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IT'S TIME TO PLAN EXHIBITS FOR FAIR

Secretary Bay Urges Preparation of Exhibits; Superintendents Announced

Save a few fine sheaves of grain, and prepare your exhibits now for Whatcom County's big fair, is the appeal sent out this week by C. B. Bay, Secretary.

The fair is only a month away so that it is not too early to arrange for representation. The premium lists were mailed out this week, arousing unusual interest in the many prizes offered over a wide range of activities.

Fair directors this year are Henry Shagren, Charles Galbraith, W. H. Waples, Harry Beernink, Ray Slade, Ed Knapp, and A. E. Rusco. Henry Shagren is president, A. E. Rusco vice-president, P. M. Serrurier treasurer, and C. B. Bay secretary.

Honorary directors include H. Hunter, Blaine; Ralph Brunson, Ferndale; Dr. E. C. Clarke, Sumas; W. B. Gillies, Nooksack; Jack Simpson, Everson; Mrs. J. C. Anderson, Laurel; H. B. Carroll, jr., Bellingham; S. Elroy McCaw, Rome.

The following are superintendents of the various departments: Bees, L. Asam; Horses, C. W. Davis; Cattle, M. Vander Griend; Swine, M. J. Morris; Sheep, Archie Stuart; Poultry, J. E. Cowherd; Vegetables, Grains and Grasses, E. D. Knapp; Fruits, E. D. Knapp; Household Department, Mrs. E. Edson; Needlework, Mrs. A. E. Rusco; Art, Mrs. Walter Hemmingsway; Floral, Mrs. W. H. Elder; Chairman of Reception Committee, F. E. Knapp.

RADLEY MAKES STRONG STAND ON PROHIBITION

Frank W. Radley, candidate Republican nomination for the office of prosecuting attorney, in a letter to The Tribune this week, emphasizes the strong stand that he has taken on the enforcement of the liquor laws.

Says Mr. Radley: I note your editorial in last week's paper, wherein you state that it might be well for some of the candidates for prosecutor, other than the one you mention, to come out and make a statement on how he would handle prosecutions of the violators of our liquor laws.

Your attention is called to my platform which was published in your issue of week before last. It states that I stand for law and order, equal enforcement of all laws, justice for all and rigid economy in the administration of public affairs. Think that you overlooked this when you made your editorial comment.

Let me forget, let me repeat that I stand now, and have always stood, for upholding and enforcing our prohibition law, together with other laws, regardless of where it hits. An investigation of my record will show this. Among other things in my work as United States Commissioner at Bellingham, in handling matters brought before me by the Federal Prohibition Agents, I have had occasion to handle liquor law violators of the very wealthy and "dress-suit" variety, and have invariably gone down the line on the enforcement of the laws against them. This fact is well known among the "dress-suit" variety and is the real reason behind the screen for the fight that is being made on me in this election.

Bruised in Bicycle Accident
Mr. B. Bajema met with a painful accident Saturday evening when his bicycle collided with another bicycle, and he was thrown to the pavement. His face was badly bruised.

Removed to Hospital
Miss Alvina Den Adel, who is seriously ill was removed to a Seattle Sanatorium Friday.

Motor to Whidby Island
The following party motored to Mt. Vernon and Whidby Island Wednesday: Mr. and Mrs. G. Vander Griend and sons Marius, Mr. and Mrs. B. Vander Griend, Mr. and Mrs. A. Vander Griend and two children, Mrs. E. Zweegman, Mrs. A. S. Vander Griend, Mrs. E. Zweegman, Mrs. A. S. Vander Griend and Mr. F. Vander Griend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cullom Bigelow of Portland, Oregon, called at the home of Mrs. Bigelow's aunt, Mrs. E. Breen this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Vail are the parents of a son, born Monday.

A baby daughter was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Van Weerdhuizen.

Annie and Henry Bovendam spent Tuesday at the home of their sister, Mrs. J. T. Haveman.

Peter Van Dyke is having electric lights installed in his home.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Swartz on Sunday.

PICK LOW-TAX MEN FOR LEGISLATURE

Tax-Limit League Endorses Sorenson and Danielson for Office From This District

The Whatcom County Tax Limit League this week gave its endorsement to various candidates for the legislature, who have given their pledge that they will work for lower taxes along the lines advocated by the League.

The following resolution of endorsement was adopted:

WHEREAS: Our State Legislatures, for the past ten years or more, have with each succeeding session, added steadily to the burden of the taxpayer; and

WHEREAS: The cost of the state government has mounted to seventeen million dollars, as against eleven million for California, a state several times our population and wealth; and

WHEREAS: The sum total, from whatever cause, must properly be charged to the members of these Legislatures, who voted the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it resolved by the Board of Control of the Whatcom County Tax Limit League that we believe that our programme of tax reduction and tax reform will be best served by the election of entirely new members to the Legislature from this county.

That the following candidates have endorsed the programme of the WHATCOM COUNTY TAX LIMIT LEAGUE, and we heartily recommend their selection in the coming primaries by the voters.

54th District, Charles E. Daw, R. T. Hawley.

42 Senatorial District, Edna W. Beebe.

53rd District, N. P. Sorenson, A. Danielson.

(Signed) WHATCOM COUNTY TAX LIMIT LEAGUE.

Meetings of the League will be held at the following places, on the dates mentioned:

Haytle on Friday evening at eight o'clock, August 25, the meeting in charge of F. C. Reeves.

Lawrence on the evening of Monday, August 28, the meeting to be in charge of Mr. James, at same hour.

Everson on the evening of Wednesday, August 30th, at the same hour, with Mr. Henry Shagren.

NEWS OF WHATCOM COUNTY

Daniel Leary, six-horse driver with the Ringling-Barnum & Bailey circus, is in a local hospital with a broken leg and other injuries, one horse valued at \$500 is dead and eight others are more or less hurt as the result of an accident occurring at the foot of F. street at 6 o'clock Sunday.

duet between Chestnut street and night when a portion of the via-Roeder avenue gave way. Nine horses were dropped into the bay falling about twelve feet to the water, which at that time was four or five feet in depth.

A crew of sixteen surveyors, re-surveying the boundary line between Canada and the United States, reached Sumas last week. They will make their camp near Sumas for the remainder of the year, as they expect the Columbia Valley will be the terminus for the year.

Piling for a new bulkhead on the west side of the Nooksack river is being driven near the Piet Bergsma ranch a half mile down the river from Ferndale. The bulkhead is considered necessary to save the down-river necessary and adjoining farm lands from possible flood damage this winter.

Nearly \$4,000,000 was lopped off valuations placed on real property in Whatcom County, outside of Bellingham, on the 1922 rolls, County Assessor H. D. McArthur announced last week. The drop totals \$4,634,711. Bellingham is given an \$850,233 decrease.

The recent designation of the Lummi Indian reservation as a separate school district will not place any of the students in schools of Ferndale district, if present plans are carried out. Arrangements now under way call for the handling of the students of the Lummi day school in Marietta district. The proposed contract is for the government to pay 45c per pupil per day to the district for the education of the Indian children.

Mr. W. J. Ranton and son Wesley returned from Bellingham Sunday, after spending a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stap and Mrs. John Louws spent a few days this week at Whidby Island.

Miss Elsie Schuylerman and Mrs. H. Bouma are spending a few days on Lummi Island.

Alberta Le Compte returned Saturday from a visit in Vancouver, B. C.

Herman Hagens left last Thursday for a weeks visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. Van Vlist, at Concrete, Wash.

ASLEEP AT THE SWITCH

Whatcom County's prohibition workers are "asleep at the switch."

With the saloons closed, organizations and individuals seem to consider the fight won. By their inaction, they are lending approval to the "moist" conventions that have been held in the county recently, to the rum-runners, and to the liquor element generally.

Whatcom County should have a sheriff who is pledged to enforce the "dry" laws. It will have such a man if the prohibitionists in Bellingham, as well as in the northern half of Whatcom County, rouse themselves, and go into the primaries with the zeal that has always meant victory.

"Patterson for Sheriff" should be the slogan. He has pledged himself to a strict enforcement of the liquor laws, and he means what he says. Every "wet" man in the county is fighting him. Investigate this.

TO DECIDE 4-TEAM TIE IN LEAGUE HERE

Directors Will Meet Friday To Plan for Playing Off Decisive Series

Directors of the Nooksack Valley Baseball League will meet on Friday to plan for a decisive series to break the four-team tie which closed the season.

Ferndale, Marietta, Custer and Lynden all closed the year's play-off with an unusual interest. All the teams closed with a percentage of .714, representing ten games won and four lost.

The last of the regularly scheduled games were played Sunday, with Custer defeating Kulshan 13 to 8, Marietta winning from Everson 6 to 3, and Sumas forfeiting to Ferndale.

NOTED FEATURES COMING TO THE LIBERTY THEATRE

Manager Hollenbeck of the Liberty Theatre, Lynden, announces that he has contracted for some of the greatest feature photoplays produced, for his patrons.

Among some of them are "Way Down East," Mary Pickford in "Little Lord Fauntleroy," Douglas Fairbanks in "The Three Musketeers," "Nanook of the North," "The Old Nest," and "The Power Within."

Most of the pictures he is booking now are produced by the Paramount, United Artists, Universal and Pathe Companies.

Graduate From Normal
Among those who graduated from the Bellingham Normal Friday, were the Misses Gladys Stauffer and Gladys Jacobs and Howard Nessen, of Lynden.

CHRISTIAN SCHOOL TO OPEN SEP. 4TH

Principal George Ramerman and Staff Will Begin Work; Rev. Edward Joling To Speak

Principal George Ramerman today announced that the Lynden Christian School would open its doors for the fall term on Monday, Sep. 4.

Rev. Edward Joling will make an opening address at the opening of the school. The staff of teachers will include the following: 1st grade, Miss Emma Zylstra; 2nd and 3rd grades, Miss Johanna Breen; 4th and 5th grades, Miss Matilda De Valois; 6th and 7th grades, Miss Harriet Venhuizen; 8th grade, Mr. George Ramerman.

LYNDEN MOTOR COMPANY DELIVERS FOUR NEW CARS

Chevrolets are selling like hotcakes in Lynden. The Lynden Motor Company delivered four new cars this week and Manager Herman Elenbaas has signed orders for as many more up his sleeve. The claim that the Chevrolet is the world's lowest priced fully equipped car is attracting attention, so much so that on Monday, two sales were made in Lynden with the buyers dropping in and placing orders without argument.

Deliveries of touring cars were made to Rev. Edward Joling and Sam Stuurmans, an F. B. Roadster to Charles Troost, and a sedan to Lyman Banks.

Pythians To Entertain

The Pythian Sisters will hold their social evening next Monday at the I. O. O. F. Hall.

LYNDEN WILL USE VOTING MACHINE

Both Precincts in City Will Cast Ballots Automatically at Primaries September 12

Lynden voters will use a voting machine at the forthcoming primary and general elections. One of the 30 machines recently purchased by the county will be set up in Lynden to be used by the electors of both Precincts No. 1 and 2.

A saving of \$7,000 in this year's elections will result from the installation of machines, it is said. The prospect was that the two elections would cost the county around \$20,000 with the old system. At this rate the machines are expected to be a paying investment.

All but one of the 30 will be put into use, the one being kept for emergency use. Several country districts will try out the new system of voting.

When the voter enters the booth and draws the curtain, the machine is set and ready for his votes. Each candidate and measure is assigned a place on the board and a slip is inserted to show the name and office or measure to be voted for. Each slot also has a small handle, which is pulled down by the voter casting a vote.

Two votes cannot be cast for the candidate for the same office, where but one is to be elected, nor can a yes and no vote be registered on a measure. When two or more are to be voted for, provision is made for the proper number, but no more. A person may change his choice by pulling his lever back to position and then pulling down on the one for which he desires to vote. When a voter is through, pulling aside the curtain as he is ready to leave the booth attends to registering and counting his choices without the following voter knowing how he has voted.

Fewer election officials and fewer supplies will be needed with the new contrivances and the result of elections will be available within a few minutes after polls are closed as the machines carry totals forward.

Saturday by the W. R. C. at the Lynden Department Store.

Move to Country

The A. Simons family who have been residing at 408 W. Grover St. have moved back to their home in the country. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fisher will occupy the house vacated by the Simons family.

Leaves for Vancouver

Mrs. Wm. Tricker, who has been visiting for some time at the A. Gosch home, left last Thursday for her home in Vancouver, B. C.

Breaks Arm Cranking Car

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Noteboom had the misfortune to break his arm Friday when cranking a car.

Returns From Iowa

Mr. John Kortlever who has been in Minnesota and Iowa for the past year returned to Lynden Sunday. He was accompanied by his uncle, and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kortlever.

Give Farewell Party

A farewell party was given for the Misses Mary Bouma and Joan Van Dyken at the church constituency of the First Reformed church Friday.

GETTING READY FOR WHATCOM COUNTY'S PROSPERITY SHOW



SPARK FROM PIPE SETS FIRE TO AUTOMOBILE

Frank Weidkamp was riding along happily to Bellingham Friday, puffing away at his high-powered pipe.

He began to get warm, and was about to take off his coat and vest to cool off, when he noticed that the top of the car had caught fire, presumably from a spark from the aforementioned pipe. In putting out the blaze, Weidkamp burned one of his hands badly.

If Weidkamp does any smoking on future trips, it will be a safe and sane chocolate cigar.

ASSOCIATION SHIPS TWO MILLION IN EGGS

Poultrymen's Own Organization Handles Huge Quantity Since January 1st

The proportions to which the Washington Co-operative Egg and Poultry Association has grown, is shown in a statement issued this week totaling the shipments of eggs from January 1 to August 12 at 406 carloads, valued at more than two million dollars.

Of this amount, the Lynden station, which is the third largest in the state, being passed only by Bellingham and Seattle, contributed 74 carloads, valued at nearly a half-million dollars. Lynden's total exactly was 33,948 cases.

Improved conditions in the poultry industry are predicted by Harry Beernink, manager of the Lynden station.

"The egg market has already gone up several cents," said Mr. Beernink, "and there is a steady advance in prospect. The improved railroad situation will mean much to the poultrymen, as the unsettled condition has affected the markets in some sections."

LOCAL SINGERS TO GROUP OF TWENTY-FIVE UNDER DIRECTION OF WILL RUTGERS TO APPEAR IN CONCERT

A group of twenty-five selected singers will present the cantata, "The Great Light," by Finlay Lynden, at the First Christian Reformed Church on Friday evening, Sep. 1. The public is cordially invited.

Mr. Will Rutgers, who has been remarkably successful in training choruses at Grand Rapids, Michigan, has been the director of the cantata. The music is especially tuneful, and local people are looking forward to the occasion with no small interest.

A program and list of the singers will appear in The Tribune next week.

TEN-DAY SALE WILL START SATURDAY AT LYNDEN STORE

To permit of a reorganization of the business made necessary by the sale of the dry goods and men's furnishing departments to B. C. De Long, the Farmers Mercantile Company will start a ten-day sale Saturday morning.

In charge of the bargain event will be Sales Manager Wise, who has conducted two of the previous big sales for the Farmers Mercantile Company. Mr. Wise has closed the doors of the dry goods and men's furnishings and shoe departments until the opening of the sale, to permit him to get the stock in shape for the big selling event.

To Visit in Canada

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Serrurier left Sunday for Saskatchewan, where they will visit with Mrs. Serrurier's sister, Mrs. T. H. Kavanagh.

Visiting at Orcas

Mrs. J. M. Beatty left Friday for a week's visit with the P. A. Wright family at Orcas Island.

Leave on Motor Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Alexander left Sunday for a motor trip through Washington and Oregon.

LYNDEN MAN LANDS A 32-POUND MINNOW

Dr. C. H. McLeod of Lynden brought home the record sardine of the season this week. While fishing in the Nooksack, he landed the little fellow, which weighed 31½ pounds. The salmon was 43 inches long, and measured 26 inches around the hips.

Dr. McLeod has had a crick in the back as a result of the effort in dragging his minnow up on shore.

Mr. Dick Rutgers motored to Seattle Tuesday.

NEARLY EVERYBODY HERE WILL VOTE

Registration for Primaries Here Is Unusually Large; 382 Are Eligible

Lynden will have 382 qualified voters at the primary election of September 12, practically a full registration for the city. At the 1920 general election, 386 votes were cast in this city.

The registration books closed Tuesday, with a brisk registration in the closing hours. More than sixty were enrolled on Tuesday.

The books will reopen September 13, but will close again twenty days before the general election on Nov. 7th.

In the country districts outside of incorporated towns, registration is good for four years, so any voter who has registered since January, 1920 and who still resides in the same precinct is qualified to vote.

BIDDING BRISK AT AUCTION SALES HELD IN DISTRICT

Auctioneer Mike Vander Griend reports brisk bidding at the public sales held in the district in the last few days.

At the Pope sale, young stock sold especially well. An unusual feature of this sale was that few of the bidders gave notes for the purchases, practically all paying cash.

Motor to Tacoma

Mr. and Mrs. B. Kroese and son Marius, Mrs. D. Vander Griend and Mrs. M. Vander Griend motored to Tacoma Friday morning where they spent a few days with Mrs. N. Trompen, a sister of Mrs. Kroese. The party returned Monday and stopped to visit Mr. Oldemeyer at the Mason Hospital.

Lynden Dogs at Vancouver

D. W. Alversum left Sunday for Vancouver, where he will exhibit some of his dogs at the Vancouver show.

Return from Alaska

Miss Ada Baldwin and Miss Trip to Alaska.

Entertainers

Mrs. Harry Fountain delighted fully entertained the Amphibious Club at her home Friday afternoon.

P. B. Snashall Resigns

P. B. Snashall, who has been employed in the office at the Lynden Department Store, has resigned his position there, and has gone to his home near Aldergrove, where he has taken another position.

Motor to Sedro Woolley

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Tremain and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Renfro motored to Sedro Woolley Sunday.

Stuurman on L. D. S. Staff

Cecil Stuurman has been added to the grocery department at the Lynden Department Store.

To Elect W. C. T. U. Officers

The W. C. T. U. will hold their election of officers this afternoon at the Baptist church. A ten cent tea will also be served.

To Teach in New Mexico

The Misses Joan Van Dyken and Mary Bauma left Tuesday for New Mexico, where they will teach in the Mission schools.

Baptists Picnic

The Sunday School of the Baptist church held their annual picnic Wednesday at Berthussen's Park.

Leave For Fresno

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz left Tuesday for their home in Fresno, California, after visiting with relatives here.

The John Stedman family will leave this week for Bellingham, where they will make their home.

Return From Orting
Mrs. E. O. Grimes and children, Mrs. Austin and Miss Grace Austin returned Tuesday morning from a visit at Orting, Wash.

Mr. John Breen and little daughter Antoinette visited with Mr. Ben Oldemeyer at the Virginia Mason Hospital Sunday.

The Misses Pearl and Amanda Nessen and Howard Nessen are visiting this week in Seattle, and in the Hood's Canal district.

Mrs. Jamieson, Cecil, Rita and Ivan Jamieson returned Tuesday from a short visit in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Zylstra of Whidby Island spent the weekend with their son, R. R. Zylstra.

Mrs. E. R. Zinke spent the week-end at the G. W. Frick home.

Mrs. W. H. Cole left Tuesday morning for a visit in Tacoma and Detroit, Washington.

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