

LOCALS

The Wheaton college quintet of Wheaton, Illinois, will present a musical program at the Immanuel Baptist church, Hazel and Academy streets, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The program will consist of negro spirituals and gospel songs by the quartet, interspersed with instrumental music and personal testimonials followed by a short gospel message. This group has traveled more than 50,000 miles since 1928. They started their tour this year on June 16 and will return to Wheaton September 8. There will be no admission charge but a free will offering will be taken to help meet traveling expenses.

For lumber, shingles and building material, see Pedee Lumber Co., 1231 Edgewater street, W. Salem. Phone 3311. W. T. Grier, mgr.

A swimming and life saving campaign is being held at Aurora this week by the Black Dragon life saving corps. Claud Martin is in charge and is being aided by Donna Bishop, Martha Warren, Richard Hyde and other members of the corps. About 80 persons are taking instructions in junior and senior life saving and advanced swimming, with about 40 beginners in the class. Tests will be given Sunday. A life saving demonstration will be given Sunday afternoon by various members of the corps to end the campaign.

Biggest, best old-time, dance, Crystal Gardens, Wed., Sat. 176*

Oregon motorists pay an average of 5 cents more in license fees than the average registration fee of all other states. Statistics compiled by the secretary of state's office show that the average license fee for passenger vehicles in Oregon is \$21.33 a year, or 19 cents per mile, based on an annual average of 11,000 miles. The national average on the same mileage is 14 cents per mile license cost.

Hey, Skinnel! Look at my whoopy stick I got from Curly's Dairy. They give you one for every cash customer you get and they only charge 8c a quart, cash.

J. W. Lafollett, who is suing Ladd and Bush for \$25,000 in a copy for the affirmative matter set forth by the defendant's answer, filed with the circuit court, denied the statement of the answer except in so far as the allegations of the answer agree with the facts alleged in the complaint of the plaintiff.

Household furniture for sale. See Mr. Gher, 10 to 6, Phone 7783.

An accounting from Joseph Bartnik, former administrator of the estate of Christian Engl is requested in an order filed by the county judge. Ladd and Bush Trust company, which is handling the estate, asked for the accounting. The concern states that the Engl estate was appraised at \$100,000 and that while Bartnik was relieved of his duties in connection with the matter, an accounting has not been turned in.

Vacation shoes put in shape for that trip. Salem Shoe Shop, 138 S. Liberty, J. R. Pollock.

In an order issued by the county court, Ladd and Bush Trust company is authorized to expend not to exceed \$50 per month in hiring services of a special attendant for Wm. J. Haberly, incompetent. In addition \$45 per month is authorized for board and lodging of ward and attendant.

Wanted, a good used trumpet and standard banjo. Phone 5110. 173*

Geo. M. Hug, superintendent of Salem schools who has been at Berkeley, Cal., during the past 10 days attending the sessions of school superintendents of the Pacific coast, will return to Salem Sunday evening, according to information contained in a letter received here today. With the return of the superintendent to Salem it is expected budget matters will be discussed Tuesday evening when the next session of the school board will be held.

Callex. The amazing new method of permanent waving. No machine! No electricity! Given at the Model Beauty Parlor. Phone 7870. 174*

A picture of Ralph Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Barnes of Salem, is published in the July 18 issue of Editor and Publisher, The Fourth Estate, technical newspaper magazine. Barnes' picture appears with that of Robin Kinkaid of Palo Alto, Calif., as the two U. S. newspaper correspondents now in Moscow. Barnes represents the New York Herald Tribune.

For sale, pedigreed Golden Cocker Spaniel puppies \$8 and \$12; 1160 S. 14th St. after 5 p.m. 173

George T. Cottle of New York City accompanied his sisters, the Misses Louise Clara and Phoebe Cottle of Boston, Mass., who have for the past week been visiting their uncle, Gerold Volk, on South Commercial street, left this morning for Los Angeles to attend the Olympic games. They are traveling by automobile. Cottle is a well known financier and also a lieutenant colonel in the New York reserves. He was enthusiastic over the climate of Oregon and says the financial outlook in Oregon is far better than in most states.

The popular Friday dance, Hazel Green, Entertainment and fun. 174

Charles T. Stevens pleaded guilty in justice court Thursday to a charge of driving his car with four persons in the front seat and was fined \$2.50.

W. M. Garner is back at his barber shop in Bligh Hotel, following two weeks' illness.

Upon the promise to make no further trouble, Jewel Giles, accused of assault and battery on the person of her mother-in-law, Mary Giles, was extended the leniency of the justice court Thursday. She first pleaded not guilty, but

FATHER ADMITS CHAINING GIRL WHILE TOILING

Camden, N. J., July 21 (AP)—A 12-year-old girl, her thin legs wrapped in steel chains to prevent her from running away from home while she toiled at piece work for her father, obtained for her, stood before Police Judge Pancoast today and unfolded a story of punishment and penance.

Anthony Persiani, the father, willingly admitted that for long intervals over the past two years he has kept the steel chains about the legs of his daughter.

He claimed that she was incorrigible and a runaway. He had once been forbidden by the court to beat her, and he knew of no other way of punishing her, he said.

But the child, Lena—a scarred leg bearing mute testimony to her story—claimed that it was only because of the chaining that she had sought to flee. She listened anxiously while an agent of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children testified that, exhausted from toiling with piecework at home, the child had frequently gone to sleep in her public school classroom, too weary to attend to her studies.

An agent who called at the Persiana residence could not obtain admittance, but Lena today testified that, chained in an upper room, she had heard the doorbell on the day of the visit.

On June 13 she managed to slip off the chain and escape. Wandering about the city, she collapsed on the front porch of the home of Mrs. Elsie Brown, and was found asleep there. After questioning the child, Mrs. Brown brought the case to the attention of the children's society.

Shawano, Wis., July 21 (AP)—Two Chicago gangsters, one long believed by police to have been a survivor of the St. Valentine's Day massacre and the other a power in a turbulent Chicago teamsters' union, were put to death near here today in gang fashion.

The dead were Patrick (Paddy) Berrell, alias Pat McMan, vice-president of the International Teamsters union, and William Marx, his bodyguard who was hunted after the St. Valentine's Day slaughter on a police theory that he was present and survived the machine gunning.

The pair were cut down by machine gun and sawed-off shotgun fire as they stepped from the door of a roadhouse five miles from here.

London, July 21 (AP)—Mrs. Elvira Dolores Barney, acquitted recently in the murder of her lover, Michael Scott Stephen, collapsed when fined 50 pounds and 10 pounds and 10 shillings costs today on the charge of possessing an unlicensed firearm.

Mrs. Barney was carried from the court screaming hysterically after she pleaded guilty to possession of the firearm, the revolver with which Stephen was about during a struggle with her.

Baldini leveled off for the field below him and bumped down to a perfect landing.

He got out and regarded his surroundings with astonishment. He had landed in his own back yard.

Two hundred delegates registered Wednesday to establish a record for pre-convention attendance.

Speakers at the luncheon meeting today included Rufus Holman, state treasurer, who spoke for Governor Meier in welcoming the delegates to the convention, and R. S. Bryson, city recorder, who welcomed the veterans on behalf of the city and mayor, Glenn R. Jackson, department commander, responded.

Edward P. Bailey, Eugene attorney, was the principal speaker at the event. Members of the auxiliary were welcomed by Mrs. L. G. Hollerline, president of the Eugene "Gold Chevron" club. Mrs. Cecile Porter, of Portland, president of the department auxiliary, responded.

He and a friend lost their way and a sudden avalanche swept Nichols from his feet. His skull was fractured and both arms and legs were broken. His body was brought to Istanbul today.

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Continuation of—HEAT WAVE BROKEN

St. Louis thermometers read 99, Milwaukee, Louisville and Chicago 97, New York and Washington 95, not too warm at 87, while Pittsburgh and Detroit suffered at 92. New England weather was merely seasonal. Similar reports came from the Pacific coast and the western mountain region.

The five nurses on the Marion court, health department staff sponsored a tea at the health unit office on North High street Thursday afternoon, honoring Mrs. John P. Ballantyne of Silverton, chairman of the nursing committee, and Miss Ruth Rulison of Salem, chairman of the supply committee. Members of the two committees, who furnish assistance during the various clinics held by the health department about the county, were invited to attend.

Between 50 and 60 women from the following communities called during the tea hours: Silverton, Salem, Aumsville, Jefferson, Gates, Melama, Mill City, Rickety, Stayton, Turner, St. Paul, Woodburn, Central, Howell, Hubbard, Kalmer, Mt. Angel, Monitor, West Stayton, Aurora, Glenvale, Brooks, Scotts Mills, Silverton Hills and Liberty.

Mrs. Saldie Orr Dunbar, prominent club woman and treasurer of the Oregon state tuberculosis chairman, and Eleanor Thompson, national president of the American Nurses association and director of nurses education at the University of Oregon, both of Portland, were special guests.

Hostesses for the tea were Grace Taylor, Margaret McAlpine, Nova Lyndes, Irma LeRiche and Juanita Johnson, of the Marion county health staff. Mrs. D. B. Hill, Mrs. C. C. Dauer, Mrs. Brazier Small, all of Salem and Mrs. W. Allen of Mill City, presided at the tea during the afternoon.

Portland, July 21 (AP)—A bomb placed on the stairway, wrecked a room which police say housed a gambling establishment in the downtown area shortly after midnight today. No one was injured.

Police who sped to the scene said they found cards, poker chips, dice and shakers, gambling table covers and records of winnings and losses. Investigation disclosed that the intruders had ransacked the room before blasting it. Detectives did not know whether the bombing was revenge of a loser at cards or of a rival in business.

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RICH WOMAN SHOT TO DEATH BY GARDENER

San Francisco, July 21 (AP)—Her body riddled with pistol bullets, Mrs. Alice O. Spencer, capitalist, was found slain in the servants' quarters of her palatial Menlo Park estate today.

Police declared she was killed by John Viano, her gardener, who then committed suicide. His body was found in a garage nearby.

The double tragedy occurred after Mrs. Spencer, a widow of exactly two months, had had an argument with Viano over the work he had been doing. Police, however, suspected a deeper motive behind the affair.

The murder was discovered by Vincent Cruz, Mrs. Spencer's house boy, who became alarmed when he entered her bedroom and found it unoccupied. He ran to the room of Viano, and found her body on the floor.

She had been shot in the head and breast several times.

Search for Viano ended in the garage. A pistol lay beneath his body. There was a bullet wound in his head.

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Continuation of—HAMILTON TO HEAD

Thompson and Joe Roman, of Astoria, that the job be given to Tom Mahoney of Portland. This is the first intimation that the Independent-republican forces of Governor Meier might be seriously interested in having a hand in organizing the state committee, as such of the governor's strength has been attributed to the manner in which he has held aloof from party politics.

Thompson, Roman and Mahoney were active workers for Meier in the last campaign and were prominent among administration forces attending the last session of the legislature.

Organization of the democratic state committee will be accomplished in Portland on Saturday of this week, and it is expected that efforts to unseat Carl Donough, present state chairman and staunch supporter of Franklin D. Roosevelt, will be unavailing. Donough's reelection is being opposed by certain of the bourbon group that has always fought Walter M. Pierce, but so far his opponents have not set upon a candidate showing any promise of being able to defeat him.

The anti-Pierce forces feel that Donough is too close to Pierce, who besides being the national committeeman is also the party's nominee for congressman from the second district.

Work final stretch silver falls road

Dirk has begun to fly on the final stretch of the south Silver Creek Falls road, Frank O. Johnson, county road supervisor reported Thursday upon his return from a trip of inspection of the falls country. Clearing of the right of way for the new road is being pushed rapidly by the state, while several teams and pieces of machinery have been placed on the job. The new road which comes directly in from the highway leading over to the north falls directly in front of the gateway leading to the south falls, thereby carrying traffic completely around the privately owned property on one bank of the stream.

The order rock crusher will be put into operation immediately, Johnson says, to provide rock for approximately a mile and a half of market road No. 43, or the North Falls route.

Denial made of Jehol conquest

Tokyo, July 21 (AP)—Japanese military authorities today denied there was any intention of conquest of the province of Jehol which lies on the Manchurian border and is a part of the new state of Manchoukuo.

A small expeditionary force has been sent into Jehol to rescue Gonshiro Ishimoto, a former Japanese army officer who was captured by Jehol troops some days ago. The authorities said the force had not been increased and that no trouble was expected inasmuch as the Jehol authorities had promised to liberate their captive in a day or two.

A report from Mukden to the Tokyo war office confirmed dispatches that Japanese aviators had been in action over Chaoyang in eastern Jehol.

Meanwhile there was alarm and confusion throughout northern China. There was a report Chiang Kai-Shek was on the way back to Nanking from Hankow because of the "Jehol crisis." Another report said the Nanking government had ordered Chang Hailao-Liang to mobilize "against the Japanese threat."

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Associated Charities Report Shows Extent Of Aid To Unemployed

A business handling more than \$3,000 in seven months is a fairly respectable business in these days of empty pocketbooks and red ink ledgers. It is because business conditions are in the present shape and that unemployment is rampant that the report of this particular business totals up as it does.

In the report of the Associated Charities from November 1, 1931, to May 31, 1932, prepared by the secretary, Mrs. Mae Carson Young, the books show that \$3,448.25 in money has been received into the relief organization's coffers, and relief work estimated at \$2,934.45 given the needy of Salem and vicinity.

Impossible to estimate in dollars and cents is the amount of good will, of cheerful cooperation, of interested advice on personal problems and of constructive sympathy not only from the Associated Charities staff to those in need of help, but among the people calling for assistance toward other ends.

It is a matter of cooperation, for the needy asking assistance at the Charities office gladly turn in and do the few little tasks asked of them, such as cutting wood, helping in the soup kitchen, putting up food for next winter's use, mending and cleaning garments donated through the Charities, and general sewing. Aside from all these, the Charities at Christmas time with street kettles, and some sewing and repair work, the only work done for groceries is on the wood pile. All clothing is given without work being required.

During the seven months, the Associated Charities received \$2,540 from Community Service; \$74.95 in donations from other sources; \$130.80 from sales of wood, lumber and brick when men working for the Charities pulled down some old buildings; \$12 from room rents, and \$250 paid for use of the truck.

Overhead for the seven months were: For salaries, cook \$110, secretary \$650, truck driver \$130; rent, office and woodyard, \$175; electricity, \$16.62; water, \$19.55; office expense, \$25.25; telephone \$24.25; auto expense \$152.32; miscellaneous including roofing for house, tools, hardware, etc., \$12.82; totaling \$1,326.81.

A resume of relief work done during the seven months shows that groceries valued at \$1,409.08 were distributed; 4148 articles of clothing valued at \$705.15, 96 loads of wood valued at \$222.25 and 79 articles of furniture valued at \$70.65 were given to those in need. The numbers of families assisted were: During November, 131; December, 173; January, 147; February, 138; March, 110; April, 80; and May, 137.

Through the soup kitchen, the Associated Charities does a valuable service in talking care of transients. Each transient was asked to cut three sticks of wood for his meal, and from November 1 to May 31, 5213 meals were served transients. All persons receiving meals were requested to register, but some did not do so, so the number of meals served was larger than recorded.

Twenty dollars a month is paid to the soup kitchen cook, and the kitchen each day requires about 20 pounds of bread, a pound of coffee, 35 pounds of potatoes, 10 pounds of beans, two and a half gallons of fruit, jelly, etc., and three gallons of milk. Other vegetables, meat and food stuffs are used as they are received.

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