Local News Briefs

NSF Charge Faced—Alice M. Perry faces a charge of uttering a check without sufficient funds as a result of City Officer George Edwards' curiosity. Edwards saw Miss Perry toss away a package as she walked along the street. Examination found the package to consist of a loaf of bread. Edwards, upon questioning her, could gain no satisfaction as to why she tossed the bread away but learned she had passed check without sufficient funds in order to procure it.

Luts florist. P. 9592, 1276 N. Lib

Transfer Confusing—Employes of the state motor vehicle department were "stumped" Wednesday, when request for transfer of title involving a Sears automobile manufactured in 1898 was received from G. T. Bachman, Pertland. He asked that title to the automobile be transferred to Margaret Bachman. Secretary of State Earl Snell said the only record available in connection with the car was a bill of sale, showing it was acquired by Bachman from Tex Knox.

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

In Portland Today-Director J D. Mickle of the state agricultural department, with A. W. Metzger, head of the dairy and foods division, will spend today in Portland conferring with W. S. Frisbie, Washington, DC, chief of the division of state cooperation, federal foods and drugs administra- For sale-About 500 bu, peaches, tion. Correlation of state and federal foods and drugs work is the orchard. Box 1154, % Statesman. objective of the conference.

deliveries after 4:30.

Residents Warned-Chief of City Police Frank Minto yesterissued a warning to Salem residents to be certain to close garage doors and leave a light burning in their houses when leaving home during the Centen-Chief Minto anticipates numerous attempts at house

Dance Thurs., Fri., Sat., new V. F. W. Bldg. Golden's 10-piece band. Permit. Centeninal Com. *

Bog Remembered—A floral geles. wreath was placed in the Willamette river yesterday in memory of Timber, trained German shepherd dog owned by Porter Conger which died recently. Timber's son, Wolf, took his place in the water program and will act in the

A few antique beds for sale, 1357

Visit From Chicago-The Misses Tillie and Louise Frank of Chicago, Ill., are visiting their sister, Mrs. Joseph Portal of Aumsville on their first trip west of the Rockies. The former is a singer and the latter organist at Presbyterian church.

Gardens Tonight. Salem Centen- places. nial Commission Dance.

Class Cancelled - The adult education class in mechanical drawing has been discontinued 40 years a Spiem resident. because the instructor has been released to accept private em-

Wanted!! Thousands of visitors to attend Open House at the Valley Packing Company, Today, Fri. & Sat. Free souveriors for all. See our large adv. on page 10. *

2 Hits of the Century Ronald Colman in "Lost Horizon"

> Cary Grant in The Awful Truth"

Coming Events

July 80-81, Aug. 1-4H live-stock judging and crops tour. July 81, Aug. 1-4-Salem Centennial celebration,

August 4—State Teanesses society picnic at McMinnville. August 4-Oklahoma picnie at Jautzen beach, Portland. August 4-Nebraska picnie at Avery park, Corvailis.

August 4-Montana picnic at Avery park, Corvallis. August 4-Orchard Heights homecoming, Luther Stout's picule ground.

August 4 - Ohio picnie at Laurelhurst park, Portland. August 9, 10, 11-Mt. Angel Flax festival

August 11-North and South Dakota picnic at Lafayette August 11-Nebraska picnic, Olinger park, Salem.

August 14 to 18-Aumsville

harvest festival. August 18-Carolina picnic, Beyant park, Albany. August 25-Old Timers' picnic at Mehama.

Sing Tonight - Pacific Bible college will present another program at the Salvation Army tonight. This quartet of young men gave a very enjoyable program of songs and music last Saturday night and have consented to sing again. There will be no Saturday night service at the army.

Crawford, Elbertas & Hales, in the

Shop Is Sold-Margaret's Baby To the wholesale trade: All cream- Specialty shop has been sold by eries and dairies will close at 5 Mrs. Margaret D. Collin to the p.m. during Centennial week. No Misses Mina and Mary Larson, until recently with Price's store. New lines will be added to the store and it will remain open all day on Saturday.

Dance-Modern, Old-Time, Crystal Gardens Tonight. Salem Centennial Commission Dance.

Seeks Extradition - Governor Charles A. Sprague yesterday asked California officials to surrended Clyde O. Crosby, who is wanted in Oregon City charged with desertion and abandonment. He is under arrest in Los An-

Today, Friday & Saturday-Open House at the Valley Packing Company. Free gifts for all. See our default decree awarding full title advertisement on Page 10 for de-

Licenses - Issued-Marriage 11censes were obtained in Vancouver recently by Clifford L. Williams, Long Beach, Calif., and Lois M. Griffin, Albany, and by Russel Robert Lovell and Lorraine Forrest, both of Sheridan.

Wanted, good team mules to haul wagon away Mon., Aug. 5. The

Drunkenness Charged-Joe Doe LaFountaine; supplemental comby city officers yesterday on defendants personal -Modern, Old-Time, Crystal charges of being drunk in public

Wenger Dies-Word was received of the death yesterday in Picific City of Henry Wenger, for

Grass Fire-City firemen yesterday extinguished a grass fire between 14th and 15th streets on court.

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Grange Requests View

Station, Sun Mountain

The Fort Klamath grange has written a fetter to the state highway commission urging construction of a lookout station on top of Sun mountain in Klamath county. The lookout would be adjacent

to The Dalles-California highway and would give travelers an unobstructed view of the entire Wood River valley.

The request will be considered by the highway commission at its



Dairymen Here Sue Milk Body

Allege Excessive Charges Made; Revocation of Licenses Fought

was named defendant yesterday in two further actions arising in recent weeks from its order revicinity to show cause why their licenses should not be revoked for failure to make equalization revocation of operator's license. payments claimed due by the Notice of appeal given.

Plaintiffs in the case were Curley's dairy and Dave's Independent dairy, Harold D. McMillin and others. Also listed as a defendant was the Dairy Cooperative association of Salem because of interests as a third party beneficiary in the payments alleged

The closely parallel complaints state that the dairies held the belief that they were suffering from excessive charges by the control board, and together with other dairies claiming similar discrimination, had negotiated a settlement at 25 per cent of the original charges with the control board.

This settlement, the complainants affirm, was agreed to by the milk control board, the plaintiffs and other dairies, and also by the cooperative association which, because of large milk surpluses, was expected to receive the bulk of equalization payments.

Since the making of the agreement, however, the plaintiffs assert that the control board has demanded full payment instead of the 25 per cent agreed upon by ordering interested dairies to show cause why their licenses should not be revoked for failure to pay the full sum. A permanent injunction against

revocatory action by the board is asked by both complainants. - Circuit Court -

G. H. and Mabel Benjamin vs. Frank Koehler and Henry Uptdegraff; judgment dismissing action and allowing \$90.30 costs to defendant. Floyd Bilyeu and Westchester

Fire Insurance company vs. Ivan C. Ramseyer; defendant's cost bill of \$45.50 entered. Myrtle Morris and Endoris Morris vs. B. F. McDaniel and others;

in real property to plaintiffs, Ilda Himelwright by John Himelwright, guardian, vs. Oscar E. Price; counter affidavit denying that convenience of witnesses is served by change of trial to Benton county.

State ex rel Ina Isabelle Reed vs. Robin Reed; motion for order requiring defendant to show cause why conditions of divorce decree granted February 15, 1938, allegedly not complied with. Bill LaFountaine vs. Christine

and John A. Dukes were booked plaint making allegations as to dor and otehrs; motion to strike

paragraph from complaint as redundant. Julia Guilick vs. Merle R. Swearinger and others; order Ferry Contract Is confirming sale of real property. Fred A. Barna vs. John E. Lee;

transcript from Jefferson justice Jessie M. Spicer vs. Henry C. Spicer; defendant alleges inability to pay attorney's fees and costs. Emma Erler vs. Ebner Sausage

Kitchen; complaint for \$84.31 alleged due for goods. - Probate Court -

Elmer E. Snyder estate; Gustavine Dawant Snyder named executrix; a will leaves \$500 to Hazel Florence Snyder, a daughter, and the remainder to the widow who is also executrix. Emma Michaels guardianship;

appraisal, by Edwin Keech, Asa L. Lewelling and Margaret Ross, at \$1797.71. Cloriada A. Ames estate; final account of Lora Ames Allen and Roscoe D. Ames, administrators,

shows receipts, \$7891.10; disbursements, \$384.36; September set for final hearing. John W. Luckey estate; final decree awarded Russell E. Luckey, administrator in Marion county; assignment of all bequests from the portion of the estate in Kansas to Emma R. Lund, administratrix there, filed by Mildred Moore, Laura Deeds, Leslie, Charles and Lucila Luckey; affidavit states that Kansas

assets of the estate are insufficient to pay claims owing. W. I. Staley estate; authority to sell motor vehicle granted. - Justice Court -



forged instrument, certified to larceny of radio, certified to juvenile authorities - Marriage Licenses -

Gordon P. Seeley, 21, farmer, route two, Woodburn, and Eva Marie Matthews, 21, domestic, Toodburn. Robert Martin Hulst, 25, farmer, box 175, Sunnyview avenue,

and Luella Weldin, 29, dispenser, The state milk control board 345 South Winter street, Salem. - Municipal Court -Henry James Thompson, drunken driving; fined \$100, 20quiring dairymen in the Salem day jail sentence suspended on condition of payment of fine, one year's probation and one year's

Side-Saddle Added **Onto Fair Stakes**

Costume to Count High; Other New Classes Are Listed

Days gone by will come to life again in the Oregon state fair canter out in the side-saddle style seven lieutenants will become capthe new classes in the state fair be appointed first and second lieunight horse show, which opens tenants, and all will come from here Labor day.

The ladies' side-saddle class calls for side-saddle costumes as ments will be made from the preswell as this style saddle and the costume will count 40 per cent on the score, says Paul R. Washke, professor of physical education at the University of Oregon, who is manager of the horse show this year.

Other new classes announced in the classification and prize list, distributed late last wee, include children's seat and hands for all riders under 16 years of age, combination five-gaited pairs, musical chairs and five-gaited horces to be ridden by owner or member of the owner's family. The classification list provides for seven competitive events each night of the horse show, which opens September 2, Labor day, but does not go on the final night of the fair, which is Sunday, September 8.

Stakes of \$250 each are listed for fine harness horses, roadsters to bike, three-gaited horses, combination three - gaited, jumpers; combination five-gaited and fivegaited. A \$500 stake will be awarded for the best week's accumulative score in the six-horse exhibition entries.

Interest will center also in two perpetual trophies, the Imperial hotel award won last year by Rites Are Today Mariposa McDonald of the C. Roy Hunt stables of Portland with Bert Corby riding and the D. F. Burge trophy in the six-horse class, won in 1939 by Norvel Martin of The Dalles. The Imperial hotel trophy is for the finest three-gaited saddle horse over

Entries for the horse show close Wednesday, August 28, at Evelyn Brune vs. Zetta Schla- noon. Classification and prize lists may be obtained by writing the Oregon state fair, Salem.

Let to Incumbent

Contract for operating the ferry across the Willamette river at Wilsonville was awarded by the state highway department yesterday to Leonard and Slate of Multnomah, who submitted the only bid of \$1250 a month. The firm also holds the present contract, which expires next January 1.

Call Board

ELSINORE

od a y - Robert Young, Maureen O'Sullivan in 'Sporting Blood." Anne Shirley, James Ellison in 'Anne of Windy Poplars." aturday—Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland in "Andy Hardy Meets Debutante."

Charles Coburn, Billie Burke in "The Captain Is a Lady." CAPITOL d a y - Nancy Kelley, Robert Cummings in "Private Affair." Frankie Darro, Mary Kornman in "On

the Spot. GRAND o d a y Ronald Cole-man in "The Lost Horis-Cary Grant, Irens Dunne in

"The Awful . Truth." STATE Today-Dude Ranch Frelics on the stage. Cesar Romero, Marjorie Weaver * in "Cisco Kid and the *

Lady." HOLLYWOOD o d a y — Greta Garbo, Melvyn Douglas in "Nin-otchka." Frank Morgan, Billie Burks in "The Ghost Comes Home." Friday-"Oh, Johnny, How

You Can Love." Lola Lane, James Craig in "Zansi-LIBERTY od a y - Leslie Howard. Wendy Hiller in "Psyma-

lion." Don Wilson, Vera Vague in "Village Barn Dance. riday-Gene Autry in "Rancho Grande," "Son of the Navy." Chapter 10 "Dick Tracy's G-Men."

HOLLYWOOD 15



Lawrence A. Wesolowski, 17, 39 Guardsmen Made Officers

All Will Be Taken From Ranks; 27 Officers Are Promoted

Appointment of 39 new officers and promotion of 27 officers in the Oregon national guard was aprpoved yesterday by the war department in the largest promotion and appointment authorization in the state's history, Major General George A. White, commanding general announced

Similar increases also Were granted to the national guards of Washington, Idaho, Montana and Wyoming, but the figures for these states were not available here. The guardsmen of the five states are the 41st division, commanded by General White, which begins three weeks of maneuvers at Fort Lewis, Wash., next week, and which then will be mobilized for about a year.

In the Oregon national guard, how arena in September as lieutenant colonels, seven cap-1940's smartest feminine riders tains will become majors and to compete for prizes in one of tains. The 39 new officers will the ranks. "All promotions and appoint-

ent ranks," General White said, following a conference with who indicated his approval of recognizing only the men now in service and preferably from men with two years' service, who have attended previous training camps, "Fitness alone will be the basis, but there are not enough vacancies for all qualified men, General White continued. In calling on regimental com

manders for their recommendations, General White said that under the law of line appointments Eight Cities Send and promotions, these will be made from the lists submitted by the regimental commanders. All must pass federal examining boards and those who qualify will then be certified to the war department for federal commission.

He said there would be more promotions if the 41st division is increased from its present strength of 10,000 to a war-time strength of 20.000. All vacancies are in the line

of the infantry, field artillery and coast artillery.

For Lillie Starr

Word has been received of the leath in Los Angeles on July 11 of Lillie Howe Starr, who was born in Salem, October 16, 1872. Mrs. Starr was the daughter of Selena and James T. Howe. Survivors are a son, Harold Howe Starr of Los Angeles; sister, Mrs. Annie Francis of Dallas, and grandson, Harold Starr, jr., of Los Angeles.

The body was cremated and ashea forwarded to Salem, where services will be held today at 2 p.m. at the IOOF cemetery.

Pension Council In Session Here

Methods of assisting legislative candidates who favor increased old age pensions will be discussed at the chamber of commerce here today at a meeting of the executive committee of the Oregon Pension federation.

The committee also will decide whether to support the initiative measure which would license many forms of gambling, with the proceeds to be used for pensions. This bill is the only measure on the November ballot which affects

Rainfall Average For July Topped

Half again more rain fell in Salem during July than the month's average of .40 inch, according to official records. Five days' precipitation of .61 inch was the greatest in July since 1932, which had .65.

Ninety degree weather domi-nated the first week, followed by only one more reading of 90 degrees, on the 11th. Approximately half the month was cool and rainy, with rainfall on July 20, 22, 25, 26 and 27.

Officials in Doubt as To Reason for Change

No event that would conflict with Senator Charles L. McNary's notification is scheduled for the state fairgrounds on August 28. fair officials said yesterday. The notification has been advanced to August 27, with an explanation given in Washington, DC, that the change was made to avoid a conflict of events.

Statehouse officials surmised the change may have been made to avert drawing crowds away from the Astoria regatts on Aug-

Pheasants Released HEPPNER, Ore., July \$1.-(A)-L. Richardson, president of the Morrow Hunters and Anglers club. said today many of the 2000 pheasants to be released in Morrow county this season already had been turned loose along vari-ous creeks.



New Police Radio

Two-way radio gets its man for the city police department. Yesterday Patrolman Hobart Kiggins made use of the recently installed system to capture Robert Preston, escapee from the state training school for boys at Woodburn, and the day before he brought it into use in overtaking a Salem juvenile subsequently charged with larceny from an automobile.

Kiggins, on patrol at Marion and Front streets, spotted young Preston, who made his escape from the state school Tuesday night. His radio for assistance brought two other prowl cars that aided in rounding up the youngster within five minutes after Kiggins saw him.

Whipsaw Shown Has Long History

playing an old whipsaw during 13 majors will be promoted to the Centennial celebration which is a most interesting relic. The saw has been in possession of the lodge since 1881, when it was presented by D. D. Prettyman, but its history dates back to 1839. The relie was taken from Delaware about 1839 to Missouri, and in 1847 it was brought across the plains to The Dalles.

In The Dalles the saw was used Governor Charles A. Sprague, D. D. Tompkins, David, James and John Powell, the late William McKinney of Turner and his father, who was a Methodist minister, used to sail down the Columbia river. The handles now on the saw, except a crossbar on the one of them, were put on at The Dalles, and the wood is still in good condition.

Rotary Visitors

Rotarians from eight Oregon cities attended the Salem Rotary club's statewide Centennial luncheon at the Marion hotel yesterday noon. Represented were Portland, Medford, Eugene, Corvallis, Sheridan, Albany, Woodburn and Silverton. Governor Charles A. Sprague welcomed the visitors. The Rotarians heard Dr. Wil

liam G. Everson, president of Lin-field college, McMinaville, declare that Salem's observance of its first 100 years' existence presents a challenge to carry its early day spirit, that of a free people, into the future. Music was provided by the Centennial quartet composed of Herbert B. Glaisyer, Max Alford, Ron-

ald Craven and Rev. David Ring-

land, with Alice Crary Brown as accompanist. Obituar

Livingston Winifred E. Livingston, at the residence of her daughter, 494 South Winter street, at the age of 67 years. Survived by children, Mrs. S. B. Eshelman of Salem, Phillip Livingston, of Cody, Wyo. Mrs. W. F. Dundass, Mrs. Albert Hedstrom of Terry, Mont.; sons, C. E. of Toppenish, Wallace and Warren, both of Colfax; sisters, Mrs. Capitola Peterson, Mrs. Andy Peterson, both of Wyoming; Mrs. J. Nelson of Grasston, Minn. Funeral announcements later from the Walker and Howell chapel.

Armstrong At the residence, 1196 Marion street, Tuesday, July 30, Martha A. Armstrong, aged 78 years. Sister of W. L. Skipton and Miss Olive Skipton of Salem. Life member of ORS of St. Maries. Ida., and grand worthy chief of degree of honor, Idaho chapter No. 49. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company Thursday, August 1 at 18 a. m., Rev. Guy L. Drill officiating. Concluding services Crystal Lake cemetery, Corvallis.

Kendall Matilda Kendall, in this city July 30. Remains are being forwarded to Klamath Falls for services and interment by the Walker & Howell Funeral home.

Bliss Frank Whitwood Bliss, 14, at a ocal hospital July 31. Son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Dean Bliss; brother of Virginia, George Darwin and Cy Bliss, all of Salem; grandson of O. A. Barnes of Dallas, Temas. Funeral services will be from the Walker and Howell chapel Saturday, August 3, at 2 p.m. Rev. J. F. Lawson will officiate.

At the residence, Pacific City, Ore., Wednesday, July 31, Henry Wenger, aged 75 years. Father of A. J. Lenard and Clarence Wenger, all of Pacific City, and Mrs. Helen R. Ewing of Newberg Ore., and also survived by four step-children. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company chapel, Friday, August 2, at 1:30 p.m. Concluding services City View cemetery. During July concluding rites

were held at Mt. Crest Abbey mausoleum and crematorium for the following: Magnus Swanson James LeRoy Nation Alfred Ansell Calvin A. Ingle George Amos Pitzer

Benjamin O. Schucking Ivan Erwood Mitchell Professor H. C. Howe

TERWILLIAM EDWARDS Funeral Home Phone .

New Police Radio Gets Its Quarry; Two in Two Days Job Placing Is Okeh; Chicken Is Seemingly Normal

Inventory Being Taken of Skilled Workers for Defense

New jobs secured through the Oregon state employment service during the first half of 1940 increased 41 per cent over the same period last year, Director L. Q. Stoll reported yesterday.

Supplementary placements more than doubled while jobs in private industry gained 23 per cent. Stoll said an up-to-the-minute

inventory of skilled workers in key defense occupations was being taken by 21 local employment of fices in Oregon this month. Both main and secondary registrations will be counted among the nearly 40,000 unemployed included in the active file.

Decrease of nearly 15 per cent in active file from the 47,111 listflected in the increased placement report.

In the first six months 22.387 service compared with 18,219 for the first half of 1939. Supple-16,727 to 35,024, while the total of all jobs went up from 44,287 to 62.571.

Placements in governmental classifications slumped from 9341

Coroner, Attorney Have Death Report

death of Frank Whitwood Bliss, 14-year-old bicyclist Tuesday night struck by a car driven by Lloyd Cecil Yates of Crawfordsville, are now in the hands of the district attorney and county coroner, state police officers who investigated declared yesterday. Blis- son of Mr. and Mrs. O.

Dean Bliss, 2745 North Front, was struck as he rode his bicycle from the driveway at his home. Yates, accompanied by his wife and infant son, was coming into Salem from Tigard, where he is employed.

Road Contractor Dies

SCITUATE, Mass., July 31 .- (AP) George Copp Warren, 75, nationally known officer of Warren world's largest highway contract- tinuity editor, and Earl Denham, ing firms, died today.

Though indigestible, two feet of rubber upholstery cord apparently did not give indigestion to a spring chicken which swallowed it, in the opinion of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Norris, 1945 Lewis street, who discovered the oddity when the fryer was butchered this

They found about half of the cord doubled up in the chicken's craw and the remainder virtually filling its gizzard, but the chicken had seemed entirely healthy, and was unusual fn no other respect. The cord was about three-eighths inch thick.

Former Minister Returns to Salem

The Calvary Baptist church, of which Rev. Arno Q. Weniger is ed last year at this time is re- the pastor, is planning a homecoming service for Sunday mornning with Dr. W. T. Milliken of Portland, who is now the presifound jobs with private firms dent of the Western Baptist Thethrough the state employment ological seminary, as the speaker. He is the unanimous choice of the board of deacons because of his mentary placements, mainly along former relationship to the older seasonal farm lines, jumped from members of the church, having been their pastor in other days.

A brief history of the church's existence will be given by one of . the charter members, all of whom will have places of honor and special recognition. Special music will be rendered by the choir under the direction of E. D. Lindburg. Following the message of the morning the ordinance of communion will be observed and the hand of fellowship extended to the new members who have united Circumstances leading to the during the month. There will be no evening service, the congregation joining in the great union service at the fairgrounds.

Centennial on Air, **Portland Stations**

The KOIN-KALE radio system n Portland presented six broadcasts from Salem yesterday in consection with the Centennial, and a half hour drama last night bearing on the celebration. H. M. 'Hank" Swartwood, jr., KOIN-KALE program director, said more time was given to the Centennial than his stations had ever devoted in one day to a rose festival in Portland.

Here with Swartwood were Stanley Church, director of pub-Brother's company, one of the lic affairs; Marc Bowman, con-

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