

PUBLIC INVITED TO VIEW PLANT

Last Word in Communication is Description Given By Those who Know

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has 28 positions and the rural board eight positions. Here again automatic devices are used to aid in perfecting the service. Those who vision a telephone operator with one eye on the clock in order that she may know how much to charge for long distance conversations are particularly interested in the "clockograph," an automatic clock device which registers the time length of each call.

Operators' Health Is Protected

Safeguards for the health of the operators are found in the ventilating system of the operating room, the comfortable rest rooms provided for the women and the fine lighting of the operating room. Every part of the building is kept immaculately clean and the equipment is in order at all times.

Department heads working with H. V. Collins, superintendent of the local plant, are Miss Hazel Cook, chief operator; Glenn Bacon, wire chief; and Fred H. Jenkins, chief of the test board staff.

C. E. Thompson, former manager of the Tillamook plant, has come to Salem with his family to act as assistant to Mr. Collins. Another assistant, Stanley Bacon, will arrive in a few days. Mr. Thompson has a nine-year-old daughter and a four-year-old son. These two make a total of 11 families that have come to Salem in recent months in order that the head of the family might work in the local telephone plant.

LAKE EWANA LAND CONTROVERSY EYED

Whether the state will take any definite action to acquire title to lands in the Lake Ewana lake district of Klamath county, as suggested by L. A. Liljeqvist, assistant attorney general, probably will be decided within the next few weeks, it was indicated at a meeting of the state land board Thursday.

Liljeqvist appeared before the board and explained that both the state and settlers had claimed title to these lands, but that the controversy had not been referred to the courts. Liljeqvist estimated that the lands were worth \$100,000.

The board authorized Liljeqvist to intervene in behalf of the state of Oregon in a proceeding initiated by the state engineer looking to the adjudication of the waters of the Blitzen river. There are approximately 150 claimants to these waters.

BUSINESS IS GOOD TO THE AGGRESSIVE

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in the public use of airplanes and autos, he declared.

Nater came to make the address by airplane. He is on a tour of advertising clubs up and down the coast. He makes his home in Los Angeles where he is vice president of one of the Banks of America in that city and in charge of advertising.

The club held its dinner meeting at the Gray Belle. President Gardner Knapp presiding. Numerous displays of advertising prepared and used in Salem during the last 12 months were attractively shown to the 60 people who attended the banquet.

OPPOSE WAR DEBT PAYMENTS TO U. S.

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war settlements in the light of changing money values, the resolutions committee began formulating a general expression in which the congress can record itself on how world business might be benefited. This will be acted on with others tomorrow or Saturday.

The president and Mrs. Hoover received the delegates and their wives this afternoon in the Blue room at the White House. Refreshments were served on the terrace.

Clues Reported To Officers in Splawn Search

Police continued Thursday to search for C. E. Splawn, 34-year old Salem resident missing since Monday night. Several bits of information came to the police and local newspaper offices but all proved futile when checked.

Several elderly men in the city were questioned but did not prove to be Splawn. Two or more reports came in concerning a man who has been selling pencils in the vicinity of North 18th street.

Splawn is five foot seven inches tall; he wore a dark hat and a dark suit. He had a full beard over an inch long and walked with a cane.

Valve and Ring Job Special This Week
CALL 7977 FOR PRICE
Reo Sales and Service
We Have Good Used Trucks and Cars

The Call Board

By OLIVE M. DOAK

Warner's Elsinore
Today — Mary Pickford in "Kiki!"
Warner's Capitol
Today — Bill Boyd in "Beyond Victory"
Hollywood
Today — Norman Foster in "It Pays to Advertise"
The Grand
Today — Victor McLaglen in "Not Exactly a Gentleman"

National "better music" week received one of the most delicate compliments yet to be given it when the string ensemble of the Salem Junior symphony orchestra under the direction of William Wallace Graham played two numbers from the stage of the Elsinore theatre between shows Thursday night.

An exceptionally large audience sat in rapt silence during the playing of the air from "Suite in D Major" by J. S. Bach, played with etched and smooth flowing harmony by the strings. Prof. Graham directed with sympathetic expression and brought out the beautiful simplicity and clear-cut beauty of this splendid number. The second number was a minuet, "Celebrated" by Luigi Boccherini and while not as beautiful as the first yet was very satisfying.

The play now at the Elsinore is "Kiki!" Mary Pickford is the tempestuous Kiki, a vixen-like little creature, and a chorus girl. She is in love with the manager of the show and he is in love with the leading lady. How Kiki sets about in her wild French fashion to "get her man" is a story which kept audiences watching intently Thursday afternoon and evening.

Entire Town of Brighton Held Poor Security

Mary does her same old whirlwind acts and beats up" on whatever comes in her way — everything and everybody save Reginald Denny, the love of her life. Reginald plays his part with exceptionally fine realism. There are many side episodes and supporting characters to draw any number of laughs in addition to the harum-scarum Kiki and her pranks.

Age and the plastic surgeon has dealt kindly by Mrs. Pickford Fairbanks and while her acting is not what it was once and her French accent is hardly that, yet she makes one of the most interesting pictures of the spring.

Revelations on Bank's Affairs Expected Today

Affairs of the Aurora bank, which was closed in February are expected to be revealed in justice court at 10 a. m. today when Dr. B. F. Giesy, Zeno Schwab and W. H. Phoenix will appear to answer to a charge of obtaining property under false pretenses.

The complaint is made by Edward Diller of Aurora who charges that through operation of the Willamette Valley Mortgage and Loan company, of which these men were officers, he was defrauded.

Dr. Giesy has entered a plea of not guilty but the others have made no plea.

Strawberries Ripe, Reported

ZENA, May 7 — The first ripe wild strawberry of the season has been reported here as being found by La Verne Holland, Zena school girl on April 30. The first to be found in 1930 was discovered by La Verne just a year ago to the day, showing that this season is similar to that of last year as far as fruit ripening is concerned.

WARNER BROS. Elsinore

NOW PLAYING!

Scampering in Steppies... Stepping in Step-ins...

KIKI THE GAY,
Captivating Madcap that will make your sides ache with laughter

MARY PICKFORD
A NEW AND GREATER **MARY - IN HER GREATEST SCREEN SUCCESS!**

KIKI

FOUR DIE WHEN BUS IS STRUCK

Crowded School Carrier is Wrecked, Score Hurt; Driver Didn't see

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had slowed for a switch and was traveling 8 miles an hour when it hit the bus.

The wreck was witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wicklund, who were driving behind the bus. Wicklund said he saw the train just before the crash, and heard the children scream, and then heard their cries drowned by the impact. He said the engine's whistle sounded just before the crash.

The injured were rushed to Mercy hospital and overtaxed its capacity. Those most seriously hurt were taken to the hospital in ambulances and the others were carried by motorists.

All Doctors in County Summoned

All the doctors and nurses in the county were summoned to the hospital and the teachers from the Fremont grammar school went to the hospital to help nurse the injured.

Fifteen children who were either not seriously hurt or unscratched were not taken to the hospital. All lived in the Bear Creek and Lakoside districts, just north of the city.

Confusion reigned at the scene of the wreck. Every physician and nurse in Merced was rushed to the crash and the cries of mothers and other relatives were mingled with the cries of the injured.

Seniors' Work In Offices is Shown Success

Apprenticeship work being done by seniors in the commercial department is meeting with approval of the temporary employers, reports Merritt Davis, director of the high school commercial department who has been checking up on 15 or 20 students who are already working in downtown offices.

M. Davis says there are a number of students still on hand who do excellent work and who will be glad to have the opportunity to work in a business or professional office half an hour each day for the experience it affords.

The free apprenticeship work is done the last few weeks of each year by members of the graduating class.

Godfrey-Primo Injunction Suit Comes up Today

NEW YORK, May 7.—(AP)—A boxing problem that may flare into a war between two of the strongest organizations in the game will be laid before the judiciary in federal court here tomorrow morning.

Risking the most severe penalties for the New York State Athletic commission closed out, Maximo Square Garden of Illinois will ask for a federal injunction restraining Primo Carnera from fighting Jack Sharkey under the promotion of Jimmy Johnston at Sbbets field June 19. Affidavits for both sides have been filed.

Dean Hewitt to Be Busy Giving Addresses Soon

Dean Roy Hewitt of the law school of Willamette university has a full speaking tour for the next eight or nine days. He is to be one of the speakers at the Y. M. C. A. annual meeting at Astoria.

'TWO GUN' MAN IS CAPTURED

Machine Guns and Tear gas Used to Dislodge Pair in Rooming House

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Bronx, who trapped Crowley on March 14 in an office building. Neither Duttiger nor Miss Walsh was wounded during the bombardment today.

Desperadoes Fire As Police Squads

After Crowley was located late today, detectives entered the rooming house and called for reinforcements when Crowley refused to answer their request to admit them to the apartment.

From vantage points in nearby houses guns were trained on windows of the room. Another order was given to the occupants to come out and bullets were the answer. Then police raked the windows with machine gun fire. Bullets chipped pieces of stone from the face of buildings across the street. The police returned the fire and for nearly an hour the neighborhood rattled with machine gunnery and pistol shots while the streets squads of police formed lines and held back crowds which sought to get within the danger zone.

After Crowley had been wounded detectives got close enough to him to warn him that unless he gave up quickly, he would be shot to death.

He yielded to the last warning, staggering into the hall where he collapsed.

Clarification Of Crime Laws Sought by Bar

WASHINGTON, May 7.—(AP)—Two leaders of the bar today urged clarification of criminal law and a better collection of crime statistics before the American law institute.

George W. Wickersham, chairman of the law enforcement commission, urged the institute to devote itself to a restatement of substantive criminal law adding the time was "peculiarly opportune" because of the approaching end of the work of his commission.

Scotch Thrift Doesn't Extend To Vocabulary

CHICAGO, May 7.—(AP)—That traditional Scotch economy didn't extend to the vocabulary. Professor Sir William A. Craigie of Chicago university revealed today he's been searching for words used by ancient Scots between the twelfth and seventeenth century—and after 13 years he's only got the a's complete. They will be published in June. Twenty four other volumes are to follow as part of a "dictionary."

MAIL ROUTE EXTENDED SCIO, May 7 — Effective May 18, Scio rural mail route number three is to be extended 3.8 miles, according to information received from the postal department in

SALEM'S ONLY HOME-OWNED DOWN-TOWN THEATRE

GRAND
FRIDAY - SATURDAY
NOT EXACTLY GENTLEMEN
with VICTOR MFLAGLEN
Fay Wray - Lew Cody
Three bold bad hombres who said nix on dames until—
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Legion Post to Entertain for Auxiliary Soon

Plans for miscellaneous entertainment for the American Legion and the auxiliary of Capitol Post No. 9 are being made this week by J. T. DeSney, chairman of the program committee. The two groups are to gather next Tuesday night at the legion hall in the Miller building. Following the program refreshments will be served.

Government to Ignore Smedley Butler Incident

WASHINGTON, May 7.—(AP)—The state department disposed of the second recent international diplomatic incident involving Major General Smedley D. Butler and decided to ignore what appeared to offer potentialities of a third incident.

Secretary Stimson announced a formal explanation submitted by Minister Bellegarde of Haiti in response to a request by the state department regarding remarks he was quoted as making about the marine officer in a copyrighted interview with the Washington Herald had satisfactorily closed the incident.

Laura Ingalls Plans Solo Hop

NEW YORK, May 7.—(AP)—Laura Ingalls, the first woman to make a round-trip coast-to-coast flight, today announced her intention of flying the Atlantic, solo, within a few months.

A private corporation will back her, Miss Ingalls said. She would not divulge the type of plane or the route.

TEACHERS ON VISIT VALSETZ, May 7—Mrs. Claude Brown, critic teacher for the first grade, Mrs. George March, second and third grade teacher, and Miss Nova Dallas, fourth, fifth and sixth grade teacher, returned from Monmouth, and Independence Sunday where they were visiting schools, to find the Vals sets school far in advance of those visited.

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BANQUET TO HONOR CHIEF OF BANKERS

Marion county chapter of the bankers' institute is making arrangements for a big banquet to be held Monday night, May 11, to honor Ben Aley of Denver, president of the American Institute of Banking. Mr. Aley will arrive here Monday noon from Sacramento and will drive to Portland after the banquet that night.

APPLE PLANT BURNS

HOOD RIVER, Ore., May 7.—(AP)—An apple packing plant, garage, barn and other buildings on the J. Okamura farm a few miles west of here were destroyed by fire today. Okamura estimated his loss at \$5000.

WARNER BROS. CAPITOL

TODAY - Gala North-West Premier Of The Funniest Farce Ever Filmed!

ANY TIME 25c KIDDIES 10c

GODS GIFT TO WOMEN FRANK FAY

Doors Open at 1:45 P. M.

— ALSO —
Oregon's Own World Champion EARL SANDE in "HANDY GUY"
MICKEY MOUSE CARTOON
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UNIVERSAL NEWS WEEKLY

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General Electric Research Triumphs Against! After years of effort, the perfect hot water service! Now you can enjoy all the comforts and conveniences of plenty of hot water for every purpose, day or night. For baths, shaves, dishes, housework, the laundry—just turn the faucet and there's the hot water! Absolutely automatic—you don't even have to turn the heater on or off.

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