



Snowbound Householder—Minneapolis has had so much snow recently that plows clearing the streets have it 10 feet deep along the curb in front of the B. H. Stahmer home. Unwilling to shovel more than necessary, Stahmer dug through it to reach the street. He is shown at the end of the tunnel, which is eight feet long. He put up the sign as a warning to visitors. (AP Wirephoto)

BUSINESS AND LIFE IN CITY UPSET

New Yorkers Stay by TV Sets To Watch Big Crime Hearing

By DAVID C. WHITNEY
New York, March 21 (AP)—"When are they going back to Washington, so we can get back to work?" That was the anguished cry today of residents of the nation's largest city, whose lives have been disrupted by the televised senate crime hearings.

Never has any one show so hit the life of New York. Department stores reported a falling off in pre-Easter sales. The stock exchange had its slowest day yesterday since May 29. And only a few top Broadway shows sold out last night after the committee announced it was holding a night session.

Television network officials estimated up to 10,000,000 New Yorkers were watching video sets to see the men of mystery, racketeers, close-to-the-vest politicians, known murderers and shady public officials parade before the camera and answer up to the crusading senators.

Another 20,000,000 persons throughout the eastern half of the United States were reported watching what has become the greatest show on earth.

Sports promoters disconsolately estimated that more persons were interested in what Frank "the boss" Costello would say next than were interested in last fall's baseball world series.

As far west as Chicago, husbands were coming home to meals of cold cuts and canned baked beans because their wives couldn't tear themselves away from their television sets. Mrs. William Hickey, of Chicago, said she solved the problem by setting up a card table in the living room in front of the TV set and paring vegetables there so as not to miss the show.

C. E. Hooper, Inc., whose Hooperatings judge the amount of listener interest in television shows, reported that 26.2 of New York's 2,500,000 television sets were in use yesterday morning, compared to a normal usage of 1.5 per cent.

Keizer Grange Has Liar Meet

The Keizer Grange entertained the Silverton Hills Grange recently when Cliff Orey, Keizer lecturer, conducted a liar's contest. Mr. Mulkey of Silverton was declared the winner.

In a hat-making contest, Mrs. Baller and Mrs. Mulkey won with a hat featuring celery and radishes. The Home Economics department presented a display of antiques.

The Home Economics of the Keizer Grange met at the Grange hall the afternoon of March 14. Those present were Mrs. Burr Black, Mrs. Archie Claggett, Mrs. W. E. Savage, Mrs. Kenneth Hutchins, Margaret Mudge, and Mrs. R. K. O'Connor.

Members were urged to enter the Grange Cotton Kitchen Apron contest to be held at Pomona Grange meeting, April 18, at 11 a.m. at Roberts Grange. The next Home Economics meeting will be April 11 at 2 p.m.

The Dine and Do club met with Mary Sloan March 15. A dessert luncheon was served to Mrs. H. H. Breneman, Mrs. Gerald Lappin, Mrs. Buella Watson, Mrs. Ida Stredwick, Mrs. J. Clair West, Mrs. G. C. Pomeroy, Mrs. P. O. McFarland, Mrs. H. H. Goodrich and Mrs. R. K. O'Connor by the hostess, Mary Sloan.

Plans were completed for a baked foods sale to be held at the Keizer Plumbing and Heating offices, 4947 N. River Rd., March 24.

660 Days Total In Suspensions

The Oregon liquor commission meeting ordered license and permit suspensions totalling 660 days.

Suspensions become effective April 3, and follow hearings on charges of various violations of the liquor control laws and regulations.

Thirty-five licensed establishments were involved, and penalties total 425 days suspension for licensees and 235 for permittees. Nine violation matters were dismissed, one license cancelled, one service permit cancelled, and two letters of warning issued.

The commission approved an amended regulation effective April 2 to make it mandatory for licensees to maintain all official placards and postings in a prominent location on licensed premises. Failure to do so, or removal of a placard that has been posted by a commission ruling will be regarded as a violation subject to penalty. This ruling will apply to license certificates, postings of license suspension and cancellation, and other official commission placards.

Reopening of a liquor agency at Wallowa and appointment of Mrs. Mary Bohna as agent was authorized. Announcement also was made of the appointment by Governor Douglas McKay of Dr. Arthur G. Jones, Portland, as a member of the Temperance and Rehabilitation Division of the Commission. He succeeds Dr. John Montague, also of Portland.

Military Camps and Barracks In Northwest \$65,000,000

Portland, Ore., March 21 (AP)—The corps of engineers today was rushing military construction work totaling an estimated \$65,000,000 for army camps, air fields, troop housing and other defense installations in the Pacific northwest.

Brig. Gen. O. E. Walsh, North Pacific division engineer, said the work was proceeding through the regular competitive bidding method.

Most of the work is being done in Washington, although large army air force projects in Montana and Idaho are included in the program. The Beaver amunition depot near Clatskanie is the only large project in Oregon. Now completed, it involved rehabilitation of loading docks, replacement of dock approaches and replacement of buildings and utilities. Cost of the work was \$1,300,000. Projects in Washington include:

Port Lewis—Telephone and signal building under construction, costing approximately \$250,000; rehabilitation of family housing quarters being completed, \$750,000; authorized under provisions of the Wherry housing bill, but not yet under design. 750 servicemen's family units, \$8,000,000.

Yakima Training Center—Complete camp for 2500 troops, mobilization type construction estimated to cost about \$5,000,000. Contracts awarded for 38 buildings for \$1,700,000.

Auburn General Depot—Water tank and sprinkler system in warehouse, now in design stage, estimated to cost at least \$1,000,000.

Mount Rainier Ordnance Depot—Administration building, two warehouses, and blasting and paint spray building, all under design, \$2,900,000.

Seattle Port of Embarkation—Sprinkler system on Piers 38 and 39, under design, less than \$500,000.

North Richland—Rehabilitation of barracks and construction of new facilities for army camps, totalling \$6,500,000, of which approximately \$3,000,000 is under contract.

The following construction works for the department of the air force are also located in Washington:

McChord Field—Runway extension, install fuel systems and construct alert hangar and lighting and landing systems, totalling \$2,600,000, of which \$600,000 is under contract.

Lexington Air Force Base (Spokane)—Permanent type barracks and officers' quarters, 60-bed hospital, fueling facilities, alert hangars, airfield operations building, landing facilities and lighting, \$7,350,000, of which \$240,000 is under contract.

Fairchild Air Force Base (Spokane)—New runway, permanent barracks, fueling systems and runway lighting, \$8,750,000, not yet under contract.

Geiger Air Force Base (Spokane)—Alert hangar, runway extension and apron, \$750,000, not yet under contract.

Paine Air Force Base (Everett)—Barracks, alert hangar, runway extension, landing systems and lighting facilities, \$1,750,000, not yet under contract.

The new building constructed just north of the Hiway market.

Indict Income Tax Officials

San Francisco, March 21 (AP)—The federal grand jury here today indicted two former executives in the federal income tax collector's office.

They were Patrick Mooney, retired chief deputy of the Nevada district of the collector of internal revenue, and Ernest M. Schino, fired last week as field officer in the collector's bureau here, and Martin M. Hartmann, a salesman, also indicted.

The indictment charges that the three conspired to defraud the government by attempting to

obstruct the revenue bureau's prosecution of Mrs. Gertrude Jenkins of San Francisco for income tax evasion.

Hartmann was a salesman for the Mountain City Consolidated Copper Co. This is a Nevada concern, which the California crime commission reported was organized by some officers of the department of internal revenue. Mooney is secretary of the company, a non-producing outfit.

The grand jury probe was launched after Mrs. Jenkins, on parole on an abortion conviction, swore in an affidavit that she bought \$5000 worth of the copper company stock in expectation of avoiding tax difficulties.

The indictments were returned to Federal Judge George B. Harris. He fixed bail at \$1500 each and issued warrants for arrest.

Mrs. Jenkins was indicted last December 20 on a charge she tried to evade paying \$25,130 in 1944-45 taxes. Her trial has been set for May 14.

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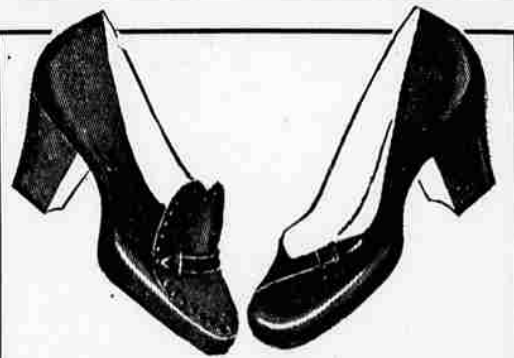


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New Variety Store

Woodburn — Announcement has been made of the opening of the new Hiway variety store on Highway 99E at Woodburn March 24 by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. Hays of Woodburn, proprietors who are former Canby residents. The store opened for business March 15 but the grand opening on March 24 will feature prizes for both children and adults. The store is located in



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