

Local News Briefs

Neuner Rules — Oregon laws do not authorize county public welfare commissions to take assignments against future earnings of recipients of general assistance or to make claims against any earnings of recipients, Attorney General George Neuner held here Tuesday. The opinion was asked by the state public welfare commission. Neither are the county public welfare commissions empowered to file claims against the estates of deceased recipients of general assistance. In another opinion Neuner held that aggregate holdings of a plantation owner on Tillamook bay cannot exceed 50 acres, either by purchase or lease. This opinion was asked by M. T. Hoy, master fish warden.

Valentines — the kind you love to send at The Moderne.

Box Social Planned — Salem lodge no. 144, Loyal Order of Moose, will sponsor an old-fashioned box social at Moose hall, 12th and Leslie streets Thursday night. The public is invited to participate and there will be a program, lodge officers said Tuesday. The women will take lunch boxes, either plain or decorated, which will be sold at auction. Servicemen and visitors in the city are included in the invitation, according to the committee.

Dance Armory Wed. night.
Kem Tote the Miracle Wall — Fish dries in one hour, one coat covers. Now on sale at R. D. Woodrow's, 345 Center St.

Fender Skirts Stolen — Theft of the fender skirts from his car while it stood parked downtown from 8:10 to 11:20 p. m. Monday was reported to city police Tuesday by James Loveall, route 1, Salem.

Experienced dress and coat saleslady. Good pay. Box 2937 c/o Statesman.

Party Planned — With a big cake in observance of Lincoln's birthday and an evening of informal sports and entertainment planned around the Valentine theme, the Court street USO will be scene for a service men's party Saturday night.

For home looms — see Salem Federal, 130 South Liberty.

Called to Chimney Fires — City firemen responded Tuesday to chimney fires at 350 East Lincoln street and 225 North 20th street.

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Obituary

Thuneman
At the residence, 1623 Center street, Monday, February 7, Paul Thuneman at the age of 94 years. Father of Carl F. Thuneman of Buenos Aires, Argentina, and P. H. Thuneman of Denver, Colo. Services will be held Wednesday, February 9, at 10:30 a. m., from the W. T. Rigdon chapel. Graveside services at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday at the Rest Haven cemetery in Eugene, Ore., Rev. James Aiken Smith officiating.

O'Brien
Jack O'Brien at 148 North Commercial street, Monday, February 7, age 94 years. Survived by daughter, Mrs. Vern Lowe of Swink, Colo.; grandson, Lee Babcock of Denver, Colo.; daughter-in-law, Mrs. G. H. Benjamin of Gervais. Services will be held Wednesday, February 9, 1:30 p. m., from the Clough-Barrick chapel. Interment in Belcrest Memorial Park. Rev. Dudley Strain will officiate.

Hester
At a local hospital Saturday, February 5, Earl Ashly Hester, 77, late resident of Silverton. Survived by brother, F. M. Hester of Salem; sister, Mrs. W. R. Swink of Lebanon; also several nieces and nephews. Graveside services will be held under the direction of Walker-Howell Funeral home in Fairview cemetery near Gates, Ore., Wednesday, February 9, at 2 p. m.

Martha
Vance G. Martin, late of Ratcliff Drive, at a local hospital February 5. Survived by wife, Mrs. Fanny M. Martin; three daughters: Mrs. Mildred Blanche Hunter, Mrs. Mary Eka Webb, and Mrs. Willie June Hunter; four sons: Andrew W. Martin, Richard Franklin Martin, V. G. Martin, and Burel Ryan Martin, all of Salem; two brothers: James Omer Martin also of Salem and Richard Franklin Martin of San Jose, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. Eva Angie Bonds of Duke, Oklahoma; seven grandchildren. Announcement of services will be made later by Clough-Barrick company.

Hampton
Baby James Robert Hampton, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Arthur Hampton, 685 North Liberty street, at a local hospital February 8. Also survived by grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Wilkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hampton, all of Salem. Announcements of services will be made later by the Walker-Howell Funeral Home.

DR. WILL I. THOMPSON
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Suddenly Ill — Overcome by sudden illness while at the police station concerning a recent burglary in her Portland home, Mrs. Alice Strong was treated Tuesday by first aid. Flu after-effects were believed cause of the illness. Mrs. Strong was robbed by Frank LaMonte, burglar who recently disposed of loot at a Salem second-hand store.

Painting and decorating. Ph. 7552.

Collision Reported — Automobiles driven by Carl Vern Zimmerman, route 4, Salem, and Robert G. Miller, 497 Union street, and a parked car were involved in an accident at D and Winter streets' intersection during the noon hour Tuesday. Police said Zimmerman, driving west on D street, struck the right side of Miller's car which, in turn, struck the parked vehicle.

Gay, humorous, or sentimental — you will find just the Valentine you are looking for at The Moderne.

Cafe Robbed — Approximately \$50 in cash and two cartons of cigarettes were taken from the Depot cafe at 12th and Mill streets between 12 midnight and 8 a. m. Tuesday by a person or persons who broke the glass in a north rear door to gain access, Bertha Russell, proprietress, reported to city police.

Salem grown bush roses 50c each. Hedge laurel \$2 doz., Knight Peary nursery, 375 S. Liberty. Open 12:30 till 8.

Man Injured in Wreck — J. Wendell Wright, 240 North 24th street, sustained bruises and facial lacerations Tuesday when his car collided with a truck at State and 19th streets, the impact hurling his vehicle against a telephone post with the result that it was badly damaged. First aid was given Wright.

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Speed Limit Ignored — Recent checks by the state highway traffic engineering department here show that 85 per cent of automobile drivers on the Pacific highway drove their cars at speeds up to 51 miles an hour during January. The wartime maximum speed of motor vehicles is 35 miles an hour.

Income tax returns prepared by Salem Income Tax Service at 319-20 Oregon Bldg. Ph. 21901. Come early to avoid rush.

Land Sale Oked — The county court has ordered sale of certain county property acquired for taxes at not less than stated minimum prices. The land to be disposed of has a composite minimum price figure of \$8075.

Prill and box social, Moose Hall, 12th & Leslie Thursday night. Public invited. Ladies bring boxes.

Windshar Improved — "Slight improvement" was reported Tuesday night in the condition of T. A. Windshar, who had been taken to Salem General hospital Monday following a sudden attack of illness.

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Lad Hurt — Donald Counts, three years old, fell from a box at his home Tuesday night and cut his nose. City first aid men gave emergency treatment and then took the boy, accompanied by his mother, to a physician.

For a better roofing job call Matt Bros., Johns-Manville dealers, 164 S. Com'l. Ph. 4642.

Wheatland Ferry Halted — High water conditions have temporarily shut down operations of the Wheatland ferry, reports County Engineer H. C. Hubbs.

The Britt Trio, SHS auditorium, 7:30 p. m. Thursday.

May Haul Logs — Permits to haul logs over specified city streets have been granted Wilber McGranahan, 1595 North Commercial street, and Ed Stevenson, Dallas.

For excellent values in Unpainted Furniture shop at Woodrow's, 345 Center St.

Boys Caught — Being held for the juvenile officer Tuesday were two boys of 15 and 16, runaways from Chelan, Wash.

Lulu florist. Ph. 9392. 1276 N. Lib.

"Cyn" Cronise Photographs and Frames. 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg.

Spanish Students Meet — A regular Spanish class was held Tuesday night at the YMCA under the direction of Theodore Merritt.

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Riley Says Coast Due For War Stress

Oregon and the Pacific coast will experience further stress of war-related activity, rather than a lull, immediately after the invasion of Europe from the west starts, Mayor Earl Riley of Portland warned the members of three Salem service clubs when he addressed them at a joint luncheon Tuesday at the Marion hotel.

The launching of that invasion will mean that the men and materiel for Hitler's subjugation are already massed overseas; and without delay a similar massing of troops and equipment for the conquest of Japan will start, Riley declared. Then on top of present war industry, the entire Pacific coast will have the additional burden of becoming a transportation center. It will be only the halfway point, not the beginning of the war's end, he added. "Footwar" is not something just around the corner.

However, as the materiel for victory in the Pacific is completed somewhat later, eastern communities probably will be able to start re-converting to a peacetime basis ahead of the west coast; therefore, Riley said, postwar planning here must be thorough and far-sighted. Mayor Riley described conditions in the "one big fortress surrounding a gigantic war plant" which is England, as he saw them on his recent travels there as a representative of the office of war information. He was introduced by Mayor I. M. Doughton of Salem. The Kiwanis, Rotary and Lions club met jointly to hear him.

Union Pacific Loses Verdict

The Union Pacific company was denied a restraining order which would have stopped heirs of two company employees killed in a train accident near Portland from prosecuting damage suits in Los Angeles, where the Oregon supreme court Tuesday in an opinion by Justice Percy Kelly reversed the ruling of Judge Alfred P. Debon of the Multnomah county circuit court.

Heirs of Harold P. Uterback, fireman, have sued for \$100,000 damages and heirs of Alfred P. Thatcher, conductor, for \$50,000, as a result of their deaths in an accident which occurred February 7, 1942. In another opinion the supreme court upheld Circuit Judge James W. Crawford, Multnomah county, who directed the Metropolitan Life Insurance company to pay \$900 disability insurance to Allan F. Bennett, who brought suit through his guardian, Clara A. Bennett.

The court granted a leave of absence to B. Duval Isaming, deputy clerk of the court at Pendleton, who has accepted a commission as lieutenant junior grade in the naval reserve. Alfred Cunha, Pendleton attorney and state representative in the 1941 legislature, was appointed to succeed Isaming, beginning next Friday.

Cockell Files For Delegate

Fred H. Cockell of Milwaukie, a member of the state board of agriculture and a leader in Oregon's poultry industry, filed Tuesday as a candidate for delegate to the republican national convention from the first congressional district.

"Let's return to a safe constitutional government," is Cockell's slogan. His statement of principles follows:

"I believe in and will support a republican platform and candidate that pledges to the American people (1) our united efforts to win the war and full recognition of our responsibility to the men and women of our armed forces; (2) international cooperation to prevent future wars; (3) full production of agriculture, labor and industry; (4) elimination of all overlapping and unnecessary bureaus and agencies; (5) government as provided by the constitution of the United States."

Log Hauling Allowed — Victor Moore, Mehama, has been granted a permit by the county court to haul logs on county roads.

Fire and Automobile Insurance. C. H. Sanders—231 N. High. Ph. 5836.

Washington School Makes Notable Bond Record



Starting out to buy a jeep, Washington school pupils participating in the "Schools at War" program of the fourth war loan have bought \$2300 worth of war bonds and stamps, enough for two jeeps; and now they are planning to add, for \$700 more, a Buick life float for 60 persons and an operating table. That's a notable record, considering that there are only 200 pupils in the school. Mrs. Madalene Suko, faculty chairman, praised the pupils for their enthusiasm and the teachers and parents for their cooperation. In this picture appear all of the pupils who bought bonds in the first two weeks of the campaign.

Freshman Glee Preparations Keep Willamette Students Busy

Freshman glee practices are uppermost in Willamette students' activities this week as the four classes go into the final preparation for the annual contest Saturday night in the school gym. The stage in the gym will be built Wednesday giving the classes time to practice formations early in the week. Al Inglis is in charge of building the stage. Navy men will be excused from Wednesday afternoon classes to help build it if their grades are high enough.

A silhouette of Waller hall with a crescent moon and stars behind it will form the background for the stage, it was announced this week. Gordon Schoewe is in charge of the decorations and has as his assistants Pat Otis, Nancy Hoak and Pat McCargar.

Exchange tickets have been handed out to both participating and non-participating students. Ticket exchanges will be made Friday in the general manager's office. All seats are reserved. There is a limited number of seats this year for the size of the student body, according to Al Richardson, ticket manager, and all students not using their tickets are urged to turn them over to those who wish additional seats.

Words and music of the class songs are in the hands of the judges. Judging of presentation, the third division on which competing classes are judged, will be made the night of glee. Judges for the 1944 glee are Evangelina Merritt and Ralph Dobb, both members of the Willamette music faculty, and Josephine Albert Spaulding, Willamette graduate and Salem vocalist, music; Elizabeth Kennedy, assistant school librarian, Dr. E. C. Richards, former professor of English, and Ellen Fisher, members of the Salem high school faculty, words; W. L. Phillips, Salem business man, I. M. Doughton, mayor, and L. George C. Bliss, commanding officer of the V-12 unit, presentation.

Navy men will wear their dress blue uniforms for the event. Civilian men will wear dark suits and women will wear white dresses, following the glee tradition. The former ruling that women must wear white shoes has been lifted due to shoe rationing.

The customary dance following freshman glee will be held this year in the gym for the first time in several years. Al Fedje and Hollis Huston, freshman and sen-

Traffic Deaths Up 21 Per Cent In January

Oregon started the year 1944 by recording 21 per cent increase in traffic fatalities for January as compared to the first month of 1943, Secretary of State Bob Farrell disclosed Tuesday.

There were 23 fatalities in January of this year compared to 19 a year ago. The proportion of pedestrian fatalities, however, showed a decided decrease, Farrell said. Of the 23 deaths in January, only three were pedestrians, but two of these involved small children who ran into the road and were struck by passing vehicles.

Warning Oregon citizens against risky driving practices which often result in accidents, the secretary of state said speed checks made by the state highway traffic engineering department revealed that 85 per cent of the drivers on the Pacific highway drove at speeds up to 51 miles an hour during the month of January.

"Most of the traffic deaths during the month involved non-collision accidents on rural highways, where speed too great for conditions is a dominant factor," Farrell said. "Drivers are asked to hold their speed down to the 35 mile limit for war conservation and safety. Since speed checks indicate most drivers are not doing this, it is not surprising that the traffic death toll showed an increase."

Training School Heads Consider Separate Control

Superintendents of the state training school for boys and the Hillcrest school for girls appeared Tuesday before the 1943 legislative session interim committee which is studying desirability of creating a separate commission to govern these schools. They are now under jurisdiction of the state board of control.

Several members of the state department of education staff also appeared before the committee, which took no action at Tuesday's session. Members of the committee are H. D. Kerkman of Corvallis, Mrs. William Kleizer of Portland and Ronald Jones of Brooks.

Public Records

CIRCUIT COURT
Florence E. Williams vs. C. A. Williams; complaint for divorce alleges cruelty and asks for title to certain real property, judgment of \$2000, \$50 month support and \$300 attorney fees.
Donald P. Lane vs. Elmer Halckrud; complaint charges negligence in auto accident and asks judgment of \$555 and costs.
United States government vs. N. R. Graham and wife; judgment awarded plaintiff in amount of \$164.07 together with interest and costs.

A. E. Kidd vs. County of Marion, and others; court sustains demurrer to complaint by defendant, Marion county, and plaintiff given 10 days to file amended complaint.
Louise A. Whetstone vs. Alvin L. Whetstone; sheriff directed to recover judgment of \$51.10 from defendant's property.

Roy Allison vs. Roy E. Davidson, and others; plaintiff receives judgment amount of \$6620.38 upon filing of satisfaction of judgment.
Credit Bureau vs. A. G. Troxel and wife; sheriff directed to take \$102.16 from property of defendants as judgment.

Alta Marie Hanson vs. Paul B. Cox; defendant moves that certain portions of amended complaint be stricken out as irrelevant.

Emma Pearce vs. William F. Pearce; complaint for divorce alleges desertion, and asks custody of child, \$70 month support and ratification of property settlement.
Ina C. Padrick and wife vs. E. R. Errion and J. R. Errion; reply denies allegations of answers; application made for place on trial docket.

W. W. Holland vs. Bessie M. Holland; defendant in supplemental motion asks \$40 month support during pendency of suit.
PROBATE COURT
Ferdinand Kell guardianship; second annual account of Allen J. Zimmerman, guardian, shows assets of \$10,172.61, and account is approved by court.
Ben Kantelberg estate; estate declared closed; funds for distribution set at \$1490.51.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Eldridge Wenstrom, 31, Camp Adair soldier, and Josephine Vivian Ryan, 39, 990 Union street, cosmetician.
Jack H. Price, 29, 444 Cottage street, coastguardman, and Lucy O. Fisher, 24, 1370 State street, buyer.

JUSTICE COURT
Gene Olesen; truck speeding; \$5 and costs.
James Stafford Taylor; being in a state of intoxication on a public highway; plea of guilty; continued to 4 p. m. today for sentence.
Kenneth Jacob Adams; no operator's license; \$1 and costs.
Sidney Alton; operating a motor vehicle while in a state of intoxication; continued for plea to 10 a. m. February 10.

MUNICIPAL COURT
Clifford F. Jones, Roseburg; violation of basic rule; \$7.50 ball.
John Hinkle, 265 North Commercial street; disorderly conduct; \$50 or 25 days; committed to jail.
John Henry Randall, Leonard hotel; vagrancy; 30 days in jail.
Ernest T. Foster, 2415 Maple avenue; failure to stop; \$2.50 fine, \$1.25 suspended.

Unit Meeting Today
SILVERTON — The Women's Extension unit will meet at the Eugene Field building Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Miss Frances Clinton will be in charge, according to Mrs. Alf O. Nelson, president.

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