

Local News Briefs

Clayton Reenlisting—Thad E. Clayton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Clayton, 1855 South 19th street, who enlisted in the U. S. army in February, 1930 is now stationed at Ft. McDowell, Calif., awaiting reassignment, according to word received here. Private Clayton served in the coast artillery, Hawaiian department, for three years. He enlisted in the service that he might study in the army vocational schools, he says.

Lewis Goes South—James Lewis, warden of the Oregon state penitentiary, left Saturday for California where he will make an inspection of the dining rooms in several penal institutions. The inspection was ordered by the board of control in connection with proposed improvements at the Oregon prison.

Spa chocolates for Mother's Day.— Move to Portland—Mr. and Mrs. F. Phillips of 1139 Madison street are moving to Portland Monday. Mr. Phillips has been employed by the Salem-Portland freight line in Salem for the past four years. He will continue with this same company in Portland.

Real pewter values on sale Monday.—See Pomeroy & Keene windows today.

Kells in Portland—C. A. Kells, Salem Y. M. C. A. secretary, spent yesterday in Portland attending a committee meeting preparatory to the state child health conference to be held here on May 2. He is state Y. M. C. A. representative on the character building agencies of an athletic nature.

Kidnapped furs need no gold storage.—Call City Cleaners, 6897.

Roads Unchanged—Cost and amount in roads in this vicinity remain unchanged last week, according to information from the Oregon State Motor association office here. Last word was that the Salmos river cutoff is in good condition. For the most part the Silver Creek falls loop also is good.

Fine water, fine homes—In this district all lots reduce. 20% North Seventeenth Street addition. Lots now \$200 to \$350. Terms. Pick yours out now. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High street.

Builders to Meet—Directors of Salem chapter, Oregon Building Congress, will meet in the directors' room of the United States national bank building tomorrow night. Further discussion will be held concerning awarding of Salem contracts to local contractors.

If you wish we can mothproof your garments in your home with permanent Kildew method. City Cleaners, phone 6897.

Secure License—Earl D. Standley, 35, of Turner, received a license yesterday in the county clerk's office to wed Gladys Hall, 22, of Turner. He is a laborer; she is a domestic; the wedding is his first and her second. Rev. W. S. Burgoyne was to perform the ceremony.

Your money's worth . . . and more. For real fit, unexcelled tailoring and outstanding fabric try a Mosher tailored-in-Salem suit at \$32.474 Coat.

Tax Determined—The inheritance tax to be paid the state of Oregon by the estate of the late Mary E. Brewer has been set at \$1657 according to a report made Saturday in probate court here. The appraised value of the estate, the chief property of which was a downtown building in Salem, was set at \$34,367.

For sale, good used furniture. Call 745 Center (in the alley).

Guardian Reports—M. G. Gunderson, guardian of the estate of Mary A. Booth, incompetent, reported income of \$859 for the last year and expenditures of \$722 in a statement made Saturday in probate court here.

Special, 2-yr-old roses, 10c, today only. Also attractive prices on all other shrubs. Doerfler Nursery, 6 mi. east of Salem on pen road.

Divorce Granted—Laura Snider won a divorce decree from Aaron Snider in circuit court here Saturday. She receives the custody of their two minor children. He decided their home and agreed to help maintain the children insofar as he was able.

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Lafair Appeals—G. W. Lafair, unsuccessful defendant in an action for auto damage brought by George Smith, appealed his case yesterday to the state supreme court. A jury in circuit court here awarded Smith damages of \$4323 together with costs and interest.

Full course turkey dinner, 50c. Senator Food Shop.

VanArman Released—Jake VanArman, sent to jail several months ago for possession of dog meat out of season, was released yesterday. He served a 30-day sentence and then worked out a \$100 fine at \$2 a day.

Tenants wanted—for small grocery, shoe shop, meats, barber shop. Very low overhead. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High street.

Lockley Reports—Fred Lockley, guardian of the estate of Bonnie Gans, insane, filed a report on his work yesterday in probate court.

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SPELLING CHAMPS OF COUNTY PICKED

Hundreds Take Part in big Contest; two in Each Grade win Honor

Five hundred eager parents, teachers and students gathered Saturday morning at Salem high school for the annual county "spell-down," held each year under the direction of the county superintendent. When the winners were announced two and one-half hours later, a field of several hundred alert boys and girls, the best spellers in their districts—had been narrowed down to 12 and to these went the gold and silver medals for the honors as spellers in their respective grades.

The winners were:

Third grade: First, Corrine Hermens, Sublimity; second, Mary Hemphill, Salem Heights.

Fourth grade: First, Miriam Gehring, Evergreen; second, Dan Sellard, Gales.

Fifth grade: First, Rosemary Ferschweiler, St. Louis; second, Gale Carey, Gales.

Sixth grade: First, Anna Shay, Macleay; second, Ruby Swanson, Aumsville.

Seventh grade: First, Hazel Magee, Ricker; second, Patricia Ann Davidson, St. Paul (parochial school).

Eighth grade: First, Loyal Sheridan, Ricker; second, Benno Kraemer, Mt. Angel.

Mrs. Mary Fulkerson presented the medals—gold to first place winners and silver to second place winners.

Many are Perfect
An average of 20 spellers came through with perfect papers in the preliminaries which started at 10 a. m. In each grade the contestants were given 50 words to spell, and each student who spelled these perfectly entered the oral contest which determined the winners. Certificates of award will go to all those who won perfect scores in the preliminaries.

Winners in the preliminaries, by grades, were:

First grade: Wekerle, Minnie Cutsinger, Juanita Moe, Norine Epperly, Bernice Robertson, Ruby West, Mary Hemphill, Fernel Gilstrap, Dorothy Leone Miller, Carolyn Kaufman, Bobby Bennett, Corinne Hermens, Christine Eiler, Mary Lou Wiesner, Virginia Carl, Richard Satterlee, Laurel Krenz, Dorothy Dean Brown.

Fourth, Yukiko Furuyama, Miriam Gehring, Ida Kerr, Dorothy Brookhaus, Geneva Van Cleave, Bonnie Larson, Mary Zimmerman, Helen Ely, Lillian Glover, Alvin Steinka, Jacqueline Judd, Ed-die Stauffer, Kenneth Earl Wilkinson, Eudell Erickson, Dan Sellard, Betty Whitlock, Evelyn Downer, Raymond Sherman, Marjorie Norton, Hulda Ruth Beckler, Buddy Zalk, Yveta Perkins.

Fifth, Dorothy Lent, Ada Hutto.

Coming Events

April 21—County Federation of Women's Clubs of Marion county at Salem Heights hall.

April 22—County spelling contest.

April 23—Salem district institute, Evangelical church.

April 24—Salem Symphony Orchestra concert at armory.

May 1-3—Music week.

May 2-9—Oregon conference on Child Health and Protection.

May 3-8—Young People's and Women's Missionary State society, Free Methodist church.

May 7—Optometric convention.

May 6-7—Annual May Day festivities, Willamette university.

May 25-26-27—Oregon Farmers' Union convention.

WILL LIMIT SPEED OF BUSES, TRUCKS

Strict Enforcement Ruled By Commission; Roads Hurt by Speeding

The state highway commission went on record Saturday favoring strict compliance with the existing laws relative to operation of buses and trucks. The law limits trucks to 35 miles an hour and buses to 45 miles an hour.

"The action of the commission in demanding strict enforcement of the laws regulating the speed of buses and trucks is necessary to preserve the highways of the state," Commissioner Leslie W. Scott said. "In case some action is not taken at this time it will be only a question of a few years until many of the state main highways will crumble and decay. Such a situation would be unfair to the large majority of motor vehicle owners whose funds are paying the cost of highway construction and maintenance."

Scott declared that Charles Pray, superintendent of state police, had instructed his traffic operators to enforce the laws regulating the speed of buses and trucks.

No Leeway Beyond Legal Limit Given
"We do not mean by our order that trucks shall go 40 to 45 miles an hour," Scott continued. "The order reads that they shall keep within the legal limitations of 35 miles an hour. A similar situation applies to buses, which are allowed 45 miles an hour. Operators of buses traveling at a speed in excess of 45 miles an hour will be arrested and prosecuted."

Any changes that may be made by the state highway commission, with relation to logging truck operations on state roads, and in the speed of such vehicles, probably will depend on the cooperation received from the Oregon Mill and Truck Operators' association, which was organized here Friday.

At a meeting of the state highway commission held in Salem Friday it was proposed that the maximum axle weight of these loads be reduced from 17,000 to 14,000 pounds, and that the speed of loaded trucks be reduced from 25 miles an hour. These two proposed amendments to the present rules of the highway commission were protested by the logging operators, who declared that such action would destroy the logging industry and throw a large number of men out of employment.

Enforcing Rules to Hold For 60 Days
In view of the cooperation promised by the Mill and Truck Operators association the highway commissioners decided to continue the existing rules regulating the operation of these trucks for a period of 60 days. If, at the end of that period, the present abuse of over-loading trucks has not been discontinued, more drastic rules will be adopted by the commission.

The H. Baldoock, state highway engineer, expressed hope that the logging operators and log haulers would realize the seriousness of the highway situation, and cooperate to the fullest extent in eliminating the existing abuses.

"It has been found that the courts are ineffective in handling cases of over-via overloaded trucks," Baldoock declared. "This situation could be remedied by a rule of the commission providing that all permits for log hauling operations may be revoked on 12 hours notice. Members of the highway commission do not want to be arbitrary, but they feel that the highways should be protected and preserved for the public."

Under the Dome . . .

Occurrences and Gossip at the center of Oregon's state government

THE great world problems were solved yesterday by Max Gehlar, director of agriculture, in a conference he held with newspaper men at the Capitol Press room. But seriously Max has some definite ideas on the question particularly with relation to the farmer and prices for farm products. And Max is an interesting conversationalist.

One of Max's ideas is to eliminate immigration. He says that if America has been able to absorb ten millions of immigrants in a few years, it should be able to absorb a million farmers who are either going to leave the farm or have left. Space does not permit us to divulge more of Max's proposals.

Ben Wing, institutional clerk in the employ of the board of control, accused your correspondent of playing him a trick. No, Ben wasn't angry. He was good-natured about it, but he did want to know of something or other on the rear of his car. For once we were

GOLDSTEIN SALARY IS GIVEN APPROVAL

Prosecutor in Empire Case Technically Assistant Attorney General

Employment of Barnett Goldstein as special prosecutor in the case of Frank Keller, Jr., and other ex-officers and directors of the Empire Holding company, is legal, and payment by the state is authorized by law, Attorney General Van Winkle held in an opinion handed down Saturday. The opinion was asked by Hal E. Hoss, secretary of state.

The Keller is now on trial in the Polk county circuit court on a charge of devising a scheme to defraud through the sale of stock in the company. Trials of other ex-officers and directors of the concern will follow.

Attorney General Van Winkle held that in the performance of his duties to enforce the corporation laws, James Mott, state corporation commissioner, could not employ a private attorney, but he has authority to employ an attorney to assist the attorney general in the prosecuting.

"This was what he did in employing Mr. Goldstein to assist the attorney general in carrying on such prosecutions, under the order of the governor," Van Winkle said in his opinion. "Goldstein was thereupon appointed assistant attorney general for such purposes without salary as far as the attorney general is concerned, his salary to be fixed and paid through the office of the state corporation commissioner."

Final Rites For Mrs. Wood Held At Oregon City

A company of Salem and Broadacre neighborhood relatives and friends, with others from Portland, Oregon City and elsewhere, gathered at the Holman & Pace funeral parlors in the city by the falls at 1:30 yesterday afternoon, to go the last honors to Mrs. H. Wood, who passed away in Salem on Wednesday morning.

Rev. E. S. Bollinger of Portland, formerly of Salem and Oregon City and other Pacific northwest points officiated at the marriage of Mrs. Wood in 1904, in the city of the obsequies. He was in charge of the funeral and interment was in the family plot in the historic Mountain View cemetery there, where rest so many of the men and women prominent in the beginnings of Oregon country history. Among many beautiful floral pieces was one from Eva Emory Dye, leading writer of Oregon history, a member with Mrs. Wood of the Congregational church.

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Jimmy Emmett Is National Ad Society Pledge

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Members of this organization are elected on the basis of leadership and scholarship from the managers of campus publications and from students majoring in advertising.

Emmett is also a member of Sigma Nu, national social fraternity.

Obituary

McKee
At Perrydale April 22, Estella McKee, aged 63. Wife of William H. McKee; mother of Mrs. Col. Schooler, San Dimas, Calif., Lawrence McKee of Perrydale, Joseph P. of Amity, Levi H., Miss Doris, R. Nolan McKee, all of Perrydale; sister of Mrs. Mattie K. McKee, Perrydale, John R. Koser of McMinnville. She was a resident of the Perrydale district for 30 years, and a member of the Perrydale Christian church. Funeral services will be held Monday, April 25, at 3:30 p. m. from Rigdon's mortuary. Interment Belcrest Memorial park.

Delmendo
At the residence, 860 Marion street, Wednesday, April 20, Santiago Delmendo, aged 35 years. Survived by mother, Mrs. Maria Delmendo and sister Miss Helen of Baconotian-LaUnion, Philippines. Requiem mass will be sung by Rev. J. R. Buck, Monday, April 25, at 8 a. m. at St. Joseph's church, North Cottage and Chemeketa streets. Interment will be at Saint Barbara cemetery under the direction of Clough-Barrick company.

Sturges
Marie Elizabeth Sturges died April 23 at 1111 Edgewater St., West Salem, aged 65 years. Wife of William W. Sturges, mother of Wm. P. of Grand Ronde, Mrs. Cecil Wilburn of Salem, N. C., Mrs. Eva Davis of Marshfield; sister of Ben Neal of Portland and Price Neal of Scio. Funeral services Monday, April 25, at 11 a. m. from the chapel of W. T. Rigdon and Son, Interment Shubura cemetery, Scio.

Breyman Block Call For Bids Is Set Monday

Bids for reconstruction of the White corner and Breyman buildings on North Commercial street will not be called for until Monday, Breyman Boise, one of the owners, said yesterday after conference with F. A. Legge, architect. Preparation of plans and specifications has taken longer than expected.

A lapse of probably ten days will occur between the time the bids are called for and opened. Construction work will be begun as soon as the lowest bidder is determined. The two buildings were gutted by fire five weeks ago.

Load Limits on Highway Lifted

The state highway commission Saturday lifted the load weight restriction, which has been in effect on the Dalles-California highway, from its junction with the Columbia River to the Sherman highway connection.

Improved weather conditions was assigned as the reason for the action.

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