

Local News Briefs

Hi-Y Meet Scheduled—An all day session of delegates and advisers of Hi-Y chapters will meet at the YMCA for instruction of individual officers in the organization and a course in program activities. Registration will be at 9:45 a.m., with a general assembly scheduled at 10 a.m. to discuss adequate schedules of Hi-Y meetings, programs and activities, after which delegates will be divided into small groups to handle specific problems. Following a luncheon served by the Hi-Y Mothers club, Rev. David Nielsen, pastor of the First Congregational church, will address the group at 1:30 p.m. on "The YMCA Centennial and Your Hi-Y Club," followed by discussion groups headed by Harold Davis, Salem, who will outline the duties of Hi-Y presidents; Everett Harding, Northwest area YMCA of Portland, who will speak on vice-presidents; Frank Neer, Salem, secretaries; Roy Collins, US National bank of Albany, treasurers; and Rev. Clay Pomeroy, Salem, chaplains.

Gym Class Will Meet—The women's gym class will meet at the YMCA today at 7:15 p.m. From 8 to 10 p.m. instruction in badminton will be given. The regular session of the volleyball class for businessmen will be at noon today.

Spanish Club to Meet—Speaking at the Spanish club meeting, to be held in the YMCA at 7:30 p.m. today, will be Katherine Dunway. She will tell of some of her experiences in Spain.

Willard Batteries last longer—R.D. Woodrow, 345 Center street.

Held for Board—Clifford Mulkey was booked at the Marion county sheriff's office and is being held for the state parole board.

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

Man Missing—Charles Parker, 44, Thursday was reported missing from Fairview home.

Apple picking bags, Farmer's Hdw. Co. 115 So. Com'l.

Wedding pictures taken at the church, 530 State, Ph. 5722.

Hear Alber Evangelistic Party tonight, Court St. Christian Church.

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

Small Blaze—Firemen Thursday morning were called to the Parish store, 805 North Capitol street, where grease on a small stove burst into flames. Damage was slight.

High class rummage Friday, First Presbyterian church women, Cor. High & Ferry.

Excellent unpaired furniture, desks, book shelves, R. D. Woodrow Co., 325 Center.

Fall bulbs, Floral section, Fred Meyer Drug.

Youth Found—Albert Williams, 12, missing since Oct. 10 from the Children's Farm home at Corvallis was picked up by Salem police Thursday.

For prompt & efficient auto repairing see Bird & Zysset Auto Co. 1211 Broadway, Ph. 6666.

7 hr. developing & printing service at Burke's Camera Shop, 174 N. Com'l.

D. A. R. Rummage Sale Friday & Saturday, 342 N. Commercial.

Bail Posted—Charles Grant posted bail when booked at the Marion county sheriff's office on an assault and battery charge. He was released.

Rummage Sale, Jason Lee church, at 2380 Fairgrounds Rd., Thurs. & Fri., Oct. 12 & 13.

An Opportunity Rummage sale, 271 N. Com'l, Friday & Saturday, Oct. 13, 14, by Truth Center.

Listen to Burke's Radio Camera Program 11:30 a.m. today.

Obituary

Shobar
Mrs. Constance Josephine Shobar, late resident of 308 N. 24th st., at a local hospital, Monday, October 9. Survived by her husband, Phillip Shobar of Salem; two sons, Byron R. and Harold R. Shobar, both of the US navy, and a sister, Mrs. W. H. Christie of Aitadena, Calif. Services will be held at Clough-Barrick chapel, 1300 Commercial, at 2 p.m., with Rev. Dudley Strain officiating. Interment in Belcrest Memorial park.

Hutchinson
Thomas O. Hutchinson, formerly of Monmouth, Oregon, at a Salem hospital Tuesday, October 10. Father of Roy C. Hutchinson, Lomita, Calif.; L. C. Hutchinson, Marysville, Wash.; and Milton Hutchinson of Portland, Ore. Services will be held Friday, October 13, at 1:30 p.m., from Clough-Barrick chapel with Rev. Dudley Strain officiating. Interment in IOOF cemetery.

Nuttbrock
Hiram C. Nuttbrock, late resident of route 2 Salem, at a local hospital October 11, at the age of 38 years. Survived by his wife, Mrs. Hazel Nuttbrock; a daughter, Leota, and son, Delbert, all of Salem; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harn Nuttbrock of Willow Lake, SD; three sisters, Mrs. John Geisenauer of Rockford, Ill.; Mrs. William Strasser of Hurley, Oregon; and Mrs. Edna Rose Nuttbrock of Willow Lake, SD; and four brothers, David of Willow Lake, Albert of Centerville, SD, and Alf Nuttbrock of Salem. Robert Nuttbrock of the US army. Services will be held from the Howell-Edwards chapel (Walker-Howell funeral home) Friday, October 13, at 2 p.m., with Rev. Weaver Hess officiating. Interment in City View cemetery.

Hilker
At the residence on route 7 Salem, October 11, Katherine Anna Hilker, age 71 years. Mother of Albert J., Orton H., Bernard A., Rubin, and Julius C. Hilker, Della Hofstetter, Ida Egger, Gladys Osterman and Wilhelmina Glesener, all of Salem, and Edwin A. Hilficker of Idaho; sister of Henry Heibenthal of Winslow, Neb., and Christina Mabus of Randolph, Neb.; 25 grandchildren and one great grandchild also survive. Services will be held Friday, October 13, at 1:30 p.m., from the W. T. Rigdon company chapel with Rev. J. Kenneth Wishart officiating. Interment in City View cemetery.

Walton
Mrs. Edith Campbell Walton, age 59, in this city Thursday, October 12. Native of Marion county and former resident of Coquille, later of 422 North 18th street. Mother of L. Dudley C. Walton, US navy, South Pacific; Mrs. J. A. Murray, Washington, DC, and Mrs. O. S. Martin and W. T. Campbell, both of Salem. Funeral announcements later by W. T. Rigdon company.

Crawford
John William Crawford, resident of Grand Ronde, Wednesday, October 4, at the age of 44 years. Survived by his wife, Mrs. Kathryn Crawford, and two daughters, Rene and Joan Crawford, all of Grand Ronde; two sisters, Mrs. Lucinda Shaw of San Leandro, Calif., and Mrs. Mabel Weitz of Minneapolis, Minn.; two brothers, Roy Crawford of Lakeville, Ill., and Sam Crawford of Oregon. Services will be held from the Clough-Barrick chapel Monday, October 16, at 1:30 p.m. Interment will be in City View cemetery.

Reed
Vernon Glen Reed, late resident of Vale, Ore., at a Salem hospital Wednesday, October 11, at the age of 56 years. Survived by wife, Mrs. Louisa Reed, and five daughters, Betty, Lorraine, Joan, Jeanette and Gail Reed, all of Vale; two brothers, Clyde and Oliver Reed, in Kentucky; and mother, Mrs. Dora Cobb, in Kentucky. Announcement of services later by the Clough-Barrick company.

Highway Men Will Award 5 Contracts

Contracts aggregating an expenditure of approximately \$110,000 will be awarded at a meeting of the state highway commission in Portland on October 24, R. H. Baldock, state highway engineer, reported here Thursday. The projects:

Reroof with Johns-Manville asphalt shingles. Right over your old roof. Free estimates. Mathis Bros. 164 S. Com'l. Phone 4642.

Grading and paving of Roseburg access road project on the Pacific highway and North Umpqua county road, in Douglas county.

Surfacing and oiling, embankment widening and ditching work, covering 2.7 miles of the Clatskanie army works access road project on county roads in Columbia county.

Construction of 1950 linear feet of concrete curb on North Ninth street in Klamath Falls.

Replacing existing timber bridge with concrete pipe on Nehalem avenue in Rockaway in Tillamook county.

Furnishing approximately 8350 cubic yards of crushed rock in stock piles on the Columbia river and Mist-Clatskanie highways in Clatsop and Columbia counties.

Mayer Again Tops High Salary Set; Comedians Get \$789,628

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12—(AP)—The pay check of L. B. Mayer, the movie magnate, still is tops.

Mayer moved back into his customary first place position today as the treasury released a supplementary list of 140 persons who received from corporations compensations in excess of \$75,000 for personal services in the calendar year 1942 or fiscal year ending in 1943.

Loew's Incorporated paid \$1,138,992.47. Of this \$104,500 was for salary, the remaining \$1,034,492.47 as commission.

The original list, released in July, placed Sidney R. Fleischer, New York attorney, in first place, much to his surprise and apparent chagrin.

Big Pay Mistake
Fleischer was listed as receiving \$645,000 from Twentieth Century-Fox Film corporation. He acknowledged he received that amount, but said all but \$15,000 went to playwrights and producers he represented in the sale of picture rights on Broadway plays.

Second place in today's list went to Producer Walter F. Wanger who received \$710,372.03 from Universal Pictures company, Inc. Nicholas M. Schenck 4 sub et al et al received \$512,291.33 from Loew's Incorporated to rank third.

The movie industry figured largely in the supplementary list. Columbia Pictures listed, among others, the following: Brian Aherne, \$144,958; Fred Astaire, \$75,635; Joel McCrea, \$188,458; Edward G. Robinson, \$129,166; Loretta Young \$85,000.

Actors Get Big Money
Among those receiving big pay checks from Loew's were: Edward Arnold, \$99,833; Wallace Beery, \$150,000; Joan Crawford, \$194,615; Brian Donlevy, \$141,250; Tommy Dorsey, \$165,817; Irene Dunne, \$200,000; Greer Garson, \$159,063; Katherine Hepburn, \$110,333; Harry James, \$128,550; William Powell, \$251,250; Robert Taylor, \$176,983; Spencer Tracy, \$219,871; Robert Young, \$108,500.

Bud Abbott and Lou Costello jointly received \$789,628 from Universal Pictures. Other compensation reported by that company included:

Charles Boyer, \$80,000; Edna Mae Deanna) Durbin, \$282,250; Ole Olson and Chic Johnson, \$151,795; Randolph Scott, \$132,187; Franchot Tone, \$101,372.

Refreshments were served in the dining room by the hostesses, Mrs. Bruce and Mrs. Davidson. The tables were decorated with Hallowe'en favors.

War Chest Benefit Planned by Women
JEFFERSON—The Past Noble Grand club of Mt. Jefferson Rebekah lodge met Tuesday. Plans were completed for the card party October 27, in the city hall. The proceeds will go toward the Community War Chest.

Committees named for the party are as follows: tables and cards, Lillian Smith and Nettie Hawk; food preparation, Nellie Fidler, Mavoureen Bruce, Helen Ackerman, and Millie Bilyeu; decorations, Laura Thomas, Bessie Porter, Bertha Curl, Flora Thomas, and Maud Epley. The rest of the afternoon was spent in sewing aprons for the sale to be held at the card party.

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Fumigation Brings Out First Aid, Fire Truck—No Damage
Someone called first aid shortly after noon Thursday to report gas fumes pouring from an apartment building at 1545 N. Capitol.

Capt. P. L. Harvey and Harvey J. (Doc) Reinke responded, went through the premises with gas masks, noted heavy smoke, and called a north Salem fire truck.

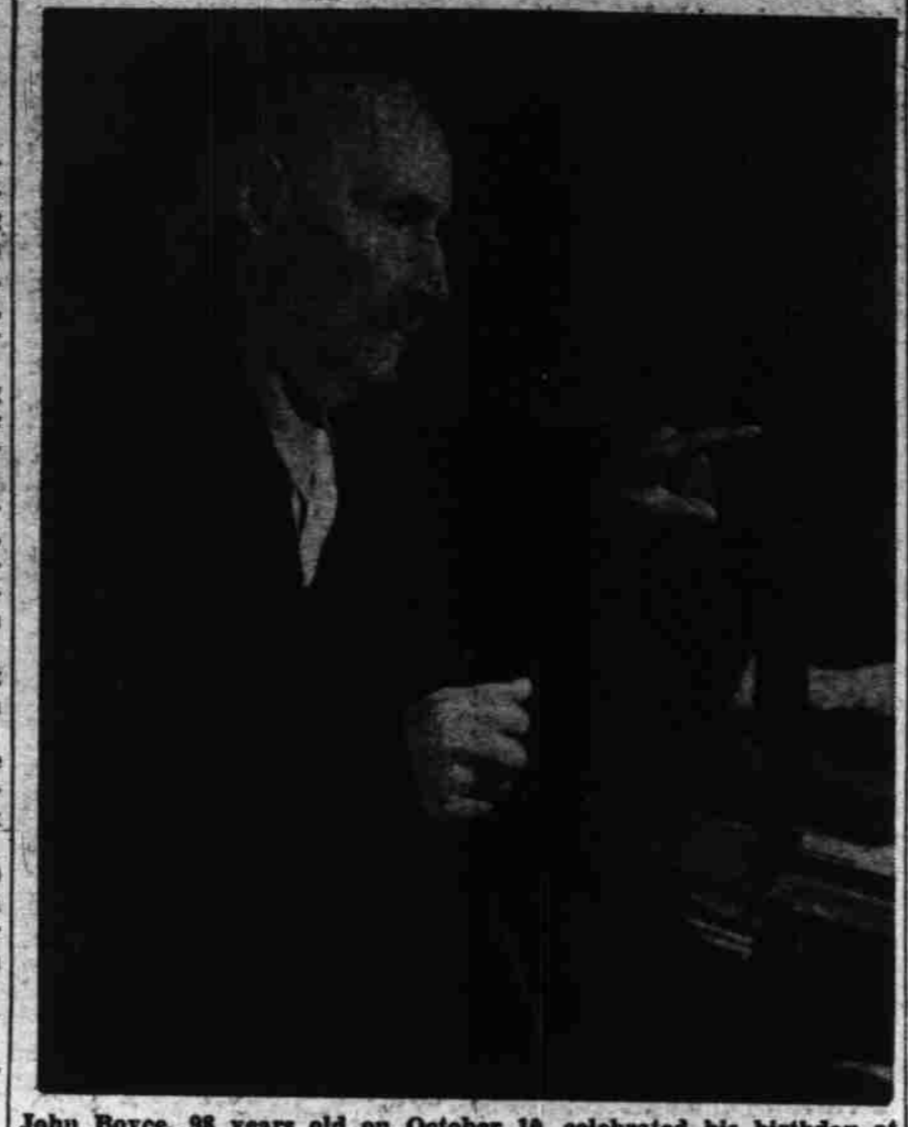
A further search uncovered the apparent cause—a sulphur pot was burning for fumigation.

Prune Shakers Reduce Labor Shortage, Claim
CORVALLIS, Oct. 12—(AP)—Several types of mechanical prune shakers, each doing the work of from six to a dozen men, helped avert a labor shortage in the Willamette valley this fall, the state farm labor office here reported today.

A large boom attached on the front of a tractor made up one shaker, while another had a cable hooked around the tree and attached to an off-center projection on the tractor's pulley wheel. Growers said the affairs also saved expense.

Mobile X-Ray Units in War Urged for Schools
AMES, Ia., Oct. 12—(AP)—Dr. Frank W. Cyr, professor of education in the Teachers college at Columbia university, proposed today that the mobile units now used to provide X-ray, dental and other services on the battle fronts be used to supply such facilities among rural schools after the war.

Has 98th Birthday



John Boyce, 98 years old on October 10, celebrated his birthday at his home at 1019 Mill street, with a dinner for friends. Present were his housekeeper, Mrs. Lavina Dove, Henry Lant, C. J. Smith and J. Gibson. A birthday cake was a feature of the decorations. Boyce, born in Somersetshire, England, came to America when 20 years old. He came to Salem in the summer of 1870. Mr. Boyce is still very active, doing many jobs around his home, and walks down town and back frequently.

Nine 17-sters Enlist in Navy

Enlistments of 17-year-old young men will continue on "unlimited basis" during the month of October. The navy, now increasing its strength to three and one-half million men, needs men in all of the over 60 different jobs. The following 17-sters are the latest to enlist through the Salem recruiting station:

Don G. Hardy, Donald F. Walters and Royal A. Wenig, Salem; Darrell Reinholdt and Thomas M. Tuss, Woodburn; Donald L. Diehm and Elmer S. Gish, Falls City; Keith M. Grimes, Mill City, and Robert L. Wechensky, Stayton.

Willamette Lodge Club Meets Saturday

WALLACE ROAD — Willamette Lodge country club will hold a 7 o'clock no host supper and social meeting at the club rooms Saturday night.

The committee on arrangements includes Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCarter and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blodgett.

Traffic Violations Bring Court Fines

SILVERTON — Dean Johnson paid a \$25 fine in police court Wednesday on a charge of violating the basic rule.

Bill Evans paid a \$25 fine Thursday morning in police court for violations of the basic rule.

Many Attend Middle Grove Union Service

MIDDLE GROVE—Fifty one attended the union Sunday school service, Sunday morning. Jo Stewart of Salem, spoke in the interest of the Christian Youth Center, and a substantial contribution was made to that organization.

Mrs. Vera Bassett and son Donald and Cleo Keppinger, Jr., are in attendance at the Pacific Livestock show in Portland; the boys are exhibiting hogs.

The Cecil Edwards farm, which has been occupied by the F. E. McCrackens, has been sold to a California family and Mr. and Mrs. McCracken are moving to a place on North River road; Mr. and Mrs. Harris Ault entertained with a farewell surprise in their honor Saturday night.

Twenty three were entertained at the home of Mrs. Ted Kuenzi, Tuesday night, with Mrs. Russell Wright and Mrs. John Cagle as assistant hostesses. Mrs. William Kaufman, Mrs. N. I. Weber of Salem, Mrs. Ed Kuenzi and Mrs. Donald Kuenzi of Central Howell, were special guests. Decorations in keeping with Hallowe'en, and autumn flowers adorned the rooms.

A program of contest games and music was directed by Mrs. Jack Hyett, Mrs. John Koch and Mrs. Vernon Van Cleave; appropriate refreshments were served by the hostesses assisted by Joyce Kuenzi; Mrs. George Plane, Mrs. Lawrence Hammer and Mrs. Charles Knuths will be hostesses at the Plane home, November 16, as the regular meeting date falls on election day. Mrs. Robert Reed, Mrs. William Kaufman and Mrs. Raymond Satter will provide the entertainment.

President Theodore Kuenzi has announced October 20, for the first Community club meeting. Mrs. Cleo Keppinger is chairman on entertainment and refreshments of doughnuts and coffee will be served.

Mrs. Ernest Barker heads the Community War Chest drive here and has several assistants.

Mrs. Walter Oldenburg is recuperating at her home from a recent minor operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cheatham and sons Wayne and Glenn of Delhi, Calif., visited relatives here for several days this week.

Oregon Writer Visits Salem

John Patric, traveler and writer who calls Florence, Ore., his home because he has a ranch there, was in Salem Thursday on a brief trip around the northwest. He had left the coast to go to Eugene to obtain and cast his absentee ballot, since he will be elsewhere in November.

Patric, who wrote "Why Japan was Strong," on the basis of the time he spent in Japan prior to Pearl Harbor, also is interesting himself currently in the republican campaign.

He told newsmen the reason for his interest lay partially in his experiences in Italy. He declared "the policies of the new deal aren't far from those of fascism." He also cited pre-war prices in Italy such as \$1.25 for a gallon of gasoline, 7 cents a mile train fare, \$1.25 a pound for the cheapest coffee, 25 cents a pound for sugar, 75 cents for a can of pipe tobacco.

WINNER—Dorothy Claire Weyer (above) of Hastings, Neb., has been awarded \$1,000 Gilbert M. Hitchcock scholarship for graduate study in journalism at Columbia University.

Four-M Club Party To Be Held Saturday
MACLEAY—Members of the 4-M club and their husbands will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nile Hillborn at their home Saturday night. A "white elephant" sale will be the diversion.

Spring Valley Club Meets at Hall Tonight
SPRING VALLEY—The Spring Valley Community club will meet tonight. Pictures of the US marine corps in action will be shown.

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IT'S A Burning Shame BUT... 4 OUT OF 5 TIMES FIRE IS CAUSED BY CARELESSNESS

There's A War Going On! Let's Feed Fighters, Not Fires!

Even while you are reading this, three—maybe four—dwellings in the United States will catch on fire. Within the next hour some person will be burned to death in a fire. Within a year 10,000 persons, more than half of them women and children, will lose their lives in fires. Every day of the year property damage from fire is approximately one million dollars.

Appalling, isn't it? Yet these are statistics compiled by the United States Fire Protection Association.

What can we do to prevent this tragic loss? Can we afford to go on—year after year—losing 10,000 citizens and burning enough houses to shelter four times the entire population of the city of Portland?

Oregon's fire loss in dollars was \$4,829,918. Forty-two per cent of this loss, or \$2,033,312 occurred in unprotected rural and farm areas. Fire and burns were responsible for 92 deaths during the past year—the largest number reached in Oregon in any one year in history.

Loss by fire in Oregon in the past ten years has been more than thirty-two million dollars. Almost 42 per cent of this appalling loss was the result of fire from "unknown causes"... What percentage of these "unknown causes" might simply be labeled "Carelessness"?

Four times out of five, the fires that burn our houses and our places of employment are because of carelessness in the way we dispose of rubbish and ashes, carelessness in the way we handle matches and cigarettes and carelessness in the way we mistreat electrical and heating equipment.

Fire Prevention Week is from October 8 to 14, but we MUST observe fire prevention every week of the year.

Let's face the facts. It's up to each and everyone of us as individuals to work together each day to keep fire loss down. INSPECT... DETECT... CORRECT... FIRE HAZARDS!

CHECK THESE HAZARDS IN YOUR HOME

- Keep matches in metal containers and away from small children.
- Inspect, repair if necessary, faulty furnace pipes and flues.
- Be careful of the worn electric cord and the defective flatiron.
- Look at that rubbish pile in the cellar, attic and closet. Clean it up today.
- Watch where you put that cigarette. Careless disposal is a great fire hazard.
- Never leave gasoline or kerosene around the home.
- Put ashes in covered metal containers—always. Don't use wooden ash baskets or barrels.

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