

Church Burglars Frightened Away

Two men who apparently broke into the First Baptist Church early Thursday morning were scared away by the arrival of the church secretary, city police said.

Mrs. Evelyn Bartlett told city police that she saw one man disappear through a rear entrance to the church at Liberty and Marion streets as she arrived at 8 a. m. She discovered the second man in the church office. Mrs. Bartlett told police that the man ran past her out of the office without saying anything. Nothing was reported stolen.

Future Teachers Group Set Monmouth Session

First regional meeting of the Willamette Valley Future Teachers of America organization will be held Saturday at Oregon College of Education in Monmouth. Marjorie Aldinger, senior in forensics at Willamette University, is general chairman for the meeting. Schools included are Mt. Angel, Linfield, Oregon State College, University of Oregon, OCE and Willamette.

Main speakers at the all day convocation will be Dr. Frank B. Bennett, Salem superintendent of schools and Henry Tetz, superintendent of Independence School District.

Penitentiary Classification Aide Approved

Hiring of a temporary deputy warden at the State Prison here to speed up the prison's classification and training program, was approved Thursday by the State Board of Control.

The new deputy, who would work for seven weeks next summer probably would be either a faculty member or graduate student in the University of Oregon's sociology department.

The request for the temporary deputy came from Warden Virgil O'Malley and Prison Superintendent George Alexander.

The board also asked the state superintendent of public instruction to survey the school program at the State School for Boys at Woodburn. The last such study was made three years ago.

James Lamb, superintendent of the school, said he thinks a new survey is needed.

The board also approved payment of \$3,266 to T. J. Fitzer of Salem for work done on the heating tunnel at the State School for the Blind, and \$6,482 to Lorentz Brum Co. for work on the addition to the dining room at the same institution.

Police to Host Dance Tonight

The Salem Police department will be host to the public it serves at the annual Policeman's Ball, scheduled tonight in Crystal Gardens.

Tickets at \$1 are still on sale from all policemen and at the police station in City Hall. Officers will deliver books of tickets today to anyone calling headquarters, Chief of Police Clyde A. Warren said.

Two bands will perform at the dance, to start at 8 p. m. The ball will have both old time and modern dancing.

Proceeds from the dance will go towards building up the various charity funds of the police department.

MORE MONEY CIRCULATES

WASHINGTON (AP)—Money in circulation increased by 47 million dollars this week to a total of 28 billion, 425 millions the federal reserve board reported Thursday.



William "Showboat" Warfield Baritone

Salem High School Auditorium Wednesday, March 5th - at 8:30 P. M.

Admission: \$3.50, \$2.50, \$1.50 Tickets at: Salem Record Shop, Will's Music Store, Heider's Radio, Stevens Jewelers

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Missing Ace's Family



LUBBOCK, Texas—This is the family of Major George A. Davis Jr., America's greatest jet ace, who was shot down over Korea. This picture, made last November, shows daughter, Mary Margaret, 7, Mrs. Davis and George III, then 18-months old. Mrs. Davis is expecting another child in May. (AP Wirephoto to the Statesman.)

Oregon Vets Lead List in Farm Drawing

MOSES LAKE (AP)—Thirty eight veterans from 10 states hit the jackpot in a pickle jar Thursday—against 69 to 1 odds.

Their names were the first here in the scramble of 2,816 applicants for the right to purchase 38 prospective farm units in the Columbia Basin.

The arid plots are to get life-giving water from the vast storage reservoir which is being filled by pumping from the Columbia River lake behind Grand Coulee Dam.

The first two names out of the jar were those of Oregon men. They were Thomas S. Shank, Seneca, Ore., and Melvin Plaisted, Springfield, in that order.

Other Oregon winners were: Eugene N. Gibbs, 335 S. E. Caruthers St., Portland.

Paul E. Stevens, Box 448, Klamath Falls; Theodore F. Insley, Rt. 4, Box 330, Roseburg; Dale E. Terp, Bandon; Lloyd G. Howden, Rt. 1, Box 142, Hermiston; Carol O. Potempa, Rt. 1, Madras; Marion C. Winebarger, Box 39, Myrtle Creek; Gerald W. Oblisk, Rt. 1, Box 178, Beavercreek.

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Dancing Pair Present Satire Of Modern Life

By MAXINE BUREN

Statesman Woman's Editor

By a turn of the wrist, a rolling eye or a misplaced step did Mata and Hari's program on Thursday night miss being a serious performance. Though a satire on modern life, the two artists never forget to dance the ballet with perfect skill.

Beautifully costumed, expertly timed and executed, the dances are well done and highly entertaining. But all the time, the subject matter is pure nonsense.

Sports News Reel runs through a list of popular sports in a most realistic way. In Penny Arcade, the Shoeshin boy spends his wages seeing the sights. Movie Struck is the satirist's version of the Hollywood producer's day, and in the Circus, five dancers handle the parts of an entire company under the big top.

Most beautifully done and exquisitely costumed was Mata and Hari's Hindu Fakir Show, giving a fine example of the dancers' skill, yet with such laughable situations, that the audience was convulsed. Another number Marionettes, in which they danced as puppets, was especially good, as was the fiasco in front of the show window.

Zaniest was A Painting (rejected at the Museum of Modern Art), in which three dancers without heads or shape worked themselves into situations possible only in the mind of Dalí himself.

The final number, and the climax, was Carnegie Hall where the two stars were audience and the entire orchestra. Hari playing

Mata as a bass fiddle brought down the house.

The cast, besides Ruth Mata and Eugene Hari includes Zoya Leporsky, Tommy Marlowe and Vernon Wendorf, dancers, and hard working Lothar Perl, the pianist.

This is Mata and Hari's second appearance in Salem and they will be welcomed if they wish to return again.

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508 TERNED HOAX

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—The Coast Guard Thursday night termed a "hoax" the radio distress message that a freighter was afloat off the northwest coast of Cuba and had been abandoned by her crew.

According to zoologists bats do not make nests.

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