# Witnesses Identified Testifying **Before County Grand Jury on Asserted Milk Act Campaign**

Marion county's current grand jury investigation of matters not yet made public but asserted in some quarters to concern Senator Thomas R. Mahoney's campaign against the state milk control act in the last legislature showed signs Wednesday of coming to a conclusion, at least

temporarily. Witnesses appearing before the investigating body included H. H. Stallard, J. D. Harris, Dan L. Hales, John J. Doyle, G. Maud Styles, M. J. Burke, Frank H. Sawyer, Iva Davis, Jean Barclay and Zola Vandorn, all of Portland.

Deputy District Attorney Talbot Bennett, who is directing the grand jury's investigation, again declined Wednesday to reveal the nature of the jury's work.

Bennett did indicate that no report would be made to the court this week, and left the question open whether a report would be made next week, if at all. District Attorney Miller B. Hayden has been absent from his office because of illness during the course of the investigation, which started last Monday.

### -CIRCUIT COURT-

Eunice Gately vs. Joseph E Gately; affidavit of defendant's non-military service.

Harold Lane, administrator of the Alice Marie Lane estate, vs. Dovie Odom Hatfield and others; plaintiff's repy, and motion to place on trial docket.

Hettie Kriekenbaum as administratrix of Gerald Volk estate, vs.

William Smolinsky vs. W. A. and William Gordon Merritt; arm, cut and lacerated upper lip ion county granges.

Katherine Pankalla vs. Allen F. money, attorney's fee and costs.

Byron Redmond vs. Mathias Crouser; complaint for \$10,121 in dent on North Santiam highway which included readings by Ella Williams, Stayton, and Otto Dahl, Various cember 2, 1940, in which plaintiff sustained fractured vertebrae, pelvis and rib and other injuries; complaint is for \$7500 general, \$1831 special damages. \$240 for loss of use of truck and \$550 damage to vehicle.

Suspension of motor vehicle operator's licenses filed with Marion county clerk for Donald Donovan Neal, Noah's Ark Auto camp, PTA Election, Salem, and William Winnett Hindman, 326 Gaines street, Salem; 4H Program suspension ordered for allegedly unpaid judgment of \$5578 in case Announced of Duane Effenberger vs. Neal

## -PROBATE COURT-

James G. Theodorian estate; annual report of Pioneer Trust company, executors, shows receipts of \$568, disbursements of \$405.51, and total value of estate, \$6239.64.

Mary Becker estate; final account of Mrs. E. F. Brown, administratrix, shows total estate Portland Crime valued at \$19,414.27, and claims of \$469.85 paid; May 27 set for Decrease Slow final hearing.

Rudolph Zak estate; appraisal my and John Bartes at \$18 in

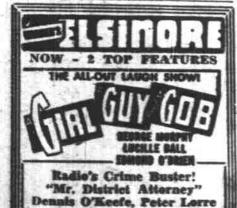
der granted Hettie E. Fry, execu- today.

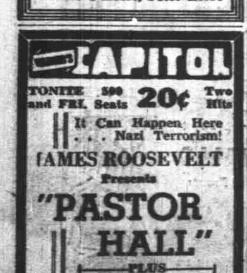
Violetta M. Burch estate; ap-

-JUSTICE COURT-C. W. Cross vs. Jean Eggers; voluntary non-suit taken by plain-

-MUNICIPAL COURT-Emma Esther Ramage, violation of basic rule; fined \$2.50. A. F. Hammer, no driver's li-

cense; fined \$2.50.





# Pomona Meet **Brings Crowd**

**Grangers Hear County** Agent, Program; Act on Resolutions

SILVERTON HILLS - Nearly 160 Pomona grange members gathered here Wednesday for an all-day session at which Robert Rieder, county agent, was one of the principal speakers.

According to Rieder, who reported for the agricultural committee, the outlook for strawberries is unusually good while the county prune crop will be 20 per cent below par. Three meetings were announced: Onion growers will meet Friday at Labish Center, livestock feeders at 10 a. m. and pea and vetch growers at 1:30 p. m. in Corvallis Saturday. Resolutions Acted Upon

Silverton Hills home economics club served luncheon, during which Mr. and Mrs. Milton Knauf and Ilie Murray, Silverton Hills, Jessie Specht, Silverton, and Lena Lambrecht, Stayton, were obligated. J. O. Farr, Ankeny grange, Candidate Named Edwin Maerz; answer attributes was named alternate delegate to death of plaintiff's decedent to his the state convention at Newport in June.

Three of four resolutions presented to the assembly were were necessary to elect from Fire Destroys Home amended complaint for \$2500 per- adopted. The group voted down a among the seven candidates. A sonal injury, \$400 automobile and resolution which would have en- senior. Ruth has held offices in \$250 hospital expense damages dorsed a state sales tax and fa- her class and has taken part in based on automobile accident at vored resolutions setting prices of Woodburn November 17, 1949, in commodities, stabilizing wheat queen's ball will be held May 16, which the plaintiff allegedly suf- prices and making arrangements when the queen will be chosen fered fractured ribs, bruised left for an insurance group for Mar- from among the princesses rep-County Conclave Set

Marion county council is slated Pankalla; divorce complaint al- to meet May 7 at Fairfield grange. leging cruel and inhuman treat- Memorial services were held for ment in which plaintiff asks cus- Rebecca Goodrich, Roberts, and tody of a child, ownership of Mary Ryan, Stayton, both of household furnishings, support whom died since the last Pomona

> Roy Wright, Roberts, served as Silverton; vocal solos, Mrs. Elsie sor booths and share in the prof- Chapman, with them on a visit to operation extended to private in-Tate, Union Hill, and Patricia Maulding, Silverton Hills, and a piano solo by Donna Fish, Sil-

Pomona grange will have its next meeting June 25 at Stayton. The annual picnic will be at Silver Creek falls August 3.

MISSION BOTTOM-The PTA will meet at the schoolhouse Fri day night for election of officers. The 4H cooking and sewing clubs will hold their achievement day after the business meeting and will furnish the program. There will also be moving pictures and a pie social.

PORTLAND, April 16.-(A) Major crime has decreased but of John Donbrava, Andrew Kant- slightly in Portland despite the defense program and resulting higher rates of employment, De-Daniel J. Fry estate; final or- tective Captain J. J. Keegan said

"Much of the crime now committed is by juvenile offenders praisal at \$1389.33 by George W. who could not be employed and Hubbs, Frank E. Hubbs and Otto by ex-convicts who want to work Pattinger; full sum in personal and lead an honest life but cannot obtain employment because of their past records," he explained.

## Call Board

To day — George Murphy. Lucille Ball, Edmond O'Brien in "A Girl, a Guy and a Gob." Dennis O'Keefe, Peter Lorre, Florence Rice in "Mr. District Attorney."

GRAND Today—Alice Faye, Don Ameche, Car-men Miranda in "That Night in Rio." Saturday—Cesar Romero in "Ride on, Vaquero." Sidney Toler in "Dead Men Tell."

CAPITOL Proday — Wilfred Lawson, Nova Pilbeam in "Pastor Hall." Saturday—James Cagney, Olivia De-Havilland in "Strawberry Blonde." Ann Sheridan, George Brent in "Honeymoon for Three."

roday — Bette Davis, Herbert Mar-shall in "The Letter." Judy Garland, George Murphy in "Little Nelly Kel-ly." Saturday midnight—Robert Taylor, Ruth Hussey in "Flight Command." HOLLTWOOD

Today — Richard Dix, Florence Rice in "Cherokee Strip," Dennis O'Keefe, Constance Moore in "I'm Nobody's Sweetheart now," LIBERTY
Today — John Garfield, Priscilla
Lane in "Dust Be My Destiny," John
Payne, Gloria Dickson in "King of
the Lumberjacks."
Friday—John Wayne in "Ride Em
Cowboy." Ronald Reagan in "Smashing the Money Rings."



First Lady at Son's Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. now—James Rossevelt, movie producer, eldest son of the president, and his bride, the former Romello Theresa Schneider, "Cinderella nurse," are pictured fellowing their marriage recently in Beverly Hills, Calif. The first lody of the land, who came west for the event, is pictured, left, while the bride's mother, Mrs. Agnes Schneider, is at left. Roosevelt and his new wife will live in San

# Willamette Valley Briefs

LEBANON - Ruth Schackman has been chosen Lebanon high school candidate for queen of the strawberry fair. Two elections county. Last year the Lebanon candidate was named queen.

"Kounty Faire" Set

SILVERTON - Headlining Sil-

organizing a group to be known

as the Crabby Crustaceans, the

Exalted Order of Crabs,-or

too busy getting ready for the

fourth annual Newport crab

festival, May 2, 3 and 4, to

werry about what to call them-

But they want a name, a good

crabby name, suitable for a

group dedicated to promotion of

crab festivals, this year and throughout all the years to

They'll swap anybody the

biggest crab they can find for

such a name—a name that they

Sigfrid Unander, executive as-

Governor Sprague said the posi-

tion vacated by Unander would

not be filled. His duties will be taken over by Mrs. Helen Beelar,

private secretary to Governor

City Dump Site Aid

next meeting of the board.

state hospital farm.

like, and can use.

budget director.

Sprague's Aide

Called to Army

something! Right now they are

nien, Tri-Y, FFA, TNT, Plenus of a good deal of uncertainty and Vitas, ROH, Girls league, GAA, confusion." Junior high, senior class and junior class.

PERRYDALE-Fire of unknown origin destroyed the home of the many student activities. The green's ball will be held May 16. was away at the time. The entire inside of the house was resenting the high schools of the resenting the resent blaze. Mr. Strom is employed at the plywood mill at Willamina.

### Visit From Kansas

BETHEL-Mr. and Mrs. Carl verton high school calendar this Scheidt, Wichita, Kas., are guests week is the "Olde Kounty Faire," of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Chapman. all-school carnival being spon- Mrs. Scheidt is the mother of Mr. master. Mrs. J. C. Krenz, Union sored by the junior class and held Chapman. They plan to remain Hill, arranged the lecturer's hour in the Eugene Field auditorium here for several weeks and after the close of the Bethel school they Various organizations will spon- will take their grandson, Lloyd mer high-sounding pledges of co- Furniture Store Blazes

### Crabby Citians, Schools Offer Sales Course Or Somethin'

NEWPORT, Ore., April 16 .-A four week's course in sales What's in a name? personality and salesmanship A crab! The biggest ocean principles will be offered in room caught crab that can be cap-3-I of the old high school, begintured off Newport. ning April 21, by the city school Yaquina bay's metropolis is

Classes will be held Monday and Thursday nights from 7:15 to

This course is for salespeople ngaged in retail selling and for hose who are unemployed and Wish to enter the selling field. Mrs. Marguerite Willcutt, a raduate of Whitman college and the Prince school of Education for store service, will conduct. Registration fee is \$1.

## Portland Radio Dial Changed

WASHINGTON, April 16.-(AP)pission today authorized station KXL, Portland, Ore., to change is frequency from 1450 kilocycles to 750 kilocycles and to increase sistant to Governor Charles A. gower from 250 watts to 1000 kil-Sprague, has received orders to watts.

report to Fort Lewis next Monday. The station also was authorized He is a reserve officer in the field to change hours of operation from tharing time with station KBTS. also of Portland, to a limited time



# West Coast Lumber Group Chief **Reveals Reason for Consent** Decree "Will Play Game"

SEATTLE, April 16-(A)-President Corydon Wagner of the West Coast Lumbermen's association declared Wednesday that the consent decree entered by the association at Los Angeles in a federal court Sherman anti-trust law indictment was "es-

Paul L. Marble of the Puget

Sound Power & Light company

dents compared with day acci-

of sodium vapor lights.

Indicts 21

age and conspiracy.

guardsmen.

500 bond.

For Sabotage

US commissioner ordered Cap-

Twelve other crew members,

including Francesco Vittori, the

third engineer, heard charges

against them dropped, as they

PORTLAND, April 16-(AP)-Fire

downtown Portland Wednesday,

causing damage estimated by

Owner Milton M. Arnstein at \$10,-

000. A defective furnace was

sentially an agreement to revise business practices in accordance with new rules for the game." The Tacoma executive's statement was issued through the as-

sociation office here. The association was fined \$5,000. Five other lumber associations, 32 companies and 20 individuals were said that the ratio of night accifined under the consent decree. The fines totaled \$107,000. Wagner was one of the individuals

Wagner emphasized that consent decree was "not an admission of wrongdoing, but an agreement to "play the game in accordance with the new rules and to accept the orders of the umpire."

"The Douglas fir manufacturers have followed the rules of the game as they understood them." Wagner's statement added. "The federal courts themselves have been confused as to just what the rules are. The government's own economic Federal Jury policy has been uncertain.

"In the days of the NRA, industry was compelled to do many things—then held to be in the public interest-which are now regarded as grounds for criminal indictment. Industry has had to determine its course in the face

PORTLAND, Ore., April 16 .-(A)-The Pacific northwest's public-private power controversy has developed into an "all-out war," ing machinery and navigation in-James H. Polhemus, president of struments of the vessel March 28, the Portland General Electric before it was seized by coast company, said Wednesday.

He told the Northwest Light and Power association's engineer- tain Giovanni Polonio and five of ing and operation section that the ship's officers held under challenge from government-spon- dio operators, the ship's carpenter sored public systems using tax- and a large portion of the engine free Bonneville and Grand Cou- room crew were held under \$7,lee power by abandoning "postage stamp" rates and adopting streamlined operation and aggressive marketing.

Polhemus indicated that PGE rate schedules soon would be were against 19 other crewmen changed to a zone system.

He accused the government projects of forgetting their "forthe mask of cooperation has been

avowed intention of the Bonneville-Grand Coulee administration to convert the Pacific



# **GE Cooking Expert Here**

dents on 15 miles of the Olympia-Esther Nuernberger of the Home Service kitchens of the General Tacoma highway had been reduced materially by installation Electric institute at Nela Park, Cleveland, O., will conduct cooking demonstrations at the Gevurtz Furniture company in Salem to-PORTLAND, Ore., April 16.-(A) day and Friday. Her appearance The Bonneville power adminisis sponsored by the firm in cotration announced today that the operation with General Electric's Pennsylvania Transformer comhome service section. Demonstrapany, Pittsburgh, had been tions will be held at 2 and 7:30 awarded a \$38,884 contract to p.m. on both days of her stay. supply 4000 kilovolt - ampere

As a GE home economist, Miss transformers at Cosmopolis. Nuemberger tests recipes and kitchen equipment in the GE institute, and makes lecture tours to leading cities.

Before joining the GE staff, she had charge of the home service department of the Iowa-Nebraska Light & Power company in Lincoln, Neb. for ten years.

**Festival Candidate** PORTLAND, Ore., April 16.-(AP) PORTLAND, April 16-(A)-Jane

Twenty-one officers and men of Addams high school students at the Weddle funeral home, Futhe Italian motorship Leme were elected Berdean Day, 17-year-old neral services are stated for 9 held for federal grand jury action brunette, as the first of nine can- a. m. at the Catholic church in Wednesday on charges of sabotdidates for queen of the Portland Stayton. Interment at the Cath-The men are accused of wreck-

Student Flier **Crashes Plane Near Berlin** 

LEBANON-Flier Otto Ohm. jr., wasn't on a bombing mission but he crashed in Berlin Wednesday, anyway.

It was Berlin, Oregon, southeast of Lebanon, over which Ohm, CAA student flier from Oregon State college, was piloting a Piper Cub training

A hail storm impaired his vision. He evidently clipped a tree and was thrown from the plane. He was taken to a Lebanon hospital, where doctors reported he had sustained three fractured ribs and severe lacerations of the face and legs.

Ohm, who took off from the Albany airport on a training flight, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ohm, ar., who reside in the Berlin district.

## **Woman Dies** At Stayton

STAYTON-Mrs. Freada Spaniol, 41, Portland, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Allis Tuesday at Stayton.

She was born April 26, 1900, in Ohio. Survivors include a son, Richard; her parents; a sister, Rose, Stayton, and one brother, Henry, Chico, Calif.

Rosary will be said Wednesday and Thursday nights at 8 o'clock olic cemetery.

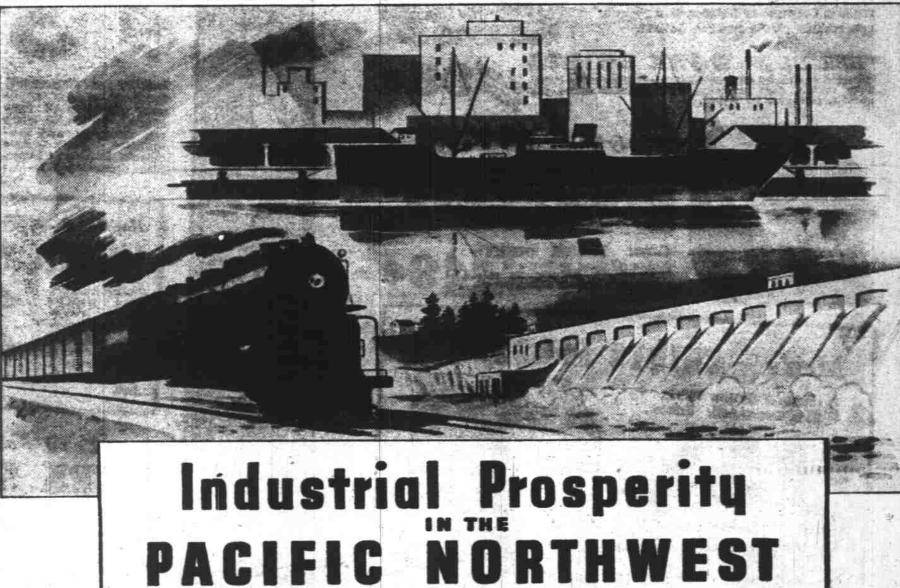
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