

Local News Briefs

Robert Armistead Home—Robert Armistead will spend the next month in Salem with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Armistead. He is home on a month's furlough from Camp Lewis, Wash., where he is attached to Headquarters and M. P. company of the third division. He has served one and one-half years of his three years' enlistment and is enjoying the army life.

Dance at St. Joseph's—The hall Friday night. Boots, Grant, Corner Winter and Chemeketa, 25c.

To Consider Licenses—The board of review of the state liquor commission will meet here today and Friday to consider a large number of applications for 1935 retail beer licenses which have been held up pending investigation. Citations have been sent out to a number of persons whose licenses are pending and they will appear before the board.

City Given Time—The city of La Grande, defendant in mandamus proceedings to compel a sufficient tax levy to pay interest on outstanding bonds, yesterday was given five days in which to file an answer in the state supreme court. The suit was filed by the state attorney general, ex rel, First National bank.

January sale of new and used furniture, 474 E. Com'l. Swaps, 25c.

Many Attend Meeting—A large number of life insurance salesmen from Salem went to Portland yesterday where they attended the annual meeting and banquet of the Oregon Underwriters' association. E. C. Goodwin of this city had charge of arrangements for the Marion county delegation.

Pardon Issued—Governor McCall yesterday issued a conditional pardon to Alexander B. Castles, serving a term of one year in the Clackamas county jail for receiving stolen property. He was committed to jail on December 11, 1934.

Listen to the Breakfast club program over KSLM Friday morning, 7:45 to 8:30.

Vets Meet Here—A conference with leaders in veterans' organizations from Portland and other parts of the state was held here Tuesday night with Guy V. Linder, director of federal employment offices, in charge. Legislative plans for employment agencies in the state were discussed.

Seats Assigned—Seats for the Marion county house delegation have been assigned in the representatives' hall at the statehouse. The four delegates from this county will sit in the second row of seats from the back of the house, to the left of the main aisle.

We have a few more copies of The Oregon Statesman New Year edition. Send a copy to a friend. Only 5c including the mailing.

Case Settled—Suit of J. D. Carey against the Williamette Grocery company and Kenneth Darill Birch was dropped from the circuit court docket here yesterday when counsel for both sides reported that the litigation had been settled out of court.

Townsend Meeting—A meeting of Townsend plan club No. 4 will be held tonight at 7:45 o'clock at the W. C. T. U. hall, South Commercial and Perry streets. Members of the club are urged to be present, and all others interested in the movement are invited.

Stock to Be Sold—Permission to sell 29 shares of stock in the Thielson-Rowland Printing company to Lester Jones for \$300 on a monthly payment basis, was granted yesterday to administrators of the estate of the late Jennie B. Thielson.

McMahon Lions Speaker—Circuit Judge L. H. McMahon will be the speaker at the Lions club luncheon today noon in the banquet room of the Masonic temple. He is expected to discuss law enforcement problems.

Non-support Charged—Enoch Smith was arrested by deputies from the sheriff's office yesterday afternoon on a grand jury indictment charging non-support. He is slated to come before Judge McMahon this morning.

Obituary

Pfeiffert—At the residence, 1391 Elm street, West Salem, Monday, January 7, at the age of 86, Simon Pfeiffert. Survived by widow, Rose Pfeiffert of Salem; two daughters, Mrs. Terese Hanks of Salem and Mrs. C. E. Greene of Twin Falls, Idaho; a brother, in St. Louis, Mo., and seven grandchildren. Funeral services from the chapel of Salem Mortuary, 545 North Capitol street, Thursday, January 10, at 2 p. m. Interment St. Barbara cemetery.

Moberg—At the residence, 474 North 18th street, early Tuesday, Louise Marie Moberg. Mother of Barbara Sigrid of Salem. Funeral services will be held from the Rigdon chapel, Thursday, January 10, at 10:30 a. m. Cremation at Portland crematorium. W. W. Thielson will officiate.

Barker—At a local hospital January 8, John M. Barker, aged 33. Late resident of 2276 Hyde street. Survived by widow, Beulah Barker; three children, Bobby, Ray, 4; Nancy May, 2; and Peter, John, 8 months. Remains at Terwilliger funeral home, 770 Chemeketa street. Announcements later.

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Wants Freedom—Suit for divorce was filed in circuit court Wednesday by Beth Crumpacker against J. C. Crumpacker to whom she was married in July, 1930, in Vancouver, Wash. Plaintiff alleges that her husband failed to get work, that he nagged her frequently, that he was often drunk and abusive. She seeks the restoration of her maiden name of Beth McElhenny.

Seeks Fees—Wesley B. Yates filed suit here yesterday against C. M. Thomas, state utilities commissioner, alleging that Thomas owed the plaintiff and certain associates a total of \$245 for fees due for appearances in utilities cases where Thomas took testimony. Yates alleged the commissioner had steadily refused to pay the fees.

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Miss Laughridge Named—Katherine Laughridge was named yesterday in probate court as administratrix of the estate of her father, late C. N. Laughridge. She will administer personal property of the estimated value of \$5000. Her mother and Miss Laughridge are sole heirs.

Case Appealed—Suit of John Mack against S. P. Matheny, involved \$49 the plaintiff claims the defendant owes him for farm produce, was filed in a transcript yesterday in circuit court here. Mack won the suit in justice court.

Says Case Settled—In a third amended answer filed in circuit court here, Clyde Todd and Coral Todd allege that they have discharged an obligation owed the plaintiff, Albert Frank, by taking bankruptcy in 1932.

Sale Completed—Sale of the interest of Ransom W. Niles in the Day & Niles, Inc. service station, E. C. Goodwin of this city had charge of arrangements for the Marion county delegation.

Case Settled—Suit of R. T. Mitchell against Fenimore Baggett was settled out of court here yesterday and ordered dismissed when counsel for both parties submitted their stipulation to the court.

Wants Divorce—Fay Dickerson Pratt filed suit for a divorce here yesterday from Nelson Lyman Pratt, alleging that he had a bad disposition and was not kind to her. She asks her freedom and \$15 a month as alimony.

Final Decree In—Final decree in the estate of the late Merle W. Rosecrans was filed yesterday in probate court here. Margaret H. Rosecrans served as administratrix. She is sole heir to the property.

Lals Report In—Final report of Roman Lals as executor of the estate of the late John G. Lals was filed yesterday in probate court here. Income to the estate was placed at \$5392 and outgo at \$5242.

Tax League to Meet—Further discussions of legislative moves will occupy the Marion county Taxpayers' league at a meeting Saturday, starting at 1:30 o'clock, at the chamber of commerce.

Trial on Friday—Trial of the state's case against James H. Maden, accused of drunken driving, will be held before Justice of the Peace Miller Hayden Friday afternoon, starting at 2 o'clock.

Claims Approved—A claim of \$520 against the estate of the late Nancy M. Eley presented by Cassius M. Mynatt, executor, was approved yesterday in probate court here.

Banks to Elect—Annual election of officers by all state banks in Oregon is set for today. The meetings came two days after national banks choose their officials.

Brown Visits Granges—Arthur Brown attended an organization grange meeting Wednesday night at Lacombe. He also visited the McCoy grange Tuesday night.

Carson Ill—Allan Carson, attorney, is ill this week, being confined to his home with a severe attack of bronchitis.

Labor Demand is Unchanged, Said

Demand for labor from private employers is running at about the same level as it has the past two winters, D. D. Dotson, in charge of the national employment office here, reported yesterday. Dotson said a few jobs were being filled almost every day. Government projects through PWA funds are now at a standstill in the county. Dotson said there 4000 "active" cards, of men who wanted work, on file at his office.

CHANGES LOCATION
DALLAS, Jan. 9.—The Dallas Feed and Seed store has moved into the Crider building on the west side of Main street.

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DALLAS ASSOCIATION LOANS HALF MILLION

Lending in 1934 Boosted by Emergency Mortgage Act

More than half a million dollars, or \$541,200, in federal farm loans were handled during the 12 months of 1934 by the Dallas Farm Loan association, according to the annual report of Edward K. Piasecki, Salem, secretary-treasurer, made at the annual meeting held in Dallas Tuesday.

During 1934, 104 loans were closed for the \$541,200 total, or an average of \$5207 per loan. Of the total sum, Marion county farmers took the lead in borrowing, with \$221,500 in loans closed for residents here; Polk county farmers borrowed \$110,000, and Benton, \$15,700. During the last quarter of the year, 35 loans were closed for a total of \$111,500.

Cadle is President
Officers elected at the annual meeting were: President, A. R. Cadle, Rickrell; vice-president, H. H. Brandt, Independence; secretary-treasurer, Edward K. Piasecki, Salem; directors, Cadle, Brandt, H. G. Campbell and L. I. Bursell, Dallas; W. E. Williams, Jr., Airline.

Business of the Dallas association, the local cooperative unit through which farmers obtain Federal Land Bank loans, has nearly doubled since passage of the emergency farm mortgage act in May, 1932. Since the local unit was organized in 1916, it has handled about \$1,200,000 in loans to its members in the three counties. Members at the end of 1934 numbered over 200.

CORN-HOG RAISERS' CONTRACTS DELAYED

Submission of government contracts to growers for the second corn-hog program will not be started until some time in February, it was learned yesterday at the county agent's offices. Start of the new program is being delayed until a regional official visits the state late this month to complete the final details.

According to W. L. Teutsch, assistant county agent leader, the new contracts, which growers may or may not sign as they choose, are much more simple than those used in 1934. Reductions requested will be only 10 per cent from the three-year base instead of 25 percent as asked in 1934. Instead of farmers receiving \$5 a head for the full 75 percent of the hogs raised, \$15 flat a head will be paid only for the 10 per cent not raised. Payments to farmers will be made in two installments instead of three.

No one who has gone out of the corn or hog business since the base for production was established can sign the new production control contracts unless the failure to produce was caused by circumstances outside the grower's control.

CHANGE IN PRIMARY DATE TO BE PUSHED

Legislation to change the date of the Oregon primary election from May to some day in August or September is almost certain to be introduced at the next session, it was learned yesterday at the statehouse. Several of the candidates last year, especially General Charles H. Martin, vigorously criticized the present primary-general election gap which they said

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Coming Events
January 11 and 12—Keller Community club play at Chemeketa hall, 8 p. m.
January 12—Taxpayers league meets chamber of commerce, 1:30 p. m.
January 14—Governor inaugurated, legislature convenes.
January 14—Annual meeting Williamette Valley Production Credit association, chamber of commerce here, 10 a. m.
January 16—Semi-annual meeting of Oregon Mining congress here.
January 18—League of Oregon Cities, semi-annual meet, chamber of commerce.
January 21—Hoy code hearing Marion hotel.
January 22—A n u s s i banquet Cascade Area Boy Scouts.
January 26—Valley Legion members bonus rally here.
January 26—Oregon Jersey Cattle club, all day convention, Marion hotel.
January 26—Second semester public schools begin.
February 7—Examinations given for police department applicants.
February 8—Eugene Gleason at armory.
February 15—Second Philharmonic orchestra concert.

produced a spread entirely too long between the nominating elections and the final vote.

State officials in charge of elections think the primaries could safely be held at a date considerably later than now. However, they would like a 90-day period between the primaries and the general elections in order to complete all the necessary preliminary work such as editing and publishing the voters' pamphlet, working with the 36 counties in getting out the ballots and doing the necessary pre-election work on ballot measures.

If the primaries are held in August, however, state officials think the vote will be lighter than now since August is the harvest season. If the primaries are delayed until early September there would be insufficient time elapse before the final vote early in November.

\$362,735 PAID FOR VETS BOARD REALTY

The state bonus commission, under its new sales plan, disposed of 380 properties during the period October 1, 1933, to June 30, 1934, according to the legislative report of Jerrold Owen, secretary, released yesterday. The properties brought in \$362,735.55.

Of the properties sold, 186 were farms and 194 city residences. The commission still has 1529 properties of which 1079 are residences and 450 are farms. The state has \$3,535,825.88 invested in these properties.

The October, 1934, income from these properties aggregated \$11,369.99 or .038 per cent on the state investment. This compares with an income of \$5,406.04 from an investment of \$2,743,076.90 in state-owned property in October, 1933, which was a return of .024 per cent.

The report showed that up to June 30 of this year bonds had been issued in the amount of \$32,850,000. A total of \$6,975,000 of these bonds were retired, leaving \$25,875,000 outstanding. An additional \$500,000 in bonds was retired on October 1, 1934.

CITY BEER LICENSE MEASURE ATTACKED

Wadhams & Co. Institute Suit Against Salem's Liquor Sale Tax

A suit which will test the right of Salem or any municipality in Oregon to assess a license fee against a wholesale liquor dealer was begun here yesterday by Wadhams & Company of Portland who name the principal officers of the city as parties defendant to the litigation. An injunction to prohibit the city from collecting a \$50 annual license fee from the firm, as well as prohibiting the collecting of a stamp tax on wine and beer, is sought.

"It is just as well this suit has been filed," City Attorney Chris J. Kowitz said last night. "It will clarify the province of the state liquor control commission and the city and permit any needed amendments to the present liquor law to be made by this session."

Business Suffer, Ave.
The complainants assert that the city's taxation, in addition to the state and federal taxes they are compelled to pay, constitute a serious threat to their business. They set up that they pay \$250 annually for a license to the state as well as proportionate taxes to the federal government.

Yesterday's suit brings into court a mooted question—that being whether the state liquor commission has sole or only concurrent jurisdiction with cities over the licensing of beer and wine selling.

LIBERTY SCHOOL'S ELECTION FOUGHT

A petition protesting against the manner in which a Liberty school district election was held last week, has been filed with the county school superintendent's office, the petition yesterday being referred by Mrs. Mary L. Fulkerson to the district attorney's office for consideration.

The petitioners allege that the method of distributing ballots was improper and that a number of persons were deprived of their right to vote when they had full legal rights to do so.

District Attorney Trindle said yesterday that while he had not opportunity to examine the matter thoroughly he was of the opinion that a court action rather than a petition would be needed to attack the election legally.

At the special meeting, funds for the construction of a new gym and community hall were authorized.

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Drive Opens February 4, is Decided; New Members of Board Chosen

For first time in history of the annual canvass to carry on the work of the Y. W. C. A. here, a man will head that organization personnel, with Rev. George Swift of St. Paul's Episcopal church chosen general chairman.

Preliminary plans for the finance campaign, which opens February 4, and appointment of committee chairmen marked the regular meeting of the board of directors of the Y. W. C. A. held at the headquarters on North Liberty street this week.

At this time new members of the board were named: Mrs. Silas Gaiser, Mrs. William C. Jones, Mrs. L. C. Darby, Mrs. J. R. Pollock, the latter filling the unexpected term of the late Mrs. John McNary. Following the board meeting, the members were guests of Mrs. Percy Kelly at a luncheon at her home.

Committee Heads Named
Committee chairmen named thus far to work with the general chairman, Rev. Swift, are: Publicity, Mrs. J. R. Pollock; program, Mrs. L. C. Darby; initial gifts, Mrs. L. O. Clement; office, Miss Elizabeth Putnam; luncheons, Mrs. C. S. Hamilton; teams, Mrs. Frank Speer.

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