

Local News Briefs

Joint Service Planned—A joint recognition service of the two Parrish senior high, Leslie and West Salem Girl Reserve triangles will be held at a later date it was decided yesterday when the committee met to discuss the idea. Final plans will be made at a meeting called for Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Presbyterian church, where the event will hold its first meeting since the holidays today, and will also work further plans for the event. Report on the mid-winter conference in Portland will be given before the high school group by Margaret Nunn, president; and Theresa Ulrich will report on the joint ceremonial committee meeting, which was held at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Gallaher.

See rental list—Becke & Hendricks on classified page, also in office window, 189 N. High.

Application to Grade—At the meeting of high school teachers following dismissal of school yesterday afternoon, Principal Wolf distributed application blanks to given seniors who plan to graduate this year. The blanks ask, beside name, course, and credits, whether the student expects to attend college, and if so when and where.

Answer Made—In answer to divorce complaint filed by his wife, Aesceneath McDonald, A. M. McDonald says she is not pregnant before she married him, and that she is a domineering, quarrelsome and abusive woman. She is 59 and he 69, the answer says. He asks that the case be dismissed. He also says she has money of her own.

Tree Across Road—The wind storms succeeded in felling one huge fir tree across the county road near the Clemens place at Hazel Green. The tree was reported to the county roadmaster. Another small fir fell across the market road between Turner and Aumsville, but did not hold up traffic for long. A crew was set to work removing the large tree.

Two Collar Ide Shirts \$1.95—Aaron Astill, 125 N. High St.

Approve Norblad—State institution heads, at the suggestion of Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner, superintendent of the Oregon state hospital, yesterday gave a vote of thanks to Governor Norblad, who has presided over meetings of the state board of control for the past year. The vote was given during the regular January meeting of the board of control.

Two Hurt—Mrs. W. P. Lessard and W. W. Lessard of Woodburn were injured slightly when the car driven by W. P. Lessard crashed into another which turned sharply without signaling, according to report filed with the sheriff yesterday. The accident occurred Sunday a mile north of Woodburn. Mrs. Lessard sustained bruises about the head.

Attends Realty Meet—J. F. Ulrich, local realtor, was in Portland the first of the week to attend the mid-winter conference of the Northwest Real Estate association. The principal address at the convention was given by W. A. Irwin of Astoria, president of the group. Mr. Ulrich, the only realtor present from Salem, gave a short talk.

Dollar dinner every night 5:45 to 8 at the Marion hotel.

Employment Report—Only 53 calls for help as compared to 277 applications for work were handed at the employment desk of the Y. W. C. A. in December, according to the report of Mrs. M. B. Wagstaff, employment secretary, made public yesterday. Fifty of the 53 positions were filled, 29 permanently.

On Idaho Trip—A. C. Bohrnstedt, local real estate man, left yesterday for a several days' trip to Ontario, eastern Oregon, and Caldwell, Idaho. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Browning of Chemawa and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Naffziger of Gerwas.

Walsh Elected—William Walsh, district attorney of Coos county and son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Walsh of 1029 North Cottage street, Salem, was elected vice-president of the Southern Oregon Fear Orchard association at its annual meeting held in Roseburg late last week.

Principals Meet—Senior high and junior high school principals held the first conference since the holidays yesterday with Supervisor R. W. Tavenner in charge. Plans for the new semester and schedule changes were chief items of consideration.

Gravel Company Wins—The Salem Sand and Gravel company has been given default decree and judgment in its case against Ed Hanfavage and others to quiet title on premises held by the company.

To Pay Suit Money—Order for defendant to pay plaintiff \$35 suit money and \$50 attorney fees was issued yesterday in divorce case of Ann M. Conner vs. Arch E. Conner.

Sale of Gossard Corsets continues all this week, Millers.

Reply Filed—Prudential Savings and Loan association has filed reply to answer of Blanche B. Huffman, defendant with others in a suit to recover money on a promissory note.

Motion for Default—Motion for default order was filed yesterday in suit of Lola M. Brown against Oscar W. Brown.

Births

Murrian—To Mr. and Mrs. James Lester Murrian of Valsets, January 5, a 19 pound boy, born at the Henderson maternity home.

Falls—To Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fultz, January 4, a six-pound girl, Joan Rae, born at the residence, 746 Mill street.

Escape From School—Two boys of 17 years each have escaped from the boys' training school in Woodburn. They are Ernest Diefenbach, who is of light complexion, has hazel eyes, is 5 feet 9 inches tall and weighs 135 pounds; Ralph Tremaine, 17, has the following description—fair complexion, hazel eyes, light complexion, brown hair, 5 feet 7 inches tall, weight, 150 pounds.

Forfeits Bail of \$500—Joe Pino, of Portland, arrested here on November 18 for transporting intoxicating liquor, failed to appear for his trial here, Tuesday, forfeiting his bail of \$500. The bailiff company of Portland which offered the money, is incensed over Pino's failure to appear and is clamoring for his arrest, according to the reports.

Boys' Leaders Convene—A mass meeting of the junior and senior gymnasium leaders and the junior board of the boys' division of the Y. M. C. A. will meet Thursday night at 8 o'clock for a business meeting and to hear the reports of the five fellows who attended the Bremerton leaders' conference last week-end.

Cash paid for fuel furniture, Imperial Fur, Co. Tel. 1142.

Approves pay—In view of attack last month of H. S. Merriam, district horticultural commissioner, on the Marion county fruit inspector, approval of salary and expense vouchers for December of S. H. VanTrump, county fruit inspector, is of passing interest. The vouchers were for \$128.75.

Selling Pictures—High school sale of student yearbook picture receipts has started, with the following handling the sale: Ruth Chapman, Ray Rhoten, Alva Malsels, Earle Carlin, Carl Collins and Jean Eastridge. Seniors pay \$2.25 for their receipts and freshmen and juniors \$1.75.

Report Accidents—William A. Brown of Hubbard yesterday reported to the sheriff that he bumped into a car driven by Lewis Passon of Hubbard when lights of a third car blinded him while driving on the Champeo-Donald highway. No one was hurt.

Breakfasters to Meet—Preparing for the regular Salem Breakfast club meeting at the Silver Grille of the Gray Belle Thursday morning at 7:45 the directors of the organization are to meet today noon at the Gray Belle.

Attends Meeting—Dr. L. E. Schmidt, president of the Marion-Polk-Yamhill county dental society, was in Portland last night to attend the meeting of the state executive board which is making plans for the annual convention to be held in May.

Chickens Stolen—Mrs. J. N. Meyer, 2191 Maple street, reports that 11 hens, four Barded Rocks and seven Buff Orpingtons, were stolen from her hen house Monday night after the lock was broken.

More Students—Two girls, sisters, entered senior high school yesterday as transfers from the Albany high school. They are Nora and Virginia Doney. Nora is a senior and her sister a junior.

\$900 Alteration Job—S. J. Butler was interested in building permit, Tuesday, to alter the two-story dwelling at 432 South High street. The cost has been estimated at \$900.

Meeting Tonight—The annual meeting and election of church officers of the Calvary Baptist church will be held at the church this evening.

Demurrer Sustained—Order sustaining demurrer has been issued in case of A. D. Canland vs. J. H. Campbell, a suit over accounts in a partnership.

Make Reservations now: Call 1945 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. today and secure tickets for the first annual banquet of the Salem Credit Men's association. This is to be held at the Marion hotel at 8:30 p.m. tonight.

Plaintiff Wins—In suit of E. M. Frink vs. B. W. Macy as administrator of the estate of Maggie Hester, money decree has been granted.

To Erect Garage—D. B. Cooley has taken out a building permit to raise a \$90 garage at 595 Belmont street.

Foreclosure Ordered—In case of J. H. Livesey vs. Lee Hing, foreclosure decree has been granted.

Joins Firm—Allen T. Fletcher has joined the sales force of the J. F. Ulrich company, realtors. Fletcher is a Salem man.

Motion to set Trial—In case of Vera Bonner vs. John Bonner and others, motion has been filed to set date of trial.

Complaint Dismissed—Order dismissing complaint has been granted in case of S. E. Purvine vs. E. C. Morris.

Estate Settled—Final order in estate of Peter Villiger has been signed by the probate judge.

"Y" Board Meeting—The Y. M. C. A. board of directors will meet Thursday noon.

Arlington Holds Lighting is Poor

Citizens of Arlington have filed a petition with the public service commission in which they alleged that the service of the Pacific Power and Light company is poor and irregular, and that there have been frequent interruptions in electrical current during the past few months. Similar complaints previously were received by the commission from citizens of Fossil and Condon, which also are served by the Pacific Power and Light company. It was said that repairs were being made by the company at both Fossil and Condon.

SOPHS LEAD ON ROLL OF HONOR

144 Students Announced at Senior High as Merit Making Scholars

One hundred and forty-four students made the senior high school honor roll for the second six weeks of school, reports Principal Fred Wolf. The sophomore class had 56 names on the list, the seniors 47 and the juniors 41.

High honors for the seniors went to: Celia Howard, Mildred Darr, Marian Corwin, Blanche Shepard, Mrs. White, Howard Steingrube, Myrtle Burk, Doris Howard, Fern Shelton, Ruth Chapman, Suzie Fukuda, Simpson Hamrick, Margaret Clark, Lee Ellemaker, Kathryn Sheldon, Harold Pruitt, Menakas Selander, Leo Chiglak, Russell Scott, Earle Reinwald and Eleanor Barth.

Senior honors were earned by Douglas Woodward, Claudia Townsend, Dorothy Jeanette, Ernest Emmerick, Cleone Casement, Bernice Tolman, Yvonne Raina, Helen Pierce, Pauline Routh, Wallace DeMarais, Parker Gies, Wallace Guthrie, Jewell Fitzpatrick, Ray Rhoten, Rex Rhoten, Norman Speck, Melvin Travis, Ernest Pearson, Cecil Schaefer, Howard Tomlin, Alfred Drager, Ingward Hansen, Judith Jensen and Dorothy Kellogg.

Junior Winners Listed

In the junior class, high honors were given: Edna Hurley, Ruth Kiser, Harlung, Wald, Mill, Martha Warren, Mary Kruger, Clyde Wiegand, Valmer Klampe, Hanna Eymann, Olivia DeVries, Marian Fisher, Josie Acklin, Louise Macklin, Thelma Gillette, Willis Goebel, Echo Stutz, Beatrice Johnson, Leola Hall, Lavonne Johnson, Helen M. Thompson, Marian Stone and Dalbert Jensen.

Junior honors were earned by: Theresa Ulrich, Jeryme Upston, Helen Keudell, Jessie Cooper, Kenneth Stuart, Beth Billings, Kenneth Morgan, Ralph Nelson, Arlie Dorrance, Velmer, Betty Strong, Ruth Falk, Ruth Cecil, Lewis Nelson, Eleanor Norblad, Edward Shoemaker, Elsie Ross, Margaret Smart, Alice Speck, Esther Black and Lois Snyder.

Highly-six sophomores took high honors as follows: Lorraine Becroft, Alvin Reed, Marlon Minthorn, Lucille Kelly, Alan Baker, Alice Boyington, Mark Gehlhar, Katherine Hayward, Helen Holladay, Nina Taylor, Dorothy Douglas, Martha Sprague, Herbert Johnson, Robert Johnson, Jean McElhinney, John Johnson, Mina Turner, Gwen Gallaher, Margaret Doege, Vesta Thompson, Douglas Sharp, Jane Robinson, Helen Purvine, Mildred Stevenson, Fern Dow, Charlotte McClary, Virginia Alderson, Cleo Ritter, Shirley, Lillian Galloway, Lillian Potter, Bob Read, Charles Perry, Lucy Klein, Frank Torusaki and Neal Carter.

Sophs on List, Too

Sophomore straight honors go to: Maurice Hudkins, Nadeen McWright, Josephine, Julia Lehman, Elva McCune, Violet VanLydegraf, Doris Hiday, Vern Davis, Kathryn Eaton, Teresa Murhammer, Mabel Lenz, Anoka Coates, Thelma Davis, Francis Lau, Vernon McQuaid, Marie Kerber, Theron Ashcraft, Elizabeth Smith, Harry Mohr and Laurence Morley.

Y. M. BOYS LEARN AT WEEKEND MEET

The Y. M. C. A. boys who were in Bremerton last weekend for the leaders' conference there, reported a good time and much learned that will help them in their physical department work. Those who represented the Salem Y. M. C. A. were Phil Bell, Fred Smith, George Fowler, "Jim" Nutter and "Bob" Parker.

Discussion groups were prominent in the two day conference. Demonstrations were made by Thor Erickson of Bremerton and Jack Stakson of Seattle for work in physical education.

The local boys took part in the athletic stunt program with Everett and Seattle. A tumbling act was put on by Salem, competing with high bar men of Everett and parallel bar men from Seattle. Although the prizes have not yet been announced as results, the local boys seem to think they stand high in the estimation of the judges, according to the physical department of the Salem Y. M. C. A.

Query About Skull Leads To Solution

Mystery surrounding part of a skull which was Monday picked up on the old Zercher farm south of Liberty was cleared up yesterday when a man living on an adjoining farm appeared at the sheriff's office with explanation.

The former owner of the farm, and husband of Mrs. Helen Zercher who lived on it until a few years ago was a doctor. The neighbor explained. The doctor had the skull in the house, the man said yesterday, adding that he had seen it there many times.

Then after Dr. Zercher passed away, the skull was moved to an outer building, where one day some children found it and were quite excited at its discovery. At that time, the neighbor man said he was called in, and he suggested that it be tossed under a shed floor to get it out of the way.

This was done, and there is stated until discovered recently by G. R. Bickell Jr. who brought the skull into the sheriff's office Monday. Bickell said then he had not investigated further, but he and his family thought there were probably more bones under the shed floor.

Toast Makers to Get Real Course in New 'Y' Class

A class in public speaking for business men and women is soon to be arranged for once a week under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. in its Court street building.

Special work will be done in the fields of toast-making, the answering of toasts, presentation speeches, presiding over business and pleasure meetings in addition to gatherings where music and addresses are given, introduction speeches, and other forms of talks.

This year's class will be the 10th annual class of its kind under the direction of the local association. The night of the first meeting has not yet been announced.

Lions to Hear Driller of Oil

First meeting of the Lions' club since the holiday season will be held at the Gray Belle silver grille Thursday noon, with an oil and gas talk scheduled. Sam Foster of Seattle, who is with the Northwest Oil and Gas association, will give the principal address. Mr. Foster is at present assisting in drilling of wells near Kirkcreeh. He has had considerable experience with oil wells, and has been interested in oil wells in Mexico and South America as well as in this country.

In these three classes it will be more convenient to make the change this term than at the beginning of the year next fall.

Book lists for the second semester are now being prepared at the office of the city superintendent.

VETERINARIANS MAY SMOOTH OUT FIGHT

A possible adjustment of the difficulties between the Marion county court and veterinarians of the county which has been issued by Dr. W. H. Lytle, state veterinarian. Dr. Lytle has asked all to meet on Friday, January 9 to consider a plan whereby an agreement may be reached.

The difficulties arose in regard to prices paid for herd tests all veterinarians of the county, with the exception of Dr. L. W. Simmons of Silverton, are reported to have stopped testing under the county fee plan. Lytle has proposed a plan to adjust this disagreement.

In his letter to the veterinarians, Dr. Lytle has stated that it is desired that the work be carried on as it was two years ago, with the veterinarians testing in the same territories that they tested in at that time.

Dairymen from all parts of the county have been active in the work of adjusting the difficulty. The county court refused early in the fall to raise the fee. Under the present plan the county pays 15 cents and the owner 10 cents per head but the veterinarians refuse to test for this amount.

BIDS SOON TO BE ASKED ON SANTIAM

The county court yesterday received word that bids on construction of the North Santiam highway will be advertised in three or four weeks. Word to that effect came by telephones from Engineer Farmer of the federal forest highway service. Farmer plans to go over the highway route today.

It is probable the contract will be let as speedily as possible after the bids are advertised, which means that work on the highway will get under way earlier than previously announced. This would afford another means of relieving the unemployment situation in the county.

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New Houseman Speaker Today At Rotary Meet

Salem will have its first opportunity to hear the new congressman-elect from the third district, Brigadier-General C. Charles H. Martin of Portland who will address the Rotarians today noon on "The Panama Canal."

General Martin was in command of the Panama Canal zone at the time he was retired for age limit. He selected Portland for his home.

He commanded a division in France and for his distinguished record was made a major general from the permanent list of the regular army. Introduction will be by Colonel Carl Abrams.

Obituary

Applaus

Peter Appleby of route 8 died in a local hospital January 6, aged 74 years; father of Mrs. Jacob Denny and Mrs. Edith Hinshaw, both of Salem; uncle of Ida M. and Pauline Denny of Salem, Mrs. T. E. Andrews of Mill City, Mrs. G. McMillan of Corvallis and Mrs. C. H. Armstrong of Medford. Funeral services Thursday, January 8, at 1:30 p.m. from the chapel of W. T. Rigdon and Son, Rev. W. G. Lienkaemper officiating. Interment Hayesville cemetery.

Adkins

N. O. Adkins died near this city January 5, aged 79 years. Funeral announcements later by W. T. Rigdon and son.

Lane

Jessie A. Lane died in this city January 6, aged 47 years; wife of Michael; mother of Francis and Robert; sister of Mrs. Eleanor Parton of Arcata, Calif.; Fred, Ernest, Wesley and Alfred Anderson of Corvallis and Walter Anderson of Lakeview. Reclination of the roary and prayers at the Terwilliger funeral home Thursday, January 8, at 7:30 p.m. Funeral services Friday at 9 a.m. from St. Joseph's Catholic church, Rev. Father Keenan officiating.

Frost

William Frost died at the residence, 1070 North 21st street, January 6, aged 75 years; husband of Belle. Member T. O. O. F. lodge. Funeral announcements later by the Clough-Barrick company.

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YOUTH HARD WORKER

Hug Avers Jazz-Loving Theory is Disproved LAD MAKES OWN FUNDS

"Modern youth isn't the joy-loving, jazz-stepping fellow he's cracked up to be," Superintendent George Hug declared in substance yesterday after a conference with a serious-minded high school senior who is making his own way, and who right now is badly in need of a job, part time, of any kind.

The youth in question came here last fall from another state and is entirely on his own. He, entered Salem high as a senior, and is looking forward to entering the Willamette university.

STUDENTS CHOSEN TO SUPERVISE GLEE

Committee members of the Willamette freshman class for arrangements of the 1931 Freshman glee, to be presented March 7, were announced Tuesday by Carl Marcy, director. The Freshman glee is one of the traditions of Willamette university. At this time, all four undergraduate classes are competing in the presentation of a song for the university. The compositions must be written in word and music by members of the competing class.

The committees announced are as follows: Decorations, Midge Hewitt, chairman, Geneva Breitkopf, Fred Blatchford, Kay Skinner, Frank Haley, Frank Pemberton and Harold Lamb; program, Marjorie Law, chairman, Audrey Tillman and Dan Hardy; platform, Charles Gianoli, chairman, Eugene Smith, Wesley Janke, Fred Blatchford, Percy Sweet and James Burdett.

The ticket committee is headed by Bon Briggs, who is helped by Melvin Zahry. Frank Childs is the chair committee; Ted Parker will act as head usher. The manager and presentation committee is Kathleen Fitzpatrick, chairman, and Billie Byars, George Douglas will be helped by Dick Upjohn in arranging the electrical part of the presentation.

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HILL PONDERSON WATER CASE SUIT

No decision is in sight on the test case over the charter amendment under which the city expects to take over the water system of Salem. Judge Gale Hill, who has the case under advisement, was here on regular motion day Tuesday but stated no decision was ready in the water case. He has really had the final papers in the case only the past few days, arguments having been followed by the submission of briefs.

It may be that an opinion will be ready on the 15th of the month. Judge Hill stated he would render decisions on some cases at that time; and it is thought that the water case findings may be ready by that time.

Originally brought as a friendly test suit the company intervened through a local taxpayer, making a serious attempt to knock out the amendment which would force new proceedings before bonds could be issued to take over the plant.

Landladies Told To be on Lookout

Landladies, if a suspicious-looking man, medium in height, heavy-set, dark hair, wearing a heavy overalls and a gray cap and carrying a thermos dinner pail, seeks food and lodging, be careful! He may be the same man who Monday took a room at a local boarding house, slept overnight, ate three meals, and then away on Tuesday leaving the landlady to pay the butcher, the baker, etc. His story was that he had just arrived in Salem from Oregon City and had a job at the paper mill.

Saving Big With State Printing Of Texts, View

Arthur Brock of Salem, member of the legislative interim committee to study state printing of textbooks for the public schools, will present a minority report to the legislature recommending that the plan be adopted in Oregon.

Brock said a majority of the committee membership would report adverse to the proposal. Members of the committee who favor state printing of textbooks are H. H. Weatherpoon of Elgin, Senator Colon R. Eberhard of LaGrande, James E. Scott of Milton, and Brock.

Brock contends that state printing of textbooks would save the citizens of Oregon approximately 40 per cent. He said it could be financed by a bond issue.

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