

SCHOOL BUDGET BEING STUDIED

Is Minimum for Six Years Although Expense Will Be Higher, Shown

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elementary and \$80 per secondary pupil. "Salem is not low in terms of service given," Gaiser declared.

Teachers' salaries, boosted six per cent by the tentative budget, and other instruction costs accounted for the sharpest increase of any budget item. The salary schedule worked out last fall on the basis of instructors' schooling and years' service calls for \$6660 in routine increases and the six per cent for \$13,765 more of the suggested \$271,184 appropriation for instruction. The superintendent's salary remains unchanged at \$3600.

Soaring prices of supplies bring about other expense increases in the budget, the superintendent stated. A report by School Clerk W. H. Burghardt last night showed the district as having a 1934-35 budget balance of \$29,188.64, cash on hand, \$1933.83; no warrants out, \$100,400 in notes and \$42,500 in bonds outstanding. During the year the district has received \$241,236.97 in taxes and it now has \$193,967.04 due in uncollected taxes.

A summary of the increases and decreases in the new expenditure budget by items follows:
General control 1,660
Instruction 29,461
Operation 1,075
Maintenance, repairs 1,650
Auxiliary agencies 4,238
Fixed charges 50
Capital outlay 10,200
Debt service 40,211
Emergency 1,700

*Decreases.
Bonds sold to raise \$15,500 for Highland and Englewood additions past year.

RANSOM DEADLINE LOOMING UP TODAY

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ed a play suit in Bremerton last night. The boy was described as resembling the missing George.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Weyerhaeuser, jr., parents of the curly-haired, nine-year-old boy, waited at their big home overlooking Commencement bay for some word on their son's fate.

Meanwhile, a rumor suddenly spread throughout the city that George had been found. It was formally announced in the coffee shop of a hotel where several score newspapermen, who are staying there, were eating dinner.

The dining room emptied in one big rush for telephones, only to find the rumor baseless. Another flurry of excitement was caused earlier when a registered letter was delivered to the Weyerhaeuser home, but it quickly subsided when postal officials pointed out the sender of such a missive must give his name and address.

The Call Board . . .

GRAND
Today—"Party Wire," with Jean Arthur.
Saturday—"Warner Baxter in 'Under the Pampas Moon'."

ELGINORE
Today—"Mae West in 'Goin' to Town'."
Thursday—Jean Harlow in "Reckless."

CAPITOL
Today—"Leslie Howard in 'The Scarlet Pimpernel'."
Thursday—"Double Bill," "Devil Dogs of the Air" with Jimmy Cagney and Buck Jones in "The Fighting Sheriff."

HOLLYWOOD
Today—"David Copperfield" with all star cast.

STATE
Today only—"Fugitive Lady" with Neil Hamilton.
Thursday—"The President Vanishes" with Edward Arnold.
Saturday—"First Run, Kermitt Maynard in 'Wilderness Mail'."

A Home Owned Theater Starts Today

Matinee Each Day, 2 P. M.

The Immortal Love Story!
DAVID COPPERFIELD
CHARLES DICKENS
W. C. FIELDS
MAUREN O'BRIEN
JANE BARRYMORE
LEWIS STONE—MADGE EVANS
ERNA MAY OLIVER
Sweethearts who'll steal into your heart!
Added Cartoon Comedy
Metrotone News

The General Takes to Horse



This is perhaps the only picture ever made of General Evangelina Booth, world commander of the Salvation Army, in anything except the conventional Salvation Army costume. It shows her indulging in her favorite recreation in New South Wales, one of the stops in her globe-grinding inspection tour. Incidentally, she has refused to make the uniform of women of the "Army" dressier since she became commander.

EMMONS HEAD OF REPUBLICAN CLUB

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flected the opinion of the country. The president's house of cards is falling down."

"The country has flourished under a two-party system," said Nedry. "The division launched by Jefferson and Hamilton between the radicals and the conservatives has held. We ought to maintain these divisions, with each group adhering to party principles. Third party diversions are not the solution."

Others who made brief speeches were Secretary of State Earl W. Snell, Treasurer Rufus Holman, Senator Charles Spaulding, Rep. Walter Fuhrer, C. A. Sprague, Dr. P. O. Riley, secretary, gave his report. President-elect Emmons made a short speech emphasizing the need of local work rather than dependence on Washington or the outside. Regular meetings will be held, he announced.

An invitation will be extended to the state clubs to hold their annual convention here in July.

Pilot and Lone Passenger Dead In Plane Crash

CARLINVILLE, Ill., May 28.—(AP)—After groping helplessly through rain and low-hanging clouds, a Chicago & Southern Airlines plane crashed and burned nine miles north of here tonight, killing the pilot and a passenger.

In an attempt to beat the rain into St. Louis, the tri-motor plane, piloted by John "Red" Lynn, left Springfield, Ill., at 10 p. m. (Central Standard time) for the 100-mile, fifty-minute dash. The plane carried only the unidentified passenger.

FIRE HAZARD GREAT
PORTLAND, Ore., May 28.—(AP)—Warning that extreme fire hazards existing this year in forests makes extraordinary caution advisable was sounded today by Regional Forester C. J. Buck. This has been the driest May in Oregon since 1890.

STATE THEATRE
Today Only!
"FUGITIVE LADY"
—with—
NEIL HAMILTON

MAINTAIN CODE STANDARD, ASK

U.S. Chamber of Commerce Leads in Program to Reassure Nation

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Capitol Hill snatched the pending AAA amendment bill back from the floor into senate committee for drastic revision, convinced it could not be fitted in existing form to the constitutional pattern defined by the court for the other phase of the administration's recovery program.

President Roosevelt called to the White House congressional leaders, including the chairmen of the two committees handling NRA legislation, Senator Harrison and Representative Doughton. They reached no conclusion on what course should be taken.

Voluntary NRA is Talked; No Action
There was talk—but no formal action—of reviving NRA on a voluntary basis, with compulsory clauses eliminated but hour and wage and child labor provisions retained. There also came in for discussion in labor quarters the feasibility of submitting a constitutional amendment to referendum which would broaden and define the government's power over industry.

William Green, American Federation of Labor president, talked with his aides and then with Mr. Roosevelt. He was of pessimistic mind when he said labor had been "measuring the extent of the blow."

Into the capitol fluttered reports of sharp price cuts—bigger allowances for automobile dealers, clipped prices for tobacco products and other slashes.

Wage contract negotiations between Appalachian Soft Coal producers and the United Mine Workers of America collapsed and the U.M.W. proceeded to arrange for a nation-wide strike beginning June 17. Muttering of possible work cessation also was heard in textile worker union groups.

Western Solons Back Pleas for Irrigation Help

WASHINGTON, May 28.—(AP)—House and senate members from western irrigation states organized today for a cooperative drive to assure an enlarged program for their areas under the New York reclamation program.

After a conference with Dr. Elwood Mead, commissioner of reclamation, who said he had requested all allocation of \$113,000,000 for work in the west, three members of the senate and four of the house were named as a committee to confer with Secretary Ickes, Harry L. Hopkins, Frank Walker of the works board, and, if necessary, President Roosevelt on the program as outlined by Dr. Mead.

Jost Death Not Foul Play Case

OREGON CITY, Ore., May 28.—(AP)—Conviction that foul play had no part in the death of Mrs. Jessie May Jost, 55, burned in a mysterious barn fire at Wilsonville last Friday, was expressed tonight by Sheriff E. T. Mass and Sergeant George Bohrer.

They reported all rumors indicating possible leads to foul play were run down.

Eva Crinklaw is 20-30 Candidate In Redhead Show

Miss Eva Crinklaw of Salem is to be the candidate of the 20-30 club here for queen of the Redhead Roundup at Taft June 22 and 23, the local group decided last night at its regular meeting at the Quella. Support for Miss Crinklaw will be asked from other service clubs in the city. Princesses for the redhead show are to be chosen by various districts in the state and the queen then selected.

The club last night enjoyed a talk by R. Bush dealing with his experiences in hunting in China. Decision was made by the club to hold its meetings hereafter on Friday instead of Tuesday nights. The first meeting on the new date will be held Friday, June 7.

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Doctor is Fined When He Causes Spasm in Court

PORTLAND, Ore., May 28.—(AP)—Declaring Dr. Russell Kaufman of Portland in contempt of court, Federal Judge James Oliver today fined him \$100 for his unauthorized action of provoking a spasm by a plaintiff before a federal court jury.

Dr. Kaufman appeared at a witness for Levi F. Long, plaintiff in a suit to collect \$10,000 government war risk insurance. Dr. Kaufman's foot in such a manner that Long fell from a table and landed face downward, writhing in pain before the jury.

STATE CODES MAY BE ATTACKED NOW

Attack on the constitutionality of Oregon's agricultural agreements loomed as a possibility yesterday, following Monday's decision of the United States supreme court holding the national recovery administration act unconstitutional.

Officials pointed out that the Oregon agricultural code may be affected to the same degree as the national AAA, since the state constitution is similar to that of the federal government, with relation to the delegation of legislative powers.

Solon T. White, state agricultural director, said he had not yet determined to what extent the state agricultural act would be affected by the opinion.

"It will be my purpose to enforce all marketing agreements under the Oregon law until it is declared unconstitutional," White continued.

The Oregon agricultural act was enacted by the 1933 legislature and amended in 1935.

The proposed uniform state NRA code was considered at the last legislative session but was defeated during the closing days.

Governor Martin yesterday referred to the decision of the United States supreme court as a proper decree. He also said he always had doubted the constitutionality of the Fraser-Lemke act and voted against the measure when a member of congress.

Three Licenses To Wed Issued

Indicative of the approach of the June wedding season, three marriage licenses were issued yesterday at the county clerk's offices here. Couples who applied were: Charles M. Smith, Jr., 21, Jefferson, a clerk, and Lillian Elizabeth Stevens, 20, Oswego, a waitress; Ernest D. Pearson, 21, Turner, a farmer, and Pearl Kevett, 22, Newberg, a student; Frank Butler, Salem, route one, a farmer, and LaVerne Holland, Salem, route one, a housekeeper.

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MAE WEST in "GOIN' TO TOWN"
Tomorrow - Friday - Saturday
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M-G-M's Mighty Melody-Drama Masterpiece!
Cruise on "The Honey Moon Ship!" Peep At The "Woon Pa (Jama Parade)" Tango! "Neath A Peruvian Moon!" It's bigger than a \$6.60 Broadway show!
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RECKLESS
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MAY ROBSON
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CONTINUOUS 500 SEATS 25c
DECORATION DAY

CAPITOL LAST TIMES TONITE
LESLIE HOWARD in "SCARLET PIMPERNEL"
TOMORROW, FRI, SAT. — 2 FEATURES
MORE THRILLS THAN "HERE COMES THE NAVY"
Ripping, roaring, riding head-on into thrill-packed adventure!
BUCK JONES
"THE FIGHTING SHERIFF"
DEVIL DOGS OF THE AIR
JAMES CAGNEY - O'BRIEN
MARGARET LINDSEY - FRANK MCHUGH
500 SEATS 15c

PROSPECT FOR PEACE BETTER

Longview Union Council is on Record in Favor of Wages as Offered

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A. J. Dwyer of the Southeast Portland Lumber company, advised the Oregon conciliation board meeting here again today that he would be willing to pay as much as the other Portland operators when operations resume, and take a chance on making it back later. He said he was paying 45 cents an hour, 2½ cents above the code minimum, when his mill shut down. He said he had been operating at a loss.

Declaration that his mill had been losing money the past four years was made to the conciliation board by G. A. Robertson, treasurer of the Portland Lumber mills.

Paper Workers End Conference Upon Proposals

The conference of the Northwest Pulp & Paper Mill Employees association ended at Nelson hall here at 5 p. m. yesterday and delegates to the meeting with employers at Portland today left without revealing an indication of what the workers' new wage and hour proposals would be.

It was believed higher wages would be requested of the employers for the 12 months period beginning Saturday. The employer agreement which terminates June 1 provided for a minimum wage of 45 cents an hour and a maximum of 40 hours work per week.

Hewitt Goes on Stump Tour for Utopian Society

Representing the Utopian society, Roy R. Hewitt, local attorney, will leave today on a trip through southern Oregon and California, during which he will make a number of addresses for the society. Hewitt will speak tonight at Grants Pass and his itinerary calls for him to be in Los Angeles June 1 where he will address an audience expected to number 10,000 persons, members or persons interested in the Utopian organization.

Hewitt said yesterday he had been named adviser for the Utopian organization in Oregon. He said its membership had been growing rapidly with 150 members added at the last Portland meeting.

Assistants to Gilmore will be Grace Wolgamott as director at Olinger field and Gurnee Flesher as director at Leslie. Two or three other experienced playground workers will be employed and the remainder of the staff supplied by the SERA as in 1934.

Cooperation with the Red Cross in its learn-to-swim campaign in mid-summer was voted.

Gilmore will have office space on the second floor of the school administration building, 454 North High street.

LARGE PORTION OF TAXES COLLECTED

Eighty-eight per cent of all taxes levied in Marion county for 1931 and payable in 1932 have been collected up to May 24, a summary completed yesterday by the tax collection department of the sheriff's office reveals.

Of the total roll of \$1,734,789 assessed that year, all but \$214,773 has been paid.

Taxes on 5535 pieces of property were as yet unpaid. Of this property, 2054 consisted of real estate outside of cities, 2469 consisted of town lots, 997 were personal properties and 15 were properties owned by public service corporations.

The tax collection department is in the process of setting up a new accounting system which will permit the office at all times to compute the exact amount of taxes due and unpaid for any one tax year.

Defendant Wins In Damage Case

A verdict for William S. Finlay, defendant in a damage case brought by H. W. Meyers, was returned in circuit court here yesterday morning. Meyers sued Finlay for damages which he said he sustained from loss of his prize dog, "Queenie," allegedly killed through Finlay's careless driving of his car. John H. Porter was foreman of the jury.

BASS-HUETER PAINT
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AIR-CONDITIONED TRAINS!
This summer our 5 leading trains will be air-conditioned completely—coaches, Tourist Pullmans, Standard Pullmans, diners, lounge cars—everything! No matter what type of accommodation you choose you'll have cool, clean, fresh air and quiet all the way. Here are two summer roundtrip examples. Similar low fares everywhere.
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NEW YORK . . . 9575* 10720* 12440*
*45 day return limit. October 31 limit slightly higher.
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