

Drama Club To Give Play

Small Fruit Growers Will Gather on Campus For Conference

SILVERTON, Dec. 1.—"Laborum Grove," a fast-moving comedy will be presented at the Majestic theater in Corvallis Thursday and Friday nights of this week by the Mask and Dagger dramatic club of Oregon State college. Miss Elizabeth Baraga, associate professor, is directing the production.

CORVALLIS, Dec. 1.—Small fruit growers of Oregon will hold a conference on the Oregon State college campus December 2 to 4, under the leadership of Dr. W. S. Brown, head of the department of horticulture.

Problems including the use of fertilizers, irrigation methods and insect and disease control are scheduled for discussion during the three-day period. Special emphasis is to be placed on insects of strawberries and diseases of brambles. It was reported.

Fear For Crops
CORVALLIS, Dec. 1.—W. S. Averill, county agent for Benton county reported yesterday that the cold weather, reaching a new low of 20 degrees here Saturday morning, plus the lack of rainfall may seriously damage the fall sown crops. Seed in the southern part of the county is lying dormant in the soil just as it was planted, he added.

A deficiency of approximately eight inches of rain makes it difficult to predict just what will happen to the planted areas.

Carroll Sentence Upheld in Opinion

Case Involving Seamen's Strike Is Decided in High State Court

The conviction of James Carroll, now serving a six months term in the Multnomah county jail for the crime of assault, was upheld by the Oregon supreme court Tuesday in an opinion written by Justice Kelly, upholding the decree of Judge Jacob Kessler in the Multnomah county circuit court. Carroll was also fined \$250.

Carroll, along with a number of other men, was alleged to have halted a taxicab occupied by J. A. Kessler and two other seamen employed aboard the "Larry Deheny," as they were on their way from the dock to the Multnomah hotel on May 2, 1935.

State's witnesses testified that Carroll and his companions, armed with wrenches, automobile cranks and other weapons, forced Kessler and his fellow seamen to leave the taxicab, and enter Carroll's car. They were then driven to the seamen's hall and later taken to a hotel where they were questioned and their personal effects examined. It was proposed that Kessler and his companions return to the boat and endeavor to induce other seamen to leave.

Evidence further showed that Kessler later was taken to the Southern Pacific railroad yards where he was beaten.

At the time of the alleged assault the seamen's union was sponsoring a strike against craft engaged in the transportation of oil. Carroll was a member of the seamen's union and the strike committee in the port of Portland.

Other opinions handed down Tuesday were:

State vs. Ben Melchior, appellant. Appeal from conviction on a statutory charge. Opinion by Justice Kelly. Judge James P. Stapleton affirmed.

N. J. Nelson, appellant, vs. McAllister District Improvement company, et al. Appeal from Deschutes county. Suit to enforce lien. Opinion by Justice Rand. Judge T. E. J. Duffy reversed.

J. F. Haun, appellant, vs. Cross Country Canal company. Appeal from Walla Walla county. Suit to cancel deed. Opinion by Justice Bell. Judge J. W. Knowles affirmed.

Joseph A. Monese vs. Henry Struve, executor of the last will and testament of Jotham Hanson, deceased, and others, appellants. Appeal from Umatilla county. Suit involving collection of promissory notes. Decree of Judge Calvin L. Sweek affirmed as modified in opinion by Justice Bean.

Petition for rehearing denied in Schmidt vs. Multnomah Operating company.

Fruitland Women to Give Bazaar at Church Friday

FRUITLAND, Dec. 1.—The women of Fruitland church are giving a church benefit waffle supper and bazaar and candy sale at the Fruitland school house Friday, Dec. 4. A short program will be given, following supper at 6 p.m.

Lutefisk Dinners Will Be Served After All by Women at Silverton

SILVERTON, Dec. 1.—Silverton will not, after all, be short of lutefisk. A new supply has reached Silverton merchants, and following the appearance of the newspaper story Sunday, describing Silverton's predicament, Clifford Rue, president of the local chamber of commerce, received a telegram from a Portland firm, offering assistance to Silverton.

Mrs. Oscar Lee announced Monday that plans were all under way or the Calvary lutefisk dinner to be held Friday, December 4. In fact, Mrs. Lee reports there will

King Tours Welsh Farm Sector



One of the first sharp differences between King Edward VIII of Great Britain and his cabinet came when Premier Baldwin and his ministers took exception to the king's personal promise to speed relief for needy Welsh farmers when he visited them near Boverton, Wales, above.

New Legislator Is One Up on Haight

Finds Housing Situation in Salem Is Difficult Declares He Won't Come to Session

By CLAYTON V. BERNHARD (Associated Press Staff Writer)

Legislative neophytes, like freshmen in any other situation, have some ideas which to the initiated sound amusing, but they will come out and many of them will be argued on the floor of the assembly and others will be incorporated in various measures.

A new member of the 1937 legislature from Multnomah came here to look for a place to live for the duration of the session. He was surprised to learn he could not find a furnished house for his family for the two months.

"Why, I should think Salem would supply us with places to live, or the state should make arrangements if it wants us to come down here," he remarked to a veteran legislator and others.

It was explained to him that places to live were scarce, particularly for such a short time as a legislative assembly.

Much put out by the information, the new member retorted: "Well, in that case I will stay home and there will be no representation as far as I am concerned."

The older member smiled, and replied: "That wouldn't make anyone mad. Do you think for a minute the people of the state care if we stay home? They would prefer it."

But the conversation did emphasize one situation, noticeable in the past but a major problem

Guests Numerous At Labish Center

LABISH CENTER, Dec. 1.—Among the holiday family dinners was that held at the F. J. Russ home late last week. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dow, Evs. Lavina, George and John Dow, Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Pugh, Mr. and Mrs. Houghtalin, Jean, Elsie and Arlene Houghtalin and Jessie Patterson of Hubbard; Mr. and Mrs. Nial Dow and daughter Delaine, Joe and John Russ, Don Mooney and Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Dow of Salem, and Mr. and Mrs. Russ and daughter Barbara Jean.

The A. M. Boynton home was the scene of another family gathering Thursday, the guests being Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Volkel and son Jerry of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. James Boynton and daughters, Wanda and Leona of North Bend; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rents and Doris and Sonny Rents of this place; and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boynton of Coquille.

Pulpit Candidate Heard at Dallas

DALLAS, Dec. 1.—Rev. John K. Walpole of Victor, Mont., occupied the pulpit of the Dallas Presbyterian church Sunday morning. He is a candidate for the pastorate of the local church and will speak again next Sunday morning.

Sunday evening the Dallas W.C.T.U. had charge of the union service at the Presbyterian church. Mrs. W. P. Miller, president of the local union, presided. Rev. A. B. Cromwell of the First Christian church of Dallas was the guest speaker. Vocal numbers were given by Mrs. Josephine Albert Spaulding and by the members of the Evangelical male quartet.

The four churches taking part in the union service were the Methodist, Christian, Evangelical and Presbyterian churches.

Bentons Are Honored On 39th Anniversary At John Hoblitt Home

SILVERTON, Dec. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hoblitt were hosts at a turkey dinner Sunday morning at a turkey dinner Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church. Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Benson on their 39th wedding anniversary. The Bentons were married at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, but have lived at Silverton for 34 years.

Present at dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Benson, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Terry, Marion Hoblitt and Mr. and Mrs. Hoblitt.

David Lowe Tells Of That Big Fish

Gets Away When His Pole Breaks; Aumsville People Hosts

AUMSVILLE, Dec. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Ward Ashford had as guests

at their home here for over the holidays their niece, Lois Fellers, nephews Jack and Wayne Fellers of Portland. Other guests were Marvin, Eunice and Norman Long, Vivian, Harry, Jean, Grace and Genevieve Ashford.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peter for the vacation were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Potter, Miss Dorothy Potter and Jean Harris of Oregon City, Elmer Getchell and granddaughter, Marlene were guests at dinner at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Winslow Thursday.

Helms Are Hosts
Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Helms entertained at a family dinner at their home Thursday, including as guests their daughter and son-in-law, Mrs. Lola Monkers and Glenn Monkers, another daughter, Mrs. Ethel Wright and daughter Marjorie, son Allan Wright of Eugene, a nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lamb.

David Lowe, who accompanied his father, D. A. Lowe, on a fish-

ing trip to Pacific City, Saturday, succeeded in hooking a large salmon, which, however, he was unable to land, the fish struggling about until the pole broke.

Rowell on Furlough
RICKREALL, Dec. 1.—Bill Rowell, who is on the battleship Texas in drydock at Bremerton, is home on a month's leave of absence.

Ventriloquist to Appear On Fruitland Program
FRUITLAND, Dec. 1.—A special program will be given at the Fruitland schoolhouse Saturday, December 5 at 8 o'clock.

Norman Norton, a ventriloquist of Portland will be featured on the program, for which a small admission will be charged. The proceeds will go toward buying a piano for the church.

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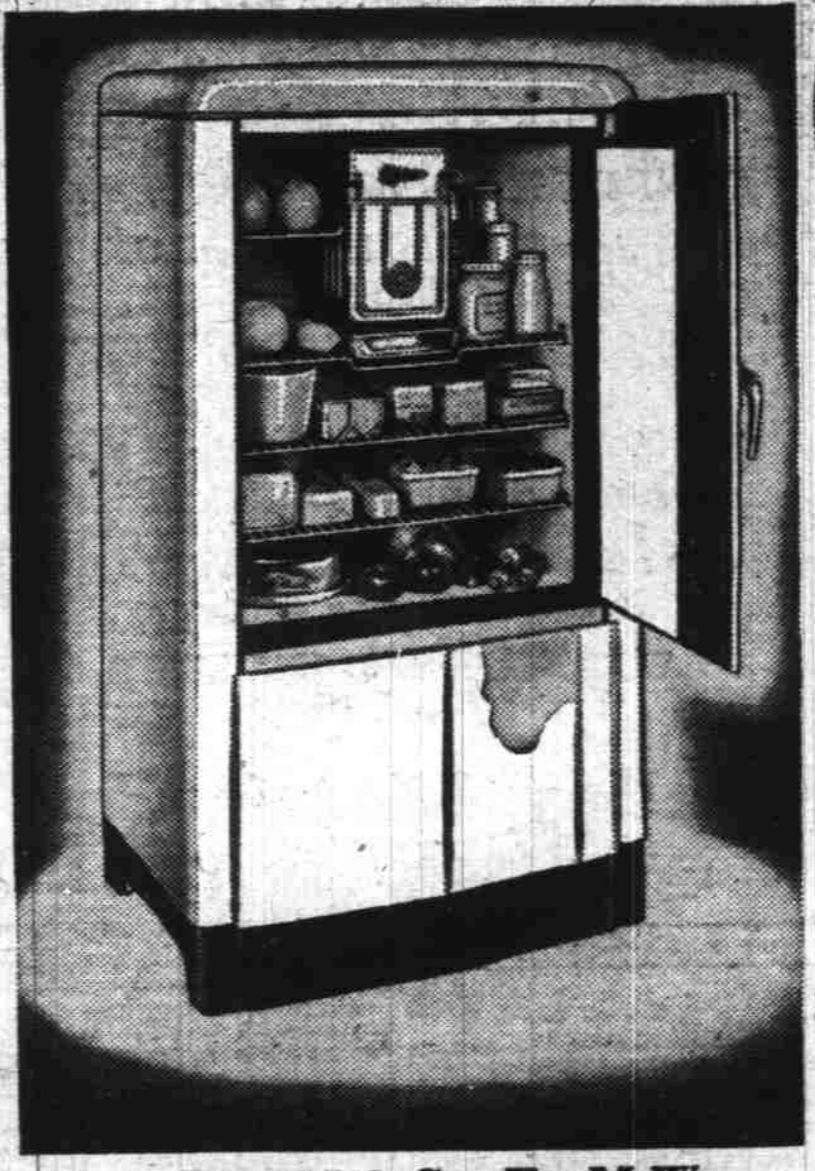
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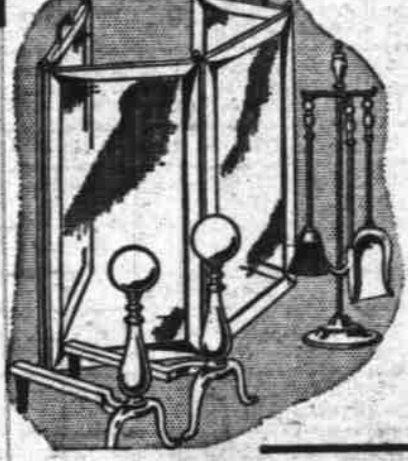


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