# Ex-Rep. Buck Wounded Aid to Grains Valsetz Road Subject of Pol By Would-Be Assassin

NEW YORK, April 5-(A)-Former congressman Ellsworth B. Buck, 58 was shot down in front of his Staten Island office today and seriously wounded. His assailant was captured moments later. A former merchant marine engineer, Charles Van Newkirk, 57 of Amherst, N. H., was arrested and charged with felonious assault. District Attorney Herman Methfessel, a witness to the shooting,

said he was investigating the possibility that Van Newkirk sought

Buck was struck by three bul-lets from a .38 caliber target rehis left thigh and left hip. At Staten Island hospital, phy-At Staten Island hospital, physicians said Buck's condition was Million Theft

serious but that he was expected Van Newkirk, police said, admitted the shooting but refused to give any motive for it.

"I had 'my own personal rea-Buck, one of Staten Island's most prominent citizens, was re- with March 27.

publican representative from New York's 16th congressional district and H. Crowe, 41, assistant manfor three terms.

He retired from politics last Desember 31 after refusing renomi-

## Fred E. Bates Succumbs to **Heart Attack**

Fred E. Bates, 55, chairman of the congregation at the First Christian church in Salem, and resident here for the past 18 years, died of a heart attack haired boy. while working in the Keizer distriet Tuesday morning.

Bates was active in church af-He was a trustee of the Turner school affairs, he had served on ed the parents of any connection the school board at Aumsville for with the affair. Born in Coldwater, Mich., Nov. LIQUOR PRICES RISE

1. 1916.

1930 he was city engineer at Ana- higher freight rates. heim. Calif., for eight years. In Salem he was field man for the WPA for Marion, Polk and Linn counties. During the war he was dersigned have filed

all of Salem: sister. Mrs. George Barnes Viselia, Calif.; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held deceased.

Thursday, April 7 at 3 p.m. in the First Christian church with the Rev. Dudley Strain officiating. Direction will be by Clough
Ranging of the estate of Velleda W. Ohmart, deceased.

Ronald C. Glover, Attorney for Executor and Executrix

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO IMPROVE McGILCHRIST STREET FROM COMMERCIAL STREET TO HIGH

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By Order of the Common Council

March 28, 1949.

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# revenge for the loss of a job during a congressional investi-Buck was struck by three bullets from a .38 caliber target revolver. They entered his back,

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., April 5 -(AP)- A highly-respected New York banker and family man was sons," he was quoted as telling arrested in a bar here near midnight with \$54,798 of \$884,600 in bank funds he had disappeared

He was handsome, affable Richager of the Broadway branch of table affairs, married and the father of three children.

Crowe gave no reason for having taken the money — roughly even with yesterday's 920,000. \$193,000 in cash and \$690,000 in The Associated Press average bonds - but he had hardly drop- 60 stocks advanced .2 of one point ped from sight when friends and to 63.9. The utility component organizations began receiving let- showed the largest gain and ters from him containing various equalled the high point for the amounts he owed them.

He had none of the bonds when arrested, however. He said he had which were traded, 373 advanced taken them "only to make bank and 372 declined. them in the Atlantic ocean.

a most promising member of the organization: "The bank's white-haired boy." Discuss Plans

FBI Head J. Edgar Hoover said \$131,155 had been accounted for, fairs here. He was chairman of including about \$61,000 which the board of elders and teacher Crowe had mailed debtors and of the men's class at the church. \$15,000 found in a vacant beach bungalow owned by his parents Memorial church. Active also in on Staten Island. Hoover absolv-

8. 1893, Bates moved to California PORTLAND, April 5-(AP)- The Years. He was married to Lora five to 35 cents a bottle in Oregon, with his parents at the age of 6 price of some liquor has gone up Bartlett, will present ideas at the Robinson in California, June Administrator William H. Hammond of the state liquor commis-Prior to moving to Oregon in sion reported today. He blamed

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT Notice is hereby given that the unpost maintenance engineer at Salem army air base. In 1946 he went into the surveying business with his son, David, and was stricken at his work Tuesday.

Surviving besides his widow and son David are daughters. Mrs. Clyde Shreve, Mrs. Gordon Woods. Idvll Bates and Sharon Bates, all of Salem: sons, Richard M. Bates, all of Salem: sister. Mrs. George

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 9th day
of March, 1949.
ROY V. OHMART, Executor
LOIS OHMART, Executrix
of the estate of Velleda W. Ohmart,

Portland Grain PORTLAND, Ore., April 5 -(AP)-

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO IMPROVE FORD STREET FROM LEE STREET TO MISSION STREET TO MISSION STREET

Notice hereby is given that the common council of the city of Salem, Oregon, deems it necessary and expedient

Wheat: No futures quoted.

Cash grain: Oats No. 2, 28 lb white
61.50; barley No. 2, 45 lb BW 50.00.

Cash wheat (bid): Soft white 2.22; Notice hereby is given that the common council of the city of Salem, Oregon, deems it necessary and expedient and hereby declares its purpose and intention to improve McGilchrist street from the east line of Commercial street from the east line of Commercial street from the expense of the abutting and adjacent property, except the street and alley intersections the expense of which will be assumed by the city of Salem, by bringing said portion of said street to the established grade, constructing ement concrete curbs, and paving said portion of said street with a 212-inch asphaltic concrete with the plans and specifications therefor which were adopted by the common council March 28.

Rotice hereby is given that the common council of the city of Salem, Oregon, deems it necessary and expedient and hereby declares its purpose and intention to Improve Ford street to the and hereby declares its purpose and intention to Improve Ford street to the south line of Lee street to the north line of Mission street to the north line of County, Oregon, at the expense of the abutting and adjacent property, except the street and alley intersections the expense of which will be assuemd by the city of Salem, by bringing said portion of said street to the established grade, constructing rement concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street with a 212-inch asphaltic concrete with a 212-inch asphaltic concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street with a 212-inch asphaltic concrete with a 212-inch asphaltic concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street with a 212-inch asphaltic concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street with a 212-inch asphaltic concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street for the established grade, constructing rement concrete curbs and paving said portion of said street for the established grade,

thereto are made a part hereof.

The common council hereby declares its purpose and intention to make the above described improvement by and through the street improvement department.

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ALFRED MUNDT, City Recorder
Date of first publication hereof is
March 30, 1949.

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CHICAGO, April 5-(AP)-Grains finished mostly higher at the board of trade today, due to a

good closing rally. Earlier in the session the tone of the market had been easy with wheat and corn off around a cent. Then traders heard that the commodity credit corporation had advanced its price for wheat and corn, about a cent.

Starting slowly, the rally toward the close included all futures and the finish showed wheat 3/8 to 13/8 higher, corn was unchanged to 1/2 cent higher, oats were 1/8 lower Many of those present have indito 1/2 higher, rye was 1% to 11/2 lower, soybeans were unchanged stantial cash contributions to help to % higher and lard was 10 to better the rugged 12-mile stretch 25 cents a hundredweight lower.

## Select Stock **Demand Forms**

NEW YORK, April 5-(A)-High- of money by the court. ly selected demand for stocks developed in today's market. A hand-picked group of shares which leads to one of their lushest

moved up to top prices for 1949 trade areas. Their concern was the National City bank, prominent while the general run of the mar- heightened this spring when seain Staten Island social and chari- ket showed an even mixture of sonal thaws closed the road nearly fractional gains and losses. Trading was fairly active with turnover of 900,000 shares about

The Associated Press average of year.

Of the 1,012 individual issues

# hem in the Atlantic ocean. Bank officials had called him Band Parents

Salem high school's Band and Orchestra Parents club discussed means of raising funds to send A new communist invasion of the musicians to the state contest at Grammos redoubt from Albania Klamath Falls, at a special meet- has set off fighting of "unpreceing Tuesday night but left final dented violence and ferocity,' decisions on the matter to the front line reports said tonight. next meeting scheduled April 26. The group decided to ask for suggestions from the band and border villages and five mountain grehestra and then the special committee, headed

steady: cows generally steady-weak; scattered lots common-low good steers 21.00-24.50: two loads good strong

weight fed steers held above 24.50; top Monday 25.50; odd common heifers 19.00-21.00; canner-cutter cows mostly 13.00-15.00; shells down to 9.00 and be-low; few common-medium cows un-sold; odd common-medium sausage

bulls 18.00-22.00; good vealers steady-weak at 28.00-29.00; odd choice 31.00-

32.00; common down to 18.50.

Hogs: Salable 200; market moderately active, generally steady; good-choice 180-235 lbs. largely 23.00-25; few lots mostly choice 23.50; 250-290

lbs, 20.50; few 150-160 lbs, 21.00-25; good 350-550 lb, sows 17.50-18.50; good heavy stags down to 15.00; good-choice feeder, pigs salable around 23.00-24.00.

Sheep: Salable 50; market slow; around steady with Monday's late 1.00

decline on slaughter lambs; high good-choice 103-107 lb. fed wooled lambs up to 25.50; others mostly 25.00 down;

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by James were recaptured. Government forces were also driven out of Assiregular meeting of the group. mohori on the border. The communique listed 150 Portland Livestock guerrilla casualties, including 132 killed, up to last night, and 247 PORTLAND, Ore., April 5 —(AP)— USDA)—Cattle: Salable 150, holdover 00; calves 25; market slow; few steers government casualties, including 67 killed.

Hewitt's Distinctive Men's Wear

Consultations

better road to Walsetz.

snow in that area.

than the one in question. How-

ever, he indicated his desire to

work and cooperate fully with

them in improving the Valsetz

road. He is expected to make a

formal recommendation soon re-

garding their desire to assist

**Greek Fighting** 

A government communique ad-

mitted the guerrillas captured four

heights, but said all the heights

Flares Anew

By Charles Ireland

Dallas Correspondent, The Statesman

improve the road permanently.



Clothes Tailored In The Hollywood Manner by Damico High at Court St. Senator Hotel Building

Subject of Polk Whether Salem will have a float in the Portland Rose Festi-float i a meeting of the council of nobles of the Salem Cherrians at the chamber of commerce.

DALLAS, April 5 -(Special) A group of local businessmen met Rose festival organization attend- gressional investigation. with the Polk county court Tues- ed the meeting and promised day to probe possibilities of a Portland participation in Cherry- house armed service committee in Charles Thomas, spokesman for the 32 merchants present, asked director, Walted Schade, parade the court to recommend how to chairman, and Bud Mallett, executive secretary of the organizacated willingness to make sub- Cherrian council.

### from Falls City to Valsetz. County Judge C. F. Hayes told Two Men Feared the group that rock is being placed on the road at present. A sec- Drowned in River

ond layer of finer rock, he said, would be a worthwhile invest-WILLAMETTE, April 5-(AP)ment. A suggestion that the road Two men were feared drowned in be oiled was considered a waste the Tualatin river tonight when a canoe overturned while three Dallas businessmen always have persons were enjoying a river felt concern for the Valsetz road, outing.

ashore, but was unable to see or identified them as Otto Schmidt E. Hayes told the delegation there were other roads in Polk county ed near here. Stuart is believed that actually needed repair more from Portland.

This warning was posted by the land Festival activities here. Theo- adopting the following resolution: "If persons in the armed services, or in their employ, continue to pass statements to the press which are calculated to deprecate tion, discussed plans with the the activities of a sister service and which, at the same time, jeopardize the national security, the committee will step in with a full scale investigation.

### City Obituaries

a canoe overturned while three persons were enjoying a river outing.

Herbert Shannon, Portland, reported to Clackamas county sheriff's deputies that he swam ashore, but was unable to see or three weeks following excessive ashore, but was unable to see or mopolis, Wyo., D. A. Allen, Basin, hear his companions. Shannon Wyo., B. H. Allen, Paradise, Mont., and identified them as Otto Schmidt E. Y. Allen, Pryor, Mont.; and four identified them as Otto Schmidt E. Y. Allen, Pryor, Mont; and four and James Stuart. Schmidt farmgrandchildren and one great-grandchild. Shipment will be made by Clough-Barrick company to Basin Wyo., for services and interment.

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# Fete Float Pending Brass Warned Rental Housing Rental Housing Most loss being reported in the Portland area. The director said units recontrolled under the previous law, but loss being reported in the Portland area. The director said units recontrolled under the previous law, but loss being reported in the Portland area.

PORTLAND, April 5-(AP)-Ren-Army, air force and navy officials tal housing owners whose proper-Members decided to postpone received blunt notice today that if ties were decontrolled under the for a consecutive 24 months' perfinal action on the point until a they violate orders against public 1947 federal rent law must get lod between Feb. 1, 1945, and later date. Representatives of the squabbles they will face a con- back on the government records April 1, 1948. at an early date.

E. Daryl Mabee, Portland area rent law director, said some 3,000 units in Oregon and southwest Washington are involved. He reported the owners had got out from under controls by various provisions of the former law. The new law effective April 1 automatically recontrolled the units, he explained.

Mabee said the return of eviction cases to the federal agency,

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trolled under the new law fall in-

to two classifications. He said these were (1) properties where

leases terminated prior to April

1, 1948, and (2) existing housing

either owner-occupied or vacant

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