

Local News Briefs

Exhibitors Bought—Members of Marion county 4H club who are owners of purebred Jersey cattle are urged by Wayne Harding, county club leader, to exhibit in the county Jersey Cattle club spring show May 21 at the state fairgrounds. In letters going out today from Harding's office to stock club members, the would-be exhibitors are reminded that if they want to show outside the special 4H class their animals must be registered. Sheep raisers among the boys and girls are reminded in the same letter of the county fair lamb show at Turner, June 7.

Lutz florist, P. 9592, 1276 N. Lib.

Appraisals Out—Owners of land needed for the South River road right-of-way who have not yet formally deeded the required property to the county are to be notified by District Attorney Miller B. Hayden in letters going out today of the value at which their land was appraised by Salem Realty board's appraisal committee last week.

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Complaints Out—Complaints were issued Tuesday by E. C. Bushnell, city building inspector, charging Leonard B. Judson and Arthur L. Skewis with several violations of the city building code. There were three specific complaints against Judson and two against Skewis. The complaints included charges that electrical and furnace installations have been made without licenses.

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Leaseholders to Meet—J. E. Look, Portland, announced Tuesday that a meeting would be held at the Salem chamber of commerce at 8 o'clock tonight to discuss development work on Harney county oil leases in which a number of local citizens invested in 1937. He said drilling was in progress on the lease lands.

Townsend club dance at Moose hall, 12th & Leslie, May 15.

Returns Today—Bishop Bruce R. Baxter is expected to return today to his Salem home and to Willamette university from Nashville, Tenn., where he has been attending sessions of the Methodist church board of education and council of bishops.

Professor on Program—Dr. Herbert E. Rahe, professor of speech at Willamette university, is to preside over one of the panel discussions at the annual conference in Eugene of the Oregon Speech association. Guest speaker is Prof. Horace Rahkopf of the University of Washington, a Willamette graduate.

Have you heard about the new refrigerated vault for furs at Foreman's?

Hip Dislocated—Emergency treatment for dislocation of his right hip was given Everett Baker, 8, of 1085 Madison street, by city first aid men Monday. The accident occurred at 964 Norway street.

Meadows noted for famous coffee.

Plans Dwellings—J. A. Thompson was issued building permits Tuesday for erection of one story dwellings at 1890 and 1870 Trade street to cost \$3700 each.

Delta Phi Rummage Sale, WCTU, Thurs., Fri. and Sat.

Home Ransacked—A thief who ransacked the home of Johnson Smith, 1740 Mission street, stole a purse containing 75 cents, Smith reported to police.

Spring wall paper. Mathis Bros.

Parents Meet—Salem high school band parents will hold their monthly meeting at 7:45 o'clock tonight in the music room at the high school.

Coming Events

May 16 to 18—Boy Scout council Camporee at Silverton park.

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June 5—Salem high school commencement.

June 7—Willamette university commencement.

June 9—Summer session opens at Willamette university.

Asked to Register—Marion county 4H club boys and girls who have won scholarships, full or partial, to this summer's 4H summer school are asked by Wayne Harding, county club leader, to notify him this week whether they plan to attend the session from June 9 to 20. Club leaders have been asked to check on others who may be taking in the school, held annually on the Oregon State college campus in Corvallis.

On Vacation—Glenn Hochstetler, electrician mate third class, US navy, is spending 20 days leave of absence with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Hochstetler of 891 North Winter street. Hochstetler enlisted in the navy through the recruiting station in Portland. He received his recruit training at the training station at San Diego and entered the electrical school upon graduation. He was transferred to the USS Astoria and has seen duty with the US Pacific fleet.

Obtain Licenses—Marriage licenses have been issued at Spokane to Vernon D. Leek and Matred L. Stett, both of Salem, and at Vancouver, Wash., to Judith M. Johnson of Oak Point and Margaret C. Hoover of Portland; Eugene Byland of Salem route six and Ruth Holbrook of Salem; Catalino Asuki and Helen M. Sphard, both of Independence; Robert G. Templeton and Rachel E. Richmond, both of Albany.

Big Auction—"Woody's", Thursday, 7:30. See today's classified.

Sends Paper—A copy of the Sentinel, his camp's printed weekly newspaper, was received here Tuesday from Pvt. Clyde F. French, 1370 South Liberty street, who is stationed in the US army at Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill.

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Car Turns Over—Robert Windham, 22, of Marcola, received minor injuries when his car turned over near the Chemawa four corners early Tuesday morning. He was given emergency treatment by Salem first aid men.

Topic Set—"Life Worth Living" is the subject for the Truth study class, meeting tonight at 155 South Liberty street. Miss Olive Stevens is leader.

Concrete Poured—First concrete was poured for the piers of the new Gates bridge Tuesday, N. C. Hubbs, county engineer, was informed.

Club to Meet—Townsend club No. 4 will meet at the Highland school tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

Club to Convene—Townsend club No. 14 meets tonight at 8 o'clock in Liberty hall.

Oratorio Slated For Tonight

Gounod's oratorio "The Redemption" is slated for presentation by the Northwest Christian college chorus, Eugene, tonight at 8 o'clock at the First Christian church.

Prof. Lorraine Dossert, is director of the 40-voice group, which has made annual visits to Salem. No admission is charged.

Filing of Deeds in Office of Recorder Sets Mark in April; Volume Filled in 14 Days

Largest number of deeds recorded in one month in Marion county for a period of more than three years went into the books of Herman W. Lanke, county recorder, during April, a checkup Monday revealed.

Helped considerably by the filing of 90 deeds by the city of Salem, the records, nevertheless, for last month were outstanding. Office personnel pointed out.

One volume containing 700 pages was filled in the 14 days between April 24 and May 8. For several months previous to May one deed book a month had been the average.

When the current method of filing photostatic copies of deeds went into use January 1, 1939, 86 days were required to fill the first book and none had been filled in less than 24 days prior to May of this year.

Fifty seven days were required to fill the most recent volume of mortgages, a book similar in size to that used for deeds.

—CIRCUIT COURT—
Clarence S. Emmons, executor estate of Gust Peterson, vs. Albert Barth; complaint asking return of \$1495.50 alleged due estate.

Sherman McDougal vs. Emeline McDougal; complaint for divorce, charging cruel and inhuman treatment and asking custody of minor child during nine months of school year.

H. C. Shields vs. Paul Wagar, guardian for substitution of W. P. Briggs as attorney in place of M. C. Moynihan, disqualified to serve; order approving doctor's and hospital's claims of \$189 and \$80.

Gustaf Fandrich guardianship; petition and final report.
Claude C. Beymer estate; final account of Fred A. Williams, ancillary administrator, lists heirs and legatees; Louisa Limbaugh Crosby, Salem, mother; Bertha Beymer, Salem; Callie Martin, Kansas City, and Katherine Quinby, San Francisco, sisters.

—JUSTICE COURT—
Dennis Seely; statutory offense; waived preliminary hearing; held to answer to grand jury; upon failure to provide \$2000 bail, committed to county jail.

Frank W. Roseborough; driving while intoxicated; jury trial at 10 a. m. today; earlier jury unable to agree.

Cecil C. Cathey; passing with insufficient clearance; \$5 and costs. Vernon P. Hopkins; no operator's license, driving with four in front seat; pleaded guilty; continued for sentence to June 30.

Roy E. Boatwright; charged with assault and battery; dismissed on motion of wife, who was private prosecutor.

—MARRIAGE LICENSES—
Mervin G. Hickman, 31, meat market employe, route two, 25, and Jennie K. Meeker, 25, housekeeper, Hillsboro.

Benjamin Nicholas Gamley, 26, railroad signalman, Sacramento, Calif., and Cleone Isabelle Welborn, 27, stenographer, 535 North Winter street, Salem.

—MUNICIPAL COURT—
Shirley W. Burnett, violation of basic rule; fined \$2.50.
James G. Lauderback, violation of basic rule; fined \$2.50.
Carl A. Hallauer, violation of basic rule; fined \$2.50.

OBITUARY

Ferrell
At a Portland hospital, Monday, May 12, Mrs. D. H. Ferrell, at the age of 83 years. Born at Rogers, Ark., March 15, 1858. She and the late Daniel H. Ferrell moved to Oregon in 1904, and lived in Salem approximately 26 years. She joined the Methodist church when a young girl and has been a faithful member ever since. Survived by four children, Mrs. Della Lamb, Mrs. Margaret Hart and Jesse Ferrell of Portland and Mrs. Earl Strickland of Salem; 11 grandchildren and five great grandchildren; sister, Mrs. J. L. Busick of Salem; brothers, Edward Tuck of Salem and John Tuck of Redmond. Funeral services will be held at the Moreland Funeral home, Portland, Wednesday, May 14, at 10:30 a. m., with concluding services at the City View cemetery, Salem, at 1 p. m.

Harms
Mrs. Julia Anna Harms, at the residence, 1575 North 17th street, May 12. Survived by widower, Harry H. Harms of Salem; sons, Wilbur Harms of Camas, Wash., and Donald Harms of Salem; mother, Mrs. Anna Boelter of Salem; brothers, Edwin D. Boelter and Austin E. Boelter of Seattle, Milton W. Boelter of Minneapolis, William G. Boelter of Syracuse, N.Y.; sister, Mrs. Saramay Barber of Camas. Services will be held from the Rose Lawn Funeral home Friday, May 16, at 2 p. m. Rev. Frank Stanard will officiate. Interment in Belcrest Memorial park.

Ferguson
Hilda Ferguson, 42, late resident of Portland, at a local hospital May 12. Survived by mother, Mrs. Ora Shaw of Milwaukie, Ore. Services were held from the Walker & Howell chapel Tuesday, May 13.

Duncan
James F. Duncan, late resident of route one, Jefferson, at a local hospital May 9, at the age of 89 years. Services will be held Wednesday, May 14, at 1:30 p. m. from Clough-Barrick chapel, Rev. W. Irvin Williams officiating. Ritualistic services will be given by Rickreall lodge No. 110 AF & AM.

Padusky
John Padusky, 26, at a local hospital May 12. Survived by mother of Mt. Vernon, Wash. Funeral announcements later from the Walker & Howell Funeral home.

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Dr. Heinrich Simon

Police in Washington are investigating the death of Dr. Heinrich Simon, 61, former editor of the Frankfurter Zeitung and an exile from Nazi Germany, who was beaten on a Washington street and died later in a hospital. Dr. Simon was a personal friend of Brig. Gen. Edwin M. Watson, military aide to President Roosevelt and was well known in American musical circles. Simon became an exile in 1934.

Band Benefit Plans Complete

With a visit to Salem yesterday of D. M. McDade, director of the Oregon Journal Juniors, and Ed Cheney, one of the northwest's leading dance instructors, final plans were made for the entertainment to be staged at the Salem high school auditorium Friday night for the benefit of the high school band. This will be an hour and a half show, divided into three acts.

Specialty numbers will be given between the acts. Sixty performers will participate.

Orchestral music will be furnished by the Salem high school band. The entertainment is a community activity sponsored by the Hollywood Lions club.

The chairman of the entertainment arrangements is A. J. Crose, of the Hollywood Lions club, assisted by Ray Stumbo, Don Madison, Merton D. Cooke, and R. A. Forkner.

Births

Balza—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Balza, Rainier, a daughter, Joan Rebecca, born May 6, Chemawa Indian hospital.

Wendland—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. Wendland, route five, a daughter, Sharon Lucille, born May 7, Salem General hospital.

Seaman—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Seaman, 1744 Market street, a daughter, Billie Lee, born May 5, Deaconess hospital.

Robertson—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Robertson, route seven, a daughter, Sharon Beverly, born May 3, Deaconess hospital.

Andrews—To Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Andrews, Portland, a son, Ernest John, born April 30, Deaconess hospital.

Dumond—To Mr. and Mrs. Laverne D. Dumond, 816 Wilbur street, a son, Charles Robert, born May 3, Deaconess hospital.

Collins—To Mr. and Mrs. Carl G. Collins, 790 Stewart street, a daughter, Connie Geraldine, born May 7, Salem General hospital.

Supreme Court Affirms Damages Award of \$8500 to Man Hurt When Water Tank Collapses

A decision of the Multnomah county circuit court awarding \$8500 damages to Albert Suiko, injured in his home three years ago when a large water tank burst on top of the Northwestern Ice & Cold Storage company building, was affirmed by the state supreme court here Tuesday.

The cold storage company had leased the property from the E. Henry Wemms Endowment fund, but this fund was absolved of all responsibility.

Suiko was injured when the tank burst and part of it fell on his home. The opinion was written by Justice John L. Rand and upheld T. E. J. Duffy. The company was declared negligent in not keeping the tank in repair.

Three cases were reversed by the high court, including \$5030 damage award in favor of W. S. Bennett, who was injured in Portland while working on a ladder provided by Fred Spagele. Spagele appealed from Circuit Judge James W. Crawford's court and won a new trial.

In a Linn county case in which Viola Stretch, executrix of the estate of Annie Boggs, sued C. W. Murphy to recover damages for alleged violation of contract, the supreme court reversed the case and ordered a directed verdict in favor of Murphy, who lost in the circuit court of Judge L. H. McMahon.

The supreme court reversed Circuit Judge E. C. Latourette, who ruled that Raymond H. Bassett was in contempt of court for failure to provide for his minor children. The latter suit was appealed from Marion county.

Delegates are L. Y. Eaton, Edmond Boland, Aubrey Tussing, Frank Devlin, George Feller, Dale Brooks, Arwin Strayer, Ward Wolfe, Dave Furlough, W. C. Cavender, George Chapman, Charles Norton, Joe Benoit and W. J. Wickert; alternates, Bert Tompkins, Ralph Harlan, Onas S. Olson, Frank Prince, Clyde Crawford, David Fournier, Phil Ringle, R. DeLapp, Herman Latky, F. Cady, L. B. Davis, Charles Winslow and Frank Millett.

Former Salem Woman Dies

Funeral services for Mrs. Vania Tuck Ferrell, former Salem resident who died Monday in Portland at the age of 83 years, will be in Portland today with burial at 1 p. m. in City View cemetery here.

Mrs. Ferrell and her husband, the late D. H. Ferrell came to Oregon in 1904 and resided in Salem about 26 years. She was a member of the Methodist church.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Earl Strickland; sister, Mrs. J. L. Busick; brother, Edward Tuck, all of Salem.

Teachers Named

BRUSH COLLEGE—Miss Muriel Kaster, principal, and Miss Phyllis Scott, primary teacher have been retained for the coming term at Brush College school.

Honor Plaque Goes to Best Girl at High

An honor plaque will be presented to the outstanding girl of the year in the Girls' Letter club of Salem high school when that organization has its annual banquet at 8:30 tonight at the Argo hotel. Several senior members will get honor pins for having achieved certain standards.

On the program set by the club, which yearly sponsors the Jym Jamboree, are numbers by the girls' double trio and violin solos. Donna Spence is chairman for the banquet. Members of her committee are Janet Boetger, decorations; Marjorie Bergvick, gifts; Doris Hill and Ruth Jones, place cards, and Betty Provost.

Next year's officers are: Maurine Keucher, president; Onese McHenry, first vice-president; Dorothy Hoar, second vice-president; Virginia Pope, secretary; Daris Hill, treasurer; Aretta Gottfried and Yvonne Moffitt, sergeant-at-arms; Phyllis Walker, song and yell queen; Nellie Peaslee, chairman for gym jamboree; Katherine Hill, assistant; Elaine Evans, wardrobe mistress; Dorothy Hunt, assistant; Carol Smith, reporter; Ruth Rempel, musician.

Heads of the various activities: Kate Griffiths, serial arts; Goldie Cohen, archery; Shirley Parker, badminton; Helen Calkin, basketball; Janet Rogers, baseball; cycling; Dorothy Kenney; Ruth Jones, bowling; Lois Barrick, golf; Lu-Jane Wilson, hiking; Bernice Michler; horseback riding; Elizabeth Smith, table tennis; Pat Kenney, play chess; Ruth Shipper, roller skating; Delores Brown, ice skating; Lorraine Murdoch, soccer; Marianna Starr, speedball; Shirley Hill, swimming; Caroline Hill, tennis; Betty Pierce, tumbling; Pat Leary, volleyball.

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Multnomah May Propose Plan to Change Present Tax Structure

A constitutional amendment or initiative measure, to be referred to the voters of Oregon at the next general election, may be proposed as a means of changing the state's tax structure so as to remedy the property assessment situation now the subject of controversy in Multnomah county.

A letter received here Tuesday from Portland indicated that such a move is under consideration. It previously was suggested that the legislature be called into special session to consider the Multnomah county tax situation but Governor Charles A. Sprague indicated that he was opposed to such a proposal.

The Multnomah county controversy followed a recent decision by the state tax commission in which it was held that the method of levying property assessments there was not in compliance with the Oregon tax laws.

Residence property owners complained that their assessments would be increased materially under the tax commission decision while those on valuable business property would be reduced.

At a meeting of the state tax commission and county assessors here last week Charles V. Galloway, commission chairman, said the complaints of the small property owners were not well founded.

Galloway contended that compliance with the tax laws, as they relate to assessments, would tend to equalize taxes of all property owners and that no property owner would be penalized.

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