

# CHARITY PLANS ARE EXPLAINED

### Investigations Will not be Duplicated, Stated by Chairman McKay

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When an emergency case comes in, either the Army or Charities will simply use a requisition on Community Service to draw supply food and check to see that no duplication will be made later. Organization will be perfected soon.

No money is at present available for use, but within two weeks Community Service will be organized and functioning. The meeting yesterday was devoted largely to perfecting a working organization. The executive committee which will handle the disbursement of funds is: Douglas McKay, Ellis Purvine, W. W. Moore, T. M. Hicks, Harry Levy and Waldy Mills. The group includes representatives of the Salvation Army, the Associated Charities, American Legion and the business men. McKay said relative to the work of the Red Cross, that that body will work through its trained secretary, simply as a confidential agency for all charity.

An attempt to organize a confidential agency or clearing house was made last year, but was not successful. Last year Community Service raised \$3400 for relief, all solicitations being handled by mail. This year it is expected a larger sum will be distributed.

# BROSNAN LOOKS AT HIS BOOK'S LOCALE

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of The Statesman. He was keenly interested in meeting A. N. Bush, son of The Statesman's founder and one of the outstanding bankers of the state.

In a simple narrative style replete with facts and garnished with interesting anecdotes, Prof. Brosnan sketched the life story of Jason Lee before a good-sized audience at the Jason Lee church last night. Incidents not commonly known about him were related, particularly regarding his early life. Born in Quebec, just east of the Vermont line (the early settlers thinking they were in Vermont) Lee grew up without church or religious instruction. He was converted at the age of 23 by Richard Pope, an itinerant Wesleyan preacher. This conversion was for Jason Lee a deep and lasting experience which altered the whole current of his life.

Lee entered Wilbraham academy in Massachusetts at the age of 28 and there came in contact with one of the great leaders of Methodism, Dr. Wilbur Fisk, principal of the academy. In 1832 Mrs. Fisk read to Dr. Fisk the memorable passage in the Christian Advocate of the trip of the Indians to St. Louis and their need of the gospel. Dr. Fisk instantly picked up Jason Lee for the task. That was how Lee became the first missionary to the Oregon country. He joined the expedition of Nathaniel Wyeth in 1834, and shipped some of his equipment on Wyeth's boat the May Deers, and with Wyeth and party crossed the mountains over the winter to become the Oregon trail. At Fort Hall in Idaho Jason Lee conducted the first religious service held in the great northwest.

Prof. Brosnan told more about Lee's meeting Dr. John McLoughlin, his founding the mission station, his marriage, the death of his first wife, his trip east, re-marriage and later the death of the second Mrs. Lee, his contacts with the Whitmans, his founding Oregon Institute, and his death at the age of 41 while at his old home.

# CARLSON WILL AID LIFE SAVING WORK

Ralph E. Carlson, field representative for the Pacific branch of the Red Cross, arrived in Salem yesterday for a four day program of life saving and life saving classes in this district.

At 5:30 o'clock today he will confer with members of the girls' and boys' junior life saving corps and the Black Dragons, senior group, at the Y. M. C. A. relative to their plans for the winter months. Present plans are to organize a first aid class for these organizations.

While in this district Mr. Carlson will visit several towns in the county to promote interest in his type of work. Arrangements are being made to have him speak at the high school and possibly before the service clubs.

# SOVIET TROOPS ON BORDER MAKE STIR

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ing Japanese interests on the Tachan-Anganchi railway, the dispatches said.

The soviet government, through its war commissar, Klementi Voroshilov, denied recent reports that soviet troops were being mobilized on the Manchurian border. A dispatch from Peking to the London Express last week said, however, that soviet authorities, fearing Russia might be involved in the Manchurian troubles between China and Japan, had concentrated tanks on the border and were making precautionary preparations for the transportation of troops.

# TAGS ON GRUESOME TRUNKS



These baggage tags directed the shipment of two bloody trunks, filled with the mutilated bodies of Mrs. Agnes Leroi and Hedwig Samuelson, from Phoenix, Ariz., to Los Angeles. Their gruesome contents were discovered when a baggage man refused to release the trunks to Mrs. Winnie Ruth Judd and her brother, when he noticed blood dripping from the shipment.

# LIVELY ARMISTICE DAY IS PROMISED

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accepted at face value at all features of the celebration program including the theatres. The tickets will sell for 50 cents each. A portion of the proceeds will go into the Legion treasury.

In an effort to bring in residents of Marion and Polk counties for the two-day celebration, the publicity committee is distributing bumper strips and window cards announcing the event as widely as possible.

The large attendance at last night's fall booster meeting crowded McCormack hall to capacity. Besides celebration announcements at the brief business session, Waldy Mills, chairman of the service committee, reported that his group was working to aid unemployed veterans. One of their main activities at present is arranging for the veterans to obtain potatoes by digging them on the share plan.

Commander Irl S. McSherry was presented with a gavel bound with copper from the historic Frigate Constitution—"Old Ironsides"—and brass from a speaking tube off the Battleship Oregon. Donegan R. Wiggins and Joseph W. Marcroft made the presentation.

The matter of a post-season Williamsite university football game to be sponsored by the post was referred to the committee.

Because the next regular meeting of Capital Post No. 9 would fall on November 10, the beginning time of the celebration, the legionnaires voted to postpone it until the second meeting of the month, November 24.

Following the business session, the legionnaires were entertained by the Scotch Klite band consisting of Wallace Imsa, John Charge and Arthur Hutcheon and Andrew Henderson. Robert Hutcheon served as master of ceremonies and sang several solos. Refreshments concluded the evening's program.

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\$48 for the first 12-week term of classes which will begin next month and of \$70 for the second 16-week term was authorized.

The contract for furnishing hard wood to be used in manual training classes was awarded to the Gabriel Supply company. The bid of \$339.35 was considerably lower than last year's figure.

After considering routine bills, the board adjourned.

# WOMAN FUGITIVE IS BROUGHT BACK

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a three year term for burglary committed in Jackson county. She made her escape early that morning by slipping between the bars of a window in the women's ward on the third floor over the administration building, sliding down to the roof over the entrance porch with the aid of a blanket. From this roof she jumped to the ground on the outside of the prison enclosure. She was able to escape through the bars because of her unusually slight build.

Mrs. Plesek was received at the penitentiary on February 14, 1929, but in October of that year she was transferred to the Oregon state hospital, from which institution she escaped three times. She was returned to the penitentiary in July of this year. Her escape was witnessed by three inmates of the women's ward, who notified the night matron.

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# TAX CONSERVATION REPORT AVAILABLE

### Other Interesting Books Among new Arrivals At City Library

Tax reform enthusiasts will be interested in a new book just received at the city library, the 1931 report of the Multnomah county tax supervising and conservation commission.

From the list of 25 new books placed on the shelves during the past week may be found writings on lobbying congresses, hobbies, drama and other forms of literature, philosophy and education. Two of the important reference works added to the library collection is the 15th edition of Dyke's automobile and gasoline engine encyclopedia and the 1930 Oregon code.

The list of new books includes: Aldrich, "A White Bird Flying"; Baum, "Marlin's Summer"; Collins, "Yankee Under the Stars"; Fletcher, "Pops of the Cherry-Trees"; Walpole, "The Silver Thorn"; Oregon, "Oregon Code, 1930"; Dyke, "Automobile and Gasoline Engine Encyclopedia, 15th edition"; Hyde, "The Five Great Philosophies of Life"; Carnegie here fund commission, "Public Opinion for 1931"; Muller, "Lobbying in Congress"; Multnomah Co., Oregon—Tax Supervising and Conservation Commission, Annual report 1931.

Hodgson, "Trends in University Education"; Bowles, "Homespun Handicrafts"; Jessup, "Representative Modern Short Stories"; Williams, "Do You Know English Literature?"; Cornish, "The Mountain in the Sky"; Fuller, "White Peaks and Green"; Hodges, "Desert Poems"; Jeffers, "Dear Judas"; Cantfield, "Plays of the Irish Renaissance"; Carpenter, "A Book of Dramas"; Bolitho, "Camera Obscura"; Priestley, "The Baccaninnian"; Dorsey, "Man's Own Show: Civilization"; Cowan, "Range Rider".

# STATE HOSPITAL'S SURPLUS IS LARGE

A report of Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner, superintendent of the Oregon state hospital, shows that on September 26 of this year the institution had a surplus of \$60,992.97. Steiner estimated that the surplus at the end of the biennium would exceed \$100,000. The report was referred to Governor Meier by Henry M. Hansen, state budget director.

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# Reserve Officer Group Will Meet

Reserve officers of the Marion-Polk counties area will meet at The Spa at 7 o'clock this evening for their regular session and election of officers. Major Tierney, of the Reser's officers headquarters at Eugene, will speak on "Mobilization".

# The Call Board

By OLIVE M. DOAK

WARNER BROS. ELISINORE  
Wednesday—Lionel Barrymore in "Gully Hands."  
Friday—Max Clark in "Waterloo Bridge."

WARNER BROS. CAPITOL  
Wednesday—Nancy Carroll in "Personal Maid."  
Friday—Evelyn Brent in "Traveling Husbands."

THE GRAND  
Wednesday—Lewis Stone in "Father's Son."  
Friday—Joe E. Brown in "Broad Minded."

THE HOLLYWOOD  
Wednesday—Nancy Carroll in "The Night Angel."  
Friday—Ken Maynard in "Arizona Terror."

Just imagine—all the Mickey Mouse having a Halloween party at Warner Bros. Elsinore, Saturday afternoon at the Mickey Mouse matinee. Don't know if they will have old witches made of cheese or not, but I will find out for I have been invited to go and was assured that there had been plenty of food planned for all.

Most people are paid for what they know, but a personal maid is paid for what she knows how to keep quiet about, says Grace Perkins, the sensational new writer who has delved behind the modern scenes to bring "Ex-Mistress," "Night Nurse" and, now, "Personal Maid" to the reading and movie-going public.

"Personal Maid," the third of her sensational and revealing stories, will be seen today at Warner Bros. Capitol, with Nancy Carroll in the role of the red-headed Nora Ryan. Miss Carroll in this, her first starring picture since "Night Angel," is ably supported by Pat O'Brien, brilliant young stage actor; Gene Raymond, known to Broadway as Raymond Guin; the jolly old character player, George Fawcett, and Mary Bolan.

Monta Bell returned to the Paramount studio after a long absence to make "Personal Maid." "Young Man of Manhattan" was his last previous Paramount picture. "Personal Maid" tells the intimate story of a young girl, transported from an East Side tenement home to a ritzy New York apartment. It deals with what she sees and hears in the world of wealth, loose morals, high living, and what effect it has on her character.

Remember Robert Warwick, Ethel Clayton, Alice Brady, Montagu Love, Harold Lockwood and Crane Wilbur? They were stars of the public favor when Madge Evans began her film career with the old World Film company when she was six years old.

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# GRADING OF ROADS IN COUNTY HALTED

### Caterpillars all in Shed; Six Rock Crushers are Still in Operation

Marion county's road grading program for 1931 is formally at an end with the return of the last of the four 60-horsepower caterpillar tractors owned by the county to the machine sheds here. Three more weeks of rocking the roads remains, Frank Johnson, county roadmaster, said yesterday. Ten thousand yards of crushed rock remain to be placed on a number of projects yet unfinished.

Six crushers are still operating in the county. They include one at Victor Point which is crushing work for the Silver Falls road; one at Silverton getting out rock for the Abiquam road; one at the Looney place preparing rock for the Aumsville road and one at Oder Point preparing rock to be used on the road being constructed north to the Silver Falls area.

Two county owned and operated crushers are still active, one at Stayton and one at Marion, ready going on the Stayton to Sublimity road.

The 1931 road program nearing completion is one of the largest ever undertaken by the county, Johnson said.

Just how much winter work will be afforded by the county Johnson was unable to state yesterday. He indicated that most of the work would be provided by the state highway commission. The North Santiam clearing project, seven miles to be made ready for grading south of the White-water creek junction, will employ some men, Johnson said, although the work will be under supervision of the federal forest road officials. In the county some brush will be cut along roads and there will be some miscellaneous ditching of roads already built.

# Building Plans Will be Talked

A special committee of directors of the Oregon Pulp & Paper company will meet as soon as possible.

latest role with Lionel Barrymore in "Gully Hands," which will open today at Warner Bros. Elsinore.

W. S. Van Dyke directed the new feature for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer from Bayard Veiller's latest mystery drama, written directly for the talkie screen.

Included in the cast are Kay Francis, William Bakewell, C. Aubrey Smith, Polly Moran and Alan Mowbray.

Weds. Thurs.

## FATHER'S SON

Friday Saturday "Broadminded" with JOE E. BROWN

## GRAND

A HOME-OWNED THEATRE

# GRANGERS OBJECT TO TAX VALUATION

### Revaluation, for tax purposes, of all property in Klamath county, was urged by a group of prominent grangers of that district who appeared before the state tax commission Monday.

The grangers alleged that the present valuations were unequal, and that real property was carrying the brunt of the tax burden. A petition presented to the tax commission charged that the valuations of timber, lumber, lumber products and mills had been reduced more than \$5,000,000 during the past few years, while during the same period the taxable valuation of other classes of property had been increased.

It also was alleged that the county assessor, in placing the true cash value upon timber for taxation purposes, has insisted upon a timber cruise certified to him by the county court, and has not properly nor correctly calculated the amount of lumber, logs and shooks on hand in the mill yards.

The petitioners advised the tax commission that neither the county assessor nor the county board of equalization requires or has required milling companies to produce any books, records, papers or documents, whereby the true cash value of their mill might be determined.

In competition with 24 entries from four states, the three-gallon sample of ice cream submitted by the Deluxe Ice Cream company of Salem Monday won second award in the dairy products show at the Pacific International Livestock Exposition in Portland. The local concern's entry was only 0.5 of one point below the winner, Meadowmoor Ice Cream company of Everett, Wash., which scored 96.

The Deluxe company is owned and operated by the Salem Milk Ice Cream company, H. E. Duke is superintendent of the plant. Creamery concerns representing Oregon, Washington, California and Utah entered the competition.

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# CHRISTMAS SEAL INSTITUTE LOOMS

### Mrs. Saidie Orr Dunbar to Be Principal Speaker Here on Thursday

Mrs. Saidie Orr Dunbar, executive secretary, will be the main speaker at the Christmas seal institute, October 29, at the chamber of commerce. Homer Chamberlain, director of public information, will also speak. Among the features of the program will be a luncheon at the Gray Belle, followed by a newsreel which will be shown shown at the Capitol theatre. Five counties will be included in the meeting: Lane, Linn, Polk, Benton and Marion. All organizations or persons interested in health work are cordially invited to attend.

The following program has been arranged:  
9:30—Registration.  
10:00—Round Table and Demonstrations.

- Topics:
1. Planning the 1931 Seal Sale.
  2. Exhibit of 1931 materials. Publicity. Motion Pictures. Posters. Radio Addresses.
  3. Mail Sale Letter.
1. The Story of the Tuberculosis Christmas Seal.
  2. Twenty-five Years of Public Health Work.
  3. The 1932 Goal.

# PAIR CONVICTED

BALTIMORE, Oct. 27—(AP)—Dale Lambert, 19, and Herman W. Duker, 21, the latter scion of a prominent Baltimore family today, were found guilty of first degree murder in the slaying last April of John W. Anderson, milk company collector, during a holiday attempt.

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