

# Local News Briefs

**Coggins Injured** — F. W. Coggins, 975 Norway, was injured at 1:30 a.m. yesterday when his automobile collided with a truck driven by W. C. Perry on the Pacific highway 1 1/2 miles north of Woodburn, he reported to the sheriff's office. Carl Coffey, 354 North 21st street, reported an open door on his sedan was knocked off when it was clipped by a passing car in the route four district at 7:30 p.m. Friday. The only other accident reported involved cars driven by E. W. Manning, Brooks, and Charles L. Graden, 350 North High street, at 1:15 p.m. Friday on the Pacific highway three miles north of Brooks.

**Water Rights Asked** — The state of Oregon has filed application with the state engineer, there to appropriate 40 second feet of water from Mission and an unnamed creek, tributary of the Willamette river, for supplying an artificial lake in Marion county. Another application by G. J. Jenkins, Independence, covers one second foot of water from Jenkins creek, tributary of the Willamette river for the irrigation of 70 acres of land in Polk county.

**Hear Milder Melodies** program on KSLM, Monday morning at 10:15 o'clock.

**Fugitives Returned** — Claude Twigger, 30, and Jack Young, 25, who escaped from the state penitentiary farm February 28, were returned to their institution Saturday. Both were apprehended in Portland. The prison truck which they used in making their escape previously was found there. Warden Lewis said the men would serve indefinite terms in the prison "bull pen."

**Clincs Listed** — The schedule for the Marion county health clinics this week is as follows: Monday, forenoon, vaccination clinic, Salem high school; afternoon, milk-handlers clinic, health department; Tuesday, all day, school examinations, Silverton; Wednesday, forenoon, immunization, Grant and Garfield schools; Thursday, forenoon, pre-school clinic, health department; Saturday, 8:30 to 10 a.m., immunization clinic, health department.

**Not Leon's Manager** — A story in Saturday's Statesman concerning writing on the windows of the Mode O' Day Dress shop was inadvertently in error in stating that the man who did the writing was the manager of Leon's store. The story involved an episode which received police attention but did not result in any charges being filed.

**Accidents Reported** — Motorists reporting minor accidents to the police yesterday were: J. C. Canoy, route 1, and Harry Ottridge, Agate Beach, at Center and Winter streets; Vernon Carlin, 985 North Summer street, and a Northern Pacific train at High and Trade streets; and David Crowder, 1560 Belview street, at Commercial and Church.

**Load Limit Lifted** — The state highway commission announced Saturday that it had lifted the load limitations on the Sherman highway between Grass Valley in Sherman county to the junction with the Dalles-California highway in Wasco county.

**Traffic Heavy** — Automobile and pedestrian traffic in the downtown area yesterday was the heaviest that has been experienced for several months, police said. Cars became so badly involved during the morning that an officer was placed at the State and Commercial intersection to direct traffic.

**Obituary**  
**Hoover**  
William P. Hoover died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Bertha Yeager, 2930 Virginia street, Salem, at the age of 74 years. Survived by brother, Royce Hoover of Altoona, Pa., Mrs. Anna Lukens, Mrs. Elsie Taihelm, also of Altoona, Pa., and Mrs. L. H. Miller of Akron, Ohio and Mrs. Jessie Sharp of Salem. Private funeral services will be held at the Clough-Barrick chapel Monday, March 15, at 3:30 p.m. Interment Belcrest Memorial park, Rev. Grover C. Birtchett officiating.

**Spelling Match Soon** — An old-fashioned spelling match will be conducted Monday night, March 22, at 7:30 o'clock in the Leslie Methodist church building. The National Business Spherer will be the text book. J. H. Meryman will be in charge of the event, sponsored by Townsend club No. 2. The public is invited.

**Harvey**  
Martha Rhoda Harvey, late resident of 1625 N. Front street, Salem, at a local hospital on Thursday, March 11, age 62 years. Survived by husband, John A. Harvey, daughters, Mrs. Millie Conn of Junction City, Mrs. Bertha Welty of Castle Rock, Wash., Mrs. Ortha Banks, Mrs. Lillian Brown, Mrs. Marguerite Hettick of Salem, Mrs. Bessie Prentice of Rockford, Ore., Howard Harvey of Eugene, Sisters, Mrs. B. T. Baxter of Port Orchard, Wash., Mrs. Ortha Archard of Dallas, Ore., also 15 great grandchildren. Services will be held from the Clough-Barrick chapel Monday, March 15, at 1:30 p.m. Interment City View cemetery.

**Legislator to Speak** — Rep. Hannah Martin will give her impressions of the highlights of the 39th legislative session when she appears before the Marion county Social-Service association at their meeting at the Argo hotel Monday noon.

**Peterson**  
Lillian B. Peterson at a local hospital March 12, age 64 years. Late resident of Taft, Ore. Survived by sons, L. E. Peterson, Walla Walla, Wash., W. A. Johnson, Taft, Ore.; daughter, Mrs. Helen Hall of Portland, Ore. Memorial services will be held at the chapel of the Walker & Howell funeral home (formerly Salem mortuary), 545 N. Capitol, Monday, March 15, at 1:30 p.m. Concluding services at the Mt. Union cemetery, Corvallis, Ore.

**Licenses Issued** — Marriage licenses were issued in Vancouver yesterday to Aurelia Calumpp, route 2, Salem, and Dorothy Show, Corbett; and to Gabino C. Guzman, route 7, Salem, and Virginia Show, Corbett.

**Campbell**  
Charles Wilbert Campbell, aged 52 years, in this city March 13. Survived by three children, Madge, Wilberta and Donald, all of Orange, Calif.; brothers, Roy, Arno and John, jr.; parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Campbell of Salem. Funeral services will be held at the Terwilliger funeral home Monday, March 15, at 2 p.m. Remains forwarded to Orange, Calif., for interment.

**Townsend Club Meets** — A free luncheon will be served at the New Park Townsend club meeting at 1456 Oak street at 7:30 p.m. Monday. Women members are requested to bring food. The women's auxiliary will hold a quilting bee Tuesday.

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## Test Trial On Tax Title Set

### Lewelling to Rule on Big Sale's Validity; Case Smith vs. Carlson

The first trial in court of a title issued under Marion county's big tax foreclosure suit of last fall is scheduled to open before Circuit Judge L. G. Lewelling here at 10 o'clock Monday morning. Validity of a tax title obtained from this foreclosure proceeding is one of the issues in the case in which Guy H. Smith is suing Oscar and Hanna Carlson and others to obtain a court determination of his claimed right to the property.

In answer the defendants have claimed they are the owners in fee simple absolute, possessors of the property and they have demanded a decree upholding their title.

Other suits have been instituted over property affected by the county's largest foreclosure action but none has reached the trial stage, according to Harlan Judd, circuit court clerk.

**Circuit Court** — Stella Gillis vs. C. A. Chambers and Culinary Alliance et al; plaintiff's motion to strike a large part of defendants' answer and especially certain allegations as "mere surplage and inserted in defendants' pleadings as a basis for unfavorable and prejudicial advertising against plaintiff." Walter B. Miner vs. Albert and Dorothy George; defense demurrer.

Kathleen Pio vs. Lester C. Pio; suit for divorce on ground of desertion.

**Probate Court** — Ray L. Farmer estate; order authorizing Clifford E. Farmer, executor, to assign back to himself an insurance policy which he had assigned to Ray L. Farmer Hardware company.

Anna M. Lewis estate; order approving final account and discharging George E. Lewis as executor.

Minnie Jorgensen estate; order appointing Ladd & Bush Trust company executor, F. N. Derby, Jacob Fuhrer and Brasher C. Smeal appraisers; estate estimated worth \$10,000; will give household furnishings to son, Harold E. Jorgensen, sets up \$100 burial plot maintenance trust, gives son, Claude W. Jorgensen, use of home at 472 North Liberty street, and puts balance of estate in trust fund from which income to be distributed to three sons, Harold E., Claude W. and Ira W. Jorgensen with trustee authorized to distribute principal equally if authorizing Peter Betzer, administrator, to assign assets other than cash to Frank Betzer in lieu of paying \$225 note; order approving final account and discharging administrator.

**Municipal Court** — M. C. Snyder; fined \$5 on charge of failing to observe a stop sign.

Three exp. egg candlers, apply Marion Creamery Monday morn.

**McKay to Speak** — Senator Douglas McKay is to be the speaker at the regular weekly meeting of the chamber of commerce Monday noon. He will tell of the legislative session just closed, some of the laws enacted and give his personal impressions of the assembly.

**Extradition Asked** — Governor Charles H. Martin today issued a requisition on the executive department of Washington for the return of Harold Connor, who is wanted in Benton county for uttering a forged check. Connor is under arrest in Seattle.

**Lutz Florist**, 1276 N. Lib. Ph. 9592

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**Club No. 12 Meets** — Townsend club No. 12 will meet Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock in Wesley hall, first house east of Jason Lee church.

**Auxiliary to Meet** — The auxiliary to Townsend club No. 12 will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. D. Albright, 435 Division street.

## To Speak Today

Preston J. Nibley of Portland, president of the northwestern states mission of the Mormon church, will speak at a conference at the Mormon church at Cottage and Chemeketa today. Nibley has been a Mormon missionary in Europe and has been active in civic affairs.

**Dagwell Outlines Scouting Advance**  
"Scouting is not an accident; it is a studied growth," writes Bishop Benjamin Dagwell of the Episcopal diocese of Oregon in endorsing the sustaining membership drive of the Cascade Council, Boy Scouts of America. "Sound students of youth, men acquainted with boy psychology have perfected it as a system to meet the needs and desires of boyhood."

**Episcopal Bishop Praises Program; Fund Drive Will Start Soon**  
"The normal boy wishes to excel in some way. He wishes to have friends his own age. He wants to get out in the woods, to roam the mountains. He has a fear of being so sheltered by fond parents that he will be unable to swim, dive, row, handle a canoe, fish and hunt."

**Habit Forming Time**  
"The scout age period in a boy's life is the period of habit forming, vocation choosing, friend making, Scouting guards against bad habits, wrong choices and vicious friends."

**Education Racket Warning Is Given**  
High school graduates and other young people are being warned against solicitors for correspondence schools who promise wonderful results from special lines of study.

**Telephone Firm's Taxes Here Huge**  
Property taxes of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company in Marion county, totaling \$41,919.78, were paid yesterday, according to H. V. Collins, district manager for the company.

**Steinback Dies**  
SILVERTON, March 14—A. W. Steinback of Hubbard died today at the Silverton hospital. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

**Visits to Salem** — J. G. McIntosh, secretary of the chamber of commerce at Independence, was in Salem on business Saturday. He was formerly just a of peace for the Independence district.

**To Build House** — Permit for a new residence was issued yesterday by the city building inspector to Henry Piening who is to build a two-story house at 850 Thompson street at a cost of \$2400.

**Visits From Newport** — W. D. Wheeler, formerly of Salem, is here from Newport for a few weeks visit with his daughter, Mrs. C. T. Cooper, 1295 Fir street.

**George Bowman III** — Mrs. Charles Sawyer of Bend is visiting her father, George Bowman, Silverton road resident, who is ill.

## Ministers Are to Hold Parley Here

### Valley Cooperating Group to Confer March 30; Topics Arranged

Ministers from all cooperating denominations will hold their second annual conference on Tuesday, March 30, in the Salem Y. M. C. A., according to the committee in charge which has just finished the program to begin at 10 a.m. and run through the day.

Rev. H. C. Stover of the Knight Memorial Congregational church in Salem will open the conference with a musical period of devotions. Rev. Chester P. Gates of Ladd Addition Evangelical church, Portland, will review the preaching mission of the winter and lead a discussion of the results throughout the state.

Rev. W. L. Van Nuy, D.D., Presbyterian educational superintendent in Oregon, and Rev. H. K. Hamilton, D. D., Methodist district superintendent in the Sacramento area, have been invited to discuss an inter-church fellowship cooperation. Successful experiments in Oregon and California in uniting churches for larger service will be presented.

**Summer Events Topic**  
"Summer programs of the churches along the Oregon coast which are meant to appeal to the religious forces of the Willamette valley" will be the topic to be presented by Rev. I. G. Nace, Reformed church minister at Tullamook. It is suggested in the conference program that these coastal churches desire to supplement their work with worship and educational service during summer months.

**First Choral Club Concert Approved**  
The first turnover of 1937 taxes, in the sum of \$71,774.93, was made by the sheriff's office yesterday to the county treasurer. Or this amount, \$19,575.64 was allocated to the city of Salem and \$12,921.07 to the Salem school district.

**Brabec in Charge of Tax Collection Department of Sheriff A. C. Burck's Office, Reported, His Staff Will Work over Sunday in Order to Keep up with Recording of Payments.**

Brabec announced he had received a check for \$41,919.78 in payment of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company's tax bill for the year. The other large corporation payment, from the Portland General Electric company, probably will come in Monday, he said.

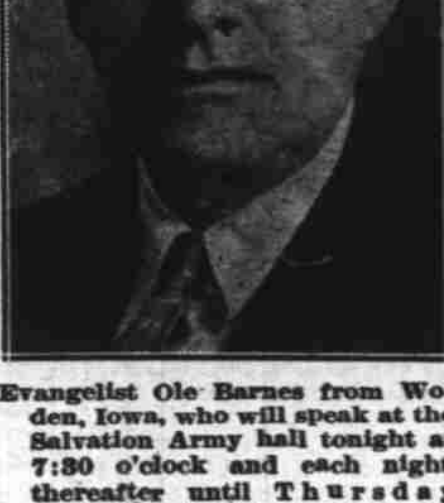
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SALAD: Waldorf  
ENTREES: Grilled Fresh Silver Salmon Steak - Lemon Fillet Mignon - Mushroom Sauce Roast Oregon Prize Turkey - Jelly Fricassee of Chicken - Egg Noodles Grilled Veal Chop - Rash of Bacon Roast Leg of Pork - Apple Sauce Roast Swift's Choice Beef  
New Potatoes in Cream  
Brussels Sprouts Buttered Peas Home Made Hot Rolls  
DESSERT: Fruit Pudding - Lemon Sauce Choice of Pies Apple Cobbler a la Mode or Ice Cream  
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## "Arm" Speaker

Evangelist Ole Barnes from Wadena, Iowa, who will speak at the Salvation Army hall tonight at 7:00 o'clock and each night thereafter until Thursday night. The hall is at 193 North Commercial street. The public is invited.



**Flood Control at Fairfield Planned**  
County Asked to Serve as Sponsoring Agency Under New Law

United States army engineers are ready to undertake a \$115,750 unit of the Willamette valley flood control program if they can find a sponsor to assume the responsibility of furnishing right of way, indemnifying the government and pledging the improvement will be maintained, the county court learned yesterday.

This news was brought in by Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Dittmar and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Lucas of the Fairfield district, who produced a letter from the engineers stating that the most urgent rip-rapping project was on Dittmar's bend, along the Willamette river 16.6 miles below Salem. The letter asked them to act immediately in forming a local sponsoring agency.

County court members said they would be glad to assume sponsorship of the project if it could be done without cost to the taxpayers but pointed out there was some question regarding the possible expense of up-grading the road through the efforts of Senator Douglas McKay the county may assume sponsorship of such a project or a local improvement district may be formed.

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## Willamina Cooley Rites Set Monday

### Resident of Oregon Since 1854 Is Survived by Seven Children

SILVERTON, March 13—Funeral for Mrs. Willamina Smith Cooley, 84, will be held from 9 o'clock Monday afternoon, with Rev. D. Lester Fields officiating. Interment will be held in the Silverton cemetery. Mrs. Cooley died Friday night.

Mrs. Cooley was born September 6, 1852, in Wooster, Ohio, and at the age of two years crossed the plains with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Smith. The family settled first near Fortland, on September 23, 1858, Willamina Smith was married to Mathias Cooley; they lived at Wacanda one year, later at Gervais for two years, and then moved to Howland Station, Oregon, where they lived until 1906 when they moved into Silverton. Mr. Cooley died in 1915.

There were nine children, of whom seven survive; C. J. Cooley, M. G. Cooley and Jennie Cunningham of Silverton; F. E. Cooley of Wemme, Burd Miller and Wallace B. Cooley of Portland and Willis Cooley of Seattle. Seven grandchildren survive, among them Vern M. Suko of Salem; and four great-grandchildren. Two daughters, Mrs. Lillian Suko and Mrs. Tillie Duncan, preceded Mrs. Cooley in death some years ago.

Mrs. Cooley was queen mother of Ramona chapter, O. E. S.

**New Filing Cases In Clerk's Office**  
County Clerk U. G. Boyer's office underwent a partial modernization early last night with the discarding of three old desks and a court which had been in use since the courthouse was remodeled in 1914. A row of metal filing cabinets took the counter's place, and three new metal desks were installed.

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