

### Five Granted Deferments, Jury Drawing

Deferments went to three housewives, a nurse and a school teacher in the drawing held Wednesday at the Marion county courthouse.

Eventually selected for service were the following 31 Marion county residents whose names comprise the jury panel for the April term of circuit court:

Harriet Wechter, Pringle housewife; Edith McCord, West Woodburn housewife; John I. Caplines, east Salem farmer; Rose M. Sherwood, Nellie M. McKinstry, Lorena Chadwick, Olive E. Adams and Ethel M. Smith, all Salem housewives; Fred Bernard, Salem plumber; Arthur Mulkey, Union Hill farmer; Maxine Claggett, Salem housewife; Stella N. Carr, Salem Heights housewife; Grant Day, Salem business man; Herman A. Brown, Salem bartender; Emilio L. DeSantis, Silverton Hills laborer; Mae Aspinwall, Brooks housewife; Frank Reynolds, St. Paul merchant; Rosa Cole, Wacanda housewife; Gayle E. Finley, Salem housewife; William Wengert, Seaside merchant; Charles Epley, Jefferson housewife; Fred E. Kerr, St. Paul farmer; Flavius Meier, fairgrounds clerk; Charles Vergen, Englewood hop grower; Thomas C. Crabtree, Salem janitor; Laura Dittmar, Fairfield housewife; A. R. Finley, Salem merchant; Gervais nurseryman; Robert W. Seagraves, east Salem furnace man; Peter Hittman, Scotts Mills farmer; and O. E. M. Sorenson, north Silverton farmer.

Names of Gladys E. Dase, Salem housewife; Green nurse; Lillian S. Oldenburg, Chienawa housewife; Edna P. Matton, Breitenbush housewife; and Doris Neune, Salem teacher, were drawn and discarded because their owners had already filed refusals to do jury service.

### Cronemiller Fuel Director

Appointment of Lynn F. Cronemiller, assistant state forester, as state solid fuel coordinator for Oregon, was announced Wednesday by Gov. Earl Snell. Cronemiller will make his headquarters at the state forestry office here.

Governor Snell said Cronemiller would not only act as liaison official between the state and various federal agencies, but also would take steps to determine areas of critical wood shortages and methods whereby the situation can be corrected.

This will include a survey of the mills to ascertain the amount of mill waste available for fuel, costs at the mill, and transportation charge to consumer centers. Cronemiller has wide knowledge of the mills of Oregon and the details covering wood production, Governor Snell said.

### Tugmen Demur To Indictment

PORTLAND, March 24—(P)—The indictment charging Lewis Russell, Jr., and Clarence E. Harvey with criminal negligence in the capsizing of the tug May in the Columbia river February 10 was attacked in demurrers filed in federal district court Wednesday.

Defense attorneys charged the indictment failed to state sufficient facts to constitute a crime, that its wording was too general and that it charged more than one crime.

Russell, vice president of the firm which operated the boat, and Harvey, the tug's pilot, were to have entered pleas Wednesday. This was postponed pending hearing of arguments on the demurrers, which Federal Judge Claude McCulloch set for April 10.

Lives of seven shipyard workers and two crewmen were lost in the sinking.

### Traffic Toll Seven

PORTLAND, March 24—(P)—The death Wednesday of Mrs. Alice LaVigne, 50, injured in an automobile-trolley bus collision January 18, brought Portland's traffic toll for the year to seven.

### Around Oregon

Klamath Falls potato growers learned that the remainder of the 1942 potato crop can be sold through the usual commercial channels, the army no longer requiring all No. 1 grade potatoes. The OPA warned at Portland that all wood deliveries of the state must register by Thursday or stop deliveries. Leonard J. Popma, Clackamas, told police thieves broke into his cold storage locker and took three large hams, three shoulders of pork, 50 pounds of beef, 30 pounds of lard and 25 pounds of butter at The Dalles, a \$150,000 bond issue was approved for the construction of an annex to the Wasco county port-owned grain elevator. Oregon Shipbuilding corporation launched its 155th ship at Portland and Albina Engine & Machine Works sent another 180-foot sub-chaser down the ways. The University of Oregon announced an institute of inter-American relations for April 1 and 2.

At Astoria, the Clatsop county court was asked to give the state highway commission options on several hundred acres of county land along the right-of-way of a project to straighten the coast highway from the Necanicum river bridge to Silver Point cliffs. Funeral rites for John David Chittwood, 90, pioneer of the Dallas and Damascus regions, were held at Damascus.

### Rev. E. S. Hammond, ex-Kimball Professor, Dies of Illness at 79

No public funeral services will be held for Rev. Everett Stetson Hammond, professor at Kimball School of Theology on the Willamette university campus for 20 years, who died Wednesday morning in a Portland hospital after being ill for many weeks.

### Two Named, Trail Board

Gov. Earl Snell Wednesday appointed Charles Reynolds, La Grande, and Francis Lambert, Portland, as members of the Old Oregon Trail Centennial commission.

Reynolds has long been active in highway matters, particularly in connection with the Columbia river highway and old Oregon Trail. Lambert, Multnomah county treasurer, is state president of the Sons and Daughters of Oregon Pioneers.

Philip Parrish, editor of the Oregonian, is chairman of the Old Oregon Trail commission. Other members are Leo Adler of Baker and Roy Meyers of Eagle Creek.

### State to Deposit Two Millions on Bonded Debts

State Treasurer Leslie M. Scott on April 1 will deposit with the state's fiscal agency in New York City \$2,334,838.29, with which to pay \$1,050,000 in principal and \$211,659.54 interest on Oregon state highway bonds, \$700,000 principal and \$331,868.75 interest on Oregon veterans state aid bonds and \$40,000 principal and \$810 interest on Oregon district interest bonds.

During April the state treasurer also will pay at his office \$39,000 in principal and \$667.50 interest on bonds issued by the state board of higher education.

Principal payments will reduce the outstanding highway bonds to \$9,441,750, veterans bonds to \$14,775,000, Oregon district interest bonds to \$1,697,445 and state board of higher education bonds to \$1,499,500.

The state's bonded debt, on April 1, will aggregate \$25,914,195, compared to \$66,062,810 on January 1, 1928.

The net debt of the state on April 1, after deducting assets and investments applying against the indebtedness, will be approximately \$8,000,000.

### Elks Lodge Burns Mortgage Tonight

Members of the Salem Elks lodge will celebrate their payment of all lodge debts by burning the mortgage note at the regular meeting tonight. A committee headed by Lyman McDonald has planned a program to begin at 6:30 p. m. which will include free food, refreshments and entertainment.

Some of the finest entertainers in Portland will appear at the Elks meeting. Special guests will include Gov. Earl Snell, District Deputy Arlie Walker, Secretary of State Robert S. Farrell, Jr., C. C. Bradley and Frank J. Lonergan. All past exalted rulers, members of the original building committee and present and past members of the board of trustees will attend this meeting if possible.

### Mill City May Be Minus Milk

MILL CITY, March 24—(P)—Townsperson here face the prospect of having to use canned milk or importing fresh milk. One local dairy has gone out of business and the only remaining one announced it would follow suit this summer.

A petition by residents to OPA expressing willingness to pay higher prices for milk in order to keep the dairies in business proved of no avail.

### 'Sailor' Gets 3 Months

PORTLAND, March 24—(P)—William A. Dent, 28, charged with wearing the uniform of a sailor friend to a dance, was sentenced by Federal Judge Claude McCulloch Wednesday to serve three months in the county jail.

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### DeMolays Run City Friday

DeMolay day, when members of Chemeketa chapter of DeMolay will become city officials, will be Friday, according to a declaration by Mayor I. M. Doughton. Those who will reign from dawn to dusk will be: Bill Habernicht, mayor; Jerry Williams, recorder; Jack Wilber, treasurer; Collins Utter, chief of police; Dale Reeves, fire chief; Fritz Anusen, city attorney; Darrell Jones, city engineer; Herb Ray, sanitation inspector and Warren Brown, pound master.

Opening ceremony will be the presentation of the key to the city Friday at 9:30 a. m. on the city hall steps. Mayor Habernicht will present the trophy to Pat Fish, recently elected DeMolay sweetheart. A farce comic meeting is scheduled for 2:30 p. m. in the chamber of commerce. At 4:15 p. m. a tea will be given at which Miss Fish will be guest of honor. The celebration will wind up with a sport dance from 8 to 12 p. m. with Top Hatters furnishing the music.

### Brennan Joins Powder Firm

Robert Brennan, employe of the state industrial accident commission for more than 10 years, has been appointed service representative for the West Coast Powder company, according to R. W. Hammit, Everett, president of the explosives manufacturing firm.

As western Oregon representative for the company, Brennan will maintain his residence in Salem.

Brennan served more than a year in the army, having enlisted after Pearl Harbor, and received his discharge because of a latent foot injury during January of this year. On his return to Salem he was again employed by the industrial accident commission.

He succeeds P. E. Barrett, who is leaving the company after 16 years of service to join a Portland church here.

### Used Refrigerator Ceilings Slated

PORTLAND, March 24—(P)—Price slings will be placed on sales of used refrigerators by individual householders April 15, the district OPA announced Wednesday.

The ceilings will be the same as those for dealers. At present, private owners can sell at any price they can get.

The OPA said the action was aimed at evasive practices in the trade and occasional sales at exorbitant prices by private owners in areas of acute shortages.

### No Oregon Men In Casualties

WASHINGTON, March 24—(P)—The navy announced Wednesday 18 casualties in navy forces, including 2 dead, and 16 missing.

At the same time the navy corrected previous casualty listings in a number of instances.

This brings to 24,531 the total of navy, marine corps and coast guard casualties reported to next of kin since December 7, 1941. The grand total includes 6,923 dead, 4,640 wounded and 12,958 missing. The casualties announced Wednesday included none from Oregon.

### Licensed to Wed

PORTLAND, March 24—(P)—Marriage licenses issued Wednesday included: Morton U. Giesy, Portland, and Jayce I. George, Salem; Franklin C. Tabor and Juanita L. Boatman, both McMinnville.

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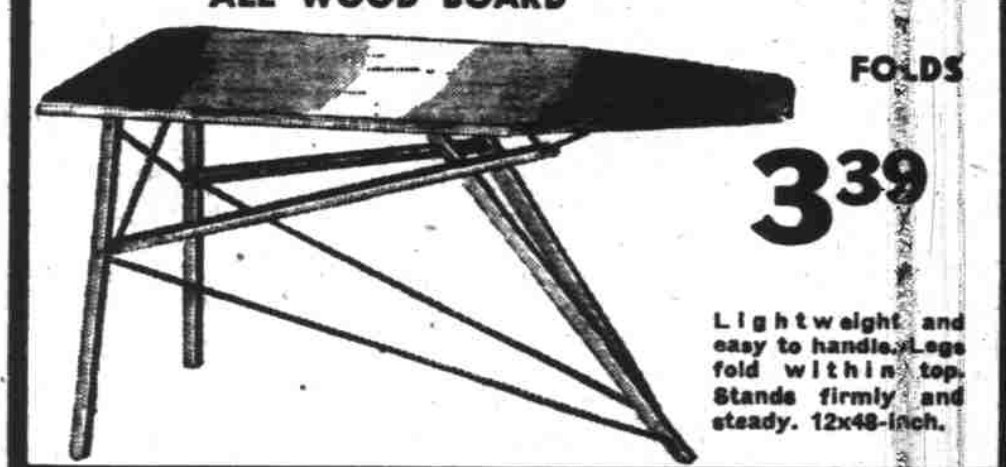
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