

Local News Briefs

First Aid Men Busy—Early yesterday morning city first aid men were called to Davidson's garage at 267 North Church street to attend Vern Hickman who had severely burned his right hand while attempting to start a fire with gasoline. He was taken to the Salem General hospital. Sunday the aid car was called to the First Methodist church where Mrs. Ella Lavender, 57, had suffered a fractured hip as she fell down the stairs coming out of the church at the conclusion of vesper services. Mrs. Lavender, whose home is at 155 South 19th street, was taken to the Salem General hospital. A call that also came into the fire station for the aid car Sunday was for 755 Lincoln street. Aid men investigated even though knowing there was no such address. It was later learned that the call came from Woodburn where a case of lung congestion required the use of a respirator, but that the services of the aid men were not needed.

Lutz florist, 1276 N. Lib. Ph 952

Build up Roads—County roads in the south, north and east central parts of the county are being built up steadily to protect them from the ravages of winter rains and freezing spells. County Engineer N. C. Hubbs said yesterday. The Jackson Hill road crushing plant near Illihee school was started up yesterday after an extended shutdown and six trucks were assigned to gravel the roads in that part, the southwest section of the county. Hubbs said it was planned to put the roads here in good shape by the end of December. Crushed rock from private quarries from Champeo and out of Silverton on the Albiqua road also are being drawn upon by county maintenance crews.

Re-Road Now Elfsstrom. 6550

Trains Catching Up—Southern Pacific passenger train service from the south was catching up with schedules late yesterday after complete shutdown Saturday due to northern California flood blockades. Trains due Sunday passed through Salem yesterday morning. Monday trains were from half an hour to 3 1/2 hours late, with the Klamath the farthest behind. The Shasta arrived half an hour late and the Oregonian 1 1/2 hours off regular time. Trains from the north were on schedule.

Health Schedule—The Marion county department of health is completing today at Garfield school examinations which were started Monday. The boys at Parrish will be examined Wednesday morning and school examinations will be conducted at the health department in the afternoon. Thursday there will be pre-school examinations at the health office and Saturday morning immunizations, vaccinations and tuberculin tests will be given at the office.

I buy stale, inactive and unlisted stocks and bonds. 516 First National Bank Building.

Law Changes Soon—Graduates of colleges and universities who wish to obtain high school teachers' certificates without complying with the new requirements must do so before January 1. Rex Putnam, state superintendent of schools, announced Monday. New requirements demand that all applicants must have had training in Oregon history, Oregon school law and the Oregon system of education.

Y Institute Held—The YMCA staff institute, an innovation in Y training, that was held at the local unit Sunday was a huge success, according to C. A. Kells, general secretary. A similar institute, except that it will be of northwest scope instead of state, will be held at Centralia, Wash., January 8 and 9. Mr. Kells announced.

Deceased Known Here—Sister M. Agnes of Bavaria, who passed away recently at the Marylhurst convent, Sisters of the Holy Name, was known locally as a former teacher of instrumental music at Sacred Heart academy. Sister Agnes also taught at The Dalles and Seattle.

Club No. 12 Tonight—Townsend club No. 12 at its regular meeting in Wesley hall 7:30 p. m. Tuesday will have a short business session to be followed by a program of speaking and refreshments. A. C. Friesen, president, issues an invitation for all interested to attend.

Club No. 3 Meets—Townsend club No. 3 will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the basement of the Court street church. Important business is to come before the meeting.

Read at Kiwanis—Robert Read, Salem student recently returned from European travel, will tell some of his impressions in a talk at the Salem Kiwanis club luncheon today.

Obituary

Craven—At Altadena, Calif., December 11, Emma Edith Craven, wife of Ernest H. Craven of Altadena, sister of C. W. Elgin of Portland, H. W. Elgin of Salem, George M. Elgin of Woodburn, Mrs. H. H. Hewitt of Lincoln, Neb., and Mrs. H. E. Chipman of Portland. Funeral services will be held from the W. T. Rigdon company chapel Thursday, December 16, at 10:30 a. m. Committal services IOOF cemetery.

Hedges—Frank Z. Hedges, 82, December 13 at the residence, 420 South 22nd street. Survived by the widow, Emma J. Hedges; two sons, Irving V. of Salem and Earl E. of Turner; two daughters, Mrs. Lillian E. Darling and Mrs. Ellen Peterson, both of Salem; also eight grandchildren. Funeral services Wednesday at 10 a. m. under direction Clough-Barrick company. Interment at Turner IOOF cemetery.

Coming Events

Dec. 20—Annual election, chamber of commerce.

Dec. 20—Willamette Valley Flood Control hearing, all day, Salem armory.

Permits Total \$5535—Building permits issued by the city building inspector's office yesterday were for two new dwellings, one new garage and an alteration on an apartment house. Total valuation of permits issued was \$5535. They were issued to: A. Peterson, to erect a one-story dwelling and garage at 1605 Madison, \$2200; Henry E. Boyd, to erect a 1 1/2-story dwelling and garage at 1750 North 17th, \$3200; Mrs. J. Flaker, to erect a one-story private garage at 880 North Winter, \$100; D. A. Larmer, to alter a two-story apartment house at 448 1/2 Belmont, \$35.

Commends Electrical Study—Governor Charles H. Martin yesterday sent a letter to State Utilities Commissioner N. G. Wallace complimenting his department of finance and accounts and engineering division, for the recent study of electric energy production and use in this state entitled, "Statistical report Oregon electric utilities, 1930-1937." The report showed that Oregon consumers of electricity received rate reductions aggregating \$855,670 during the period April, 1935, to November, 1937.

Savings are insured to \$5,000 with the Salem Federal.

Invite Restaurant Workers—The Salem Culinary alliance local, No. 452, yesterday issued an invitation to unorganized Salem restaurant workers to attend a meeting at the labor temple at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Speakers will be presented to outline and explain union organization and sections of the Wagner labor relations act. Representatives of the alliance said workers attending would not be obligated to affiliate with the union.

Road Meeting Called—The county court yesterday agreed to meet at 10 a. m. Friday to receive a delegation from the district south of Salem which has road problems to discuss. The meeting was called at the request of Ben Simpson, prominent farmer of the district involved. The nature of the forthcoming discussion was not told by Simpson, court members said.

S. D'Nunzio, harpist, tonight at Leslie h. schl. auditorium, 8 p. m.

Jailed, from Woodburn—Joe Kust and Richard Dixon were received at the county jail yesterday under an order signed by Justice of the Peace H. Overton of Woodburn committing them for 60 days each for larceny of personal property. The stolen goods had a value of less than \$35. Both men pleaded guilty to the charge.

Laboratory Name Filed—Certificate of assumed business name: Oregon Medical Research laboratory, was filed with the county clerk here yesterday by Frank Robert Austin, 1190 South Liberty street, Salem, and Dr. Robert B. Miller, Lebanon. The firm will be located in Salem.

Auction today 10 a. m. Woody's.

Highway Meet Set—The next meeting of the state highway commission, to consider road and bridge projects to cost approximately \$700,000, will be held in Portland January 6. R. H. Baldock, state highway engineer, announced Monday. Several county delegations will appear.

River Rises Again—Fed by renewed heavy rains, the Willamette river climbed back to the 12-foot level yesterday afternoon after having dropped to less than two feet since the November storms. Saturday it stood at 3.9 feet and yesterday morning at 10.3.

Five Fires Extinguished—Two chimney fires, one at 13th and Oxford streets yesterday afternoon, and one at the Capital hotel Sunday night, were extinguished by city firemen.

In Lebanon—J. E. Monroe, scout executive for Cascade area, was in Lebanon last night to install the Santiam district committee with Fred Johannesson acting as chairman.

Beer License Approved—The county court yesterday approved issuance of a state beer license to Ernest V. Milles, for his location a quarter mile east of Stayton.

Sparks to Oklahoma

LIBERTY—Glen Sparks, who has been employed by the C. W. Stacey and his brother, Christopher, who has made his home with the Mason Bishops, have left with their parents for Veilata, Okla., where they will remain.

Births

Sehon—To Mr. and Mrs. James M. Sehon, Jr., 1545 Mission street, a daughter, Judith Grace, born December 9 at the Deaconess hospital.

Kowash—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Kowash, Brooks, a son, James Albert, born December 2.

Morris—To Mr. and Mrs. Lester L. Morris, Salem, a son, Duane Lester, born December 6 at the Deaconess hospital.

Smith—To Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Smith, route 2, Monmouth, a daughter, Janet Elva, born November 23 at the Salem General hospital.

Baker—To Mr. and Mrs. Andrew O. Baker, 470 South 21st, a son, Lawrence Andrew, born December 7 at the Salem General hospital.

CARD OF THANKS—We want to thank the many friends that gave expressions of sympathy in flowers and otherwise over our late bereavement. Geo. C. Weber and family.

Timber Owned By Bank Sold

Stayton Liquidation Deal Approved; Purchaser to Assume Taxes

One of the larger remaining assets of the Bank of Stayton, 2 1/2 sections of timber land in Jackson county, will be sold for \$2000 under an order granted by Circuit Judge L. G. Lewelling yesterday to the state banking department as liquidator. The purchaser, Timber Products company of Medford, will assume payment of \$3802.21 in taxes due on the property.

Other liquidation orders yesterday authorized part payment of \$25.22 on taxes against Linn, Multnomah and Marion county lots held by the Bank of Stayton and of \$5.06 taxes on Multnomah county property listed among assets of the Bank of Woodburn.

Circuit Court—Charles A. Durlow vs. Renee Durlow; complaint for divorce and decree awarding defendant custody of two children and \$20 a month for their support; defendant alleged; couple married June 19, 1915, at Vancouver, Wash.

S. J. Mitchell vs. Iva M. Green; transcript of judgment for \$125, from Multnomah county circuit court.

Demarest vs. Demarest; all-money disagreement argued, continued for further auditing.

Probate Court—Ambrose B. Conway estate; petition for appointment of W. G. Krueger as executor and of H. J. Bratzel, Joseph B. Felton and Aileen Shirley as appraisers of estate estimated worth \$200 in real and \$90 in personal property; will leaves \$100 to a niece, Mrs. Joseph Myers, Emmettburg, Ia.; \$50 to Helen Witzel, Salem; a violin to Daniel Conway, Jr., nephew, Fresno, Calif., and the residue to Daniel Conway, brother, also of Fresno.

Charles J. Koon estate; order for hearing January 18 on final account of Louisa Koon, administratrix, showing \$1450.75 received, \$1471.50 paid out and deficit met by administratrix.

Edward J. Pearce estate; report of Charles H. Busey, administrator, on sale of 52 acres of Willamette river bottom land three miles southwest of Salem to Gust and Bertha Heyden for \$6300.

George H. Dunsford estate; order appointing Addie Dunsford, as executrix and naming Henry Compton, Margaret Ross and Esther Alrick as appraisers of \$5000 personal property estate; will leaves entire estate to Addie Dunsford, the widow.

Municipal Court—B. F. Russell, failed to stop, fined \$2.50.

Chas. O. Sanderson, vagrancy, 30 days in jail suspended to leave town.

W. H. Babb, vagrancy, 30 days in jail suspended to leave town.

Tracy Baler, charged with vagrancy, dismissed.

John W. Slocum, reverse turn in the middle of a block, forfeited bail of \$2.50.

Charlie F. Bascue, failed to stop, forfeited bail of \$2.50.

John Doe, drunk, forfeited bail of \$10.

Total bail collected on parking tags for the day, \$24.50.

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Arguments scheduled for Monday on the bank night cases pending in circuit court here were postponed when the county clerk received a telegram stating that the J. W. Ehrlich, San Francisco attorney representing Warner Bros. theatres was ill and would be unable to keep the engagement. Judge L. G. Lewelling took cognizance of Ehrlich's plea that oral arguments were necessary and reset the hearing for 9 a. m. January 5.

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YM Member Goal Is Underwritten

With over 400 signed up in the recently concluded membership drive, the YMCA yesterday reported that it was within 10 per cent of the quota set, and that the balance had been underwritten and guaranteed.

The last complete check, December 10, showed the membership total to be 399, but several have signed since that date. That report showed the following cards issued: Families, 11; business men, 74; seniors, 92; YMD, 86; social, 106, and boys, 30.

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Los Angeles Pro Team Undeafated—LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Losing their American pro league schedule, the Los Angeles Bulldogs won their 13th straight football victory Sunday by downing the Cincinnati Bengals, 14 to 3.

Sixteen thousand fans watched the Bengals assume a first period lead when Don Geyer, former Northwestern university player, intercepted a Bulldogs pass, then booted a field goal from the local's 41-yard line.

Finds Brother Held for Slaying



Happiness over being reunited was tempered with sorrow when Hazel Reader found her brother, Paul, 15, missing for the past 16 years, in prison in Chicago, held for the slaying of an Oak Park resident during an attempted holdup. Reader had been adopted by a Chicago couple when he was two years old after having been placed in an orphanage by his parents when they separated. Pictures printed of him after his arrest for the slaying brought his sister from Davenport, Ia., to his aid.

About 3000 Marion County Farmers Expected to Take Part in Federal Soil Conservation Program in '38

Approximately 3000 Marion county farmers are expected to be in the 1938 agricultural conservation program, if the sign-up of new members continues at the present rate up to December 31, which is the last day for entering the 1938 program.

Members that were in the 1937 program do not have to sign again, but all others that wish to enter must do so by December 31, according to Harry L. Riches, county agricultural agent. Work sheets may be signed at the office of Harry L. Riches, county agent, or if this is not convenient, the community committee in each district can assist in preparing the work sheets.

Last year's program included 2460 farmers and 76 percent of the crop land in the county.

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Auction Today

Starts 10 A. M. Sharp at the F. N. Woody Auction Market 1610 N. Summer

Consisting of a large stock of good used furniture moved from a downtown store. Rugs, linoleums; wood, coal, and gas ranges; circulators, 12 davenport and chairs, dining table and buffet and chairs, 3 lamps, 15 fine mirrors and lots of miscellaneous articles. Come early for the many bargains; everything must go regardless of price. This will be an all-day auction.

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Range War Result Of Blocking Seen

Charges Made at Meeting Monday, Concentration, Tax Loss Forecast

Charges that blocking of eastern and central Oregon grazing lands in large tracts would result in a range war were made by R. A. Hollingshead of Harper, Malheur county, at a meeting of the state land board Monday.

"If these lands are concentrated in large blocks the control will be placed in a few people," Hollingshead declared. He also charged that the proposed blocking program would result in loss of taxes both to the state and the counties.

Martin Favors Cutting—Governor Charles H. Martin said that while he was in sympathy with the general blocking program he was opposed to large tracts.

George Aiken, newspaper publisher at Ontario, asked regarding the plan for blocking these lands around water holes.

Members of the land board made it plain that no definite blocking program had been decided upon and that additional information would be sought.

Courthouse Gets New Wire System

The old Marion county courthouse already overloaded electric wiring couldn't stand the strain when the burdens of new lighting fixtures and of ventilating fans were added in the circuit court rooms and a general popping of fuses occurred over the weekend. As a result the county court yesterday ordered a new 1200-watt circuit installed to carry the load.

Electricians who were hooking up the motors to drive blowers set in old fuses leading from the court rooms reported the chimneys were lath and plaster and the walls of the old structure were the same, with openings running to the roof and converging in a curved chamber near the top.

"It wouldn't take a fire long to clean up this whole building if it got a little start," one workman commented.

City Police Force, Judge, Can't Locate Vanished Records

It's a fine state of affairs, thinks Caroly Braden, City Police Judge. A. Warren Jones' stenographer, when part of the city records come up missing right in the midst of said judge, a flock of detectives and the whole city police force.

One sheet of the permanent minutes of the December 6 city council meeting, 17 inches by 12 inches in size and of near-card-board left, has mysteriously vanished its proper place between pages 238 and 240 in the huge minute book.

Undaunted, but still perturbed, Miss Braden made another. She still looks askance at her colleagues about the city hall, however.

Cost of Morris Span Considered

Billed yesterday for \$1878.25 as Marion county's share in the cost of constructing the new steel-supported Morris bridge across Pudding river below Monitor members of the county court will go to Oregon City this morning to decide on final terms of settlement at a conference with the Clackamas county court. County Commissioner Roy S. Nelson declared there was no dispute over the bill but that there were several matters to be cleared up.

Total cost of the bridge, built by the Clackamas court's bridge crew, was \$3756.49. The structure was completed last September 30.

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Eagle Court Set Wednesday Night

Wednesday night the Eagle scout court of honor will be held at the chamber of commerce at 8 o'clock. Rev. George H. Swift will be the presiding officer and Justice Harry Belt will be the guest speaker.

The six scouts who have made the Eagle rank this year are Robert Starr, troop nine; Robert Pound, troop two; Andy Paris, troop four; Thomas Ulmer, scoutmaster troop 14; and Martin Barber and William Evans of troop nine. These honors will be presented by the court of honor committee with Custer Ross presiding.

The program for the evening includes a display of a model cub meeting by cub pack No. 1; portrayal of scout laws by troop two; display of scouting activities by troop four; Scout of a ship meeting by Sea Scout ship Willamette; and concluding with the building of the arch of manhood by the Rover Crew, new group composed of Eagle scouts.

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