Mrs. Loyd Adams and Harold Sisson won the booby prize.

The following guests were present: Messrs. and Mesdames Ed Nelson, Harland Maw, Harold Sisson, Homer Redd, Jesse Ford, Loyd Adams, John Bartholma and Alva Goodell.

The hostess served delicious refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sorensen and Marva Belle visited Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Day and Alma.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wyckoff and children called at the Bert Bratton home Friday and went to Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Scott and Dick visited Sunday at the H. L. Day home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nielson and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Alva Goodell home.

All the school children are enjoying the spring vacation this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Day and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robbins were supper guests at the H. L. Days Sunday evening.

Julius Bevin called at E. L. Jamison home Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Day was pleasantly surprised Wednesday when her daughters and aunt came from Wilder and helped her celebrate her birthday. A beautiful dinner was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Day was presented with a beautiful white Angle food cake with pink and white icing.

Those present were: Mesdames John Swanson, Alfred Scott, Cecil Florea, Harold Robbins, Page Swensen, Claude Day and Howard Day.

They all left wishing her many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. Silas Hoffman received the sad news of the death of her father, in Calloway, Nebraska Saturday evening. Mrs. Hoffman has the sympathy of the community.

Several from this community are practicing for the Easter Cantata to be given at the Community church in Nyssa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wyckoff attended the S. S. Class party given at the Williams home in Nyssa Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. James Ritchie and Garnet Belle visited with friends in Nampa Thursday.

Duckbill is Poisonous

The duckbill of New Zealand and Australia is the only poisonous mammal known to man.

REGISTRATION CLOSURES APRIL 18

SHOULDER OF LAMB WITH CARROTS

Have lamb shoulder boned and rolled at the market. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Place, fat side up, on a rack in an open roasting pan. Place in a moderate oven (300-350° F.) until done. It will require thirty to forty minutes per pound for roasting. Serve with sliced carrots.

JORDAN VALLEY
By MRS ISABELLE LEE

Mesdames John and Vernon Warr were visitors here Tuesday, attending the bridge party given by Mrs. W. J. Shea Tuesday afternoon and doing some necessary shopping before returning home. Wednesday. These ladies found very bad roads, requiring about eight hours with team. A trip that two hours is ample for a car. They also found some unsafe bridges and some that the trip was made by auto. They were guests of Mrs. George S. Parks Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Averil Palmer returned last Sunday from a business trip to Boise and Caldwell.

Miss Agnes Maher who has been quite ill with flu is able to be up and plans on returning to school Monday. Her mother, Mrs. Ambrose Maher of Cliffs has been caring for her at the W. S. Maher ranch.

Miss Isalola Walder, primary teacher went to Caldwell Friday. Mrs. Averil Palmer substituted for her.

Mr. Geo. Wayne Foster of the high school staff was a weekend visitor at rail road points.

Mr. and Mrs. Fidel Archibald of Boston came in Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Archibald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Azcuenaga. Mr. Archibald returned to Boise Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Maher, Mig Panziri, Frank Maher, and Miss Louise Panziri left for Nampa Saturday where it is rumored the wedding bells will ring for Miss Panziri and Mr. Maher.

Mrs. David Yoeman who has spent the winter in Ontario is a guest of Mrs. May S. Wroten.

El Moody of Horseshoe Bend was renewing acquaintances here today and looking for horses to be used in his bucking string for the fall fairs and rodeos.

Mrs. P. O. Duncan returned Saturday from a short visit in Nampa.

Little Esther Marie Pickle of Boise arrived Saturday for a visit with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lee.

Mrs. P. M. Deary left Friday for Greenleaf to visit her daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gluch. Louis Yturri made a business trip to Boise returning Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunning and family who spent the winter here, left for their ranch on South Mountain the first of last week. The roads are still so bad however, that they are visiting Mr. Dunning's mother in the Pleasant Valley district.

Jud Wiseman accompanied Bobbert King of Boise on a trip to Reno. They left Sunday.

KINGMAN KOLONY
BY POLLYANNA CLUB

(By the Pollyanna Club)

The regular W. C. T. U. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Walter Pinkston Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Robertson were callers at the Newbill home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ashcraft called on the formers uncle, Enoch Ashcraft, of Nampa, who is ill and in the hospital.

Mrs. Frank Newbill had the misfortune to break a bone in her ankle while helping Mr. Newbill load a

piece of machinery onto a trailer, consequently she is taking a rest from the many chores a farm lady has this time of the year. She is being cared for by Mrs. Chas. Newbill.

Rev. and Mrs. Tetwiler of Nampa were callers in the Kolony Saturday and Sunday. Rev. Tetwiler delivered the sermon at the evening services of the Community church Sunday. Rev. Chandler also spoke at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans of Caldwell were guests of the Lane family Saturday morning church services.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Newbill are the proud owners of a new Ford V-8. One of the largest farm meetings ever held in the Kolony was held Friday evening, it being a Soil Conservation meeting and was conducted by County Agent Larson.

Mrs. Chas. Garrison and Mrs. Dale Garrison were callers in the Chas. Newbill home Sunday.

Jeanette Martin spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Martin, Jeanette Martin and Miss Agnes Caldwell Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Nichols had as guests for Sunday dinner, the Jim Lane family, Mrs. Lily Bach and Mr. and Mrs. Evans of Caldwell.

Mr. Conrad Martin has returned to his work after being confined to his home with a case of lumbago.

The Pollyanna Club will meet with Mrs. Louis Recla, Wednesday the sixth.

is also illegal.

Incidentally, the same rule about obstruction to view applies to side-wings and side and rear windows, as well as to windshield.

Is It Illegal to Ride Bicycles Two or More abreast on the Highway?

This is one of those frequent cases in which common sense plays a large part as does a strict interpretation of the law. The state law says that bicyclists are subject to the same traffic regulations as are motor vehicle operators; and these traffic regulations state that drivers must remain as near to the right edge of the highway as practicable except when passing another car or when passing around some obstruction in the road. Bicyclists should

follow the same rule, and riding abreast is a violation of the rule.

Common sense also dictates that bicyclists ride single file. Confusion and accident are very apt to result if bicyclists are riding hit-or-miss all over the right half of the highway, particularly in large groups; but if the bicyclists proceed in orderly fashion single file, motorists will have no difficulty in passing them, no matter how many of them there are.

Some local bicycle ordinances prohibit riding two or more abreast on the streets and highways.

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