

# LOCALS

Governor Pierce today honored a requisition from the governor of California for the extradition of Harry Van Gelder, who is wanted in Los Angeles on a charge of embezzlement. He was arrested in Salem several weeks ago and has strongly fought extradition. Oregon, Williams, who was arrested with him on a similar charge, was extradited about two weeks ago.

Dance, Dance Tuesday and Friday, DuBois' popular dances, Crystal Gardens. 173

Stanley Bowerman and Margaret Bowerman, both of Rickrealt, underwent minor operations at a Salem hospital yesterday.

Dr. Marshall, osteopath, Or bldg

Vernon Yunker of Lyons underwent a minor operation at a local hospital Monday.

Gladioli, cut flowers, Upjohn's 964 S. Liberty, phone 1709.

Professor William Halverson of Oregon Agricultural college is in a hospital at Salem, having been brought here for medical treatment and an operation. He will return to Corvallis tonight or tomorrow.

Love, the Jeweler, Salem.

Evidence that with the advent of the Marion county child health demonstration here Salem is becoming a general health center looked to throughout the northwest, was shown when Miss Withler, public health nurse at Walla Walla, Wash., arrived here this week to inspect the health center. She was sent to Salem by the health commissioner of Walla Walla to get an insight into the methods used by the demonstration staff.

If you want a farm or city loan call on G. W. Laflar at 419 Oregon bldg.

To supply a demand made by many tourists at the Salem auto camp, 6 mattresses have been added to the equipment of the camp. Four were taken to the grounds Monday, and two more yesterday. Camp officials report that all have been asked for and used by campers. In many cases the campers would have gone elsewhere for the night if they had been unable to get mattresses there. They are furnished upon request to campers asking for them, no extra charge being made.

Terwilliger undertaker phn 724

Hubert Lewis underwent a minor operation at a Salem hospital yesterday.

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Mrs. Clara Stalder, Salem resident, was taken to a local hospital for medical care Tuesday.

Wanted, loganberries for barrelling, highest cash price paid. Baker, Kelley & MacLaughlin, Inc., Phex bldg, phone 221.

William E. Shafer, son of Frank E. Shafer of 1265 State street, was operated on at a local hospital yesterday. He was reported to be in good health this morning.

Free, cozy corner electric lamps given absolutely free with each complete set of lighting fixtures purchased from us. Only a limited number left. Salem Electric Co., E. S. Barton, owner, Maconic Temple, phone 1200.

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C. Riche of route 4 has been operated on at a Salem hospital.

Good Buick six to trade for lot or equity in house and lot. 219 State.

Mrs. Nellie Bixeth of Salem, who today underwent an operation involving the removal of a tumor from her vocal cords, left the hospital and returned home today. The operation, which is considered a very delicate one, was a complete success.

A. J. Anderson, contractor, 512 State, phone 717, res. 657.

Dr. Walter Brown, head of the Marion county child health demonstration, which has its headquarters in Salem, will go to Tillamook Friday to take part in the home makers institute being held there. He will deliver an address on "Community Health." The institute is held as a part of the extension service of the University of Oregon. "One reason why our health center on the coast," said Dr. Brown this morning, "was the fact that the state institutions here have such a comprehensive extension service, through which it is possible to work."

For sale, 20 acres good flax land, 1-1 mile from town and paved road. Price \$2500, easy terms, to Aug. 1st. Owner L. D. C. Capital Journal. 174\*

Miss Martha Lotus of Salem has returned home from the local hospital where she has been undergoing medical care for the past month.

Prescription facilities are complete here and there's knowledge, experience and intelligence in the community. For safety go to Capital Drug store. 173\*

The Marion county child health demonstration staff today completed a two days' clinic at Brook. The staff will begin a clinic at Pratum tomorrow, continuing there through Thursday.

Dr. J. Ray Pemberton wishes to announce that he is not the Dr. Pemberton who is moving to Dallas. 173

Dr. Stella Ford Warner of the Marion county child health demonstration was in Tillamook today taking part in a home makers institute being staged as part of the extension work of the University of Oregon. Dr. Warner spoke on the development of the child.

Will pay cash for used piano. Phone 1653. 174\*

Between 100 and 150 tons of feed had been salvaged from the site of the Cherry City flour mill by today, it was estimated by those working there. The fire, which burned the building to the ground the evening of Sunday, July 12, has been smoldering in the feed ever since that time. A crew of some 8 or 10 men has been working for more than a week picking up parts of the feed that is usable and putting it in good sacks. The salvage price is said to be about \$20 a ton. They expect to work all this week and recover 100 tons more.

Want used furniture, phone 511

Mrs. S. Riche of Salem route 4 was brought to Salem as a hospital patient yesterday.

Wanted, fat hens and spring chickens, highest market price paid. Steuelf Brothers market, phone 1525. 173\*

Miss Audrey Pomeroy underwent a minor operation at a local hospital yesterday.

Stage to Woodland park leaves State terminal at 2 and 7 p. m. daily, last stage from park 10 p. m. Five round trips on Sundays. 175\*

The number of cars stopping nightly at the Salem auto park is keeping an average just under 60, it is stated by caretakers at the camp. Fifty five autos stopped there last night. The night previous there were 59.

Cutworm and earwig bait. Percy Bros., 237 State St. 173\*

The house occupied by Fred E. Wells across the railroad track from the site of the Cherry City flour mill, which was burned down a week ago last Sunday, has been repaired on the side facing the mill. New boards and windows were required throughout, most of the panes having been broken due to the excessive heat, and the boarding severely scorched.

Wanted, Mazarin seedling cherries, 7 1-2 and 8c lb. Percy Bros., 237 State. 173\*

A Kluge today received from the city recorder a permit for the alteration of a dwelling at 1190 north 15th street at a cost of \$1000.

Dancing every Wednesday and Saturday night at Tumble Inn. 172\*

Lieutenant Clark L. Ruffner, sanitary officer from the Presidio, San Francisco, who was arrested here last night on a charge of speeding and possession of intoxicating liquor, was fined \$75 in police court today.

Want used furniture, phone 75.

A charge of obtaining property by false pretenses has been lodged against Jack Kearney of route 5 who was arrested last night after he had passed a check for \$42 on the Johnson clothing store for which he received a suit of clothes, other articles of apparel and received \$0 cents in change. He had no money in the bank to cover the check. Whether other bad checks were passed is being investigated by the police.

Notice of appeal has been filed in circuit court by railroad companies operating in the state from the decision against them by Judge Kelly and McMahon in their suit against the public service commission to enjoin imposition of new rates on hay, grain, potatoes and other farm products.

Jesse Sheen was brought to the county jail last evening by Constable DeLong charged with "doing an act manifestly intended to make a child become delinquent." He was arrested near West Stayton.

Thrashing crews are beginning to start out to take care of the big thrashing season in the valley which is expected to start in a day or two. From all reports a heavy grain crop should be threshed in this section this year. It is expected some definite returns will be in the latter part of the week and how some of the farms are producing to the acre.

Ward No. 1 at the state hospital for the insane was today placed under a small quarantine, Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner, superintendent, announced. Walter Bondell, an attendant, is ill with the disease. It was said there was no other case. Superintendent Steiner said that all inmates and employees of the hospital who have been exposed to the disease will be vaccinated tomorrow.

Russell Hurst was fined \$7.50 in police court yesterday for speeding.

C. J. McAdams has taken out a permit at the office of the city recorder for the construction of a dwelling at 2215 Lee street to cost \$700.

W. A. Mullen, head of the real estate department in the office of State Insurance Commissioner Will Moore, has returned from California where he met a number of real estate officials.

Mrs. Thelma Beckman, an escapee from the state institution for feeble minded, was apprehended at the state fair grounds last night by Officer Putnam of the police force. She was believed to be from the state insane hospital and was sent there where she was kept during the night and transferred to the other institution today.

Mrs. S. R. Milligan, a Presbyterian missionary recently returned from Ningpo, China where she spent a number of years, will speak in Marion Square at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Milligan is a speaker of considerable repute, having given the main speech on women's day at the Presbyterian synod held in Eugene, and given a sketch of civil, political and religious conditions in China. Mrs. J. J. Nunn of the local Presbyterian church has charge of bringing Mrs. Milligan to Salem.

Water company officials declared this morning that they were still unable to determine the cause of the disagreeable taste in the drinking water of Salem, although they had made a thorough investigation. The water began to return to a normal condition yesterday evening. No reports had come in from south Salem, they declared, although apparently the water in every other section of the city was affected. There was a slight touch of the same taste in the city's water for a brief period last summer, the cause of which was never discovered.

The 10 railroad companies operating in Oregon that were parties to the injunction suit against the public service commission in an effort to quash the commission's order reducing rates on farm produce yesterday filed notice of an appeal from the circuit to the supreme court. An injunction produced some time ago against the commission's order was dissolved by the lower court, and from this decree the appeal is taken.

I. Abbott, a trooper in the flax line at the state prison, made his escape Tuesday afternoon and is still missing. He was received from Baker county about a year ago to serve 20 years for a statutory crime.

Robert Burton, 14, who lives at 557 north 20th street, is in a local hospital with two broken wrists and several bruises about the head as a result of a fall from the west entrance steps of the state house to the cement sidewalk 25 feet below. The accident happened during the band concert last night while he and other boys were playing on the steps. He was hanging by his hands on an iron hanger at the time. The police will not allow boys to play on the steps on band concert nights.

"Smiling" Jim Lewis, deputy sheriff and former prison warden, is back at his desk in the sheriff's office with a bigger smile than ever. He spent his vacation on the coast and returned wrapped in ocean breezes and a coat of tan. So valuable are the deputy's services it required three men to hold down his job while he was gone and Deputies Sam Burkhardt, Roy Bremner and Bert Smith all participated in trying to put it over. Incidentally Sheriff Koser himself took a hand to keep the boys straightened out.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Leonard A. Hart, Los Angeles and Ruth St. Simon, Detroit, Mich., and Frank P. Tate and Alice M. Simpson, Salem.

Lieutenant Clark L. Ruffner, 11th United States cavalry, stationed at the Presidio, San Francisco, is in the city jail here today following his arrest on Highlands avenue last night for speeding and for possession of intoxicating liquor. The arrest was made by T. A. Barker, chief state traffic inspector, who "whipped" the army man and who declares he was going 42 miles an hour. Ruffner was searched at the city jail and a bottle of pure grain alcohol mixed with ginger ale is said to have been found in his possession.

S. M. Endicott has filed action in circuit court against Christ Wolf and Jakob Dauenbauer to collect money alleged to be due.

F. W. Haack has been named administrator of the estate of Fred W. Haack. The administrator is father of the deceased and the only other heir is Anna Haack. They reside at Marion.

## CORN DECLARES STORY OF FIGHT NOT ACCURATE

Insisting that he never indulges in pugilistic encounters of any kind with members of the fair gender, H. C. Corn, proprietor of the Valley Grille, who was yesterday reported to have struck Miss Nell Mitchell, waitress in the restaurant, this morning came forward with what he states is a complete explanation of yesterday's episode. His statement, substantiated by the word of three witnesses voluntarily produced by him, is to the effect that Miss Mitchell was the aggressor at all times, only throwing up her arms to protect herself," says Corn. He denies emphatically that he threw the waitress against the wall or struck her in the face.

Corn further declares that he paid the two girls—Susie Mitchell quit work at the same time she left out of sympathy for her—the entire wages due them. The checks were made out and given to the agent for the local branch of the waitress' union, he states. They quit while the noon rush was on, and could hardly expect to be paid upon cash right at that minute, Mr. Corn claims.

The difficulty arose over two pillow slips that apparently got into Corn's laundry through some mistake on the part of somebody. The question of whose fault it was, and what were the motives behind the act, precipitated the conflict.

By today the atmosphere had completely cleared, and no sign was to be seen of the recent argument.

Disposition of the dispute over the location of the St. Paul highway will be made definitely on July 28, County Judge Hunt stated today. The dispute revolves around whether the proposed Fair field-St. Paul route should be placed in the five year program, or whether a four mile stretch on the present St. Paul highway should be paved, completing the routing from Salem to St. Paul. Delegation of authority before the court in favor of both propositions.

T. P. Bieleigen has been named administrator of the \$3500 estate of Anna Iversen, Stella Iversen, his wife, is one of the heirs, four others residing outside of the county.

A valuation of \$15,488 has been placed on the estate of Parthena Elizabeth Compton by C. W. Irvine, E. Burroughs and R. E. Porterfield appraisers. The real property of the estate, including 400 acres of land in Polk county, is valued at \$14,000.

It will be a month or more before an order can be expected from the public service commission in the Portland street car fare case, according to a statement from the commission today. All exhibits must yet be examined by the commission and the preparation of the order has not yet begun. A reduction in fares is demanded, the complaint before the commission being made by the Portland Housewives council.

H. C. Gilbert, president of the Liberty parent teacher association, was in Salem this morning advising the chamber of commerce that the Liberty district expects to come in this year with the biggest community exhibit it has ever had and to go after the first prize with a bang. The district contemplates holding a small community show prior to the corn show, at which time it will select the prize winning exhibits to be put on at the big show here.

The case of the state against P. C. Morris, who was fined \$10 in police court for assault and battery on the person of John Williamson of the Lone Star service station, is now being investigated by the police court, and attempt being made to present in that court also. The case has been continued pending an investigation of the city records.

The case of the state against James Baker, accused of assaulting John Anderson, an aged man, with a dangerous weapon, is scheduled to begin in the circuit court today. Anderson had been employed as a cook by Baker. The latter accused Anderson of stealing his false teeth and also some money, and is alleged to have attacked Anderson first with a banjo and then with a knife, cutting him in a dangerous manner that for a time it was feared Anderson would die. Baker claims he was drunk at the time.

Miss Edith Birch, stenographer at the city hall, is acting as city treasurer while City Treasurer C. O. Rice is on his vacation.

H. S. Gile, recently returned from the annual international Rotary convention at Cleveland, Ohio, gave a report of the convention at this noon's luncheon of the local Rotarians at the Marion hotel. He made a peculiar (and a little more public and humorous) statement, which will seat 12,000 people, and has not a pillar or post to mar the view of any member of the audience. "It is a real demonstration of community pride," said Mr. Gile. Rotarians came to the convention from all parts of the world, and from as far north as Alaska, and as far south as New Zealand. The next annual convention is to be held at Denver.

Roy and Mrs. F. E. Brown of Brownsville were in Salem this morning.

O. E. Franke of Newport was in Salem on private business today.

## BE CAREFUL



H. G. Carl, 965 E street, reports to the police a collision between his automobile and an unidentified car at State and High streets.

Harry Martin of Brooks reports that his car was bumped in the rear by an unidentified car on the Pacific highway south of Brooks. Cars driven by A. L. Libbey, 465 South Winter street, and J. E. Cox collided at 14th and State.

## EVOLUTION IS ATTACKED IN WASHINGTON

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After going into detail as to the contents of approved text books, including G. W. Hunter's biology, which was cited in the Dayton, Tenn., trial, and the teachings of chemistry, biology, astronomy and other scientific subjects, Wittner set forth that these, taken literally, conflicted with scriptural text, which he quoted as setting forth: "That man was created from the dust in one day and that woman was made from the rib of Adam."

"That the dead body of every human being that ever lived will be resurrected alive on judgment day."

"That the first man fell because the first woman believed what a snake said about eating forbidden fruit."

"That Jesus Christ arose bodily from the dead when no blood was left in his veins."

"That God made all the dust of Egypt turn to lice as a punishment for the hard-heartedness of an Egyptian king."

"That God turned every drop of water in all Egypt into blood to punish the Egyptian king."

"That Jesus turned water into wine."

"That God turned Lot's wife into a pillar of salt."

"That the earth is flat and on a foundation."

"That when Joshua commanded, the sun and moon stood still."

The appropriation bill provision cited was inserted by Representative Summers, republican, Washington, at the last session of congress and occasioned no debate.

Two other provisions in the rider—against the teaching of partisan politics and a statement that the American government is an inferior form of government—became the subject of some debate with Representative Cramton, republican, Michigan, in charge of the bill, seeking to have the rider thrown out.

Dr. J. O. Van Winkle of Jefferson is in a hospital at Salem declared by his physicians to be in a critical condition.

Adjutant General George White of the Oregon national guard was reported this afternoon to be greatly improved over his condition for the past few days. A decided turn for the better was noted yesterday. His physicians stated, General White will be back at work within a week unless he suffers a relapse, which is not anticipated. He has been confined to his bed for a week with intestinal influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Green of Suver were in Salem this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitts of Gervais were Salem visitors today.

W. A. Sloper of Independence was in this city this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rice were in Salem today. They are residents of Corvallis.

A. Loverman and his son, Tony Loverman were in Salem this morning. Their home is in Aumsville.

Harold Ware, local boy scout executive, returned from Camp Casseman, near Cascade, for a few hours yesterday afternoon. He went to camp again last night. The first session of the camp will return to Salem at the close of this week.

I. J. Crimmon of Independence was in Salem today.

Information was received here today of the death in Portland of Mrs. M. M. Kavanagh, 664 Perry street, Salem.

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## MARRIAGES ON INCREASE HERE UNDER NEW LAW

Marriage license business in this county has been looking up considerably since the new law went into effect allowing licenses to be issued to anyone anywhere. Under the old law one of the contracting parties had to be a resident of the county, and as a result scores, and even hundreds, were turned away over a period of years.

As it is the tourist crop, with the auto camps, are bringing about the culmination of many romances here, which otherwise would have to seek some other point to culminate in the marriage license bureau. As an instance, only yesterday a license was issued to a couple, one of whom was from Los Angeles and the other from Detroit, Mich. It is believed by the end of the year the records will show an exceedingly enhanced business in the form of marriages here, which otherwise would have gone to other points. Outside marriages, in fact, seem to constitute a budding industry for this point since the enactment of the new law.

## GOLFERS PICKED FOR LOCAL TEAM

Donald Young, who is now acting as captain of the Illness Country Club golf team, has selected the following men to compose the club's team: Ercel Kay, Rex Sanford, Dr. L. H. Olinger, J. H. Farrar, Orris Fry, L. C. Farmer, George Hug, A. C. Bailey, Fred Blauvelt, Gus Hixson, Donald Young, Tom Woods, Claude Steuelf, Harold Olinger, F. A. Elliott and George Brown.

Matches are being arranged with the Alderwood, Tuslatin Multnomah clubs of Portland and the Oregon City and Albany golf clubs. The matches will be for teams of 12 to 16 men and will be scheduled for every second Sunday for the balance of the present season. Club tournaments, which are in the hands of Rex Sanford, will be played on the intervening Sundays and week-ends.

Announcement has been made that all club members not included on the team have the right to challenge any team member for his position.

## WOODBURN CASE MAY GO TO JURY

N. Miller's damage action against the city of Woodburn promises to drag out well along toward evening before it reaches the jury, according to indications this morning.

The city had put on 10 witnesses at the opening of their defense this morning, and it suddenly discovered on the afternoon for the defense that they had three more to put on. Added to this indicated that the defense would have put on 13 witnesses when it closed its case and attorneys were considering running in an extra one so as to avoid the possible jinx of a 13th witness.

Likelihood was that with witnesses, arguments, and instructions the case might possibly get to the jury during the middle of the afternoon, although this was largely dependent on the length of the arguments.

## SURRENDER AND CONFESSION OF BROTHER ONLY HOPE

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Detroit club women also raised a fund of \$2500 to be used in retaining expert legal talent to make a last desperate effort to frustrate the hanging. Clarence S. Barrow, defender of Lusk and Leopold, said he could not serve, but that he had telegraphed Small asking clemency.

Miss Dorothy Newberg, who several years ago sued Scott for breach of promise came out in his defense and was reported en route to Chicago from Cheesee, Minn., to aid him.

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## DUEL THEORY DISCARDED; MURDER SEEN

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purpose in San Diego," and explained that since he had been victorious in the exchange of bullets with Kirk, his enemy for six years, it devolved upon him to write final to the feud by putting a bullet through his own brain.

Later yesterday, however, the city marshal of Incepal found a knotted silk stocking, a knotted necktie and an army belt, all blood stained, concealed near the spot where Kirk's body was found. Wisp of hair resembling Kirk's, clasp to the stocking and necktie, which apparently had been cut from the body of one who had been gagged with the stocking while his hands were tied with the necktie and his foot bound together with the belt. The officer said he was satisfied Kirk met death bound and gagged. In the Honolulu man's coat was found a letter from a woman in that city dealing at some length with a past love affair with Kirk and containing the sentence "our affair can go on no longer."

Trudon was a former army man but whether he was ever stationed in Honolulu or ever lived there as a civilian had not been determined early today.

Kirk, it was learned, had packed his belongings and made arrangements to leave for Honolulu a few hours before death cancelled his plans.

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