

# Marion County House Members Accorded Few Committee Plums

## McKay, Jones Get Key Jobs

But Lower House Quartet in Wrong Fold; Only Two Chairmanships

Marion county's four representatives received few plums when committee assignments were dished out by Speaker of the House Robert S. Farrell, Jr., yesterday.

The delegation, which opposed Farrell's campaign for the speakership until the last moment, received only two chairmanships.

George Duncan of Stayton was made chairman of the counties and cities committee and John Steelhammer of Salem chairman of the elections committee, a post which he filled last year.

H. R. "Farmer" Jones was made vice-chairman of the banking and corporations committee while Allan Carson counted a vice-chairmanship of the education committee among his two committee appointments.

Marion's two experienced senators received important posts. Senator Douglas McKay is again chairman of the roads and highways committee and vice-chairman of municipal affairs. Ronald Jones of Brooks is chairman of the industries committee and vice-chairman of the assessment and taxation committee.

Assignments Listed

Complete assignments of Marion legislators:

Duncan—Counties and cities, chairman; federal regulations, judiciary, medicine, revision of laws.

Steelhammer—Elections, chairman; labor and industries, vice-chairman; motor vehicles and aeronautics, revision of laws.

Jones—Banking and corporations, vice-chairman; alcoholic control; administration and reorganization, public institutions.

Carson—Education, vice-chairman; insurance.

Senators: McKay—Roads and highways, chairman; municipal affairs, vice-chairman; revision of laws, military affairs, resolutions.

Jones—Industries, chairman; assessment and taxation, vice-chairman; agriculture, education, ways and means, vice-chairman.

## Student Study Of Isms Urged

Education in a Democracy Outlined at Chamber Luncheon Meeting

Students learning about edible mushrooms should be shown also the poisonous "toadstools," if the instruction is to be worthwhile; and by the same token, students learning about the American system of democracy should be permitted to examine the "foreign isms" in order to know of their imperfections. Dr. C. A. Howard, president of Oregon College of Education, declared in addressing the Salem chamber of commerce luncheon group on Monday.

Discussing the broad subject of "Education in a Democracy," Dr. Howard said the high school student body is one of the two most important civic organizations in any city which has a high school, partly because of the surprising scope of its community entertainment activities but principally because it affords practice in democratic living at an age when it is most valuable.

Teaching the constitution abstractly is not the best method of education for democracy, the speaker asserted. Rather, he said, students should do with concrete problems close at hand, mastering processes which have immediate, personal interest and will, therefore, not be forgotten.

## Hamilton Comes; Is Legal Advisor

Ralph Hamilton, Bend attorney, arrived in Salem yesterday to serve as legal advisor for Governor Charles A. Sprague during the 1941 legislative session.

Hamilton once served as speaker of the house of representatives. He will occupy an office in the governor's suite.

## Senate Pages Selected; Miss Franciscovich One

Richard "Dick" Eldridge, Portland, and Louise Franciscovich, Astoria, will serve as pages in the senate during the 1941 legislative session.

Miss Franciscovich is a daughter of Senator F. H. Franciscovich.

## Benefit Is Held By Grange

SILVERTON—The Silvertown grange members held a benefit card party Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gifford with seven tables of cards in play. Score prizes went to Mrs. Otto Dahl and Guy Sanders.

The Home Economics club will also sell lunch at the next sale slated for the near future.

## McKenna to Entertain

Senator Coe McKenna, Multnomah county, will entertain freshman members of the senate and newspapermen covering the legislative session, at a get-together party in his apartment Tuesday afternoon.

## Norse Pair Meet After Round-World Escape



Reunited after an escape from Nazis which took them around the world, but in different directions, were Tor Gjerdal, attache of the Norwegian legation in Washington, and his pretty young wife, Auslaug, when they met recently in San Francisco. Gjerdal fled Norway with King Haakon when the monarch left his country after the Nazis moved in. He then escaped to England. His wife was forced to flee by way of Sweden, Russia and Japan. Both told of the bitterness against German forces in their homeland.—IIN photo.

## Judge Burns Nazi Flag in Court



Municipal Judge Ida May Adams burns a small Nazi flag on the bench in a San Pedro, Calif., courtroom, above, while explaining the burning is "not an overt act against Germany, but a protest against subversive activities in the Los Angeles harbor area." The flag was introduced as evidence in the case of a seaman accused of stabbing a neighbor because she refused to remove the swastika from her home.—IIN photo.

## Codes to Arrive About Wednesday

A sufficient number of complete new 1940 Oregon codes to supply the state legislature and a few state departments will arrive here not later than Wednesday night, Secretary of State Earl Snell was advised Monday.

These sets of codes will include the indexes which were omitted in the initial shipment received in Salem a week ago.

Corrections also will be made in the new shipment of codes of the erroneous inclusion of the 1939 primary nominating election law and the so-called night club regulatory act. Both of these laws were subjected to referendum and defeated at the November election.

## FDR jr. Clerk



Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., son of the president, has begun work in New York as a \$40-a-week law clerk in a Wall Street firm. Members of the firm said that young Roosevelt, graduate of the University of Virginia law school, applied for the position without any special letters of introduction.

## New Flags Raised At State Capitol

Legion and Elks Leaders, State Officials Have Part in Ceremony

Legislators, state officials and many other persons gathered in front of the statehouse here at noon yesterday where they participated in flag raising ceremonies dedicating new flagpoles erected recently by the state at a cost of \$4800.

Senator Douglas McKay, Marion county, was master of ceremonies.

Speakers included Governor Charles A. Sprague, Alfred Kelly, Oswego, state commander of the American Legion, and Svrre J. Halsan, Astoria, representing the grand exalted ruler of the Elks.

The flags were accepted by Secretary of State Earl Snell, custodian of state grounds and buildings.

The flags were raised by Ray J. Stumbo, commander of Capital Post No. 9, American Legion, Salem, and Frank Millet, commander of Marion Post No. 661, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Both Governor Sprague and Commander Kelly paid tribute to the flag, which they said was emblematic of a free country and a free people.

## Legislators Free To Park, Asserted

Members of the 1941 legislature will be immune from arrest for motor vehicle parking violations, the Salem city council advised the presiding officers of the senate and house yesterday.

Printed windshield stickers will be provided to identify the legislative personnel.

## West Salem Man Is Honor Guest

WEST SALEM—Mrs. John S. Friesen entertained with a party Friday night in honor of her husband's birthday. Following games refreshments were served by the hostess.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lindberg, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harder and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mattson, Mrs. Margaret Warkentin, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Funk, Earl Crabb, Mr. and Mrs. S. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. William LaDue, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Friesen and Marilyn, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Friesen and Allan, Francis, Helen, Doris and Betty.

## Birthday Honored At Woodburn

WOODBURN—Jo Ann Olson celebrated her ninth birthday anniversary Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, L. L. Col. and Mrs. Oliver S. Olson, by entertaining several young friends.

The afternoon was spent in playing games and hunting for hidden treasures.

Guests were Wayne Gill, Jr., Toni Hayes, Patsy Hauswert, Nancy Ernest, Hazel Hermansen, Patricia Withers, Donna Alm and Merry McGrath.

## Fairview 4H Club Slates Sale

FAIRVIEW—A doughnut sale under the auspices of the Fairview 4H club will be held next Saturday. Mothers will meet at the school and make them and the girls and boys, who have bicycles, will deliver them. The money derived will be added to the 4H summer school fund.

## Silvertown Active Club Elects

SILVERTON—Newly announced officers of the Silvertown Active club are president, Amos Green; vice-president, Orville Techant; secretary-treasurer, Elmo Lindholm; historian, John Nicol; sergeant-at-arms, Harry Kessler.

## College Gives Program

FAIRVIEW—Linfield college will furnish the entire program of the Fairview community club at the school house Thursday night.

## Senate, House Officers Named

Pre-Session Caucuses Smooth out Path in Office Contests

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county nominated Sen. Walker for president of the senate. Farrell was nominated by Representative Stanhope S. Pier, (R-Multnomah), who remarked that Robert S. Farrell, Jr., in the gallery with the new speaker's wife and two daughters, was a former legislator.

Walker was escorted to his station by Senators P. J. Stadelman, The Dalles, and Walter E. Pearson, while the same duty was performed for Farrell in the house by Representatives McCallister, Pier and Harry Bolvin (D-Klamath), an ex-speaker of the house.

Senate officers elected were Zylpha Burns, chief clerk; Elizabeth Glat, Woodburn, assistant chief clerk; Walter Meacham, Portland, calendar clerk; Elbert Bede, Portland, reading clerk; Banks Mortimer, Portland, sergeant-at-arms; Roy Corey, Salem, doorkeeper, and William King, Prineville, mailing clerk.

House officers chosen included Chief Clerk Fred Drager, starting his 39th year in the post and Joseph Singer, sergeant-at-arms for 28 years. Other officers: Assistant chief clerk, Patricia Sylvers, Eugene; calendar clerk, Edith Bynon, Low, Portland; reading clerk, Jack Eakin, Dallas; doorkeeper, Frank Tichenor, Port Orford; mailing clerk, C. A. Hayden, Salem.

Beside Chairman Pearson members of the senate ways and means committee are Ronald E. Jones of Marion county; Strayer of Baker, Stadelman of Wasco, Dunn of Jackson, Wheeler of Lane and Belton of Clackamas.

Personnel of the house ways and means committee beside Chairman Gibson is Henry Semon of Klamath county, vice-chairman, and Bradley of Multnomah, Engdahl of Umatilla, Hesse of Washington, Rennie of Benton and Huggins of Coos.

Senator Douglas McKay of Marion county retained his important post as chairman of the senate committee on roads and highways.

Members of other major senate committees include:

Assessment and taxation—Stelwer, chairman; Ronald E. Jones, vice-chairman; Wheeler, Dunn, Belton, Pearson and Wiperman.

Education—Wheeler, chairman; Kenin, Belton, Ronald E. Jones, Lee.

Forestry and forest products—Childs, chairman; Franciscovich, McKenna, Walsh, Zurcher, McKay, chairman; Childs, Lee, Cornett, Zurcher, Wiperman and Burke.

Members of chief house committees are:

Assessment and taxation—Rodman, chairman; Babcock, vice-chairman; Erwin, French, Gile, Meyers, Thiel, Thomas and Morse.

Education—Thomas, chairman; Jenkins, vice-chairman; Chase, Hill, Miller, Neuberger, Thiel, Thompson, Wilson.

Highways and highway revenues—Snyder, chairman; Caulfield, vice-chairman; McCallister, Carter, Morse, Perry, Rodman, Wells, Hedlund.

Taxation and revenue—Hockett, chairman; McCourt, vice-chairman; Frisbie, Kuratli, Longergan, Snyder, Chase.

## Bowling Scores

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## Capital Bowlers Held Poor Hosts

Defeat Sunday Visitors; Don't Do Badly Away From Home Either

Salem bowlers were far from perfect hosts Sunday, taking all their series from the visiting kegglers on the Perfection alleys, while two local teams invading Portland broke even.

On the home alleys the Perfection All-Stars nosed out the Hot Shots from the Central alleys of Portland, 2728 to 2708. Dr. Pepper defeated Newton's Garage of McMinnville 2409 to 2405, and the Coca Cola Bottlers won from Palm Cafe of McMinnville, 2557 to 2371.

In the Women's match, Capital Bedding, with Verna Barnica bowling a phenomenal 575 series, trounced an all-star ladies team from Central alleys, 2259 to 2195. At Portland, the Red Cross pharmacy bowlers defeated a picked team from the Central alleys, 2790 to 2706, while State Street market lost to the Plylock Corporation, 2629 to 2457.

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## Report Reveals Vet War Loans

\$30,882,525 Borrowed by 13,000 Individuals From Aid Unit

More than 13,000 loans, aggregating \$30,882,525 have been made by the World War veterans state aid commission, according to the biennial report of the commission released here Monday.

In the biennial the commission said on contracts drawing 8 percent interest state-owned property for a total of \$1,550,000.

Sale activities from inception of the commission to June 30, 1940, resulted in the disposal of 2219 properties, of which 587 were farms and 1632 city parcels. The state had \$5,468,265 invested in these properties. The net sale price was \$5,518,344 or \$50,079 in excess of the state's investment.

These sales included the liquidation of many poor loans with resulting losses being made up by profits on more desirable property taken over.

There still remain under the management of the commission 1242 state-owned properties, including 498 farms and 798 city properties in which the state has invested a total of \$2,995,640.

A reduction in operating expenses of \$400,000 compared with the preceding biennium was reported. Jerrold Owen, secretary of the commission, said collections had improved.

In the two-year period the commission issued no new bonds and retired \$2,600,000 of its outstanding bonds.

## Maxie too Busy To Fight, Well, In Ring, Anyhow

BERLIN, Jan. 13.—(P)—Intensive training in Germany's parachute corps has prevented Max Schmeling, former world heavyweight boxing champion, from defending his title as European champion against the Viennese Heinz Lasek.

Military authorities disclosed today that Schmeling had been denied an army furlough to accept the challenge of the Viennese, whose recent victory over Precio Merlo of Italy made it obligatory under international boxing union rules for Schmeling to defend his title before January 15.

The army explained that Schmeling, who volunteered in the parachute corps in July, 1939, had reached a stage in his training that demanded "extreme exertion and the most intense concentration."

Max has completely recovered from an accident he suffered in the first stages of his parachute training last October, the fracture of his left leg in a practice jump.

Andry Ondra, Schmeling's actress wife, commented: "Max will fight soon—but not in the boxing ring."

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