Allocation of

\$30,000 Aids;

Work Ordered

Resettlement Division's

Funds are Available,

is Word Received

Fire Protection, Varied

Preliminary Tasks to

Give Relief Jobs

Allocation of \$30,000 for pre-

liminary work on a 5000-acre rec-

reational park project at Silver

Creek was announced yesterday at

the regional resettlement office in

Portland, Work on the project is

to begin within 10 days. Funds

will come as a direct appropriation

from the resettlement division

which is said to have set aside

\$200,000 for the construction of

the recreational area moneys to

be expended before the project is

Robert Floyd, assistant regional

manager of the recreational dem-

onstration projects in the San

Francisco office of the nation-

land yesterday to expedite project

development, submit plans and as-

sist in getting men assigned to

The resettlement administra-

tion said the preliminary work-

consisting largely of fire protec-

tion, snag clearance, roadside

will serve to lay the groundwork

for more extensive development of

recreational facilities contemplat-

The office said additional funds

Already, 2.600 acres of the 5 .-

are expected as the first alloca-

000-acre project, on which W. A.

Langille of this city is manager.

are under option and "curing" of

title is underway, the administra-

the larger sum set aside exclusive-

been pushed by the Salem cham-

ber of commerce which has recom-

mended that the development of &

national park service project there

would mean much to the entire

valley, Senator Charles L. McNary

recommended the project and in-

the resettlement department in

Seen, Lindy Case

BEAUMONT, Tex., April 4 .- (AP)

The Beaumont Enterprise will

say tomorrow that a possible clue

in the Lindbergh kidnaping case

was under investigation by depart-

The clue centered around three

packages of newspaper clippings

found sewed into the lining of a

coat which had been in storage

since 1933, prior to Bruno Rich-

ard Hauptmann's arrest. Words

printed from different size print,

found in one package, formed the

sentence: "Red and Fisch have

Mrs. Jack Reno, store operator

at Labell, Tex., near here, last

year bought the two trunks from

a local storage warehouse for

overdue storage costs. A picture

of the Lindbergh baby and one of

but no significance was attached

to this until Mrs. Reno found the

clippings when she ripped the lin-

ing from a coat found in the

Lindbergh baby."

ment of justice men here last

ly for acquisition of land.

The \$30,000 is in addition to

The Silver Creek project has

the work from WPA rolls.

completed.

ed later.

Additional Funds

Expected Later

tion is expended.

undertaking it.

month.

EIGHTY-SIXTH YEAR

Salem, Oregon, Sunday Morning, April 5, 1936

Price 3c; Newsstands 5c

Silver Falls Park Improvement to Start

Candidates Who Endorsed Townsendism Seeking Cover; Rows Gain

Finances of State Best in Years but Issue of Pension Faced

By SHELDON F. SACKETT The candidates have left the starting post and turned the first lap but the grandstand occupants are only mildly interested. It is not until the home stretch that the public rouses from its inertia.

Take from the present campaign that phenomenon of the Townsend plan-a mirage fast disappearing under the white light of congressional investigation-and the zest in scores of the battles for county and state offices is gone.

It was this oddity of politics which evoked the talk and threatened to make Townsendism a repetition of the rip-snorting days in Oregon politics when the ku klux klan was abroad and candidates shivered in their boots. Recent Endorsers

In Hot Water Now How fast has come the denouement in the Townsend movement! Clements has gone. Townsend is to the exits is on. Candidates who justice had been served. a month ago embraced the Townsend plan as they would pledge allegiance to the constitution are becoming a bit shame-faced and the resentment of voters who always thought the mushroom growth of the Townsend plan fanciful and ludierous will make

short-shift of its supporters at May 15 if they have their way. Internal wranglings in the state organization grow more heated. Sam Brown is unabating in his dislike for the tactics of the area council of 21 which pushed "Two Bit" Nelson, as Sam terms him, into favor in the republican nomination for United States senator. Clubs at Roseburg and Tillamook are on record against the action of the area council. Salary accounts of the state manager are being in the ranks of the great ideamen who paid the dimes and quarters which Townsend and Clements spent-are convinced that congress is persecuting the leaders of a great movement and that come what will, \$200 a month for the oldsters is sure to come.

Gosslin Face Red But Charge Empty

The face of William L. Gosslin. secretary to Governor Martin, matched the color of his hair for a few moments last week when Herman Lafky, Salem lawyer, attacked him for advancing filing fees for candidates. Gosslin, new | ended another politically eventful in practical politics, is not used to | week, such bitter attack. He was nonplussed for the moment but he recovered quickly when he discovered that others in former years for Col. Frank Knox of Illinois had advanced filing fees and that no violation of law was claimed. dispatches told increasingly of to investigate well water possibil-Lafky, who wants the district at- | Landon talk in eastern and south- | ities here will not be ready to retorneyship here, probably made, ern states, the attack to get publicity and to give vent to his dislike for Governor Martin. The incident-which in New York, as well as from the night. He explained he had not will never result in grand jury action-did help Gosslin in one respect; he got back some of the filing fees more quickly than he

claims any interest in politics, ation by the fourth ballot, while he prides himself on being a conservative, business-like ad-Farmers Union Criticizes ministrator, he tolerates and rather admires the feverish activity of his political secretary. The governor believes in party government. He thinks parties in Oregon are too weak. He'd like to see "young men get out and build up the Which means that Gosslin is the man and that his beautifully furnished new office has become the clearing house for all jobwanting men and women who want work. Gosslin has the personal goal of trying to carry Oregon for Roosevelt by 75,000 this fall. He also wants the house and senate of the legislature of 1937 democratic. That is why he became enthusiastic last week and advanced filing fees for six candidates. The democratic party means much to the secretary. When some gaping holes in the party's proposed ticket were seen the closing day, Gosslin must close them!

Governor Martin is scouting now trying to ascertain where and how his administration can raise

Greatly Misquoted Another resolution stated that Is Topic of Potts money for old-age pensions in the hydro-1937-1938. The task is over the hump for this year: out of the utility district was much mis aspect of the gymnasium, or of the classroom sections of this been set in the gymnasium, or of the classroom sections of this been set in the gymnasium, or of the classroom sections of this been set in the gymnasium, or of the classroom sections of this been set in the gymnasium, or of the classroom sections of this been set in the gymnasium, or of the classroom sections of this been set in the gymnasium, or of the classroom sections of this been set in the gymnasium, or of the classroom sections of this been set in the gymnasium, or building are in place to the first seven men have been indicted by vessels are about 1,000 miles east. He cases in Salem, Judge L. H. \$1,000,000 set up in 1935, only nine months' of pensions will be nine months' of pensions will be and editorials, and as such mistrification. Marion county now has control of the cases in Salem, Judge L. H. of Yokohama. Visibility was reported poor. required which will carry the quoting is detrimental to the or- ten local organizations of the pointment of a special prosecuto \$400,000 in pension moneys was recommended that all pres(Turn to Page 8, Col. 1) ent personally study the hydro
To see and boiler room under the date for arguing the demurrers to support the future auditorium of 2000 seatwill be set as soon as Moodly is ment vesterday of his choice.

"Plan" Failure Wendel Gets Limelight Robs Campaign Of Chief Zest Not as Kidnap Suspect But Kidnapers' Victim But Kidnapers' Victim

Charges Against Him Deemed Empty But Activities of Ellis Parker and Others May Be Scanned With Possible Repercussions Later

RENTON, N. J., April 4. — (AP) — The strange case of Paul H. Wendel held potential threats tonight of writing a sensational sequel to the Hauptmann-Lindbergh chron-

The charge of murdering the Lindbergh baby remained against the one-time lawyer and druggist in Mercer county o and kept him imprisoned in the

Hauptmann.

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Normal School's

Valuables Taken; No

Clues Announced

MONMOUTH, April 4 - The

safe in the business office of the

state normal school was robbed of

\$65 in cash and typewriter coupon

books valued at \$40 sometime

during last night. The key to the

normal's safe deposit box at the Monmouth bank was also taken. A

smaller safe in the registrar's of

fice which contains only records.

was tampered with but not open-

Entrance to the building was

gained through a window in the

office. The combination lock on

the safe was smashed by a sledge

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Report Not Yet Ready

The special committee named

port at Monday night's city coun-

yet had time to make a personal

die Ahrens, Cloverdale.

The good-of-the-order commit-

tee, Frank Bowers, Central How-

J. R. Carruthers of Bethel was

song leader, with Mrs. Oscar John-

son of Central Howell at the

A resolution emphatically con- | electric commission report or get

demning the delay in building of other reliable information, Mem-

the new Oregon state capitol was bers of the resolutions commit-

unanimously endorsed by a group tee are Harley Libby, Marion;

of more than 200 members of Sam H. Brown, Gervais; Her-

the Farmers Union at the Marion | bert Michelbrook, Mt. Angel; Ed-

"This unnecessary delay seems ell; J. W. Gilmour, Sydney-Tal-

to be due either to the lack of bot; and A. L. Schulz, Bethel,

ability of those in charge, or the urged the members to examine

lack of homesty of purpose; a the record of political candidates

deliberate stalling for time in the and vote for those who will give

hope of legislation adverse to the service desired by the Farm-

ers Union.

Soil Conservation

Well Water Prospect

county jail. And in adjacent Hun-

terdon county was a kidnaping

complaint sworn out against him

by Mrs. Anna Hauptmann in her

save her husband from the elec-

the grand jury of each county.

Hoffman to Keep Lindy Case Alive by Mrs. Anna Hauptmann in her desperate but futile last effort to

Seeks Vindication; Won't Drop Delegate Race as G.O.P. Leader Asks

at last from the avenging volts of Jersey justice but a living issue sift the circumstances surround-With the removal of his body by virtually on the eve of his execu-

idarity of Townsend support are sey would have liked to have writ- three days. empty in the face of the back-and- | ten "closed" to the blotted pages | Violations May Be filling of the Long Beach doctor, of her most famous crime, the Uncarthed, Belief Lindbergh baby murder; but sevlected their moneys and the rush today to challenge that Jersey

> Governor Hoffman who to the last sought some way to intervene in Hauptmann's behalf, struck back sharply today as a political repercussion to the Hauptmann case sounded in the capital.

Answering a telegraphed request from Henry P. Du Bois, Bergen county republican, that he withdraw his candidacy as delegate-at-large to the republican national convention "to protect the republican party of contamination from the ghastly situation" which has arisen in New Jersey, the governor replied:

"I have filed my petition as a candidate. . . and I will stand on that candidacy if I only receive

Governor Hoffman, strongly be lieving that much of the Lindeyed. Only the faithful followers bergh case mystery remains unprobed, had said he would go on with his investigation despite Hauptmann's execution.

Landon Still Has Formidable Lead

WASHINGTON, April 4-(AP)-Governor Landon of Kansas held a formidable lead for the presidential nomination tonight as republican assaults on the New Deal

By gaining 18 of the 22 Kentucky delegates, Landon's total reached 74 during the week to 24 and none as yet for Borah, News

Counting on some help from the cil meeting, Alderman Fred A. 90 uninstructed delegates chosen Williams, chairman, said last er states where the delegations are not pledged, or support "fav- inspection, with other members of orite sons," some Landon back- his committee, of municipal wells ers are already talking of having in Centralia, Olympia and Taco-250 of the 1,001 votes on the first ma. Wash. On the committee with While Governor Martin dis- ballot at Cleveland and the nomin- Williams are Aldermen David

county convention held at Cen-

building on the present site."

The group condemned the delay

and urged immediate construc-

The resolution further stated:

tral Howell yesterday.

Says Hydro Report

Mental Tests For Bill Walp Will Be Asked

Plea Isn't Entered When Arraignment is Held; Accused is Calm

Burris Named to Defend Alleged Slaver; Asks Copy, Confession

A thorough mental examination of Harry "Bill" Walp will be made by competent alienists if Paul Burris, appointed by Judge L. H. Mc-Mahan to defend the alleged murderer of his former wife, has his way. Burris was not in court late yesterday afternoon when Walp was arraigned on a first degree murder charge.

Both complaints were regarded as empty technicalities, certain to He said last night that he would be dismissed as "incredible" by ask for a continuance of the case Monday and for the examination. Further potential sensations in Walp did not enter a plea when in the Wendel case were disclosed court Saturday because he had no authoritatively to lie in the prob- attorney to represent him. The Bruno Richard Hauptmann, dead ability that the Mercer county court agreed to allow him until Monday to make his plea.

grand jury would painstakingly still in Jersey politics, was taken ing the dramatic introduction of the district attorney's office furfrom his last prison place - the Wendel and his "confessions" of nish him with a complete trandingy death-house morgue - late the Lindbergh kidnaping into script of Walp's confession. After today to New York for cremation. Bruno Richard Hauptmann's case he had been afforded the information from the alienists' examinaa New York undertaker acting un- tion. The grand jury investigation tions and the copy of the trans-The great promises about the sol- der orders of his widow, New Jer- delayed Hauptmann's execution cripts. Burris said last night he would decide whether or not to accept the appointment as Walp's representative.

Walp yesterday The grand jury is interested, reported willing to drop the lead- eral agencies, topped by Gov. Har- it was learned, in whether there ment to make when he appeared ership, the inside boys have col- old G. Hoffman himself, continued | was any perjury involved in the in court. He was unshaven from testimony of those who appeared the time he was arrested shortly before midnight Tuesday. He apbefore it to give evidence on the "confession" which Wendel re- peared calm. Police officers have pudiated. The jurors, likewise, not permitted him to have a razor in his cell at the city jail, court may seek to ascertain if the whole deputies said. Wendel episode was an engineer-

Walp is said to have told friends ed attempt to perpetrate a fraud on the grand jury and so save that he would not care to fight the state's charges of first degree murder and that he was willing to accept whatever penalty was meted out to him. His parents have interceded with the district attorney's office to get a recommendation for life imprisonment Safe Is Cracked provided Walp will plead guilty without trial.

Walp is charged with firing four shots into the body of his Over \$100 in Cash, Other former wife, Martha, as she came into the house of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Walker, 835 Union street, after being under the protection of B. G. Honevcutt, deputy sheriff, for two hours the night of | for Red Cross did its part, stu-

Permits Reflect **Building Activity**

Nearly \$15,000 worth of perwere taken out at the city building inspector's office here last week. Permits of all sorts for the week, had a total value of \$15.-265. Seven were issued. New conweek, had a total value of \$15 .hammer which was found beside struction permits amounted to

The largest permit of the week was for the \$5,565 store building being erected at 13th and State street for Safeway Stores, Inc. Kay McGuire yesterday obtain-

ed the 33d permit of the year for construction of a house. The latstreet at cost of \$4500. It will the be two stories high, of frame con- fire.

Changes in Fruit Grades Discussed

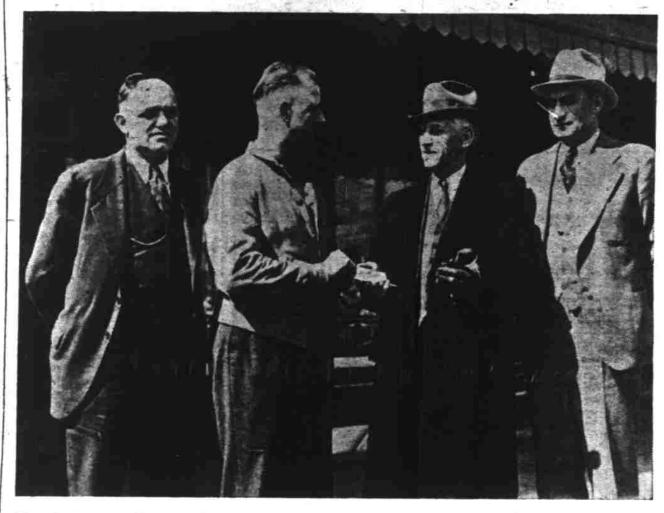
-Fifty growers discussed proposed changes in grades and standards of fruit and vegetables to-Capitol Construction Delay day at a meeting called by the slightly. Frank McKennon, chief of the division of plant industry, said final action on recommendations

would be taken in two weeks. Proposals to change potato grading were voted down but the appeal of Milton-Freewater growers for an unclassified grade of tomatoes won endorsement. The addition of an open container pack for most fruits and

vegetables was recommended. Tongue May Be Special Prosecutor, Riot Cases

probable choice of Attorney-Gen- ported. eral Van Winkle for a special prosecutor in the Clatsop county bers and 12 passengers aboard, is indictments growing out of the racing to meet another freighter, Howard and Cottage streets. The concrete walls, piers and floors. State President G. W. Potts, shooting of two men in a riot the Yarraville, she reported via steel, arched window sashes have Forms for approximately one-half

LEGION ADDS TO FLOOD RELIEF FUND



Everybody's happy as this picture is taken. King Bartlett is shown handing a check for \$150 to Milton H. Meyers, chairman of the Red Cross drive for flood relief sufferers conducted in Marion county al park service, arrived in Portthe past week. Bartlett as commander of Capital Post No. 9, led in sponsoring a benefit wrestling show here which brought the largest single contribution to the drive. Left in the picture is William Bliven, post adjutant, and right is Roy "Spec" Keene, chairman of the sports committee of the post.

County Over Top For Flood Relief "I've Been Robbed Wails Lee But He Goes to Jail Too

\$1885.40 Is Received by Red Cross For Aid of Distressed East

Marion county was well over Cross drive with \$1885.40 raised to Jack Keegan with whom he and more contributions expected was arguing. next week. The goal for the county was \$1500.

Milton H. Meyers, chairman of the drive which was put in to appreciation last night for the possession of lottery paraphernacooperation given by teachers, lia. community leaders and the press

No Solicitation of Public Necessary

He said the campaign had succeeded without any personal solicitations being made. The Jundents in 12 public schools in Salem raising \$164, the school superintendent's office reported. Communities from all parts of the county made generous contributions. Silverton put on a of the Red Cross chapter.

large benefit affair for the aid Capitol Post No. 9 put on a wresling show here from which serves are often used in tarts or mits for new, private construction \$150 net was turned over to the Red Cross drive.

For Hotel Blaze

VERNON, N. J., April 4-(AP)-A squirrel, known locally as Pest. revealed his long-sought hiding est dwelling is to be erected by place in the Vernon hotel today

> never found it. Mrs. Raymond Leeper, wife of topped with rosette of whipped

chest for more blankets. She said she placed a lamp on the floor while she opened the PORTLAND, Ore., April 4.-(AP) | chest. Out popped Pest, upsetting the lamp. The burning oil spread the flames quickly, igniting Mrs.

> The Vernon fire department and firemen from two adjoining towns were unable to check the fire. Two firemen suffered cuts. So far as known, Pest escaped. Marked Progress on School

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4 .- (P)

The vessel, with 40 crew mem-

'I've Been Robbed'

PORTLAND, April 4.-(AP)-Sam Lee, outside his store here, set up a plea "I've been robbed." Someone called police. Four officers responded.

"He play lottery ticket, then mad when doesn't win and grah the top Saturday with its Red money," Lee told officers, pointing

The officers started to take Keegan to jail. Then one asked, 'Where was the lottery?" "Right here." Sam Lee answer-

raise funds for flood sufferers in ed. Whereupon Lee himself was the eastern states, expressed his taken into custody charged with

Figs Featured in Recipe Invitation

Important Health Food Is Round Table Subject; Deadline Thursday

Recipes using figs, either cooked or fresh, will win the cash prizes offered this week at The Statesman Round Table. Fig prefilled cookies and will be eligible

in the contest. Figs have many of the healthgiving qualities of prunes so are valuable assets on the family diet. Look over your fig recipes and send in the best one before Thursday noon.

Marshmallow recipes turned in last week follow: Marshmallow Coffee Cream pound marshmallows

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Stereotyper Hurt

Phil Miller, stereotyper for The

Statesman, suffered an injury to

was taken to the Deaconess hos-

reveal marked progress in opera-

tions during the last two weeks.

Large crews were kept busy last

week when weather permitted,

pouring concrete, erecting steel

frameworks and laying brick and

The most advanced project is

ornamental stone.

pint of heavy cream (whipped) cupful hot coffee Cut marshmallows in small pieces (using scissors dipped in Earl Johnson at 1195 North 15th and the result was destruction of hot water) put into upper part 100-year-old structure by of double boiler, and dissolve over hot water. Add the hot coffee, For a long time the proprietors stir, and let cool, then fold in searched for Pest's hideout but the whipped cream. Pile in sherbet glasses and let stand in re-

were broken.

Early today the chill air sent frigerator for several hours. Serve proprietor, to a blanket

Leeper's dress, and burning her

Vessel With Hold Afire Sends SOS

The Norwegian motorship Tricolor, her held aflame at sea, sent out an S O S shortly before mid-Bert Tongue of Hillsboro was night (Pacific Standard time) toreported yesterday to be the night. Globe Wireless, Ltd., re-

Willson Vacation Is Council Issue tion, snag clearance, roadside clean-up and road construction—

Public Given Opportunity to Tell Its Attitude on Monday Night

> The city council will throw open the speaking privilege to the general public at 8 o'clock Monday night for a hearing on the proposed vacation of a section of Willson park to be used as part of the new capitol site. Little opposition, none of it vociferous, appears to have developed to the vacation, Mayor V. E.

Kuhn declared yesterday. After the hearing has been closed, an ordinance authorizing vacation of the park section will be introduced Monday night and probably adopted April 20, the mayor said. A deed, however, will not be turned over to the capitol construction commission terested Administrator Tugwell of until it is requested.

Less Than Half Block Is Involved The portion of the park to be The portion of the park to be vacated is less than half a block. Significant Clue beginning at Summer street and running westward. The mayor pointed out that but a small

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Mahan Search Is Revived in Butte

BUTTE, Mont., April 4-(AP)-The search for William Dainard, alias William Mahan, Weyerhauser kidnap suspect, was intensified tonight following an attempt by a man to charter a private airplane at the Butte airport for a flight to Spokane.

The man, highly excited, asked Preston K. Ramsey, Butte flyer, at the airport today if he could charter a plane for a trip to Spokane, Ramsey told police. Ramsey said he suggested that the man and a companion, who was seated in a car with his face the Lindbergh home, and also a averted should go by the North- set of cheap cabinet maker's tools

west Airways plane, due to leave were found in one of the trunks, a half-hour later. He insisted he wanted a private ship, Ramsey said, and departed hastily.

The car used by the two men trunks. was similar to the description of his shoulder in a fall at the news- the automobile in which a man paper plant late last night and who supposedly resembled Mahan, and a blonde woman, drove pital. It was believed no bones up to a beer parlor here Thursday night, Ramsey said.

An idea of the first floor ar-

rangement and of the size of the

auditorium for the new grade

school, at Mission and Univer-

sity streets, may now be gained

from a visit to that project. Con-

crete walls to the first floor lev-

and D streets, is a maze of rein-

The senior high project, 14th

el were poured late last week.

Jobs is Observable Today

A visit today to the three Sa- the concrete floor in the auditor-

that at Leslie junior high school, forcing steel, wood forms and

lem school construction sites will ium addition Monday.

Jonathan Bourne Services Monday

Funeral services for the late Jonathan E. Bourne, who died at a local hospital Friday afternoon, will be held from the Clough-Barrick chapel at 2 p. m., Monday. Interment will be in City View

Pallbearers will be Dr. Roy D. Byrd, John Hughes, W. D. Evans, Albert A. Noth, James Young and Sidney Jones. Honorary pallhearers will include Milton L. Myers, Dr. Armin E. Berger, Milo Rasmussen, W. I. Needham, A. N. Bush and U. Scott Page,

Moody Illness Holding Up Gambling Case Now

Illness of Ralph E. Moody, asstant attorney general, has held Earlier, the Tricolor wirelessed the auditorium, or west wing tion which makes way for cafe- will be tried, said yesterday a new