

Hugh Morrow Urges Branch City Libraries

Branch city libraries are becoming necessary in Salem to keep up with the city's expanding population. City Librarian Hugh Morrow asserted Wednesday.

Morrow revealed in an annual report that 11,875 registered borrowers used the library during the year ending June 30. This is 328 more than last year.

"Although the amount of book circulation is standard for a city of this size," Morrow said, "it would be greatly increased if branch library facilities could be extended out into non-central areas. Branch libraries in north and south Salem are badly needed."

Of the library's steady customers adults outnumber children about 9 to 1.

Circulation Rising
Total circulation of books came to 164,829 during the past year. This means a total gain of 13,768 over the previous year or 11,093 in the adult borrowers and 2,675 in the children users.

Adults borrowed 71,433 fiction pieces and 50,147 non-fiction books and 8,476 periodicals. Children took out 28,354 fiction books, 6,111 non-fiction volumes and 308 periodicals.

Although circulation of books has steadily increased each month since the war's end, Morrow said, it is still under the 207,000 borrowed in 1940.

Added 1,500 Books
The library added 1,500 books to its shelves during the past year at a cost of \$3,600 to bring the total books up to a record 44,631 and the amount of books, pamphlets, maps, periodicals to a grand total of 53,178.

In the book section 35,480 volumes are adult material and 9,151 children.

A total of 537 books were worn out and withdrawn from circulation. However, 3,514 books were mended and 401 rebound for another year's use.

The library loaned 4,416 phonograph records, 419 pictures, and in 25 visits to the Methodist Old Peoples home loaned 674 books. The Salem library borrowed 4,054 volumes from the state library.

The library operated on a \$28,270 budget appropriated from the city's general fund. A total of \$2,479 in fines (2 cents per day after book is due) were taken in during the past year. Fees from people living outside the city (\$1 per year) and using the library came to \$287.

Businessmen Ask Postoffice Building For North Salem

Establishment of a north Salem postoffice building is under consideration, it was reported Wednesday by businessmen of Hollywood and other north Salem areas.

They said an official survey to determine need for such a branch postoffice will be taken soon and that they understand Postmaster Albert C. Gragg and U.S. Senator Wayne Morse favor the project.

The subject came up Tuesday night at a meeting of the North Salem Business Men's association when preliminary attention also was given to a proposal to ask the state fair board for use of part of the oak grove on the northeast edge of the fairgrounds as a playground.

Public Records

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS
Wayne Schaffer, 30, painter, 495 N. 21st st., and Jeannine Marie DeVine, 19, photographer, 533 N. 21st st., both of Salem.
Masas Kinoshita, 26, student, Gresham, and Chiyeo C. Tanaka, 24, secretary, Minneapolis, Minn.
Rollins Foster Baker, 40, marine electrician and Laurel M. Hood, 45, both of Inglewood, Calif.
James B. Kisterson, 39, logger, Gates, and Beatrice A. Baker, 42, Van Nuys, Calif.

CIRCUIT COURT
Portland General Electric company and Joseph H. Randall vs. H. A. Judd and others: Order sustains demurrer of defendants.
Ben J. Pickney vs. Helen Demarest and Earl T. Busselle: Amended complaint filed in suit seeking to collect judgment totaling \$5,475 for alleged injuries and damages sustained in automobile collision.

Portland General Electric company and Joseph H. Randall vs. H. A. Judd and others: Defendant Attorney General George Neuner demurs to complaint on grounds that facts are insufficient and court has no jurisdiction.

M. Baker vs. Montgomery Ward & Co. and Wayne Parker: Defendant company files motion for an amended complaint.

PROBATE COURT
Alonzo Shuttleworth estate: Order sets time for hearing on final account at October 19.
Fred J. Spaulding, jr., guardianship estate: Order authorizes cashing of checks for support money.
Ann Keenan estate: Estate appraised at \$200.

Phyllis Arlene Plant and Harry Plant, jr., guardianship estate: Harry Plant, sr., appointed guardian and E. O. Studter, jr., W. L. Phillips, jr., and Helen Gallagher appointed appraisers.

Alice W. Buren estate: Order approves final account and directs distribution.
Minnie Starr estate: Order approves final account and directs distribution.

DISTRICT COURT
Alva Francis Ferry, Aumsville, failure to stop at a stop sign, fined \$1 and costs.
Roy Arthur Hedlund, Brownsville, no tail light on trailer, fined \$5 and costs.

Harold Dale Robertson, Salem route 9, failure to stop at a stop sign, fined \$1 and costs.
Theodore Barry, 2175 N. 34th st., no headlights, fined \$2 and costs.

Aline Mary Seethoff and Cordes Henry Seethoff, both of 1010 Oak st., each charged with no operator's license, fined \$1 and costs each.

John Meithof, Salem, charged with non-support, bound over to the grand jury following preliminary examination; posted \$500 bail.
Elmer H. Garrett, charged with forgery, bound over to grand jury after preliminary examination; held in lieu of \$1,000 bail.

Clell R. Roming, charged with obtaining property by false pretenses, continued for plea to September 20; held in lieu of \$1,000 bail.

MUNICIPAL COURT
Jesse Jerome D. Bendon, Hood River, charged with driving while intoxicated, pleaded innocent, posted \$250 bail.
Robert H. Shiomu, Portland, violation of basic rule, posted \$25 bail.

Night School Program to Start Monday

Two classes for which special requests have been repeatedly made are included in the evening adult education program of Salem public schools which opens Monday, according to George Porter, director.

One of the classes is in business English, geared to persons already in the occupation and requested by a group of local secretaries. It will be taught by Delmar Ramsdell of Salem high school on Wednesday evenings.

Ramsdell will also teach a parliamentary law course on Monday evenings, designed principally for club officers.

Several other courses, both academic and mechanical, are included in the adult curriculum on the less-than-college level. This is one of four types of instruction which will open Monday. The others are college-credit extension classes administered by the Oregon system of higher education through the local districts; related through the local districts; all training, required for on-the-job trainees, and youth classes which are compulsory for 16- and 17-year-olds which have not finished high school but are regularly employed.

All but the latter group are open to the public. Those who plan to attend are to register on the first night of the course. Additional information is available from Porter in the school administration building.

WU Freshmen Meet Today

Freshman at Willamette university enter their second day of orientation today with assemblies for men and women to be held at Waller and Collins hall, respectively, at 9 a.m.

English placement examinations in the morning and an associated student body meeting in the afternoon will complete their activities for today.

Nearly 400 freshmen have arrived, including 92 veterans. Coming the farthest to attend Willamette are Ursula Boyie and Tomas Subia from Ilocos Norte and Manila in the Philippine islands.

West's Draftees To Be Trained At Fort Ord

Men inducted into the army under the new selective service law from the sixth army area (the west) will be trained at Ft. Ord, Calif., except those from Utah, who will go to Ft. Riley.

That was the word given by Col. J. B. Edmunds, chief information officer for the sixth army, when he called on the new local army advisory board yesterday. Col. Carl Abrams is chairman of the local committee.

Col. Edmunds spoke to Lt. Gen. Mark Clark, commander of armed services for the sixth army area, in outlining the cooperation the local committee is expected to give to the army. It is intended to serve as a link between the community and the army and not as a propaganda agency for the army, he stated. Gen. Clark said Col. Edmunds is interested in how selective service works out and in community reaction to it.

One of the present problems of the army is recruitment of more doctors, dentists and nurses; and local help is desired in this.

Present at the meeting also was Col. John M. Hamilton, senior army instructor of the national guard, Portland.

Barclay Pleads Guilty; Fined

A plea of guilty to reckless driving charges brought a fine of \$50 to Ray M. Barclay, Scio, in Marion county district court Wednesday. Another charge of having no operator's license was dismissed.

Both charges resulted from Barclay's arrest Sunday night east of Salem by a Marion county sheriff's deputy. Barclay also is being held in Marion county jail awaiting grand jury action on a charge of obtaining money by false pretenses. He is held in lieu of \$1,000 bail.

WHEAT ANALYST NAMED
PENDELTON, Sept. 15 (AP)—Richard K. Baum of Union, a 1947 Oregon State college graduate, was appointed wheat market analyst for the Oregon wheat commission today.

High Court Denies Broadhurst Case Rehearing Plea

The state supreme court Wednesday denied petition, for rehearing of the cases involving Mrs. Gladys Broadhurst, Malheur county, and Armando Joseph Grieco, Multnomah county, who are serving life terms in the state penitentiary for murder.

Mrs. Broadhurst was convicted of first-degree murder for her part in the slaying of her husband, a wealthy Malheur county rancher. Grieco was convicted of second-degree murder for slaying his wife with a hunting knife in Portland on October 21, 1946. In both cases the supreme court previously upheld the decrees of the lower courts.

The state charged that Mrs. Broadhurst conspired to kill her husband so she might inherit his large estate.

19-Year-Olds Registering

Registration of 19-year-olds under the selective service act was underway Wednesday with 214 completing the sign-up at the Salem armory. The group will continue to register through today.

Completed records for the shows 304 registered in Salem, 64 Marion county boards for Monday in Silverton and 32 in Stayton.

Lew Wallace Raps Passage Of Labor Bills

Passage by the 1947 legislature of the two anti-labor bills was "absolutely uncalled for," according to Lew Wallace, democratic nominee for governor.

Speaking before the Salem Trades and Labor council Tuesday night Wallace said that "Oregon, with its splendid record of labor-management relations, does not need anti-labor legislation."

The democratic nominee referred to the so-called hot cargo bill and the union elections bill. The cargo, or secondary boycott law, has been declared unconstitutional by Portland and Albany circuit courts and the elections law has been used "practically not at all," he stated.

Wallace said he opposed withholding and sales taxes and increased income and gasoline taxes. He stated he favors reduction of cash-and-carry price on milk—possibly a 10 per cent cut. He favored an increase in the old-age assistance laws.

He deplored the condition of Oregon's state institutions, urged higher wages for institutional employees. Wallace told the approximately 50 local labor union delegates that he needed labor's support and that without it he could not win the election.

Port Angeles Trip Made by Idanha Couple This Week

IDANHA—Mr. and Mrs. W. Geston spent Labor day weekend at Myrtle Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pierce, formerly of Roseburg, left after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Clark. While here the two families made a trip to Summer lake and Klamath Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Willis and daughter Judy report have returned from a trip to California where they visited her aunt, Mrs. Sam Grady.

Mr. and Mrs. Braxton Fauts have returned from a trip to Port Angeles, Wash., where they visited their son and his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Smith and son Gary spent the weekend at Willamina with relatives.

Mrs. Chet Slater has been confined to her bed by illness this last week.

Glen Willis took a load of lumber from the Idanha Lumber company to the Canadian border last weekend. He was accompanied by Ace Harris who was here from McMinnville visiting his sister, Mrs. Wayne Woodward.

Kenneth Clark has spent several days the last week fishing the Deschutes river where he has made good catches.

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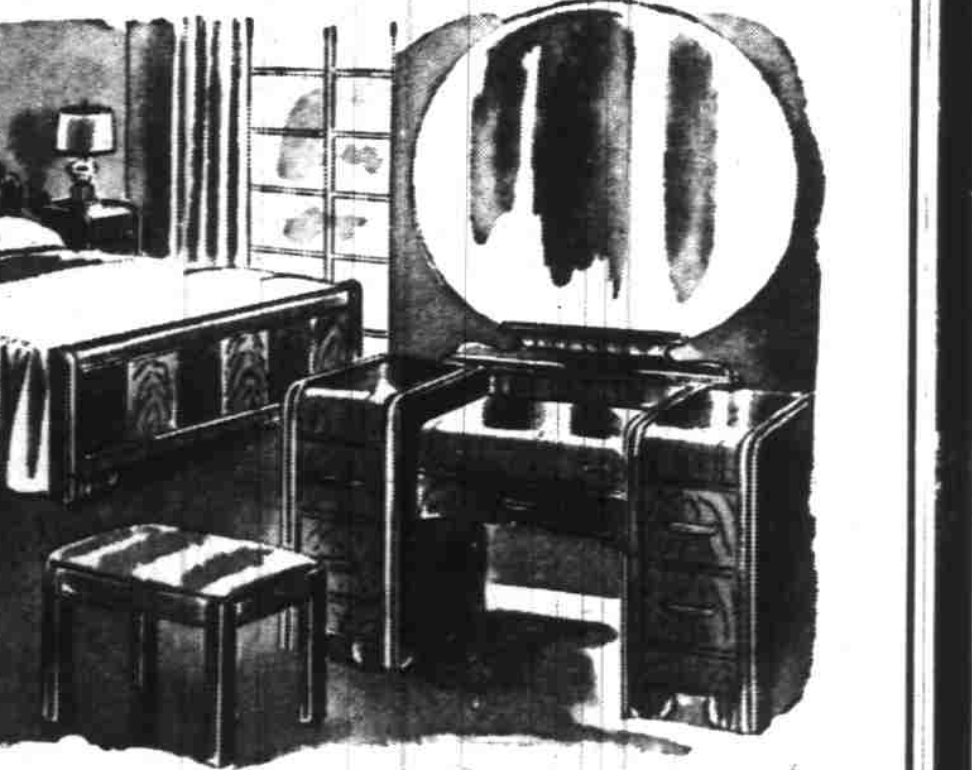
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