

Local News Briefs

Students Have Busy Week—Basketball tournament time out of the way, Salem high school students this week will be kept busy attending the 17 meetings scheduled for the activity periods. They are as follows: Tuesday—Girls' League in assembly, S. Club, Future Craftsmen of merit, boy's double quartet, and radio, slide rule, chemistry and astronomy sections of science club; Wednesday—home economics club, science club, Latin club, commercial club and girls' double quartet; Thursday—junior class meeting in assembly; Friday—Clarion staff meeting and glee club.

Phone 6192, Day & Niles—New feature, Cycle Service, Inquire.

Alley at Banquet—To give persons interested in the peace movement an opportunity to question Alden G. Alley, speaker at the First Methodist church at 3 o'clock tonight, the local committee of the national council for prevention of war will hold a no-host dinner at the Y. M. C. at 8 o'clock tonight. The gathering will be in the nature of a round table discussion, with no formal address. Reservations for the dinner may be made before 10:30 o'clock this morning by calling 9117, 5699 or 7169.

Boy Going Home—After being confined in a local hospital for a week and a half suffering from fracture of the skull, Ralph Campbell, 13½-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Campbell, 324 North Capitol street, Wednesday will be removed to his home in the care of a nurse. On Friday he underwent an operation to relieve the brain condition which caused him to remain unconscious for several days. He was struck by a passenger train at 15th and Market streets a week ago yesterday.

Four Accidents Reported—Four motor vehicle accidents were reported to city police over the week end: R. C. Magee, 1696 North Capitol, and G. W. Hunt, 1185 Market, at Commercial and Center; E. W. Achilla and an unknown motorist, on Marion between Church and High; M. L. Cantwell, 240 Marion, and an unknown motorist, at High and State; A. M. Jacobs, route 1, and William A. Webber, Portland, at Capitol and Erixon.

Announcement! I will, for a few days, make you a new spring suit for \$35. All work done in my Salem shop. Fit, linings and tailoring of Mosher standard. D. H. Mosher, 474 Court st.

Easter Program Today—The Easter period will be observed at the Kiwanis club this noon when Rev. E. V. Wilson, pastor of the United Brethren church, speaks on "The Significance of Easter." The Knight Memorial Congregational church trio will furnish special numbers. Members of the trio are Harriett Adams, H. C. Stovore, Bennette Edwards and Donald Allison, accompanist.

Linden in City—Edgar Linden, manager of the Spaulding Logging company's plant at McMinnville, was in Salem as a business visitor at the capital yesterday.

Obituary

Henry—At Chico, Cal., March 18, William W. Henry, 77, survived by widow, Cora A. Henry of Salem; two sisters, Mrs. G. A. Schulenburg of Newport and Mrs. Anna Smith of Chico; brothers, Peter Henry of Chico, Dr. A. J. Henry of Myrtle Creek, Neil and George Henry of Wisconsin, Harry H. Henry of Los Angeles, and several nephews and nieces. Funeral services from the chapel of the Clough-Barrick company Tuesday, March 22, at 1:30 p. m., Dr. Grover C. Birchett officiating. Interment in I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Race—In this city, March 20, Earl Race, 86 years, seven months. Survived by widow, Mrs. Euphemia Race; one daughter, Mrs. Helen Harris of Albany; two sons, George S. Race of Portland and Morris Race of Salem; two grandsons. Funeral services from the Clough-Barrick company chapel Tuesday, March 22, at 3 p. m., Prof. Matthews of Willamette university and Rev. W. Earl Cochran officiating. Interment City View cemetery.

Jensen—At the residence, 860 Trade street, Sunday, March 20, Ruth Florence Jensen, aged six months. Survived by parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jensen; sister, Flora, and brother, William. Funeral services will be held from the Clough-Barrick company chapel Thursday, March 24, at 1:30 p. m., Adjutant Parsons officiating. Interment in I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Keith—Jessie Keith, aged 47 years, died in this city March 21. Remains accompanied by the widower, will be forwarded to Portland by the Terwilliger funeral home, 770 Chemeketa street, for funeral services and interment.

Southern—Funeral services for Marion E. Southern, 1812 North 20th street, were held yesterday from the Terwilliger funeral home, 770 Chemeketa street. Interment was in the Odd Fellows cemetery.

Belcrest Memorial Park—A PARK CEMETERY WITH PERPETUAL CARE. Just Ten Minutes from the Heart of Salem.

POISONING SCHEME CHARGED TO NURSE

Mrs. Mina Foltz Arrested in California, may Be Extradited

Affidavits on file in the office of Justice of the Peace Miller Hayden yesterday threw further light on news dispatch carried in Sunday morning's Statesman telling of arrest in Redding, Calif., of Mrs. Mina Foltz. She is accused of attempting to poison Mrs. J. J. Donaldson of Woodburn.

Mrs. Foltz was arrested on criminal information charging attempt to kill or injure by means constituting an assault, by administering poison. The information, filed Saturday, was not issued until affidavits supporting the charge were filed by both Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Donaldson. Infatuation is Blamed for Act

The alleged attempt took place November 4, when Mrs. Donaldson was recovering from an operation, during which time Mrs. Foltz was her nurse. The affidavit filed by Mrs. Donaldson indicates that she could not at the time find reason for the nurse giving her the dosage, but that she later discovered the nurse had become infatuated with her husband, and that for that reason she attempted to do away with the wife.

This discovery was apparently completed only a few days before Mrs. Donaldson made complaint to the justice of the peace, who requested that she file affidavit because of the seriousness of the charge.

Mrs. Foltz, the affidavit of the injured woman says, left her house immediately after administering the poison and did not appear there again. She has been in Portland recently.

It is said that Mrs. Donaldson learned the defendant was planning a trip to California, and with this knowledge filed the affidavit Saturday in attempt to have officers catch her before she got over the line. However, not in time, and before Mrs. Foltz can be returned here the usual extradition proceedings will have to be carried through.

The affidavit of Mrs. Donaldson sets forth that the nurse took the poison, lysol, from a bottle different in size from her regular medicine bottle, and from a well lighted room and that she put a larger quantity than of the medicine in the lomon juice in which her regular medicine was taken.

Mrs. Donaldson says she immediately spat out the liquid, but not until it had burned her internally.

Donaldson Also Makes Affidavit

A second affidavit supporting Mrs. Donaldson's claim was filed by J. J. Donaldson, who says in part that the nurse gave him some narcotic or drug in preparation of his food "both during the time she made the attempt to poison my wife and for some time thereafter. He says further that the "woman in some manner had undue influence over me; that she has continually attempted to poison my mind against my wife and from her conversation I know and feel she has a criminal inclination toward her so she might put her out of my life."

Mrs. Foltz's bond has already been set at \$5,000. The charge which she faces carries all the way from three to 15 years imprisonment.

Republicans of Precinct 13 to Gather Tonight

To elect a representative to the republican assembly to be held on April 9, a meeting of all registered republican voters residing in Salem precinct 13 will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at McKinley school. Cecil L. Edwards, precinct committeeman, announced yesterday.

Births.

Hagen—To Mr. and Mrs. George C. Hagen, 3015 North Fourth street, a girl, Mildred Pearl, born March 16 at the residence.

Burgess—To Mr. and Mrs. James Mathew Burgess, 378 Richmond street, a girl, Kathleen Gould, born on March 12 at Salem General hospital.

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Coming Events

March 16-19—Oregon state basketball tournament.
April 7—Third District conference of State Federation of Women's clubs, all-day session at Salem Women's clubhouse; Salem Woman's club, hostess.
April 9—Banquet of Oregon Friends' Christian Endeavor societies.
April 11—Grand chapter, Royal Arch Masons.
April 12—Grand council, Royal and Select Masons.
April 13—Grand commandery, Knights Templar.
April 15-21—North Pacific district assembly, Church of the Nazarene.
April 24—Salem district institute, Evangelical church.
May 1-8—Music week.
May 5-9—Young People's and Women's Missionary State society, Free Methodist church.

SUNRISE SERVICE IS EASTER EVENT

Young People's Groups to Sponsor Observance, Belcrest Park

An Easter morning sunrise worship service will be held next Sunday at 6 o'clock at Belcrest Memorial park, under auspices of the young people of the Salem churches. The address will be delivered by Rev. Grover C. Birchett. The youth and older people of more than a hundred churches in Marion and Polk counties are expected to participate.

Cooperating groups include member churches of the Marion County Christian Endeavor union, the Salem district of Methodist Youth, and several individual churches: First, Calvary and Temple Baptist, American Lutheran, Nazarene and First Congregational.

If the weather proves unsuitable to outdoor program, the meeting will be held in the First Presbyterian church of Salem.

The complete program as planned by the executive committee is as follows: Sacred music broadcast through loudspeakers; songs led by Rev. W. Earl Cochran, "The Old Rugged Cross," and "Christ Arose"; invocation by Rev. Hugh B. Youke, Jr.; reading, Miss Beulah Graham; music, a male quartet; address, Rev. Grover C. Birchett, and benediction, Rev. David J. Howe.

Local Workers Number 10,740 Census Reveals

Gainful workers in Salem, total 10,740, according to the 1920 census, figures of which have recently been released. In the professional class teachers lead, 259 women and 48 men being employed in this line. Waiters are numerous, 29 men doing this type of work and 106 women. Twenty-four people in the city list themselves as actors, 21 being men and three women.

Three men reported that they were trained nurses. Women doing this work totaled 82. There are 63 men physicians and surgeons in the census and five women, 24 firemen, 30 policemen, 56 ministers and 56 teachers of music. Two of the clergymen are women.

Tourist Traffic Outlook in West Held Best Ever

Portland with 102 conventions scheduled during 1932 expects a per capita expenditure of \$14 for each citizen in the city from the aggregate outlays of his visitors. E. Taylor, general passenger agent for the Southern Pacific company, said Monday while in Salem on business. The outlook for passenger traffic this summer is one of the best in the company history.

Up and down the coast the special events to attract visitors are numerous. Included are the Legion convention in Portland, the Shrine convention in San Francisco, the Rotarian national meeting in Seattle and the international Olympic games in Los Angeles.

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VETERAN EMPLOYEE OF CITY RETIRING

Walter Low on Present Job 16 Years, was Chief of First Paid Firemen

Walter S. Low, who last night tendered his resignation as street commissioner to the Salem city council, to take effect April 1, has served in that capacity longer than any other man, and has had charge of operations in that department in magnitude far in excess of any predecessor. The work performed under his supervision will stand as a monument to his faithful and painstaking oversight and his honesty. He came in and will go out with clean hands and a clear conscience, and with a spotless reputation for those sterling qualities of a model public servant.

Walter Samuel Low was born in Jacksonville October 3, 1862. He was brought to Silverton by his parents when a year old, and remained until he was 12, and then made his home on Howell prairie for nine years. Since that time he has been a resident of Salem. He was long engaged here in the livery and truck and dray business. He early became a member of the old Tiger engine company and retained his affiliation with that fire fighting outfit for a quarter of a century, through many tournaments and innumerable calls to service. During the last 11 years of the volunteer fire department he was chief. He served in that capacity the first year of the Salem paid fire department. He was also for seven years a member of the city council, from the Fourth ward.

In the old days called "the bloody fourth" more in admiration for his loyalty in contending for what its residents thought the right than in blame for their fighting qualities.

On April 1, Mr. Low will have served for 16 years and three months as street commissioner. He took office January 1, 1916. Nearly all the paving of Salem's streets and alleys has been done in that time. During several 12 month periods the record has run above 100 blocks. He has worn out three paving plants. All the equipment has been renewed during his time. The annual repair work of late years has been as much as the whole paving record of most years before he took charge.

Mr. Low has earned a rest, and he will take it, for an indefinite time at a home he has prepared on the coast, whither, with Mrs. Low, he will go soon after the first of April, and where he will have continuing employment in making improvements to their property to keep his muscles hard, without the wearing duties that have been his for so long.

ROCHE IS FINED AS CRASH AFTERMATH

DALLAS, March 21—(Special)—A Ford sedan driven by Ray T. Roche, Portland, ran into a Ford roadster belonging to Charles Frack of Dallas at 1 o'clock Saturday morning, resulting in the almost complete wreckage of both automobiles.

Frack's car was parked in front of the Beebe home on the Salem-Dallas road about three or four feet off the pavement. There was no one in the roadster at the time of the collision. Six people were in the Roche car, three men, two women and one child. None of the occupants were injured except for slight bruises.

State Officer Winter and Chief of Police Neufeldt of Dallas investigated the scene of the accident shortly afterward and discovered two gallons of wine dished near the car. Winter took the group to Dallas, where he preferred charges of reckless driving and possession and transportation of liquor against Roche. The others were not held. Roche appeared before Justice of the Peace Gregory Saturday afternoon where he was fined \$50 for possession of liquor. All the other charges against him were dropped.

PERLICH ACCUSED OF RACKETEERING

Ben Ferlich, Eugene grocer, and former Salem butcher, has been arrested at Eugene on charge of participating in organized racketeering, according to a Eugene newspaper. The article states that Ferlich has counter charged that officials are blundering in an attempt to make a sensational case.

Specific charges filed against Ferlich by District Attorney King of Lane county are that he attempted to obtain money from James Lovelace, a former employe by accusing him of larceny by embezzlement, and offering his leniency if he paid \$1125. Ferlich's defense is that an agency obtained proof of peculations while Lovelace was a clerk in his store, and that Lovelace wrote a confession admitting the theft of \$1125.

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Reading Survey Tests Given to Class at S. H. S.

For the annual county reading survey, R. W. Tavenner, Salem high school assistant principal, yesterday gave the tests to students of the sophomore class. The same tests will be given during the remainder of the week to sixth grade pupils of the city.

Under the Occurrences and Comings at the center of Oregon's state government

SPRING is here in all its glory, the basketball tourney after a highly successful season is over the stars and near stars have departed to their homes in various parts of the state, politics is beginning to warm up, and Under the Dome is back again. Now that's off our chest, we can start in anew.

There have been many inquiries as to what had happened to our column the past few days, all for which we are grateful. Your correspondent stopped aside for that highly interesting column "Field Goals and Personal" on the basketball tournament, which was the all-important event locally last week end. But we return to the ranks again today.

Several persons among the state house crew went to the extent of ascertaining whether the "Dumb Column author" was sick, fired or out of town. The answer to the first is in the negative, to the second—uncertain, and as to the third, partly right. The highway commission meetings in Portland still lure newshounds.

A face, almost a strange one, appeared at the capitol building yesterday, but was never seen before. Since he could not raise the money to pay his fine he was placed in the county jail.

In another case before the court Saturday, C. P. Allen of Corvallis was fined \$50 on a charge of driving with four in a coupe, and for possession of liquor. He was arrested last night by Officer Winter.

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When the results of testing both groups are compiled, they will be compared to determine progress made in reading from the sixth to the 10th, or sophomore, years of school. The tests are on the basis of speed in reading and comprehension of subject matter.

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FUNERAL FOR RACE TO BE HELD TODAY

Civil war Veteran, Former City Recorder, Passes Away Here Sunday

Funeral services for Earl Race, civil war veteran, who died here late Sunday afternoon after a serious illness of five weeks, will be held here on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Clough-Barrick company funeral parlors, Prof. James T. Matthews and Rev. W. Earl Cochran of Calvary Baptist church will officiate. Interment will be in City View cemetery.

Race was born August 20, 1845, at Mineral Point, Wis., and lived there until the outbreak of the civil war, in which he enlisted at the age of 16 with the second regiment of Wisconsin volunteers, serving until 1863. At the close of the war he came west by wagon train to Idaho where he lived until 1889, at which time he moved to Albany, Ore. In Albany he was owner and manager of the St. Charles hotel.

In June, 1892, he was married to Miss Euphemia Crosssett, a school teacher in Albany, and a former native of Michigan. Later she taught several years in Salem, including the Park and East schools.

In 1892 the couple came to Salem where Race went into business as a partner of the firm of Jody & Race, insurance company, which was in business here for several years. In 1917 he became city recorder for Salem, continuing through three terms in office and retiring in 1923. He was an unsuccessful candidate for mayor of Salem against T. A. Livesley in 1926.

Surviving him are his widow, Euphemia; two sons, R. Race of Portland and Morris Race of Salem; one daughter, Mrs. Helen Harris of Albany.

11 Citizens Put In Street Plea

Eleven citizens residing in north Salem would have Gaines street between Church and Cottage paved with six-inch concrete 30 feet wide, they state in a petition presented to City Recorder Mark Poulsen Saturday. Signing the petition were: C. E. Albin, R. N. Olson, Mary F. Fane, Enoch Zimmerman, Fannie Zimmerman, Mrs. Ralph Olson, Bernice J. Lane, A. C. Lane, J. A. Brownson, William Gahladort and Margaret M. Huffman.

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