

### Local News Briefs

**Ask Night Ferry** — Residents of Tabbot and Buena Vista regions, including George W. Potts, sr., yesterday petitioned the county court to employ an extra ferryman and extend the time of operation on the Buena Vista inter-county ferry from 8 p.m. to 10:30 or 11 p.m. after June 1. Their petition states that traffic across the river at that point is too heavy to be handled between 6 a.m. and 8 p.m., time limits of current operation.

**Luts Florist P. 5522 1276 N. Lib**

**Plan Second Showing** — A second performance of "Third Class Passage" has been scheduled for presentation in the Leslie Jones high school gymnasium next Wednesday at 8 p.m. This dance pageant, directed by Esther Arnold, Leslie girls' physical education instructor, was much appreciated in its first showing last Friday and will be shown again in response to many requests for its return.

**First With Returns** — Sherman, Hood River and Clackamas have the distinction of being the first of the 36 Oregon counties to send returns of last Friday's primary election to the secretary of state. Canvassing of the primary vote got under way in the state department early Monday. It will require approximately a month to complete this work. David O'Hara, in charge of the state elections bureau, said.

**Safety of your savings is insured at Salem Federal, 130 S. Liberty.**

**Said Under Act** — Hospital associations which provide medical service for workers are under the jurisdiction of the state industrial accident commission regardless of whether the employers have taken advantage of the Workmen's compensation act. Attorney General Van Winkle ruled Monday. The opinion was requested by the state industrial accident commission.

**Speaks Tonight** — Byrd Kelso of Seattle, regional president of the northwest region, Workers Alliance of America, will speak tonight at 8 o'clock in the circuit court room in the Marion county courthouse on "The Cancer of America — Unemployment." Everyone is invited to the meeting, sponsored by the Salem local of the Workers Alliance.

**Season end rose bush and shrub sale.** Closing date May 23. H. L. Peary Nursery, 245 Court.

**Report Nearly Ready** — Report on the feasibility of the proposed Clatskanie people's utility district will be released by the state hydroelectric commission here May 26. C. E. Stricklin, secretary, announced Monday. The district would comprise approximately 87 square miles, with a population of 2480 and assessed valuation of \$1,950,370.

**Line, Log Permits out** — The county court yesterday issued a permit to the Portland General Electric company to extend its lines for 1570 feet along the Jones-Johnson road, and 3050 feet on the LaFlemme — Molson road in the Brooks section. J. L. Ray was also granted a permit to haul logs over county roads.

**I am very grateful to my supporters in the recent primary.** Your loyalty is very much appreciated. Karl Stelwer.

**Professor Hired** — To teach English and journalism next year, Willamette university has hired Marco Ringnold, graduate of the University of California. Ringnold, who has been a newspaperman in Los Angeles, will replace Professor E. C. Richards, who is retiring.

**Park Closed** — Riverside park is now the private residential property of Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson. It was announced yesterday. The park on the south river road and formerly operated by Nan Lou Pettyjohn as picnic grounds, will be closed to public use.

**Rosebraugh Safe** — Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rosebraugh received a cable from their son, Arthur Rosebraugh from Paris which said, "Don't Worry, Paris calm. Am taking every precaution." Rosebraugh is a lawyer with a Paris-New York firm and has lived in the French city for several years.

**Tot Injured** — Lowell Dean Kuhler, two-years old, 80 Beach street, received bad head cuts when he fell from a moving automobile at Highland and Hazel streets, first aid men reported. The child was taken to a doctor for treatment.

**All shrubs 1/2 price.** Knight Peary Nursery, 375 S. Liberty.

**On Blotter** — Howard Warren, 434 Union street, is charged with drunkenness by city police. Robert E. Shattuck, 2724 Brooks avenue, is charged with having no driver's license, and John M. Lamb, 850 Market street, with having no tail light.

### Obituary

**Volk**  
In this city, Saturday, May 18, Gerald Volk, aged 87 years, late resident of 1277 South Commercial street. Uncle of Mrs. Hetty Krekenbaum of Salem and great-uncle of Miss Martha Krekenbaum of Salem. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company Tuesday, May 21, at 10 a.m., Rev. Dean C. Poindexter officiating and a eulogistic services by Salem lodge No. 334, in B.P.O.E. Concluding services in City View cemetery.

**Barnett**  
Sarah Anna Barnett, late of Brooks, May 18, at a local hospital, at the age of 79 years. Survived by widower, Milo Barnett; daughter, Miss Thelma; sons, Kenneth and Wendell Barnett, all of Brooks; one sister, Mrs. Emma Brown of Milwaukie. Services will be held Tuesday, May 21, at 2 p.m. from Clough-Barrick chapel, with Rev. Guy R. Stover officiating. Interment will be in Murphy cemetery.

### Coming Events

- May 22, 24, 25 — Chemawa Indian celebration.
- May 29 — Salem high school commencement exercises.
- May 30 — Memorial day.
- May 31 — June 1 — Lebanon Strawberry festival.
- June 1 — Macabees' Williamette valley district rally, Fraternal temple.
- June 4 — State Jersey sweepstakes show, state fairgrounds.
- June 8 — Willamette university commencement.
- June 10-17 — Oregon state grange convention.
- July 4 — Independence day.
- July 31, Aug. 1-4 — Salem Centennial celebration.

This week—Cannon percale comb yarn sheets 108" lengths \$1.39 & \$1.49. Better Bedding Store, 115 N. High St.

**Youth Missing** — Charles Blaw, 1350 Baker street, was reported to police as missing yesterday after he failed to arrive at the home of a friend in Albany he had set out to visit. Blaw, who was hitchhiking, was described as weighing 156 pounds, having brown hair and blue eyes and wearing tan corduroy trousers, a green shirt, green sweater and tennis shoes.

**Given Scholarship** — Merlin Nelson, Salem, has been granted a scholarship for next year at the University of Oregon. Nelson, a graduate of Salem high school, is a freshman majoring in pre-law at the university. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Nelson.

**Buy your Beach Towels at the Better Bedding Store, 115 N. High.** Smart new patterns—also designs for children.

**Indian School on Program** — Girls from the Salem Indian school will participate tomorrow in the luncheon program for the Kiwanis club by presenting a skit advertising the annual school show. The club will also hear a speaker on the subject of campfire girl work.

**Manolis Injures Back** — Tommy Manolis, operator of a concession in the First National bank building, fell while working on a ladder and injured his back and so is unable to operate the concession this week. The accident occurred last weekend.

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**Riley to Speak** — Dr. P. O. Riley has been chosen as the commencement speaker for the graduating class of the Sheridan high school at Sheridan, Friday night, May 31. Dr. Riley will have for his subject, "Youth and America."

**Court Allows Claims** — County assistant payments made in May as allowed yesterday by the county court include old age assistance, \$6581.60; blind assistance, \$166.40; dependent children, \$1969.80.

**Property owners and tenants** — The City of Salem will commence the service of Notices to cut grass on Monday, May 27, 1940.

**Church to Convene** — The district convention of the Church of God will be held in the Silverton city park May 25 and 26, starting at 10 a.m. Saturday. Rev. B. Camp, overseer of the northwest district will be in charge.

**Talk Church Site** — Purchase of the southwest corner of the Barr property at 14th and Court streets for a building site will be recommended by the building committee when it meets tonight with the congregation of the First Congregational church.

**I wish to take this opportunity to sincerely thank all the voters who supported me in the race for county surveyor.** The trouble was we were too few. W. J. Knox.

**Rosson Honored** — Bill Rosson, Salem, has been elected to Phi Beta Kappa, national scholastic honorary at the University of Oregon. Rosson, a graduate of University high school in Eugene, is a senior majoring in business administration at the university.

**ARYE Meets** — ARYE club No. 12 will meet tonight with Judge Stoddard at 1014 North Fourth street at 7:30 o'clock.

**I wish to express my appreciation to my friends for their support in the primary election.** Sam Butler.

**Club to Meet** — Townsend club No. 14 will meet Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at the Liberty hall. The public is invited.

### Bible Researcher Will Speak Here

Dr. Harry Rimmer, world famous Bible teacher, scientist, archaeologist and author, will be at the First Baptist church tomorrow night at 7:30 p.m. Dr. Rimmer is president of the research science bureau, which offers \$1000 reward for a scientific error found in the Bible. The bureau is chartered to conduct research in all branches of the physical sciences which bear upon the problems of antiquity of man, and origin and credibility of the Holy Bible. Dr. Rimmer's theme is: "The Harmony of Science and the Bible."

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## Jury Drawn in \$10,000 Suit

### Beutler-Lee Case Started in Court Here Involves 1938 Accident

Selection of jury and preliminary testimony in the case of Apolonia Beutler vs. Othel E. Lee and Trinity Universal Insurance company occupied the day yesterday in Circuit Judge L. H. McMahan's court.

The action is for \$10,000 damages for injuries allegedly suffered in an automobile accident on March 27, 1938, at Cottage and Union streets in Salem. The defendants maintain that the accident was due to negligence of Frank Beutler, with whom plaintiff was riding at the time the accident occurred.

The hearing will continue this morning.

**— Circuit Court —**  
Agnes Seal vs. Dr. H. K. Stockwell; answer to amended complaint denying generally.

Ilda Himmelwright by John Himmelwright, guardian ad litem, vs. Oscar E. Pricer; motion to strike answer on grounds of redundancy.

Joe Doran vs. Associated Seed Growers; demurrers to answer sustained.

Ladd and Bush bank vs. Allen Fruit company; answer of defendant M. W. Houck and Brothers.

Jaaper P. Dullum vs. Northern Life Insurance company; application to place on trial docket; reply making general denial.

Frederic G. Hetschel vs. Florence M. Littler and United States National bank; notice advises that demurrer will be heard on May 21.

**— Probate Court —**  
Lenora Kriesel estate; final account of James C. Kriesel, administrator, shows assets of \$5290.08 and expenditures of \$882.29.

Maynard Huribert estate; supplemental report of Robert Huribert, administrator, shows \$8 received; receipts for final distribution of Eunice, Ernest B., Bertha Joia, John E., and Robert Huribert and Rhena Satterly.

Emma Sturgis guardianship; petition of Myrtle Beyerle, daughter, to appoint guardian of \$1000 personal property estate; hearing set for June 3.

John Lichty, jr., guardianship; citation for hearing on real property sale.

Mabel C. Brigham estate; final hearing set for June 20.

Mary F. Gregoire estate; final order granted.

Edward A. Dunigan, sr., estate; final order granted and inheritance tax receipt for \$126.66.

Emily Hindman guardianship; order confirming sale of real property to Ray J. Giatt for \$2100.

Truman Henry Hyde estate; claim for \$638.50 filed by county welfare commission for advances on old age assistance.

**— Justice Court —**  
Eugene W. Mitchell; improper clearance, pleaded guilty, sentence continued to June 3.

Keith C. Harden; speeding with truck, pleaded guilty, sentence continued until today.

Fred J. Lambka; no clearance lights, fined \$1.

Chris H. Hoffman and Warren Hoffman; threatening to kill Grace and Ruth Hoffman, sisters; pleaded not guilty and preliminary hearing set for 2 p.m. today; committed on failure to post \$1000 bail each.

Donald G. Baley; defective muffler, fined \$1.

Arnold A. Warner; no operator's license, fined \$1; no clearance lights, fined \$1.

Robert E. Shattuck; operating automobile wrecking establishment without license, trial at 2 p.m. today.

**— Marriage Licenses —**  
Ronald A. Nopp, 27, cook, 2344 North Fourth street, and Violet Obrecht, 27, waitress, 535 North High street, both Salem.

Robert Phillip Mobley, 21, logger, route one, Lyons, and Weva Edith Devericks, 18, domestic, Silverton.

**— Municipal Court —**  
James M. Ziegler, drunk; committed to serve \$10 fine.

Postponement allowed in case of Melvin Johnson, charged with failure to give right of way to a pedestrian.

**Bank Remodeling To Increase Room**

Remodeling of the First National bank lobby to provide more space was started yesterday. The changes will include redecorating, installation of new lighting fixtures, an enlargement of the officers' space and of the note window.

Booths along the west wall will be removed and customers' desks moved to that space.

## Their Yearbook Off Press Today



Lester Jones, left, business manager, and Patricia Ryan, editor, of the Salem high school annual, the Clarion, inspect press proof of the yearbook, which will be distributed to student subscribers today.

## 1940 Clarion to Be Distributed Today at School

When the Salem senior high school Clarion annual is distributed this morning, the students will find something new in Salem annuals. Editor Patricia Ryan promises. Instead of being printed in the conventional black and white, this year's book has been done in brown ink on cream paper. Both type and pictures will be in brown tone. Several cartoons will appear in color.

Assisting in preparation of the 120 page yearbook were May Oye and Mark Hatfield as assistant editors. M. A. Oye was recently elected to edit next year's book. Lester Jones was business manager. Heading departments were Jean Boyce, Barbara Vincent, Dan Sellard and Patsy Chapman.

## Four Corners Gets Postoffice Branch

Salem postoffice will open a third branch office June 1 when postoffice accommodations are opened for the Four Corners district in east Salem at the Steel Variety store. Postmaster H. R. Crawford was notified yesterday by Washington postal authorities that the office had been authorized and Mrs. John G. Stelzel appointed clerk in charge.

The office, to be known as the Four Corners station, will sell stamps and money orders, register letters and insure packages and parcel post. Other Salem branch offices are at West Salem and Hollywood.

### Convention of Cities Lists Salem Speakers

Dr. Vernon Douglas, county and city health officer, and S. W. Starr and Floyd Bowers of secretary of state's division of audits are among speakers scheduled for the 15th annual convention of the League of Oregon Cities at Seaside Thursday and Friday.

Mayor W. W. Chadwick and City Treasurer Paul H. Hauser will attend some of the sessions.

## Now on Bridge of State



When this picture of Winston Churchill was taken he was on the bridge of a British destroyer. Today Churchill is on Britain's bridge of state as prime minister.—L.H. photo.

## Unander Says Oregon Fair Exhibit Will Be Even Better Than in 1939

Oregon's exhibit at this year's San Francisco world's fair, while not any larger, will be more creditable than the one in 1939, Segrid Unander, secretary of the state world's fair commission, reported to Governor Charles A. Sprague here Monday.

Unander returned to Salem Sunday night after 10 days spent in San Francisco where he assisted in arranging the exhibit. He said all of Oregon's outstanding industries would be represented. These include lumbering, mining, agriculture, fishing and horticulture. Recreational centers also will be featured. There will be no opening pictures of Oregon's coast line.

This year's exhibit will cost approximately \$15,000. T. H.

## Taxi Application To Be Considered

### Operator of City Bus Lines Opposed to low Charge Fleet of Cabs

Application of the Economy Cab company for licensing of a fleet of 12 taxicabs will be considered along with other matters at a meeting of the license committee of the city council Wednesday, Alderman David O'Hara, chairman of the committee, said yesterday.

The application, it is understood, will be opposed by the Oregon Motor Stages, operator of the Salem city bus lines. R. W. Lemen of the bus lines, who was in Salem yesterday interviewing councilmen and city officials in regard to the proposed taxi service, expressed fear that if approved the taxi service would make serious inroads on revenue of the city bus lines and possibly result in curtailment of service.

The cab company would offer a low charge service within the city limits, picking up fares en route as long as there was space in the cabs.

Alderman O'Hara said that W. W. McKinney, attorney representing the cab company, has stated that the company's cabs would comply with the city tax ordinance.

## Republicans Name Hewlett, 10 Votes

### Official Canvass Is Made First in Close Race for Judgeship

Leroy Hewlett received the republican nomination for Marion county judge by a margin of 10 votes over his nearest opponent, W. A. "Adolph" Heater, official canvass of votes cast at the primary election held last Friday disclosed yesterday.

The final tally showed 3898 votes for Hewlett and 3888 for Heater. Other contestants trailed by appreciable margins.

Canvassers of the vote, who began work yesterday, started with the closely contested county judgeship in order to settle controversy arising over the closeness of the race.

On completing it, they continued on other county officers before starting work on state offices. Results of the canvass will not be entirely known for about two weeks. Clerk's deputies working on the tabulation are Gertrude Cheney, Gladys White, Gladys Barry and Helen Wright.

## Former Publisher Passes Saturday

Funeral services will be held for Gerald Volk, 87, this morning at 10 o'clock from the W. T. Rigdon chapel. Rev. Dean C. Poindexter will officiate and ritualistic services will be in charge of Salem Elks lodge No. 336. Burial will be at City View cemetery.

Mr. Volk died Saturday at his home, 1277 South Commercial street. He was formerly city councilman and publisher of the Dallas Observer. He suffered a leg fracture recently in an auto accident.

Survivors are a niece, Mrs. Hetty Krekenbaum, and a grand niece, Miss Martha Krekenbaum, both of Salem.

## Wins in Maine



Mrs. Margaret Smith

Widow of Representative C. H. Smith of Augusta, Me., Mrs. Margaret Chase Smith, 36, easily won the Republican nomination for her husband's unexpired term as representative from Maine. The nomination is tantamount to election.

## Army Recruiters Due for Transfer

Transfer of Sergeant Sam Gimpelson, who has been in charge of the United States army recruiting station in the Salem postoffice building for more than a year, to Boise, Idaho, to take charge of regular army recruiting in southwestern Idaho, has been announced by Lieutenant Colonel H. D. Bagnall, Portland recruiting officer. Sergeant Joseph Scarpa, now at Boise and a former Salem recruiter, will replace Gimpelson. The change is effective June 1.

Since he took over duties here in April 1939, Sergeant Gimpelson has enlisted 163 men from Salem and vicinity. This is the second best recruiting record in the Portland district, being exceeded only by Sergeant Scarpa's record at Boise.

Sergeant Gimpelson said today that he has openings for replacement enlistments in several old established northwest regiments. He said that, although all men on recruiting duty are getting prepared to begin intense recruiting again, there has been no indication of where or for what branches of the service the vacancies will be available. This is the second best recruiting record in the Portland district, being exceeded only by Sergeant Scarpa's record at Boise.

## No Official Count yet On City Election Votes

Official canvass of votes cast in the city election has not yet started, City Recorder A. Warren Jones said yesterday, but a preliminary check has shown that announced results are probably correct.

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