

# FOUR THOUSAND SUPPORT MEIER

## Merchant's Name Only One Put Up, Unanimous Ballot Cast

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portunity to put in a man big enough to be governor than Albin Kuhn was offered the governorship and refused," he said. "We want a new deal and a new leader. We are all thinking alike. I want to present a man who is all a candidate should be—big enough and democratic enough to run the state of Oregon in a fair and honest way. It gives me the pleasure to place in nomination Julius L. Meier."

Sam Brown of Gervais presided. Pledge cards promising to support candidate to carry out the platform of the late Senator Joseph, winner of the republican nomination in the primaries, were distributed to every person at the convention. Thirty-five hundred of the cards were signed and returned.

Senator Sam Brown, Marion county, opened the meeting. Rufus C. Holman was elected permanent chairman.

# PAYNE ADMITS HE BOMBED HIS WIFE

STINNETT, Texas, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Sidney Payne, attorney, charged with the murder of his wife in a bomb explosion, June 27, has admitted his guilt and said he would make a confession as soon as he had talked to his brother, Sidney.  
In a statement to Chief of Police McDowell, Payne said he was the "meanest man in the world," and upheld the reputation of Mrs. Verona Thompson, his former secretary, who made a statement last night which resulted in Payne's arrest. She said Payne was intoxicated with her.

Sidney Payne was not expected here until tomorrow.  
A. D. Payne was brought here last night after Mrs. Thompson's statement had been made public. Aerial officials fearing much violence, E. W. Thorne, district attorney, said Payne made a statement today but refused to divulge its nature.

# WILBUR URGES WEST TO SAVE RESOURCES

SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 7.—(AP)—Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, secretary of the interior department, tonight urged people of the west to treasure and conserve, not exploit, the great natural resources of the region.

Dr. Wilbur, honor guest and principal speaker at a chamber of commerce dinner, pointed to the great part to be played by the west in the future development of the country and declared the problem is to get western people to think in western terms; to work together and to reach a cooperative understanding. He urged disregard for state lines in the development of natural resources.

Building of the west, Wilbur said, must be done on a wide, thoughtful plan, with state and federal governments and large private enterprises putting their best brains to work on the program.

Pointing to the great source of water in the west, which is the key to its development, the interior secretary urged its conservation and the necessity of causing it to do double duty—irrigation and generation of power.

# BIRCHETT CALLED BY PRESBYTERIANS

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chett's family consists of a wife and three children. They will move into the manse shortly and take up the labors of the charge.  
Pastor Locking Silver February 15.  
The Presbyterians have been without a pastor since the resignation of Dr. Norman K. Tully last February. Dr. Tully accepted a call to Alhambra, Calif., an according to reports is meeting with distinct success in his ministry there.

# Trolling Laws Ruling is Made By Van Winkle

The state laws regulating trolling for silverside salmon applies to the Umpqua river and its tributaries as well as to all other streams in Oregon, according to a legal opinion handed down here Thursday by I. H. Van Winkle, attorney general. The opinion was requested by Guy Gordon, district attorney of Douglas county. The attorney general held that trolling for silverside salmon is covered by a general statute.

In another opinion the attorney general held that in cases where the state insurance commissioner contemplates witness in behalf of the agent, he has authority to subpoena witnesses in behalf of the agent as well as the state. The insurance commissioner is not required to pay the fees of witnesses called to testify for the agent.

# AMERICAN WINS LONDON CONTEST



Henry Earheart, 15-year-old American schoolboy, with his winning plane model and the trophy awarded to him in the international airplane model contest at Hulton Aerodrome, London. Boys from all parts of Europe and America entered their models in the contest.

# The Call Board

By OLIVE M. DOAK

- ELLSWORTH  
Today—Joan Crawford in "Our Blushing Brides."
- CAPITOL  
Today—"Gold Diggers of Broadway."
- HOLLYWOOD  
Today—"Hunting Tigers in India."
- GRAND  
Today—Buck Jones in "The Lone Rider."

"The Gold Diggers of Broadway" was so good that it was worth a return engagement at Bigh's Capitol. Winkie Lightner made her name and fame in this show. She has done several shows since but none of them in my estimation has even touched "The Gold Diggers of Broadway." Winkie and Albert Gran are worth the price of the show all by themselves.

It is not possible to tell you about this show. It is full of so many "situations" that have to be followed from the beginning of the plot to be funny. The theatre, night life parties, and two "butter and egg men" make up the ingredients that result in one of the most enjoyable shows of the past few months.

# MISSIONARY LOVED BY CHINESE SLAIN

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there should the city become endangered by Red armies advancing from the south. Already a number of Chinese soldiers, the withdrawal of troops to Hankow have been noted by communists. Evacuation of foreigners from Kiating continued as 1,000 communists were said to be approaching.

While foreign nations moved independently to protect their people in China, the nationalist government's news agency asserted reinforced nationalist troops would prevent further communist outrages in Chang-sha and repeat the Red drive upon the Hankow area.

# Women Seeking Work Numerous Report Reveals

Supply of feminine laborers is still materially ahead of the demand, judging from the July report of the employment bureau conducted by the Y. W. C. A. A number of those seeking work are from out of town. According to figures of Mrs. Louise Wagstaff, in charge of the bureau, 277 applicants for work were received in the month, and only 53 were sent to jobs. There were 63 calls for help.

During June, 333 persons applied for help, about the same percentage being sent to jobs in July. Of the jobs filled the past month, 27 are permanent positions and 21 were temporary. Most of the jobs are in the home.

# New Librarian To Arrive Here By October 15

Miss Harriet C. Long, of Madison, Wis., who recently was elected Oregon state librarian to succeed Mrs. Virginia Cleaver Bacon, who died a few months ago, has written Governor Norblad that she will assume her duties here October 15.

She previously notified the state library board that she would not be able to come to Salem before November 15. She has been connected with the Wisconsin free library commission for several years.

# Too Late to Classify

PARTY who picked up 1 sack of flour at 11th Street Thursday night shortly after 11 p. m. was classified as a party.

50 men wanted at once to cut and haul water for timber already piled and peeled. Room & Bush Streets 1100.

# COURT WILL HEAR ROAD PLEAS TODAY

Hearings on several road petitions will be given in county court this morning. Most of the roads in question are relocations of market roads.

Action on the viewers' reports will be taken on the West Station-Marion road; on the Gervais-St. Louis road; the Fern Ridge road; on the petition of J. W. Hays and others for the West road; the Star Station-Marion road; on the Matheny road.

First hearings will be up on the establishment of a county road to the Jason Lee mission site near Wheatland ferry and on the petition for vacation of a road in the Elkhorn district made obsolete by establishment and construction of a new market road.

Action may be taken on the amended report of the viewers on the Detroit-Whitewater section of the proposed North Santiam highway, however it was not certain yesterday whether or not the court would have to wait the required 10 days following filing of the report, as in the case of an original report.

# DOLORES DEL RIO IS NOW MRS. GIBBONS

SANTA BARBARA, Calif., Aug. 6.—(AP)—Dolores Del Rio, Mexican film star and Cedric Gibbons, studio art director were married quietly at 5:40 p. m. last night at the star's home in Hollywood.

Mission built here in 1786. The Rev. Fr. Augustin performed the ceremony.

Dressed in a grey suit, close-fitting grey hat and grey pumps, Miss Helen Nilos of Portland, and Mrs. Hendrix and daughter Norma, also sojourned in Portland, the guest of Mrs. Mianna Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Paulson and family and Mrs. Anna Paulson, arrived from Los Angeles Tuesday evening, of spend a few days, Alf and Henry Martin.

The E. E. Bradis has been entertaining a number of summer guests. Friday, Mrs. Shade Burdum from Cottage Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Burchum of Forte Klamath, were luncheon guests. The Burchums were motoring to Yellowstone Park, and upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Otto Burchum will resume their duties as teachers in the Fort Klamath schools. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bradis and daughter Rhea, together with Mr. and Mrs. George Francis and children, of Portland were guests of the Bradis. Rhea remained for a week's visit with her cousin, Martha Francis Bradis.

# DUCKS WIN THIRD STRAIGHT VICTORY

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 7.—(AP)—Portland beat Seattle again tonight, 5 to 4.

The Ducks rallied in the seventh, pounded over three runs off Andy House and overcame a 4 to 2 Seattle lead.

House's wild pitches were costly.

	R	H	E
Seattle	4	9	0
Portland	5	9	1

# CHEMOKETAN CAMP SITE IS CHANGED

Members of the executive committee of the Chemeketan club have decided to change the base camp site for the annual outing group from Camp Scott to Scott Lake, considerably closer to the McKenzie highway.

Camp Scott, the original location is five miles southeast of the highway while the new location is only 1 1/2 miles from the road. Saving of a considerable sum for packers' charges was given as one of the reasons for the decision to change the base camp.

Because of the change members of the club will have the added advantage of being able to take automobile drives besides the outland hikes in the vicinity. The annual outing will begin Sunday and last until August 24. About 20 have registered for the full time or a week of camp.

# K. of C. Plan Pioneer Event For August 17

Knights of Columbus of Marion county will hold a historical program at the Champong Sunday, August 17. The Knights are endeavoring through the program to give some recognition to the centennial of the first covered wagon to appear in the Rockies, in 1830.

The event will occur at the time when a special train, bearing 150 people, will be on its way from New York to Astoria to observe the Oregon trail anniversary.

# 7 Forst Fires Near Roseburg Said Incendiary

ROSEBURG, Ore., Aug. 7.—(AP)—Seven forest fires, alleged to be of incendiary origin, were reported today from the mouth of Little Canyon, 10 miles east of Kellogg in the western part of Douglas county.

The fires were reported to be burning slowly and were sent out from Roseburg expected to bring them under control tonight.

# Medford Man is Named on Board

A. R. Hodges, of Medford on Thursday was appointed by Governor Norblad a member of the Oregon board of naturopathic examiners, to succeed Dr. Virgil McMickle, of Portland. Dr. McMickle's term expired July 1. Prior to Dr. Hodges' appointment all three members of the board were residents of Portland.

# Here, There And Yon

## Bits of Personal News Gleaned About Interesting People

Floyd Steele of Medford was a business visitor in Salem yesterday on his way back home after a trip to Seattle. Steele is engaged in mining promotion in that section, and reported to interested parties here that he is getting ready to work some of the old mining properties out from Medford and in the Jacksonville area, included in his project is also some property which has never before been worked, but which holds considerable promise.

# PAVING CREW WILL END STAYTON TASK

The county paving crew working in the Stayton vicinity will finish a series of odd jobs in that district next Thursday, and following that will start pouring the hot stuff on the three-mile road between Turner and Marion, reports County Judge J. C. Sigmund. The judge and Frank Johnson, county roadmaster, yesterday morning visited the rock crusher plants at Marion and Stayton, and the paving plant at the latter place.

The haul from the paving plant at Stayton to the Turner-Marion road job will be a long one and will show up the condition accordingly. Judge Sigmund estimates it will take about a month to lay the permanent top. The two gravel plants are working at top speed.

# B. AND O. TO BUY CHICAGO AND ALTON

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—(AP)—The Baltimore & Ohio, it was announced today, has consummated plans to obtain control of the 1,000 mile Chicago & Alton railroad which has been in receivership since 1923, and is allocated to the B & O in the consolidation program of the interstate commerce commission.

A statement was issued by Kuhn, Loeb & Co., bankers, for the B & O saying the company had entered an agreement with the protective committee for Chicago & Alton 3 1/2 per cent bonds and other holders of large amounts of that issue and also holders of the General Mortgage 20-year 6s bonds. Since the road is in receivership, control rests with the bondholders. The statement confirmed recent rumors in financial circles.

# Whitlock Rites Said for Today At Silverton

SILVERTON, Aug. 7.—Death Wednesday night called Columbus Whitlock, 56, long-time resident of Silverton. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at the Methodist church at Silverton at 2 p. m. Interment will be made in the Silverton cemetery.

Mr. Whitlock was born in Silverton and spent practically all of his life there. He was the son of John Whitlock, Silverton pioneer.

Surviving Mr. Whitlock are his wife, Ella Whitlock, and three sons, John, Lester and Ray. The following sons and brothers also survive: Howard and John Whitlock, Silverton; Mrs. Joe Zimmerman, Silverton; Albert Whitlock, Lebanon; James Whitlock, Bend; Mrs. Lew Ames, Fallerton, Calif.; Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb, Salem.

# Commander G-M DYOTT in HUNTING TIGERS IN INDIA

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# MOB LYNCHES TWO NEGRO PRISONERS

MARION, Ind., Aug. 7.—(AP)—Two negroes held in connection with the fatal shooting here last night of Claude Deeter, 23, farmer, and an assault on his girl companion, were taken from the Grant county jail tonight and hanged on the court house square.

A mob estimated at 1,000 was dispersed in its first attempt to enter the jail, by their gas bombs tossed by sheriff's officers. It returned, however, broke in and removed Thomas Shipp, 15, and Abe Smith, 19.

Shipp was hanged from the base of a window in the jail building and Smith from a tree on the courthouse square. The mob remained on the square, apparently undecided as to action regarding Herbert Cameron, the third man held.

Deeter and his companion, Mary Ball, 19, Marion, had parked on a country road east of here last night when four negroes approached and ordered the youth to throw up his hands. Then they fired four shots at him after which one of them assaulted the girl. Deeter died in the county hospital today.

# SUMMIT HILL GIRL MOURNED BY MANY

CLOVERDALE, Aug. 7.—Late Monday afternoon word came from Corvallis of the drowning of Ruby Near Sunday. Miss Ruby was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Near of Summit Hill and will know here where she had grown from babyhood to a young lady.

She spent the winter in Salem at the home of her sister, Mrs. Nina Morton, and attended school there until entering the Turner high school winter.

She had gone Sunday to visit a brother and friends near Corvallis when the accident occurred.

All friends and neighbors extended the deepest sympathy to the family.

The funeral services were held at Corvallis' undertaking parlors Tuesday at 2 o'clock and burial at Belcrest park.

Fred Schifferer is reaping his grain preparatory to begin threshing in a few days. The Schifferer brothers are expecting a big yield this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Drayer recently of Salem have rented the Charles Kunkle place.

# Dalk Services Set for Today At St. Joseph's

Funeral services for Louis Dalk who was killed in an accident in Sulean, Calif., early this week will be held here today. The rosary will be read at 8 o'clock Thursday night at the Salem mortuary while requiem mass will be held this morning at 9 o'clock from St. Joseph's Catholic church.

The death of Louis was the second tragic death for the John Dalk family in a little over a year, another son having been drowned in the Abiqua river near Silverton a year ago last May.

Details of his death are unknown here, the only word being that he had been killed in an accident at Sulean while on a visit to his aunt, Mrs. G. W. Moening, of Los Angeles.

# AMERICAN WINS LONDON CONTEST

Construction of the proposed North Santiam highway would be an excellent move, Roy Klein, state highway engineer, told the Fraternes club in talking to the group last night on the past, present and future of the highways in Oregon. Klein pointed out that the North Santiam route would be constructed as a county project largely.

The highway engineer told something of plans for development of highway construction in this state, and also gave a comparison of mileage in this and other states, showing that Oregon is considerably ahead of other coast states.

The Fraternes club, which meets each Thursday at the Gray Belle, will hold a business session next Thursday night. Walter Fisher is president and Ray Miller is secretary.

# City Engineer Of Walla Walla Dies in Plunge

DAYTON, Wash., Aug. 7.—(AP)—W. R. Rehorn, Walla Walla city engineer, was fatally hurt, and Stanley Royster, his assistant, was gravely injured as their automobile slid down a hill and plunged over a 100 foot bluff four miles west of here today.

The wrecked automobile was found by a passerby, who pulled the men, both unconscious, out of the wreckage and summoned a physician. Rehorn died before reaching the hospital. Royster was believed to be near death.

# Mickey Mouse NOTES

Our new social starts this week, and what a mystery. It is called "The Fatal Warning" starring Helene Costello and Ralph Graves. The first episode is "A Midnight Mystery"—sound good.

Leo, M. G. M.'s roaring lion, will be in front of the Fox Elsinore for all you mice to see Saturday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock.

We have four new members on our Honor Roll; Allen and Velma Weinstein, Mary Ruth Ritter, 5th grade, and June Welch, 5th grade.

A real adventures picture this week starring Warner Oland in "Return of Dr. Fu Manchu."

A patriotic idea this time in Fanchon & Marco's "Cadets' Idea and Krasy Kat in "Alaskan Nights."

Last week we were entertained by one of our favorites, Pauline Zoo Chambers, who is from Barbara Barnes School of Dance.

We want more entertainment from our own club to do bits on Saturday matinees. See Chief Dow.

Our Chief Dow will be back this week so let's give him a big welcome.

I hear that you mice didn't learn one of the old yells so good while I was in Seattle, so I want all you mice to practice this: Rickety-ex Ditty-ex Ditty-ex Rickety-ex Ditty-ex Ditty-ex Lola Balow Lola Balow Mickey Minnie

What? Mickey Mouse Club. Where? Fox Elsinore.

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## SEE - HEAR LEO

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