

Each day The Statesman is publishing the news which occurs about the valley. "Late Journeys" by Mrs. Callin is an added feature.

Unsettled today; probable showers; west wind. Max. temperature Monday 59; Min. 49; river 3; rain .05; cloudy; wind south.

NEW BUS ORDINANCE PROMISED

Weider and McCallister Win

DIRECTOR RACE ATTRACTS 700 TO POLLS HERE

Dark Horse Receives Total of 454 Ballots; Slade and Pugh Lose

Striking Contrast to 1929 School Board Election Is Observed

Salem's school election, doped as a quiet affair, turned out to be a real honest-to-goodness election, with E. L. Weider, hinted pretty consistently in advance as low man, polling 454 of the round 700 votes that were cast.

E. F. Slade, second man to enter the school race and put forward at the urgent request of a group of friends headed by Dr. C. A. Downs, retiring director, took third place in the final count, with 239 votes.

With no issue, at least on the surface, confronting the voters, the enormous vote that was cast served as a source of surprise to those who gathered about the counting board.

Many voters preferred to "single vote" with Weider getting an amazing number of these ballots. Each other candidate also secured the straight favor of a smaller number of voters.

The vote was in striking contrast to last year, when Frank Neer, the only candidate, was elected on in the neighborhood of 30 votes.

REGISTRATION AT GRADE SCHOOL LOW

Registration in the summer grade school fell considerably short of last year's first day figure with 296 pupils enrolling at both schools, 165 of whom are attending Grant. Classes are also conducted at Park school.

So far, the lower grades have the heaviest registration. The strained financial conditions which have been evident throughout the school year, are believed to be largely responsible for the low summer school attendance.

Portland Lad Wins Edison Contest Here; Woodburn Candidate Places Second

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Salem Taxpayers Show No Interest In School Report

Even Directors Not Unanimous in Attendance At Annual Event; Healthy Financial Situation for Year is Shown

Salem taxpayers, as usual, evinced little interest in the annual taxpayers' meeting of the Salem school district, with not even the full quota of directors present to listen to the report of Clerk W. H. Burghardt.

BONDS NOT SOLD BY CITY COUNCIL HERE

Both Bids for Purchase Are Rejected Due to Weakness of Market

Facing a loss of \$5490 because of the poor condition of the bond market, the city council Monday night rejected the two bids submitted on \$100,000 worth of sewer bonds.

Because of the deficit of \$16,000 already existing in the sewer fund, Alderman Vandeventer, chairman of the sewer committee, suggested that \$25,000 in bonds be sold to cover the deficit and the construction now under way.

The council decided that since this drain will not be needed until next fall, it would wait two months to see if the bond market improved.

Barham Brothers were the low bidders on the North Salem fire

Dog License Roundup to Start Soon

It's just going to be doggone hard for the dog owner who hasn't licensed his pup!

So said the county court Monday when Paul Manarch was authorized to start the annual roundup of fees from owners of dogs.

The county court estimated Monday that 3600 dogs had been licensed this year to date. There are over 5000 dogs in the county, according to the court estimates.

All moneys received from dog licenses go into a special fund from which the county court makes payment to compensate sheep owners when sheep are killed by dogs.

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SCHOOL BOARD VOTE LIVENED BY INJUNCTION

Opening of Bids for Building New School House Delayed by Suit

Irregularities in Calling for Bids Charged by H. S. Peck, Plaintiff

Bids for construction of a school house in the Salem Heights district are still unopened, although time set and advertised for the opening was reached at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Peck brought his suit yesterday, charging in it that proceedings in calling the bids were illegal and claiming that two board members, Craig and Erickson, had ordered notices published without the official authority of the board and before an official meeting of the board.

While these charges were made, Peck is understood to have told the board members later that he filed the injunction simply to keep the bids sealed until after the annual school meeting and election, held last night and in which Dr. VanCleave by a two to one count, Howard Zinser was reelected clerk.

A somewhat heated gathering preceded the voting, residents report, with a board number filling much of the hour in which the polls were open with a review of the school year and the board.

Abuse consisting of kicking and mistreating the plaintiff as well as threatening to take her life, is alleged to have been perpetrated on Ida Steinbock in a divorce complaint filed by her against Philip Steinbock, her husband.

In the case begun Monday in circuit court, Mrs. Steinbock relates that she and her husband were married in April, 1917. Bad treatment has been accorded her for years, she alleges.

30 OF SHIP'S CREW BROUGHT TO SHORE

Master of Ill-Fated Vessel Remains Aboard Despite Rescue Efforts

ASTORIA, Ore., June 17—(AP)—Efforts by air, from land and from sea had resulted tonight in the rescue of thirty members of the thirty-two man crew of the Tates line steamship Laurel which went ashore on the ocean side of Peacock Spit, just north of the Columbia river mouth, Sunday morning.

Russell Smith, 19, Worcester, Mass., member of the crew was swept from the bridge to his death after the ship hit the sands and Captain Louis Johnson has refused to leave his ship, or part of it, for the bow and that portion of the vessel forward of the engine room bulkhead, lay in the surf four hundred yards south of the stern which still stands upright.

ASTORIA, Ore., June 17—(AP)—The coast guard cutter Redwing arrived here late today with six members of the crew of the wrecked steamship Laurel

City's Machinery Won't be Loaned Council Declares

Objections to the renting or loaning of city owned machinery and tools to private parties, found expression in an ordinance introduced at Monday night's council meeting, providing that this shall not be done without the council's approval.

This was understood to have reference to the recent use of city equipment in the excavation work at the site of the new Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company building.

Kermit in Dad's Footsteps



Kermit Roosevelt who has just returned to San Francisco from a hunting expedition in Indo-China which bagged the rare giant Panda, pictured at bottom.

Spouse Not Nice to Her Wife Avers

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Wife Can't Live Longer With Hubby

Frequent accusations that she was unfaithful to him along with threats to take his own life, made life for Emma Frances Shepherd with John C. Shepherd, her husband, unbearable, she alleges in a complaint filed Monday in circuit court.

Water Firm To Dig New Well Soon

Water which has been filtered in the new filter bed on Minto island, will reach homes and industrial plants in Salem early today, it was announced Monday night.

EIGHT RUM RUNNERS TAKEN BY OFFICERS

WINDSOR, Ont., June 17—(AP)—Eight rum runners were captured early today as they attempted to run the United States coast guard blockade in lake and river St. Clair, seven rum craft were towed into Marine City, Mich., this morning by American customs border patrol and others of the American prohibition enforcement services.

Four Teachers Resign Jobs in Salem Schools

Four members of the home economics departments of the senior and junior high schools will be absent when the faculty roll is called next September. Mrs. Marjorie Freble, and Mrs. Gladys Jensen, both of the high school, Miss Rita Reid of Parrish and Mrs. Ruby Delk Phillips of Leslie have all made other plans for the next year.

Strategy Used To Halt Referendum By Salem People

City Council and Southern Pacific Company Combine to Launch Move Nullifying Recent Petitions by North Sailemites

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BIDS FOR TRAFFIC CONTROL REJECTED

City Dads Vote to do Without Street Signals; Estimates Too High

All bids on traffic control signals for Salem's downtown streets were rejected without discussion Monday night by the city council through the adoption of a report from the police committee recommending that they be rejected because all exceeded the amount provided in the budget for the purpose.

Referendum Petitions Will Be Nullified

If the council repeals the franchise ordinance at its next meeting, the referendum petitions will be of no effect, and if a new franchise should be granted at some succeeding council session, it would go into effect upon being signed by the mayor, unless a new referendum petition is filed.

MACDONALD, DAWES MEET IN SCOTLAND

LONDON, June 17.—(AP)—Neither United States Ambassador Charles G. Dawes nor the Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald today appeared disturbed by the situation which finds concentrated on them the attention of two nations and only slightly less so the interest of the whole world.

WOMAN IS BADLY HURT IN SMASHUP

Mrs. Charlotte Hardy is Not Expected to Live After Auto Accident

Little hope is held for the life of Mrs. Charlotte Hardy, 23-year old Medford woman and a former Salem resident, who was seriously injured when the car in which she was riding with her sister and a man crashed into a Southern Pacific southbound train Sunday evening.

Owen Thomas Elder Now Last Remaining Veteran Of Mexican War of 1846

WASHINGTON, June 17.—(AP)—Waking to his 95th birthday today, to learn that he is now sole survivor of the Mexican war, Owen Thomas Elder turned to his daily devotions.

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What the terms of the new franchise proposal will be, could not be learned Monday night, but Mr. O'Hara's vote was a plain indication that opponents of the previous measure suspect the entire proceeding is an attempt to obtain action on the franchise in the near future, instead of waiting until sometime next year when the referendum would come up for a vote.

Later in the meeting, a motion was adopted postponing indefinitely all consideration of traffic control signals. This was done to dispose of a supplementary note in connection with one of the bids.

That leaves \$2450 in the city budget appropriated for traffic control, available to be used for some other purpose. A suggestion had been made that this be used to pay the police officers an increase in salary, but the matter was not discussed on the floor of the council.

The special committee headed by Alderman Dancy, appointed about five years ago to abate the nuisance of the city dump, was discharged at its own request and an ordinance submitted providing that the sanitary inspector should have supervision over the incinerator which was built under this committee's program.

The council passed the new parking limit ordinance, providing that motor vehicles may not park in any block for more than one hour in any four hours, where the

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