

# GRIFFIN COMES TO DEFEND NRA

## Willamette Valley Lumber Company Suit One of Only Two, States

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months of 1934 will amount to 4,081,000,000 board feet for both hard and soft woods, according to Carl W. Bahr of Washington, D. C. secretary-treasurer of the code authority. This represents an increase of 119,000,000 feet over the last quarter of 1933.

Of the 1500 complaints against lumbermen received since the control committee was formed, 1400 were presented by labor or its representatives, it was reported by C. Arthur Bruce of Memphis, Tenn., vice chairman and executive officer of the code authority. Only 100 complaints of violation of fair practice and plant operating provisions were received, he said, and all but 19 of these were adjusted by correspondence.

Robinson, who is the government's non-voting representative at the hearing, said the case of the Willamette Valley Lumber company of Dallas, Ore., will be turned over to the department of justice for determination. The company has filed suit in federal court for an injunction restraining the code authority from enforcing the production quota. The hearing on the petition will be held December 15.

# HIGH SCHOOL GYM GATES SUGGESTED

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1933-34 year will amount to \$4000 whereas \$5000 was budgeted.

The board authorized purchase of two sets of a 15 volume encyclopedia at \$75.00 each to replace similar books which have worn out at Park and McKinley schools.

Purchase of three lots for \$1000 from N. Selig, enlarging Olinger field was made official. The deal was put through with signed approval of the directors last week to enable the CWA project there to continue.

The Y. M. C. A. was granted permission to charge admission to city league basketball games to be played in the Parrish junior high school gymnasium.

Adjournment was taken at call of the chairman to facilitate taking emergency official actions on matters pertaining to the CWA projects.

# LIQUOR STORE MAY OPEN HERE, BELIEF

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by precincts, the latter procedure not being possible under the Knox bill.

Already some building owners are considering a state liquor store as a possible tenant. As soon as the state administrator is named, numerous proposals for building leases will be offered him here. There is talk here that Frank Deckebach, Sr., will be a candidate for manager of the local liquor store.

# State Theatre

Last Times Tonight!  
Walt Disney's Famous Cartoon Novelty!  
"Three Little Pigs"

Victor Varconi and Vilma Banky in

REBEL

Starts THURSDAY  
Lewis Carroll's Great Story at Last in Pictures!  
"Alice in Wonderland"

# WELL-CHOSEN CHRISTMAS GIFTS For Everyone

If It's Suggestions You Want, See Our Windows

## Woolpert & Legg Drugs

Court at Liberty Phone 3444

# The Call Board...

## ELSI NORE

Today—Richard Dix in "No Marriage Ties" and "The Marriage Opportunity" contest.

## GRAND

Today—Clara Bow in "Hoop-La".

## THURSDAY

MacDowell club concert of 60 voices under direction of Lena Belle Tartar.

## FRIDAY

Double bill, Buck Jones in "The Thrill Hunter" and Wallace Ford in "East of 5th Ave."

## CAPITOL

Today—Ricardo Cortez in "Big Executive".

## THURSDAY

Robert Young in "Saturday's Millions", football epic.

## SEATE

Today—Vilma Banky in "The Rebel", first run. Also held over "Three Little Pigs."

## THURSDAY

Lewis Carroll's story, "Alice in Wonderland", first run.

## SATURDAY

Tom Tyler in "Partners of the Trail".

## HOLLYWOOD

Today—Helen Hayes in "Another Language".

## FRIDAY

Buck Jones in "Treasure".

## SATURDAY

Midnight matinee, Preston Foster in "The Man Who Dared".

The old Richard Dix returns to the screen in his latest starring vehicle, "No Marriage Ties" at the Elsinore theatre, in the role of a virtuous, dashing lover.

Departing from his more sedate characterization as seen in "Cimarron," and "The Conquerors," Dix rebounds to the gay romantic roles he portrayed in his earlier career. Set against the modern back-ground of an advertising agency, the star leaps into the heart of his mistress and out of the heart of his fiancée in a tense climax.

J. Walter Ruben directed, with Elizabeth Allan, Doris Kenyon and Alan Dinehart featured.

# SUSPECTS REMOVED TO AVERT LYNCHING

## TALOGA, Okla., Dec. 12. (P)—

Fred Overstreet and his girl companion, Cleo Owens, accused of killing three persons in a Fay, Okla., store today, were spirited from the county jail tonight by officers who did not reveal their destination.

The young couple was rushed from the jail after a deputy sheriff was reported to have telephoned from Fay that feeling was running high and that he was unable to quiet strong talk.

Although the two were removed from the jail at 8:45 p. m., by Sheriff C. C. Jones, County Attorney Ralph Gilchrist and two deputies, their departure was kept secret for nearly two hours.

From Fay, meanwhile, the situation was reported quieting. As far as could be learned there was no mass action, but only threats.

# AUDIENCE TO JUDGE IN CONTEST FINALS

The audience will be the judges in the finals of the McKesson opportunity contest Wednesday night at 8:30, to pick three acts to represent Salem in Portland. Of the three acts appearing in Portland on station KEK, one will be chosen to appear in the grand finals at the Broadway theatre.

Local talent appearing in the competition includes Marie Stutesman, Pauline Berry, John Perrine, Virgil Harrison, Shirley Mulkey, Faye Scott, The Haywire Symphony, Pauline Zoe Chambers and Buddy Sewell, Art Stubbertfield, Curt Williams, Ray Jennings, Luella Shannon, Elmer Lowell and Claire Hurley, and the Flying Dunks, composed of Buddy, Betty and Mary Dunkel.

The feature picture Wednesday night is Richard Dix in "No Marriage Ties."

# GOVERNOR WILL SCAN NEW LAW

## Expected to Sign by Late Today; Bills Held Up While Perfected

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to arrive here today. As a result of this demand the secretary of state announced that a reprint of the enrolled bills would be ordered as soon as they are available.

Governor Meier reported that he already had received more than a hundred letters from persons who are seeking jobs under the liquor control program. The governor indicated that these letters would be turned over to the liquor control commission. Most of the applicants desire to conduct liquor stores.

# CANDY SALES ISSUE FOR SCHOOL BOARD

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terest in school affairs. Director E. A. Bradford pointed out that having candy on sale in the schools kept the pupils on the grounds during the noon hour, while Superintendent George W. Hug said the pupils probably obtained better candy on the school premises.

"Without supervision the children buy much that is unfit for them," Principal LaMoine R. Clark of Leslie stated in a letter to the board.

Lists were submitted by Mr. Tavenner showing that student groups using candy profits had purchased books, magazines and posters for the school rooms and libraries, trophy cups, statuary, and picture projection equipment.

# EARLY STORMS KILL 55; AID IS SOUGHT

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tenth day of five degrees above zero. The coldest day of December 1933, with a minimum of 25, occurred on the first day of the month.

The already swollen precipitation total for the present month is going higher; more rain is predicted by the weather bureau for today and Thursday.

Following is the day by day rainfall for December 1933 and 1932:

Day	1933	1932
1	0.00 in.	0.07 in.
2	0.32 in.	0.06 in.
3	0.22 in.	0.03 in.
4	0.06 in.	0.00 in.
5	0.38 in.	0.09 in.
6	4.30 in.	0.09 in.
7	0.55 in.	0.21 in.
8	0.00 in.	0.00 in.
9	0.00 in.	0.00 in.
10	0.01 in.	0.00 in.
11	0.15 in.	0.06 in.
12	0.44 in.	0.00 in.
Total	6.69 in.	0.52 in.

# Opposition to Uniform Store Hours Forming

An opposition movement to uniform closing hours for grocery stores has started up in Salem with formation of a community grocery and condimentary store group at a meeting held this week at the Little Lady's Store. By-laws were adopted and around 50 storekeepers signed up, it was reported yesterday.

Closing hours were held to be an individual problem. It was suggested that each store handle the problem in its own way, as was said to be permitted by the general retail code.

# CAPITOL LAST TIMES TONITE "BIG EXECUTIVE"

with RICARDO CORTEZ ELIZABETH YOUNG

Tomorrow - Friday - Saturday

# Touchdown in Screen History

## Saturdays Millions

ROBT. YOUNG-LEILA HYAMS

500 Seats 15c Main Floor 20c

# Another Language

"BARGAIN OF A CENTURY" Paramount News and Travel Reel Also Todd and Pitts Comedy

# Late Sports

## CORVALLIS, Ore., Dec. 12. (P)—

Word that the University of Washington and Oregon State college will renew football relations next season for the first time in five years was received at Oregon State college here tonight from Carl Ledell, Beaver graduate manager who is in San Francisco for the Pacific Coast conference meetings.

Ledell wired that the Orange-men will meet the Huskies in Seattle next November 5. He said that the game with Montana university, originally scheduled for November 3, will be played November 17.

Other games on the Oregon State revised schedule, Ledell said, include Stanford at Portland, October 6; Southern California at Los Angeles, October 30; Washington State at Pullman, October 27; Oregon at Eugene, November 18; and UCLA at Los Angeles, November 24.

## LOS ANGELES, Calif., Dec. 12. (P)—

Cefeferino Garcia of Mexilla, champion welterweight boxer of California, won decision in ten rounds over Baby Joe Gans of Los Angeles and New York. Garcia weighed 146 pounds, Gans half a pound more.

# WIDOW, DAUGHTER TO RECEIVE \$8000

The state supreme court Tuesday reversed the decree of Judge Taswell of the Multnomah county circuit court in a suit brought by Mary H. Gomoll, a resident of Illinois, to share in the estate of Robert G. Lutke, who died in Portland on September 29, 1930.

The lower court held for the plaintiff.

A will executed by Lutke shortly before his death provided that \$8000 of his estate should go to his half-brother, Charles Gomoll and to his heirs forever. Gomoll died a few months later, leaving a widow, Mary H. Gomoll, and a daughter, Margaret Temple, both of whom were living in Chicago.

The sole question involved in the appeal was whether the \$8000 bequeathed by Lutke to Charles Gomoll and his heirs should be divided between his widow and daughter.

The supreme court held that Margaret Temple was the only lineal descendant of the half brother of the testator and was entitled to the entire bequest.

The opinion was written by Justice Bailey.

Other opinions handed down by the supreme court included: Motion to dismiss appeal denied in Schramm vs. Osborn. Motion to dismiss allowed in Lantz vs. state industrial accident commission and in Fisher vs. state industrial accident commission.

# Special Meeting Called, Clear Lake

## CLEAR LAKE, Dec. 12. —

A special meeting of the Clear Lake community club has been called by Ross Chapin, president, for Thursday night at the schoolhouse to discuss ways of raising matching funds for remodeling the school building under the civil works program. A full attendance is being urged.

# WARNER BROS. EL SINORE

## On the Stage Tonight, 8:15 IN PERSON

## Don MILLS

Noted Radio and Vaudeville Entertainer

## WILSON'S BIG OPPORTUNITY CONTEST

For Radio, Stage and Screen

## TODAY AND TOMORROW

## Richard DIX

"NO MARRIAGE TIES"

ELIZABETH ALLAN DORIS KENYON ALAN DINEHART

## LADIES' BARGAIN MATINEE TODAY AND THURSDAY — 2:15

15c Gentlemen 25c

# WHITE LAW-ORDER CHAIRMAN, LEGION

## Investigation of Crime and Study of Public Office Integrity Planned

Major General White yesterday accepted the chairmanship of a newly organized American Legion state committee on law and order. The announcement followed several conferences between Harold J. Warner, department commander of the Legion, and General White.

Members of the committee include prominent Legionnaires from virtually every section of the state.

"Unqualified support and aid for the constituted authorities in the prevention and suppression of crime was pledged by the American Legion at its recent convention in Chicago," Commander Warner declared. "This state committee is being appointed to study the crime problem and devise plans for the active participation of the American Legion in curbing criminal endeavor in Oregon. Recently reported crimes both with and without our state has made the appointment of the committee pertinent at this time."

Integrity in public service is to be another phase of the committee's study.

"I am particularly interested in that phase of the work," General White said. "Such crimes as kidnaping are spectacular and arouse high public feeling, but an even more serious crime is that of the bank - wrecker and peculator whose crimes strip hundreds of people of their savings. No less serious is the official who betrays a public trust for his own gain. I feel that both types of criminals should be given the committee's earnest attention, along with the more common types of public enemies."

Members of the law and order committee include: General White, chairman; Ralph H. King, Portland, president Oregon State Bar association; Frank C. McCulloch, Baker, former city attorney; Philip L. Jackson, Portland, publisher Oregon Journal; Judge Jacob Kessler, Portland, circuit court; Guy Gordon, Roseburg, district attorney; E. Palmer Hoyt, Portland, managing editor of the Oregonian; Carlton E. Spencer, Eugene, faculty member University of Oregon law school; Frank M. Franciscovich, Astoria, attorney and state senator; Harold J. Sexton, The Dalles, sheriff; Robert M. Duncan, Burns, attorney and state senator; George R. Wilbur, Hood River, RFO attorney for Oregon, and former district attorney; Edward F. Bailey, Eugene, attorney and former state senator.

# Reserves Honor High Officers at Dinner Tonight

The Marion-Polk county chapter of the Reserve Officers association will hold a dinner meeting at Cole's cafe at 7:30 o'clock tonight to honor high army, national guard and reserve officers.

The chapter has invited Major General George A. White to be guest of honor. Other officers to be present include General McLaughlin of the regular army,

# CHAMBER TO ELECT AT NEXT LUNCHEON

## Ellis, Myers and Stiff are Nominated, President; Findley Chairman

Annual election of officers for the Salem chamber of commerce will be held at the luncheon meeting December 18, with the choice to be made from the following nominations reported at yesterday noon's meeting:

For President — William P. Ellis, Frank G. Myers and H. L. Stiff.

For vice-president — Dr. L. E. Barrick, Leif Bergsvik and Walter T. Molloy.

Dr. Skeffington is a nationally known authority on fatigued conditions of the eye and ocular efficiency. He conducts clinics throughout the United States and his work is lauded by outstanding men in the optometric profession. Dr. Skeffington is also a special scheduled speaker out of Washington, D. C., for the administration on NRA.

# DRUNKEN DRIVER IS GIVEN THIRTY DAYS

The first motorist to be penalized in municipal court here in the past two years for drunken driving is D. J. Goodell of Aurora, according to a record filed yesterday by Judge Mark Poulsen upon pleading guilty. Goodell was ordered to spend 30 days in city jail, pay a \$100 fine and forfeit his operator's license for one year as required by state law.

Although city police have made over 50 arrests on this charge the past two years, Goodell is the first motorist to plead guilty and no convictions have been obtained in the few jury trials held. Goodell was arrested last Thursday after a city policeman observed him driving on the wrong side of a street and later driving down the Southern Pacific tracks in south Salem.

# Last Times Today

## Clara Bow

## PRESTON FOSTER

## GRAND

Continuous Show - 1 P.M.-11 P.M.

# Secretary — A. A. Kense, L. N. Simon and A. W. Smith, Treasurer — Dr. L. O. Clement, John D. Foley and A. C. Nelson. Social department chairman — Karkley A. Newmon, C. A. Page, and Arthur J. Rahn. Civic department — Frank J. Chapman, Robert Hutcheon and T. A. Windishar. Industrial department — L. V. Benson, A. F. Hayes and Van Wiedner. Legislative department — W. W. Chadwick, L. B. Endicott and Ronald C. Glover. Agriculture department — Oscar D. Olson, J. F. Ulrich and Ray A. Youum. Two additional directors will be the King King of the Salem Chamber and the president of the Salem Business men's league, both of whom will be selected later by their respective organizations. Nominations were reported by Dr. M. C. Findley, chairman of the committee.

# The First Week of Our Pre-Christmas Shoe Clearance

## Shoe Clearance

has met with wonderful response. Many Salem people have taken advantage of the big savings offered!

But there are plenty of bargains left—both for men and women! Come in and see!

# Women's FINE SHOES

\$5.00 Values \$2.95 Now \$5.50 and \$6.00 Values \$3.95 & \$4.95

# Men's Shoes Reduced

Weyenberg and Co-Operative Union Made Shoes Included

# CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS

For Men, Women, Children Leather Soles and Linings—Also Woolies

# VIRGINIA LEE Shoe Store

We Give 25c Green Stamps 129 N. Commercial St. X-Ray Fitting Service

# RAIL FARES OUT

## SURCHARGE CANCELLED

Reducing Sleeping Car Charges 1/3 ON SOUTHERN PACIFIC

# To CALIFORNIA

## COACH and TOURIST FIRST CLASS

## \$12 \$20.88

## SAN FRANCISCO \$19.70 ROUNDTRIP

Special low fares good in coaches and chair cars, also in tourist sleeping cars plus berth. Similar fares to other California points. Los Ang., 1 Way \$19; R'd Trip \$29.30

## SAN FRANCISCO \$27.60 ROUNDTRIP

First-class one-way fares have been cut one-sixth. Roundtrips are on a basis of 2 1/2 a mile. Good in all types of accommodations. Similar fares to other points. Los Ang., 1 Way \$32.48; R'd Tp \$42.90

## SLEEPING CAR CHARGES CUT 1/3

Applies to all types of Pullman accommodations between all points in the West. New rate examples: From Salem To STANDARD TOURIST Upper Berth Lower Berth Upper Berth Lower Berth SAN FRANCISCO .. \$4.00 \$5.00 \$2.20 \$2.75 LOS ANGELES .. 6.00 7.50 3.40 4.25 Berth for night ride only, as low as \$1 in Tourist Pullmans.

## EAST VIA CALIFORNIA

One-way fares good in Tourist Pullmans, plus berth, are reduced. Example: from Portland and most western Oregon points to Chicago, now \$44.36. Coach fare to Chicago, \$40.

## ALL-YEAR ROUNDTRIPS

radically reduced. Example: from Portland and most western Oregon points to Chicago \$111; to New York, \$172.40. Good in all types of accommodations.

## CHRISTMAS EXCURSIONS EAST

Special low roundtrips good on all trains leaving December 14 to January 1. Return limit, January 15.

## Southern Pacific

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