

### LESLIE SMITH WILL REPORT CONVENTION

#### Portland A. P. Manager to Give Oregon Angle on Party Gatherings

PORTLAND, Ore., June 9.—(AP)—Oregon's participation in the colorful, dynamic and dramatic national political conventions in Chicago this month will be brought to readers of Oregon Associated Press newspapers by an Oregon newspaperman direct from the Chicago stadium.

As part of the strikingly novel method of providing intimate convention details for each state, Leslie J. Smith, chief of bureau of The Associated Press in Oregon, has been assigned to bring to Oregon readers accurate, entertaining and speedy accounts of the activities of the republican delegation of 13, and the democratic group of 10 persons from this state.

Smith, for 16 years a member of The Associated Press staff in Portland, and for four years chief of the Oregon service, will maintain close contacts with the two Oregon delegations in Chicago, relating to newspapers of this state intimate particulars not only of the two groups as they vote on the floor of the convention hall, but also they participate in pre-convention meetings, platform conferences and organization gatherings.

Smith accompanied the republican delegation on the private car leaving Portland Thursday night for Chicago, arriving two days before the convention opens June 14. He will attend the pre-convention meetings of the democratic delegation and the general meeting of that party starting June 27.

Smith was formerly telegraph editor of The Statesman and has many friends here. He went directly from this newspaper to the Associated Press headquarters in Portland.

### THREE CORNERED RACE IS EVIDENT

(Continued from page 1)

All district residents qualified to vote in general elections will be eligible to cast a ballot toward election of the school board members. Being a taxpayer will not be a necessary qualification, according to School Clerk Burghard.

Nominating petitions bearing 25 names of qualified voters will place a candidate's name on the ballot provided he files acceptance five days before the election.

Only one polling place will be open at this election, that in the W. C. T. U. hall, South Commercial and Ferry streets. The annual school meeting will be at the high school at 8 o'clock on election night.

### Forest Fires in Mining District Halted by Rains

AMOS, Que., June 9.—(AP)—Timely rain tonight enabled fire fighters in the northern Quebec mining district to get the better of forest fires which had threatened for three days. No loss of life was reported.

Tents and supplies rushed to the area insured comparative comfort for the refugees who yesterday took to small streams to escape the blazing brands.

Damage done to property, mining officials said, will be "substantial."

### Mehl Stabbed; Blames Pinner

OREGON CITY, Ore., June 9.—(AP)—A. H. Mehl, operator of the Cascade club near Rhododendron, was treated at an Oregon City hospital today for an 11-inch knife wound on his left side and a deep cut on the back of his neck.

Mehl said he was attacked by George Pinner, 65, after a dispute over money matters.

### FOR RITCHIE

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### GALVESTON BEAUTY PAGEANT GOES ON ROCKS



ANNE LEE PATTERSON CATHERINE MOYLAN NETTA DUCHATEAU

For the first time in more than a decade Galveston will not have its International Pageant of Fulchritude this year. The colorful event that brought the cream of the world's feminine loveliness to the Texas city has been abandoned for reasons—three in number. The depression, as is to be expected, takes its share of the blame, the pageant having ended in an ocean of red ink for several years. Then there is the hostility of Bishop C. E. Byrne, who has long waged a tooth-and-nail fight against the "leg show on the sea wall." Lastly is the charges of Colonel W. E. Easterwood, that the home girls of Texas were not getting a square deal in the contest and that some of the visiting entrants had enough synthetic complexion to paint the Washington Monument. The colonel's protest came last year when Anne Lee Patterson of Kentucky was chosen over the Texan beauty, Miss Eugenia Tullis, of Dallas, for the title of "Miss United States." However, in refutation of the colonel's charges it is pointed out that Catherine Moylan, another Dallas beauty, won the title of "Miss Universe" in 1926. Last year the world's beauty crown went to Belgium on the head of Miss Netta Duchateau, but there was a difference of opinion as to the justice of the decision. However, a glance at the records shows that American girls have done well at Galveston. Dorothy Goff, of New Orleans, was a "Miss Universe" title holder, as was also Miss Dot Britton, of New Jersey, and Irene Ahlberg, of New York, won the "Miss United States" title in 1929. Galveston will put on a "local" show this year, reverting to the original idea of the pageant, only girls from the surrounding States being eligible.

### FINANCE MEASURES OCCUPY CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, June 9.—(AP)—The vital economy, relief and supply bills today absorbed both house and senate.

The badly riddled economy bill was sent to conference for adjustment of differences between the two branches.

Senate democrats served notice they would demand action on their bill to lend \$300,000,000 to the states through the reconstruction corporation for relief of the unemployed.

The Hoover home loan discount legislation will be considered tomorrow in the house with a view to final action Saturday.

The senate banking committee substituted the house home loan bill today for the measure introduced by Senator Watson (R., Ind.), and prepared to take final action next Monday.

Privileged legislative status in the house was given the Fulmer bill to turn over to the Red Cross 40,000,000 bushels of farm board wheat and 500,000 bales of cotton to feed and clothe the hungry.

Meanwhile, the senate agriculture committee approved the McNary house use \$5,000,000 bushels for the same purpose. Early action on these was forecast.

### Y. LEADER FAVORS VOTE ON DRY LAW

LONDON, June 9.—(AP)—A nationwide, thorough-going reconsideration of prohibition in the United States under certain conditions was favored today by John R. Mott, president of the World Y. M. C. A. Alliance and International Missionary council.

But Mr. Mott does not intend to head a national campaign to support his view. "The thought crossed my mind," he said tonight.

He was not in favor of repeal of the prohibition amendment because, he said, he believed its good results far transcended those which have been unfavorable.

The Y. M. C. A. leader would impose conditions on reconsideration, first a popular vote in the various states in no way related to politics, and second, clear cut choice between (a) the present plan, and (b) a definite or concrete alternative plan.

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### The Call Board

By OLIVE M. DOAK

Warner Bros. Elsinore Today—Ann Dvorak in "The Strange Love of Molly Louvain".

The Grand Today—El Brendel in "Just Imagine".

The Hollywood Today—Ken Maynard in "Texas Gun Fighter".

### Mickey Mouse NOTES

Hi! Mice. M. M. C. Last Friday I was complaining it was so wet, and cold, and now I'm complaining because it's too hot.

M. M. C. Did you hear your fellow Mickey Mouse entertainers sing through a loud speaker yesterday at the corner of Court and Liberty?—If you didn't be sure and come there today at 8 o'clock. It's just like broadcasting from a real station. Those who sang yesterday were Ruth Fargo, Mildred Heckinger, and Rita Mae Hill. The Mickey Mouse Racketeers orchestra accompanied the numbers.

M. M. C. And tomorrow at the Mickey Mouse meeting, everybody gets free life savers.

M. M. C. Uncle Churchmouse says, "Success is still operated on the self-service plan."

M. M. C. As a specialty, tomorrow, we're going to be shown famous magic tricks, by that famous magician, Hiddiny.

M. M. C. Pauline Zoe Chambers acted as mistress of ceremonies, last Saturday for the numbers from Barbara Barnes School of Dance. Jean Adams did a "toe dance," Marcella Herbster did an acrobatic dance, and Pauline Zoe and Eugene Sewell gave a specialty song and dance, which was received very heartily.

M. M. C. The other numbers on the program were performed by Caroline Noud, Joyce Chambers and the Racketeers, with Rita Mae Hill.

M. M. C. Another attraction for tomorrow is the show to be shown to the Mickey Mouse club—which is Richard Barthelmess in "The Lash."

M. M. C. We're going to have a breakfast party—watch for further announcements.

M. M. C. I'll have plenty more to tell you tomorrow. So Long, ZOLLIE.

### TWO ACTRESSSES ILL

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., June 9.—(AP)—Two film actresses, Blinn Landi, English star, and Joan Bennett were confined to bed today by illness. Miss Landi suffered an eye infection which was described as "somewhat serious." Miss Bennett was nursing a throat infection.

### GRAND Today and Tomorrow

JUST IMAGINE

### Braun to Head Fraternis Club For Next Term

W. J. Braun was elected president of Fraternis club for the ensuing six months at last night's meeting held at the Spa. John Heltzel is the retiring executive. Interested in the election, 31 members attended, the largest turnout in several weeks.

Withdrawal of Shannon Hogue from the nomination for vice-president resulted in unanimous election of Dr. Verden E. Hooksett to that position. Other officers, all unanimously elected, are: Stanley W. Price, secretary; A. D. Apperson, treasurer; L. W. Davidson, K. C. Perry, Stephen C. Mergler and Jack A. Johnston, directors.

### Chicago Police Ask Extradition For Armstrong

Extradition is being sought by Chicago police for Richard G. Armstrong, 32, who is being held here on a Chicago charge of embezzling \$1000 from the American Telephone and Telegraph company.

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Illinois officials had offered \$250 for Armstrong's arrest. Officers at Crescent City, Calif., put the state police here on the man's trail.

### Lester Davis is Again Secretary For Fire Chiefs

CORVALLIS, Ore., June 9.—(AP)—The Oregon Fire Chiefs' association closed its annual convention here today.

J. F. Volstorff, Hood River chief, was elected president at last night's meeting to succeed C. J. Baughman, of Ashland. Other officers elected were: Henry Leocch, Marshfield, first vice-president; A. C. Kieblock, Albany, second vice-president; James Fletcher, Roseburg, treasurer, re-elected; Lester B. Davis, Salem, secretary, re-elected.

### HOLLYWOOD Home of 20c Talkies Tonight and Saturday

COMMUNITY VAUDEVILLE FINALS TONIGHT Grand Prize \$10 Gold

### KEN MAYNARD

TEXAS GUN FIGHTER Mickey Mouse Comedy Rin-Tin-Tin in "The Lightning Warrior"

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### BUS BILL TITLE IS CHANGED BY COURT

Holding the original ballot title of "highway protection bill" as argumentative the Oregon supreme court yesterday supplied the title "freight truck and bus bill" for the proposed initiative measure regulating further the use of trucks and busses of the state highways.

The appeal from the ballot title as supplied by Attorney General I. E. VanWinkle was filed with the court some time ago by the Allied Truck Owners association, asserting the title was argumentative, misleading and unfair. The initiative proposal is being sponsored by the Highway Protective association, of which Oswald West, former governor of Oregon, is president. Arguments on the appeal were heard early this week.

The change in title necessitates the printing of new petitions and cancelling of signatures on the original petitions, if any had been circulated. The statute requires the names of 17,888 voters to place the measure on the ballot. The measure proposes further restrictions and classification of freight trucks and busses and would impose additional taxes upon these carriers.

### WOMAN'S INJURIES REPORTED SERIOUS

Mrs. Arthur DeWitt, one of three persons injured in an automobile upset north of Hubbard Wednesday, yesterday was reported in a serious condition at a local hospital. The attending physician said she was suffering from a broken back and facial injuries.

Mr. DeWitt received a fractured clavicle and severe body bruises. He will be confined to the hospital for some time.

S. P. Larson of Seattle, driver of the car, probably will be able to leave the hospital within a day or two, it was said. His injuries consisted of bruises and shock. Larson had picked up Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt, hitch-hikers.

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### Obituary

Harris At the residence of his daughter, 1650 Waller street, June 9, 1932, Thomas Green Harris, aged 92 years, 6 months and 2 days. Father of Mrs. Clara McDerby; grandfather of Mrs. Blanche Stuart of Salem; Willis McDerby of West Salem; Mrs. Florence Hoevet of Whitney, Neb.; Harry McDerby of Whitney and Floyd McDerby of Harrison, Neb.; great-grandfather of 17 and great-great-grandfather of 6. He was a native of Illinois and member of Sedgewick post, G. A. R. Funeral announcements later by the Terwilliger Funeral Home, 770 Chemeketa street, phone 6925.

### FREE THEATRE! TICKETS!

Five Pairs Tickets Awarded, for Correct Answers HOW TO WIN THEM Hidden among the Classified Ads are the answers to eight questions. List your solutions on one side of the paper and write not more than 50 words telling which of these ads impress you most and why.

The five best answers will receive two tickets each, good at Warner Bros. Elsinore theatre to see Ruth Chatterton in "The Rich Are Always With Us." Remember, anyone may win. Tickets will be mailed to the winners.

Answers to questions must be received by 12 o'clock noon Saturday. Mail replies to Classified Advertising Mgr., Statesman.

1 Where can one buy a Studebaker Commander Sedan in perfect condition?  
2 What real estate firm offers an \$1100 Salem residence for a small farm of equal value?  
3 What phone number would you call to buy old growth 16-in. fir for \$4.75 per cord.  
4 What can you discover if you call 12221.  
5 How do you get in touch with the man who wishes to rent a summer home on Ocean Beach?  
6 What apartment house has a new price schedule for apartments?  
7 Where could you sell poultry on Miller street?  
8 What number would you call and who would you talk to if your stove needed repainting?

### Ruth Chatterton

in "The Rich Are Always With Us" at WARNER BROS. ELSINORE

3 Days Starting Sunday . . . June 12th MIDNIGHT MATINEE SATURDAY 11:30 P.M.

### SOLE SURVIVOR OF THE ZOUAVES



Despite his 88 years, John Earl of New York, last remaining member of the famous Hawkins Zouaves of the Civil War, insisted on marching in the New York Memorial Day parade to do honor to the memory of his comrades, long departed to answer the last roll call. Earl is shown carrying the battle-scarred flag of his regiment as he is saluted by a 8-year participant in the ceremonies. Forty-two veterans of the Civil War turned out in their faded blue uniforms to pay their annual tribute to former comrades.

### BUSINESS COLLEGE WILL GRADUATE 18

Annual commencement exercises of the Capitol Business college will be held in the school auditorium at 8 o'clock tonight with 18 students receiving their diplomas. The principal address will be made by Otto K. Paulus and diplomas presented by W. L. Staley, president of the institution.

The program will include vocal selections by Gladys McIntyre Thomas and by the Business and Professional Women's club chorus. The class colors, pink and blue, will be used in the decorations.

The committee for the reception which will follow the exercises includes Marian Bretz, Doris Howard, Colene Mennis, Nellie Rowland Greene and Maxine Beckner.

The graduating students are: Birney Scheuerman, Salem, secretarial course; Isabelle Leeper, Mabel Jacobson, Ruth Addison and Margaret Fowler of Salem, Nona Otjen of Woodburn, Mary Warner of Amity, Ruth Smith of Corvallis, Leone Taylor of Macleay, bookkeeping and accounting course; Virginia Berger, Audrey Converse, Melissa Adsett and Elizabeth Probs of Salem, Mary E. Campbell of Hood River, Margaret Estrem of Silverton, Marcella Love of Woodburn, Laura Doell of Dallas and Ruth Oveross of Silverton, stenographic course.

### Ford Kitballers Lose to Maytag By Large Score

Valley Motors Kitball team went bad on the r. p. m. last night and rounded home plate only twice while Maytag Washers galloped the circuit 23 times. The galloping washing machine's battery was Kelley and Goodenough, Richie and Elliott were on the pitching and receiving end of the motors.

A double header is slated for tonight on Sweetland fields with Western Paper meeting Salem Linens and Associated Oils facing the Elks.

### SLEEP WALKER IS INJURED, LEARNED

X-ray pictures were taken yesterday of Carmen Jean Vehrs, 11 year old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George R. Vehrs, who fell from the third story bedroom of their home last Sunday night, while walking in her sleep. The pictures indicated there had been a slight slippage or fracture where the head of the femur articulates with the hip bone. It is hoped that by rest for a few weeks the injury will be reduced. This will confine the little miss to her bed for the period.

Dr. Vehrs has been able to reconstruct the accident. Carmen Jean opened the window, which was closed, crawled through it, but caught herself on the sill with one hand. Her weight hanging over the brick ledge caused the mark across her arm.

In falling her body probably revolved like the motion of a diver. A slight bush perhaps broke her fall so that when she struck the soft earth below she did not light on her head and shoulders.

### LETTER TO MEANS IS READ IN COURT

WASHINGTON, June 9.—(AP)—A few scribbled words under which Mrs. Edward B. McLean wrote her name last March became the focal points today in the trial of Gaston B. Means on charges of defrauding the society woman of \$104,000 given to him to recover the slain Lindbergh baby.

Mrs. McLean, estranged wife of the Washington Post publisher, identified her signature in the District of Columbia supreme court. The note read:

"For Means, this is your authorization to turn over to Nell Williams the \$100,000 in your custody. 3-23-32. (Signed) Evelyn McLean."

Witnesses were presented by the prosecution in an effort to show that Means, a former department of justice agent, received the money from Mrs. McLean on promises to recover the Lindbergh child even if he had to "kidnap the baby from the kidnapers," as one of them expressed it.

### Andrews Named New President Of Carpenters

New officers and delegates were elected by Salem Local No. 1065, Carpenters' union, which met at Union hall last night. William M. Andrews was chosen for president; Seth U. Smith, vice-president; John M. Groves, recording secretary; James Smith of 627 North Church street, financial secretary; Earl Johnson, conductor, and Ole C. Dahlin, warden.

Delegates named to Central Labor council are Peter S. DeWitt, Ben B. Colbath, Seth U. Smith and William J. Stepanek; to the Building Trades council, William R. Darby.

### Show-Me State Picnic June 26

At least 300 people are expected to attend the annual state picnic of Missourians which is to be held Sunday, June 26, at the municipal auto camp here. Fully as large an attendance is expected as came last year. On the program will be sport events, entertainment and a basket lunch. E. W. Harland of Salem is in charge of preparations. No admission will be charged.

### THEY SAID IT WAS A SIN FOR ANY GIRL TO LOVE ANY MAN THAT MUCH!

THEY called her a girl with loose morals. Little did they understand the heart-secret that was stronger than flesh. She GAVE her love to a man who only wanted to BORROW it!

### TODAY The Strange Love OF MOLLY LOUVAIN

Ann DVORAK and Lee TRACY

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