

Four Seek Job In Delegations

Epps and Erwin Both for Roosevelt for Third Term Attempt

Four filings for delegate to the democratic national convention were received at the state department here Wednesday. David C. Epps, Portland, filed for delegate from the third congressional district, Multnomah county, while Ralph Erwin, also of Portland, filed for delegate from the state at large. Both Epps and Erwin favor President Roosevelt for a third term.

O. S. Blanchard, Grants Pass, filed from the state at large. He said he would favor the "peoples choice" for president. James D. Burns, Condon, would attend the democratic national convention from the second district. Harry D. Boivin and Henry Semon, now serving in the lower house of the legislature from Klamath county, filed for renomination. Both are democrats. Other filings Wednesday: George H. Chaney, Coquille democrat, for renomination as state senator from Coos and Curry counties. A. W. Gust, Maupin republican, for state representative from Wasco county. Lyle D. Thomas, West Salem, republican incumbent, for renomination as state representative from Polk county. M. R. Biggs, Prineville democrat, for district attorney of Crook county. James C. Cains, Portland democrat, for state representative Multnomah county. George L. Anderson, Jr., La Grande, for the democratic nomination for district attorney of Union county. E. F. Dodd, Hermiston, republican, for state representative from Umatilla county. Eugene Finley, Jefferson, republican, for state representative from Marion county.

State Bank Plan Title now Ready

Ballot title for the initiative measure creating a state bank, pledging the credit of the state for \$1,000,000, and providing a maximum \$100 a month retirement allowance for all eligible persons over 50 years of age, was completed by Attorney General I. H. VanWinkle yesterday. The measure also provides that the retirement check shall be spent within 60 days after it is received. Recipients can not be remuneratively employed. In case the required number of signatures are obtained the measure will go on the ballot at the November election.

OREGON STATE DANCE TONIGHT
Nine to Twelve
Salem Armory
Intermission
Quiz Program
Johnny Busch's Orchestra
35c — 40c

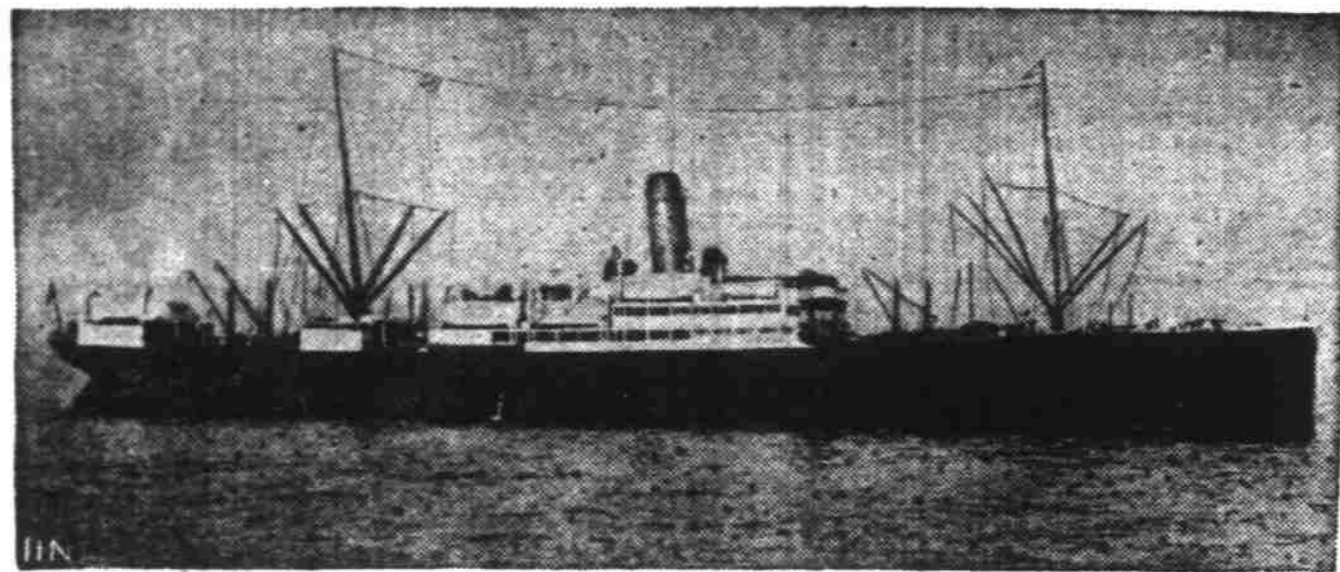
STATE THEATRE
PHONE 3721
CONTINUOUS SHOWS DAILY—MAT. 1 P.M. **15c**

NOW... TO EVERY AMERICAN... MORE VITAL THAN EVER!
War, grim!... brutal!... hellish
As it really was... as it is today!

NOW SHOWING THE FIRST WORLD WAR
AUTHENTIC! OFFICIAL!
From the guarded, secret archives of great nations!

ROUGHTY BUT NICE
with ANN SHERIDAN and DICK POWELL
Come on you hop-heads, it's a jump-happy hitting jam-bone.

Nazi Ship Scuttled in Pan-American Zone



The German motorship Hannover, which was scuttled near Puerto Rico, in the strategic heart of the Pan-American neutrality zone, as a British cruiser approached. Fate of 57 crew members and the captain was uncertain following the landing of but 37 of the ship's 94 crew members at Higney, Dominican Republic. The ship was loaded with ore and lumber and had sailed from the West Indies.

Communion Rites Set for Tonight

A special communion candle-light service will be held tonight at the First Presbyterian church at 7:30. The sanctuary will be illuminated only by candlelight. More than 50 members will be received into church membership at this service. With deep consecration and reverence as its theme, the ritual includes the reading of selected poetry by Rev. W. Irvin Williams, setting forth the suffering of the Saviour. To the reading Frank E. Churchill will provide an organ background. Tonight's observance will replace the usual midweek meeting, which will be resumed next Wednesday night.

Youth Bound Over For Grand Jurors

Vernon Lynch was bound over to the Marion county grand jury on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor yesterday in Silvertown justice court after it had been ascertained that state's evidence on an original charge of taking a female under the age of 16 without consent of her parents was inadequate. The defendant was released to his father, Walter Lynch. Jerry Wills, charged with a statutory offense, was also bound over to the grand jury and held in jail on \$1000 bail following preliminary hearing in Silvertown. Similar action was taken with respect to Roy White on Monday.

Governor Confers With Paul Kelty

Paul R. Kelty, chairman of the state parole board, conferred with Governor Charles A. Sprague yesterday in connection with parole matters. Kelty said his mission here was to recommend a number of commutations of sentences, involving prisoners in the state penitentiary. Investigation of the records of these prisoners was requested by Governor Sprague.

Dodge-Gilmore Party at Ski Hut



Santiam recreation lodge (top) in the Willamette national forest on the Santiam pass. Stanford Sparks, salesman for Hubbard Motor company, and George Jall, Salem Gilmore branch manager, with the 1940 Dodge Luxurp Liner (below).

Spreading popularity of winter sports is indicated by the recent opening of a new resort center known as Santiam Recreation Lodge by Willamette national forest in the Santiam pass district. Already nine ski clubs have been formed in neighboring cities and the average weekend attendance since the opening of February 3 has been approximately 1000. Two clubs are located in Eugene, two in Corvallis, two in Salem, one in Lebanon and one in Bend. The new lodge structure of rustic design was constructed by the CCC and is operated under forest service supervision. Byron D. Scott is in charge of the lodge concession. There are dormitory accommodations for 58 and rates are such as to appeal to the average wage earner. Valley prices for meals prevail. The new recreational area lies between Three Finger Jack and the Sisters. It is 30 miles from Salem, by the North Santiam, 8 1/2 miles from Albany by the South Santiam highway and is 41 miles from Bend. Clear and Suttle lakes are in the vicinity and it is the intention of the forest service to develop it eventually into a year around playground. This scenic center was visited last week by a party that included Dodge and Gilmore Oil company representatives and newspapermen. Stanford Sparks, salesman for Hubbard Motor company, Salem, drove a 1940 Dodge Luxurp Liner. In his party were George Jall, Gilmore manager at Salem; Bob Driscoll, also with Gilmore at Salem; Walter Sperling of Botsford, Constantine & Gardner advertising agency, Seattle; and Lee Eastwick, automobile editor of The Oregonian. Road conditions were good with the highway clear of snow although at the ski bowl there was in excess of 50 inches and a light snow was falling. A total of 65 inches of snow was registered at Santiam lodge this season.

Dodge-Gilmore Party Finds Santiam Ski Lodge Has Fine Accommodations for Winter Sports Fans and Others

Victor Madsen ranch here for several weeks.

Silvertown Lists Several Visitors

SILVERTOWN—Marna Moberg of the Salem General hospital, came to Silvertown Monday night for a short visit at the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ludwig A. Meyer, Tuesday. Mrs. Meyer and her guest motored out to Scotts Mills to spend the day with their aunt, Mrs. S. P. Moberg, who is convalescing from a major operation. Mrs. Preston Young (Florence Hallett) and her young son of Forest Grove are spending several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hallett. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dickerson have had as house guests this week, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moser, Miss Martha Moser all of Bluffton, Ind., and Mrs. Judith Frank of Cisna Park, Ill. The group members are relatives of Mrs. Dickerson. Mrs. M. J. Dolan and Mrs. Lawrence Johnson, both under treatment for pneumonia at the Silvertown hospital, are reported somewhat improved.

Brush Creek Folk Recover From Flu

BRUSH CREEK—Mrs. Anna K. Jensen and Alice Jensen are recovering from a severe attack of influenza. Mr. and Mrs. Milo Grace plan to move into the Shorn home in the near future. Mrs. Henry Jackson is reported as improving following a recent illness. Floyd Fox, well-known Waldo Hills Farm sheep herder, is pasturing a hundred sheep on the

LIBERTY
LAST DAY
"SCARFACE"
Paul Muni - Ann Dvorak
PLUS
"SHE MARRIED A COP"
Adults: Phil Regan, Jean Parker
Children: 15c
CONTINUES FROM 1 P.M.

Shell Again Hits At "Screwdriver"

Share-the-Road Club Is Popular With Drivers Over Country

Following up the success scored last year Shell Oil company, Inc., is again featuring this season the popular "Share-the-Road" club, which was created to launch a crusade against the discourteous motorists on our streets and highways, according to J. E. Puhlan, local manager for the company here.

The club will focus its attention this year on another menace—the "Screwdriver." He is the pedestrian who against traffic signals crosses the street in the middle of the block and disrupts the steady flow of cars, increasing stop-and-go driving. The "Screwdriver" is step-brother to the "Screwdriver," and leading traffic experts agree that together they are responsible for more than one-third of all stop-and-go delays in traffic. New and improved emblems are being featured this year, and will be given to motorists who wish to display their colors as being in sympathy with this national movement on the part of Shell to increase interest in better traffic manners. These emblems do double duty in that they glow at night and still maintain the same design as last year—marine signal flags in color against the gold background. Tiny crystal beads cover the emblem and reflect the light when headlights are focused on them.

Local police and traffic authorities have hailed this program as being in line with their efforts to promote better manners on the busy streets, materially reducing the annoyance caused by unnecessary stop-and-go driving.

Registration End Comes April 16th

Registration books for Oregon residents eligible to vote at the primary election May 17 will close April 16, Secretary of State Earl Snell announced yesterday. Persons becoming 21 years of age between the time the books close and the date of the primary election may register now as many as those who will complete their Oregon legal residence requirements during the period the regular registration books are closed.

Petitions and declarations of candidacies for the May primary must be on file in the secretary of state's office by April 1, Snell warned.

Life Under Ocean Lecturer's Topic

Marine life will be the subject of moving pictures and a lecture to be given tonight at 7:40 at Willamette University. The Willamette University campus by Floyd W. Schmoie, noted naturalist and lecturer.

Schmoie was for seven years park naturalist with the national park service and is now a member of the faculty of the University of Washington, director of the marine museum in Seattle and an officer of the Puget Sound Academy of Science. "I Live Under the Sea" is the title of the picture to be shown. The naturalist's appearance here is sponsored by the Willamette University biology club.

State Gendarmes Get 864 Speeders

State troopers arrested 864 persons for traffic law violations during February, with fines aggregating \$4279, Charles P. Pray, superintendent of state police, reported to Governor Charles A. Sprague yesterday.

There were 30 arrests for driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated. Arrests in the general law enforcement division numbered 166, with fines of \$786.80.

There were 51 arrests in the game code division and 10 arrests in the commercial fisheries code division. The state police received 302 complaints of which 191 were classified as cleared.

Cleared on Check Charge

SILVERTOWN—William Adams, who was wanted on three check charges at Silvertown, appeared Tuesday morning and was cleared on all three counts. Adams had made good the check issued on insufficient funds, the charge of forgery was dismissed on insufficient evidence, and the bad check count was dismissed. Adams paid all court costs. The cases were heard before Ait O. Nelson, justice of the peace.

HOLLYWOOD FAMILY NIGHT 40c

First Showing in Salem
See Thousands of Wild Animals Fleeing Before a Jungle Fire
"SUDAN"
AND SECOND FEATURE
Jackie Cooper
Freddie Bartholomew
"2 BRIGHT BOYS"
Two Features **15c**
George O'Brien
"Night Work" with Mary Boland and Charles Ruggles
"The Fighting Gringo"

To Wed Pilot



"Miss American Aviation," Katherine Wilson, will soon be "Mrs. Aviation." She disclosed recently in Phoenix, Ariz. The 24 year old skyway beauty will be wed to John E. Milner, a pilot, at Del Monte, Calif., Easter Sunday. Milner, now on the Chicago-New York run, was once pilot on the route Miss Wilson flew.—LIN photo.

Divorces Average 300 Every Month

Divorce actions filed in Oregon since July 1, 1938, numbered 7113, Secretary of State Earl Snell reported yesterday.

Snell's office is charged with administration of fees collected for the appearance of district attorneys in these cases. For the period July 1, 1938, to March 15, 1940, fees of \$35,575 were collected by the state. Under state statutes, counties are required to collect \$5 for each divorce action to cover the appearance of the district attorney. Money collected is used to pay a part of the salaries of these officials.

Fees of this type received each month by the state range from \$1500 to \$1800. This would indicate there are from 300 to 350 divorce actions filed in Oregon each month.

1st Aid Captain Laid off 30 Days

Suspension from duty for 30 days effective March 19, was given Captain Charles Charlton of the Salem first aid car by Fire Chief Harry H. Hutton Tuesday. Reason for the suspension, given in a report to the civil service commission, was insubordination. Merle L. Crossan, member of the relief crew, will be on full duty until Charlton's return April 17.

Land Board Sets Grazing Program

A program for blocking approximately 700,000 acres of eastern Oregon grazing lands, was adopted by the state land board yesterday.

Highlight of the program is the exchange of lands within the grazing districts for unappropriated, unreserved federal lands outside the districts.

The plan outlined by the board will make it possible to create larger blocks of lands so that more revenue can be obtained for the common school fund officials said.

A part of the grazing lands in districts will be leased by the government provided these lands already are not under lease.

The blocks will be recommended by a representative of the federal grazing service and by a new employe of the state land board. The board also proposes to build up the carrying capacity of the range. The state will retain all mineral rights to its lands.

Wiscarson Chosen For Choir Leader

The First Methodist church yesterday announced the expansion of its musical program by the securing of Vernon Wiscarson, musician of the Salem city schools, as director of the evening choir. Wiscarson is a graduate of the University of Oregon and the Eastman School of Music of Rochester, N. Y.

On Easter Sunday morning Dean Melvin Gels will sing "Open the Gates of the Temple" by Knapp and lead the morning choir in "Now Is Christ Risen From the Dead." Dr. J. C. Harrison will preach the Easter sermon on "The Resurrection and the Life." There will be baptisms and reception of members. In the evening service Mr. Wiscarson will lead the evening choir in singing "Up From the Grave He Arose" and "Come Ye Faithful as prelude to "Everman"—a fifteenth century production to be put on by the Wesley Players of the University of Oregon.

Call Board

GRAND
Today—"The Man Who Wouldn't Talk," with Lloyd Nolan, Jean Rogers and Charles Starrett. Plus "Bullets for Rustlers."
Saturday—Maurice Maeterlinck's "The Blue Bird," with Shirley Temple.

ELSINORE
Today—Clark Gable and Joan Crawford in "Strange Cargo." Constance Moore and Tom Brown in "Ma, He's Making Eyes at Me."
Friday—Errol Flynn and Miriam Hopkins in "Virginia City." Plus Frank Morgan and Billy Burke in "The Ghost Comes Home."

CAPITOL
Today—Kenny Baker and Jean Colin in "The Mikado." Plus "Hidden Enemy" with Warren Hull and Kay Linaker.
Friday—"Three Cheers for the Irish," with Priscilla Lane and Dennis Moore. Plus "The Village Barn Dance" with Lulu Belle and Holly.

HOLLYWOOD
Today—"Sudan," filmed in African jungle. Plus Jackie Cooper and Freddie Bartholomew in "Two Bright Boys."
Friday—George O'Brien in "The Fighting Gringo." Plus "Night Work" with Mary Boland, Charles Ruggles and Donald O'Connor.

STATE
Today—"First World War." Plus "Naughty But Nice" with Dick Powell and Gale Page.
Saturday Midnight Show—"Another Thin Man" with William Powell and Myrna Loy.

FRESH Spa Easter Candies, Eggs, Nests, etc.

WARNER'S CAPITOL THEATRE
5050
STARTS TOMORROW
A HIT THAT'S MADE TO ORDER FOR THE WEARIN' O' TH' GRIN!
3 CHEERS FOR THE IRISH
PRISCILLA LANE THOMAS MITCHELL DENNIS MOORE ALAN HALE
GRANDPA TAKES THE AIR
RICHARD CROMWELL BOB HOBS GEORGE DAY BARBER
VILLAGE BARN DANCE
RADIO'S BRIGHTEST STAR
LUCILLE SCOTT VERA HENGE
TEAS HARRISON BERENSON
TEAS HARRISON BELLA TRIST
FRANK COOK

WARNER'S ELGINORE THEATRE
5798
SALEM'S LEADING THEATRE
STARTS FRIDAY
THE MAN WHO TAMED 'DODGE CITY' GOES GUNNING...
For New Action!
New Adventure!
New Thrills!
ERROL FLYNN MIRIAM HOPKINS
As you like to live!
As you've never seen her!
Virginia City
The single, strutting, scragging wildest of the West's wildest towns!
RANDOLPH SCOTT HUMPHREY BOGART
FRANK McCONOUGH-ALAN HALE
GUNN "Big Boy" WILLIAMS
Directed by MICHAEL CURTIZ
A WARNER BROS. First National Picture.
Original Screen Play by Robert Porter. Music by Max Steiner.
Companion Feature: You'll Roar'n' Howl!
THE GHOST COMES HOME
Plus Added Attraction
CLIFFTON FARRINGHAM • FREDERICK LAMSON
and an interpretation of the story of the
INFORMATION PLEASE
Last Times Today
Clark Gable
Joan Crawford in "STRANGE CARGO"
Companion Feature
"Ma! He's Making Eyes at Me"