

Local News Briefs

Marine Quota Expanded—The US marine corps will probably be authorized shortly to recruit a larger number of men than was allowed to enlist in 1940. Major James B. Hardie, recruiting officer in charge of this district, said Tuesday. The quota for February will likely exceed that for this month the major believes. Recommendations for the opening of new stations at Klamath Falls and Lewiston, Ida., have already been made. At present the Portland district maintains recruiting stations at Salem, La Grande, Walla Walla, Wash., and Boise, Ida.

Youths Join Navy—Herschel H. Boydston, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Boydston; Norman W. Coy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter John Coy; Jimmie J. Lemusiaux, son of Mrs. Laura Jones; Harvey Wall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Harrison Magill, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Magill, Silverton, were all enlisted yesterday by Chief Quartermaster Robert E. Fallon as apprentice seamen in the United States navy. The boys will be sent to the San Diego naval training station, Recruit Officer Fallon said.

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

Violations Charged—Charged yesterday by city police with violation of the basic traffic rules were Eugene Green, Elbert H. Clarke, Bert Garre, all of Portland; John Edward Smith of Lebanon, William E. Cadle of Lacombe, Glen R. Cross of Silverton, Benjamin Keiman, route 7, and Don D. Addison, route 1, of Salem. Earl Chester Griggs, route 1, Salem, was charged with reckless driving.

Tarkey pickers report 9:30 a.m. today Marion creamery 105 Union

Three Hear Judge—George Belton of Salem was released on bail after arrest Monday night on a charge of Tommy Young of Jefferson was given a 30-days suspended sentence and Carl Helman of Oakland, Calif., 30 days in the city jail on similar charges.

Towed to Garage—City police yesterday towed to the garage a panel delivery truck which had been parked in a restricted zone in the 100 block on Front street for the past 10 days. It is registered to Herbert L. Haines, 751 Piedmont street, West Salem.

Purse is Stolen—Mrs. J. C. Singleton, 256 North Cottage street, told city police yesterday that her purse was stolen from her room Monday night. Its contents, except about \$2.25 cash and a bus ticket, were found in the back yard yesterday.

Coming Events

Jan. 19—American Legion auxiliary district two conference, Salem.

Jan. 20 to 24—Examination week at Willamette university.

Feb. 10-20—State convention, Oregon Farmers Union.

Honorable Mention—Loyle Satter, Salem, has won honorable mention in the vocational agriculture division of the 1941 National Students All-American Holstein-Friesian judging contest, sponsored by the extension of the Holstein-Friesian association of America. Loyle is a student at Salem high school. He competed against 1200 contestants from hundreds of schools over the entire country in the selection of All-American, Reserve All-American, and Honorable Mention Holsteins, using pictures of leading show ring winners of 1940 as the basis of choice. He placed 14th.

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Arrange P. Programs—Mrs. George R. K. Moorhead, director of the vocational agriculture division of the 1941 National Students All-American Holstein-Friesian judging contest, sponsored by the extension of the Holstein-Friesian association of America. Loyle is a student at Salem high school. He competed against 1200 contestants from hundreds of schools over the entire country in the selection of All-American, Reserve All-American, and Honorable Mention Holsteins, using pictures of leading show ring winners of 1940 as the basis of choice. He placed 14th.

Geologist to Speak—Speaker at the regular meeting Thursday night at 8 o'clock of the Salem chapter, Geological Society of Oregon, will be E. L. Packard, professor of geology at Oregon State college. The public is invited to the meeting, over which Professor Herman Clark of Willamette university will preside.

Now is the time for weatherstrip. We have it. Ray L. Farmer Hwy Co. 115 S. Comm.

Lecture Cancelled—Cancellation of the illustrated lecture by Rev. Peter Baronaef, Portland, scheduled for Wednesday night at the Bethel Baptist church, was announced yesterday by the pastor, Rev. J. F. Olthoff.

Returns to Home—Mrs. Jessie Dent is again at her home on Court street, recuperating from an attack of bronchial pneumonia which confined her in the Salem General hospital for the past three weeks.

Deadline Set—Salem bicycle riders who do not have licenses by February 15 will face the imposition of their wheels. Chief of Police Frank Minto reminded yesterday.

Guilt Denied As Kidnapper

Bartges Awaits Sentence on Other Charges, Is Under Hugo Bond

Warren E. Bartges, Jr., over whom four separate criminal charges hang in Marion county, pleaded not guilty to one of them, the alleged kidnaping last year of Mrs. A. R. Hunter, in an appearance yesterday before Justice of the Peace Joseph B. Felton.

Held in jail after his hearing under \$10,000 bail, Bartges did not appear for sentence before Circuit Judge L. H. McMahon in connection with other charges of passing bad checks, breaking jail and larceny of a truck valued at \$250 because of the absence of the court in Albany.

Bartges, who is also wanted in Spokane and South Bend, Wash., and Dallas, Tex., was returned here from Klamath Falls recently, having been at large for a year after breaking from the Marion county jail in company with Jack Tomlin last January.

The kidnaping charge resulted indirectly from the jail break, since Bartges is alleged to have accompanied Mrs. Hunter's car and herself as driver on a trip to Portland immediately after his escape from local authorities.

Circuit Court—Eva Madeline Rush vs. William Harold Rush; divorce complaint charging cruel and inhuman treatment; married in Couer d'Alene, Ida., March 1, 1924.

Charles T. Wood vs. Ed Storts; plaintiff's motion to dismiss as settled.

Pacific Hop Growers, Inc., vs. Oregon Electric Railway; stipulation to set for trial.

Probate Court—Jessie Dean Melville estate; F. Harlan appointed appraiser to act with T. A. Roberts and J. C. Evans, already appointed.

Stella A. Jory estate; distributive vouchers of Oscar L. Dencor, John V. Dencor, Clifford R. Dencor, Phillip S. Dencor, Chester H. Dencor, Edna Dencor Raines, Elsie Dencor Wheaton and Mary Ethel Hales, each for \$81.65, comprising distributive shares of personal property.

Cora M. Laidlaw estate; Helen M. Scandling appointed administratrix de bonis non to succeed James Herbert Laidlaw, deceased; \$2900 undertaking filed.

Joseph Hilber estate; petition of Frank G. Smith, administrator, asks order accepting his resignation as administrator and naming Pioneer Trust company in his stead be set aside; petitioner states sole heir, Frau Barbara Hilber, citizen of Germany, desires him to continue as administrator, and that Pioneer Trust company has declined to serve.

John J. Davis estate; final account of Gordon J. Thomas, administrator, shows receipts, \$327.45; disbursements, \$557; deficit paid by widow.

William B. Johnson estate; Charles Johnson named administrator and Benjamin Collison, Henry Johnson and Neal Miller, appraisers, of real property with rental value of \$100.

Mable L. Smith estate; Winona Smith, executrix, authorized to pay \$50 monthly to widower, Charles Smith; estate comprises \$9555 in personal and \$200 in real property.

Manville Heir Takes a Bride

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Night Courthouse Employes Sought

Watchman and Deputy Are Discussed Provision Made in Budget

The Marion county court, confronted with two items of unfinished business left over from the last county budget-making last November, Tuesday mulled the question of hiring a night deputy for Sheriff A. O. Burk and a night watchman for the courthouse itself.

Both are included in the 1941 budget, with \$1250 appropriated for the sheriff's deputy, and \$1900 for the watchman.

Final decision on both cases, however, was left by the budget committee to the present county court, and these the judge and commissioners pondered yesterday.

Sheriff Burk, appearing at the court's request, indicated that continuance of a night deputy now employed is necessary for the proper completion of work appertaining to his office.

The night deputy at present goes to work at 5 p.m., and remains on duty to 1 a.m., seven nights a week, the sheriff indicated, during which time he completes records and acts as custodian of the jail and courthouse.

Approval Indicated

Judge Leroy Hewitt and Commissioner Ralph Girod expressed general approval of the deputy's hire, but left final decision to a later date.

The county judge also indicated favor for the night watchman proposal on the ground that the presence of such an employe would lessen fire danger and would also provide a higher factor of safety for jail prisoners, whose instant release would be imperative in the case of a serious courthouse fire.

The judge told the sheriff to charge his conscience with responsibility for keeping locks and keys and other equipment in working order at the jail for just such an emergency, and the sheriff replied that he recognized the responsibility, but that court cooperation was necessary.

Decision on hiring of the watchman was also left to a later meeting of the court.

Morticians Set Convention Date

Oregon funeral directors will hold their 1941 annual convention May 5-6-7, according to a decision voted at a dinner meeting of Central Willamette Valley Funeral Directors Tuesday night at the Argo hotel, Lewton W. Howell and Charles C. Edwards of Salem and Walter L. Smith of Monmouth were appointed to the convention and program committee.

Executive Secretary George E. Ryan, Portland, representing the Oregon Funeral Directors association, reported on legislation and state association activities and outlined a tentative program for the May convention.

The next meeting will be held in Silverton.

New Bill to Aid Phone Companies

Second senate bill of the 1941 legislative session was introduced by Senator W. H. Steiner, chairman of the assessment and taxation committee Wednesday.

The bill would exempt from taxation certain private and cooperative telephone properties.

Steiner explained that in many cases it cost the counties more to assess these properties than the total amount of the tax.

Elks Will Welcome 25 New Members Thursday

Twenty-five candidates for the Salem Elks lodge No. 336 will be inducted Thursday night, Dr. P. O. Riley will give the address to the newly elected members. All visiting Elks are welcome.

Eugene Gleemen to Sing Thursday Night at Senior High Auditorium

A genuine exposition attraction in their own backyard is the rare treat in store for residents of Salem and vicinity on Thursday night at the senior high school auditorium, 8:15 p.m. Always a favorite with Salem audiences, this organization will sing for the benefit of the Salem MacDowell scholarship fund, with the Salem women's singing organization sponsoring the concert.

This will be the first time the Gleemen will ever have been sponsored by a woman's group and for that reason the MacDowell club is making every effort to see that the Gleemen sing to a crowded house. Under the guidance of Marian Bretz, president of MacDowell club, the whole organization is working to make the concert a success. Among those in the group who have taken key positions in the campaign are Lois Steinko, secretary, Blanche Gibson, Mrs. Clara Jorgensen, and Mrs. Agnes Drummond, members of the executive board.

In 14 years, the Gleemen have sung four concerts in Salem. It was on January 21, 1926, that a small group of Eugene men, all active in city affairs, met in the first rehearsal of the Gleemen. All had a common hobby, that of singing.

The first step toward a concrete, permanent organization came when Dr. Charles E. Hunt became president. He held the office continuously until last year when the late Robert T. Merrill was elected to the position. Upon the sudden death of Mr. Merrill, Eugene Pallett was elected president. Almost at the very beginning John Stark Evans was employed as conductor, in which post he still remains. Cora Moore, now Cora Moore Frey, was engaged as accompanist and has served as such continuously.

The first important out-of-town concert date was the Rotary international convention in Seattle. The Gleemen sang 11 separate engagements on this tour including Seattle Municipal auditorium, the Fifth Avenue theatre, radio stations KJR and KOMO, and the plenary session of the International Rotary convention.

It was at this point that the value of the Gleemen was first realized by other cities of the state. Portland led the series of invitations and the first annual Gleemen concert was given there in the municipal auditorium under the auspices of Portland Rotary for the benefit of the Shrine hospital for crippled children.

The affair was so successful that the Portland managers decided to make it an annual event. Since that first appearance, the Gleemen have given a total of six con-

Court Reversal In Damage Suit

Portland Grid Performer Sued Wrong Man, Says State Justice

The state supreme court Tuesday reversed the \$3000 damage suit filed by Al Gusti, Portland, against the C. H. Weston company, and Dr. H. R. Shields and Merrill A. Sisson. A new trial was ordered in the case against the first two.

Gusti, Washington high school of Portland football player, alleged that he received a dislocated shoulder in football practice in 1935. He afterward sued the Weston company, which wrote an insurance policy covering the football players, the two physicians and Lynn Jones, an employe of the company. The lower court dismissed the suit against Jones.

In its opinion Tuesday the supreme court dismissed the suit against Dr. Sisson.

Gusti charged that the physicians failed to diagnose his injury correctly and advised him to continue as a member of the football team. He said this resulted in permanent injury.

Justice Luak, in reversing Judge Jacob Kansler, Multnomah county, held that the two physicians acted independently and should not have been sued jointly.

Louise Stein, Portland, lost her case against the United States National Bank of Portland, Henry Wagner and others. Justice Rand affirmed Circuit Judge James W. Crawford.

The court suspended Nathan Weinstein, Portland attorney, for impropriety for 30 days. The reason was not disclosed by the court.

OBITUARY

Stonebrink—At the residence, route four, Tuesday, January 14, Wietsche Stonebrink, aged 79 years. Sister of N. H. Stonebrink and Miss Bauwkje Stonebrink of Salem, aunt of Miss Renka L. Swart and Mrs. Wikje Winslow of Salem. Miss Renka, daughter of Aumville, Hilda and Martin Swart of Salem and the Donker brothers of Aumville, George Stonebrink of Steamboat Springs, Colo., and Maurice Stonebrink of Spokane, Wash., also several grand nephews and nieces survive. Funeral announcements later by the W. T. Rigdon company.

Swales—Near Edgewood, Wash., Friday, January 10, George Alvin Swales, aged 18 years, late resident of route 1, Aumville. Brother of Thomas and Lloyd Swales of Prairie City, Ore., Alfred and Elsie Swales of Gresham, Ore., half-brother of Mrs. Virginia Swales of Spokane, Wash., and Edson Kinsey of Aumville. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company, Wednesday, January 15, at 1:30 p.m. Rev. O. W. Jones officiating. Concluding services Union Hill cemetery.

Gerig—Henry William Gerig, late resident of Salem route six, January 11, near Eugene, aged 26. Survived by mother, Mrs. Joseph Gerig of Salem; sisters, Laura Gerig, Mrs. Lydia Witham, Mrs. Alma Bailey, Mrs. Carl Fisher, all of Salem, Mrs. William Hendrickson of Seaside; brother, Albert Gerig of Salem. Services will be held from the Pratum church Wednesday, January 15, at 2:30 p.m., under the direction of the Walker & Howell funeral home. Interment in Pratum cemetery.

Trott—At the residence in Nelscott, Sunday, January 13, George Trott, aged 79 years. Survived by widow and four sisters in Canada. Funeral services will be held in the Bateman Funeral Home at Delake, Wednesday, January 15 at 11 a.m. Concluding services will be held at the Belcrest Memorial park Wednesday at 3 p.m.

Harris—Levi Harris, 78, late resident of Detroit, at a local hospital January 12. Funeral announcements later from Terwilliger-Edwards funeral home.

Owley—Carl Cordell Owley, 33, January 11. Survived by widow, Mrs. Althea Owley; daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Ruby Owley; mother, Mrs. Alice Davis of The Dalles; father, Ernest Owley of El Paso, Texas; sisters, Mrs. Mary Nevos of Sacramento, Miss Ruby Owley of Portland, Mrs. Hazel Christman of Los Angeles. Services will be held from the Walker & Howell chapel Thursday, January 16, at 1:30 p.m.

Cook—Rev. John F. Cook, late resident of 1424 Ferry street, January 13 at the age of 58 years. Survived by wife, Mrs. Bertha Cook of Salem; daughters, Mrs. Mildred Sloan of Los Angeles, Mrs. Beatrice Cook of Salem; grandson, John Sloan of Los Angeles. Services will be held Thursday, January 16, at 1:30 p.m. at the Clough-Barrick chapel, with interment in Belcrest Memorial hospital.

Mefford—At the residence, star route, Lebanon, Tuesday, January 14, William Harrison Mefford, aged 74 years. Husband of Olive Sarah Mefford; father of Albert Mefford of Salem, George Mefford, Burns, Russell Mefford of Salem, Arthur Mefford of Lebanon, Alvin Mefford of Wapato, Wash., Mrs. Florence Root and Mrs. Sophia Barlow of Boardman, Ore., Mrs. Lole Dewesse of Corvallis, Mrs. Ida Macomber of Heppner, and Mrs. Harvey Ide of Tacoma, Wash.; brother of Mrs. Mattie Vinson of Soloman, Kan. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company, Thursday, January 16, at 1:30 p.m. Rev. David L. Ringland officiating. Concluding services City View cemetery.

Ireland—At the residence, 2385 Fairgrounds road, Tuesday, January 14, Ida May Ireland, aged 76 years. Mother of John Ireland of Everett, Wash., Fred B. Ireland of Newport, Mrs. Myrtle Ireland of Hudson, and William O. Ireland of Salem. Also survived by three grandchildren and one great grandchild. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company Wednesday, January 15, at 2:30 p.m. Rev. L. Drift will officiate. Concluding services IOOF cemetery.

Harrison—Miss Nettie Chase Harrison, at a local hospital, Monday, January 13, at the age of 46 years. Survived by two sisters, Mrs. Blanche Cupp of Salem and Mrs. Gladys Dystra of Salem, Wash.; also several nieces and nephews. Services will be from Clough-Barrick chapel Thursday, January 16, at 11 a.m. Interment IOOF cemetery.

Phelps—Mrs. Pearl S. Phelps, late resident of 1795 South Commercial street, Salem, at a local hospital, Tuesday, January 14, at the age of 59 years. Wife of Charles E. Phelps of Salem; mother of Mrs. Hilma G. Johnson, Miss Marion Phelps, Alfred E. Phelps, and Bonner E. Phelps, all of Salem; also Mrs. Leonard McQuarrie and Robert Phelps of New York City. Also survived by two grandchildren. Services will be held Wednesday, January 15, at 1:30 p.m. at Clough-Barrick chapel, with Rev. Donn Polmaster officiating. Concluding services will be private at Mt. Crest Abbey mausoleum.

Births—Richard T. Mr. and Mrs. Ford N. Riehl, 1465 North 19th street, a daughter, Lois Ann, born December 27, Salem General hospital.

Legion Groups Plan Conclave

More than 150 members of the American Legion and auxiliary from five western Oregon counties are expected to gather in Salem on Sunday for the district conference of the two organizations, members of the committee in charge of arrangements said Wednesday.

Business sessions of the conference will be held Sunday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock at the Fraternal Temple with Braxter C. Small, district commander, presiding at the legion session and Mrs. Joseph M. Kane of Dundee, district president, in charge of the auxiliary session.

The conference banquet is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. at the Marion hotel with members of the two organizations and the general public welcome to attend. Active throughout the day's sessions and speaking formally at the banquet will be Alfred P. Kelley of Oswego, Oregon, department commander of the legion and Mrs. Laura Goode of Portland, president of the auxiliary.

Shell Awards Contract For New Super-Station

The T. L. Kuhns company, 344 South Commercial street, has been awarded the contract for construction of the new Shell super-station at the southeast corner of 15th and Mission streets, according to Walter H. Zoel, who is leasing the property to the Shell Oil Company of California. Kuhns said Tuesday his contract was for approximately \$8000 worth of labor and equipment.

The station will be a duplicate of the new Shell unit on Cottage street. Construction was begun Tuesday.

Ten Marion County Men Named for Army Service

Six Marion county men and four alternates were named by the county draft board No. 1 for induction into the army, W. H. Moran, secretary, said yesterday. The men will report at the local board at the armory at 8 a. m. January 20 to take stage for Portland.

They are William F. Miles, Grover E. Wilson, Willis Wood, Clare R. Ridgeway, John D. Rathbort and Benjamin Neuharth. Alternates, named to fill any vacancies, are Richard N. Thompson, Clarence H. Olson, Roth E. Livingston and Walter C. Plumb.

Final Rites Held For Aged Resident

Funeral services were held Monday for George W. Ramey, resident of Oregon since 1913, who died here Saturday at the age of 82 years. Burial was in the Friends cemetery.

Ramey was born at Stowood, Ind., August 29, 1852. He has spent most of the past five years with a son, Homer, in Salem.

Other survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Baby Goodlove; sons, John, both of Bellingham, Louis W. of Portland, Ralph A. of Hillsboro and Wright E. of Los Angeles; 19 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Governor Names State College Man to Board—Governor Charles A. Sprague Tuesday appointed Professor G. A. Stockmore, Oregon State college engineering department, a member of the state board of engineering examiners. He will succeed F. C. Dillard, Medford, who has resigned.

Treasure Truth Topic

"Treasure in Heaven" is the topic for the Truth Study class, meeting Wednesday evening, 166 South Liberty street. Miss Olive Stevens is the leader.

Loyalty Class to Meet

The Loyalty class of the First Baptist church will meet Friday night at 6:30 o'clock at the church for a dinner.

Townsend Meet

Townsend Meet—Townsend club No. 4 will meet Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Highland school.

In Hospital

In Hospital—J. S. Laughlin of North Santiam will undergo major surgery at the Deschutes hospital.

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