

LOCALS

Judgment has been entered in circuit court in the case of Salem Contractors, Inc., against Glen McMillan and order made to sell property to satisfy the judgment.

Attachment on real property in Feller's addition has been released in an order filed with the county court in the case of Eena company against Mrs. Gilbert Ballantine.

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Georgia Malotte Smith as executrix of the estate of Elizabeth Buck, has been granted a final order in probate to close the estate. The order shows that she has made final distribution of \$760.50 to George Malotte Smith, Charlotte Kruegel and Frances Malotte.

Hill's Wimpy Hamburgers, N. Cap.

Supplementary articles of Incorporation have been filed for the Imperial Furniture company by Walter J. Kirk, James R. Humphrey and Frank J. Chapman. The articles show capital stock of \$22,800 divided into 228 shares of which 78 shares are preferred and 150 common.

Complete luncheon 30c. The Grotto, 31

Rhoin Cooley, well known iris grower of Silverton, will be the speaker at the Salem garden club meeting at the chamber of commerce at 8 o'clock tonight. He will talk on his favorite subject of iris.

Love Jeweler, 125 N. High St. 37*

Senator Henry L. Corbett, president of the senate, will address members of the Kiwanis club during their luncheon at the Marston hotel Tuesday noon. Ben Ramsey will give the attendance prize.

Complaint for \$7550 in damages has been filed in circuit court by Iola Peterson against Ferdinand E. Barnick for injuries alleged to have been sustained in an accident at State and 23rd streets when cars of the two came together on December 28 of last year. The plaintiff says she sustained fractured bones of the nose, bruises, lacerations and other injuries.

Hear Joe Williams Jr. 11:30 KSLM*

The final annual report of Joseph J. Lambrecht as guardian for Clifford and Germaine Etzel and Andrew and Margaret Heim, minors, has been filed in probate showing receipts of \$2523.48 and expenditures of \$215.68. Each minor's share of the estate is placed at \$628.92.

Widow's allowance of \$75 a month has been granted to Flora Berndt from the estate of William Berndt. The estate has been appraised at \$2816.07 by Howard Grimm, August Hockenstein and Irene Roemhildt.

Your old heating stove is worth \$10 this month in trade on any Circulator at the Imperial Furniture Co. 30*

Complaint for money alleged to be due on a hauling contract for hauling pulp wood from near Lyons to the Oregon Pulp & Paper company here has been filed by William Buchanan against E. L. Stewart in circuit court.

The industrial accident commission has filed three complaints for money alleged to be due for premiums on workmen's compensation, defendants being Elmer Holloway, Charles J. Johnson and William Pelkey and others.

Eckerlen's famous Crawfish. 30*

Miss Carolyn Braden, stenographer at the city hall, is absent from her desk because of illness.

Stockholders and directors of the Salem Golf club will hold their annual meeting at the club house beginning at 8 o'clock Monday night. Erel Kay is president of the club. Directors are Kay, Dr. Prince Byrd, Fred Ritter, Wm. Busick and John Varley.

After a week's illness Ellen Ray has now returned to her Beauty Shop next door to Ladd & Bush. Phone 6631.

City Attorney Chris J. Kowitz said today that the city would probably file its reply to the water company's supplemental answer.

More than 25 Chemeketa from Salem participated in the winter sports program of the local mountaineering organization at Government Camp Saturday evening and Sunday. A large number made the trip to the resort Saturday afternoon and spent the night at Mazama lodge. The weather during Sunday was above the freezing point while road conditions were such that no chains were necessary between Rhododendron and the camp.

Quite a large group of local people who went to the Buck Bradley home Sunday morning to view the eclipse of the sun didn't find it necessary to strain their eyes by looking through the telescope which Mr. Bradley has at his home. He had the telescope arranged to throw the view of the sun on the screen, so it was possible for the whole group to see the phenomenon at the same time. He says an excellent view was had of the eclipse.

A sawdust burner got too hot at 1640 Court street Monday morning and the fire department made a run to that place.

E. Elwood, route 2, at Brooks and Highland. James T. Ryan, Chennawa, and Hazel Emmett, on Liberty between State and Court. Melvin Sorell, 735 North Commercial, and an unidentified driver, on Turner road three miles beyond Four Corners.

A. E. Vickers is charged by Thelma Lee with attempting to remove her from a house at 975 North 17th street, and he is charged in police court with disorderly conduct. He pleaded not guilty and furnished \$25 bail. His case has been set for trial February 14.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Barray and Mrs. Rose Warzeth and children of Seattle and Mary A. Moorman of Portland were called to Salem today by the serious illness of their father, George Dickey. Margaret and Joseph Bollinger, grandchildren, also came down from Portland.

GOLD DECISION DELAYS ACTION

Washington, Feb. 4 (AP)—Congress returned to work today with administration leaders facing fresh perplexities created by postponement of the supreme court's gold clause decision.

Little constructive legislation is likely until the decision is announced. So much depends on the outcome that congress may be expected to mark time except for routine matters until the court acts.

New dealers appeared disappointed in postponement of a decision which had been expected today. Tension increased. Fear the delay may result in stagnation of security markets was expressed.

The congressional situation is not satisfactory from an administration viewpoint. The setback on the world court last week threw party forces into disarray.

The controversial \$4,800,000 work relief bill is due to be reported out by the senate appropriations committee this week.

Dissatisfaction with the huge appropriation bill, starting among republicans, has spread to some democrats, among them Chairman Carter Glass of the appropriations committee who was not consulted when the White House was preparing the measure.

HOLD SLAYER OF BETRAYER

Klamath Falls, Ore., Feb. 4 (AP)—Lawrence Lister, 46, Klamath Falls butcher, came to his death from gunshot wounds at the hands of Miss Marion Meyerle, 33, a comrade's jury determined here today.

The woman charges that the butcher was the father of her unborn child. She has not yet been examined by doctors.

The expectant mother has maintained a composed silence at the county jail. Questioned by the district attorney, she said the gun was first in Lister's hands. In a brief struggle before the shooting, she told the authorities she managed to take it away from him.

\$115,000 ALLOTTED RELIEF PROJECTS

Portland, Feb. 4 (AP)—Approval of state emergency relief projects to cost more than \$115,000 was announced by the SERA board today. Of the total expenditure, \$87,000 will go for wages.

Two of the largest projects will be in Multnomah county. One, costing \$16,000, will provide a necessary drainage tunnel under a slide between Terwilliger and Barbur boulevards. The other is for painting the Broadway bridge, wages to total \$14,000.

GIRL KIDNAPED ON WAY TO SCHOOL

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 4 (AP)—June Haas, nine year old St. Paul school girl, was kidnaped today while walking to school with a girl companion.

A man and a woman in an automobile drew up to the curb near the children. The man leaped out, forced the girl into the car and fled. Dozens of police and deputy sheriffs rushed to the scene but preliminary investigation indicated the kidnaping was not for ransom.

The child's mother, Mrs. Marcy C. Haas, said she believed the abductor was Charles Peter Whitson, 43. Police said Whitson had a long criminal record.

Parents of Quints On Way to Chicago

Toronto, Feb. 4 (AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Oliva Dionne, parents of the famous northern Ontario quintuplets, were in Toronto today on their way to Chicago. It was their first long trip since they went on their honeymoon to Ottawa in September, 1925.

The Dionnes refused to discuss their plans. Hurrying through the station, they rode away in a taxi to a hotel.

COURT UPHOLDS SENATE RIGHTS

Washington, Feb. 4 (AP)—The supreme court today upheld the right of the senate to punish William P. MacCracken, former assistant secretary of commerce, for alleged contempt of its ocean and air mail investigating committee.

The senate had imposed a 10-day jail sentence on MacCracken. He had argued successfully in the lower courts that only the courts could impose such punishment.

MacCracken served in the Hoover administration and later became attorney for a number of leading air lines.

He and Col. L. H. Brittin, then an executive of Northwest Airways, were accused of withholding documents subpoenaed by the senate investigating committee. They were brought before the bar of the senate and 10-day sentences imposed on both.

Brittin served his time at once in the District of Columbia jail, but MacCracken fought the sentence.

The supreme court opinion has an important bearing in determining the extent to which senate and house committees may go in punishing recalcitrant witnesses.

MacCracken's records were subpoenaed by the senate committee a little more than a year ago. He questioned the right of the committee to demand these files which, he held, were confidential matters between lawyer and client.

\$629,614,037 PAID FARMERS

Washington, Feb. 4 (AP)—The department of agriculture today nearly 3,000,000 farmers in every state and Puerto Rico has given \$629,614,037 in payments for participating in crop control programs.

To carry this farm recovery bill, the AAA reported today, \$640,671,403 has been collected in processing taxes on pork, flour, cotton, corn, peanuts, tobacco, sugar and paper.

Corn-hog raisers got the most, \$187,196,942 for limiting their acreage and the litters produced for market last year. Cotton farmers who ploughed up about a quarter of the 1933 crop got \$127,739,161 and those who restricted planting in 1934 to approximately 40 per cent of the 1928-32 average were paid \$102,831,384. Other payments by commodities as of Jan. 31:

Wheat, 1933 program, \$90,376,236; wheat, 1934 program, \$58,816,893; cotton pool advances, \$45,395,857; exercise of cotton options \$12,182,750; and sugar, \$55,604.

More than 10,000,000 checks have been sent to producers, the AAA announced.

In addition to benefit payments, the AAA spent \$170,290,958 in drought relief and surplus removal activities. Emergency purchases of cattle in drought areas last summer cost \$91,705,445; sheep and goats, \$2,294,237; and seed conservation purchases, \$11,826,603. The AAA reported \$46,062,952 was paid for little pigs in 1933.

AIRCRAFT MAKER DIES ON BIRTHDAY

Dessau, Germany, Feb. 4 (AP)—Dr. Hugo Junkers, pioneer aircraft manufacturer, died last night on his 76th birthday. His death occurred in a Munich hospital where he recently had undergone an operation.

Dr. Junkers would have celebrated today the 25th anniversary of the day on which he was granted a patent on his first metal motorplane.

The celebrated German inventor, whose aircraft and engines are in use all over the world, retired from active participation in his business about two years ago.

SEARCH CONTINUES FOR BANDIT GANG

Salt Lake City, Utah, Feb. 4 (AP)—Police today continued a relentless search for a band of seven would-be train robbers who late Saturday night held up an east-bound Denver & Rio Grande Western mail and passenger train, but lost because of the bravery of the engineer and two railway mail clerks.

At gun point J. W. Maycroft, the engineer, defied a threat of death and sounded a warning whistle as the bandits swept over the tender and ordered him to stop the train shortly after it left the station. The whirling whistle blast sent Sam Tyree, the flagman to his death, for when he heard the signal he raced to a nearby freight to spread an alarm. He dropped dead from exhaustion as he neared his goal.

COUNTY PLANS WOOD PROJECTS

The Marion county court today is sending a letter to SERA headquarters advising of establishment here of two exclusively county wood projects to be operated for and at the expense of the county aside from the SERA projects under way.

Due to the great demand for wood this winter and its rapid disappearance the county decided to establish two wood projects at which any able-bodied employable citizen may work for wood and receive his pay in a percentage of the wood cut.

The basis of pay will be one cord of four foot wood to the woodcutter for every three cords cut, the cord going to the worker to be delivered anywhere within the city limits.

The project will include two tracts of timber. One of these is known as the Battle Creek project at the end of the Battle Creek market road, and the other about two miles south of the Battle Creek track.

Under rules laid down by the court qualifying the projects, all persons qualified to cut may make their wants known either to the county court or SERA headquarters here. All persons will furnish their own transportation and tools to the wood lots. All wood cutters will be required to clean up brush and limbs after cutting.

TWO CLIMBERS WILL RECOVER

Portland, Feb. 4 (AP)—At the Sellwood General hospital where Bill Blanchard, 24, and Joe Daniels, 26, both of Portland, victims of a near-tragedy on Mount Hood Sunday, were rushed early today, it was said both men were doing nicely and would recover.

The men were reported to have slipped while attempting to ascend the 1900-foot, 80-degree angle "ice shoot" near the mountain's peak—and plunged 1000 feet down the side of the mountain.

At an early hour today the fate of Lester Smith, 25-year-old Portland hotel clerk, who was imprisoned in an ice canyon while attempting to cross the treacherous mountain slopes to give aid to Blanchard and Daniels, was still undetermined. Smith was not believed in any immediate danger.

Blanchard and Daniels were rescued by a Portland nurse, Miss Maxine Faircourt, her male companion on a mountain clim, Ole Lien, and two other Portland men, Charles Anderson and Ed Aho.

Miss Faircourt and Lien tried for several hours to get the injured men to Government Camp, but their attempt were not successful until Anderson and Aho appeared and gave their assistance. Blanchard and Daniels were taken to Government Camp and there placed in Anderson's automobile and rushed toward Portland.

The place where the two men suffered their accident is the last and steepest ascent on the climb to the peak of Mt. Hood, and long has been known as extremely dangerous to inexperienced climbers, particularly at this time of year, when the slopes are covered with new ice. Several persons have been killed by falls there in past years.

PICTURE EXHIBIT CLOSED SUNDAY

Closing hours of the exhibit of Oregon historical paintings by Mrs. Maxine Wanker of Portland, member of the American Artists Professional association, Sunday afternoon found a large number of pioneers and sons and daughters of pioneers present to view the historical scenes and buildings on exhibit in the fireplace room of the Salem public library. This exhibit, sponsored by the Salem Woman's club and the Salem Arts league, was open to the public all last week and drew a continually increasing throng of persons interested in Oregon history.

Mrs. Wanker, who is herself the daughter of a pioneer, painted this group to commemorate her pioneer grandparents. There are about seventy pictures at present. She contemplates adding to them as she finds time to visit other historical spots. High commendation was expressed by many persons concerning the time and patience required to visit the widely-separated points and paint under all sorts of unfavorable conditions.

It is said that this group of paintings already is priceless in value; and as the years pass and the buildings grow older and eventually pass into oblivion they will materially increase in value and importance. She has reproduced buildings from only a ground-plan and an elevation; she has painted with wind blowing sand all over the canvas; she has painted when her companions were distressed on account of high altitude. And she has painted when time was pressing so that every brush-stroke had to count.

It is believed that this exhibit has aroused the widest interest and has been visited by more persons than any offered to the public in Salem for a long period. Mrs. Edith Totzer Weathered, who lectured each afternoon and evening, held the attention of the groups as they visited the fireplace room and listened to her running comment that brought the historical narrative to life.

Nineteen fire calls were responded to in January by the East Salem fire station, a new high record for that company. The total number of fire alarms for the month was 51, none causing more than a slight loss. The central station at the city hall responded to 23 calls, the North Salem station 11, and the South Salem station eight.

Y.W.C.A. Workers Meet for Luncheon

Mayor V. E. Kuhn was the principal speaker at the Y.W.C.A. campaign luncheon held this noon at the Y.M.C.A. for team captains and their workers. He spoke regarding the value of the Y.W. in its relationship to the city. Rev. George H. Swift presided.

Other speakers included Mrs. L. O. Clement, president of the Y. W. board of directors; Mrs. Ira Darby, program chairman; Mrs. J. R. Pollock, publicity; Mrs. C. S. Hamilton, luncheon chairman; Miss Elizabeth Putnam, keeper of the records, and Mrs. Elizabeth Gailher, executive secretary. Mrs. Frank Spears, general chairman of the teams, gave the concluding talk.

Luncheon for campaign workers will be held again tomorrow noon at the Y. M. and several interesting talks will be given.

Corbett Sees Deliberative Legislation

The combination of a thoughtful senate, a youthful and enthusiastic house and a governor who has ability to check or prevent any precipitous action will go a long way toward making the present session of legislature one characterized by its deliberateness and lack of ill-tempered legislation was the prediction issued by Henry L. Corbett, president of the senate during an address before the Salem chamber of commerce Monday noon, in discussion of trends in law making.

Taxation, welfare, education and power will probably occupy the greater portion of attention of the law makers during the term, Corbett said, adding that there had been a marked slowing up in the desire to pass laws just for the sake of action since the legislators were last in session. At that time, he said, the members of the senate and the house reflected the panicky feeling of the general public and there was a tendency to pass laws without fully digesting the purport and effect. This session, however, there is much more deliberation and as a result Corbett believes there will be little "bad" legislation for the governor to pass judgment upon.

In taking up the question of power the speaker said he did not believe Bonneville would attract industry unless it was satisfied it would receive fair treatment in the matter of taxation. He said he was certain taxation had driven from the state much wealth which could have been used to build up industry. This departure is reflected in the steady decrease in the amount of revenue received from income, excise, inheritance and other forms of taxation.

DUMP TIN CANS ALONG ROADSIDE

With a gang of 30 or 40 men working to clean away tons and tons of rubbish which has been dumped through the years on the county gravel pit north of town, the county court was increased today when it discovered that someone had dumped a whole trailer full of tin cans and other debris on the roadside near the woods about 200 yards from the gravel pit. It was probably dumped there during the night last night.

County Commissioner Roy Melson said that watch men will be posted and anyone caught dumping trash along the road side will be given the limit if prosecution can bring it about.

"We have secured a government project to clean up these premises and in the face of the work being done some vandals dumped half a ton of rubbish in front of our noses as it were," said Melson. "Dumping rubbish along the roadsides over the county must stop and it will be stopped if we have to put on a special campaign to do it."

GEESE FLY NORTH TO HERALD SPRING

One of the earliest, and possibly the first band of geese to go north as harbingers of spring, passed over Salem today. There were 35 of the big birds in the flock, flying in single file, and they were said by observers to be of the gray variety.

This species of goose is said to be rarer in build, not chunky as some other species. They are a very "wingy" bird and fly 500 or 600 miles without landing, their destination as spring approaches being Alaska and other regions in the far north where they do their nesting.

Bird students say a sturdy gander always leads the flock, the weaker trailing. If one of the rear birds gets tired he honks the information to the leading gander who slows the pace.

The mortgage foreclosure case of Urban vs. Urban coming before Judge Lewelling today was continued by the court. It was discovered the mortgage in question contained no acceleration clauses or clauses providing that when part of the payments are not made all shall become due and the court ruled that even if judgment were entered it could only be for money now due. The mortgage does not finally become due until 1939.

City Building Inspector E. C. Bushnell issued a building permit to himself Monday, to repair a dwelling at 380 South 18th street, to cost \$30. A permit was issued to the Blich hotel to repair a marquee at a cost of \$85, and M. O. Comstock took out a permit to re-roof a one-story dwelling at 548 South 17th street at a cost of \$70.

BILL INCREASES PENSIONS TO \$45 TO OLD PEOPLE

The maximum monthly payment of the old age pensions will be raised from \$30 to \$45 under provisions of a bill introduced in the house Monday afternoon by Representative Oleen, Columbia. Lesser residence requirements are provided and some others eliminated. Another measure on the same general subject bears the name of Representative Leach, Multnomah. It provides for a revolving fund of \$10,000; that the state fair and Pacific International fair shall receive the same amount under the present act, and the balance paid to county treasurers in proportion to population for direct relief of mothers and old age pensions.

Appropriation of \$200,000 to be used in making loans by the Oregon school loan fund board, to teachers and other employes who have not been able to collect compensation, is sought in a bill by Representative Caulfield, Tillamook. Members of the board are the attorney general, superintendent of public instruction and state treasurer.

Distribution of funds received by the racing commission are asked in a bill by Representative Hockett and others. Under the bill 33 1/2 percent would be allowed the state fair, the same amount to the Pacific International, 7 1/2 percent to the eastern Oregon livestock show and the balance to county fairs.

Other bills contemplate slight changes in the requirements for a license to practice naturopathy; an attempt to codify laws relating to partnership; determining the priority of liens and amend the fish code relative to fishing in the Nehalem river, eliminating commercial fishing on Sundays from May 15 to October 15 and from December 15 to March 15.

Continuation of Heads Renamed

Elnitz, secretary of the board and purchasing agent.

Four names had been suggested, of which two had formally been placed in nomination. Secretary of State Earl Snel nominated Milton L. Meyers of Salem, Governor Martin presented the name of Dan Fry of Salem and State Treasurer Holman had declared that he was ready to go along with the other members of the board provided they could agree on one man.

Holman suggested the retention of S. B. Gillette, assistant purchasing agent under Elnitz and acting secretary of the board, as being qualified and deserving of consideration on the principal of promotion for long service rendered.

Holman's suggestion for a reorganization of the functions of the board and a consolidation of its functions and those of the budget commissioner, which would divide the work into two departments under a clerk of the board and a purchasing agent, was sidetracked when the governor asked that it be delayed until the comprehensive plan for setting up a departmental system of government can be devised.

In this connection Governor Martin reiterated his belief in a departmental form of government with centralized responsibility and decentralized operation.

"I do not want to be misunderstood," said the governor. "I have no intention of robbing you gentlemen of any of your responsibility," directing his remarks to Snel and Holman.

"I would give you more responsibility and more to do. These boards and commissions must be brought under centralized control. But that will take time and careful study. We must proceed carefully and not say something that will be full of holes and that will involve the state in lawsuits."

He said that he had only this morning directed his planning commission to institute a study of a departmental form of government.

The re-appointments of Dr. Steiner, Dr. McNary and Warden Lewis were upon motion of Snel and were promptly concurred in by the governor and Holman.

That strict economy is to rule the board's administration of state affairs was demonstrated in connection with the disposition of several matters coming up at today's meeting. A request of the state highway commission to increase the salaries of three structural designers from \$150 a month to \$190 a month was turned down cold, and three requests for the purchase of new automobiles for the use of state departments and employes were returned with a request for specific information as to what they were wanted for.

Not even a letter of explanation from Leslie M. Scott, chairman of the highway commission, pointing out that the highway department cannot keep competent skilled designers at its present scale of wages, has lost nine men to the federal government in the past year, and that two of its three designers have been offered salaries in excess of \$200 a month elsewhere, could move the board.

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TWO ARRESTED UPON DRUNKEN DRIVING CHARGE

The first cases in which defendants are accused of driving automobiles while under the influence of intoxicating liquor to appear in police court for several weeks came up today with Mart Bird of Salem and William P. Collard, rural route 8, the accused parties. Each took 24 hours in which to decide on his plea when arraigned before Police Judge A. Warren Jones this morning. Bird furnished \$500 bail and was released, and Collard was held in custody while efforts were being made to raise bail. Both men were arrested Sunday morning between 1 and 2 o'clock.

Kenneth Hunt, arrested Saturday night on a reckless driving charge, pleaded not guilty today and was released on \$20 bail. His car is being held by the police. Hunt's car, with several persons on the running board, is said by officers to have turned recklessly from Commercial into State street, struck a parked car and knocked it against another one and then made a U-turn, going west on State in a damaged condition. An officer stopped Hunt at Front street. His car had a damaged wheel and fender. The cars he collided with were owned by Leonard M. Wagner, 356 State street, and C. H. Talmage, 1763 Center. Damage to both was small. One man riding on Hunt's running board was thought to have been injured to some extent. His identity was not revealed.

Glenn J. Mathis, 1094 Jefferson street, and James Ray Neely, 650 Columbia, paid fines of \$25.00 in police court for speeding.

Paulus, 345 Marston and Emil Kroepelin, 1690 North Commercial, were fined \$2.50 each for failing to recognize stop signs.

Others booked by the police over the week-end for violation of traffic ordinances were:

For failing to heed stop signs—H. Viesko, 1342 South Liberty; Samuel Jungen, Jefferson; May G. Bach, 620 North 25th; Louis E. Lange, McKinville; and Chester F. Schuler, Pendleton.

For speeding—Morris R. Helsler, Salem; Joseph W. Tindall, Salem; Louis W. Amour, Senator hotel; Walter H. Sargent, Portland; L. W. Patrick, Portland; Elton Fishback, Dayton; Raymond H. Cross, 1145 North 17th; and Harold L. Broussard, Cascadia.

Cases booked in justice court showed that the drive of the state police against traffic offenders was going merrily ahead, most of the cases involving defective brakes.

Lyke Leslie Dow of Salem pleaded guilty to two counts for defective brakes and one for having no chauffeur's license, and was fined \$1 on each charge.

Frank T. Murray of Salem was doubly charged with violating the state motor transportation act and having bad brakes. He pleaded guilty to both, was fined \$25 on the first and \$1 on the second. He failed to pay and was committed to the custody of the sheriff.

Either Hanson paid a dollar fine for poor brakes, Willie O. Fisher couldn't pay his fine of \$1 and costs and was committed. S. A. D. Atkins admitted having defective brakes and paid \$1 and costs. Joel David Slater and Daniel Nelson both pleaded guilty on brake charges, weren't able to pay the small fines and the cases were continued to give them time to raise the money.

Judge Lewelling this afternoon remanded back to the county court for taking of further testimony the matter of determining the heirship of Sarah Wilmet to the estate of Mary Gregoire. Question of birth of Sarah Wilmet is under consideration and certain documents from Belgium bearing on it are to be introduced in evidence, these not being available at the earlier hearing before the county court.

The \$20,000 damage action of Harvey vs. Rock in Judge McMahon's court was expected to get to the jury this afternoon, the case being ready for arguments and instructions when court took up again after lunch today.

Three offenders were arrested for drunkenness over the week-end by the city police. Two of them are serving out \$10 fines in jail and the other forfeited \$10 bail.

CAST IS SELECTED FOR COMING PLAY

Announcement of the cast of "The Blue Bag," smart farce-comedy by J. C. McMillen that will be presented in the Salem high school auditorium March 1 by Chemeketa Players, Inc., for the charity fund of the Salem Lions club, was made Saturday night by Miss Beulah Graham, who will direct the production, and rehearsals immediately began in the new rehearsal room at 545 Chemeketa street.

Miss Graham has directed numerous plays for the Salem dramatic group and with the present cast, which is said to be exceptionally talented and experienced, it is expected that she will present to the Salem public a fast-moving, entertaining play. The scene of this farce is laid in the lobby of a hotel in Vermont and the plot centers about the search for a blue bag, a wager, and the complications that ensue, all written with an eye to laugh-producing lines and funny situations.