

# Local News Briefs

**Talk C. E. Meet**—Close to 3000 delegates are expected to attend the annual state convention of the Christian Endeavor society to be held here April 19 to 22. It was reported at a meeting here this week of persons assigned to work out plans for the occasion. This year's convention will celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Christian Endeavor movement. Sessions will be held in the Willamette university gymnasium. Present at the meeting were Helen McClay, state president, and Viola Ogden, state secretary, both of Portland. Rev. Hugh McCullum, pastor of the Court Street Christian church, is general chairman on convention arrangements here.

**Assessors Meet**—Seeking to arrive as nearly as possible at a uniform assessment for livestock, personal property and other articles, members of the Willamette Valley Assessors' association met here this week with County Assessor Oscar Steelhammer. Among those present were W. L. Osborn, Yamhill; J. E. Carpenter, Washington county; E. L. Pape, Clackamas; W. C. Templeton, Lincoln; Ben F. Keeney, Lane; C. L. Tallman, Benton; Charles Hart, Linn, and Mr. Steelhammer.

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**Devers Urges Speed**—J. M. Devers, attorney for the state highway commission, yesterday sent a telegram to Colonel Clark of the federal public works administration, urging him to send a telegram when the bond contracts for the five Oregon Coast highway bridges are placed in the mail at Washington. Devers said the contracts would be referred to the Oregon highway commission immediately upon their arrival here.

**Has Power to Borrow**—Domestic life insurance companies have power to borrow money which is to be used for the purpose of promoting their business and preserving their assets, provided the capital and surplus of such companies is not impaired, Attorney General Van Winkle held in an opinion handed down Tuesday. The opinion was requested by A. H. Averill, state insurance commissioner.

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**Board Meets Today**—All three members of the state board of control will arrive in Salem Thursday to attend the second meeting of the board to be held since P. J. Stadelman was appointed secretary of state. Stadelman has been spending the past few days at The Dalles with Governor Meier and Rufus H. Homan, state treasurer, are in Portland.

**Representative Named**—It is Mayor McGilchrist, Jr., whom William Douglas McKay Monday reappointed to the city planning and zoning commission, will be Salem's representative at a convention of the northwest regional planning commission in Portland March 5, 6 and 7. This was recommended to the city council by the commission. W. W. Rosebraugh also was reappointed to the commission.

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**View Elkhorn Road**—County Judge Siegmund, Commissioner Smith and Engineer Swart, following examination of the road up the little north fork of the Santiam river as far as Elkhorn early this week, report it generally in good condition. There are a few rough places needing gravel from Taylor's gravel pit, four and a half miles above Mehama.

**Voiture Meets Tonight**—Marion county voiture No. 153 of the 40 and 8 will hold its monthly meeting at the Gray Bell restaurant at 6:30 o'clock tonight. The next session will be a dinner affair at Silverton March 9 after which the voiture will attend the Marion county council meeting of the American Legion.

**Extradition Approved**—Governor Meier Tuesday authorized the extradition of Frank Trotter, who is wanted in Sequoyah county, Oklahoma, for robbery while armed with a dangerous weapon. Trotter is under arrest in Portland.

**Call New Pastor**—The Temple Baptist church, in special meeting Monday night, called Elder George Walker of Possil as regular pastor. The group also voted to become affiliated with the Middle Oregon Baptist association.

**Final Account In**—Final account was filed in probate court Tuesday by Wilma E. Wintermantel, administratrix of the estate of the late Fred Wintermantel.

- Coming Events**
- February 20-21—Mid-year Methodist rally, First M. E. church.
  - February 21—Meeting of state board of control.
  - February 22—Washington's birthday; legal holiday; banks, courthouses and state houses; exercises in schools.
  - February 23—Marion county Young Democrats rally, 8:30, Marion hotel.
  - February 27-28—Annual meeting Oregon Tuberculosis association, chamber of commerce.
  - March 9—Second annual convention of Oregon Building congress, chamber of commerce.
  - March 15—Annual spring opening, sponsored by Salem chamber of commerce.
  - March 21-24—Annual state high school basketball tournament, Willamette gym.

**Mrs. Eberly Recovering**—Mrs. Blide Eberly, 543 South 16th street, who was very painfully and seriously injured in an automobile accident about 6 p. m. January 16 at South 12th and Mission streets, is getting along as well as can be expected under the circumstances. She was confined to the Deaconess hospital about two weeks when she was apparently able to go to her home. But when later x-rays showed she had something like nine ribs broken and a bad case of spinal fracture and injury to the lungs and when pneumonia and pleurisy developed, she was returned to the Deaconess where she is still confined.

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**Hard Debates Scheduled**—Willamette university debate team will face two stiff contests this week when it debates with teams from the University of Washington and the University of Nevada here. The Washington debate will be held Thursday night. Two teams, the first composed of Frederick Spiess and George Striding, and the second of Randall Keister and Laurence Morley, will argue against the Washington men. The Nevada debate will be Friday night.

**Form New Orchestra**—Upon the requests of a number of persons a second string orchestra is to be organized at the W. C. A. Mrs. Elizabeth Callahan, W. C. A. secretary announced last night. It will meet Thursday afternoons at 2 o'clock, with its first get-together scheduled for tomorrow. Persons who play or are interested in playing steel guitars, Spanish guitars, mandolin or ukuleles are eligible for membership.

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**\$2945 in Estate**—The estate of the late Catharine Zimmerman who died at the age of 82 years in Aurora last month, has assets of \$2945 according to an appraisal filed in court yesterday. In addition the estate has \$2500 in securities of the Willamette Valley Mortgage Loan company and \$850 in the Union Savings and Loan association, both in receivership. Allen J. Zimmerman is executor of the deceased's will.

**\$7567 Going Out**—Distribution of \$7567 by E. M. Smidt as trustee for noteholders in the case of B. F. Giesy against the Willamette Valley Mortgage company was authorized yesterday by Judge L. G. Lewelling. The ratable share of each noteholder follows: Aurora State bank, \$1,312; Anna Messer, \$1028; Mirella Wiley, \$2570; Alexander Campau estate, \$514; Frye estate, \$314; Louis Smidt, \$1256.

**Hop Case Continues**—Involved litigation over the ownership of the Statby ranch continued in circuit court here yesterday before Acting Judge John Carson. Counsel for both sides indicated at least another day would be required for the case which has already occupied five days in court. C. O'Neill claims a one-third interest in the property, his claim being contested by Robin Day.

**Geo. Washington Birthday**, Feb. 22. Adm. 25c.

**State Sues**—The State Industrial Accident commission filed suits here yesterday against five employers, seeking to obtain monies allegedly due the commission for compensation payments. Defendants named and the amounts sought from each follow: Herbert F. Ostlund \$30; Rufus E. Boatwright \$29; Wallace T. and Margaret E. Riches \$40; Henry A. Girrod \$60; Adam A. Shepherd \$83.

**Case Continued**—Municipal Judge Poulson yesterday continued indefinitely the case of Eugene Byland, 1130 Norway street, who is charged with speeding. Byland was arrested by city police Monday.

**Hoffman Fined \$5**—Alfred E. Hoffman, whom city police arrested Monday on a charge of driving recklessly, pleaded guilty in municipal court yesterday and paid a \$5 fine, according to municipal court records.

## Obituary

**Bontrager**  
L. Wiley Bontrager, at the residence, route 9, Monday, February 19, aged 69 years. Survived by son, F. A. Williams of Salem; stepdaughter, Mrs. William Hislop of Stockton, Cal.; four sisters and one brother of Missouri; grandchild, Vivian Williams of Salem; also several nephews and nieces, including Miss Ella Dooley of Missouri, and O. E. Fowler of Sacramento, Cal. Funeral services from the Clough - Barrick chapel Wednesday, February 21, at 1:30 p. m., Rev. Grover Birtch officiating. Interment in Lincoln Memorial park in Portland.

## Births

**Hoadley**—To Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hoadley, 530 North 19th street, an eight and one-half pound boy, born February 19 at the Bungalow Maternity home.

**Dornbush**—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Dornbush, route nine, a boy, Ronald Eugene, born February 17 at Salem Deaconess hospital.

**Rutherford**—To Mr. and Mrs. L. Rutherford, 825 Madison street, a girl, Robin Carol, born February 16 at Salem Deaconess hospital.

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## SOCIAL AND WORKER INSURANCE SOUGHT

**Initiative Petition is Filed; Would Abolish State Police Department**

Unemployment and social insurance is proposed for all workers in Oregon under a preliminary petition for a constitutional amendment filed in the state department Tuesday by the Multnomah county federation of unemployed.

The insurance fund would be created by the state and the employers pending enactment of a federal insurance law by congress. All workers over 16 years old would be eligible for payment during unemployment at the basic wage or salary in full. The minimum allowance under the amendment was fixed at \$10 a week and \$3 for each dependent. There also are insurance features for accidents, health and old age. All commissions and boards for relief would be abolished. These would include the state industrial accident commission, state relief committee, county indigent boards and the soldiers' and sailors' indigent fund. The new act would be administered by a commission of nine members, three from each congressional district. Three others would be selected in each county, to be chosen by conventions. The state police also would be abolished and law enforcement would be left in the hands of sheriffs and municipal officers.

State salaries would be limited to \$3500 a year, and all money in excess of that amount based on the present salary schedule would divert to the unemployment fund. The legislature would appropriate \$25,000,000. Provision also is made for a corporate and personal income tax on incomes in excess of \$3000 and graduated up to an income of more than \$50,000.

## Three Decrees of Divorce Granted Here on Tuesday

Three divorce decrees were handed down here Tuesday afternoon by Judge L. G. Lewelling.

Margaret Weiser obtained a divorce from Robert Weiser and the custody of their child.

Lillian Clemens obtained a decree from Cornet Clemens and the custody of their two children with \$10 a month support money.

Allan Hudnall was awarded a divorce from Inez Hudnall, the defendant receiving the custody of their two children. Under a consent with Hudnall, she is to receive \$25 a month for the children's support.

**Mission Group Meets**—The Woman's Missionary society of the First Evangelical church will meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the chapel of the church, Rev. Ezra Mackenzie of the Peninsular avenue mission of Portland and a group of people from his church will have charge of the program telling of their work in this mission. All members and friends are invited to attend.

**Case Reinstated**—Suit of John Bickler against Helena Bickler has been reinstated in circuit court here by order of Judge L. G. Lewelling. The court set aside a prior order dismissing the suit on the grounds that there was an excusable delay on the part of the plaintiffs.

**Loan Firm Sues**—The States Savings and Loan association yesterday filed a complaint in circuit court against P. A. Eiker and a number of others, seeking to collect \$666. Interest and taxes on a mortgage loan originally made in the sum of \$1000.

**Gatke Lions Speaker**—Dr. Robert Moulton Gatke, professor of political science at Willamette university, will deliver the Washington's birthday address at the Salem Lions club noon luncheon at the Gray Belle restaurant Thursday.

**Estate Appraised**—The late Ove C. Casperson left assets valued at \$1250 according to an appraisal filed in probate court Tuesday. R. O. Solum is administrator. The property left consists of four acres of land.

**\$5314 in Estate**—The estate of the late Dora McElhaney contained assets appraised at \$5314, largely in real estate, according to a report filed in probate court Tuesday. Byron and Edna McElhaney are joint executors.

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## 6 Pardons Granted by Meier; 2 Go to Life Termer Men

Six conditional pardons, two of which involve Alfonso Roygozo and Gilbert T. Ingersoll, who were serving life terms in the Oregon state penitentiary here for murder, were issued by Governor Meier Tuesday.

Roygozo was received at the penitentiary from Klamath county February 6, 1924, following conviction on a second degree murder charge. Under the terms of his pardon he will be surrendered to the immigration authorities for deportation to Mexico.

Ingersoll was convicted of first-degree murder in Klamath county and was received at the penitentiary December 19, 1920. Ingersoll's pardon provides that he shall go to Los Angeles where he has been offered a home by relatives. This pardon was recommended by Judge J. U. Campbell who presided at the trial, and other officials.

Other pardons issued by Governor Meier follow:  
Steve Mogensen, received at the penitentiary March 28, 1932, from Lane county, to serve 13 years for larceny by embezzlement.  
Allen Romeo Mortenson, received from Lane county June 5, 1933, to serve two years for burglary not in a dwelling.  
Arthur Miller and Frank Latin, received from Clackamas county May 25, 1932, to serve five years for burglary not in a dwelling.

## MARTHA E. MOORE CALLED BY DEATH

**INDEPENDENCE, Feb. 20.**—(Special)—Funeral services for Martha Elizabeth Moore, 79, who passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Oliver Omsundson, near here, will be held Wednesday, February 21, at 2 o'clock at the Keeney funeral home, with Rev. K. A. Nelson officiating. Interment will be in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Mrs. Moore was born in Onley, Illinois, February 4, 1855, and moved to Missouri at the age of five. She was married to G. W. Moore June 25, 1874, at Beloit, Kansas, and had three children: Mrs. George Harding of Roseburg; also 36 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren; a brother, Alexander Courtwright of Kansas City, Missouri; and a sister, Mrs. James Solomon of Gillette, Wyoming.

**Jason Lee Church Plans Washington Birthday Program**  
Jason Lee Methodist Memorial church here will celebrate Washington's birthday with an interesting 6:30 o'clock dinner in the church parlors Thursday night. Guests will be seated at small tables decorated to represent the months of the year, and will choose the table of their birth month.

Violin numbers by Alex Melvold will feature patriotic airs, with Miss Barbara Barham at the piano. Mrs. Gordon Black is general chairman for the February social programs and other committees. Members are Mrs. W. H. Ney, Mrs. B. Benson, Mrs. Fred Leeper and Mrs. J. H. Klinger.

## Supreme Court is Nearly Caught Up

The state supreme court is as nearly caught up with its schedule of work as it has been in many years, Arthur Benson, clerk, reported Tuesday. Only 30 cases are before the court for hearing and only 70 more have been filed. The latter cannot be argued until briefs are filed. Benson said most of the cases ready for argument will be heard within a few weeks. Yesterday eight opinions were handed down by the court.

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## SIEGMUND LIKELY TO ASK REELECTION

**County Judge Urged by Many to Announce; Smith As Yet Undecided**

While County Judge John Siegmund has no yet announced himself a candidate for reelection, it appeared probable yesterday that he would shortly announce himself as a candidate for the republican nomination. The judge stated that a number of friends had approached him, urging that he enter the race. It was known yesterday that representative Salem business men, pleased with the excellent financial status of the county, were asking Judge Siegmund to seek reelection.

He first became county judge by appointment, serving one year to complete the term of the late Judge Bushey. He then sought successful in the campaign of 1928. This year marks the completion of his six-year term.

There are already two candidates seeking the post: Martin Ferrey, attorney, seeks the republican nomination while P. L. Frazer, formerly in the gravel business in this city, has announced himself a candidate for the democratic nomination.

James E. Smith, senior member of the county court in point of service, has not made known whether he would seek renomination and election. Smith, who now lives in Salem but whose home place is in the St. Paul district, is now completing his third four-year term as commissioner. He has been active in state affairs of the judges' and commissioners, serving for some time as secretary of the state organization. Smith also is supported by business interests in the county. It has been rumored that he might seek to be elected as county judge but it is understood he will not oppose Judge Siegmund if the latter seeks reelection.

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## Production Credit Meet is This Morn

A meeting in connection with the Production Credit association of Spokane has been called for this morning at 10 o'clock at which time it is expected W. Ervie Williams of the Spokane office will be in attendance.

## NO BEER SALES IN WEE HOURS, RULING

**Sammis Says Beer Gardens To be Watched Closely; Gambling Also Banned**

No beer will be served to customers of any beer dispensary, either city or rural, between the hours of 1 and 6 a. m., according to regulations posted in the Salem headquarters of the state liquor commission Tuesday. Penalty for violation of the order is revocation of the dealers' license.

These regulations, after being posted for six days, have the same effect as a law. Violators are subject to maximum fines of \$500, county jail sentences up to six months, or both such fine and imprisonment.

George Sammis, administrator, declared here Tuesday that any person who sells beer and had liquor to minor will be prosecuted. "We intend to catch these fellows and prosecute them with vengeance," he said.

Gambling along with drinking also will be taboo, the commissioner averred. "Persons wishing this diversion will have to seek places other than licensed beer and wine parlors," Sammis continued. "In cases where gambling is tolerated the license to sell wines and beer will be revoked." Sammis said revocations of beer licenses also would be ordered revoked in cases where persons receiving permits are convicted of other criminal offenses.

## FINAL RITES HELD FOR BELLE SHEPARD

**DAYTON, Feb. 20.**—Mrs. Belle Shepard, 67, wife of A. G. Shepard, proprietor of the "Y" service station, two miles west of Dayton, died at 6:15 Saturday night, Feb. 17, after four days illness, with diabetes. She had resided here since 1927, coming at that time from Portland.

She was born June 29, 1866 in Lane county, Miss., and was married April 9, 1883, at Aberdeen, South Dakota and came to Portland in 1890. She was a member of the Baptist church, the McMinville Civic club, the Rebekah and Circle lodges; and the Dayton Prairie Needle club and Fairview Needle club.

She is survived by her widower and one daughter, Mrs. Carrie Gagon of Columbus, Mont.

Funeral services were at 2 p. m. Tuesday at Macy's chapel in McMinville. Rev. Kenneth Daniel was the pastor. Burial was at the Dayton I. O. O. F. cemetery with the Circle and Rebekah lodges assisting.

## General Health of Students is Improving Here

Examination of 61 new pupils at Leslie junior high school by the Marion county health department staff continues the recently noted upward trend in general health of Salem school children. Dr. Vernon A. Douglas, county health officer announced yesterday. And while numerous gross physical defects formerly were found, few are not being reported, he added. Dr. Douglas attributed the betterment in large part

## WASHINGTON EULOGY DELIVERED BY RAND

**Attempts to Undermine U.S. Constitution Said to Menace Democracy**

Eulogizing George Washington as an American whose stature is excelled by no other citizen of the nation's history and only equaled by the immortal Lincoln, Chief Justice John Rand delivered a tribute to the first president at the Kiwanis club luncheon here Tuesday noon.

Without the wise counsel of Washington and lacking his forceful leadership, this nation might never have achieved its present greatness, the speaker averred. He characterized Washington as a man of superb character, of un-failing good judgment and of remarkable foresight.

Washington's service is notable in the formation of the United States constitution, Justice Rand declared. This document has been the foundation for free government in the United States, he said. Present-day attempts to undermine it and to replace the constitution with a dictatorship menace democratic government.

Had Washington's advice against entangling foreign alliances been followed, the United States' present condition would be much improved, the speaker commented.

Justice Rand was introduced by Attorney-General Van Winkle. The attendance award for the day was presented by Rev. George Swift.

## Woodburn Girl is Missing; Alarm Felt

**WOODBURN, Feb. 20.**—Relatives and friends of Miss Dorothy Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allen of Woodburn, are alarmed over her disappearance. Miss Allen left the home of her girl friend, Miss Leota Hawley with whom she has been making her home, to take a walk Friday about noon and has not been heard from since.

## 21 Die, January Motor Accidents

Twenty-one persons were killed in motor vehicle accidents in Oregon during January of this year as compared with 27 during January a year ago, P. J. Stadelman, secretary of state, announced Tuesday. The number of persons injured increased from 304 in January last year to 364 in January of this year. Accidents in January, 1933, aggregated 1529, as against 1720 in January this year. Eleven fatalities involved pedestrians.

## AUCTION GETS CROWD

**GATES, Feb. 20.**—Quite a large crowd from Gates and Mill City and beyond attended the public auction given by Mrs. Euna White at her home southeast of Gates Saturday. Sanford Bassett of King's Prairie conducted the auction.

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