

# Locals

A free lecture on technocracy, its workings and application to public welfare, will be given tonight in court room No. 2 at the courthouse at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

A decision on whether to accept a proposal for further investigation into well water possibilities on Stayton Island may be reached by the Salem water commission at its meeting tonight. A special committee will report on an offer made by a pump company to drill several wells on a no-water-no-pay basis. Commissioner E. B. Grabenhorst is chairman of the committee.

Geraniums 15c; pink flowering dogwood, rhododendrons, bedding & rockery plants. H. L. Peary Nursery, 245 Court St. 95\*

The annual senior banquet for university and high school seniors of the First Methodist church will be served this year on May 12 at 6 p.m. The mothers of the church serve the dinner and the young people of the high school and freshmen of the college wait table. Miss Beth Hall has been appointed chairman of the decorations. Leo Baldwin, manager; Margaret Uphoff, program; Janet Powell, favors. Joe Van Winkle is general chairman.

Yellow Azaleas, 90c & \$1.50, starting to bloom. H. L. Peary Nursery Co., 245 Court St. 95\*

Rev. Hubert Mardock of Greenleaf, Ida., will conduct a revival campaign at the South Salem Friends church beginning Sunday and continuing through May 7. Those responsible for bringing Rev. Mardock to Salem state he is an evangelist of exceptional ability and wide experience. He conducted a series of meetings in the Highland and Rosedale Friends churches. Services will be held each night at 7:45 o'clock.

Lutz Florist, Ph. 9592, 1278 N. Lib

Building permits: H. O. Ward, to repair a two-story dwelling at 2285 State, \$30. Quello cafe, to repair restaurant, \$2000. T. J. McCurdy, to build garage at 955 Gaines, \$40.

The quarterly convention of the Northwest Oregon Peace Officers' association will be held tonight at Dallas and a large delegation of local officers plan to attend. The meeting will be held at the Dallas Chamber of Commerce headquarters in the city hall. Begins at 8:30 o'clock.

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Rev. and Mrs. W. Irvin Williams of Davis, Cal., who will occupy the First Presbyterian manse of this city, are expected to arrive late this month, according to word received today. Rev. Williams will take over the pastorate the first of May.

The Meadows now open evenings. 96

Hi Haman of the Perfection bowling alleys last night rolled a perfect score of 300. In addition to that he turned in a three game series of 793, the highest ever rolled in Salem.

Now you can have your auto or home radio reconditioned by factory authorized experts and pay for the job by the week or month. Call 7522. Heider's Radio Repair Service, corner Center & High Sts.

Lawn moss for sale, \$2.25 per sq. rd. which plants 600 sq. ft. E. J. Williams, 740 Chemeketa. 96

Pacific lodge No. 50 will hear a talk tonight by Rev. D. J. Ferguson, of Albany, a member of Temple lodge No. 7 and a past grand orator for the grand lodge of Oregon. Members of Lyon lodge at Independence will be special guests.

Are your savings insured and earning 4%? See Salem Federal. 95\*

A Marion county Public Health association program of motion pictures drew 106 persons to the McHama schoolhouse last night. The program was sponsored by the 4-H clubs of that community. In furtherance of health work in the county, Miss Lucille Maske spoke on the care of the sick in the home before the home economics class of Mill City high school Wednesday. A clinic

# RADIO Day by Day

Time is Eastern Standard  
New York, April 21 (AP)—Television had something of a field day in New York yesterday.

Fifty minutes of pictures through the air, viewed by newspaper men, were used by RCA to announce its first line of tele-visions, to dedicate its building at the New York World's fair and to herald what was described as "a new American industry."

Announcement of the sale-sets put them in the price range from \$200 to \$600, depending upon the type and whether they provide for both sight and sound.

The latest staff was looked upon by engineers as further evidence that television no longer is "in the laboratory," for it contained scenes at the world's fair eight miles from the receivers, studio pick-ups that featured three round amuse prize fish, and motion pictures.

Reception was unusually good. Regular program service for the New York public begins April 30 with another World's fair program, the opening address by President Roosevelt.

held at North Howell where 31 first graders and new students were given physical examinations, found three free from defects. A similar clinic at Lincoln grade school, Woodburn, resulted in five out of 30 being examined being found physically fit. Two students at North Howell and two at Lincoln were suffering from malnutrition.

Dance, Wheatland hall, Sat. 23c. 93

Mrs. Herman Wacken, Sr., of Middle Grove, is recuperating at a local hospital following injuries received several weeks ago. She received a fractured hip and shoulder when she fell into a deep hole while leading a calf to the pasture.

Lilacs, lilacs, lilacs—choose your trees while they are now in bloom. Eola Acres, Salem-Dallas highway, 95\*

Marriage licenses have been issued at Vancouver, Wash., to Howard W. Rosencorn and Mrs. Marjorie B. Hubbard, both of Dallas, and to Clayton S. Welty, Vernonia, and Lois R. Burck, Hubbard.

Dance, Haunted Mill Sat. nite. 96

Allan G. Carson, of Salem, past president of the Oregon State Bar association and chairman of the state bar committee on legislation, spoke at a dinner meeting of the 12th judicial district bar association comprised of Polk and Yamhill county attorneys at Dallas this week. Part of his talk was devoted to the new Oregon code authorized by the last legislature, which will be enacted by December, 1940. Eugene E. Marsh, of McMinnville, a representative from Yamhill county, gave personal observations on the last legislature, of which he was a member. John Helzel, of Salem, was a guest. W. T. Vinton, McMinnville, is chairman of the association.

E. L. McMahlil, of the Middle Grove district, is receiving hospitalization here following his removal from the Silverton hospital where he was taken after receiving a fractured pelvic bone and other injuries in an automobile accident near the Brush Creek school. The car apparently struck a wet place on the pavement and skidded into the ditch. No other machine was involved. Mrs. McMahlil and their niece, Mamie, were not injured. McMahlil was found in the ditch several yards from his automobile.

Kingwood American Legion Post No. 81 will sponsor a dancing party next Saturday night, April 22, at Legion hall, West Salem, in Parkway Drive. William Reid and Emmett Dickson are in charge. The public is invited.

Cherians will hold a drill at the armory at 7:30 o'clock this evening and will work in conjunction with the drum corps. The uniformed group is getting in readiness for several public appearances this season, including the Portland Rose festival in June.

The county court today signed a resolution for improvement of the road from Manning's corner at the Pacific highway to Parkersville, a distance of three and a half miles, the property owners along the way having voted for widening the road to 60 feet. The resolution today orders the road viewed. The work of improvement will be done as a WPA project.

The monthly meeting of district No. 3, OSNA, will be held at Salem Deaconess hospital Monday night, April 24, at 8 o'clock. Those attending should bring ballots if they are not being returned by mail.

A marriage license has been issued to Lawrence A. Heubarger, 26, laborer, and Bernice Hammes, 25, domestic, both Sublimity.

Acting on the recommendation of the Mt. Angel city council carried in a letter from W. Douglas Harris, recorder, the county court today named Morris L. Fuchs constable for that district in place of Paul Buchholz who was elected but did not qualify.

## 6 Candidates for Willamette Elections

Six candidates for the presidency of the Willamette university student body for the coming term have tossed their hats into the political ring. These six candidates, who gave their campaign speeches during the chapel period today include Leighton Blake, independent; Bill Hall, editor of the Collegian, independent; Cecil Quesseth, Alpha Psi Delta, and manager of the Willamette year book; Dayton Robertson, Sigma Tau, president of the campus YMCA; Wallace Turner, independent and foreman; and Bruce Williams, independent, and May week-end manager for this year's activities.

Other candidates for student body offices who have declared their intentions are vice-president, Irma Calbert and June Brasted; second vice-president, Winston Bunnell and Henry Francis; secretary, Verna Vosper, Rose Ann Gibson, Helen Neiger, Grace Bailey and Dorothy Wright; Collegian editor, Fred Bernau, Paul Whipple and Gene Huntley; Wallulah editor, Carolyn Woods, Dan Moses and Catherine McKay; son queen, Maxine Crabtree, Mary Hinsel, Elizabeth Lewis and Carol Reed.

Greece will permit country grocers in districts not having drug stores to sell castor oil, aspirin and quinine.

## Bar Criticizes Tazwell for Receiverships

Portland, April 21 (AP)—The board of governors for the Oregon Bar association criticized administrative practices in the Multnomah county probate court today, attacking principally a "favored list" of five appraisers who handled the majority of large estates.

The review, a result of several weeks of study, cleared Circuit Judge George Tarwell of "suspicion" and recommended a larger list of appraisers whose capabilities covered more experience.

The report said out of 113 estates appraised at \$50,000 or more between 1935 and 1937 Ferdinand E. Reed, realtor, acted in 71 and received \$20,000; Arthur C. Callan, realtor, acted in 30 and received \$11,957; E. C. Volland, a carpenter, acted in 41 and received \$11,543; William Leeb, a painter, acted in 31 and received \$5,480; U. J. Henderson, a salesman, acted in 15 with no total listed.

The governors charged Volland, Leeb and Henderson were appointed receivers to handle large and complicated estates and Reed and Callan, although commended as able appraisers, were held to have acted with "gross impropriety." In some instances fees were described as "illegal," "excessive," and "exorbitant." The report said Reed occupied a semi-official court position and was provided with a list of the day's appraiser appointees by the court reporter.

"Judge Tarwell has permitted a situation to arise wherein corruption and dishonesty could exist, even though they do not, and wherein such suspicious to an outsider, ignorant of the facts have an apparently reasonable basis," the survey stated.

## Revamping Plan Being Drafted

Washington, April 21 (AP)—President Roosevelt indicated today consolidation of various government lending agencies was under consideration in connection with exercising his reorganization powers. He added no decisions had yet been reached.

The president told a press conference he may have to reorganizational plans to send to congress next week, but he would not disclose what departments or independent agencies were involved.

He said there was no substance to a report heard on Capitol Hill that the reconstruction finance corporation would be made secretary of commerce to succeed Harry L. Hopkins, who has been ill recently.

Mr. Roosevelt labeled as guesswork reports the RFC and various housing lending agencies would be transferred to the department of commerce.

He added there were three or four ways of working out reorganization of such agencies. As an example of the problems he is trying to solve through reorganization, Mr. Roosevelt said there were four or five lending agencies and it was physically impossible for him as chief executive to see the heads of all of these when some conflict of opinion developed between them.

## Court News

**Circuit Court**  
Judge Lewelling is here this afternoon trying the case of N. D. Bradley against L. E. Hillary and others. The complaint attempts to foreclose a lien for approximately \$180 and \$60 attorney's fees for preparation and payment of final account. One defendant claims the lien is not effective because of proceedings under the Prastler-Lemke act and another claims a priority on the same. In Judge McMahan's court, the damage action of Ulrich vs. Hochsperler was expected to reach the jury this afternoon. The plaintiff asks \$5300 damages arising out of an automobile accident.

An amended and supplemental complaint has been filed in the case of Willamette Production Credit corporation vs. Robin D. Day and others to foreclose on a chattel mortgage. Judgments of \$5189.38 and \$590 are asked and \$400 attorney's fee. Accounting also is asked as to proceeds allegedly received by plaintiff from sale of 2000 pounds of fiblets.

Two years each in the penitentiary and a parole were given John Underwood, Arthur Syverson and Arnold Syverson by Judge McMahan yesterday afternoon. They had entered a guilty plea to a charge of larceny of cattle from John Stamos, Lyons, Rt. 2. The men had paid \$600 in cash to Stamos and given a \$100 IOU as restitution.

Judge Lewelling yesterday afternoon granted a decree of divorce to the plaintiff in the case of Fay Wells Lien vs. A. Melvin Lien, gave her custody of a minor child, \$20 a month support money and \$125 attorney fee. The child is to be kept within the state and reasonable rights of visitation given the defendant during the summer months. The divorce case was contested with testimony being heard for two days.

Motions to strike have been filed in the case of Alfred Mathieson vs. Stephen J. Bronce. A similar motion has been filed in the case of Norman Cooke, guardian, vs. R. E. Bailey.

An amended complaint for \$288.20 damages to an automobile has been filed in the case of J. M. Burns and Associated Indemnity corporation vs. Jack Routh.

An amended complaint has been filed in the street lien foreclosure case of City of Salem vs. Mollie and Pearl Williams, these defendants being substituted for Anna E. Smith, deceased. Foreclosure is asked for \$123.73 and \$12.23. New street lien foreclosure cases filed are against the

## Richmond Boys Prize Winners

Several members of the Gray Y club of Richmond grade school, an organization which was formulated for the first time this year, were being congratulated today as a result of their showing in the 4th club exhibition at the fair grounds. Seven of the club members won prizes for their displays in the forestry division of the fair.

Junior Killinger, Norman Tull and Richard Gatke won first prizes; Charles Chittick and Clinton Mason, second prizes, and Loren Dunham and Allen Boatwright, third.

## DAR Thanks Mrs. Roosevelt

Washington, April 21 (AP)—The Daughters of the American Revolution adopted a resolution today acknowledging their appreciation of Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt's courtesy in arranging for the White House reception for DARs this afternoon. Before it was voted, one delegate inquired:

"Did she arrange it? Did she have anything to do with it?"

"I should say that she did have," Mrs. Henry M. Robert, Jr., president-general, replied. "A number of letters passed between the president-general and Mrs. Roosevelt and I think the word 'arranged' is correctly chosen."

Mrs. Roosevelt, who resigned from the DAR in February after Marian Anderson, negro contralto, was barred from the DAR Constitution Hall, arranged to have Mrs. Cordell Hull, wife of the secretary of state, Mrs. Henry Wallace, wife of the secretary of agriculture, and Secretary of Labor Francis Perkins receive the guests at the executive mansion party.

The first lady was out of town. She returned east yesterday from Seattle for the funeral of her nephew Daniel Roosevelt of Boston. The final day's program also called for the installation of new state regents and vice regents as well as of seven vice presidents general and two honorary vice presidents general chosen yesterday.

## Eugene School to Train Air Mechanics

Eugene, April 21 (AP)—Designation of the Eugene vocational school as an aviation mechanics school was announced at the meeting of the state board for vocational education held here Friday morning.

The aviation mechanics course will start next year and will be conducted in cooperation with the national bureau of aeronautics. O. D. Adams, state director of vocational education, told members of the board.

Equipment valued at approximately \$30,000 is expected from the war department to be used in connection with the course, Director Adams said. The course will be opened to a limited number of students in line with the school's policy of training only that number of students which can be placed in employment.

The meeting of the board was attended by Governor Sprague and Rex Putnam, state superintendent of public instruction.

A maid who served Charles Dickens 80 years ago has just celebrated her ninety-fifth birthday in England.

## Lafky Attacks Myers Financing Of PUD Deals

Condemnation proceedings by Washington utility districts against the Puget Sound Power and Light company were decided upon only after the company "definitely refused to discuss terms, price or conditions of sale," Herman E. Lafky, secretary and attorney for the Southwest Washington Utility District association, said in a prepared statement today.

He denied that the decision to condemn the properties was a departure from the policies of the late J. D. Ross, Bonneville administrator.

Lafky charged that Guy C. Myers, New York financier who has been assisting in financing districts in Washington and Nebraska, was a "stooge" of the president of Eugene Public Service company, holding company which controls the Puget Sound Power and Light Co.

The condemnation proceedings, Lafky said, "does mark the end of Guy C. Myers in his plan of 'negotiations' resulting in paying the company price, with fees to Myers of 2 1/2 per cent."

Lafky further accused Myers of joining with the power company in recommending that the districts "drop all litigation and at back and do nothing while Mr. Myers continued negotiating." This plan, he said, would have forced districts to pay from 50 to 100 per cent more than the actual value of the company properties.

"With a fee of 2 1/2 per cent from the PUD's in floating \$200,000,000 worth of bonds x x x it is easy to understand why Mr. Myers and his associates now accuse the PUD attorneys of selfish motives in filing condemnation proceedings."

## Shaw Selfish as Euthanasia Fan

London, April 21 (AP)—George Bernard Shaw said today he thought the human race should practice euthanasia—the putting to death painlessly of those suffering from incurable diseases.

Shaw, who is 82, gave the following comment on his election as vice-president of the Voluntary Euthanasia Legalization society, which hopes to push a bill through parliament legalizing "mercy killings."

"After all, there are circumstances in which it is rather unreasonable to persist in living. "Now that I am in my dotage I am coming around to that conclusion more and more but I hasten to add there is not the slightest hope for humankind that I shall practice euthanasia myself. That may be a little inconsistent but I always like to be selfish."

## Norwegian Royalty To Come to Coast

New York, April 21 (AP)—Crown Prince Olav and Crown Princess Martha of Norway, who arrived in New York April 27 aboard the liner Oslofjord to participate in opening ceremonies of the New York World's fair, have arranged a ten-week tour of the United States that will carry them to the Pacific coast.

Festivities in New York and a two-day visit to President and Mrs. Roosevelt at Hyde Park, N. Y., and a trip to the U. S. Military academy at West Point, N. Y., will precede formal opening by the royal couple of the fair's Norwegian exhibit May 1. They will visit the Grand Canyon and St. Olaf college of Northfield, Minn. From the Grand Canyon they will go to Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco to visit the fair there, Portland, Ore., Tacoma, Seattle and Spokane, Wash., including a visit to the Grand Coulee dam.

## Willamina Case Before Labor Council

The controversy over employment in construction of the Willamina plywood mill was misrepresented in dispatches from McMinnville, O. W. Cray, business agent for the Salem Building Trades Council, declared last night.

Cray said the local unions, which have jurisdiction over part of Yamhill county, would stand by a pledge to give work to men who were bonafide residents of Willamina when the mill job began, provided they joined the unions, but would not give preference to newcomers over unemployed union members.

## Eugene Realtor Dies in Albany

Albany, Ore., April 21 (AP)—Paul D. Drum, 45, Eugene real estate broker, died instantly at about 10:30 this forenoon when he collapsed on the street in front of the local telephone office, according to Deputy Coroner Walter Kropp.

## Bonneville Power Debated at Woodburn

Woodburn, April 21—Acquisition of a cemetery was one of the achievements of the town of Canby when the municipality purchased the privately owned power plant some years ago, and revenues derived from the light and water fund made possible taking over the cemetery which had been found to be impoverished. It was financially, as revealed by M. J. Lee of Canby, member of the city council, one of the original sponsors of the public power movement and one of the most enthusiastic promoters of Bonneville power. The meeting was held Thursday night.

Under instructions of the Woodburn Chamber of Commerce, Mayor H. M. Austin explained he had called the meeting to discuss the question of obtaining power from Bonneville. Rodney Alder, Woodburn publisher, was chosen secretary of the meeting which was attended by 50 persons.

After more than two hours of discussion in which Lee absorbed the major portion of the time, it was voted that the mayor, who was chairman of the meeting, be authorized to appoint a committee of seven Woodburn residents to canvass the territory and report back their findings as to whether Woodburn wants Bonneville power or not. Austin announced that he would name the committee within a few days, then a mass meeting will be called to decide the matter.

## Beck Sends Substitute

M. F. Grignon, assistant to Robert W. Beck, chief engineer of the Bonneville project, made belated appearance at the meeting, explaining that he got lost and could not find Woodburn en route from Portland. Grignon represented Beck who was unavoidably detained. Grignon explained as best he could questions propounded to him by A. E. Leary, West Woodburn hatchery owner, and Henry Chappelle, farmer of the district. Fear that only one transmission line would not suffice to protect the numerous poultry incubators in the valley in event of destruction of the main line by falling trees was expressed by Leary and this was answered by Grignon saying that all trees in proximity to the line will be removed. Leary also voiced satisfaction at the service of the present private company which, he said, in emergency, could always hook up with other plants in case of power trouble.

"If the government doesn't manage Bonneville any better than it does a lot of other projects, such as railroads, I can't see where much will be accomplished," said Leary. "If the city of Woodburn wants Bonneville power they had better buy out the old company which you can probably get at its present physical value and if you get Bonneville you will be on the Portland-Eugene line and can make your own rates," said Lee.

Concerning the matter of taxes, Lee did not enter into a detailed explanation but did admit that the consumer will ultimately pay the taxes entailed by operation of a municipally owned plant.

Leary seemed skeptical about the project stating that towns would get the cream of the power business while rural districts and farming country would be overlooked.

Lee related that Canby had in bank on April 19, \$23,000, from revenues from the light and water fund, in addition to the ownership of a cemetery.

## More Money Coming

Grignon, pinch hitting for Beck, declared that the law passed by the last legislature in Oregon was not entirely favorable to the ideas of Bonneville administration. Grignon also expressed belief that an additional appropriation would be forthcoming in amount of three and a half million to provide feeders for the main line so as to take care of outlying districts.

Lee criticized Albany for obstructing the PUD movement in Linn county, asserting that it was a selfish town.

"We have power to sell but the cities must also consider the 'inter-lard,'" said Grignon, "and we are not here to foster movements to cut up operating utilities into sections."

## Rome Observes 2692'd Birthday

Rome, April 21 (AP)—The modern Roman Empire, after watching Germany's elaborate birthday tribute to Adolf Hitler, observed the 2692nd anniversary of the founding of its capital today and celebrated its new growth under Premier Mussolini.

Flushed by victories in Albania, Spain and Ethiopia, the fascist descendants of the Caesars gave a martial tone to the national holiday which normally is a joint commemoration of their Labor day and the birthday of Rome.

Columns of fascist youth and labor organizations paraded flags were displayed and bands played in every Italian city.

The celebrations centered around Premier Mussolini's palazzo Venezia. Within the palace II Duce distributed medals, pensions and prizes to laborers and farmers.

King Vittorio Emanuele, now emperor of Ethiopia and king of Albania, presided over an assembly of the Royal Academy in Julius Caesar hall of the capitol to distribute awards for arts and letters.

Throughout the empire public works projects are inaugurated. The celebration dated back to April 21, 753 B.C., when, according to tradition, Romulus staked out the beginnings of Rome on Palatine hill.

II Duce's speech yesterday, turning down President Roosevelt's suggestion for assurances against aggression but offering Italy's plans for a 1942 Rome exposition as evidence of fascist desires for peace, was taken in diplomatic quarters as an indication Mussolini did not intend to press Italy's expansion to the point of war.

## Nazis Lose in Netherlands Voting

Amsterdam, The Netherlands, April 21 (AP)—Nazis lost heavily Wednesday in 11 provincial council elections which usually indicate the trend of national feeling.

The Nazis polled only four per cent of the vote in 1937 and they lost more than a third of that yesterday. Liberals gained three per cent, Christians 2 1/2, and Catholics one.

## Returns From Buffalo

Silverton — Mrs. Arlie Anderson returned during the week from Buffalo, New York, where she had been with her mother, Mrs. Truma Kincaid, for several weeks. Mrs. Kincaid submitted to a major operation and is now convalescing.

**STOP and SHOP**  
By Fay



**A TAILORED SUIT!**  
marks the well-dressed man! For fine tailoring and quality prices for both men and women see SUNDIN, THE TAILOR, cor. Liberty & Ferry.

False chignons are new for hair-dressing this spring.

**ANNIVERSARY SALE!**  
Nineteen years young, Miller's store is celebrating their nineteenth anniversary Friday morning. It's a big store-wide sale. Come early and join the crowds at MILLER'S.

An amusing design recently shown is a glove and bag in one — if you have your purse you'll have your glove and vice versa.

**FRACTIONAL HEALTH**  
By J. A. Willett of the Capital Drug Store  
To estimate the number of persons that know, through one or more manifestations, something is amiss in their bodies and yet do nothing about it would be merely hazarding a guess.

Many conclude that they are at least eighty-five or ninety per cent healthy, and consider the fractional balance is not a matter of great concern, while as a matter of fact, even a one per cent disorder may insidiously, or otherwise, increase to a degree where healing measures of the doctor of medicine are permanently hindered.

The joys of life are measured by the unmistakable exuberance of perfect health — not eighty-five or ninety per cent health.

**WINDOW OF THE WEEK!**  
Have you seen Nelson Bros. Furniture windows in their newly remodeled store facing the corner of Chemeketa and Liberty streets? You will find numerous articles, both large and small for your new home beautifully designed and at low prices.

**YELLOW AZALEAS!**  
will be a gorgeous accent to your yard. Five-year-old azalea shrubs, regularly \$2, are now \$1.50 at H. L. PEARY NURSERY CO., 245 COURT ST.

Let me help you. I find many interesting things in my shopping tour. Call FAY at 3571.