

### Courthouse Plans Unveiled By Architect

(Story also on page 1)  
The Marion county courthouse now being planned to replace the present structure would be three times as large and would accommodate the several county offices now occupying outside rental spaces.

County building commission members viewing preliminary plans Thursday estimated roughly the floor space and inspected the arrangement for housing such offices not now in the courthouse as those for health, district attorney, county agent and school superintendent.

The building would contain three elevators — two for the public and one for the sheriff's office or jail — and a double stairway. It has been tentatively set about 135 feet south from Court street. Future expansion could be provided by adding wings to the building, Bellusch said.

Following are suggestions made to Bellusch by the building commission:

More dead file space.  
Move the constable's office from the second floor to the top floor thus providing room for the county court offices on the second floor.

Enlarge the second floor if possible.  
Provide for a large conference room for county court use.

The committee withheld final approval on the plans until after the changes had been incorporated and more discussions held. In answer to questions Bellusch advised against attempting to construct an under-ground parking space on the courthouse lot.

Committee members present included Marion County Judge Grant Murphy, Commissioners Ed Rogers and Roy Rice and Charles A. Sprague, Salem, and Ray Glatt, Woodburn, and County Clerk Harlan Judson, Astoria.

Other members present were Marion County Circuit Judges E. M. Page and George Duncan, District Judge Joseph Felton and Sheriff Denver Young.

### 'Surprise Crop' of Beans Harvested

A "surprise crop" of late beans is being harvested near Albany and harvest hands from the Salem area are needed, the local employment office reported Thursday.

A bus provided by L & H farms will leave the Ferry street employment office today and Saturday at 7 a. m. Workers probably will also be transported to Albany daily next week, it was reported. The farm offers picking wage of 2 1/2 cents per pound.

### Capitol Committee Rooms First to Get Air-Conditioning

First unit of the proposed ventilating and air-conditioning project involving the state capitol building here to receive attention by the board of control will be the legislative committee rooms, Roy E. Mills, board secretary, announced here Thursday.

Following will be the cooling of the basement and state offices located in the east end of the first floor. Mills predicted these two projects would require an appropriation of \$50,000.

Authority to seek bids for these two projects was granted by the board of control here this week. Other ventilating and air-conditioning projects will follow as funds become available.

### 50 Red Cross Delegates at Meeting Here

Fifty representatives from 19 Oregon American Red Cross chapters met in Salem for a statewide conference Thursday to discuss needs for the new national blood bank program and military activities under the peacetime draft.

Raymond H. Barrows, San Francisco, area Red Cross manager, said the Red Cross expects to have 34 blood centers across the nation to carry out the new blood program.

A center will open in Portland to serve northwest Oregon and southwest Washington. Representatives from Clark county in Washington, an area included in the Portland blood center, were also on hand for Thursday's session. Barrows said other blood centers would be opened later in Yakima, Wash., Boise, Idaho and Great Falls, Mont.

A large portion of the meeting was devoted to discussion of budget problems for the next fiscal year. Other area officials at the session besides Barrows were Clyde Baird, regional director, and Gerald Wasselius, assistant manager of the Red Cross' armed services division.

Thursday's meeting was held at Legion hall on South Commercial street. Wesley Stewart, jr., of the Marion county chapter welcomed the visiting delegates.

### Romine Case To Grand Jury

Clell R. Romine, recently returned here from the Walla Walla, Wash., state prison, was bound over to the Marion county grand jury Thursday after waiving preliminary examination in Marion county district court.

Romine is charged with obtaining property by false pretenses. He is alleged to have passed a bad \$48 check last November at Jayson's clothing store. He is held in the county jail in lieu of \$1,000 bail.

William F. Corey, Portland, charged with check forgery, appeared in district court Thursday for preliminary examination. District Judge Joseph Felton took his case under advisement. Corey is being held in Marion county jail in lieu of \$1,500 bail.

### CONDON TO ATTEND MEET

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30 — (AP) — The state department announced today that Dr. Edward W. Condon, director of the National Bureau of Standards, will be one of this country's delegates to the ninth conference of the International Bureau of weights and measures at Paris, October 12 to 21.

### INDIAN WOMAN DIES

SPOKANE, Sept. 30 — (AP) — Mrs. Lucy Scott, the oldest member of the Spokane Indian tribe died today at the age of 104.

### Mrs. Crossan, Daughter of Pioneer, Dies

Final rites will be held Saturday, October 2, at 10 a. m. in the Clough — Barrick chapel for Mrs. Jessie M. Crossan, 83, resident of Salem for 78 years, who died Thursday at a local hospital.

Mrs. Crossan, born Dec. 21, 1864 in Albany, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Quinn Thornton, pioneer residents of Oregon. The Thorntons came to Oregon in the emigration of 1847 via the Applegate trail. Thornton was a supreme court judge in Oregon and a special envoy from Governor Abernethy to congress in behalf of the territorial government in 1848.

Mrs. Crossan came to Salem with her family at the age of five. In 1890 she was married to Leon E. Crossan, who preceded her in death. She attended Willamette university for a number of years. She was a member of the First Methodist church of Salem, and had been active in the DAV auxiliary and was a member of the Gold Star Mothers.

She is survived by a son, Merle L. Crossan, Salem; daughters, Mrs. Norma Lake and Marguerite Crossan both of Salem and Mrs. Gertrude Shaver, Boise, Ida.; and four grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Interment will be in City View cemetery with the Rev. Brooks Moore officiating.

### Heroic Boy Winning Fight Against Death

By Ken Kelly  
CANADIAN PRESS STAFF WRITER  
EDMONTON, Alberta, Sept. 30 — (AP) — Heroic Michael Lintner tonight won a battle against severe injuries suffered in a plane crash in the Canadian wilds where his mother died at the controls of the aircraft.

The 11-year-old boy, who slept most of today, is recovering from a fractured skull, a broken right arm and frozen feet. His father, Lt. Col. A. L. Lintner of Norton, Kan., paced the hospital corridor waiting for him to awaken.

Michael's broken arm was suspended above his body in a pulley system and his legs were kept off his injured feet by a special box which extended from the knees downward.

Bandages swathed his head where doctors last night removed bits of gravel and twigs from a deep four-inch gash in a two-hour operation after he was flown here from Fort Nelson, B.C., 65 miles east of where the aircraft crashed.

The attending physician said he was "not out of the woods yet" but his condition was "surprisingly good" considering the fact that he was wedged head downward in the plane for 42 hours, part of the time in a blizzard.

Col. Lintner said his son's only comment on Mrs. Lintner's death was "It's going to be lonesome, isn't it?"

"He told me he tried to reach a sleeping bag which was behind him in the Stinson's cockpit, but was too weak to pull himself around," Col. Lintner said.

### Saddle Club Show Tonight

Salem's Saddle club inaugurates its fall season activity tonight at 8 p. m. with an amateur horse show.

The club plans to hold the fun shows weekly along with a full schedule of call drills, calf roping and drills for the Saddle club and Salem posse.

New officers for the club are Walter C. Leth, president, A. M. Minden, vice president, Sherman Bostrack, treasurer and Patricia Sharkey, secretary. Graham Sharkey and Dr. Fred Ellis will represent the club with the Willamette Valley Horseman's association.

### Nations to Form Mid-East Bloc

PARIS, Sept. 30 — (AP) — Diplomats from 12 countries on three continents will meet Saturday to form a middle eastern bloc within the United Nations, a well-informed source said today.

The dozen countries are located on or near the crossroads of Asia, Europe and Africa. Generally they oppose the soviet policies.

Countries listed by the source were Afghanistan, Egypt, Ethiopia, Greece, Iraq, Iran, Lebanon, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Turkey and Yemen.

A meeting yesterday between Greek Foreign Minister Constantinos Trikidaris and Egyptian Foreign Minister Mohamed Khasaba Pasha was said to have cleared the way for formation of the group.

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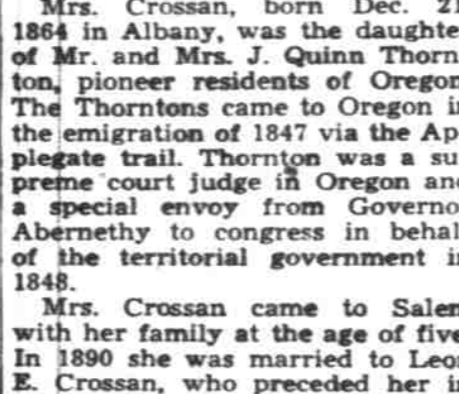
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An authoritative informant said the cabinet approved the alliance's choice of Montgomery as chief planner for the defense of Britain, France, Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg.

Lt. Gen. Gerard Templer, 50, was believed the likely successor as chief of the imperial staff, a post Montgomery has held since 1946. A major in charge of field security police at the outbreak of the second world war, Templer commanded a division in Sicily and was the first British military governor in Germany.

The official announcement of Montgomery's selection is expected to be made tomorrow by the alliance secretariat in Paris.

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