

Local News Briefs

New Jury List Out—The 1938 circuit court jury list was filed by the county court yesterday. It consists of the names of 500 citizens, none of whom has been juror in the last four years. In addition the court followed its customary practice of selecting jurors from each precinct in the county in proportion to registration. The list contains the names of approximately 220 Salem citizens. All women on the list will be notified that they have the option of adding to the list if they decline to serve jury duty.

Lutz Florist, 1276 N. 1st St. Ph 9591

Fiske To Build—The city building inspector's office yesterday issued a permit to R. W. Fiske, to erect a one-story dwelling and garage at 972 Parrish, to cost \$1600. Further permits were issued to: E. R. Mundinger, to erect a one-story private garage at 1175 North Capitol, \$500; General Petroleum company, to repair a one-story concrete platform at 635 South 15th, \$380; Frank Spears, to alter a two-story dwelling at 1309 Che-meketa, \$200; Mrs. I. Dumler, to erect a one-story private garage at 790 North Church, \$50.

Drunk Driver Pardoned—Governor Charles H. Martin yesterday issued a conditional pardon to Melvin J. Bayne who on September 6, 1935, drove a car while drunk in the Portland area. Bayne was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and serve 30 days in jail. The conditional pardon carries restoration of his automobile driver's license. The pardon was recommended by Judge Donald E. Young. Bayne served his jail sentence and paid the fine.

Cracked eggs for sale, 17c doz. Marion Creamery.

Work Shows Progress—Rapid progress is now being made on the moving of the old postoffice to the new building. The timber is nearly all in place under the structure and within a few days it will be ready to move off the site. The contractors, Lebeck & Son, are working to get it out of the way so that L. H. Hoffman may complete the new postoffice.

Ray M. Waltz, M. D. New location, 512-514 First Nat'l Bank.

Club No. 6 to Meet—Townsend club No. 6 will meet at the Garfield school tonight at 8 o'clock. New officers will be elected for the ensuing six months; other important business will be transacted. All members are urged to be present, and visitors are invited.

R.N.A. Sewing club rummage sale. Capital Press Bldg. Fri., Sat.

Finds Ill Wind Good—J. E. Gardner, 243 N. 14th, who is in the waterproofing business, believes there is truth in the old adage about an ill wind blowing some good. He reports a "pick-up" in his business as a result of the storms of last week causing seepage in basements.

OSHE Escape Still at Large—Ernest Stewart, 24, who escaped from the state insane hospital the night of January 2 clothed only in socks and underwear, is still at large. Neither police nor hospital authorities have been able to find trace of him. Stewart was committed from Coquille.

Realtors to Meet—Today's luncheon session of the Salem Realty board at the Golden Pheasant, the first at which C. V. Johnson, 1938 president, will preside, will be a business session with no outside speaker, it was announced.

Two Boys Missing—City police have received a report that Dennis Mark Seethoff, route two, Woodburn, and Lloyd Walkup, also of Woodburn, are missing. It is conjectured that the pair took a freight train out of Salem for California.

Auction of Fine Fur Coats—tonight, 7:30 p.m. DuBain Fur Co. 512 State street.

Joy Is Injured—J. C. Joy, state industrial accident commissioner, suffered nose injuries early Thursday when his automobile skidded off the pavement between Portland and Salem. Joy pavement was responsible for the accident, Joy said.

Credit Men Meet—The regular Friday noon luncheon meeting of the Salem Retail Credit association will be held this noon at the Argo hotel.

Obituary

Chaffee
George D. Chaffee, late resident of route six, December 18, 1937. Survived by two daughters, Vida and Eloise; Chaffee of Los Angeles, son Gail of the US navy, and a half-brother, Fred Carter of Salem. Funeral services from the Clough-Barriek company chapel Friday at 10:30 a.m. Burial in Elks circle, City View cemetery.

Gilman
Mrs. Eleanor P. Gilman, 72, in Portland, January 4. Survived by sisters, Mrs. E. D. Lloyd of Salem, Mrs. E. R. Hughes of Chicago and Mrs. J. W. Taft of Pasadena, Calif.; brother, E. M. Pugh of Eugene, and several nieces. Services will be held from the chapel of the Clough-Barriek company Friday at 1:30 p.m. Interment at City View cemetery. Dr. Grover C. Birtchett officiating.

Births

Gesner—To Mr. and Mrs. Clifford N. Gesner, Rt. 6 Salem, a son, James Leslie, born December 30 at the Bungalow maternity home.

Mathis—To Mr. and Mrs. Vern D. Mathis, 1620 Perry, a son, Michael Vern, born January 3 at the Deaconess hospital.

Lester—To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lester, Scotts Mills, a daughter, Darlene Ellen, born January 1 at the Deaconess hospital.

Coming Events

Jan. 7—Jackson day banquet, Argo hotel, 7 p.m.
Jan. 28—Missouri society meets 7:30 p.m., 246 1/2 North Commercial.

Estate Total \$563,240—Estate of the late A. T. Klett, filed in probate court during the quarter ending December 31 had a total value of \$563,240.99 as against \$191,173.08 for the preceding quarter, according to a tabulation completed at the county clerk's office yesterday. In addition to numerous small estates and several in the \$13,000 to \$30,000 class, the quarter's business included the \$200,000 Dr. S. C. Stone estate and the \$69,000 Lulu H. Bush estate.

Re-Roof Now—Elftstrom, 6550.

Schnur Sentence Suspended—Acting upon a jury recommendation of leniency, Judge Miller B. Hayden in Salem justice court has suspended a 30-day jail sentence imposed upon Philip Schnur, convicted of drunk driving. Schnur's state of health was in part the reason for the recommendation, it was understood. The court's sentence carried the additional penalty of a \$100 fine.

HI-Y's Hear Thompson—The three chapters of senior high school's HI-Y organization were addressed by Prof. Frank Thompson of Willamette Wednesday night at the YMCA. He spoke to the boys in regard to "Personal Living," and the subject was turned over to discussion by the HI-Y members.

Newman Ad Speaker—B. A. Newman, newly elected president of the Salem chamber of commerce, will tell about his ambitions for the chamber of the year 1938 at the regular weekly meeting of the Salem Ad club this noon at the Quella.

The Salem Federal still pays 4% on insured savings.

Camellias Blooming—Camellias in bloom in her yard at 571 North 15th street are reported by Mrs. William J. Beard. The flowers, which have been in bloom since December 15, have been shielded from storms by waxed paper.

Rug Catches Fire—City firemen extinguished a fire that had started in a rug, presumably caused by a cigarette, at the W. O. Ireland residence, 526 Belmont, about 4:55 yesterday morning.

Embrey Arrested—Elton B. Embrey, 442 Water street, was arrested by city police yesterday and charged with violation of section three of the traffic code.

Licensed to Wed—Harold M. Dolson, Portland, and Erma Helen Stover, Salem, have been issued a marriage license from the bureau at Vancouver, Wash.

Adventists Choose New Set Officers

Principal officers elected for the Seventh Day Adventist church at the annual congregational meeting recently are as follows: Elders, J. M. Sleighter, M. T. Madsen and C. S. Rasmussen; deacons, C. C. Robinson, T. M. Stringham, O. B. Darling, John Dolins, Ben Wagner, Raymond Kites and Al Stoops; treasurer, Earl Wood; clerk, Mrs. M. D. Ellis. Sabbath school: Superintendent, Mrs. J. M. Harmer with Audrey Ashby and Mrs. Al Stoops as assistants; secretary, Mrs. J. M. Sleighter; department heads, youths, Mrs. A. R. Tartar; juniors, Miss Vera Fisher; primary, Mrs. Gurnee Fleisher; kindergarten, Mrs. Raymond Kites. Rev. L. E. Niemeyer is pastor of the church.

T. B. Hooker Case Put to VanWinkle

Prosecution of T. B. Hooker, Polk county sheriff, charged with embezzlement of public funds, will be handled by Attorney General Van Winkle or one of his assistants, it was announced Thursday.

The request for a special prosecutor was filed with Governor Charles H. Martin by District Attorney Bruce Spaulding of Polk county.

The trial has been tentatively set for February 21 before Circuit Judge R. Frank Peters of Hillsboro.

Icy Roads Major Accident's Cause

More than half of the 3032 traffic accidents in December occurred on streets and highways covered with ice, Secretary of State Snell reported yesterday. Skidding was responsible for 1105 accidents.

"These figures should appeal to the average motorist," Snell said, "and serve as a warning against fast driving under hazardous conditions."

Eight persons were killed in January when cars in which they were riding turned over.

West Salem Gym Work Is Planned

Construction of West Salem's \$10,259 school gymnasium will be started by the WPA within a short time, G. R. Boatwright, district engineer, announced yesterday. The structure will cost the school district \$3939. Boatwright said building operations would be begun as soon as finishing touches have been put on the new Eola schoolhouse.

Klett-Klorfein Dispute Ended

Case Over Equipment and Lease Settled out of Court, Announced

The dispute between A. T. Klett and M. and G. Klorfein over heating equipment and a lease on part of the Schreiber building, in the courts little more than a week, was settled yesterday out of court. Guy O. Smith, attorney for the defendants, informed the circuit court clerk. Details of the settlement were not disclosed.

The first change in Circuit Judge McMahan's department one list of trials to start next Monday came yesterday with the announcement that the suit of M. J. Lentz vs. Fred Beandry and others, filed April 29, 1937, had been withdrawn from the docket. Next case on the list is that of Minnie Keeney vs. City of Salem and E. C. Charlton, long-pending damage action based on plaintiff's having been struck by city police car driven by defendant Charlton, traffic officer. The matter has been dismissed as to the city by the supreme court.

Circuit Court—E. K. Plasecki vs. F. E. and Blanche Osborne; affidavit of plaintiff asserting defendants have refused to give peaceful possession of property sold by sheriff under court order and issuance of a writ of assistance is necessary.

Gertrude Zahara vs. G. Brandt; plaintiff's reply making general denial of answer.

State industrial accident commission vs. Halliday-Elliott Motor company and George E. Amundsen; amended complaint recovery of \$81.90 compensation benefits allegedly collected by wrongful misrepresentation.

Artisans' Life association vs. Robert L. Johnson et al; formal decree allowing defendant Ray Landon as guardian of Robert L. Johnson, a minor, \$750, dismissing suit as to Charles Ayres, administrator of Mary Johnson estate, and requiring Ayres to pay Landon's costs.

John A. Wenker vs. Ray Landon as administrator of George W. Johnson estate; decree finding for defendant in action over real property.

Dearborn M. and Florence Titus vs. Allyn W. Nusom et al; amended complaint for \$3100 judgment against Allyn W. and Miriam J. Nusom, A. W. and Little Nusom, and mortgage foreclosure.

Probate Court—Fred J. Miller guardianship; annual report of Rollin K. Page, guardian, showing \$2145.88 received and \$1719.90 paid out.

Josie LaFore estate; order authorizing second partial distribution of \$500 to each of beneficiaries and authorizing executor to sell government bonds to pay state and federal taxes and certain fees.

Jennie M. Thomas estate; final decree given Ethel Thomas Allison, executrix.

Michael Jorgen Johnson estate; order confirming sale of real property by O. H. Tangen, executor, to Henry Guerin and wife for \$1100.

Andrew Nelson estate; order appointing Martin Rostvold, Arthur Smith and L. E. Blevins appraisers.

Clarence W. Noble estate; final decree given United States National bank, executor.

Marriage Licenses—Richard Foltz, 25, farmer, and Modeline Scott, 27, house keeper, both of Mt. Angel.

Justice Court—Frederick J. Dickhouse; \$25 fine, reckless driving.

Raymond H. Gregory; \$2.50 fine, no operator's license charge, and \$5.50 fine, no license plates charge.

Vern Holloway; plea of guilty, case continued to January 8 for sentence on charge of operating motor vehicle without 1938 license plates.

Aldon Serine; plea of not guilty, trial set for January 8 on charge of operating motor vehicle without 1938 license plates.

Richard T. Redden; plea of guilty, case continued to January 18 for sentence on charge of operating motor vehicle without 1938 license plates.

Frank W. Princehouse; \$5.50 fine, no license plates.

Municipal Court—Elbert M. Bradford, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, fined \$100; driver's license revoked for one year; sentence of 30 days in jail suspended to one year's probation on payment of fine.

Dan Quinlan, drunk, fined \$10, committed to serve out the fine.

Total bail collected on parking tags for the day, \$4.

Mrs. Dora Nelson Rosicrucian Head

Mrs. Dora E. Nelson, 1342 North Capitol street, has received word of her appointment as commissioner for the Rosicrucian order from the headquarters in San Jose. The service is voluntary and consisting of looking after the advertising and promotion of the movement.

The Rosicrucian order is a fraternity which gives as its purpose the dissemination of knowledge of the natural laws of life and the teachings of philosophy, and does not stand either as a commercial or religious organization, says Mrs. Nelson.

Ministers to Give Gambling Reports

The Salem Ministerial association has been invited to give a report on the state gambling situation at a state ministers' gathering in Portland Tuesday, January 18.

The report, which may carry remedial recommendations, will be prepared by Rev. Lynn A. Wood, president of the Salem pastors. Rev. Guy Drill, Rev. James E. Campbell, Rev. J. E.

Honors Paid Panay Bomb Victims



Mortally wounded by Japanese bombs which sunk the U. S. gunboat Panay in the Yangtze river, the body of Naval Storekeeper C. L. Ensminger is loaded aboard the U. S. S. Augusta at Shanghai to be taken back to United States.

Martin's Shower Lack Explained; He Tubs at Home

Governor Charles H. Martin yesterday received the following letter from John H. Leach, Portland pharmacist:

"The shower bath was purposefully left out of your suite in the new state capitol building, as all officers who take baths at home should not be compelled to duplicate in their offices."

Governor Martin complained at a recent meeting of the state board of control that shower baths in the new building were limited to the offices of the secretary of state and state treasurer.

The governor replied: "I see you are a licensed pharmacist and accordingly wonder if you would not advise the capitol reconstruction commission as to the kind and character of bath salts to be provided in connection with the new baths."

Miss Young, Smith Are WU Speakers

Aldus Smith and Barbara Young have been selected by Professor Herbert E. Rahe to represent Willamette university in the state extemporaneous contest for both men and women which will be held at Linfield college, January 20. Mr. Smith is a varsity debater and Miss Young is a freshman at the university and took an active part in forensics at Salem high school where she graduated.

The state after-dinner speaking contest will be held in Portland instead of Willamette this year as previously announced on January 31. It will be held before the Toastmasters club and tryouts at Willamette will be held in the near future.

The dates for the Pacific forensic league tournament which was held on the Willamette campus last year will be April 6, 7, 8 at the University of Nevada at Reno.

Senator Pledges Flax Subsidy Aid

Senator C. L. McNary telegraphed Governor Charles H. Martin yesterday that he would do everything possible to continue the federal flax subsidy to Oregon growers during the year 1938.

The agricultural department recently issued a statement that the flax subsidy would be withdrawn. "Your wire touching the flax benefit payments received and your assistance will be a powerful factor to solution of the situation," McNary's telegram read.

"A few days ago I addressed a letter to our mutual friend George Farrar of the agricultural adjustment administration who has the matter in hand. I asked him to specify what should be done in the way of continuous operation and experimentation so that they may continue to make payments."

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Golden Crane M. D.

Glenn Frank Will Head Party Group

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and economic inquiry created by the republican national committee.

"Along with my acceptance, let me express my understanding of

the nature and purpose of this special commission.
"It is not the business of this commission to write platforms for the 1938 and 1940 campaigns.
"Since office-holders of the party are not in its membership, this commission is a body of laymen asked to devote themselves behind the lines of formal party action to a study of the extraordinarily grave social and economic difficulties that now confront the nation.

"As I sense the spirit of the members who have already written to me, this commission . . . will seek to play its full part in a sincere, open-minded responsible search for the principles and lines of national action that will keep America a going concern—with its business, its industry, and its agriculture ministering effectively to the human needs of the whole world—and insure a way of life congenial to the American spirit."



Condensed Report THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL BANK of Portland, Oregon

As of December 31, 1937

RESOURCES	
Cash on Hand and Due from Banks	\$34,413,086.21
United States Government Bonds	50,108,183.00
Municipal and Other Bonds	10,617,771.24
Loans and Discounts	27,229,737.95
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	211,500.00
Bank Premises (including Branches)	2,719,498.39
Safe Deposit Vaults	40,960.13
Other Real Estate	270,625.28
Customers' Liability on Acceptances and Foreign Bills	536,712.29
Interest Earned	316,787.94
Other Resources	51.93
	\$126,464,914.37

LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$4,500,000.00
Surplus	2,550,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,918,913.32
Reserves	799,537.64
Acceptances and Foreign Bills	\$ 9,763,450.96
Dividends Declared	536,712.29
Interest Collected Not Earned	78,750.00
Deposits: Demand and Time	\$106,468,844.57
*Public Funds	9,603,995.95
Other Liabilities	1,070.03
	\$126,464,914.36

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