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LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

University Foreclosure—Decree of foreclosure was entered in circuit court yesterday in the suit brought against Charles A. Clark by Willamette university.

Held On Check Charge—Jack Kalani, Hawaiian, was lodged in the Marion county jail yesterday on a charge of having written a check without having sufficient funds with which to cover it.

For Sale: Desirable, Inexpensive—Neskevin beach houses, telephone 417W.

Before Buying Your Radio—See our lines. Stiff Furniture Company.

Ford Stolen—A Ford touring car belonging to J. C. Shepard, 1695 North 19th street, was stolen from Perry street late Monday night. It carried Oregon license number 34-392.

Dance at Mellow Moon—Tonight, Varsity Melody men.

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Stolen Auto—A Julien reported to local police officers that his Dodge coupe, bearing Oregon license 34-278 had been stolen from 474 South Commercial street sometime Monday night. So far no trace has been found of the machine.

Old Time Dance Crystal Garden—Every Wed. and Sat. night.

Window Box Plants and Bedding Plants—Pepper, tomato, cabbage plants. Peary Bros., 178 S. Com'l.

Governor to Go East—Governor and Mrs. Patterson will leave here June 4 for Chicago, where the governor will give a radio address on the night of June 9. He then will go to Kansas City to attend the republican national convention. Governor and Mrs. Patterson have friends in Chicago.

Mess Fund Benefit Dance—Armory, Wednesday night, 50c.

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Articles Stolen—H. C. Phillips, 657 East 48th street, Portland, reported to local police officers last night that a mixed colored overcoat and a brown leather hand bag containing clothing had been stolen from his car which was parked on Court street Monday evening.

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A Wallet, Pen and Pencil Set—Wrist watch, brilliant pin, we name hundreds of graduation gifts to be found in our stock. Pomeroy & Keene for inexpensive gifts.

Surprised—Much to his surprise yesterday morning when he was yanking down some old doors in the alley back of Patton Brothers book store, Heman Shellberg, carpenter, found them to be 90-year-old walrus. Before planing them down they appeared to be of ordinary wood. Cal Patton believes that they came around the Horn, and says his recollection of them goes back as far as 1872 when they were put on the Patton home, located on Court street, as storm doors.

Lien Foreclosure—Suit to foreclose a lien was instituted in circuit court yesterday by C. W. Alpin against O. Bewley. The lien itself amounts to \$38 and in addition to this \$50 attorney's fees plus costs is asked.

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

Court Signs Contracts—The Marion county court yesterday signed contracts with P. L. Frazier and W. D. Pugh of this city for construction of two culverts for county roads. The culverts measure 7 by 7 feet and 6 by 6 feet, and will cost \$2690.50 and \$1557, respectively, the county furnishing the piling.

We Want—A good farm—about 100 to 160 acres, well located. Lafar & Lafar, Ladd & Bush Bank Bldg.

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Row Brings Fines—Paul Reggi and Pete Little were each fined \$10 in justice court here yesterday for assault and battery upon the persons of Albert Resnick and Valentine Resnick during a baseball game on Sunday, May 13. The two Resnicks preferred the charges. The altercation is said to have taken place near their homes in the vicinity of Brooks.

Large Home New—2 Bathrooms—\$7000 with two corner lots, 6 bedrooms. Paving paid. View Block to school. See at 1710 S. Winter. Becke and Hendricks, 189 N. High St.

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Jailed For Larceny—Frank Hughes was yesterday arrested and placed in the Marion county jail charged with larceny in the dwelling of D. L. Turnidge of Mill City. The offense is alleged to have taken place Monday forenoon. Articles declared to have been stolen include two suits of clothing, several neckties, shoes, and two revolvers, the total being valued at about \$200. Hughes has only been out of jail since March 7, having been arrested on January 16 on a charge of having deer meat in his possession. He was sentenced to serve 30 days in jail and pay a fine of \$50, but chose to serve out the fine as well as the jail sentence.

Purvine Winners Named—Thelma Gillette, SA pupil at Parrish junior high school, won the first prize of \$6, and Paul Hanser, Jr., of Leslie junior high took second money of \$4 in the spelling match held Saturday to determine the inter-school championship in the spelling contests sponsored by Mrs. F. E. Purvine. The previous day building champions for the seventh and eighth grades were named after a spell down, with the following results: Leslie: Stanley Netze, 8B, and in the seventh grade, Nina Taylor, 7A; Parrish: Waldo Mills, 8A, and Eugene Rodkey, 7A. In each instance, award was \$5. Mrs. Clara Pomeroy, head of penmanship and spelling, directed the contests and is now working on a similar contest in penmanship for which Mr. Purvine has named awards.

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Wanted—Four boys to learn trombone. Lesson and instruments free of charge. See J. E. Mac Marimon, Sherman Clay & Co., 130 South High street, Salem, Ore.

B'aden, Bennett Elected—At the second election, held Tuesday, to determine Clarion manager and song leader of the senior high school for the year 1928-29, Gordon Bennett received the majority vote for the managerial duties and Caroyl Braden was final winner in the song leader balloting. No majority was received in these two positions at the annual elections conducted Tuesday, May 15, the count showing Eddie Ross and Bennett high men for the Clarion post, while Miss Braden shared the re-election with Deloris Mills. In the original voting, Miss Braden's name was added to the ballot by petition, bringing the total candidates for the office to five.

For Sale—New clover, hay, \$6 per load in field. Phone 14F3.

A La Carte Service—In dining room Marion hotel.

Two Fined \$400—William Kropin and A. L. Hirsborn, both of Salem, were fined \$350 and \$150 respectively in police court yesterday afternoon for transportation and possession of intoxicating liquors. The two were arrested by city and state prohibition officers here a week ago, when a gallon jug containing liquor was found in the automobile which they were driving. The car was taken from them by the state.

Car Stolen—Portland police department reported to local police officers that an Essex coach belonging to L. E. Flanders of Yakima, Wash., had been stolen in that city and to watch out for it here. It carries Washington license number 291-498.

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Building Permits—Fay Rice was issued a permit yesterday for the erection of a one story dwelling to be located at 1070 North Summer street at an estimated cost of \$3500. Another was issued to A. C. Haag for the construction of a one and one half story dwelling to be located at 1889 Court street at an estimated cost of \$4000. A permit to repair a two story dwelling at 697 Market street was issued to J. A. Barham at an estimated cost of \$1250.

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Two Arrested—Claud Johnson and Mack Nelson, both of Salem, were arrested by Officers Fisher and Winterstein of the south prowl car, last night on a charge of being intoxicated.

COLLEGE FRATS ASKING TAXATION EXEMPTIONS

(Continued from page 1.)

ated on a non-profit basis, and that it is benevolent and charitable in its purpose, is given as the basis for claiming exemption from taxation.

The complaint filed in circuit court yesterday specifically cites chapter 9 of title 39, Oregon laws which lists the different kinds of benevolent and fraternal organizations, and states that the Kappa Gamma Rho fraternity is included in this classification. Section 4235 Oregon laws, exempts from taxation all real property of such an organization which is used purely for the organization's business and for nothing else. As soon as the property is begun to be used for profit, directly or indirectly, exemption from taxation ceases.

The complaint as filed yesterday by the Kappa Gamma Rho fraternity recites that it is operated strictly on a basis of no profits, that membership is limited to men students at Willamette university, that board and room is furnished these men at cost, and that only voluntary contributions are accepted to raise funds to pay for the house. With the exception of the house manager, who receives \$15 a month for his services, none of the officers receives pay and there are no paid employees.

In other words the Kappa Gamma Rho fraternity, after securing backing from other organizations of a like nature, has begun legal action to have itself classified along with churches, colleges, lodges and other non-profit and non-tax paying corporations.

It has been pointed out, however, that even if the fraternities win their legal fight as to interpretation of the law, they may find they have another fight on their hands to keep the state legislature from changing the wording of the statutes so that tax exemption will be denied them in specific language.

JUNIOR COMMERCE BODY CLOSES YEAR

The Junior chamber of commerce of the Salem high school held its last meeting of the year at the school building last night. Following the regular business session, installation of officers for next year was held and light refreshments were served.

The junior chamber was organized at the high school in April, 1927, officers who retired last night having served since then. At the installing ceremonies, John Verdieck handed his coat hanger "gavel," along with the suggestion that the club endeavor to procure a more satisfactory implement for its new chief, to John Bost-track, incoming president. Duane Griffith, vice president the past year, searched club coffers for a token which he might pass on, and finding none, created much merriment with the original verses Miss Naomi Taylor, English teacher, had written for his purpose. In acceptance, Velma Ross, the new second boss, read a parody of Lincoln's Gettysburg address.

Louline Brietzke received the sheaf of club correspondence from Margaret Moore, retiring secretary; Dean Churchill, this year's treasurer, handed to Zelma Luthy his books showing a tidy balance of \$50; Melvin Millett, retiring publicity manager, gave to Ralph Ennor a collection of newspapers, token of the office.

The chamber has approximately 50 members, 24 of whom are seniors. Only students who have one semester work in the commercial department and satisfactory grades in three subjects are eligible. Miss Cecile Graham is faculty advisor.

While the group is comparatively young as such, several projects were started the first year which will be continued and expanded next year, including the first county contest held this spring. They have been working quietly on sign posts for historical points in Salem, where there are more places of historic interest than even at the famed Plymouth Rock. This project the club hopes to complete next year.

Forty members of the commercial body enjoyed their annual all-day picnic at Taylor's grove last Saturday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Davis, Miss Elizabeth Hogg, Miss Mary Sayles, Miss Muriel Wilson and Miss Graham.

Melvin Millett, retiring publicity manager, was recently awarded the Dr. Henry Morris honor trophy, a beautiful silver cup given to an outstanding student in the commercial department.

gave a Mother's day program Sunday evening. The church was filled with an appreciative audience.

The program was as follows: Song, "Jesus Is Calling," "My Mother's Bible," and "Tell It to Jesus Alone," by the audience; prayer by the pastor, Rev. Briggs; song, "Nobody Knows But Mother," Mrs. Albert Snooks, Victoria, Callie, and Viola Colyer; vocal solo, "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," Miss Marie Dunlavy, piano accompaniment by Mrs. Oscar Smith; scripture reading by the pastor, followed by some picture slides entitled, "Going to Church Around the World;" benediction by the pastor.

Mrs. Jane Sturgis and daughter Arieta and her nephew Orvil Shewey attended the circus in Salem Wednesday.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sturgis were: Chester Perkins of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. Dora Redford, Mrs. Fannie Wilson, Mrs. Minnie Barrett, Miss Lizzie Starkey, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Trembley and daughter Geraldine, all of Portland, Robert Hackit, and Miss Ellen Hackit of Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Moisan of Patton, Calif., arrived in Brooks Wednesday evening and are house guests of Mr. Moisan's mother, Mrs. Mary Moisan.

Leroy Murdick had the misfortune of cutting the end of his forefinger off while working the disk on his farm near Brooks. He was taken to Salem where Dr. Stone dressed the wound.

REFRIGERATION IN HOME IS EASY

The General Electric Joins Up With the Stiff Furniture Company

A wave of electrical refrigeration is sweeping the country. This strictly modern method of food preservation has passed successfully from the experimental stage and has now arrived at the point where it is practical, both from a standpoint of economy and service.

According to the H. L. Stiff Furniture company, now the distributors of General Electric refrigerators, every year increasing thousands of electrical refrigerators are being sold for domestic use. They are also being readily accepted by the ice cream industries, who find them very effective in keeping their highly perishable product in condition for selling.

Why is a refrigerator? Old fashioned methods of refrigeration in communities served by electricity are as obsolete as the use of the antique coal or wood burning stoves in localities where gas and electricity are available.

Most fresh food-stuffs and many kinds of cooked foods must be kept in a cool place to prevent the rapid growth of the bacteria that cause them to sour or spoil. Many people find it convenient and economical to purchase perishable foods, such as meat and fish, fruit and vegetables in sufficient quantity to last several days. This is not economical if the food spoils.

According to the Stiff Furniture company managers, an electric refrigerator is necessary the year around to keep milk, butter and other foods palatable and in a safe condition.

In a bulletin issued by the U. S. department of agriculture, they state, in part, "Milk must be kept at a low temperature (50 degrees Fahrenheit or below) from the time it is produced until it is consumed, if its quality is to be maintained."

Often it is desirable to have ice to chill the drinking water. In the summer many other beverages must be chilled with ice or in an ice box. The daily salad must be cold and crisp to be appetizing. Desserts should be served cold and those that are frozen are far more popular than any others. Sick people often need ice bags, ice cream and partly frozen nourishment of various kinds. For these reasons and many more, an

adequate refrigerator becomes a necessity in most homes.

Fifteen years ago the General Electric company with its resources set about to produce a machine that would be mechanically fool proof—and require no attention whatsoever.

Some of these first experimental machines are still operating. Simplicity, silence of operation, care-free operation, cleanliness and economy were the important points to be considered in constructing this machine.

Care was taken, therefore, to eliminate all pipes, drains and attachments of any kind, it being necessary only to plug in the nearest electric outlet and General Electric refrigeration starts at once.

"Attention" and "Service" are not known to the owners of General Electric refrigerators. All moving parts are hermetically sealed. It never requires mechanical adjustment—never needs to be oiled. The economical standpoint will appeal to most people, as the General Electric refrigerator uses very little current and has longer life. It is guaranteed by the General Electric company.

Outside the Law
ANGORA—Taxis in the Turkish capital have been ordered fitted with meters—but the drivers swear the new meters won't work and then shut them off before the passenger can read the figures.

X-RAY SCIENTIST IS DEAD
RIO JANIERO.—A martyr to the x-ray is dead. Dr. Alvaro Albin began research in 1895 and notwithstanding loss of both hands continued his work till a few days ago.

The difference between dogs and men is that when a dog doesn't like you he doesn't let on like he does.—Crane American.

OBITUARY

Eaton
At the Emmanuel hospital, Portland, May 20, Thomas R. Eaton, of Salem, husband of May Eaton. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, May 23, at 10 a. m., from the Rigdon mortuary. Interment in Cityview cemetery.

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BROOKS CHURCH HAS MOTHER'S PROGRAM

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