

Local News Briefs

McFarland Improving—James E. McFarland, chief clerk of the state highway department, is improving at St. Vincent's hospital, Portland, where he was taken early last week after he had suffered a heart attack. C. B. McCullough, assistant highway engineer, reported Saturday. He is not considered as yet out of danger but is given a good chance to recover. McCullough was advised in Portland by attending physicians.

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Entertainment Planned—At a luncheon meeting of the council of social agencies held at the Argo hotel Friday, it was decided to promote plans for providing hospitality for the soldiers as they return north following their California maneuvers. A meeting is scheduled at the chamber of commerce Tuesday at 8 p.m., at which time anyone interested in this kind of project is invited to be present.

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Father Dies—Emil Yohner, 710 North High street, received word Saturday of the death in Berne, Switzerland, of his father, Rudolph Yohner, at the age of 75 years. The elder Mr. Yohner lived in Salem for several years before leaving three years ago, with his wife and daughter, for a visit in Switzerland. He did not return as planned because of conditions in Europe.

Spring wall paper. Mathis Bros.

Two Appointed—Governor Charles A. Sprague Saturday appointed Thomas H. Carstensen and M. D. Wells, both of Portland, members of the state board of accountancy. They succeed Ernest Farnard and J. C. Goldrain, also of Portland. The new appointees will serve four year terms retroactive as of June 3.

89c car shampoo & lubrication—Northwest Oil Co., 546 N. High, 89c.

Back From Baker—Mrs. I. N. Sanders has returned from Baker where she was called on the unexpected death of her brother, Noble Holcomb.

Obituary

Yearer
In this city Thursday, June 5, Robert Allen Yearer, 71 years, late resident of 2070 Frederick street. Husband of Emma Yearer; father of Mrs. Jesse Cavasino of Memphis, Tenn., Paul J. and Douglas R. Yearer and Mrs. Jack Stebner of Salem, Mrs. R. L. V. Barner of Mandan, N. D., Mrs. Frank Yeiter and Audrey Yearer of Bismark, N. D., and Frances Mary Yearer of Chico, Calif. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company, Monday, June 9, at 1:30 p.m. Rev. W. W. Williams will officiate.

Hoffman
In this city Friday, June 6, Fred Hoffman, aged 63 years. Late resident of 1144 North Front street. Brother of Harvey, Chester and Oris Hoffman of Salem and Walter Hoffman of Portland, Mrs. Bruce Fox, Mrs. H. M. Doud and Miss Violet Hoffman of Salem; uncle of Miss Lena Fox, Genevieve and Betty Jean Doud of Salem. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company Monday, June 9, at 3 p.m. Rev. P. W. Eriksen will officiate. Concluding services in City View cemetery.

Bones
James M. Bones, late resident of Turner, at a local hospital June 7 at the age of 56 years. Survived by wife, Maude A. Bones of Turner; sons, Hollis L. Bones of Brownsville, Harlen M. Bones of King City, Calif., Hubert Keath Bones of Turner; daughters, Mrs. Hildred L. Roberts of Aumsville, Hazel and Ruth Bones of Turner; mother, Mrs. C. A. Bones of Turner; sisters, Mrs. Martha Winkler of Vancouver, Wash., Mrs. Lucy Fleming of Tacoma, Mrs. Emma Standifer, Mrs. Cora Scott and Mrs. Mollie Munding of Salem; brothers, Arch Bones of Salem and Vester Bones of Turner; grandchildren, Harvey and Irene Bones of Brownsville, Richard and Beverly Roberts of Aumsville. Funeral announcements later from the Rose Lawn Funeral home.

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Coming Events

June 9—Summer session opens at Willamette university.
June 16—Salem school board election.

Wallace Sprague Home—Wallace A. Sprague, assistant public relations officer for the 13th naval district, returned to Salem Saturday for a brief visit with his parents, Gov. and Mrs. Charles A. Sprague. He returned to Seattle a few days ago from a short tour of Alaska, interviewing publishers and radio station operators and inspecting naval operations.

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Car Strikes Pole—Harry A. Johnson, 435 South 22d street, awoke about 5 a.m. Saturday to find his automobile jammed against a power pole in front of 1620 State street. Johnson told police he had gone to sleep and that when he woke up the car was against the pole. The front end of the car was smashed, but the pole was not damaged.

June Clearance—Spring coats, tweeds, etc., val. to \$22.95, now \$7.95. Silk print dresses, \$12.95 values, closeout \$5.88, \$9.95 values, \$4.88. Charmette hose, 79c & up. \$2.98 blouses, sheers, crepes & batiste, spec. \$2.48. \$1.98 blouses now \$1.48. New shipment Nylon hose. Morrison's, next to Capital Drug.

Names Commissioner—Governor Charles A. Sprague Saturday substituted J. Roy Raley, Pendleton, for James H. Raley, Jr., also of Pendleton, as a member of the Old Oregon Trail centennial commission created by the 1941 legislature.

Vacation Church School, Presbyterian church, 9 to 11:45 a.m. June 9-20.

Club Offers Prize—Townsend club No. 2, meeting Monday at 8 p.m. in Leslie Methodist church, is to offer a prize to the couple whose story of early courtship is deemed best. Final arrangements will be made for sending a delegate to the national convention.

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Water Sought—The United States forestry service has filed five applications for water permits with the state engineer here. Three of the applications involve water for the Mount Hood National forest and two for the Wallows national forest.

His choice for Father's Day. "Mark Twain" shirts, \$1.65 & \$2.00. A. A. Clothing Co., 121 N. High.

Tools Stolen—W. C. Pickens, 1756 Center street, reported to police Saturday that a number of tools have been stolen from his car while it was parked in his garage sometime during the past ten days.

Spotlight Stolen—Albert Lindensau, 1931 North Church street, reported to police Saturday that a spotlight was stolen from his car while it was parked downtown.

For watch and clock repairing—H. T. Love, 141 S. Liberty.

Two Are Charged—City police arrested Clarence and Kenneth Hogerhyde, 496 Ford street, Saturday on justice court warrants charging larceny.

Thelma Hall Walters is now working at Senator Beauty Salon.

Obtain License—A marriage license has been issued at Vancouver, Wash., to Earl F. Stockton and Ozella M. Collier, both of Independence.

Grange Parley Opens June 16

NEWPORT, June 7—(P)—The Oregon state grange convention, opening here June 16, will be dominated by discussions of the war's effect upon US agriculture.

The opening address of Ray Gill, state master, will be broadcast over KOAC. A talk by Palmer Hoyt, publisher of the Oregonian, and a program directed by Mrs. G. W. Thiessen, Milwaukie, state lecturer, will be on Tuesday's schedule.

Degree work will be given Thursday evening, the fifth degree by the Lincoln county Pomona team and the sixth degree by state officers.

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As Oregon's Governor Accepts Safety Award



As Gov. Charles A. Sprague (left) recently in Portland formally received plaque signifying Oregon's winning second place in American Automobile association's national pedestrian protection contest. With him are (from left) Earl Riley, mayor of Portland; Dr. E. H. McDaniell, president of Oregon State Motor association, who presented plaque, and Earl Snell, secretary of state.

Study and Fun Starts Monday For Marion County 4H Members On State College Campus

Starting on two weeks of intensive study and organized fun, 207 Marion county boys and girls, 4H club members, leave their homes Monday for Corvallis to participate in 4H summer sessions opening there that day.

Legion Chief Gets Airbase Assignment

PORTLAND, June 7—(P)—The Portland airbase announced Saturday the assignment of Capt. Alfred P. Kelley, state American Legion commander, as military intelligence officer here.

"All information pertaining to military sabotage or any matters of sabotage pertaining to the national defense program should be referred directly to my office," said Capt. Kelley, who was recalled from retirement only recently.

Men of 249th To Get Passes

FORT STEVENS, June 7—Colonel Clifton M. Irwin, commanding officer of the 249th Coast Artillery, announced at a conference with his commanding officers that men of his command would be given four-day furloughs within the next month.

Commencing the first of next week, men will be granted the leaves, which will be the first since the Christmas holidays, except in case of an emergency. Pass lists will be worked according to the various sections so that not more than 15 per cent of the command will be absent at one time, according to custom and training schedules.

Troops will be paid during the period, and will be allowed to go anywhere in the state and, with special permission, to further points.

These furloughs will afford the first opportunity since their induction for many selectees to return to their homes.

Nonagenarian Honored; Made Trip to State By Wagon Train

STAYTON—Mrs. Anna Stayton was honored on her 90th birthday anniversary Tuesday by the Stayton Townsend club. A large birthday cake and a dainty corsage was presented her.

Mrs. Stayton was born in Virginia and moved into Missouri with her parents, and later the family joined a wagon train for Oregon. Their part of the train consisted of three wagons, one containing flour, dried fruits, rice, and another one with bacon, and a false floor was built over the supplies and used for beds.

Mrs. Stayton was 14 and remembers how they were not allowed to pass Fort Laramie until the convoy numbered 160 armed men. They were never attacked by Indians, but a stampede was caused by an attempt to break up the train.

The family arrived in Stayton in October, 1893, and the town consisted of two cabins, and the roadway to the cany was brush and trees. They settled west of where Stayton is now located.

Mrs. Stayton was married to Drury E. Stayton in the spring of 1870, and moved to where Stayton now stands. She operated a dressmaking and millinery store. Mrs. Stayton is in good health, does her own work, and is an active member of the Stayton Grange.

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Governor to Appoint E. M. Page Circuit Court Judge June 14; Decision Follows Parley

E. M. Page, Salem attorney, will be appointed and take his oath as circuit judge in Marion county June 14 and not at a later date as previously contemplated, Governor Charles A. Sprague announced Saturday.

The governor's statement followed a conference with Judge L. H. McMahan, who has shared the circuit bench here for the past nine years with Judge L. G. Lewelling and who remains when Lewelling leaves next week.

A new law going into effect the 14th makes a new district of Benton and Linn counties, to which Judge Lewelling goes, and at the same time adds probate and juvenile work to jurisdiction of the circuit court. This additional burden the governor declared too heavy to leave for even a few weeks on the shoulders of one man.

—CIRCUIT COURT—
Laura McGee Groves vs. Russell F. Laughlin; case before Judge L. H. McMahan continued until Monday.

Fred Dallas Van Kirk vs. Irene Elizabeth Van Kirk; order by Judge McMahan requires plaintiff to bring minor child into court or to be held in contempt.

City of Salem vs. Marion county and others; stipulation agrees answer of People's Water & Gas company shall be considered as answer to amended complaint with specified exceptions.

Cloyd A. Cox vs. Olive M. Cox; complaint for divorce, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment and asking custody of six children; married at Elwood, Neb., December 4, 1927.

Valley Credit Service vs. Carrie A. Parrish, sometimes known as Carrie Swallow; transcript from justice court.

G. A. Etter vs. F. E. Etter; answer asks decree for defendant and that custody of minor children go to S. R. Walker and Alice H. Walker of Salem.

Harley J. McKinney vs. Blanche A. McKinney; complaint asking that plaintiff be decreed sole owner of certain real property in Depot addition to Salem.

—PROBATE COURT—
Mary Sanders guardianship; final account by Pioneer Trust company and final order.

Amanda Jeannette Bishop estate; creditor's claim of George E. Bishop for \$977.37 allowed; appraisal by E. A. Miller, Leola H. Ellis and Sam F. Speer; places valuation of estate at \$27,764.51.

W. I. Staley estate; supplemental order of distribution directs division of remaining assets among Nell M. Staley, widow, Salem, 40 per cent; Paul H. Staley and Lucile Staley Reinhart, both of New York City, son and daughter of deceased, 25 per cent each.

Andrew O. Lindtloff estate; appraised at \$1000 by B. F. Terry, Frank E. Hubbs and Carroll Rhyne.

Ross E. Moore's estate; Pioneer Trust company, executor, reports sale of Polk county property to Lloyd E. Hoxie and Ruth Hoxie for \$2000.

H. L. Ritchey estate; inheritance tax receipts for \$187.77 issued to Pioneer Trust company and Henry Stafford, executors.

Edward Hugh McCaffers guardianship; United States National bank files eighth annual report as guardian, showing receipts of \$431.55 and disbursements of \$400.

—JUSTICE COURT—
Charles S. Willis; no operator's license; fined \$1 and costs.

—MARRIAGE LICENSES—
Alden Hulbert, 22, farmer, Independence, and Helen Withrick, 21, housekeeper, Portland.

Rev. McNeill is reported in great demand as a young peoples speaker. Many musical features and numbers will be a part of the program.

Pulp and Paper Technicians Name Officers

PORTLAND, Ore., June 7—(P)—C. E. Braun, Oregon City, was elected chairman of the Pacific section, Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry, at the meeting closed here Saturday.

Meeting with TAPPI representatives were members of the American Pulp & Paper Mill Superintendents' association, with 250 persons registered.

Other officers named included Fred Shaneman, Tacoma, re-elected secretary-treasurer, and Ed Wood, Longview, vice-chairman.

R. G. McDonald, national secretary-treasurer of TAPPI, was featured at the morning session, while the afternoon was given over to general discussions of technical pulp and paper problems.

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Man Weakened By Blood Loss Found in Shed

Weakened from loss of blood but reported to be in as good condition "as could be expected," Fremont Russell Stevenson, 58, was in the Salem General hospital Saturday as the result of what police said was an apparent attempt at suicide.

Stevenson, who works at the Oregon Pulp & Paper company mill, was found bleeding from wrist and arm by Mollie Shepherd about 9:30 a.m. Saturday in a woodshed at the rear of 285 North Commercial street, where both have rooms.

Mrs. Shepherd said she talked to Stevenson about 7 a.m. when he was going to the woodshed. When he failed to return after two hours she investigated and found him lying near the door.

He had two deep wounds in his left arm, one near the wrist and another near the elbow, and another smaller one on the right arm. He was semi-conscious when taken from the shed by city first aid men, who speeded him to a hospital.

Ahrens Brothers of Turner Win Title at Fat Lamb Exhibit

Judged grand champion of Marion county's fourth annual fat lamb show at Turner Saturday was an entry of Ahrens brothers of Turner. Two hundred eighty head were entered in the show, sponsored by the Cloverdale Farmers union. A large crowd was in attendance.

The champion, 105 pounds, was auctioned at 30 1/2 cents per pound to O. W. Fromm of Halsey. It is to be dressed by Valley Packing company for display this week at Paramount market in Salem. It will be sold and the proceeds donated to the Salvation Army.

Ahrens brothers are giving \$10 from their sale to the Red Cross. E. Gath's entry was first place winner of the dog trials in sheep herding, held on a state-wide basis for the first time this year. A. Eoff's was second, and Jack Richard's third among 12 dogs.

Gene Mulkey, sixth grader in Silver Cliff school, won the \$5 award for sheep club work, given by the ladies' auxiliary to Oregon Wool Growers association.

Wanda Bannick had the champion fat lamb of 4H club entries. That the show was the most outstanding of its type in the state was stated by R. L. Clark of Portland, one of the judges. Other judge was H. L. Lindgren, livestock extension specialist at Oregon State college.

Places awarded in the judging, in order, were:

4H club—Single ewe lamb, Wanda Bannick, Floyd Fox, Herbert Booth, single wether, Herbert Booth, Robert Feller, Junior Miller; pen of three lambs, ewes or wethers, Herbert Booth, Robert Feller, Robert Schiffer.

Future Farmers—Single ewe lamb, Loren Weidekehr, Don Jacquet, Walter McElhane; single wether, Don Jacquet, Walter McElhane; pen of three lambs, Don Jacquet, Loren Weidekehr, Walter McElhane.

Medium wool—Single ewe, Karl Steiwer, Bill Pearson, Ahrens brothers; single wether, Ahrens brothers, M. O. Pearson, Karl Steiwer; pen of three lambs, William Pearson, Ahrens brothers, Carl Booth.

Bottle—Lena Grabenhorst, Philip Jensen, Curtis Jensen.

Long wool—Single ewe or wether, Gath brothers, William Pearson, William Meier; pen of three lambs, William Meier, Bob Drager.

Registered—Single ram, Gath brothers.

Sprague Cuts Term of Arsonist; Banks now Eligible for Parole

Albert N. Banks, former business agent for the Salem Teamsters' union, became eligible for parole Saturday from the sentence he is serving in the state penitentiary for his complicity in burning of the West Salem Box company plant on November 20, 1937, when Governor Charles A. Sprague commuted his sentence from 12 to nine years.

Officials said Banks probably will receive his parole early next week.

Banks, it was charged during his trial at Dallas, employed the three men who actually burned the factory under orders from Albert Earl Rosser, former Oregon teamsters' head, who also received a 12-year sentence.

Banks' release was recommended by Ralph E. Moody, coordinator for ex-Governor Charles H. Martin in his drive against labor terrorists and the state parole board. Moody prosecuted Banks along with a large number of other labor unionists.

Moody was joined in his recommendation by Charles F. Pray, superintendent of state police; Bruce Spaulding, Polk county district attorney who assisted Moody; Captain John J. Keegan, chief of Portland detectives, and Circuit Judge Arlie G. Walker, who presided at Banks' trial.

"Spaulding declared at the time Banks was sentenced that he was believed to have been responsible for the fire. Later testimony offered at Rosser's trial showed that Banks acted under orders from Rosser. Banks turned state's evidence. The fire resulted in a loss of more than \$100,000. Banks has a wife and 15-year-old son.

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