

### WILSON RIVER TOLL ROAD HEARING SET

#### Company Proposes to Construct Highway at Cost of \$2,500,000

Hearing of the application of the Wilson River Toll Road company for a certificate of necessity and public convenience has been set for June, according to announcement made at the offices of the public service commission yesterday. The hearing will be held in Portland.

The company proposes to construct a highway from a point near Forest Grove in Washington county to Tillamook City at a cost of approximately \$2,500,000. The road would shorten the distance between Portland and Tillamook county beaches by approximately 35 miles.

The application was filed under a statute enacted by the legislature previous to the creation of the state highway commission. Harold Blake is president of the toll road company.

The state highway commission, acting jointly with the Tillamook and Washington county courts, last week denied application for a franchise for a similar road by E. M. Chandler of Olympia, Wash., and Senator A. G. Beals of Tillamook City.

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### MUCH INTEREST SHOWN IN ANNUAL MUSIC WEEK

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st church in West Salem. Programs are being prepared for Thursday and Friday evenings of Music Week, the week climaxing with the Junior Symphony orchestra of Portland and local numbers to be given at the Elsinore theater, Saturday evening, May 7.

Governor I. L. Patterson and Mayor T. A. Livesley have both issued letters urging citizens in Oregon to observe National Music Week. Mrs. Walter A. Denton has been appointed chairman for arranging programs for the week and according to reports, musicians throughout the city are giving their hearty cooperation.

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### COAST TO COAST MARATHON PLAN

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vanced by cities along the 3,000-mile route. An Arab, whose 90-mile run as a messenger during the Rif uprising, inspired Pyle to hold the transcontinental race, has been entered.

The runners will follow no set schedule. They can run when they like and rest when they like, but each will have a judge or a group of judges with him. These will be supplied by the cities passed through. Pyle estimated that the winner would have to average 32 miles a day.

"It is the greatest, most grueling sport test the world has ever known," said the promoter, famous for his success in financing many professional sports, "and in taking the gamble I am just as confident of success as I was in bringing 'Red' Grange off a college campus to the professional football gridiron 15 months ago. It means a tremendous amount of work and endless problems with details, but the run is on and will be a success."

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### SNYDER SLAYING BLAME DISPUTED BY ACCUSED

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led of years and Snyder had threatened to take her life. She had discussed this with Gray, the document recited, and he had asked her if her husband "really meant it."

Told that he would do anything in a fit of temper the two agreed that they would have to "get rid of him."

"If my husband had not threatened to take my life we would not have thought of taking his," she was quoted. "I was in love with Mr. Gray and he loved me."

The statement recited in detail plans for the commission of the crime and finally told of Gray's presence in the house on the return of the defendant with her husband and daughter from a party.

With her co-defendant advised that her husband was asleep also

said, "he kissed me and walked into my husband's room. I waited in the hall and heard a thud. I saw Gray tie my husband's hands behind his back."

Gray said in substance, according to McLaughlin, that when he attacked the sleeping man, Snyder offered some slight resistance and grabbed Gray "by the neck tie," causing him to drop the weight, Gray was quoted as saying. "Ruth picked up the weight and belabored her husband."

McLaughlin said Gray told him of the purchase of the wire, sash weight and chloroform used in the slaying.

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### FALL OPENING OF OLD SCHOOL HOUSE VOTED

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estimated that \$10,000 per year would be required to operate the re-opened school, if one teacher was elected to handle each grade. The new school there would make possible the relief of only one teacher at Garfield, he believed.

The superintendent also pointed out that a large number of people in the district were opposed to re-opening the school. Some relief, however, he believed absolutely necessary for next year since Englewood is crowded and would probably require the building of an additional unit. Garfield, Grant and Richmond also are badly crowded.

In Garfield and Englewood schools there are 7 or 8 rooms which have around 45 pupils, too many to be cared for properly by one teacher.

The old school building has been standing vacant for some years. It was condemned as unsafe two years ago for the large number of students then in attendance. A bond issue to build a unit at Washington and one at another school was brought about a year ago, but taxpayers voted to combine the funds for these projects and construct instead the Leslie Junior high school. A watchman was maintained at the deserted school until last winter. Since then it has been unwatched and many windows have been broken, walls and fixtures, too, have been mutilated by children playing about inside.

Mrs. Amoiné Clarke was elected principal of Leslie Junior high school for next year. Mrs. Clarke will receive a salary of \$1800. Walter Welbon, a Willamette senior, who is doing part time physical education instructor at McKinley was elected to full time position as instructor of English and physical education at Leslie Junior high school, at \$140 per month. Mary C. Linn was granted a year's leave of absence in order that she might take graduate work in domestic science at the University of California next fall.

A petition for commercial department instructors at Salem high school threatening resignation if their salaries were not increased was handed to the board. Commercial department teachers in the high school here average a salary of only \$100, the petition pointed out, whereas students are turned out by the department who merit salaries much higher immediately upon graduation.

The petition also stated that the new requirements of physical examinations for which teacher's themselves have to pay cut still more deeply into the low salaries, and that the reading circle work was too great. The petition was referred to Superintendent Hug.

A standard fee among physicians for this examination work will probably be agreed upon, Director Dr. Downs stated. This fee will probably be a moderate one in spite of the fact that each individual examination takes about an hour and a half. A cursory examination, he said would be merely a farce. A form has been drawn up which will be used hereafter, but certified forms which teachers have already turned in will be accepted.

Spaulding Logging company was awarded the bid for furnishing wood to the different city schools this winter. The lumber firm agreed to deliver the slab wood required for \$3057.25. Senior class students only will

be dismissed from school to attend May day exercises at Willamette university May 7, it was decided.

The matter of installation of a basket system to safeguard money and other valuables while students are taking physical education work was referred to the superintendent and the building committee for further investigation.

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### STEIWER'S BODY FOUND

#### Remains of Banker Drowned in John Day River Recovered

CONDON, Or., April 26.—(AP.) The body of Leland L. Steiwer, Fossil banker, who drowned in the John Day river near Spray Sunday March 20, when his automobile plunged into the river from the narrow roadway there, was found in the river near the mouth of Sarvick creek today.

Steiwer, who was 49 years of age, was president of the Steiwer & Carpenter bank at Fossil and vice president of the Butte Creek Land & Livestock company. He was a cousin to United States Senator Frederick Steiwer.

The Hamilton Beach electric cleaners and Monarch electric ranges both recommended by Good Housekeeping. Sold in Salem by C. S. Hamilton Furniture Co. (\*)

### SCALDING FATAL TO BOY

#### Child of Two Falls in Tub of Water at Beaverton Home

PORTLAND, April 26.—(AP.)—Two-year-old Henry Debenetti died at a hospital here tonight from severe burns on the head and body suffered when he slipped and fell into a tub of hot water at his home in Beaverton, Monday night.

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### Meeting Place Chosen

Forest Grove has been selected as the 1928 convention city of the Salem district Epworth League. Officers elected at the Albany convention were Rev. LeRoy Walker, Dayton, re-elected president; Helen Mills, Falls City, secretary; Lambert Elder, Forest Grove, treasurer; Martha Mohr, Hillsboro, intermediate superintendent, and Miss Mary of Dallas, junior superintendent.

### Senior Class Parades

The senior class at Willamette university led the annual parade through the capitol grounds yesterday. The graduating students were dressed in caps and gowns which they will now wear on the campus every Friday until commencement day. A picture was taken of the entire student body on the steps of the capitol.

### TRUTH VITAL FORCE SHOWN BY CANTRELL

#### Speaker Gives Review of 'The Revolt of Modern Youth' to Speak Again

One of the most brilliant men of the time, Edward Adams Cantrell, gave a concise and fearless review of Judge Ben Lindsey's candid book, "The Revolt of Modern Youth," last night at the armory. Several hundred people were in the audience for the event, which

took place under the auspices of the Salem Dramatic League.

"The youth of America is undergoing a veritable reign of terror," Mr. Cantrell said in the first lecture in a series of five which he will give weekly in Salem.

Mr. Cantrell left no doubt in the minds of the audience that truth is the most vital force in the world, and truth, in the words of Herbert Spencer, is the correspondence of thought with things. Mr. Cantrell defended Judge Lindsey's book without reservation, maintaining that a quarter of a century of actual experience has gone into the conclusions this eminent legal figure has drawn.

The theme of the lecturer was the importance of establishing a sense of responsibility,—which may be engendered only by sym-

pathy,—in the experience of modern youth.

The lecturer is one who exalts life above and beyond all opinions concerning it, all institutions that have grown around it.

Probably the reason there is a problem of youth in the first place is because of the disparity between the arrival of boys and girls at maturity and the year at which the biological urge can, in marriage, be fulfilled. "It is the social milieu in which a boy or girl is brought up that determines what he shall be," Mr. Cantrell declared, on the side.

Next Tuesday at 8 o'clock the lecturer will discuss "The Humanizing of Knowledge," James Harvey Robinson's amazing sequel to eloquent plea for the well-being of the race.

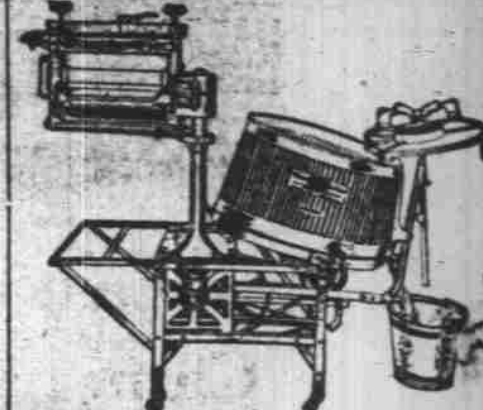
The beneficial lectures will be open to the public for a nominal fee. The course will continue at the Salem Woman's club house at 462 North Cottage street.

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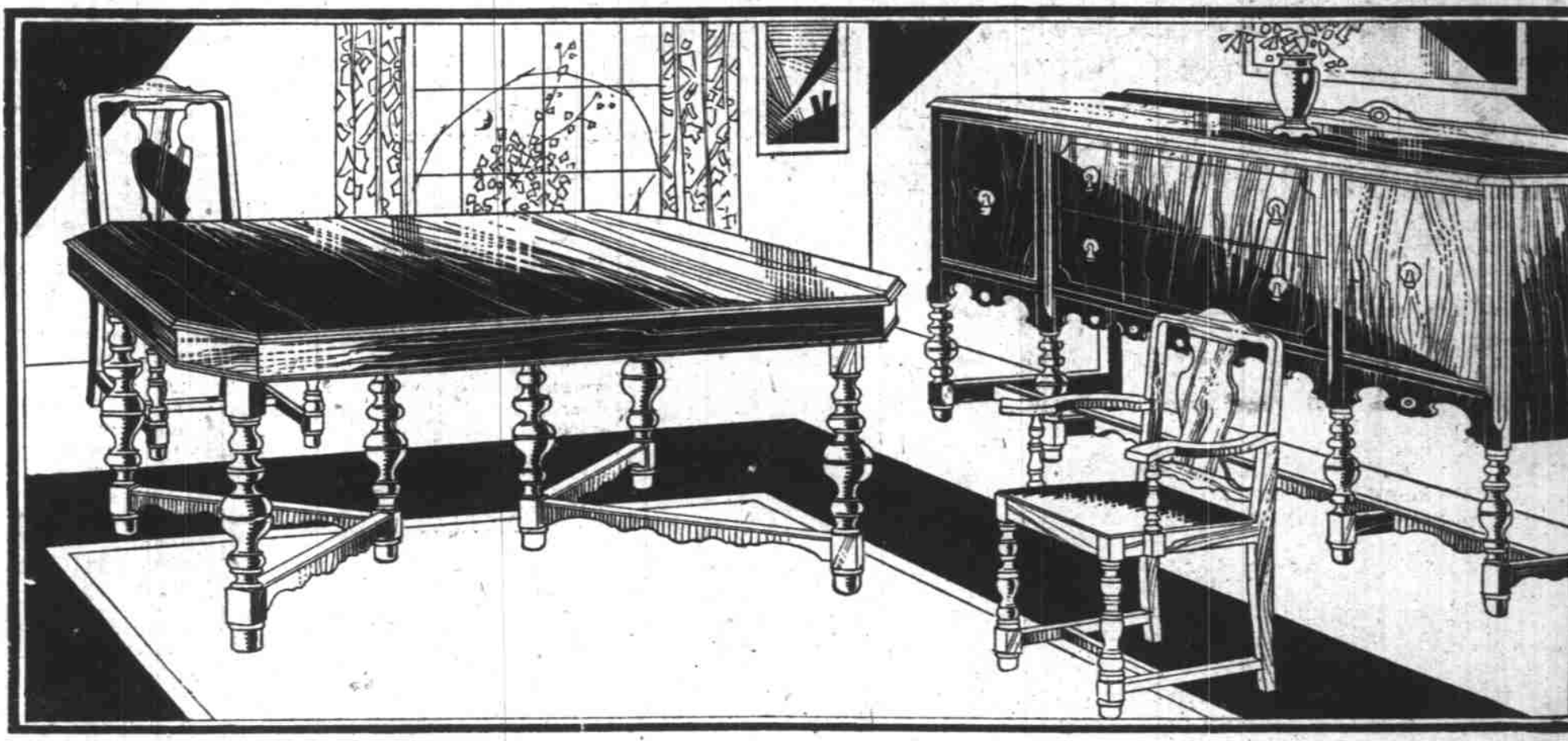
### PRISON MAKES PROFIT

STILLWATER, Minn.—The Minnesota State Prison here paid its own way last year, earning \$62,678 profit from the sale of twine and farm machinery made by inmates.

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