

Local News Briefs

Must Have Light—Jack Collins, 597 Liberty street, was arrested last night for failure to have a light on his bicycle after dark. The arrest was made by Officers Nicholson and Thomas.

Mott Visits Here—James W. Mott, Astoria member of the state legislature who recently announced his candidacy for congress, was a visitor in Salem yesterday.

To Erect Dwelling—J. J. Karst was issued a permit yesterday to erect a one story dwelling to be located at 750 Belmont street. Estimate cost is \$2090.

Gift Bros. Acclimated Garden—Seeds at Peary Bros., 178 S. Commercial.

Basement Fire—The fire department was called to 1530 State street yesterday morning where it had considerable difficulty in extinguishing a basement fire which had started in the wood pile. Little damage was done.

Breaks Leg—Fred Thompson, president of carpenters Local No. 1065, is confined to the Willamette sanitarium with a broken leg which he received while working on the Terminal Ice & Cold storage warehouse last Monday.

\$500 Down—Move in new modern homes—built better—all balance of price to be paid exactly like rent. 6 to choose from. Priced \$4900 to \$6, fireplace, garage, paving hard-floors, etc. Becke & Hendricks, 189 North High street.

Accident Brings Suit—Theresa Becker yesterday filed suit in circuit court against Esther Swartz for \$123.92 for alleged damages growing out of an auto accident on the Pacific highway north of Salem on September 10 of last year.

Divorce Suit Filed—Martin C. Jacobson yesterday began suit in circuit court for divorce against Josie F. Jacobson, alleging that it is impossible for him to live with her any longer. She originally came of a wealthy family, he asserts, and he has found it impossible to support her to her satisfaction.

Visitors Not Allowed—Visitors will not be allowed at the receiving ward of the Oregon state hospital here pending the recovery of Harry White, attendant, who was stricken with smallpox. Mr. White has been isolated and the receiving ward has been placed under quarantine.

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To Organize Club in Woodburn—A group of local Kiwanis clubmen, headed by C. H. Lincoln, international representative and field man and Dr. H. E. Morris, lieutenant governor for the district met at Woodburn last night with men of Woodburn, Aurora, Hubbard and Gervais for the purpose of organizing a club in Woodburn. Representatives from Portland, Oregon City, Corvallis and Albany also attended. A dinner was served at 6:30 o'clock.

For Rent—Small Homes—\$20 to \$35, 952 S. Commercial 1970 S. Cottage—1427 Fairmount—727 South 12th—22nd and D.—1335 North Capitol—714 North 16th. All seven vacant. Every one is plastered, bath, Becke & Hendricks, 189 North High street.

Making Survey—A preliminary survey is being made of this district relative to the publishing of the new directory this year, by William J. Lloyd who is vice president and manager of R. L. Polk & company, Portland, publishers of the Polk directory. The directories are corrected every two years. The survey is made early in the spring and the new issue is published in the fall. There was no new directory published last year.

Rev. C. C. Haworth Speaks—Rev. C. C. Haworth, pastor of the South Salem Friends church spoke on Cuban economical and political conditions at the weekly Kiwanis club luncheon yesterday noon. Rev. Haworth has spent more than 29 years on the island before coming to Salem. He brought out the fact that corruption in activities of the government left a heavy national debt after they had enjoyed six years of prosperity. Primitive conditions still exist in the rural districts and prior to 1905 American products were little known on the island.

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Divorce Decree Entered—Order of default and decree of divorce was entered in circuit court yesterday in favor of Kate W. Fry against O. E. Fry.

C. Horton Returned—C. Horton who is charged with the theft of the auto belonging to R. H. Campbell on February 9, was returned from Portland by local officers last night.

Suit Dismissed—Motion was made in circuit court yesterday by Arthur Girod to dismiss his suit against Adam Engel for the reason that a settlement has been made out of court.

Nut and Fruit Trees—Peary Bros., 178 S. Commercial.

Sues For Contract Breach—Action was begun in circuit court yesterday by Lin Phoenix against G. W. Davis for \$450 for alleged breach of contract for failure to convey a deed according to agreement.

Stolen Car Located—The Ford coupe which had been stolen from R. H. Campbell, 444 North 14th street, has been located by Portland police and will be returned to local authorities as soon as possible.

Fined \$5—William Heceman, 1515 North Commercial street, who was arrested Sunday by Officer Edwards for failure to stop at a stop street was fined \$5 in police court yesterday afternoon.

\$100 Down—\$27 a Month—Modern small cottage—nice district at 1970 South Cottage. Plaster and bath, garage, fruit and flowers. Total price \$2200. Vacant. Becke & Hendricks, 189 North High street.

W. C. T. U. to Meet—The North Salem W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. W. L. Wilson, 1335 Madison street, one block east of North Capitol street. Refreshments will be served and an offering will be taken for the state work.

Program By Sherman Clay—The weekly lobby program at the YMCA will be held Friday night. The program will be sponsored by the Sherman Clay Music company. Among those taking part will be Naomi Phelps, Kenneth McCormick, Waldo Fuegy and Leon Jennison.

B. A. Cober Visits City—B. A. Cober was in this city Monday to meet his wife, Mrs. Cober who was returning from Dunsuir, Calif., where she has been visiting with her parents during the past month. Cober is Southern Pacific agent at Mill City and publisher of the Mill City weekly paper.

A La Carte Service In—Dining room Marion Hotel.

Want Information—The Salem fire department has just received a letter from the Albany department, asking for information which will enable fire officials there to reorganize their department there on a more efficient basis. W. H. Dancy of the fire and water committee will return the information.

Fitts Gets Judgment—Default judgment has been entered in circuit court here against the Newport Ice and Fish company in favor of W. S. Fitts, Salem fish dealer, in the sum of \$13,718.60, plus \$250 attorneys' fees. Fitts signed a note as accommodation maker with the Newport firm, and was subsequently called upon by a local bank to pay over the face value of the note.

For \$5500—Terms—A \$7000—Home, close in on North Church street. Right now we have some exceptional buys in homes of this class. A Fairmount Hill home that the owner has \$9300 in can be bought for \$7000.00. Becke & Hendricks, 189 North High street.

Men's Council Tonight—The Men's council of the First Methodist church will hold its monthly meeting in the church on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. O. W. Emmons will preside at the business session and Dr. J. O. Hall, the chairman of the program committee, will have charge of the program. The special feature will be a formal debate between an affirmative team of Willamette university and a negative team from Monmouth Normal school. The subject will be "Resolved that American Investors in Foreign Countries should have only the protection of their commercial interests by the countries where their investments are." The First church men's council numbers about one hundred members and is active in the general church program.

Party Honors Miss Thomson—Complimenting Miss Elvora E. Thomson, recently resigned director.

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Here From Canada—Miss Helen McGee is visiting here from Medicine Hat, Alberta, Canada.

Big Auction Sale—Wed. nite 7 o'clock at F. N. Woodry's, Summer St. See ad. for particulars.

At Auburn, Turner—County School Superintendent Fulkerson was a visitor Tuesday forenoon at the Auburn school and at Turner in the afternoon.

Old Time Dance—Crystal Garden, Wednesday night.

Outlines Distributed—Outlines for study programs of Marion county teachers were mailed yesterday. Those just sent out cover the last quarter of school work and were prepared by Mr. Mary L. Fulkerson, county superintendent.

Would You Give a Gift?—Of something entirely different? Visit the gift room at Pomroy & Keene's.

Teachers Have Plan—Two teachers from the local schools have been absent from school since the first of the week, confined to their homes with "flu." Miss Lyle Murray, principal at Englewood is ill and Miss Marjorie Stone, domestic art instructor at the high school, is out. Miss Stone's classes are being conducted by Mrs. Madeline Nash.

Shrubs—Rose Bushes—Shade trees, Peary Bros., 178 S. Commercial.

Delegation Visits Portland—A delegation from the Salem Trades and Labor Council, headed by F. J. A. Boehringer, president, visited in Portland last Monday night where they attended a labor council meeting. Others to attend were S. B. Davidson, business agent, L. A. Elwell and W. J. Entress.

Wanted Second Hand Disk—And spring-tooth in trade for fruit or nut trees. Peary Bros., 178 S. Commercial.

Two Estates Appraised—Inventory and appraisal were filed yesterday in probate in the matter of the estates of Louis Peterson and H. J. Ames. The Peterson estate was estimated at \$14,032.19 by Thomas A. Roberts, Walter Fuhrer and Frank A. Spear, appraisers. The Ames estate has an estimated value of \$13,311, according to C. M. Crittendon, J. L. Calvert and Frank Thompson, appraisers for the estate.

Furniture Upholsterer—And repairing. Giese-Powers Furniture Co.

Visit Demonstration—Miss Alva B. Milam, dean of home economics at Oregon state college, and Miss Jessie C. Williams, head of the department of physical education there, were here Tuesday to visit the health demonstration and acquaint themselves with the work carried on by the unit. In company with Dr. William DeKleine, director of the demonstration, and Miss Anne Simpson, director of health service, a trip was made to the Parish and Woodburn schools where the visitors gained first hand insight into the health work carried on in the schools.

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tor of nursing service with the county health unit and who will leave shortly for her new duties with the University of Oregon school of social work at Portland. Miss Elizabeth Freeman and Miss Gertrude Breyer entertained the nurses of the demonstration at their home Monday evening. Daffodils and violets were used attractively about the dinner table. During the dinner hour music by John Dexter, violinist, and Arthur Marquis pianist, was enjoyed and later cards were a diversion. In addition to the honor guest and hostesses, those present were: Miss Fern A. Goulding, Miss Bertha Stroud, Miss Martha Harrison, Miss Grace L. Taylor, Miss Mildred Shackleton, Miss Margaret McAlpine, Mrs. Irma S. LeRiche, and Mrs. Beulah Small, visiting student nurse from the University of Washington.

SURVEY ON LABOR SITUATION LOOMS

Most of Statistics Already Compiled, Secretary Davis Asserts

WASHINGTON, Mar. 6.—(AP)—Figures from an unemployment survey undertaken recently by the labor department are now nearly complete, Secretary Davis said today and show an improvement in the country's business conditions, although it has been necessary to recheck some of the totals before making them public.

The labor department will issue its report as soon as the details are complete and not await the demand made upon it yesterday by a senate resolution for an estimate of employment conditions. In general it can be said that there is an upward trend to employment," Mr. Davis said. "Business is becoming more active and more workers are being replaced by payrolls. We do not intend to get out anything but thoroughly accurate figures and are consequently more than usually careful in working up the data obtained by the inquiry.

"However, my study of the returns at hand indicates that the steel business has gone steadily upward during recent weeks, attaining 80 per cent of capacity; that construction work of all types is getting under way; that the Ford Motor company is reemploying its men in large numbers at Detroit, relieving a situation which had been bad there for some months; that the outlook for increased government expenditures in the Mississippi valley is occasioning renewed enterprise.

"Along with these betterments in the general situation is the direct acceleration brought about today because of anticipated demand for commodities by the newly employed sections of the population.

"The labor department will make public its estimates on employment as soon as the figures are compiled."

OBITUARY
Fuller
Ronald Dean Fuller, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Fuller, Rt. 8, brother of Ellen Fuller, nephew of Mrs. E. R. Bidwell, and grandson of J. H. Brocker of Fort Myers, Florida and R. H. Fuller of Fort Worth, Texas, died yesterday. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday at Rigdon's mortuary.

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(By the Contest Editor)
With next Monday night ending the special Whippet Coach prize in The Statesman's auto contest and the end of the campaign but two weeks away, this com-

petitions are now at hand, and while all the leaders are on the same footing—at the same time those who want to, and will—are afforded the opportunity of the entire campaign to forge ahead and corral the winning votes.

Monday night at midnight looms big on the horizon—every tick of the clock brings it nearer and nearer.
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NOBODY'S VICTORY
As no candidate can be certain of victory, there is abundant speculation as to the final outcome. First one candidate and then another is picked to land the big prize, and this is undoubtedly due to the extreme closeness of the race.

It is only those who rise to the occasion and maintain a stiff upper lip, brushing aside every obstacle that may arise, that have the best chance of winning.

The race is too close to bank on any possibilities. Relaxation at this stage is suicidal to success. Determination to win, in connection with relentless activity of vote-getting, will make any contestant a winner. What is intended to be done must be done now. To dillydally or delay is to let some other candidate sweep ahead of you.

If there ever was a time that candidates should be up and doing, it is right now. The prizes are worth every bit of effort in you. Where else or how else can your time be as remunerative or as productive? No one has anything "cinched" today. Not a candidate is resting so easily that she or he need not put forth every ounce of energy possible. It would not be hard for a new candidate to enter and to go around in front. Work as you never worked before.

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WHEELER PREDICTS BOURBON ECLIPSE
Party Threatened With Being Wiped Off Political Map, Charge

WASHINGTON, March 6.—(AP)—Outlining his views on a campaign platform, Senator Wheeler of Montana, declared Monday "unless the democratic party becomes progressive and liberal it will be wiped off the political map."

The Montana democrat who in 1924 ran for vice president on the La Follette ticket, said the democratic party must take a fearless stand to protect the rights of the masses against special privilege, which he contended had been benefiting under republican rule.

"If we should draft a platform along progressive and liberal lines, and name candidates in sympathy with such a stand," he asserted, "there would be no doubt of success in November. I hope the democrats won't let big business dominate another convention."

Raising the corruption issue, Mr. Wheeler said it had been shown, "by my distinguished colleague," (Senator Walsh, Montana) that the republican party had accepted the campaign contributions from Harry F. Sinclair "even after it had been disclosed that he obtained concessions from the government by shady, if not crooked deals."

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