



**Southerners Reunion**—Senator B. Russell Long and wife (left) of Louisiana meet Supreme Court Justice Tom Clark of Texas at Newspaper Women's ball, Washington.

### East Salem Has Interest In Cub Pack Broadcast

East Salem, March 16—A radio broadcast that will be of special interest to residents of East Salem living in Auburn community will be the 11 o'clock program over KOCO Saturday morning when members of Auburn cub pack 108 will be on the air. They will take part in the musical portion of the program and several boys will be interviewed.

The March meeting of the Swegle Road Garden club was held Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Robert Fryrear. As this is the month for taking chrysanthemum cuttings, Mrs. Ross Bales discussed "Garden Chrysanthemums" and cuttings were exchanged by members present. Mrs. Alfred Pauli spoke on "What's New in Vegetables and Flowers" and reminders were given to plant tomato and pepper seed flats and to bait for slugs.

Present were Mrs. Dan Stauffer, Mrs. Bryan Garrison, Mrs. Daniel Casey, Mrs. O. P. Bond, Mrs. Bales, Mrs. Clinton Kennedy, Mrs. Harold Olson, Mrs. George Quinn, Mrs. Clifford Yost, Mrs. Pauli, Mrs. Melvin LaDue, Mrs. Robert Darby, the

### Hogg's Lambs At High Price

A truckload of 11-month-old fat lambs marketed in Portland last Monday by R. W. Hogg & Sons, Route 8, Salem, sold for \$24.50 per hundred, highest price paid on the North Portland Livestock Exchange for the last two years. Purebred Hampshires, they averaged 116 pounds and brought \$28.33 each.

The lambs had recently been shorn but because of their high quality and finish sold at a half cent per pound premium over the top paid for woolled lambs that day. They had been fed silage, hay and grain while running on ryegrass pasture during the past winter.

Hogg, prominent Hampshire breeder, says rising lamb prices have stimulated inquiry for stock sheep and ewes with which sheepmen plan increasing their farm flocks in the Willamette valley.

### Nebraska Blizzard Takes Youth's Life

Silverton — Mrs. John L. Towle of Welch street received a message informing her that the young man who lost his life by freezing during a Nebraska blizzard this week was her nephew, Robert Gesirich, aged 23, the youngest son in a family of four boys and three girls, the parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gesirich of Atkinson, Nebraska, in the central part of the state.

From the personal message and air reports Mrs. Towle learned that her nephew's car had stalled during a sudden blizzard, and he had evidently left his car to secure help as his body was found a short distance from the car, face down in the snow. A sixty-mile-an-hour wind was blowing.

Mrs. Towle was promised further details by letter.

### Mrs. Abel Honored

Lyons—Mrs. Oscar Naue, Mrs. Donald Naue and Mrs. Howard Naue were hostesses for a shower honoring Mrs. Byrd Abel at the Donald Naue home. Guessing games furnished the entertainment, with prizes going to Mrs. George Attebery and Mrs. D. A. Franklin. Present were Mrs. Abel, honored guest, Mrs. Elmer Culwell, Mrs. J. D. Collier, Mrs. Kenneth Bass, Mrs. Effie Moore, Mrs. George Attebery, Mrs. D. A. Franklin, Mrs. Harry Casebeer, Mrs. Donald Naue, Mrs. Howard Naue, Mrs. Oscar Naue and daughter, Ruby.

### Maddened Polar Bear Injures Two Keepers in Running Fight

Melbourne, Australia, March 16 (U.P.)—Two keepers were injured today in a running fight with a maddened polar bear in the Melbourne zoo.

A third attendant finally killed the beast with a rifle bullet through the head.

The bear escaped from an inner cage and attacked a keeper cleaning its outer pit. The man was dragged through an open door into the zoo gardens.

Another keeper tried to shoot the bear with a revolver, but the animal turned on him and knocked him down. A third keeper went into action with a rifle. The bear survived a bullet through the body, but fell when shot through the head.

The animal was valued at \$1,100.

### Chapter Asks Polio Money

Dallas — The Polk county chapter, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, will ask for another \$4000 grant from the national foundation to help pay its indebtedness for aid to stricken county residents in 1949, it was decided at a chapter meeting. Total indebtedness from the year's activities is over \$5000.

Collected through the March of Dimes this year to date is \$4008.50. It is expected that the grant will not only take care of the indebtedness but help the chapter build up a working fund for emergency cases in the future.

Joe Kievit, state director, was at the meeting to assist with planning a way out of the financial plight. Mrs. Fred Detering of Buena Vista was elected treasurer to succeed Mrs. Ralph Howe, treasurer for nine years, who declined to accept re-nomination. Mrs. Cecil Riggs was unanimously elected secretary.

Mrs. Homer Bevins, chapter chairman, appointed community chairmen to represent the society in contacting families of polio victims as cases develop. They will ascertain extent of their needs and report to the chapter. Appointed were: H. C. Nelson, Monmouth; Robert Couvert, West Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Chapin, Perrydale; J. B. Stinnette, Rickreall; William Ames, Falls City; Matt Howard, Grand Ronde. Others will be appointed at a later date.

Mrs. Joe Billson will act as chairman of the women's activities division in Polk county and Dr. J. H. Stewart, county health officer, will be medical advisor.

The first American airplane fatality is believed to have been an army flier killed in 1908 at Fort Myer, Va.

### Scout Troop Wants Paper

Independence—The local Boy Scout troop, 27, will conduct a paper drive in Independence, Saturday, March 18. People who wish to give paper to the drive are asked to have newspapers bundled and put within easy reach for the boys. The Scouts plan to go from house to house on Thursday and Friday nights before the drive, and bundle the papers, if need be.

On March 30, there will be a district Court of Honor held in Dallas. The local troop has many advancements and awards to be given out at this meeting. This Court of Honor is a public affair, and the scouts would like to see many of the Independence people attend.

Officers for the first six months period are: Scoutmaster, Albert Puckett; assistant scoutmaster, Richard Mills; junior scoutmaster, Alan Opliger, and Kenneth Carter; senior patrol leader, Ronald Mills; scribe, Max Albert; quartermaster, James Fratzke; bugler, George Hagerman; librarian, Lloyd Fountain. Two new officers added this year are assistant camping director, Tom Thurston and assistant swimming director, Jay Vanderfeen.

Troop 27 went for the first hike of the spring on Sunday, March 12. Many more hikes are being planned for the future.

### Marshalls Take Over The Colonial House

Re-opening of Colonial House under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Don Marshall, who in early December took over the dining place, has been announced. The Colonial House is located on the highway south of Salem.

The Marshalls, who formerly resided in the MacKenzie River country and operated Marshall's lodge on the river, came to Salem about eight months ago.

The Marshalls started remodeling the Colonial House after taking over the dining place and have redecorated the dining room and installed a new kitchen. The place is open all week long and closed on Mondays.

The Marshalls, who have a daughter Carolyn, 16, and a son, Jack, 13, have built a new home in the Alderbrook section.



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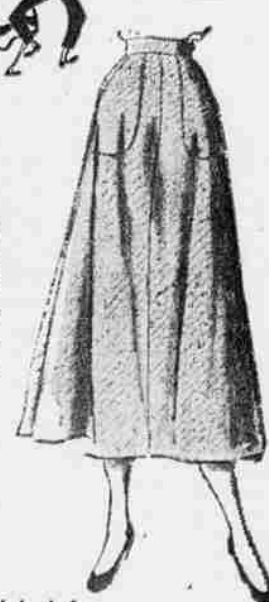
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