

Ballot Fraud Method Told

Voting Handled Entirely by Demo Leaders, As Woman's Claim

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scuffling and shouting. Then the noise died down.
A policeman who was present made no move to aid Ellis, Miss Sperry said.
Best told her to stay away from the ballots when the count started. Miss Sperry testified, because "they may get rough."
Then, she said she asked her, "Do you know how many votes they're allowing us?"
"I didn't," she continued. "He said, 'all republican candidates were to get only 15 each. I protested to Strohm."
"It's the boss' order," Strohm said.
At this point, Miss Sperry said, a man came in and told Strohm "the boss" was outside and wanted to see him.
"I didn't," she said, hurried out and returned to announce that: "Everything has been changed. You republicans get 37 votes instead of 15."
Fred Bellemere, chairman of the Jackson county board of election commissioners, earlier had told the jury that vote records showed 438 for democrats and 37 for republicans, the number given by Miss Sperry.

Sales Questioned As Council Meets

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there was a difference between contracting with a governmental unit and selling goods over the counter.
Referring to the two water commissioners involved, E. H. Campbell and I. M. Doughton, Hendricks said:
"I think they can properly take their quota of sales. The intent of the law is that they shall not take advantage of their position to obtain more than their share of business."
On a standing vote, O'Hara's proposal was adopted 9 to 2.
Water Commissioner I. M. Doughton last night took issue with city council members who raised a question as to the legality of his selling goods to the water department. The council had submitted the matter to the city attorney for an opinion.
"I refused for two months to sell to the water department," the hardware dealer-water commissioner said. "I told them they couldn't get a thing from my place of business."
"I didn't sell anything to the water department until the city attorney gave me an opinion that the hardware dealer-water commissioner for me not to. You can verify that with the city attorney and with VanPatten."
Cuyler VanPatten, manager of the water department, confirmed Doughton's assertions.

Former Iowans Meet

JEFFERSON, May 17.—W. F. Klampe and daughter, Arlene, and Mrs. E. B. Klampe of Labish, and Mrs. Richard Daniels of Twin Falls, Idaho, were guests Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Anna Klampe and Mrs. Nettie Reeves. Mrs. Daniels lived in Iowa when a girl, and she and her parents were neighbors of the Klampe family. They recently sold their farm near Twin Falls, and are in the northwest looking for a location.

The Call Board

GRAND
Today—Walter Winchell, Ben Bernie, Alice Faye, Jack Haley, Patky Kelly and Ned Sparks in "Wake Up and Live."
Wednesday—Double bill, May Robson in "Woman In Distress" and Claire Trevor in "Fifteen Maiden Lane."
Saturday—Charlie Chan "At the Olympics," with Warner Oland.

HOLLYWOOD

Today—Deanna Durbin in "Three Smart Girls," with Blaine Baines and Alice Brady.
Wednesday—Double bill, return engagement, Joan Crawford and Clark Gable in "Dancing Lady" and "The Mandarin Mystery," with Eddie Quillan and Charlotte Henry.
Friday—Double bill, Edmund Lowe, Zasu Pitts in "Mad Holiday," and "Hold Cavallo" in natural color with Bob Livingston and Heather Angel.

STATE

Today—"Lords of London," with Tyrone Power.
Wednesday—"That Girl From Paris," with Lily Pons, Gene Raymond and Jack Oakie.
Friday—Eastern circuit vaudeville plus Rochelle Hudson in "The Good Old Song" and "Brook."

CAPTOL

Today—Double bill, "Black Legion," with Humphrey Bogart and "Love In Exile," with Clive Brook.
Thursday—Double bill, all-color, "God's Country and the Woman," with George Brent, and Maurice Chevalier in "Beloved Vagabond."

German Envoy Visits Survivors

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Lien Foreclosure Suits Filed, City Hazlett Revokes Broker's License

Eight new street improvement lien foreclosure suits were instituted in circuit court yesterday by the City of Salem. In 15 cases of action total principal judgments of \$1426.79 and interest of \$729.40 were asked along with \$475 in attorney fees.
The smallest single judgment asked was \$0 cents principal and 31 cents interest, in one of three cases of action against J. I. and Florence E. Teed and others. The largest was of \$233.61 principal and \$39.34 interest, in one of four actions against Ford J. and May Boyd and others. The improvements on which the city is seeking to collect run as far back as November 3, 1924.
Other defendants and the number of actions against each were as follows:
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George W. Hug Is Called by Death

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fraternity. He was a prominent athlete, captain of the track team, won all-star honors in football and was the first secretary and a charter member of the old Northwestern athletic conference. His son, Wallace, also acquired a reputation in athletics as a champion swimmer at the university.
In Salem Mr. Hug was a member of the Elks, Masons and Rotary club, and was active in the Y.M.C.A.
At Portland, where the arrangements are in charge of the House of Holman, funeral services will take place Wednesday at 2:30 p.m.

Windsor to Name Date of Wedding

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official recognition of the marriage because of "ecclesiastical objections."
The duke was reported having difficulties with the royal family over the list of guests for the wedding.
The royal family, it was said, has asked that only those of noble birth be invited, whereas the duke has insisted in asking his commoner friends.
Conjecture over the possible date of the wedding continued. Rogers declared that June 5, latest guess at the date, is "highly inaccurate."

Salem Girl Wins Prize

PORTLAND, May 17.—Betty Hamilton of Salem, won first prize of \$50 in a poster contest conducted by the Portland Propeller club in connection with observance of national foreign trade week.

Stage Barn Party

HAZEL GREEN, May 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McCormack and Miss Hazel Woelke were hosts Friday night to a group of young people for a party in the new barn completed on the Peter Woelke farm.

HOME OWNED HOLLYWOOD 15

Radio Star, Eddie Center Hour, Becomes a Screen Sensation! Deanna Durbin "3 Smart Girls"

United Leftist Front Is Hope

Coordinated Program of War Action Included in Latest Setup

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war policy and separation of the premier and war ministry; the anarchists assailed Largo Caballero for wishing to reduce the number of anarchist seats in the cabinet from four to two.
The Valencia crisis overshadowed war activities except on the northern front, where the insurgents drove close to Bilbao's last defense line.
With insurgent soldiers still clinging to the very edge of Madrid, little activity was reported there except for the nightly battles in University city, the northwestern section of Madrid. Members of a body of insurgents trapped there make regular sallies in efforts to get provisions.

Foes of Proposal To Stick to Guns

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of the president's attitude, that Senator McCarran of Nevada announced he would withdraw a compromise amendment that he had been urging for a month.
"I am not going to offer it," he said. "Farley has said there will be no compromise, and so there will be no compromise."

WASHINGTON, May 17.—(AP)—The supreme court upheld a "tax on bigness" today, impressing its seal of constitutionality on a much-disputed law of Louisiana's Huey Long period.
By a 4-to-3 decision it sustained that state's tax on chain stores, a graduated levy under which the larger chains pay a greater tax on each individual store than do their less far-flung competitors.
The verdict was one of nine announced at today's session. To the disappointment of a packed courtroom, these did not include, however, a decision on the constitutionality of the taxes imposed by the social security act for the support of its unemployment insurance and old-age pension provisions.
Last important new deal cases in the keeping of the court at this term, these cases will be decided either next Monday, or on Tuesday, June 1, the only remaining "opinion days" before the court rises for the summer recess.

Revolt in Albania Reported Quelled

TIRANA, Albania, May 17.—(AP)—The war ministry announced tonight that government troops had occupied Argyrokastr and ended a 34-hour rebellion in the southern sector of the little kingdom of King Zog.
The populace greeted the troops "with jubilation," the war office said. The rebels were ordered to have fled into the Maccendon hills near the Greek border. They will be pursued, officials asserted.
The government denied the rebellion was against King Zog's program for liberalizing the country, his banishment of Mohammedan veils for women and of polygamy.
Documents taken from prisoners indicated the insurrection was of communist origin, the government insisted; it was confined to one sector and elsewhere the nation was calm. (Rebel reports thought Albanian-Yugoslav frontiers hinted that the revolt was chiefly a Mohammedan protest against liberalization and modernism.)
Former Cabinet Minister Efen Toto was charged with leading the insurrection. His fate was not known, but the Albanian telegraphic agency said a brother, Ismet Toto, was killed.
The revolt began Saturday and many were reported killed or wounded in guerrilla skirmishes.

National Head of Legion Will Visit

With a visit from National Commander Colmery of the American Legion expected June 10, Capitol post No. 9 last night began preparations for his reception here with a committee of five being appointed to arrange for the commander's visit.
Appointed on the special committee were V. E. Hockett, William Bliven, George Edwards, Glenn Porter and Douglas McKay.
The Fourth of July celebration committee made its initial report and will further consider plans for the annual Legion show at the fairgrounds at a meeting of the chamber of commerce Thursday night at 8:30.
The post voted to support its Boy Scout troop, No. 9, in a campaign to raise the balance of money needed to send Bob Whitty to the national scout jamboree in Washington, D. C. Part of Whitty's expenses will be paid by the scout organization.
The meeting was a joint affair with the auxiliary and entertainment was presented by that group. The War Mothers were entertained.

Odd Fellows Pick Watkins as Chief

PORTLAND, May 17.—(AP)—More than 5000 delegates attended as five branches of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Oregon completed the second day of the lodge's annual department convention here.
The 29th annual session of the department council, Patriarchs Militant, was marked by the election and installation of new officers for a three-year term, including Brigadier General S. E. Watkins, Newberg, department commander; A. R. McLaughlin, McMinnville, department adjutant; Colonel R. G. Henderson, Salem, treasurer; Major Peter Nelson, Marshfield, officer of the day.

Application for U.S. Aid Favored

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from \$300 to \$350 a month.
Conventions laying ceremonies were set for June 17.
A request by the Spanish American War Volunteers that they be permitted to place a plaque in the capitol was rejected on the ground that the matter should be considered by state officials after the building is turned over to them.

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Honeymoon Home Chosen by Former British King



Located in the beautiful Austrian country near the town of Eisenau, the castle Wasser-Leonburg was rented to the Duke of Windsor for the summer and will be occupied by the ex-king and his bride when they return from a brief trip following their wedding, scheduled June 12.

Cannery Outlook Told by Speakers

High Wage Favored but Handicap in Marketing; Industry Here Huge
Cannery of the Salem territory are in accord with the recent action of the state welfare board in raising wages for cannery work to their highest peak in history, but they should also be recognized that these high wages will handicap the canneries here in competing with the much lower wages paid in all other centers excepting California. Robert C. Paulus pointed out at the Monday luncheon of the Salem chamber of commerce.
Max Gehlar, the other speaker on a program devoted to Salem's canning industry, and attended by representatives of all of Salem's 13 fruit and vegetable packing plants, also made reference to the wage situation, pointing out that many of the 2500 persons employed at the peak of the pack here, these wages are supplementary to the family's regular income and to others mean a summer's employment making possible attendance at college or other schools the remainder of the year.
The farmer, who has suffered because canned fruits were in some cases classed as luxuries which many families did without during the depression, is about to come into his own with higher prices and a good market this year, Gehlar said, and it would be tragic if any situation arose which would spoil that market.
Paulus pointed out some of the difficulties under which the fruit packer operates, principally due to fluctuations in the supply. The drop in total production which started in 1931 is gradually being overcome, with new handicaps arising in the sharp bidding of cold pack and juice trades against the canners which will reduce the amount of various types of berries to be canned.
The greatest recent increase in pack here has been in beans, because of the superiority of the Blue Lake beans grown in this territory, he said.
The dried prune situation is worse than bad, Paulus declared, because of the shutting off of the German market, the maritime strike which held vast quantities in the warehouses, and the habit of Americans are acquiring of "drinking their breakfast instead of eating it."

Champoeg Site Is Partly Owned by Hofer, He Claims

Ownership of several parcels of land within Champoeg park was claimed by Ernest Hofer of Woodburn in a letter which came as a complete surprise to the state board of control members said at Monday's meeting.
The land claimed by Hofer included the site of the log cabin erected by the Daughters of the American Revolution and other structures.
Hofer alleged that he inherited the land within the park from his uncle, John Hofer.
Hofer's letter was referred to Dan Fry, state purchasing agent, with instructions to examine the title of the several parcels of land claimed by Hofer.
Officials said this was the first time they were advised that the entire park was not the property of the state.
A map showing the land claimed by Hofer accompanied the letter.

12 Scout Troops Receive A Rating

Twelve Boy Scout patrols received "A" ratings and 10 "B" ratings at the annual camporee at Woodburn Friday, Saturday and Sunday.
Special service ratings were given to Williams Guard patrol of troop 9 and Explorer troop 4, both of which assisted Scout Executive Jim Monroe in running off the event which he termed highly successful.
Patrols which received "A" rating were: Eagle, troop 9, Salem; Elk, 9, Salem; Bear, 14, Salem; Beaver, 24, Dallas; Elk, 24, Dallas; Panther, 44, Woodburn; Elk, 9, Clatsop; Flying Eagle, 21, Albany; Pine, 14, Salem; Panther, 2, Salem; Owl, 9, Salem; Panther, 10, Albany.
Those receiving "B" rating were: Wolf, 13, Salem; Tiger, 2, Salem; Pine Tree, 21, Albany; Edwa, 15, West Salem; Rattlesnake, 15, Liberty; Eagle, 15, Salem; Hillbilly, 15, West Salem; Panther, 51, Lebanon; Indian, 15, West Salem; Shamrock, 2, Salem.

Mrs. Anna Smith Called by Death

Mrs. Anna E. Smith, colored, for 50 years a Salem resident, died in Portland Sunday after a long illness. She was a sister of the late Johnny Jones, for many years well known as a caterer here. The Smith residence was at 1794 North Fifth street.
Mrs. Smith's main interest was in the Salvation Army here, in which organization she was a diligent and faithful worker. She is survived by a niece and nephew, Mollie and Pearl Williams, and a grandniece, Pearl Mary Williams, all of Portland.
Funeral services will be held Friday, May 21, at 1:30 p. m. from the W. T. Rigdon chapel. Services will be under the direction of the Salvation Army.

Interclass Track Meet Scheduled on Wednesday

The Salem high interclass track meet will be held Wednesday afternoon on Olmsted Field. All boys are eligible to compete except those belonging to the track team who have scored sufficient points in interscholastic meets to earn a letter.

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Attitude Gets Defiant Reply

State Federation to Aid in Organization of Workers, Stated

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orders, religious affiliations or labor union membership. It does not discriminate among its employees because of their membership or non-membership in such associations.
"The department executives, as in the past, will discharge and promote on the basis of merit and merit alone without dictation from any group.
"Membership in union labor organizations must not involve participation in union activities if such activities interfere with the duties of the employee or be in any way inimical to the interest of the Oregon state highway department and/or the general public whom it serves."

Man Is Involved In Child Slaying

NEW YORK, May 17.—(AP)—Detective Capt. Edward Mullins, in charge of the Manhattan homicide squad, said tonight that Mrs. Helen Tiernan had implicated her lover, George Christie, in the killing of her daughter, Helen, and the wounding of her son, Jimmy, in a thicket on Long Island Saturday morning.
This announcement was made at police headquarters after Mrs. Tiernan had been questioned for ten hours.
Christie, who had been held as a material witness and questioned along with the woman, who is charged with homicide, tonight made a full denial. He said he was not with Mrs. Tiernan at all on Saturday and also denied assertions attributed to her that he had given her a ring and sought to marry her.
The detective captain said Mrs. Tiernan told him she held the girl while Christie hit the child with a hatchet.
Mullins said that Mrs. Tiernan, who earlier had confessed that she alone killed her eight-year-old daughter and tried to kill her five-year-old son because their living quarters were too crowded, changed her story tonight after he told her she was not believed.

Gas Cell Blamed, Hindenburg Blast

LAKEHURST, N. J., May 17.—(AP)—A Hindenburg crew survivor who suddenly found himself "standing in fire" when disaster struck the dirigible on May 6 blamed today one of her 16 hydrogen-filled gas cells for the start of the holocaust.
He had started paying out a Manila landing rope from a station at the tail fins under gas cells 3 and 4 when there was a muffled explosion and without warning flames poured down on him from above like water.
"I had the impression it was a gas cell," the witness, Hans Freund, told a board of inquiry today.
Freund, whose clothing hid the bandages covering severe burns, told his story simply and directly. He left a hospital to testify.

Going to Confab

SILVERTON, May 17.—Clara and William Brager and Marilyn Waerwick plan to leave the middle of June for Minneapolis where they will attend the International Luther League convention. Both Miss Brager and Marilyn Waerwick will take part in the program.
The chapter presented a bust of Lincoln to the high school student body this week. The bust was purchased with proceeds from the play, "Sis Hopkins." Jimmie Howard was host to the chapter members at his home on Ferry street at covered dish meetings, for this final meeting.



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