

# Local News Briefs

**Grange Fights Tax**—The Oregon state grange expended \$372.15 in conducting its campaign against the sales tax and in support of the referendum on the ballot May 18, according to an expense statement filed in the state department Saturday. The grange estimated that an additional \$400 would be expended in behalf of the referendum prior to Thursday night. Another expense account filed today showed that the Independent Merchants' association expended approximately \$103.75 in behalf of the sales tax law referendum.

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**Insurance Explained**—Contract motor carriers, operating under the state transportation act, who have not obtained cargo insurance, will be required to equip their trucks with plates bearing the words "cargo uninsured." Charles M. Thomas, state utility commissioner, announced Saturday. Carriers who have obtained this insurance protection will equip their trucks with plates bearing the words "cargo insured." Thomas said these plates were now being mailed to all contract carriers in the state.

**You are cordially invited to attend The Oregon Statesman free cooking school Salem armory, 2 to 4 P. M. Tuesday, May 15, Wednesday, May 16, Thursday, May 17, Friday, May 18.**

**To Continue Trains**—The Spokane, Portland and Seattle Railroad company, which early in January asked permission to discontinue trains 22 and 23 between Portland and Seaside yesterday withdrew its application. C. M. Thomas, state utility commissioner, announced. A large number of protests were filed against the application and Thomas suggested that the company continue operation of the trains until a hearing could be held. Railroad officials declared today that they hoped patronage would increase sufficiently to warrant continued service.

**Urge Martin to Come**—A group of prominent Marion county democrats yesterday sent a telegram to the state democratic headquarters in Portland, urging Major-General Martin, democratic candidate for governor, to return to Oregon prior to the election next Friday. It was argued that Martin could make the trip by airplane, which would give him ample time to deliver at least three public addresses before the close of the primary election campaign.

**Roy R. Hewitt for mayor rally.** Willson park bandstand, 8 p. m., Monday.

**Ask Humphrey Return**—Rev. H. C. Humphrey, pastor of Jason Lee Methodist Episcopal church, was unanimously asked to return for a third year during a business meeting of the church organization Friday night. Herman Clark was elected lay delegate, and Mrs. D. O. Lear, alternate, to the Methodist Episcopal conference which will be held in Portland in June.

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**Seeks Divorce**—Gertrude L. Hunsaker filed a divorce complaint here yesterday against Robert C. Hunsaker to whom she was married here December 12, 1921. She says he drank too much liquor, used vile language in speaking to her, left her for extended periods alone on their ranch and on occasion attempted to choke her. She says she was forced to leave him in October, 1932.

**McElroy's Band, auditorium, Mt. Angel, Tuesday, May 15.**

**Claim Settled**—A claim of \$93 for which F. J. Jones, recently brought suit against Marion county was settled yesterday by an agreement between counsel for both sides. Jones receiving \$75. The claim arose over damages to Jones' auto received, allegedly, through a faulty piece of county road.

**Claim Cut Down**—An order allowing a mortgage owned by the estate of the late Catherine Burkholder to be reduced from \$3500 to \$2852 was filed yesterday in probate court here. The mortgage was against property owned by Frank H. and Mary H. Waigamot.

**Lafky Named**—Ray H. Lafky was yesterday named administrator of the estate of the late August Krueger, succeeding the late F. J. Lafky. Estimated value of property owned by the estate is \$2600.

**Coming Events**  
 May 14 — Code committee of truck operators meeting at chamber of commerce, 8 p. m.; open to all operators.  
 May 19 — Oratorio chorus program, 3:15, armory.  
 May 15-18 — Statesman cooking school, armory.  
 May 18 — Primary elections.  
 May 26 — Willamette law school 50th anniversary banquet.  
 June 1-2 — State convention, Disabled American Veterans of World War.  
 June 6 — Marion county Jersey cattle club spring show, fairgrounds.  
 June 10 — All-state picnic, Beetsenbush springs.  
 June 11 — Graduation exercises, Willamette university.  
 June 18 — Annual school election.  
 June 19-21 — Western Plant quarantine board meets here.

## TURNER DENIES HE "FLOPPED" ON TAX

### To Vote for Sales Levy as Emergency, Says, Though Against Principle

R. R. Turner of Dallas, democratic candidate for representative in congress from the first Oregon district, will vote for the sales tax at the primary election next Friday.

This was announced by Turner in a letter addressed to F. H. Young, manager of the school relief and property tax reduction league, in which he denied that he was opposed to the relief measure as indicated in recent press dispatches.

"I have undergone no flop on the sales tax," Turner's letter read. "A great number of people who do not believe in the principle of the sales tax will vote for it next Friday as an emergency relief for the schools, and I shall be among that number."

"Last Monday night I was invited to appear before a committee of the labor organization in Salem. In the course of the conference I was asked to state my position on this sales tax. To this inquiry I outlined my position. My support of the present emergency measure is not in conflict with the opinion of many like myself who would look with disfavor on the sales tax becoming a permanent and fixed feature of our tax system. As for many years, I still hold that a state income tax is the only proper source of state support of education."

"I was further asked by the labor committee if an emergency would be called in the event of delinquent taxes the Dallas schools are on a cash basis and that there is no emergency in the finances of that district at this time."

"I feel that you have done me a grave injustice in holding me up before public gaze in a wrong light, apparently going out of your way to do so. If you are the gentleman at heart that I have always taken you to be, you will wish to correct the injustice of your misstatements, if they were correctly reported."

"On the other hand, if you deliberately singled me out for vituperation with intent to injure my candidacy before the voters of this congressional district, then it will not occur to you to acknowledge yourself in error."

Special Mother's Day Boxes packed with fresh chocolates made by Hill's Candy Co., 697 N. Capitol.

**Final Report In**—Final report in the estate of the late Love A. Shaffer was filed in probate court here yesterday. Income to the estate was placed at \$889 and outgo at \$571. Guy O. Shaffer was executor of the will.

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**Ask License**—Application for a marriage license was filed yesterday with the county clerk's office by J. Selwyn Imlah, 23, 1270 Fir street, a bank clerk, and Caroline E. Smith, 21, 2055 North Church street, a clerk.

**Women's League Changes**—The Square Deal league has changed its regular meeting night to Monday. The next session will be at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at 739 North Liberty street.

## Brown Gets Good Reception, East

Sam Brown, Gervais farmer candidate for governor, has been spending a week campaigning in eastern Oregon and reports from there indicate that he has met with a fine reception. He will be in Portland Monday, will give an address before the chamber of commerce there and Monday evening will give a radio address over KOIN at 9:15.

## Patton Head of Group Working for Rufe Holman

A Holman-for-Governor club has been formed here and will be active until after the primaries. Hal D. Patton, its president, announced yesterday. A considerable amount of Holman publicity material is being distributed by the committee.

Officers of the committee chosen during the past week are Patton, president; Goldie Wheeler, Claude Bristol, Mrs. David Wright, W. W. Rosebraugh, vice-presidents; Henry W. Meyers, secretary; Joe Roman, treasurer.

**CHILD IS BORN**  
 SUVER, May 12. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richter are the parents of an eight and three-quarter pound baby girl born at their home May 10. The baby has been named Bonnie Lou. This is their first child. Both mother and daughter are doing nicely. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. Stanley Pichart, and daughter, Betty Jean, of Salem are staying to care for mother and child.

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### Letters from Statesman Readers

**A MOTHER'S MEMORIES**  
 I sit dreaming beside my window,  
 Of days when the children were young,  
 When the house was filled with laughter,  
 With merry making and fun,  
 I can see them there in the twilight,  
 Close by, in their little chairs,  
 Begging for one more story  
 Before they must climb the stairs.

And I tell them of brave deeds and good deeds,  
 Of men not afraid to pray,  
 Of Daniel surrounded by lions,  
 But his faith had won the day.

One after another grew drowsy,  
 And soon all were tucked away  
 With a good night kiss from Mother,  
 They slept, till the break of day.

The children who begged for stories  
 Are now in homes of their own,  
 They are having their cares and problems,  
 The same as I have known.

But as I sit here dreaming  
 I would they were young once more,  
 Young and carefree and around my knee  
 Listening to fairy lore.

I would tuck them away in their little beds,  
 Away from care and strife,  
 And lie beside them in peaceful sleep,  
 And ask nothing more of life.  
 By Grace Keuscher,  
 1535 North Church

## 84th Birthday Celebrated by Mrs. Williams

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Dennis, 1600 State street, Salem, on Tuesday, May 8, was celebrated the 84th birthday of Rebecca Jane Williams, mother of Mrs. Dennis. Mrs. Williams makes her home with her daughter and son-in-law. There were present Thomas L. Williams and wife from Seattle. He is a son of Mrs. Williams and formerly a resident of and in business in Salem. He has been in Seattle the past 11 years, employed by the big Lilly seed and feed concern there. Also present was Francis Williams of Portland, granddaughter of Mrs. Williams. Her father is Carlo F. Williams of Seattle, where he is in business now, but was for a long term of years with The Statesman family of newspapers.

Rebecca Jane Williams was born on the plains when her parents were members of one of the covered wagon companies of the 1850 immigration, known as the "great immigration," the largest to come to the coast over the old Oregon trail, bringing 50,000 people, and leaving 6000 in unmarked graves along the way. Her father, William Daley, died on the plains, and afterward her mother was married to Levin N. English, noted Oregon pioneer, owner of the English mills at what is now Pratum, superintendent of the Oregon penitentiary, Indian fighter, etc.

Mrs. Williams enjoyed her birthday party. She has for some time been in frail health, but her condition has much improved of late.

## Injured Man is Father of Four

KEIZER, May 12. — Wilfred Weathers, who was seriously burned and shocked in Independence Thursday, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weathers of Keizer. His mother was badly burned three years ago when a water pipe in a stove exploded.

Young Weathers is the father of four children. The extent of his injury is not yet fully known, the doctor said today.

**WRESTLING**  
 GEO. Bennett vs. ROBIN Reed  
 Jack Curtiss vs. Noel Franklin  
 Don Sugai vs. "Tuffy" Hill  
**Salem Armory, Tuesday 8:30**  
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## GRADUATION PLANS FOR SCIO SCHOOLS

Sunday evening, May 27, will open graduation week for both the Scio high school and the 8th grade, according to plans announced by teachers in those departments.

The Rev. Victor Loucks of the local Baptist church will deliver the baccalaureate sermon on the evening of May 27. On the following Thursday night, May 31, commencement exercises will be held in ZCHJ hall, Dr. M. Stocker of Albany to be the speaker of the evening.

Plans announced a few days ago by the high school faculty include Sylvia Bartu as valedictorian on graduation night; salutatorian, Maxine Arnold; historian, Vivian Martin; class will, Marjory Moses; prophecy, Rose Schwindt.

Those completing the course this year, 16 in number, are as follows: Maxine Arnold, Sylvia Bartu, Florence Beran, Donald Dave, Elvin Gallegly, Elsie Hetzendorf, Lyle Jackson, Vivian Marin, Everett McDonald, Marjory Moses, Richard Quarry, Geraldine Rodgers, Rose Schwindt, Marley Sims, Blanche Walter, Stanley Walter.

Eighth grade graduation exercises are to be held at the Christian church Tuesday evening, May 29, according to announcement of E. P. Caldwell this week. It is expected that several rural schools will contribute pupils to the graduating program, details of which have not been determined.

The class roll of 12 includes: Agnes Beckica, Rex Blyee, Florence Dennison, Bessie Holecheck, Robert Kallina, Harold McDonald, Raymond McDonald, Leroy Montgomery, Marie Morgan, Charles Mumper, Joe Paula, Lois Purdy.

Scio garnered 17 points in the track meet Saturday at Stayton in which that city, Turner and Scio competed. Local boys winning points were Don Davenport, 10, Richard Quarry, 4, Howard Trollinger, 3. Others from this section who attended the meet included Marley Sims, James Ashford and Harold Bartick.

Robert Cary and wife of Los Gatos, California, are expected here next week for a visit with relatives in this part of Oregon. "Bob" is a brother of Frank Cary, native farmer near Scio, and was reared in this part of the valley. He is station agent for the Southern in the service of the company for 35 years.

Falling weather during the last two weeks has interfered to some extent with logging operations near Scio. The ground has been

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too spot for trucks to negotiate the timber lands, hence some of the smaller mills had not been operating. W. J. Turnidge and his crew are to furnish logs for the Krosman mill at West Scio from the Barnes timber land a few miles east of this city, in the Rodgers mountain section. The Holec mill in the south outskirts of Scio has been in operation most of the time and is finding ready market for its product, it is stated. The Lulay planing mill at West Scio is working more than for some time. Pulp wood is being worked up for Salem and Lebanon paper mills and will employ many truckmen later in the season.

Berry growers in the Scio region have been investigating markets and prices recently with varying results.

**Devers Pleased by His Outlook**  
 J. M. Devers, candidate for the republican nomination for congress, returned Saturday from a tour of the southern part of the state, visiting Josephine, Jackson and Douglas counties. Devers says he is greatly encouraged over his reception in that part of the state. Reports received at Devers' headquarters here also indicate that he will receive a large vote in the

congressional nomination for the republican party in Marion county on the three days preceding the primary election.

**ENTERTAINS CLUB**  
 RICKREALL, May 12. — Mrs. Delbert Price entertained the members of her club, at her home Thursday afternoon. Refreshments were served to 14 guests. The next meeting which is the last one, till fall, will be at the home of Mrs. Ernest Robbins.

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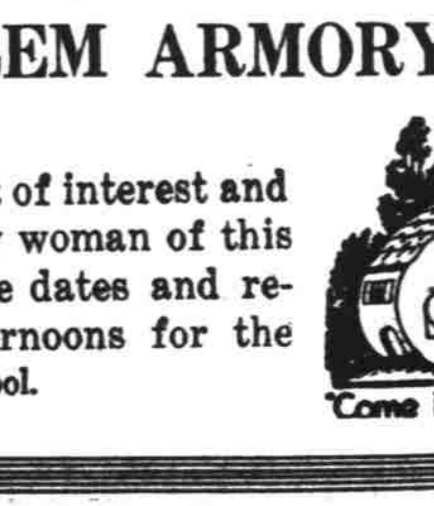
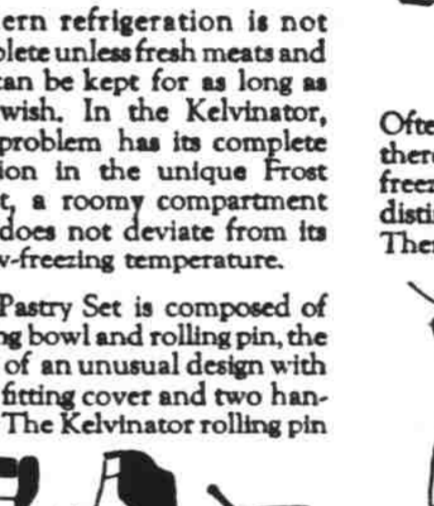
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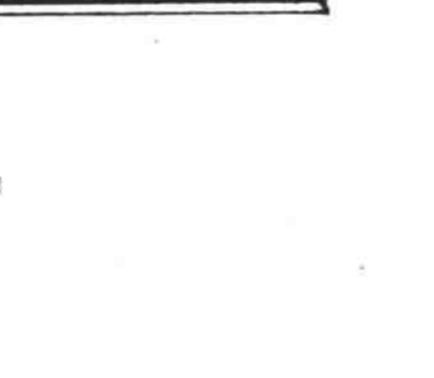
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