

Local News Briefs

Four Accidents Reported—Automobile accidents reported to city police yesterday were as follows: Pat Cunningham of Portland and M. J. Baughn of Detroit, Ore., on Chemeketa between High and Liberty streets; Pat Leasure, 559 Edgewater, and Mrs. Frank Meyer, at Belmont and Winter; Emma E. Cromer, 260 South 17th, and Nick A. Kittel of Portland, at Waverly and State; R. S. McNeill, 728 South 13th, and an unidentified motorist, in front of 575 North 17th street.

Dance tonight, Hazel Green, 25c.

Patriotic Service—The young people of Temple Baptist church will give a patriotic service Sunday night at 7:30 o'clock as follows: prelude, song; America; responsive reading; Mrs. Lee Cross, president; prayer, Harry Finn; anthem; Gettysburg address, Helen Page; Lincoln's boyhood, Wendell Cross; Lincoln as president, Arthur Hewitt; reading, "The Council Assigned," Peggy Briscoe; special music; life of Washington, E. D. Lindburg; music and closing.

Dramatize Hymn—The Junior Christian Endeavor of the Court Street Christian church will present its first hymn drama Sunday night at the church service. The society has been practicing this drama under the direction of Muriel Brown, leader, for some time, and will give it in connection with a sermon, "The Child in the Home," by Hugh N. McCallum, pastor. The Silver String orchestra will furnish special music for the service.

Auto insurance, \$5 down, bal. \$5 mo. H. H. Smith Ins. Agency.

Case Against Leek—Suit of the U. S. Rubber company against V. D. Leek started in circuit court yesterday afternoon, with Judge Lewelling sitting on the bench for Judge McMahon. The suit is over a promissory note and also an account book involving \$2000. Judge McMahon, sitting in the other department, yesterday completed the case of Thomas Kelleher vs. Fred M. Mills, and held up decision until briefs are submitted.

Gets 4-H Trees—Wayne Harding county club leader, was in Corvallis yesterday to obtain about 900 young trees, which will be planted by the members of seven of the 11 forestry project clubs formed in the county. Trees obtained yesterday, 350 of which are Douglas firs, will be distributed to the Mill City, Gates, Summit Hill, Looney Butte, Talbot, Butteville and Pringle clubs.

Exhibit Popular—The local artists' exhibit being shown at the Y. M. C. A. is proving popular with Salem people. Mrs. A. Schramm and Mrs. J. R. Simmonds will act as hostesses to the visitors this afternoon and Miss Beatrice Hartung and Mrs. C. A. Kells in the evening. No admission is charged.

Club Play Tonight—"Cat o' Nine Tails," mystery-comedy play to be presented by the Snikpoh society of the senior high school, at the high school auditorium tonight, was given as a final rehearsal at the State Training School for Boys last night. Tickets are selling fast for the presentation, which will begin at 8:15 o'clock tonight.

S. S. Convention Soon—Superintendents and teachers of children's and junior departments of Salem Sunday schools are invited to attend the county Sunday school convention which will be held at the Presbyterian church here, February 24 and 25, beginning at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Elliot to Preach—Rev. William G. Elliot, Jr., D. D., of the Church of Our Father, Unitarian, in Portland, will preach Sunday morning in the Unitarian church here. Dr. Elliot a number of years ago was minister of the local Unitarian church and is known to many Salem people.

Cars Collide—Mary A. Schneider, route 1, Silverton, yesterday reported to the sheriff an auto accident which occurred on the highway a mile north of Silverton, and involved also machine driven by Mrs. Mulkey. No one was hurt.

Hearing 22nd—Hearing on petition of Martha L. Smith for appointment of guardian for Louis Smith, insane, has been set by the county court for February 23 at 10 a. m.

To Sell Property—In estate of Clara B. Hougham, executors have been authorized to sell real property. Lloyd J. Hougham and Clara B. Hougham are executors.

Page Is Visitor—A. L. Page, chairman of the school board in the Parrish Gap district, out from Jefferson, was a Thursday caller at the office of the county school superintendent.

Duncan Estate—J. K. Carson, Jr., has been appointed administrator of the \$1000 estate of John Duncan.

Seeks Foreclosure—George W. Yergen has filed foreclosure complaint against the Stafford Pickle company.

Lick Is Visitor—Ray Lick of Clear Lake was a local visitor yesterday.

Coming Events

Feb. 24—Salem high vs. Astoria, basketball.
February 24-25—Marion county Sunday school convention at First Presbyterian church.
Mar. 1—Concert of Salem Philharmonic orchestra.
March 15-18—State high school basketball tournament.

IRRIGATION LIENS ARE NOT REMOVED

House Turns Down Measure To Permit Reclamation Commission Action

The house yesterday rejected its bill 79 which would permit the state reclamation commission to reduce or to cancel certificates of indebtedness held by the state treasurer to secure moneys advanced for interest on irrigation bonds. The vote was 28 ayes, 29 nays, three members absent.

Proponents of the measure were working late yesterday to line up enough votes for a successful reconsideration of the matter today. Objection to the bill was raised by Representative Nichols and others on the ground that the irrigation districts would pay a part of the entire amount of claims of bondholders but might secure complete wiping out of their debt to the state. Abrams said he thought the certificate debt should be compromised on the same ratio that the bond debt of the districts was reduced.

Proponents of the measure contended the state liens were junior to those of the bond holders. Permission for the reclamation commission to adjust the claims of the state was held a condition precedent to a scaling down of existing bonded debt. Representative Lyons pointed out the point of order was passed the legislature in 1929 but was declared in conflict with the state constitution by the attorney general. Subsequently the constitutional barrier has been removed. The bill arises over more than \$2,000,000 of claims held by the state against various irrigation districts in the state, all but one of whom are said to have defaulted on their bonds. The state paid the interest for five years, issuing bonds in turn for this interest money. Opponents of the removal of the state's liens contend it is unfair for the state to lose all the collateral behind its advances.

Time Extended—Time for trial of the case of G. W. Jenkins against Joe H. Engeman in circuit court here has been extended due to illness of the plaintiff.

Portlander Arrested—Charles Z. Holmes of Portland was arrested here yesterday on a charge of speeding, according to city police records.

Judgment Entered—Default and judgment for \$33 for plaintiff has been entered in suit of George C. Will against Walter Dozier.

Filles Demurrer—Demurrer has been filed in suit of J. E. Parrish against W. F. Weddle.

To Sell Property—Order to sell personal property has been made in estate of Leila S. Lynch.

Insurance Taken For Relief Work
The county court yesterday took out accident insurance with the state to protect the county and individual in case of injuries sustained by persons working in connection with relief projects. This will cover only the group of men working cutting wood in return for requisition on the commissary, but persons employed, whether by the week, day or hour.

Obituary

Colwell
At the residence on route 1, Beaver Creek, Ore., February 14, Elmer A. Colwell, aged 70 years. Survived by widow, Emma Colwell of Beaver Creek; three daughters, Mrs. J. W. King of Anamias, Minn., Mrs. Amanda Tomlin of Beaver Creek, Mrs. Marie Hyres of Fort Worth, Texas; son, C. C. Colwell of Salem, and 16 grandchildren. Funeral announcements later by Clough-Barrick company.

Smith
In this city, Wednesday, February 15, Maude Smith, beloved wife of John W. L. Smith, of Salem; mother of Ruby, Vera and Veta Smith, all of Salem; sister of Everett Harrison of Little Rock, Ark., Charles of Toledo, O., and Hugh W. of Roseburg; niece of Mrs. Chlorea Bondhus of Salem; Mrs. Callie Gillette of Cosmopolis, Wash.; Mrs. Corrie McIntosh of Aberdeen, Wash.; John G. Bellamy of Benton, Ill.; and J. W. Bellamy of Salem. A native of Illinois. Mrs. Smith was a member of the Rebekah lodge of Rainier, Ore. Friends are invited to attend the funeral services to be held Friday, February 17, at 2 p. m., from the Terwilliger funeral home, 770 Chemeketa street. Rev. W. H. Caldwell officiating. Interment in Jason Lee cemetery.

Shaw
At the home on Rt. 7, Sidney Donaldson Shaw, age 83 years. Father of Harvey D. Shaw of Coffeyville, Kans., Charles E. Shaw of Yakima, Wash., Mrs. C. B. Sparks of Onalaska, Wash., Mrs. Ed Prescott of St. Johns, Kans., Roy Shaw of Salem, Mrs. C. E. Albright of Idaho, 21 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren; and a brother, F. H. Shaw of Walnut Park, Calif. Remains at Rigdon's mortuary. Funeral announcements later.

Wyant
At the residence, 1191 Sixth street, Salem, February 14, James E. Wyant, at the age of 45 years. Survived by one son, Charles of West Salem. Funeral services Friday, February 17, at 1:30 p. m. from the chapel of the Salem Mortuary, 548 North Capitol street. Rev. C. L. Dark officiating. Interment City cemetery.

Births

Orey—To Mr. and Mrs. Vern Leroy Orey, 1740 South Capitol street, a boy, Richard, born on January 31 in this city.
Biles—To Mr. and Mrs. Wilson A. Biles, route three, a boy, born on February 15 at the residence.

The Capitol Battlefront

Incidents and Personalities More or Less Connected With the State Legislature and Its Achievements

NO MEASURES have had as stormy a course as the small loan and auto loan proposals. They have been haggled over interminably in committee. Then they have been reported out on the floor only to be shunted back to committee. Several times they have been special orders of business only to be delayed. Today a mixed-up report came from the judiciary committee and the bills were then sent back to revision of laws committees. Lobbyists on both sides—most of the pressure from the outside has been against the bills—are tired of the delay, the numerous futile trips to the capitol. Committee opinion is closely divided: Some members think poorer people will not be able to borrow any money if rates are lowered; others think 2 percent interest monthly on any loans is a shock term and should be reduced.

Seen in the lobby: Frank Henshaw, a bit puffy, former head of the state banking system. . . . Frank Miller, gray-haired ex-iron manufacturer and Alton Peterson, appointed to the public service commission. . . . numerous lobbyists from Portland whose lodge's financial affairs have been a bit easier since the Tenth street temple was abandoned and a new one secured on 18th street where the Concordia club once gathered. . . . Fred Brady of "black-top" fame, serene as ever and traveling via taxicab to and from downtown. . . . What has become of Alvin W. Norblad, ex-governor? . . . Not once has he appeared at this session. . . . Disappointed grangers who thought the hydro-electric bill would pass the senate instead of losing, 15 to 15.

L. A. Banks, Medford's bellicose editor, now has his office at home and you can get his opinion, you have the right knock, a visiting

Mildred Hadley, 7:30, sermon, Chester A. Hadley.
The Friends quarterly meeting will also be held in the Highland church Friday afternoon, Saturday and Sunday afternoon.

PHILATELISTS TO MEET NEXT WEEK

Off to an enthusiastic start, the newly-formed Salem Stamp society, the first in Salem, will hold two meetings at the Salem Y. M. C. A. within the next 10 days. C. A. Douglas has been named temporary chairman.
Next Friday night at 7:30 p. m., the junior section, ages 10 to 16, will complete organization at the Y. C. W. Noble, Salem philatelist and traveler, is expected to give a talk. Nominations for permanent officers will be reported by a committee consisting of Russell Robbins, Roland Clark and Roger Kellogg.
Constitution, by-laws and nominations for permanent officers of the adult section will be reported at a meeting at the Y at 7:30 p. m. Monday, February 27, by Joseph Weber, Glen Niles and W. F. Powers.
All stamp collectors are invited to attend either of the meetings, bringing their duplicate stamps for trading.

KIWANIS LADIES' NIGHT IS SUCCESS

Salem Kiwanians last night held one of the most successful ladies' night entertainments of the club's history, in the Masonic temple here. One hundred and fifty men and women were present including a number of visitors from the Kiwanis clubs at McMinnville, Tillamook, Albany, Dallas and Oregon City organizations.
An extensive and varied musical program was greatly enjoyed. It included an Amos and Andy skit "by radio," entertainment by a Radio-Kelth-Orpheum team, a series of vocal numbers by the Bush boys and a skit by the "wire orchestra" which pleased the audience highly. George Heasman played several well received numbers on his accordion. Claude Barrick, district governor of the club, from Tillamook, made the principal address. Ralph Cooley was toastmaster for the occasion.
The Valentine motif was carried out throughout the decorations and entertainment.

Pleasure, Regret Voiced by Senate

The Oregon senate Thursday sent a telegram to Franklin D. Roosevelt, president-elect, congratulating him upon his escape from an assassin's bullet at Miami, Fla., yesterday.
Another telegram expressing regret was sent to Mayor O'Connell of Chicago, who suffered two bullet wounds as a result of the shooting.

Mill City—An unusually pleasant affair was that of Tuesday night when members of MHI City No. 44, I. O. O. F., and Santiam No. 166 Rebekahs, were joint hosts at a Valentine party in the I. O. O. F. hall to members of Fir lodge No. 132 of Gates, Eva Rebekah lodge No. 163 and Santiam lodge No. 164, I. O. O. F. of Station.

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INJUNCTIONS BILL PASSED BY SENATE

State Convention for Vote On Prohibition Repeal Defeated 17 to 13

The anti-injunction bill introduced by Senator Hazlett and others ran the state senate gauntlet safely yesterday, by a vote of 24 to four. The measure would declare the policy of Oregon to be against the granting of injunctions in labor disputes, except after a hearing has been held and it has been determined that such injunction is necessary to preserve law and order.

Declaring that such a law already had been enacted by the United States congress and a large number of states, Senator Upton asserted that "the whole issue is whether a court may grant an injunction which will deprive either labor or the employers their constitutional right to proceed in a lawful business."

Senator Hays declared that the measure merely would accord private individuals the right to organize on the same basis as employees or the employers.

Senator Woodward charged that the bill was unfair and would eliminate protection for that large group of citizens who are not affiliated either with the labor unions or the employers.

Senator Goss said the bill merely attempted to prevent abuses and does not destroy the right of injunction in proper cases.

Marion Senators Favor
The vote:
Yes—Allen, Booth, Brown, Burke, Bynon, Chinnock, Corbett, Dickinson, Duncan, Dunn, Dunne, Francisovich, Goss, Hazlett, Hess, Jones, Lee, McFadden, Spaulding, Staples, Strayer, Upton, Wheeler, Williamson, Kiddle.

No—Fisher, Mann, Woodward and Yates.

A bill by Senator Upton, providing machinery for a constitution-

al convention to vote upon the repeal of the 18th amendment, went down to defeat by a vote of 17 to 13. The measure came before the senate on a divided report from the alcoholic committee. The minority report, signed by Senators Staples and Dickinson, recommended that the measure be defeated. The majority report was signed by Senators Bynon, Upton and Strayer.

The vote on indefinite postponement of the bill was:
Yes—Booth, Brown, Burke, Chinnock, Dickinson, Dunn, Dunne, Fisher, Hazlett, Jones, Mann, Staples, Wheeler, Williamson, Woodward, Yates and Zimmerman.

No—Allen, Bynon, Corbett, Duncan, Francisovich, Goss, Hess, Lee, McFadden, Spaulding, Strayer, Upton, Kiddle.

Power Bill Loses

Senator Zimmerman's bill which would have provided machinery for a constitutional amendment authorizing the state to engage in the power business, also was rejected by a vote of 15 to 15. This measure had the support of the Oregon state grange and a number of other state-wide organizations.

Final consideration of the so-called basic science bill was made a special order of business for this morning.

Senator Corbett's bill prohibiting the sale of prison manufactured goods in the open market was approved without a dissenting vote. Corbett explained that this measure would not interfere with the operation of the state flax industry nor prevent the penitentiary from manufacturing goods and merchandise for other state institutions.

The senate adopted a memorial introduced by the roads and highways committee urging congress to enact legislation that would insure a continuation of federal aid in state highway construction beyond the year 1933. Senator Duncan said the memorial had been requested by the highway commissions of Oregon, California and Idaho.

Approval also was given a bill fixing the maximum purchase price of state-owned automobiles \$700. This measure was introduced by the joint roads and highways committee.

PAULINA TIPPNER FUNERAL IS TODAY

SILVERTON HILLS, Feb. 16—Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at two o'clock from the home of Ewald Tippner for Mrs. Paulina Tippner, his mother, who died there Tuesday night. Interment will be in Green Mountain cemetery.

Mrs. Tippner was born in Germany July 18, 1852. Fifty-two years ago she was married there to Lewis Tippner. In 1891 the Tippners went to Brazil where they lived until 1903 when they went to Canada. In 1920 they moved to Portland and six years ago to Silverton.

Mrs. Tippner is survived by her widower, four children, Ewald of Hullt, Paul and Armo of Milwaukee, Wis., and Otto of South Gate, Calif., besides two sisters and one brother in Germany. Ekman of Silverton has charge of arrangements.

Silverton Chamber Puts Off Session; Awaits Cherrians

SILVERTON, Feb. 16—The usual meeting of the Silverton chamber of commerce was not held Wednesday night but was postponed until some time around the first of March at which time the Cherrians of Salem will be present and assist in amusing the local "tired business" man for the evening. The chamber of commerce will have two meetings in March, according to Ernest Starr, president.

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Mrs. Carson Drops Secretaryship of Charities Group
At a special meeting of the Salem Associated Charities held last evening, Mrs. J. H. Ross was elected as executive secretary to take the place of Mrs. R. J. Carson who asked to be relieved on account of ill health. Mrs. Carson had held the secretaryship since the organization was formed here 12 years ago. S. A. Hughes, city alderman, is president of the Charities.

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