

Local News Briefs

Bohrstedt in Portland—A. C. Bohrstedt, local reporter, made a business trip to Portland Friday.

Mail Carrier Ill—Luther Cook, mail carrier on Salem route two, was off the route Friday due to illness.

Flouring Mill Sued—Dwight H. Hanes began action against the Ana Flouring Mills of Silverton here Friday, demanding \$950 on an alleged promissory note.

Boy to VanLochs—Mr. and Mrs. VanLoch, route nine, box 201, are parents of a baby boy born Friday at the Salem General hospital.

Son Born Here—A baby boy was born Friday at the Salem General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Grove Peterson of Independence.

Roadway Men Visit—J. H. O'Neil, traveling passenger agent, and J. A. Nott, traveling freight agent, both with the Union Pacific, were in Salem Friday from Portland.

From Valsetz—Mrs. and Mrs. G. L. Elkins are in Salem from Valsetz.

Making Business Visit—I. N. Noble, representative of the Sampson Tire and Rubber company, will return to his headquarters in Portland Saturday after a business visit to the city.

New Arrivals Locate—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gardner of San Jose, Calif., have arrived in Salem to make their home in the Edmund residence at 1225 Saginaw street.

Paisley Man Here—H. A. Bratton is a business visitor in Salem from Paisley.

Dance for Charity—All proceeds from an old-time dance to be held next Wednesday, February 6, will go to Associated Charities. Music will be furnished by "Dad" Baltimore's six-piece orchestra. The event is to be held in Castilian hall and the public is invited to attend.

Attend Funeral at Dallas—E. C. Goodwin, accompanied by Mrs. Josephine Christenson and the Misses Mildred and Marjorie Christenson, was in Dallas Friday to attend the funeral of the late Charles Larkin of Rickreall. Mrs. Christenson is a sister of Mr. Larkin. The funeral party to Newberg where interment was made.

Worst Weather for Carriers—The oldest carriers on the Salem mail routes have no praise for the present weather conditions, declaring that the weather Thursday and Friday was the worst they have had to contend with since they began service. F. I. South is the oldest carrier, having been in the service here for 29 years, and he isn't slow in saying he never had such a time to make his routes as during the present snow. James S. Albert and J. A. Remington have also been with the local office for a long term of service and their experience parallels that of Mr. South. City carriers said Friday was even worse than Thursday.

Two Couples Wed—Marriage licenses were issued here Friday to Joseph F. Kraemer, 26, and Mary Bahr, 19, both of Mt. Angel, and to Frank Porter, 21, and Bessie Benton, 20, both of Silverton.

Bus Driver Fined—T. Savage, stage driver, was fined \$20 by Justice of the Peace Small when he appeared in justice court to answer a charge of speeding Friday. Savage paid the fine.

Recovering From Operation—Mrs. J. K. Holt, 1920 North 4th street, is recovering nicely from a major operation performed the middle of last month. She was recently removed to her home. Mrs. Holt is the wife of J. K. Holt with the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York.

Few Petitions Out—There are a few road petitions still being circulated in the county and time will be allowed for these to be filed. It was indicated Friday at the office of the county clerk that no new petitions will be allowed to go out. It was indicated. There are now 53 petitions on file, representing a total of between 150 and 200 miles of market roads. Two petitions were filed Friday. One asks a market road between Champeok and the Cook Corner road a distance of three miles. The other has to do with four miles of the St. Paul-Woodburn road.

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FISH BILL GHOST WALKS IN MEASURE

Many people will remember a certain sign, in letters many feet high, which announces to the world that under the roof on which the sign is painted is an industry which took some 50 years to build, yet was destroyed by "the people of Oregon," some of whom are mentioned somewhat specifically, by ballot in just one day.

This fatal act destroying the business took place in 1926, but the ghosts of a once humming factory still come out at each session of the legislature. This time the ghost walk takes the form of House Bill 333, which would repeal the first four sections of the act commonly known as the "fish wheel bill," and furthermore, the measure contains an emergency clause.

In brief, it is the desire of some people to take fish from the Columbia by fish traps, a practice that was stopped by legislation passed by the people at the general election in November, 1926. These people had a similar desire at the last session of the legislature, but their hopes were not realized.

The four sections which it is sought to repeal are as follows:

1. It is unlawful to catch fish by means of a fishwheel.
2. It is unlawful to operate a fishwheel.
3. It is unlawful to catch fish by means of a fishtrap or seine east of the Cascade Locks in the Columbia.
4. It is unlawful to operate a fishtrap or seine east of the Cascade Locks in the Columbia.

A lively debate is expected on the measure if it succeeds in getting out of the committee to which it will be assigned when read the second time.

Senator Staples Too Ill to Greet Associate Solons

Isaac E. Staples, member of the senate and prominent Portland businessman, is seriously ill in his apartment here. Senator Staples had not been in good health for several weeks, and was compelled to retire while presiding at a meeting of the joint ways and means committee Tuesday night. Mrs. Staples and other relatives of the senator arrived in Salem Thursday.

President Norblad announced Friday that no one would be allowed to visit Senator Staples room. He said that the senate would be advised of his condition from day to day.

Judge D'Arcy Is Speaker For Club

Judge Peter H. D'Arcy was the principal speaker at the Ben Franklin club banquet held at the Spa Friday noon. The banquet was in honor of the 15th birthday of Horace Greeley and Judge D'Arcy's address was appropriate to the occasion. The judge is an old time printer and an active member of the Ben Franklin club and also of Salem Typographical Union No. 210.

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17 NEW BILLS BEFORE HOUSE

Nothing Startling Found in Grist of Legislative Hopper Food

Bills covering everything from smit to liability in automobile accidents were introduced in the house Friday, and when the noon adjournment was taken 17 new measures had been dumped into the hopper.

None of the bills are especially outstanding, however, although some of them may have potentialities as yet not discerned.

The list of bills introduced follows:

H. B. 328—By Metzger—Amending section 5299 Oregon Laws as protecting school districts in their vested property rights by making it impossible for any combination of school districts to devert some other school district of its standard high school.

H. B. 329—By Robinson—To define type of gear by which small boats are caught in the waters of Oregon.

H. B. 330—By Joint Multnomah delegation—providing for two additional circuit judges for the fourth judicial district.

H. B. 331—By Johnson of Benton, Norton, and Johnson of Multnomah and Wallows—Authorizing secretary of state to supply each member of legislature with a copy of Oregon Laws and supplement thereto.

H. B. 332—By Swope—Making it unlawful to remove pitch or bark from any tree belonging to or the land of another person.

H. B. 333—By Settlemyer—Repealing sections of the act commonly known as the "fish wheel bill."

H. B. 334—By McCarty—Prohibiting the use of certain kinds of tackle or lure in fishing for trout in lakes.

H. B. 335—By Robinson—Defining the kinds and type of gear that may be used in taking fish from the waters of the Columbia river.

H. B. 336—By Howard and Tompkins—Amending section 4589, Oregon Laws, relating to road districts as to who may vote at such meetings.

H. B. 337—By Joint Multnomah delegation—Fixing the fees to be charged in district court.

H. B. 338—By Joint Multnomah delegation—Providing for an additional district judge and salary increase.

H. B. 339—By Henderson and Bronaugh—Providing method of fixing liability as the result of automobile accidents.

H. B. 340—By Collier, Anderson and Robinson—Establishing and enforcing minimum standards and methods of construction.

H. B. 341—By Mr. Potter, relating to preservation as public record of all instruments affecting real property executed by the state land board.

H. B. 342, by Mr. Potter, to enable abutting owners on a roadway dedicated in a plat, which has not been opened or used for 15 years or more, to have the same vacated by the county court.

H. B. 343, by J. J. Johnson, To promote dairy industry of Oregon by establishment of a cream grading system.

H. B. 344, by Howard and Burdick, For an act to create a game refuge in the Three Sisters district in Lane and Deschutes counties.

The following new bills were introduced in the senate Friday:

S. B. 75, by Norblad—Relating to witness fees in both civil and criminal cases.

S. B. 76, by Billingsley—Relating to the salaries of county officers of Malheur county.

S. B. 77, by Fisher—Relating to adoption of 10 year textbooks.

S. B. 78, by Dunn—Relating to the regulation of public dance halls.

S. B. 79, by Reynolds—To prohibit stock from running at large in Marion county.

S. B. 80, by Moser—To provide enumeration, instruction and cost of instruction of crippled children.

West Salem News

By LOU THOMPSON Phone 417-W

Miss Mable Porter who is a teacher at Corbett, arrived Monday evening. She was the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDowell at the Capitol tourist apartments on Edgewater street. Miss Porter left for Junction City Tuesday for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Porter. The school at Corbett is a consolidated district. The pupils are taken to and from school in busses. Owing to weather conditions the school is now closed for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Theuer, and their son Arthur, and Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Fox were dinner guests recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kreuger of Rickreall.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Martin and Mrs. G. C. Goodlow of Dallas were dinner guests Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bevik on Edgewater street.

Mrs. Sam V. Fuller is ill at her home on Cascade Drive. Up to the time of her illness, Mrs. Fuller was nursing at the Ambassador apartments. She will return to her duties when she recovers.

Larceny Charges Facing Publisher Involve \$41 Sum

R. H. Martin, publisher of the Salem shopping news, was arrested Friday and brought into justice court to face a larceny charge involving \$41. Martin's case was continued without any plea being entered, after a short hearing before Justice of the Peace Small. He was released on \$500 bond. The charge was made by A. E. Schirman, and is said to relate to the business of the Shopping News, which was indicated Friday that the Shopping News, which has operated in Salem for several years, has suspended publication.

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W. U. DEBATERS TO MEET O. S. C. SOON

OREGON STATE COLLEGE, Corvallis, Feb. 1.—(Special)—The Willamette university men's varsity debate squad will meet the Oregon State team in its first appearance of the season, February 14, in Corvallis. The event will be a dual debate on the question of removing the plea of temporary insanity as a defense for crime.

An Oregon State team debating the negative side of the insanity question will tour the North Pacific, taking part in three conferences and one non-conference debate. The non-conference debate with Spokane university will be the first one on the schedule. The three conference debates will be with Washington State college, University of Idaho and Whitman college.

Home debates will be with Baylor university of Texas, University of Arizona, University of Wyoming, University of Nevada, University of California at Los Angeles and University of Montana.

SCHOOL DISTRICT BILL STILL LIVES

Glen R. Metzger, representative from Columbia county, has some very determined ideas on legislation to protect school districts. "In their vested rights notwithstanding the fact that the house indefinitely postponed his House Bill 151 on this subject earlier in the week."

"That section 5299 Oregon laws as amended by chapter 72, General laws of Oregon, 1925, be amended to protect school districts in their vested property rights, by making it impossible, as under the present law, for any combination of school districts to divert some other school district of its standard high school and remove it to some other school district."

Prevention of "unionizing" high schools against the will of certain of the schools is said to be the object of this measure.

Seek Uniformity in County Wages

A uniform system of providing amounts of pay for county officers is sought in H. J. R. 12, introduced in the house Friday. At present pay and duties of county officers in many cases are regulated by the county and a wide variety both in pay and duties is noted about the state.

OBITUARY

Matthes
Augusta Marie Matthes, 17, died February 1 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Matthes, on Salem route nine. Besides the parents, a sister, Mrs. Margaret Mears of California, survives. Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at the Clough-Huston parlors, with interment to follow at Hayesville.

August Erickson, 79, died Friday at the Methodist Old People's home. He was the father of Mrs. Lloyd Stiffler, Ernest E. Erickson and Robert A. Erickson, all of Salem, and four grandchildren. Funeral services Monday at 10:30 a. m. at the Rigdon mortuary, with interment in Cityview cemetery.

Dr. Canse Leaves For Tacoma Meet

Dr. J. M. Canse left Friday night for Tacoma, where he will attend the annual meeting of the Washington State Historical society tonight. On Sunday morning he will preach in the Methodist church at Snohomish, Wash., and in the evening he will present his illustrated lecture "Trails of Christian Settlement" at the First Methodist church at Everett, Wash. He will return to Salem next Tuesday.

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HOUSE BILLS DISPOSED OF

House Eliminates Pro and Con Talk, Gets Down To Real Work

Oratory and debate found little favor in the house Friday morning, and with words pro and con kept down to a minimum the representatives managed to clear the slate in time to adjourn for the week at noon. Seventeen bills were introduced in rapid fire order, and a dozen more up for third reading were quickly disposed of during the two hour period. Only one bill took up much time, that proposed by Henderson of Clackamas for forestation and reforestation, and when members saw that oratory might be stretched out, the bill was voted an order of business to be settled on Monday.

Disposition of the various measures was as follows:

H. B. 113, relating to tax on land, indefinitely postponed.

H. B. 134, amending statutes relating to fences, recommended to committee.

H. B. 133, amending laws relating to liens on crops, re-referred to committee.

H. B. 228, prohibiting the issuance of bonds for any irrigation or drainage district in excess of 50 per cent of appraised value, re-referred to committee.

Bills passed by the house are as follows:

H. B. 130, amending section 5171, relating to estimates for schools.

H. B. 131, amending laws relating to compulsory attendance.

H. B. 140, amending section 5783, relating to liens on crops.

H. B. 221, amending laws providing for the qualifications of voters or electors in irrigation districts.

H. B. 282, to amend laws relating to return of writ of attachment in matters of garnishees by sheriff.

S. B. 3, to amend laws relative to creation of highway improvement districts.

S. B. 9, to amend laws relating to highway improvement districts and limiting the powers of taxation thereon.

S. B. 21, providing for the election to submit the question to the legal voters of the abolition of park boards and transferring with their powers to city governments.

Missionary Field Worker to Visit Here Next Week

Mrs. E. E. Luce, a national field secretary of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, will be a visitor in Salem the first part of next week. Mrs. Luce is spending two weeks visiting in the Oregon conference of the Methodist church.

Mrs. Luce will speak at the First Methodist church Wednesday afternoon. Thursday morning she will address the student body of Kimball School of Theology, and Thursday night she will speak at the Jason Lee Memorial church.

While in Salem, Mrs. Luce will visit the Methodist Old People's home, which is owned jointly by the Missionary society and the Oregon conference.

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Miss Beryl Holt Of School Staff Is Operated Upon

Miss Beryl Holt, head of the mathematics department in Salem high school, underwent a major operation Friday in St. Vincent's hospital in Portland. Friday afternoon she had recovered consciousness and was reported to be resting well. Members of her family were with her.

Knowing that the operation would be necessary, Miss Holt had outlined her work for the second semester in Salem high school and had completed the requirements of the first term.

Funeral services for August Erickson, who died Friday at the Methodist Old People's home at the age of 79 years, will be held at the Rigdon mortuary Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock, with interment to follow in the Cityview cemetery. Mr. Erickson was the father of Ernest E. Erickson, Mrs. Lloyd Stiffler and Robert Erickson, all of Salem, and four grandchildren. Mr. Erickson had lived in and near Salem for 20 years, spending some years on a small tract on route three, just outside the south city limits.

Tozier Testifies To Changed Order In Road Program

The old order changeth. So says Albert Tozier, well known for his connection with and devotion to Champeok Memorial park. A letter from Tozier is attached to a road petition filed with the county court here Friday. It asserts that if the road in question, extending three miles from Champeok to the Cook Corner road, is made a market road, there will be no trouble about the corners, as everybody concerned with the matter will be made to whatever extent seems necessary. Adding a word of commendation for the county road building program, Tozier declares:

"The county court of Marion has certainly improved matters in the road program by the advertisement, 'through by daylight—Champeok to Salem.'"

Augusta Marie Matthes, 18, Dies Friday Morning

Augusta Marie Matthes, 18-year-old daughter of E. A. Matthes of Salem route 9, died at her home at 4 o'clock Friday morning. Funeral services will be held at the Clough-Huston parlors Sunday at 2:30 o'clock. Burial will be at Hayesville.

Miss Matthes was a student at Parrish junior high school last year. Besides her parents, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Margaret Mears of California, and several aunts: Miss Zila McMunn of Quincy, Mrs. Marie Mumper, Mrs. George Matthes, Mrs. W. A. Matthes and Mrs. James Matthes of Kent, Oregon.

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