Local News Briefs

Curb Accidents Listed—Three of the four automobile accidents, all of minor nature, reported to city police yesterday, resulted when cars backed or pulled out from parking. Accidents reported were: R. Brunkal, 1290 Oak, and Mrs. Schrode, 1254 Mission, at Winter and Mill; E. N. Branson of Hoskins, Ore., and an unidentified motorist on Liberty between Chemeketa and Center; A. W. Grant, Olympic apartments, and Mrs. N. Williams, at 12th and State; Roy Zwicker, 1351 Wilbur, and Lester Smith of Woodburn, on High between Court and Chemeketa.

Permits Total $500—Building permits totaling $500 in value have been issued this week by City Building Inspector E. C. Bushnell. The largest was taken out by Mrs. Emma Klinger, to alter a dwellin at 1793 South Winter street at cost of $400. Others were to J. B. Tschudie, erect woodshed at 960 Electric avenue, $50, and to Fred Turner, repair a dwelling at 2055 Virginia street, $50.

Have a buyer for a five room modern house close in between South Cottage and Saginaw. Will pay up to $3000, $500 cash and bal. $25 mo. including int. at 6%. See Mr. Chamberlain with Anderson & Rupert. •

Answer Filed—S. M. Endicott, administrator of the Cornelia A. Davis estate, yesterday answered the complaint of Marie Davis in circuit court here by declaring that Mrs. Davis paid her all the wages due before her death and further, that the statute of limitations outlawed the claims even if they had not been settled. Plaintiff claimed in her original complaint that a considerable sum of money was owing to her for personal services.

"Spring Opening." See page 2.•

Unitarians Hold Supper — A supper will be held in the Unitarian church next Thursday evening, March 23, in honor of Rev. Charles R. Joy of Boston, one of the administrative vice-presidents of the American Unitarian association. Mr. Joy will speak. He is on his way to San Francisco to attend the Pacific Coast conference of Unitarian churches. The supper is in charge of women of the local Unitarian alliance.

Dance and style show, Mellow Moon Thursday nite to Abbie Green's band and entertainers. Adm. 25c. •

Demurrer Overruled—Judge L. G. Lewelling yesterday overruled defendant's demurrer in the case of the Security Savings & Trust company against Charles A. Evans. Defendant was given a limited period to pay plaintiff $5840. If he fails to perform, property plaintiff stands willing to deed the defendant is to be sold at public sale.

Runaway Lads Returned—After a several hours sojourn in city jail, Jack Gilliam, 13, and Russell Buche, 15, last night were given into custody of their parents, who came from Portland after them. Both lads had run away from home. Just a week ago they ran away, only to be caught at Hood River, the parents said.

"Spring Opening." See page 2.•

Parrish Figures Given—Exactly 500 Parrish junior high school students and instructors had their tuberculin tests "read" this week, Dr. Vernon A. Douglas, county health officer, announced yesterday. Of these, 40 were positive. Twenty pupils given the test have not yet been examined.

Wheels, Tires Stolen—Mrs. Roy Jacobson has notified police that Sunday night thieves made off with two wheels and tires, taken from her automobile at her home on Garden road. The wheels, minus the tires, were found nearby.

Troops Get Charters—National charters for 1933 have been received here by Scout Executive O. P. West for troop 2, St. Paul's Episcopal church, Salem, and troop 28, Monmouth, he reported yesterday.

Talks on Downy Mildew—G. R. Hoerner will discuss control of "Downy Mildew" in hops Thursday over radio station KOAC at 12:20 p. m. Considerable progress has been made in developing control measures and these will be discussed by Mr. Hoerner.

Aid to Meet—The Ladies Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet at the church parlors this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Election of officers and the usual program will be held.

Chimney Blaze Reported — A chimney fire occurred at 360 Myers street yesterday forenoon, according to city firemen. No damage was reported.

Mandate Issued — Mandate of the state supreme court in the case of L. C. Krieger, administrator of the estate of the late Fred Krieger, against Frank Doolittle, was filed Tuesday with the county clerk here. The plaintiff was sustained in the higher court and a judgment of $5058 was ordered paid to him, together with costs. The suit grew out of an accident on the Pacific highway in January, 1931, when the driver of a car owned by Doolittle struck and fatally injured Fred Krieger. The higher court held the defendant negligent.

Dance tonite in the Moon. •

Jersey Meet Called—The Marion County Jersey Cattle club will meet at the chamber of commerce here Saturday at 2 p. m., when plans for the spring show will be made. As the spring show is one of the big events in the year for the Jersey group, it is anticipated the meeting Saturday will draw out all breeders. Other matters will also come up, according to Victor S. Madsen of Silverton, president. Mrs. F. G. Kuensting of near Woodburn is secretary.

Judges to Meet—Dr. Phillip A. Parsons of the University of Oregon will meet at the chamber of commerce this evening with all persons in the county who are interested in acting as judges for the various dramatic contests scheduled over the county in connection with the Marion county Federated clubs competitive programs. E. L. Moor of Hayesville is president of the county federation of community clubs.

Wants Divorce — Gertrude E. Parkhill yesterday filed suit for a divorce from her husband, Robert N. Parkhill, to whom she was married July 2, 1929, in Kelso, Wash. She claims that he left her in February, 1932, and has not lived with her since then and has only contributed clothing worth $1.50 to the support of their small child. She asks custody of the child.

Official Ad club dance Crystal Gardens Thursday, 2 floors, 2 orchestras, all 25c. Tout Warner's old time Wed., 25c. •

Tschauner Case Continued — Municipal Judge Mark Poulsen yesterday continued indefinitely the case of A. M. Tschauner, 1897 South 12th street, whom city police charge failed to give right-of-way Monday night to a car driven by Vincent Farmer, 950 South 12th street, resulting in an accident. Both cars were overturned.

"Spring Opening." See page 2.•

Alleges Non-Support — Harold McIntosh was haled into justice court yesterday on a non-support charge. He asked 24 hours in which to enter plea, and meantime is in the county jail in lieu of $500 bail. He will appear before Judge Miller Hayden this morning.

Granted Decree—A divorce decree and custody of a minor child were granted Verna Walker yesterday in circuit court here in her suit against Ray C. Walker, her husband. The couple married April 21, 1924. Mrs. Walker claimed her husband deserted her April 22, 1930.

Wants $130 Paid—S. M. Endicott as administrator of the estate of the late C. A. Davis of Turner, filed suit in circuit court yesterday to collect $130 allegedly due from George D. Henderson and others. Of the original loan, $1500 has been paid.

Mellis Trial Today — Preliminary hearing for Norman Mellis, charged with burglary not in a dwelling, will be held before Justice of the Peace Miller Hayden this morning at 10 o'clock. Mellis was arrested in the T. W. Smith home at Turner.

To Speak at Rotary—Miss Violet Swanson, Salem high school instructor, will tell of her work in connection with the continuation department in school, at the Rotary club luncheon meeting Wednesday noon.

Cammack Case Today — The municipal court case of Clyde C. Cammack of Woodburn, charged with speeding, is scheduled today. Cammack yesterday obtained 24-hour postponement.

Coming Events

March 22—Herold Singer of Allied Forces speaks at First M. E. church at 7:30 p.m.

March 22—Leonard and Robin Moser, Oregon State college students, give music program at Y. M. C. A. lobby, 8 o'clock; open to public.

March 23—Annual spring opening, auspices Salem Ad club.

March 24-25—Marion and Polk conference for Older Boys at Y. M. C. A.

April 16—Easter services in all local churches.

May 7—Music week opens in Salem. Final Philharmonic concert today.

May 12-13—Oregon State Association of Master Plumbers, annual meeting.

June 2-4—Fourth Annual Willamette Valley Flower Show.

July 24-26—Annual Encampment, Spanish War Veterans.

Obituary

Robison

In this city Tuesday, March 21, Thomas R. Robison, a resident of Salem. Survived by widow, Mrs. Corey Robison; daughter, Mary Robison of Salem; sons, Chester, James, Davis and Charles of Salem, Henry of Gresham. Funeral announcements later by the Salem Mortuary, 545 North Capitol street.

Brown

At the home of his brother on route 1, Independence, Archibald Brown of Salem, aged 72 years. Passed away Tuesday, March 21. Leaves a widow, Mary A. Brown, two daughters, Mrs. Etta A. Burns of Salem, Mrs. Myrtle D. Young of Portland; three sons, Herman A. Brown of Salem, Norman H. Brown of Portland and Glenn C. Brown of Boise, Idaho; a brother, Alfred Brown of Independence; 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Announcements of funeral later from the Salem Mortuary, 545 North Capitol street.

Pope

At the residence, 6601 Gaymon avenue, Multnomah, March 20, Ida Katherine Pope, aged 78 years. Survived by brothers, James Burt of Hardensburg, Ky., Edward Burt of Concord, Calif., Morris Burt of Miles City, Mont.; nephew Ben W. Park of Multnomah. Funeral services from the chapel of Clough-Barrick company, Wednesday, Macrh 22 at 2 p. m. Rev. Swift officiating. Interment Cityview cemetery.

OVER $50,000 IN SEED LOANS ASKED

Requests Slackening, Local Office Remaining Open This Week, Word

Marion county farmers will receive between $50,000 and $60,000 on seed loans, which in turn will be poured into the trade channels of the county for seeds, fertilizers, feed for horses or gasoline for tractors.

This was revealed yesterday when County Commissioner Melson made the first check on applications being received by the county seed loan committee at the chamber of commerce here. Exactly 240 applications handled through the set-up at the chamber of commerce have been sent on to the Portland office, and these represent $33,600 in cash.

An additional 50 applications are in the hands of the committee here and have not been forwarded to Portland. These bring the Salem office total to $38,600 on 290 applications.

A sub-office for the county group has been functioning at Woodburn, where between 50 and 60 applications have been handled. Woodburn forwards direct to the Portland office, so no definite check is available here, but applications there probably represent $7,500.

Requests for the loans have slackened this week, and with this in mind the committee is asking that farmers who intend to apply for seed loans do so at once, being sure to bring with them to the chamber of commerce full legal description of their property.

The county committee states that the regional office plans to send three inspectors into Marion county this summer to make a definite check on farms where loans have been made, thus precluding any possibility of getting away with "monkey business" on expenditure of the seed loans.

UNIVERSITY INCOME TO EXCEED BUDGET

Receipts of endowment income and tuition payments by Willamette university for the fiscal year 1932-1933 will probably exceed budget estimates made last spring, N. S. Savage, business manager, said yesterday. Expenses have been held within the 1932-1933 budget allowances and the university will thus be able to operate within its yearly budget. Mr. Savage said the school ended the 1931-1932 fiscal year with a $4200 deficit which was covered by bank borrowing. He is hopeful this year will be closed with sufficient funds to pay all bills, and make up the $4200 deficit of a year ago without borrowing.

Whether salary cuts will be made in 1933-1934 at the university depends upon the outlook this summer and fall. A 10 per cent reduction in faculty salaries was made this year. The next meeting of the board of trustees is to be held at commencement time next June.

SOCIAL GATHERING FOR GRANGE FRIDAY

FAIRFIELD, March 21.—Corporation members of Fairfield grange are invited to attend a social meeting at the hall, Friday night, March 24, when grange members and their families will enjoy a program arranged by William McGilchrist and his Scotch entertainers..

Arrangements have been made for Fairfield to visit Chemawa grange, Friday night, April 13.

Micheal Mahoney, III, left recently for Reedsport, where he has employment in a garage owned by his uncle, Lewis Arthur. His sister, Helen, has moved to Salem. Both resigned offices in the Fairfield grange. Mrs. Ivan Brundidge was elected ceres and Ivan Brundidge was elected steward in their places.

License Issued — A license to wed was issued yesterday by the county clerk to Andrew H. Lavdahl, 1966 McCoy street, city, an engineer, and Ellis Eccles, 599 Liberty street, a waitress. The wedding is his first; her second.

Estate Appraised — The estate of the late Anna Beetow has $1000 in real property and $1058 in personal property according to an appraisal filed Tuesday in probate court. John Hain is administrator of the estate.

Cairnes Estate Settled — Final decree in the estate of the late Ida M. Cairnes was issued Tuesday in probate court here. Samuel R. Cairnes was administrator, handling $1750 of real property and $2015 of personal property.

$8000 in Estate—The estate of the late C. F. Whitman has an appraised value of $8000, all in personal property, Mary Whitman, executrix of his will, reported to the probate judge here Tuesday.

Bank Sues — The Bank of Woodburn filed suit in circuit court Tuesday asking that a mortgage note for $1600 be foreclosed. Defendants are Samuel B. Laymen and others.

Duval Arrested—Glenn Duval, 1610 North Summer street, was arrested yesterday on a charge of operating a motor vehicle with improper brakes, according to police records.

Edwards Jailed — Frank Edwards was jailed yesterday on a charge of being drunk, city police reported.

Brodie Expected To Return From Finland, August

E. E. Brodie, American minister to Finland, is expected back in Oregon in August, it was learned here Tuesday. Brodie will resume his work as editor and publisher of the Oregon City Enterprise.

He was appointed minister to Finland in 1929 by President Hoover. Brodie will continue at Helsingford, Finland, until President Roosevelt names his successor.

Brodie served as minister to Siam under President Coolidge. He has been prominent in Oregon politics and in the republican party.

SCHOOL LIBRARY'S CIRCULATION GROWS

The Salem public school library report at the end of February, 1933, shows a marked increase in circulation over the same month a year ago. Total books in circulation at the high school last month amounted to 3026 with a daily average of 157, while the February, 1932, report lists a total of 2651 for the month and a daily average of 139. The library was open a half day longer last month, however, than for the corresponding month last year.

The total number of books circulated for the month at Leslie junior high school was 1288, while 2641 were reported at Parrish.

Eight visits were made by Alta Kershner, librarian, during the month to grade schools to check traveling libraries, nine visits for spring book talks at grade schools and nine visits to junior high schools.

The financial statement showed a balance on February 1, 1933, of $54.24, which with appropriations and fines totaled $256.37 in receipts for the month. After subtracting expenditures for salaries and postage, express and freight, a balance of $93.87 was shown on March 1.

EDITH THOMAS JUST ESCAPES TRAMPLING

Wells Tallman, real estate dealer residing at 875 Breys avenue, has received a letter from his daughter, Mrs. Edith Thomas, whose home is in Pasadena, Calif. She and her husband had just driven over and went into a cafeteria in downtown Los Angeles, and had no more than sat down at one of the tables when the first heavy earthquakes came, and the panic stricken diners stampeded for the street.

Mrs. Thomas in making a rush for the door, and when almost there, either fell or was thrown across a table where she fainted, with her head touching the floor. Her husband managed to grab her up just in time and carried her to the street, and said in a few seconds more she would have been trampled to death had he not rescued her. Bruises covered almost her entire body.

Upon reaching the street they found everything in pandemonium, cars in collision and people milling around. It was a great relief when they finally arrived in Pasadena, where the quake was less severe.

KITE FLYING NEAR WIRES DANGEROUS

With the kite flying season at hand, the P. E. P. company is sending out its annual warning to children — and others not so young—to beware of flying kites near high tension wires.

"Kites with tinsel strings are especially dangerous as this string is a regular conductor when it comes in contact with high tension wires," V. P. "Tiny" McNamara of the electric company, warns.

Almost every year some child in the city is injured as result of this spring pastime. Last year a boy was knocked unconsious when his kite, with a tinsel string, flew into an electric line. Fear for the boy's life was felt for some time.

Any kite is dangerous when it comes in contact with high tension wires, for most are constructed with a wire frame. Ordinary wrapping string also acts as a conductor when it becomes wet.

Invitational Meet Of Grange is Big Success, Macleay

MACLEAY, March 21. — Mrs. A. Maden, Mrs. W. Welch and Mrs. E. Tooker were in charge of the program put on at the invitational social grange meeting Saturday night. Musical numbers were given by Viola and George Tooker, Mosier Brothers and Harrison Gibon. Frank Bowers did some clever cartooning. Music for dancing was furnished by Ed Tooker, Jack Richards, L. Davenport, Harison Gibon, Sam Wilson and Bill McGee.

Local Currency Good at H. L. Stiff Furn. Co.

H. L. Stiff Furniture Co.
COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHERS

Call 6910, Used Furniture Department
151 North High

FARMERS OBTAINING BIG FEDERAL LOANS

Office of Regional Credit Corporation is Taking Applications Here

P. H. Bell, who is local agent for the regional agricultural credit corporation, reports that a number of farmers in this section are borrowing through this channel to carry on farm labors for another year.

Two applications for $800 loans were made yesterday, and a third for $1000. The highest loan made so far is $2,500.

This loan proffer and the seed loans, which carry a minimum of $300, are the only two avenues open to the farmer right now, Bell says. Banks are turning farmers to the agricultural credit proposition, which carries six and a half per cent interest, a higher rate than the straight seed loans.

Loans are made on crop production, dairy, barnyard, cattle or range livestock and feeder operations. Bell's office is at 225 Oregon building, though for the present he is spending part of the day as legal adviser for the seed loan operations, being carried on by the county committee at the chamber of commerce building.

Harmonizers Feature Bethany Club Session

BETHANY, March 21 — The Evans Valley Happy Harmonizers were a special feature of the meeting held at Bethany school Friday night by the Bethany community club. Other numbers were given by local members. Miss Louisa Schmiedecke, Henry Torvend and Miss Bernice Frink were in charge of the program. Hostesses were Mrs. Silas Torvend, Mrs. Frank Hubbs, Mrs. L. R. Linn and Mrs. J. L. Stalker.

17 EQUITY CASES SET BY LEWELLING

Run From April 3 to May 10; Heidecke Estate Case Outstanding one

Seventeen cases in equity were set here yesterday by Judge L. G. Lewelling who will begin to try them April 3. Dates for the cases run through May 10.

Important among the cases to be heard is that of the Heidecke estate, the matter being appealed from the probate court here. Heidecke, twice married, was found after his death never to have divorced his first wife who lives in Pennsylvania. The suit involves the rights of the heirs.

Dates for cases set yesterday are:

April 3: DeGuire vs. Lamberson.
April 5: Edlund vs. Battleson.
April 6: In re: Heidecke estate.
April 7: Satier vs. Anderson.
April 10: Taylor vs. Richardson.
April 12: Steinbock vs. Steinbock.
April 13: Johnson vs. Fiskens.
April 14: Credit Service Co. vs. Cherry City Milling Co.
April 17: Paulus vs. Paulus.
April 19: West vs. Kafoury.
April 20: Burbanks vs. Hart.
May 1: Stayton Realty vs. Kearns.
May 2: Motion day.
May 4: Faist vs. Faist; Duncan vs. Bank of Stayton.
May 5: Northwest Adjustment Co. vs. Hartman.
May 10: Banning vs. Brentano.

SHAW, March 21—Mrs. Alice Maloney who has been visiting for several months at Los Angeles and Long Beach, California, and other southern points, has returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Goodin, for an indefinite stay.

Farmers Union Signs Up Group of Members

RIVERVIEW, March 21.—The Farmers' Union met Saturday night with a large attendance. The program was presented by the William Gilkey, Joe Prokop and Frank Prokop families. New members joining were Mr. and Mrs. John Reiley, Glen and Roy Thurston, Mrs. Welch and Mrs. Leitha Carmen.

ENROUTE TO CHICAGO

VALSETZ, March 21—A farewell party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Stelsier Friday night, for their niece, Mrs. Florence Donkin, and family who left Monday for Chicago.

$5.00—THRIFT COUPON—$5.00

Beautiful, Indestructible

Hecolite

plate, light weight
A regular $50.00 value. Special.....

$20.00

Special Prices on Extractions with Plate and Bridgework

DR. HIGGINS
THE PEOPLE'S DENTIST
20 Years in Practice

During March this coupon is worth $5.00 at my office to apply on any two plates or $2.50 on any single plate.

$5.00—THRIFT COUPON—$5.00

Lifelike Plate Teeth, Natural as Your Originals
Perfect fitting.. lifelike . . . will allow you to eat whatever you wish with comfort . . . adding greatly to your physical fitness.

$12.50

MY PLATES REALLY STICK

Double Suction Plate
Permitting You to Forget Your Former Plate Trouble.
A splendid plate with life like teeth and all-pink base material.

$10.00

LOW PRICES

Plate Repair ...$1.50
Silver Filling .50c, $1
Extraction 50c
Porcelain Filling.$1.50
Clean Teeth ...$1.00
Reline Plate ...$4.00

Dr. C. C. Higgins
Over J. C. Penney's Store
Telephone 6834

$5.00—THRIFT COUPON—$5.00

STUDEBAKER CARRIES ON

Receivership proceedings find world's oldest vehicle manufacturer with assets exceeding liabilities by over $70,000,000

FACTS LEADING TO COURT ACTION REVEALED

STUDEBAKER is still Studebaker in spirit, scope and service.

There has been no change, except for the better, in the policies and program of the historic Studebaker institution.

And Studebaker is fortunate that the men appointed to administer its affairs are H. S. Vance, Vice President of The Studebaker Corporation, Paul G. Hoffman, Vice President of The Studebaker Corporation and A. G. Bean, President of The White Motor Company—men schooled in the traditions which have given Studebaker its world-wide prestige.

The great South Bend plants of Studebaker, closed since the announcement of the bank moratorium, reopen Tuesday, March 21, under the direction of these seasoned automotive executives.

The New Strength of Studebaker

The Studebaker Corporation and its subsidiaries (including The White Motor Company and The Pierce-Arrow Motor Car Company, which are not included in this receivership) had on January 1, 1933, excluding good will, net assets of $77,622,293 in excess of all liabilities and a book value, excluding good will, of $26.22 per share of Studebaker common stock. Of these total net assets, net current assets were $21,781,243 or $8.84 per share of common stock. Cash alone was more than $9,000,000.

Directors of Studebaker consented to the friendly receivership, despite the company's strong financial condition, because in their opinion the best interests of Studebaker would be protected until certain legal entanglements in connection with the proposed merger with The White Motor Company are adjusted.

The Studebaker-White Merger

Six months ago it was decided unanimously by the respective Boards of Directors of The Studebaker Corporation and The White Motor Company, that many economies and commercial advantages would result from a merger. A plan looking toward this merger was submitted to the stockholders of The White Motor Company. Within a short time 95 per cent of the White stock was turned in, manifesting the almost unanimous approval of White stockholders.

In recent months, however, holders of approximately 3 per cent of the White stock have threatened litigation against the merger unless their stock were purchased at a price which Studebaker directors felt to be unreasonable and upon terms which it was impossible to meet. Studebaker recognizes the right of minority stockholders to set any price they please on their White stock—even, as in this case, a price higher than it has commanded on the open market at any time since 1929. In addition to private negotiations for this minority stock, Studebaker offered a plan of consolidation under which its value could have been established by court appraisal but the minority stockholders refused to accept it.

The Studebaker Corporation issued $14,900,000 in notes in connection with the acquisition of the assets of The White Motor Company. As a result of the attitude of the small minority group, these assets of White have not yet been merged with those of Studebaker. Furthermore, the terms under which these notes were issued have made it impossible, in the present banking situation, for Studebaker to secure its customary financial accommodations.

Studebaker Forges Ahead

Studebaker's competitive position in the industry has been improving steadily. During each of the past four years Studebaker-built cars have secured a larger proportion of total registrations than in the previous year.

The four lines of trucks—White, Pierce-Arrow, Studebaker and Indiana—now sold by The White Company, showed a larger dollar volume last year than any competing company except Ford and Chevrolet. With these four lines of trucks, White branches made a better showing in January 1933 than in January 1932, when general conditions were much better.

There will be no variation whatsoever in the quality of Studebaker and Rockne workmanship. Studebaker and Rockne automotive products will continue to be built without interruption or change, by Studebaker men. This pioneering organization has already faced and fought and triumphed over more "depressions", wars and "bad times" than any other company in the automobile business.

Studebaker now confidently carries on, assured that it can continue to offer the American public the kind of automobiles and service for which the name Studebaker is distinguished.

STUDEBAKER

Builder of Champions . . . Pioneer of Free Wheeling