

Local News Briefs

Wins Honors—Lucile Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kelly, and Bernice Wilder, daughter of Mrs. Mae E. Wilder, are two Salem girls to earn the distinction of being on the second honor roll at Oregon normal school by virtue of their high scholastic record during the fall quarter. Miss Kelly, who graduated from Salem high school in 1933, has been an honor student since her attendance on the normal school campus and is a member of Sigma Epsilon Pi, scholastic honorary for women. Miss Wilder is also a graduate of Salem high school. Both are enrolled in courses in elementary teacher training in the state normal school. Their inclusion on the honor roll involved carrying a minimum of 15 term hours for a grade average of B.

Special Meeting Pacific Lodge No. 50 A.F. and A.M. Saturday, Jan. 28, 1:30 P.M. Funeral Curtis B. Cross, D. C. Roberts, W.M.

Dramatic 90 and 9—"The Good Shepherd" will be the theme for the 7:30 o'clock service Sunday night at the First Evangelical church with sermon and anthems by the choir carrying out the idea. Special feature will be the dramatization of "The Ninety and Nine" with Rev. J. E. Campbell and Wilmer Brown singing solo parts and the choir assisting.

Honor Student—Irene deVries, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William deVries of Pratum, earned a place on the second honor roll at Oregon normal school, carrying a minimum of 15 term hours for a grade average of B. Miss deVries is a graduate of Salem high school class of 1937, where she was a member of the honor society.

Calculator Operators: Anyone interested in a course of Calculator operation please communicate with D. M. C. Co., 6-o The Statesman, not later than Feb. 1st.

On Honor Roll—Evelyn Bell, daughter of Mr. J. L. Ingrey, 240 East Washington street, Salem, earned placement on the second honor roll at Oregon normal school, Monmouth, where she is completing a course in elementary teacher training. She is a graduate of York, Neb., high school.

Kansas Meet—The Kansas club of Salem will meet tonight at the KP hall, 246 North Commercial street. James L. Loder will show two hours of movies on Oregon scenery and the program will be ended with an old fashioned pie social.

Dch. Boy pnt. Mathis, 178 S. Com. Patient Recovering—Miss Alice George is reported to be recovering satisfactorily from an appendectomy. She is at the Salem General hospital.

Home From Hospital—Mrs. A. S. Henderson returned Thursday from the Portland "Sanatorium" and is rapidly recovering.

Coming Events

Jan. 25-29—Dan Gilbert speaks in city.
Jan. 27—Missouri club, 244 1/2 N. Commercial.
Feb. 15—Odd Fellows Father and sons banquet.

County's O-C Dun Asked—Guy Cordon, representing Oregon & California land grant counties, has requested County Recorder U. G. Boyer to file Marion county's claim for unpaid balances due from the O & C fund up to June 30, 1938. Cordon advised the clerk there was money available at Washington, D.C. for distribution as soon as all counties' claims are received. Boyer estimated \$7000 was owing Marion county. Under the 1937 O & C act, counties receive 50 per cent of O & C land income each year with 25 per cent going on account for claims under the former Stanfield act.

Correction—Brook's suits advertised as \$30, now \$18.85 in yesterday's paper should have been \$25. Suits now \$18.85.

Paper Ownership Listed—Certificates officially registering the recent change of ownership of the Statesman, Staysman weekly newspaper, have been filed with the county clerk by Lawrence E. Spraker, who has assumed that business name, and E. D. Alexander, who has relinquished it.

Mrs. Munroe Speaking—Mrs. William Munroe, state representative from Hood River county, will address the Salem grange at the grange hall on East D street at 7:30 o'clock tonight. Her subject will be "Legislative Problems."

Withdraws Name—Certificate of withdrawal of his name as a practicing physician from the Salem Clinic has been filed with the county clerk by Dr. H. J. Clements.

Flue Fire—Firemen yesterday extinguished a chimney blaze at 743 Union avenue.

Older Living Iowa Graduate Claimed

Etta Raymond Holmes, Pasadena, Calif., noting a wire story in the Pasadena Post to the effect that Mrs. Jay Bowerman, who died here this week, was the oldest living graduate of Iowa State university, has written The Statesman asserting otherwise.

Mrs. Holmes writes that she graduated in 1865 from the normal department of the university, pursuing the same studies under the same teachers as students in the university proper. Later the normal department gave way to another branch of the university, she writes.

Mrs. Bowerman was graduated from the university in 1867.

State to Pay Back \$14,806

Tax Held Paid on Lands not Received Before Woman's Death

Demand for a \$14,806.88 inheritance tax refund to W. J. D'Arcy as administrator of the estate of the late Teresa E. D'Arcy was granted by Circuit Judge L. H. McMahon yesterday in a judgment order and conclusions of law based on facts stipulated by D'Arcy and the secretary of state and state treasurer, defendants.

The administrator filed suit to collect the refund on the ground he should not have been required to pay more than \$20.45 tax on the Teresa E. D'Arcy estate. The court found that a \$16,573.57 tax had been paid on the Peter H. D'Arcy estate but that Miss D'Arcy, a sister and residuary devisee, had died before her brother's estate was closed. As a result, her administrator contended, she had not received \$100,000 worth of real property from the Peter H. D'Arcy estate and therefore her estate could not be taxed on it. Advised that all department one cases set for trial next week had been removed from the docket, Judge McMahon yesterday ordered the jury not to report until February 6.

Circuit Court—Anna Savage vs. A. T. Savage, Jr., et al; plaintiffs' motions to clarify decree regarding personal property and to prohibit defendant from plowing under pasture land of the A. T. Savage estate and to require him to take proper care of certain sheep.

Justice Court—Robert McNeese; \$5.50 fine and costs, no license plates.

Municipal Court—Estel V. Small, drunken driving; fined \$100, license suspended for one year.

Glen Ostrin, drunk; fined \$10.

Obituary

Cross
Curtis B. Cross, at Portland, January 25. Late resident of 222 West Lincoln street, Salem. Survived by wife, Mrs. Barbara E. Cross, Salem; mother, Mrs. Anna W. Cross, Salem; daughter, Miss Virginia B. Cross, Salem; two sons, Edwin C. Cross, San Francisco and Frank D. Cross of Chicago; sister, Mrs. P. W. Byrd, Salem; a grandson, Curtis Stephen Cross, San Francisco. Services will be held Saturday, January 28, at 2 p. m. from Clough-Barriek chapel. Interment at Belcrest with Rev. George Swift officiating. Ritualistic services by Pacific Lodge No. 50 AF & AM.

Booth
At the residence, 1625 Center street, January 26, Margaretta Stafford Booth, aged 82 years, a member of the Methodist Old People's Home for 12 years. Mother of B. V. Booth of Akron, Ohio, and mother-in-law of Vern Farfar of Boise, Idaho. Funeral services will be held from the W. T. Rigdon company chapel Saturday, January 28, at 3:30 p. m. Interment Lee Mission cemetery. Rev. Lynn A. Wood will officiate.

Woodfield
Victor Woodfield, at a local hospital January 26. Late resident of 2010 Nebraska street, Salem. Survived by wife, Mabelle E. Woodfield of Salem; children, Maxine and Jack Woodfield; stepson, Charles Feller, all of Salem; sisters, Mrs. Evelyn Nelson of Coquille and Mrs. Mary Reimer of Portland; brothers, Harold and Edwin Woodfield, both of Portland. Services will be held from the Clough-Barriek chapel Saturday, January 28, at 4 p. m., with Rev. Guy Drill officiating. Interment Belcrest Memorial park.

Watson
At the residence, 3526 NE 24th avenue, Portland, January 26, Rebecca Jane Watson, aged 80 years. Mother of Mrs. Clara Madden of Lewiston, Ida., William B. Watson of Vancouver, Wash., Mrs. Ruth Freeden of Portland, Mrs. Sophia Tunnell of Winona, Idaho, and John M. Watson of Oswego; sister of Mrs. Clara Crocker of Redlands, Calif. Funeral services will be held from the W. T. Rigdon company chapel Saturday, January 28, at 1:30 p. m. Interment Twin Oaks cemetery, Turner.

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M M Club Notes

sure that I would have to swim down-town yesterday because the California Mist (missed California) was coming down hills cats and dogs. But don't worry. Summer isn't very far off and we will be back at the old swimming pool having a great time keeping cool.

The Salem high quints really showed their stuff Thursday night and Parrish-Oh-Oh-I don't think I'll say anything about it because we might stir up a feud. tak-tak. (?)

The new serial, "Scouts to the Rescue," with Jack Cooper, is well started and the whole club has certainly taken it to heart. In fact every one wonders what is going to happen next. But that remains up to you to find out. Don't miss one single chapter in my advice to every club member.

What a swell double screen show we have for today. The first feature will be "Fighting Thoroughbreds," a very exciting picture about horses, stars Ralph Byrd and Mary Carlisle, along with the show of shows, with a picture that is known as "Love Finds Andy Hardy," we offer you their latest hit, "Out West With the Hardys" with Mickey Rooney, Lewis Stone, Cecilia Parker and Fay Holden. Here is really the best all-around feature of the year at the Elsinore today at 1 o'clock.

JAY, Mickey Mouse Chief.

Gong Family Is Honored, Banquet

Dismissal of the deportation charges against the Gong family, prominent Chinese family of Portland, was celebrated at an unusual banquet in that city Thursday night, reports Mrs. C. A. Downs, who was a guest. The banquet, at a Chinese restaurant, was attended by 162 persons.

Speakers included N. N. Wood Heneymey, ex-congresswoman, who declared it was the desire of the immigration authorities to administer the laws justly in spite of the handicap of technicalities. Other speakers were Carl Donough, US district attorney; Irvin Goodman, attorney who aided the family; Mrs. J. E. Fraights representing the Council of Catholic Women; Mrs. Gong who expressed the family's gratitude eloquently though in broken English, and a son Henry Gong, scholarship student at Albany college.

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Call Board

CAPITOL Today — Double Bill, "Newsboy's Home" with Jackie Cooper and "Four Daughters" with the Lane sisters.

STATE
Today — Myrna Loy and Cary Grant in "Wing in the Dark" and Edward G. Robinson in "A Slight Case of Murder."

HOLLYWOOD
Today — Double bill, "Campus Confessions" with Betty Grable and "Eleventh Hour" with the three Mesquiteras in "Heroes of the Hills."

GRAND
Today — Tyrone Power, Nancy Kelly and Henry Fonda in "Jesse James."

ELsinore
Today — "Out West With the Hardys" with Mickey Rooney and Lewis Stone and "Fighting Thoroughbreds."

Action Is Delayed On Ditch Request

Sidney Ditch Association Seeks County Aid in WPA Project

The county court yesterday delayed final action on the long-pending request of the Sidney Ditch Improvement association that the county sponsor a WPA project for the lowering of the stream at and near its juncture with the river. Commissioner Jim Smith said he wished first to view the project site and discuss it with association officers while Commissioner Roy S. Nelson urged that a fixed policy as to county sponsorship of semi-private projects be first established.

Consideration of the request was occasioned by receipt from District Attorney Lyle J. Page of a proposed form of easement to the county covering the project site. The papers included the name of Paul B. Wallace, former owner, who sold the ditch to the association, took a mortgage on it and has agreed to subordinate the mortgage for purposes of improvement to the system.

The project will not only protect private property but also protect a county road from flood waters, County Engineer N. C. Hubbs said. It would not entail any cost to the county.

Jersey Cattleman Session Tomorrow

The largest attendance on record for an annual meeting of the Oregon Jersey Cattle club is predicted for Salem tomorrow, when Jersey breeders and their friends will gather for an all-day session and noon banquet at the Marion hotel.

Speakers will include Governor Charles A. Sprague, Mervin W. Leth of Shelton, Wash., western director, and T. R. Warren, western field man for the American Jersey Cattle club.

Rex Ross, Mt. Angel, is president, and W. C. Leth, Dallas, is secretary of the state group.

HOLLYWOOD
The Three Mesquiteras in "Heroes of the Hills" Wm. Henry

Added News, Our Gang Comedy "Bear Facts" and Chapter 8 of Serial "Flaming Frontiers."

ON OUR STAGE AT 1:30 P. M. Seth Jayne and the Hollywood Buckaroo Program Broadcast.

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