PAGE TWO



Mother of Inmate Who Died **Demands** Investigation **Of Conditions** 

Investigation by the Marion City, secretary-treasurer. The as-county grand jury of the admin- sociation accepted the invitation of

bel Reif, mother of the girl. Mrs. Reif, in affidavits filed and A. E. Windell, Jefferson, will with the grand jury, alleged crim- make their report. All commercial tron, and Dr. J. O. Matthis, acting zation. physician. It was charged by Mrs. Relf that her daughter died of the feeble minded home. Mrs. Reif alleged that the girl did not receive proper care. Girl Has Long Record At State Institution

shall girl has suffered from epi-

years old and for more than 10 -years had been a patient in the Oregon institution for varying periods of time. The girl was last committed to the home in June of this year Mrs. Reif charged that she was summoned to the institution July 24, where she found her daughter suffering from a fracture of the skull, lacerations of the face and chin and other injuries. "I remained in Salem for several days," said Mrs. Reif in one of her affidavits, "but the officials were reticent to give me any information as to what had J. Hendricks, Carle Abrams, Ralph happened.

my daughter was feeling fine. On my daughter was not at all well. I found Georgia in a straight jack-She could not eat and kept repeating, 'Please don't whip me.' Matron Refused Aid, Woman Charges

"I then appealed to Mrs. Smith, the matron, but she refused any economically. aid and told me if I did not like this by telephone and asked him torneys will be presented. if he would not come to the home The case of Alfred Jameson vs.

following day. His attitude was moon today.

er recognition as a department in W the annual county institutes. The association adopted plans whereby the work in commercial departments of the high schools might be compared through a system of reports on class work. The committee in charge of this activity consists of Inez Darling, Silverton, bookkeeping division, Mu-

riel Wilson, Salem, typing division and Rath S. Riches, Aumsville, shorthand division. Officers of the association are

Merritt Davis, Salem, president; Inez Darling, Silverton, vice-president, and Florence Jenks, Mill

istration of the state home for the Miss Junks to hold the next meetfeeble minded, in connection with ing at Mill City. This will be at the recent death of Georgia Mar- 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning, shall of Eugene, formerly an in- No. 23, and at that time the commate of the institution, was de- mittee on constitution and bymanded here Tuesday by Mrs. Isa- laws, consisting of E. D. Roseman, Salem, D. B. Parks, Turner,

inal negligence on the part of Dr. teachers present expressed a be-J. N. Smith, superintendent of the lief that much good might be acinstitution; Mrs. J. N. Smith, ma- complished by this county organi-

in a Eugene hospital September 5 as the result of unexplained in-juries suffered while an inmate **ENTIRE COURT DAY** 

The records show that the Marleptic attacks since she was six

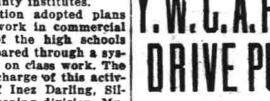
Judge Kelly overruled motion of terman, chairman of the memberfrom the attorneys for the de- arrangements. fense, causing the judge to admonish the jury that he was expressing no opinion as to the merruling the motion and directing the case to proceed. Witnesses examined included R.

Kletzing, Irl McSherry, Secretary and the junior business girls. 'On August 30 I telephoned to Keenan of the typographical the institution and was told that union, S. F. Sackett and C. A. Sprague. Mr. Hendricks denied the following day I was told that having entered into a contract of any kind or character with Ben organization developed to a point I hastened to the institution where West as an employe of the Statesman. Other witnesses testified will be participating in the organet and bleeding from the mouth. that none of them was advised ization. that any contract existed. Mr.

Sackett testified that Mr. West was not retained by the new management on grounds of incompetency to handle the situation

Attorneys on both sides presentthe way my daughter was being ed their opening arguments. Court treated, to take her out of the in- adjourned till 9 a. m., Wednesstitution. I also called Dr. Mat- day when final arguments of at-

and treat my daughter. He hung C. F. Valentine which was set for | ton Railroad and Navigation comup the receiver, and did not ar- trial Tuesday was postponed one pany for permission to close a rive at the institution until the day. It may not be reached until grade crossing near Cascade



Campaign Postponed From February to April of **Coming Year** 

An important constitutional The annual Y. W. C. A. financial campaign will be conducted change made by the Chemeketans during April next year instead of at their annual meeting held last in February as has been custom- night at the Y. M. C. A. opens to ditional equipment will be provid- by Albert DeWelt of the com-ary in past years, the board of di- active membership any person in ed as funds permit. Dr. Douglas mercial department and Principal dectors decided Tuesday at the good standing in the community, mentioned as one goal for fature Fred Wolf. This change has been regular meeting held Tuesday who has participated in two local attainment the acquisiton of a made following request of Merneon at Camp Santaly, Girl Re- walks of the organization. The lodge in the mountains. During ritt Davis, head of the commerserve camp on the Santiam above previous standard for active mem- the year a monthly bulletin has cial department, to be relieved of Mehama. This extension has been bership was the climbing of a made primarily because of unfasnow-capped peak. The previous vorable weather conditions. classification of "associate mem-

The business meeting, Tuesday, bers" was done away with when which followed a luncheon hour at the more liberal policy for active the camp, was attended by 17 membership was adopted. A nummembers. Reports from all com- ber of other changes were made mittee chairmen were given, show- in the constitution, chiefly of a ing a health state of affairs for minor character.

the association. Mrs. George Those who climb the snow Moorehead, chairman of the Girl peaks under the new membership Reserve group, reported plans classification will be entitled to materializing in splendid shape wear the "summit badge" of the for the reception which the high organization.

The following were elected school girls are planning for freshman girls, to be held this evening members of the executive council at the Y. W. C. A., and which for the ensuing year: Ben Rickli, will open the social season for the W. M. Hamilton, Geo. Fake, Dr.

ing.

shortly. Allied groups of the Y.

Mrs. Elizabeth K. Gallaher, gen-

eral secretary, gave a talk. Mrs.

Gallaher said that she hoped to

see the membership increased and

where more and more members

Ordered Closed

The Oregon public service com-

mission Tuesday granted the ap-

plication of the Oregon-Washing-

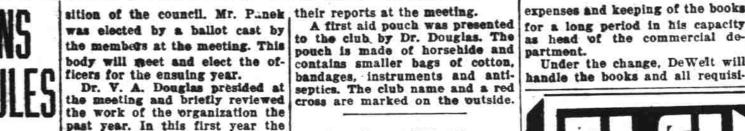
By State Body

Grade Crossing

W. C. A. include the 15 Girl Reserve organizations in the schools

The circuit court in Judge Kel- girls. An advisors' luncheon is be- D. B. Hill, Catherine Gaylord, ly's department was occupied all ing planned for Saturday noon, Augusta Notdurft, Ruby Hoffnell, day Tuesday with the trial of and the annual Y. W. C. A. mem- Judge O. P. Coshow. Mike Panek West vs. R. J. Hendricks and borship tea will be held Thursday, and Dr. C. A. Downs tied for a po-Statesman Publishing company. October 17, with Mrs. J. H. Lau-

The commission also granted defendants' attorneys to non-suit ship committee, and Mrs. H. M. application of the county court of the case. His remarks in overrul- Hawkins, chairman of the social Marrow county for permission to ing the motion brought protest committee, in charge of general change a private gated crossing at grade across the tracks of the The directors approved a plan Oregon-Washington Railroad and to have two members from each Navigation company, approximatedepartment in the association sit ly one mile west of the town of its of the case, but simply over- on the membership committee and Irrigon, to an open public crossthese persons will be selected



The OREGON STATESMAN, Salem, Oregon, Wednesday Morning, October 9, 1929

membership has grown to 84. **Requirements for Member-**Twenty-one local walks or overnight trips were made. The annual ship Cut Down by Vote outing on Marion lake and ascent of Mount Jefferson was the great-**Tuesday Night** est single achievement during the year. The second ascent of Mount

Hood was made. The club is acquiring camping school student body association equipment such as stoves, etc. Ad- will be handled this year jointly ed as funds permit. Dr. Douglas mercial department and Principal attainment the acquisiton of a made following request of Mer-

been put out to members. the handing of student finances. Committee chairmen presented Davis has supervised the student Now Now

Playing Playing Continuous Shows CAPITOL Continuous Shews 2 '111 11 2 '411 11 from the play NIGHTSTICK 0 00 ROLAND *a Rind* WEST A vivid romhriller ance of a po-PRODUCTION n's daughter whose heart was stolen by a gangster and redeemed by a detective's supreme love . . .

Coming Thurs, "HOLD YOUR MAN." An All 'Talkie' with Laura LaPlant

bigger jazz review love story ..... Too VITAPHONE ACTS

Salem's Own Store

presents

bandages, instruments and anti-Dr. V. A. Douglas presided at septics. The club name and a red the meeting and briefly reviewed cross are marked on the outside. Principal Wolf

pouch is made of horsehide and

contains smaller bags of cotton,

And De Welt to

Handle Finances

Finances of the senior high

brutal. I asked him what happened to my daughter, and he replied: 'Find out if you think you can. "I then took my daughter from

the institution and placed her in a hospital at Eugene where she died five days later." **Matthis Denies All Charges** Advanced

Dr. Matthis, in a statement Tuesday, declared that Mrs. Reif took the girl out of the institution against his advice, and that she is now attempting to hold the state responsible for her death. It was explained by Dr. Matthis that the Marshall girl had suffered frequent epileptic attacks, and that during one of these seizures she sustained injuries of the chin and mouth. This, he said, caused the bleeding of which Mrs. Reif complains.

Dr. Matthis said the physicians had treated the girl with all consideration, and that she had showed marked improvement until a few months ago when she left the institution temporarily with her mother. He denied that the officials of the institution had been negligent, either criminally or otherwise, in the treatment of Miss Marshall or any other inmate.

Dr. and Mrs. Smith were out of Salem today and could not be interviewed. Dr. Matthis said he was sure the institution officials would welcome an investigation.

## Complaints Say Rogue **Fished Out**

Complaint that there had been considerable illegal fishing on the Rogue river in Southern Oregon, with the result that the summer run of fish was lighter than for several years, was lodged with Governor Patterson here Tuesday by a number of Medford sportsmen. Harold Clifford, state game warden, attended the conference at the request of the governor. Clifford said he was aware of the illegal fishing last winter, and that he recently assigned a fast boat and five deputy wardens to patrol the stream. This explanation was said to have satisfied the complainants.

The charge that the fllegal fishing operations were responsible for the light run of fish this summer, was denied by Governor Patterson and Clifford.



Organization of a Marion county commercial teachers' association was an outgrowth of round table discussion at the depart-mental session of the annual county teachers' institute in the local high school Tuesday. The organization set up as objectives production of greater general



## Mattress

"Spring Filled"

A sensational new product made by a leading mattress manufacturer.

## **A Greater Value Than Ever Before**

An inner construction model by a leading manufacturer-that brings a new joy to sleep. A one-piece unit consisting of small resilient coil springs joined together in such a way as to distribute the weight evenly. 30 lbs. in thick layers of new cotton felt are built over these springs. Everything that we could ask for is embodied in this mattress, comfort and service, quality and style. Many colors to choose from in beautiful santeen art covers.

The "Spring Maid" -- The Modern Mattress

Your Own Terms in Reason

Offered for the

First Time at

expenses and keeping of the books | tions and checks will be signed 17

Under the change, DeWelt will man; full sport news reports

DIRECTION FOX WEST COAST THEATRES

Today, Thurs., Fri.

handle the books and all requisi- fresh each morning.

CHARLES "BUDDY" NANCY

ROGERS CARROLL

the same spark-ling pair that made "Close Harmony"

in another and

Follow the sports in The States-

Harry Langdon

In His First

All Talking

Comedy

"Hotter Than Hot"

PARAMOUNT

NEWS

EVENTS

Coming

Saturday Sunday

FANCHON

AND

MARČO'S

"Screenland

Melodies"

Coming!

MORAN

and

MACK

A first aid pouch was presented for a long period in his capacity the principal.

partment.

on sale at ninime 60 MPLETE HOUSE FURNISHERS

450 Court and at **The Market Furniture Store** 

