#### Local News Briefs

Thought Robbery Solved-Ar-rest of Theodore William Laflar Coming Events on a drunken driving charge in Martinez, Calif., may have provided a solution to the robbery of the Roy Houck Construction company temporary Scappoose offices earlier this year, deputies in the office of Sheriff A. C. Burk believe. John A. Miller, sheriff in the California county, has notified Busk's office that Laflar when arrested had in his car a check writer, check protectors, approximately \$100 worth of tools and 43 checks on the construction company together with a book of approximately 100 check stubs. Articles similar to those described were taken from the Scappoose job two months ago, and state police have been working in conjunction with the Columbia county sheriff's office in attempting to trace the theft. A number of checks, presumably represented by the stubs in Laflar's possession, have come back to him, Houck said.

Cootie Club Carnival dance, Fri.

Candidates File - Would-be precinct committeemen filing candidacy notices at the courthouse here Thursday included: Marcia Bernau, 1895 North Winter street, republican, Salem No. 14; Thomas E. Cole, 1313 Center, democrat, Salem No. 19; Paul Heath, 211 East Miller, Salem No. 17: Lois M. Scott, 1960 North Fifth, Salem No. 9; Norma B. Shaw, 844 Center, Salem No. 11, and Esther Hartley, Sidney.

Exper. waitress wanted. The Spa.

Contract Canceled - The Marion county court Thursday signed an order cancelling a contract entered into with Harlan M. Branson in 1937 whereby Branson was to buy lot seven, block six, Oak Lodge addition, Salem, for \$65, to be paid for at the rate of \$13 a year. None of the payments was made, the order

Savings - insured to \$5,000.00are earning 31/2% at Salem Federal, 130 South Liberty.

Justices Named - James J. Lampshire, Burns, and Charles L. Graden, Florence, were appointed justices of the peace by Gov. Charles A. Sprague here Thursday, Lampshire succeeds William L. Blott while Graden succeeds C. M. Severy. Both Severy and Blott resigned.

Lutz florist. Ph. 9592 1276 N. Lib.

Commissioner Jim Smith and structors' class to follow is sched- both of Salem. ter inspection Thursday afternoon to order replacement of a bridge on Dominic road, 11/4 miles east of the Mt. Angel flax plant with a new, wider wooden structure.

Taxes Turned - Sheriff A. C. Burk Thursday turned over an additional \$65,804.73 in tax collections to the county treasurer Thursday for distribution. Of the total, Salem school district will receive \$15,738.64 and the city of Salem \$6016.26.

#### Obituary Mortugries'

Paid Announcements

Rev. Guy L. Drill, at his home, 885 N. Winter street, Salem, Tuesday, March 17, at the age of 59 years. Husband of Mrs. Laura L. Drill, of Salem; brother of Mrs. Ferris Swan, and Mrs. Holly Fryer, both of Yamhill, Louis and Frank Drill, of St. Paul, Minn., John Drill of England, Earl Drill, of Willamina, Ore., and Harry T. Drill, of Seattle. Casket will be open to friends at Clough-Barrick until noon, Saturday. Services will be held Saturday, March 21, 1:30 p.m. at the First Christian church of Salem, Rev. C. F. Swanders officiating, assisted by Rev. Kendall Burke, Rev. E. Gilbert Cays, and Rev. Walter Givens. Concluding services in Belcrest Memorial park,

Mrs. Leah M. Hall, at the residence, route 7, box 233, Salem, March 18. Survived by widower, Harry Hall of Salem; son, William Kaufman of Portland, and grandson, William Kaufman, jr., to leave this morning for Tacoma March 20, from the Clough-Barrick chapel at 1:30 p.m. Interment in the Hayesville cemetery.

Paul Buchner, late resident of Thomas, Jefferson, Delmar, Jef- at the Quelle, ferson, and Mrs. Edna White, Scio. Several grandchildren. Funeral announcements later by Neighbor Board Walker and Howell Funeral home.

Wagner Rose Wagner, late resident of William Wagner, Portland; moth- state penitentiary. er of Mrs. Lambert Vaag, San Francisco, and Gilbert Wagner, of whom have served their min-Ft. Madison, Wash.; sister of Ferd imum sentences and are subject Wagner, Grand Coulee, Wash., to parole, were before the board. Emil Wagner, Ft. Blakely, Wash., Paul R. Kelty, Lafayette, is chair-Jake Wagner, Algona, William man of the Oregon parole board. Wagner, Anchorage, Alaska, Christ Wagner, Salem, Mrs. O. B. Ackley, Tacoma, Wash., Mrs. Martha Giffen, Long Beach, Calif.; grandmother of three.

Member Seventh Day Adventist church, Memorial services Saturday, March 21, at 3 p.m. in the Walker and Howell Funeral home, Rev. Ernsten officiating. Conclud-ing services at IOOF commery.

March 20, 21-Older Boys' conference, YMCA. March 21-Freshman Glee, Willamette university.

March 24-Salem Y Gleemen March 27-Half-holiday, Sag

March 28, 29-Annual northwest area YMCA council meeting in Salem.

March 30-Last day for May primary candidates to file. April 1-Last day to file state income tax returns.

Widening Denied-The county court, reporting Thursday on an inspection of the Boedigheimer-Spinner-Oak Glen road northwest of Stayton, said through Judge Grant Murphy that traffic and expense involved would not justify a request for widening of narrow sections of the route. Brush that has grown out along the road will be removed as soon as a new brushing crew is formed, he said. Commissioner Ralph Girod said a county crew had just finished clearing away a small slide on the Little North fork, Santiam river, road. There may be additional slides on this road before the summer dry season, the court predicted.

Buy Easter Gifts early at the Better Bedding Store.

Meeting Slated — The Jackson club of Oregon will hold a meeting Thursday, March 26, at 8 p. m., in the Streamline room of the Imperial hotel in Portland, Grace A. Thames, secretary, announces. Election of state president and vice president from the first congressional district will be

Oiling Taxiway-Under direction of US army engineers, oiling crews Thursday started surfacing gravel taxiways at the Salem airport. More than 5000 feet of such taxiways are to be included in the project which is to be finished within two weeks, according to present plans.

Buy Johns-Manville lifetime roofs. 18 mo. to pay, no down paym't. Mathis Bros. 164 S. Coml.

Class Tonight - An advanced first aid class for persons withing to prepare as Red Cross first aid instructors open at 7:30 tonight on the third floor of the old Salem high school building, with Hubbs decided af- uled to open April 6.

Pastor III-Rev. Paul G. Stockhausen, SJ, Port Townsend. Wash., is in charge of services at St. Vincent de Paul church during the absence of Rev. Robert Neugebauer, who recently un- and costs paid. derwent an operation at St. Vincent's hospital, Portland.

Explosives Permits in-County Clerk Lee Ohmart announced Thursday that both he and Justice of the Peace Joseph B. Felton of Salem had received a limited supply of blanks for the issuance of explosives licenses.

Another Barry - The Robert Barry mentioned as a garnishee in a court new item in the Thursday Statesman is not Robert T. Barry of Sunnyside district, the latter pointed out Thursday.

Name Registered - Assumed business name of Bradley Furniture Mart, 1978 North Capitol street, was registered with the county clerk Thursday by Arthur

Jacket Stolen - Gene Alfred, munity will come up. 460 North 13th street, reported Thursday to city police that his windbreaker jacket had been ta-Salem theatre.

a cost of \$136 was taken out ported. Thursday by Albert Girod.

license has been issued to Murray P. Trout, Molalla, and Bonneta May Rolland, Albany, at Oregon To Credit Meet-Floyd Ellis is

Obtain License - A marriage

of Portland. Christian Science to attend the silver jubilee northservices will be held Friday, west credit conference today and

Flowering trees & shrubs, fruit, nut & shade trees. H. L. Pearcy Nursery, 255 N. High St.

Jones Speaks-Senator Ronald Jefferson, died in an Albany hos- Jones of Brooks is speaker this pital Thursday, March 19, at the noon for the Salem Realty board age of 85. Father of Mrs. Leta at its regular luncheon meeting

# **Watches Oregon**

Members of the Washington route two, died Thursday, March state parole board spent Thursday 19, at the age of 50. Wife of J. L. in Salem attending a meeting of Wagner, route two; daughter of the Oregon parole board at the

Approximately 30 prisoners, all

### Cannery Workers Meeting

## Damage Trial Continues Today In Circuit Court; Grand Jury Brings Indictment Against Lyon

Extension of a damage action trial over into today's session of circuit court necessitated postponement Thursday of the scheduled jury hearing of the case of City of Salem against Walter John Borcher, charged with drunken driving. No new trial date for the appealed case from municipal court here was set.

The damage action, Edna Smith vs. E. C. Alford, will continue at 8:15 a.m. with defense, testimony in progress. It is ex-pected to reach the jury today.

A brief grand jury session Thursday resulted in issuance of Thursday resulted in issuance of true bill indictment charging 70 Additional Martin Paul Lyon with contributing to delinquency of a minor. He appeared in court and received until 10 a.m. Saturday to enter his plea. The grand jurors were released for an indefinite

-CIRCUIT COURT-Leo N. Childs vs. Glen Leroy Newman and wife; confirmation, sheriff's sale.

defendant released on own recognizance. Chandler P. Brown, trustee, vs. Raymond H. Bassett et al; demurrer of Ollie J. Purdy.

Valley Credit Service vs. Albert for \$434.50 alleged due for medical services.

Norman Cooke, minor, by guardian, Frank T. Cooke, vs. R. R. Bailey; dismissed, based on stipulation of settlement. -PROBATE COURT-

Esther Muehl estate; order approving supplemental final account of Harry D. Hobson, administrator de bonis non, correcting final report to show \$250 rather than \$500 additional fee allowed, and closing estate.

James G. Theodorian guardianship; annual report of Pioneer Trust company, guardian, showing \$650.63 received and \$177.86 paid out.

Julius L. Zielke estate; order canceling appointment of Bernice Gwynn as one of joint administrator and confirming Leonard H. Zielke as sole administrator.

-MARRIAGE LICENSES-Ray Edward Boyer, 22, soldier, Wyoming, and Beulah Toney, 18, 2054 North Capitol street, Salem. L. W. Hatfield, 26, laborer, Salem route two, and Mildred Hanshew, 35, housewife, Salem

route four. James G. Smith, 29, attorney, 1149 Court street, and Ruth Ella To Replace Bridge - County Earl LaFond as teacher. The in- Peck, 24, stenographer, 1460 D, -JUSTICE COURT-

> stop; continued to April 6 for sen-Lloyd W. Jones; no PUC plates;

had previously pleaded guilty; \$10 and costs; fine suspended Lloyd W. Jones: no license plates on trailer; had previously pleaded guilty: \$1 and costs: fine suspended and costs paid.

-MUNICIPAL COURT-Kenneth Ralph Davidson; drunken driving charge taken under advisement following trial. Helen Aronson; no operator's license; \$5.

#### Special Meet Of CC Called

Carl Hogg, president of the has called a special meeting for States supreme court. this afternoon at 3 o'clock, at which several matters pertaining to the welfare of the Salem com-

Members of the board of directors have not said specifically what the meeting is about, but ken from a seat in a downtown subjects discussed will concern expansion of chamber activities and Corvallis cantonment mat-To Reroof House-A building ters, including transportation and permit to reroof a dwelling at the question of lower freight executor. Appraisal will be made 1491 South Commercial street at rates for the community, it is re-

Board members asked that all members be present at the meet-

#### 37. Charged With **Drunk Driving**

State troopers arrested 37 persons for drunken driving during February last, Charles P. Pray, superintendent of the state police department, reported to Gov. Charles A. Sprague Thursday.

There were 1012 arrests in the motor vehicle law activities division during the month. Fines aggregated \$8092.45. Arrests in the general law enforcement division numbered 184 with fines of \$828.95, 52 in the game code division and seven in the commercial fisheries code division. Pray said the state police de-

print cards on file. Addresses Club - Lynn Mac-Lachlan, of the Credit Bureau, will address the Salem Credit association at its luncheon today.

partment now has 247,357 finger-

Parents Meet - The Parents club of Boy Scout troop one will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the

Session Set-Central Townsend club No. 6 will meet at the courtnouse tonight at 8 o'clock.

# SP Orders

Locomotives

Forty steam locomotives and 30 diesel-electric switch engines were ordered by the Southern Pacific company Tuesday at a total cost of approximately \$12,-000,000 A. T. Mercier, president, announced. Deliveries are expect-

State vs. Oliver D. Kephart; ed to start in October. The new motive power, Mercier said, is being purchased in anticipation of still heavier wartime demands upon the railroad. Since 1939, he pointed out, the company has received or ordered L. and Faye C. Mason; complaint | 253 steam and diesel engines, the purchases starting well in advance of the national defense program.

Of the steam locomotives in the present order, 30 will be of Southern Pacific's articulatedconsolidation type, among the most powerful in the world.

The other 10 steam engines will be of the famous "Daylight" streamlined type for passenger and fast freight service.

The diesel-electric switchers will be of 1000 horsepower, for general use in the railroad's principal terminals.

When delivery is made on the new order the motive power on Southern Pacific's Pacific lines will have almost twice the tractive effort of that in service on Pacific lines in World war I, it was stated.

Deliveries are now under way and will be completed by August, 1942 on more than \$12,000,-000 worth of locomotives purchased by Southern Pacific last year. This equipment is to include 40 articulated-consolidation locomotiyes, 10 streamlined 'Daylight" engines, and 23 diesel-electric switchers.

#### **Appeal Denied** Robert B. Jackson; failure to Wrs. Garner

The state supreme court Thursday denied an application of Mrs. Myrtle Garner, convicted of cattle thefts in Curry county, for appeal of her case to the United States supreme court. She is under four years penitentiary sen-

After serving several months in the penitentiary, Mrs. Garner was released on a habeas corpus proceeding filed in Circuit Judge L. H. McMahan's court here. Judge McMahan said she was being held illegally for the reason that no women were included in the Curry county jury panel.

The state supreme court later reversed Judge McMahan's decision and ordered Mrs. Garner returned to the custody of prison officials.

Mrs. Garner sought to appeal Salem chamber of commerce, from this decision to the United

Estate of the late Estelle Thayer, who died here March 11, was admitted to probate Thursday and Pioneer Trust company appointed by H. V. Compton, Grace Taylor and Margaret Ross. The order estimates personal

states that principal properties are included in a trust long administered by the trust firm. A will executed in 1937 provides that the testatrix' body shall be cremated, that of her husband resting in a crypt at Oakland, Calif., also cremated and their

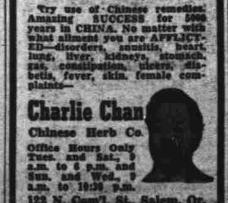
property of the estate at \$3500 and

Odd Fellows cemetery here. The will leaves all property to A. N. Bush, Mrs. Thayer's brother, aside from \$1 willed to a friend, Genevieve Junk Oppen.

ashes interred in a plot at the

#### REWARD!

For information that will lead to apprehension of a man who masqueraded under the false name of William Kvetck while in and about Salem for three weeks preceding March 6. This man is charged with larceny of valuable plane accordion from Jaquith Music Co. He is 38 to 46 years old, about 155 peunds, dark complexion, speaks with decided foreign accent. Notify Douglas Jaquith, 191 S. High.







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