

Soaring Business Indices Told At Pacific Northwest Advisory Board Conference at Portland

Present Allocation for Defense Projects in Washington, Oregon and Idaho Is Expected to Pass Billion Mark

PORTLAND, Ore., March 28—(AP)—Soaring business indices, principally reflecting armament contracts, were reported Friday by K. C. Batchelder, Seattle, to the Pacific northwest advisory board.

Batchelder, traffic manager of the West Coast Lumbermen's association, predicted that the \$853,000,000 allocated for defense projects in Washington, Oregon and Idaho soon would pass the billion-dollar mark.

Shipping volume, he said, will increase 15 per cent for the second quarter of 1941.

Other northwest business notes: A 15 per cent increase in baby chicks hatched is in sight for second quarter of 1941; 5 per cent increase in dairy and poultry carloadings predicted; probably 10 per cent increase in sheep carloadings and 25 per cent boost in rail wool shipments; 17,000 more cattle on feed Jan. 1 than a year ago; beef supplies normal; bulk of fat lamb supplies to come from California in April and May, from northwest in June.

Hog supplies below normal; hay rail movement due to increase 17 per cent, fertilizer 20 per cent; prospective pine shipments for quarter 25 per cent over last year's second quarter (18,720 cars of lumber and 17,910 of logs); iron and steel (castings, machinery and boilers) shipments expected to increase 37 per cent; quarter wheat and flour movements not expected to increase over 1940; 2817 cars of ores, concentrates and smelter products needed for quarter, compared with 2473 in second quarter of 1940.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 28—(AP)—The Pacific northwest advisory board petitioned the president and congress Friday to oppose construction of the proposed St. Lawrence seaway because of defense demands.

The board elected Donald A. Callahan, president of the Callahan Consolidated Mines, Inc., Wallace, Idaho, its president Friday.

Other officers included K. C. Batchelder, Seattle, traffic manager of the West Coast Lumbermen's association, vice-president; Gordon Tongue, secretary-treasurer of the Superior Portland Cement Company, Inc., Seattle, secretary.

W. G. Perrow, Spokane, was elected chairman of the executive committee and national director of the association of shippers' advisory board. Perrow, district manager of the Lehigh Portland Cement company, is the board's retiring president.

Get New Contracts

SANDY, March 28—(AP)—Principal G. D. Orr said Friday that all members of the Sandy high school faculty had been offered new contracts at increased salaries.

Big Dance Hazel Green Every Saturday Wayne Strahan's Band Adm. 55c Couple

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WARRNER'S THEATRE

STARTS TODAY — Two Hits ROMANCE... ACTION! A Reckless Girl... rebelling against tradition... demanding the right to live and love as she pleased!



1941's Battle of Love! VIRGINIA in Technicolor Madeleine Carroll Fred MacMurray

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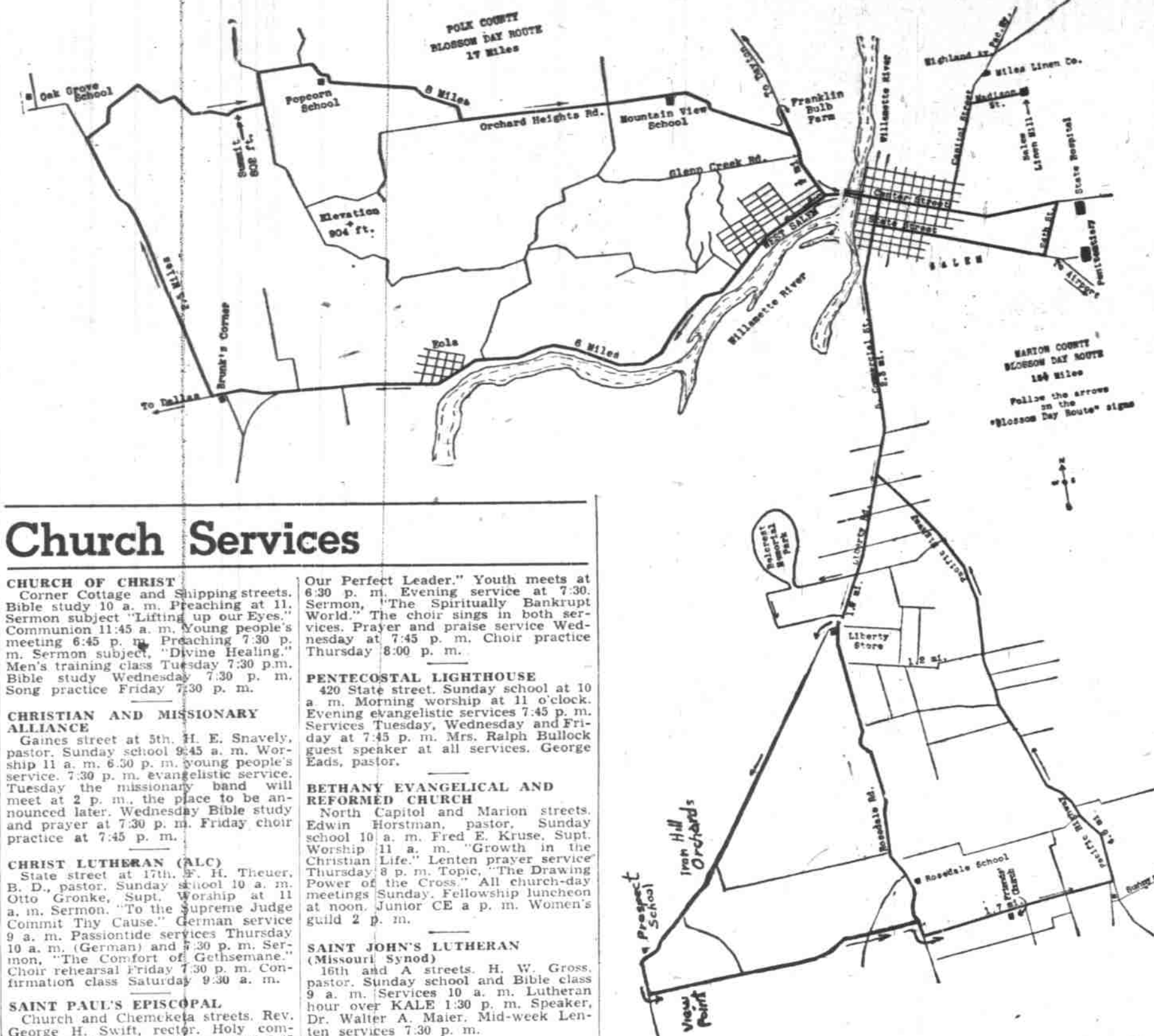
WARRNER'S THEATRE... against that dashing new screen find, six-foot-four STIRLING HAYDEN!

WARRNER'S THEATRE... CAPITO... 15c TILL 5 P. M.

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Variety of Routes, Attractions Offered for Blossom Day



Do you want to see the prettiest of the season's orchards in bloom? Then these are the routes the Salem Cherrians advise you to follow on Sunday, the 1941 Blossom Day. Also on display for the day will be the state capitol, where Cherrians will serve as guides, and the new state forestry administration building on East State street opposite the penitentiary, shown on the map, where department attendants will show the unique use of many Oregon woods in finishing the offices, reception room and conference rooms.

offertory solo, "If With All Your Heart" will be sung by Mr. Craven. Rev. Stewart G. Billings speaking on "What Think Ye of Christ" Tuesday 7:45 p. m. prayer and praise meeting. Friday 7:45 p. m. mid-week Bible study service.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST (Latter Day Saints) 1400 North Cottage street. Sunday school 10 a. m. Evening services 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, MIA 7:30 p. m. Tuesday.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST 15th and Court streets, W. H. Lyman, minister. Bible school assembly 9:45 a. m. Morning worship and communion 10:30. Sermon by the minister, "The Kingdom Come." Christian Endeavor meetings 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30. Guest speaker Miss Melba Palmer, missionary to Tibet.

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Earthworms May Prove Cure For Tuberculosis, States Savant

PORTLAND, Ore., March 28—(AP)—Disease-free earthworms from a tuberculosis-infected cranberry bog in New Jersey may point the way to a new curative drug, Dr. Kendall Emerson said Friday.

Church Notes Anniversary

The Smyrna Congregational church at Yoder will celebrate its 50th anniversary on Sunday, April 6, with an all day service, beginning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Frank Meyer will give the morning sermon, followed by a basket dinner. Afternoon service will be a program of music, history, and remarks by ex-pastors, and a talk by Rev. Butler, Canby, an ex-pastor.

During the year 1890, church service was held several places in this community, but on Jan. 31, 1891, the people put forth an earnest effort to build a church house. They were poor but went to work with a will. They cut logs, hauled them to J. S. Yoder's sawmill, then hauled the lumber to the building site, which was given by Benjamin Rook, and with their own hands erected this building. Most materials and all labor were donated by these earnest people.

The church was finally enclosed and Rev. Fred Parker, preached the first sermon on April 5, 1891. As the organization was poor financially but rich in zeal and spiritual life, it was decided to be known as Smyrna. Rev. Parker served as minister for several years.

The first officers were Benjamin Rook and T. C. Ackerman as deacons; L. D. Yoder, William Rook, Thos. Sconce, trustees; and A. J. Yoder, clerk, T. M. Yoder, now of Portland, organist.

At the evening worship service Rev. Williams will speak on the theme "They Were Not Told." Special music will feature a solo by Miss Vivian Benner and congregational singing assisted by the young people's chorus directed by Clifford Elliott.

Wanted out, so Pays His Fine

John Stomas, who Wednesday declared he would serve out a \$10 fine in the Marion county jail rather than part with the cash, revised his view on the subject of jail Thursday and received his freedom on payment of the remaining eight dollars of his fine, Sheriff A. C. Burk said yesterday.

Services Announced

"Blossom Day" will be observed by the First Congregational church at its Sunday morning service in the Grand theatre at 11 o'clock. Rev. Robert A. Hutchinson, minister, will speak on the topic: "God and the Cherry Blossoms." Miss Carolyn Brown will sing "I Saw a Tree"; the Williams-ette duo will sing "The Prayer Perfect." The junior chorus will also participate in the service.

Lenten Drama To Be Given

"The Brother," a three act Bible drama, by Dorothy Clark Wilson, will be produced Sunday evening at the Knight Memorial church, 19th and Ferry streets. The drama portrays the thought, customs and observances of the Jewish people and the opposition and hatred aroused by Jesus in his own family and people.

Soloists Announced

Stainer's "Crucifixion" will be presented by the choir of St. Paul's Episcopal church at 11 a. m. Sunday. Soloists are Mrs. E. Munding, Dick Barton and Ronald Craven. Miss Ruth Bedford will be organist.

Plan Special Home Visits

Sunday will be observed as Conservation day at the First Presbyterian church, Salem. During the morning worship service more than 100 adults and young people will be commissioned to go forth as workers in the every-member participation canvass. Rev. W. Irvin Williams, the pastor, will speak at both morning and evening services, using as his topic in the morning "Let Every One of You."

After the morning service the 100 members of the Visitation committee will be served one of "Pop" Cray's famous dinners in the church dining hall. Following the dinner the workers will make the canvass necessary to complete work on the church budget for 1941-42.

The past week, which was observed as every-member participation week, began last Sunday morning with an overflow meeting, which was addressed by Dr. Henry Marcotte, Portland. This week is set aside each year as the time for presenting the raising the church budget for the entire year.

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At the conclusion of the service Charles Siegmund, church treasurer, will announce the exact amount raised during the week on this year's church budget of \$25,000.