

Local News Briefs

Four-Wheelers Fall—His four-wheel brakes did not function properly, threw his car sideways, causing a collision...

Those big black grapes now ripe at Fiala Vineyards. Cheaper than ever before. Bring boxes.

Regional Official Here—L. B. Bates, northwest regional physical director for the Y. M. C. A., will be in Salem today to confer with the local committees...

Dance at Hazelgreen Friday. Mrs. Banta here—Mrs. I. M. Banta of Forest Lake, Minn., is visiting with her daughter...

Full Clinic Held—Examination of eight preschool age children took up the full time of Dr. J. R. Backstrand in the regular Thursday morning clinic at the Marion county health center...

Many Teachers Register—An increasing number of teachers are daily registering their contracts and certificates with the county superintendent here according to Mrs. Mary Fulkerson...

Visits in Salem—Bert Thompson of Portland was a visitor in Salem Thursday. Young Thompson graduated from Willamette university and then went east to attend Iowa state college...

Seek Specialists—Ray L. Smith will leave Salem September 12 for Chicago where he will seek the advice of specialists there concerning his health. Mr. Smith is an attorney in Salem and also a member of the Willamette university law faculty...

Further Word—Later reports concerning the condition of Mrs. Ellen B. Kunev, who was injured in an automobile wreck in Vallejo, Cal., indicate serious fracture of the pelvis bones and internal injuries to Mrs. Kunev and very serious injuries to her son Ralph...

Fender, Bumper Damaged—Earl Simpson, 112 Union street, reported to the police yesterday that a fender and bumper on his auto were damaged when it was struck Monday by a car driven by M. J. DeLapp...

Milk Session Postponed—The meeting of the milk producers which was scheduled for last night, was postponed. R. W. Clarke, manager of the association, stated.

Pettyjohns Visit—Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Pettyjohn of Portland were in Salem visitors Thursday.

Cattle Sold—L. A. Thompson, Salmon River, Idaho, cattle raiser, who is in Salem visiting friends, reports that he sold three carloads of cattle on the Portland market this week...

Civil Exams Held—Civil service examinations for positions as assistant statistical clerks in federal government offices at Washington, D. C., were given to four applicants at the postoffice Wednesday by Joseph Benner...

Meet at Jason Lee—All officers and teachers of the intermediate and high school departments of the Jason Lee church will meet at 7:30 o'clock for a conference to outline the program for the new year...

Greenberg Passes Bar—The state supreme court announced yesterday that David H. Greenberg of Portland was among those who were successful in passing the state bar examinations held in Salem July 14 and 15...

Lindsay Moving—E. E. Lindsay, secretary of the board of higher education, has moved his family into the residence at 1381 State which he recently purchased. They have been living at 1740 South High...

Inspect Rural Routes—John H. Farrar, postmaster, and Arthur E. Giffard, assistant, drove over Salem rural routes yesterday afternoon inspecting five extensions which have been petitioned for. Final action on the matter will rest with federal postal department officials...

Obtain Decree—A decree calling for \$27 and costs and the cost was handed down yesterday in circuit court in favor of Hawkins & Roberts and against D. W. Maryin, et al. Twenty acres of land will be taken to secure the claim.

Get License to Wed—A marriage license was issued yesterday by the county clerk to Vernon A. Brown, Route three, Salem, and Martha J. Selby, Route three, Salem. He is 19 and a laborer; she is 18 and gave her occupation as housekeeper.

School Opens September 21—North Howell school opens September 21 and not September 14, a member of the school board yesterday informed the county superintendent's office here. Mrs. Minnie Beckett is principal of the school, a two-room one.

Gym Classes to Open—Gym classes for business men will open at the Y. M. C. A. next Monday. It was announced yesterday. The women's classes will open next Wednesday.

Here From Marshfield—Adam Donaldson, farmer in the Marshfield district, is a visitor here this week with his brother, Bernard Donaldson, salesman for the Rodgers Paper company.

Distributor Sues—The Western Dairy Products has brought suit in circuit court here, asking judgment of \$155.34 from B. S. Quinn, a customer to whom it sold goods.

FOOD POISONING HELD NEEDLESS

Botulism Causes, Methods of Preventing Told in Health Bulletin

The occurrence of food poisoning is entirely unnecessary and can be prevented if the proper precautions are taken, the Oregon state board of health declares in a bulletin just released. Botulism, which still takes many lives each year, results from improperly canned vegetables, notably string beans. What causes the various types of food poisoning and how they may be prevented is told in the bulletin...

There are, however, some persons who regularly process non-acid canned foods in an open water bath at 212 degrees F. This is a very dangerous practice and as long as it is persisted in there is always likely to be a recurrence of outbreaks of botulism. The total lack of botulism cases from commercial canning during the past six years speaks well for the efforts of the canning industry.

Unfortunately cases of botulism from home-canned food still occur. Home-canned string beans are the leading offenders. The spores of the causative organism of botulism can only be destroyed by sterilization in a pressure cooker. The toxin of botulism is destroyed through boiling and cases of botulism do not follow consumption of food which has been thoroughly cooked immediately before serving.

The greatest number of cases of food poisoning reported are not due to botulism but are due to the salmonella or paratyphoid bacteria involving the symptoms of gas, trinitis, sudden onset, nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain, diarrhea and rise of temperature. In cases of this kind the mortality rate is very low and recovery is fairly rapid. However, many of these cases are frequently and erroneously designated as ptomaine poisoning and not reported, we have no way of knowing the frequency of this type of poisoning.

Since rats, mice, and domestic animals harbor these organisms in their bodies this is always a possible means of infecting one's food supply. Food such as meat pies, scalloped fish and oysters, some salads, puddings, custard and cream pie filling are frequently the cause of illness owing to the fact that, in the process of preparing, insufficient heat is used to destroy the bacteria or their toxins. Such foods offer favorable conditions for the development of bacteria if inadequately heated and improperly stored after preparation.

Cooked foods should be heated to the boiling point, kept free from contamination, and if to be held more than a few hours, subjected to refrigeration. Soft cream fillings, ice cream, etc., offer very good culture media for bacteria. If such mixtures are not properly handled and stored, all such preparation should be kept in the refrigerator and protected from rodents and insects.

It is true that dirty or spoiled food may not of themselves cause illness, but tend to increase the possibility of food poisoning. In selecting or preparing food for the table reject everything that is unfit for use, remembering that clean, sound food freshly and thoroughly cooked does not cause food poisoning.

Alterations Planned—C. M. Roberts was issued a building permit yesterday for the alteration of a dwelling located at 1890 North Capitol street. The cost of the job is estimated at \$250.

To Portland—O. P. West, executive for Cascade area, Boy Scouts, and S. Douglas Hawley will spend today at Portland, accompanied by John H. Piper, Scout regional officer.

Under the Dome . . . Occurrences and Cause at the center of Oregon's state government

Not for publication. As soon as Hal E. Hoss saw this on a very important letter received at his office, he brought the message to this column. We are more than willing to scrub our red vermillion blood of the farm with the older departments.

We have a longing and a desire to be accepted into the fold, Mickle costumes, "to receive the password as well as the extended hand of fellowship. Far be it from me to suggest that you should tender us a reception—we might number you, but some of us do wear collars, and the remainder actually wear stockings."

In confidence Hoss informed the column that he was preparing a reply to the letter, in which he will agree with the suggestions, and that such a gathering of the clan will be proposed to all departments. Many do not know the different heads of state business, and this would be a good opportunity to say "Howdy."

And speaking of farms and department heads, some wisecrack in the capital remarked that "we have both a Steed and a Hoss on the payroll." The Hoss of course has been "broken" before, and the Steed is herewith introduced to readers. He is head of the state deaf school.

And also while on the subject, it was noted that for the first time yesterday a "dry" attended the state board of control meeting. Maybe that is what has been needed for so long, since most meetings have been far from dry. Walter C. Dry, new head of the blind school, was on hand.

HIGHWAY BOARD TO ROUTE COAST ROAD

The next meeting of the state highway commission has been tentatively for next Thursday in Salem, according to announcement made by Roy E. Klein, state highway engineer. A number of important matters will be considered at the meeting.

Probably the most important of these will be the selection of the route for the proposed short-cut highway from Portland to the sea. At the last meeting of the commission a large delegation of citizens appeared and urged the construction of two highways. These included the Vernonia-Hamlet and Wilson River routes. Other delegations argued for the Ridge and Wolf Creek roads.

Members of the commission announced at the previous meeting that a definite decision regarding the route or routes for the proposed cutoff highway would be made public within a week or 10 days.

Engineers who have been investigating the several routes for the past month were expected to file their report with the highway commission later this week.

BOTH MOORE WILLS ORDERED ADMITTED

More Testimony Heard as Involved Estate Case Proceeds in Court

The case of Grace Rebecca Taylor against Ennis D. Wait in connection with the estate of George J. Moore, advanced a step yesterday when Circuit Judge Hill entered a ruling admitting both the wills of George Moore and Rebecca Moore.

The admission of both wills was contested by the defense because of an alleged agreement between Moore and his wife which required that only one of the wills could be admitted to probate or their agreement would not be binding. Moore should have caused the probate of the estate of Rebecca Moore who died first, and this he failed to do, testified Hugh Ward, probate court clerk, and neither of the wills had ever been admitted to probate in this county, he said. The court overruled the contentions of the defense and admitted the will to probate.

Grace Rebecca Taylor, Brooklyn, New York, one of the three plaintiffs, niece of Rebecca Taylor, spent most of Thursday morning on the stand. She presented letters which she received from her aunt, Rebecca Moore, in which much of her family history was told and statements telling how she inherited \$4,000 and a portion of the present fortune over which the court fight is being waged.

The letters were for the purpose of proving that the money came from the wife's side of the family. The letters also established the relationship of the three nieces who are claiming the estate under the alleged agreements between Moore and his wife.

E. W. Macy, local attorney, introduced a number of letters from the stand which he received from George Moore while serving as Moore's attorney during a court fight over some wood which Moore refused to pay for. The letters were to identify Moore's signature.

In the wood case of Moore vs. Fresia, Moore was haled into circuit court for alleged failure to pay \$88 in court costs.

Huge Blast Set Off on Turner Aumsville Road

About 8000 yards of rock were jarred loose by a huge blast on the Aumsville-Turner market.

ENROLLMENT WILL BEAT PAST RECORD

The fact that 150 students over the peak enrollment of the 1930-31 period have already registered at the senior high school points to the largest body of students the school has ever had. R. W. Tavenner, secondary school supervisor, stated. Additional enrollments are being made every day.

Bridge Approach Concrete Poured

First concrete was poured yesterday into the forms for the south approach to the North Liberty street bridge. Walter S. Log, city street commissioner, said he introduced about seven days would be required for the city paving crew to complete the new 59-foot roadway at each end of the structure.

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