

Salem Hospital Room Rates To Rise July 1

Salem hospitals' room rates will rise July 1, along with those of other Oregon hospitals, their administrators announced Friday.

They pointed out that a general wage increase would begin the same day for employees.

The basic ward rate at both General and Memorial hospitals will go from \$9 to \$10.50 per day. Irwin Wedel, manager at Memorial, said some adjustments would be made in surgery charges, for use of the operating facilities. He said they would be on an hourly basis rather than a flat fee, resulting in a rise for some cases and a decrease for others.

The wage adjustment will be, said William Gahldorf, manager at General, the same salaries for nurses but a decrease in working week from 48 to 40 hours. At the same time, most other employees will be granted boost. This applies to 165 persons on the staff at Memorial and from 150 to 160 at General.

In regard to rising hospital costs, Gahldorf noted also that social security law amendments nearing final congressional approval would place non-profit corporations under the program, which he said would cost his hospital about \$30 daily in employer contributions.

He added that the state labor commissioner has set a hearing in Portland for next Thursday on a proposal to boost general hospital labor to \$1.05 an hour, a trend which might spread to Salem, where such workers earn 65 to 75 cents.

Denver Folk Make Visit In Monmouth

MONMOUTH — Carl McMahon enjoyed a visit of several days with an oldtime acquaintance, Tom Julian of Denver, Colo. Julian, whose father was a physician in the Cherokee Strip, Oklahoma, when it first opened to settlement, is a retired railroad man. He was traveling by automobile, and had visited a daughter in Seattle before coming to Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stokholm, who were accompanied to Ontario last week by Mrs. W. W. King and Mrs. Lydia Carmichael, to attend the state grange convention, returned home Sunday. They report an excellent attendance and well-planned program of events. Mrs. Carmichael is lecturer of the local grange, and Mrs. King is the wife of the master of Monmouth grange. Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Brisbane have moved into their newly purchased home on Jackson street, the former Wolverson house. The Rev. and Mrs. Sheuerman and daughter Gloria have taken possession of the former Brisbane home on West Main street, which they bought last spring. They returned to Monmouth after a stay of two years in Oregon City. Sheuerman is a retired Evangelical minister, and formerly served as pastor here.

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Legion Discusses Convention Plans

Plans for attending the state convention at Grants Pass were discussed Friday night at a meeting of the Marion county council of the American Legion in the Mayflower hotel.

Princess's Name Linked To Scotsman

LONDON, June 23—(AP)—Tea-table talk in London today had it that Princess Margaret will marry a childhood sweetheart—a rich, red-haired Scotsman.

But Buckingham palace ignores such chit-chat.

The story is that Princess Elizabeth's little sister is engaged to the 26-year-old Earl of Dalkeith and that it will be announced after Margaret's 20th birthday, August 21.

The earl and the princess have been friends since childhood and for the past three years he has been her most devoted companion at dances, dinners, house parties and the theater.

He sat beside her in an open carriage last week when the royal family made their traditional drive to the Royal Ascot race meeting, then was a guest at Windsor lodge.

The earl dismissed the rumors as "foolish" and said "the number of times I have escorted the princess is irrelevant."

The earl—a six-footer—is the son of the duke of Buccleuch. He keeps busy managing his father's six huge estates, covering 500,000 acres in seven counties. Some day the earl will inherit his father's fortune, one of Britain's greatest.

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Former Oregon Woman Found Slain in Texas

WHARTON, Tex., June 23—(AP)—The body of Mrs. Marion S. Ayers, 53, missing two weeks, was found today in Missouri, Sheriff T. W. (Buckshot) Lane said tonight.

Lane started searching for the woman near here after a couple living in a river bottom shack was arrested with Mrs. Ayers' car and personal belongings.

Lane was notified from Cape Girardeau, Mo., late tonight that the body of Mrs. Ayers, a former proof reader for the Kansas City Star and the Portland Oregonian, was found Wednesday in the Mississippi river south of Cape Girardeau and buried yesterday.

He said the body was identified tonight through a wedding band bearing this inscription: "M T A—M S., 11-10-37."

Milton T. Ayers of Sacramento, Calif., the woman's estranged husband, identified the ring by phone as the wedding band he had given his wife.

Lane said he would further question Charles Warner Tanner, 36, arrested Wednesday at a shack in the Colorado river bottoms near here with Mrs. Ayers' car and belongings in his possession.

Earlier today Lane had found a blood-stained jacket in the shack. Tanner, now serving a 30-day sentence for driving Mrs. Ayers' car while intoxicated, told Lane he had never before been in Wharton county. Tonight Lane said he had found a witness who said Tanner lived at his house in Lissie, a small town in western Wharton county.

The man also told Lane that Tanner visited his house early Wednesday and that he asked Tanner to leave. "The story which Tanner originally told is being shot full of holes and these contradictions prove that something is wrong," Lane said.

"A deputy sheriff in Barnhart, Mo., told me over the telephone that Mrs. Ayers left a garage there with a young hitchhiker."

"I believe the disappearance of this woman is another one of those cases involving a hitchhiker."

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Woman Hospital Escapee Caught, One Still Missing

One of two women who escaped from the Oregon state hospital Friday afternoon was recaptured at Stayton late Friday night by Stayton Police Chief Larry Wright, it was reported from the Marion county sheriff's office.

Recaptured was Viola Ehrlich, 42. The second escapee was Lilla Larrance, 45. She was with the Ehrlich woman at the time of her apprehension but managed to elude Wright, deputies said.

Johnson Denies MacArthur to Leave Japan

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, June 23—(AP)—Sec. of Defense Louis Johnson was asked by reporters Friday if General MacArthur would leave Japan to take a private post. The secretary said he also had heard that report and wished it could be "batted down."

"MacArthur is doing a splendid job," said Secretary Johnson. "He and we are satisfied with what is being done in Japan."

He told the reporters he was strongly in favor of statehood for Alaska. Whether the territory becomes a state or not, he said, its defenses will be built up.

He added that, in his belief, one major airfield in Alaska would be sufficient for defense purposes.

Dr. Holy Hears Reports on School Survey

Educators who are now surveying Oregon's school needs gave their first field reports Friday at a local conference of members of the state board of education and three advisory committees.

But these reports will not be made public until after Dr. T. C. Holy, the state education in charge, reviews them and prepares his formal recommendations to the board of education.

Final reports on Oregon educational needs will reach the state legislature after going through the board of education.

HOLLYWOOD

Hollywood Kids Matinee Today—1:00 to 4:00 P. M.
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Pearson Asks State Withhold Building Work

Recommendation that capital outlay requests involving state institution construction be withheld will be made to the state board of control by State Treasurer Walter J. Pearson.

Pearson made the announcement Friday and said he would also request that construction be on a rental or liquidation basis. Under Pearson's proposal revenues received for care of patients in the state institutions would be used for construction purposes rather than being placed in the general fund.

Some other high state officials said that money from that source about \$500,000 biennially—is insufficient to meet construction costs.

Pearson said that in eliminating capital outlay requests from the state budget it might be possible to submit a nearly-balanced budget to the 1951 legislature.

The board of control previously favored a 10 or 20 year construction plan for state institution construction with a biennial appropriation ranging from \$2,000,000 to \$4,000,000.

3 Juveniles Admit Crimes

Three Portland juveniles, arrested earlier in the week by Marion county sheriff's deputies, admitted burglarizing Larry's Tavern on the Woodburn-Mt. Angel highway of \$100 in cash, and cigars, deputies said Friday night.

The trio, two 17 years old and one 15 years old, also admitted burglaries in Portland where \$145 and over 100 pieces of welding equipment was taken. Deputies said the youths admitted also that they had purchased the car they were driving with money taken in the Portland breakins.

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Central Howell School District Elects Director

Stateman News Service
CENTRAL HOWELL — Elton Watts was elected director for one year at the annual school meeting Monday night. He will fill out the unexpired term of Walter Haverson who has moved to Dallas, Fort By was elected to a three year term to succeed himself.

Letters received this week from Mrs. Ben Owens, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia tell of the arrival of her mother, Mrs. Elvin Herr and aunt, Mrs. R. L. Elstrom, on June 5.

Mrs. Jack Sloss, Union, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Simmons. She left for Corvallis where she is attending summer school. She teaches in the high school at Union.

CURRY WOOL POOL SOLD
GOLD BEACH, June 23—(AP)—The Curry county wool pool of an estimated 150,000 pounds was sold here for 64½ cents a pound. The price is considerably above the 57 cents paid for most Willamette valley clips.

From 1900 to 1910, the U. S. population increased more from immigration than from births.

Car Abandoned Mysteriously In Dallas Area

Stateman News Service
DALLAS, June 23—An abandoned car found on the coast highway four miles north of here was being investigated today by state police and Polk county sheriff's deputies on the possibility its occupants may have met with foul play.

The car, a 1941 Plymouth coupe, complete with keys, gasoline and packed suitcase, was first noticed early Sunday by the Jake Reimer family who live nearby. The Reimers also reported hearing three shots Sunday night in a wooded section near the spot where the car was parked.

State police, accompanied by members of the Reimer family, made a search of the area, but found nothing. In the glove compartment of the car was a signed sales contract by Warren M. Parker and Betty J. Douglas, Portland. The suitcase bore the name

of Mrs. Lee Douglas of Portland. Letters in the car were addressed to Parker at the Waldrop hotel.

SEVENTH POLIO CASE

PORTLAND, June 23—(AP)—This city's seventh case of infantile paralysis this year was reported today. The city health officer said a 57-year-old woman living in the northeast district was stricken.

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