

# Local Paragraphs

**Board Meets** — Executive board of the Marion county chapter, Oregon Republican club, met Thursday night at the Senator hotel and discussed plans for future activities. The officers are to concentrate on a membership drive, especially in outlying communities in the county. Preliminary plans also were discussed for a meeting in the summer when Secretary of the Interior Douglas McKay, former Oregon governor, will be here, the club to sponsor a big rally for him.

**Will Elect Delegates** — The next Salem high school PTA meeting will be Wednesday, April 8 in the high school library at 8 o'clock. Delegates to the state PTA convention at Medford will be elected. The state PTA convention will be April 21-23.

**Wins Honors** — Daniel E. Sauerwein, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sauerwein, 1111 Elm St., Salem, has earned scholastic honors for the second semester of his senior year at Wheaton college, Wheaton, Ill. Semester honors are granted to students carrying 12 hours or more and making an average of 2.2 per semester hour.

**On Honor Roll** — Theodore W. Highberger, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Highberger, Box 162, Aumsville, has been named on the University of Portland first semester honor roll release this week. A graduate of St. Boniface high school, Sublimity, Highberger is a sophomore in the College of Liberal Arts at the university. He obtained a 3.33 grade point average out of a possible perfect 4.00 average.

**Ladies Meet** — The ladies auxiliary of Willamette Aerie 2081, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will meet Tuesday night for nomination of officers and tions will be held the following Tuesday, April 7.

**Power Line Construction** — Permission has been asked of the county court to cut an undetermined number of trees along the Little North Fork highway in connection with a plan to construct an extension of a power line up that way. Persons living in the area plan to do as much of the work themselves as possible in order to reduce the cost. They ask that certain trees that obstruct the line and which are growing on the right of way of the county road be cut and the money derived from their sale be used in widening the road at certain spots. The engineering department will make an investigation.

**Building Permits** — Paul Harcourt, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 351 Johnson, \$11,000. Kenneth Barnwell, to move an office at 1105 South 12th, \$50. Robert Burns, to alter a one-story dwelling at 1540 Nebraska, \$500. Gordon Brewster, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 2665 Mountain View Drive, \$10,500. C. W. Klopp, to build a one-story dwelling at 975 South 22nd, \$6000. Arden Addie, to alter a one-story dwelling at 2236 Shelton, \$2,000.

**Duck!** — A lumber carrier driver at the Capitol Lumber company suffered a blow on the head when he drove the carrier under a low overhead section of a building. E. A. Blodgett, 4335 North River road, was treated by city first aidmen and sent to a doctor for stitches in the wound.

## MILITARY MEN AND VETERANS

**Thursday, March 26**  
Organized Naval Reserve surface division, at Naval and Marine Corps Reserve training center.  
Company D, 162nd Infantry Regiment, Oregon National Guard at Salem Army.

**Friday, March 27**  
Seabee Reserves at Naval and Marine Corps Reserve Training Center.

**Monday, March 28**  
Company B, 162nd Infantry Regiment, and headquarters detachment, Oregon National Guard at Salem Army.  
Organized Marine Corps Reserve unit, at Naval and Marine Corps Reserve training center.  
Oregon mobilization detachment No. 1, at ORC Army.  
9414 AR Squadron at ORC Army.

**Tuesday, March 31**  
USAR School, staff only, at ORC Army.

## BORN

**SALEM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL**  
GREEN—To Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur P. Green, 1744 Chemsaketa St., a boy, March 26.  
NELSON—To Mr. and Mrs. Eric Nelson, 1123 E. 19th St., a girl, March 26.  
JOHNSTON—To Mr. and Mrs. William Johnston, 389 Jervis St., a girl, March 26.  
DAUB—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Daub, 1805 Evergreen St., a girl, March 26.  
SALEM GENERAL HOSPITAL  
SWARTWOUT—To Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Swartwout, Rt. 3, Box 70, a boy, March 26.  
HILL—To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hill, 1026 Wilbur St., a boy, March 26.  
HOAGAN—To Mr. and Mrs. George Hoagan, 485 E. Wood St., Monmouth, a boy, March 26.  
BLANK—To Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Blank, 3380 Lancaster Dr., a girl, March 26.

**Gas Taken** — The theft of gasoline from trucks of the Northwest Poultry company, 1505 North Front street, was reported to city police by the company Thursday. Officials said the thefts have occurred the past several nights from the trucks as they were parked near the company building.

**New Chamber Member** — A new member of the Salem Chamber of Commerce listed this week is the Howell-Edwards Funeral Home, 545 North Capitol street.

**Log Jam Threatens** — Walter Musgrave, Salem realtor, who owns a ranch east of Hubbard on Pudding river, reported to the county court that a log jam beneath the bridge near his place threatens to cause considerable damage to his land because of possible diversion of the channel. He suggests that the jam might be cleared through the use of explosives and a w.s. County Engineer Hedda Swart was requested to investigate the situation, although the bridge is the responsibility of the Clackamas county court.

**Road Approved** — The bureau of public roads has approved the addition of the Sciostayton road to the FAS system effective May 12, the state highway department has informed the county court. It will be known as FAS No. 870. A section of the road of six-tenths of a mile in length lies within the jurisdiction of Marion county.

**Bids Under Advertisment** — The county court has taken under advisement three bids in connection with the county's requirements of asphaltic mix for use in surfacing roads. Bids were tendered by the American Bituminous Asphalt company, Shell Oil company and Union Oil company. As far as the court could determine the bids were identical. The prices quoted were all f.o.b. Willbridge, the tremains for ships along the Willamette river in North Portland. Last year the county used 1800 tons of material in its road building program.

**RAPE OF DOG CHARGED**  
Redwood City, Calif. (AP) — Mrs. Edna Heistand, owner of an east bay kennel, has filed suit against United Air Lines for \$4,400 because her pedigree black poodle was ravished by "various sundry low-bred mongrel dogs" and became pregnant.

**UNCOOPERATIVE**  
The Senate passed the last of the three bills to accomplish this, and the House will finish its work on the retirement bills Monday.



Joe Springer, who described himself as a manufacturer of women's clothing but declined to answer questions about the Communist party, testified before the House Un-American Activities Committee at Los Angeles. He was identified before his testimony, in a statement by Committee Chairman Harold Velde, as operator of a mountain camp at nearby Crestline, Calif., which was used by the Communists as a training school for party big shots (AP Wirephoto)

Rubber boat, 2 man size. Phone 24407. 74¢  
Special on peat moss this week-end at Valley Farm Store. Any size including fertilized peat moss. Ph. 4-4624. 74¢

Spring Rummage Sale, by Business and Professional Woman's club, Saturday, March 28, at 220 N. Com'l. 74¢

Just arrived. Shipment of genuine Hummel figurines. See them today. Rose Gift Shop, 2005 Fairgrounds Rd. 74¢

Air-steamship tickets anywhere. Kugel, 3-7694. 153 N. High St. 74¢

Paint with glamorizing Treasure Tones. See our outstanding Wallpaper selection. Cheryl Clarke Co., 255 N. Liberty. 74¢

Fresh killed Grade A hen turkeys 49c pound. Orwig's Market, 3975 Silverton Rd., Phone 4-5742. 74¢

# Senate Votes

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Those opposing confirmation were Sens. Bricker (R., Ohio), Bridges (R., N.H.), Dirksen (R., Ill.), Dworthak (R., Ida.), Goldwater (R., Ariz.), Hickenlooper (R., Iowa), Johnson (D., Colo.), Malone (R., Nev.), McCarran (D., Nev.), McCarthy (R., Wis.), Mundt (R., S.D.), Schoeppel (R., Kan.), Welker (R., Idaho).

**Disagree With Dulles**  
Gibson, in a memorandum read in the Senate by Sen. H. Alexander Smith (R.-N.J.) said that because of his slight acquaintance with Bohlen, he never had "recommended or opposed" the appointment. Dulles told the Senate Foreign Relations committee last week that the board had "unanimously concurred" in the Bohlen appointment. This had been questioned by Sens. Joseph R. McCarthy (R.-Wis.) and Everett Dirksen (R.-Ill.) in opposing the appointment.

Smith read Gibson's memo after Sen. Homer E. Capehart (R.-Ind.) announced he will vote for Bohlen because the "responsibility" for the appointment rests squarely with President Eisenhower.

There were signs that the stormy debate had about run its course. McCarthy, leader of the anti-Bohlen group, conceded defeat.

"I have no remote hopes of succeeding," he said.

# House Passes

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over which higher education demic rank, and thus be exempted from civil service. This exemption gives the board the right to fix salaries of those employees that the board exempts.

The bill is amended so that the Board of Higher Education can confer academic rank, but the Civil Service Commission can object. Then, if the two boards can't agree, the governor would decide in each case. The bill for the full-time parole board is sponsored by the Oregon Prison Association, which says it would enable the board to catch up on its work. The three members of the board, who now are unpaid, would get \$10,500 a year each.

**Parole Board Bill**  
The board also would get full power to determine sentences of convicts. The members would include an attorney, sociologist, and a person who has handled prisoners.

This bill, however, is headed for a stormy fight, because the governor's special committee on parole problems said a full-time board isn't needed now. The new bill has the support of Prison Warden Virgil O'Malley. The Legislature was told by Sen. John C. F. Merrifield, Portland, that the actual combining of the state retirement system with social security probably will take place Monday.

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**Returning From Far East** — Three men from this area will be aboard the Navy transport, Gen. R. L. Howze, landing Sunday morning in Seattle. They are: Pfc. Jerald L. Basl, Route 1, Stayton; Capt. Kenneth G. Cooper, Sr., 1050 Jefferson street, Corvallis; and Pfc. Jimmy R. Freshner, Jefferson.

**COURT NEWS**  
**Circuit Court**  
Olivia Ann O'Brien vs. Michael Patrick O'Brien: Divorce granted and custody of minor child and \$85 monthly support to plaintiff. Property settlement approved.

Adella Gibson vs. Ralph P. Gibson: Decree of divorce to plaintiff. Property settlement ratified.

Henrietta Koehler vs. Elmont Koehler: Decree of divorce awarding custody of four minor children free from interference of defendant. Defendant to pay \$75 monthly support.

Northern Lumber Co. vs. Golden State Lumber Mills, Inc. et al: Order denying plaintiff's motion to strike cross-complaint.

Ray J. Manning vs. Jeanie Wassman: Judgment order in which plaintiff recovers from defendant sums of \$2,900, \$600 and \$750.

Nita Lindsay Almsworth vs. John Wayne Almsworth: Complaint seeking to have marriage declared null and void because defendant was incapable of entering into marriage by virtue that he was already married. Cause married at Salem Aug. 28, 1952. Asks that name of Mrs. Nita Lindsay be declared legal name of plaintiff and that she be declared sole owner of certain real property.

Daniela D. Koplichke vs. Leslie Elmer Koplichke: Order of default entered against defendant.

Tom C. Moran vs. Southern Pacific Co. and D. C. Nash: Plaintiff's reply to defendant's answer and demanding judgment as sought in complaint.

Harvey Workman vs. Eleanor A. Caray, et al: Administrative of Michael Caray estate: Motion for limited state of claim.

**Probate Court**  
Joni Hoop estate: J. Franklin Williams named administrator. Estate has probable value of \$9700.  
May Rice estate: Order confirming sale of real property.  
Ambrose E. Connor estate: Order approving final account.  
Alice Smith estate: Final order.  
Charles Ross Oliver estate: Order fixing May 2 as time for final settlement.

**Marriage License**  
Dellias—Burton H. McKibben, 23, Dallas, and Beverly Orlan, 20, Independence.  
Wilbur Krazer, 46, Dallas, and Hilda Mitchell, 40, Independence.

# PAINTS AIRLIFT PLANE



A 3/c Charles E. Thomas, Mill City, Oregon, sprays a protective coat of paint on the tail section of a U.S. Air Force C-46 commando at a base in Japan. Thomas is a member of the 374th Troop Carrier Wing's "Fat Cat" squadron, which has been airlifting combat cargo and passengers in the Far East since the Korean war started. (U. S. Air Force Photo)

# Legal Pinballs

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Rep. Alva Goodrich of Bend, lawyer and member of the judiciary committee, opposed the bill in committee and voted against it in the house.

Goodrich maintains that the "free play" slot machines are a cover-up for actual gambling in that over-counter payoffs customarily are made to players winning "free" plays.

Enforcement officers will find it difficult to enforce the law, even though a penalty clause, deleted from the law in 1947 has been restored. Former Speaker of the House John Steelhammer, who urged passage of the bill, declared that the bill would aid in prosecution of gambling.

A section of the bill placing taxes on the devices says: "(a) On coin-in-the-slot-operated mechanical devices played for amusement which regard the player with the right to replay such mechanical devices which are so constructed and devised as to make such result of the operation thereof depend in part on the skill of the player, and which return to the player thereof no coins, tokens, or merchandise, an annual tax of \$50 for each coin receiving slot.

"Such right of replay so obtained shall not represent value or evidence of winning within the meaning of any of the laws of the state of Oregon."

Passage of the pinball bill, it is believed, would upset the effective ban on pinball and other coin-in-the-slot or similar machines that has existed in the city of Salem for some years. A city ordinance now prohibits free-play machines here. The reason for the prohibition is experience that has taught the authorities that permission to operate them can't be sep-

arated from what amounts to gambling.

Not too long ago a resort owner induced city authorities to permit him to give a carton of cigarettes as a prize in a shuffleboard game. Soon it was discovered that he also was giving radios and rifles as prizes. The authorities suppressed the device.

Redemption of free-play credit in meals or merchandise is said to be common practice where the machines are allowed, and the redemptions are practically impossible for the police to detect.

# Grazing Sheep

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The cemetery has been the subject of considerable controversy in recent years because of its unsightly appearance. Efforts to work out some system of cleaning it up have failed. More recently the county was authorized by law to take possession. However, the county court did not see fit to do so, since it did not have the funds to do an effective job of cleaning it up and maintaining the place.

Additional legislation permits the county and the city to work out a cooperative plan of control.

It was pointed out by the authorities that a flock of sheep was used on the White House lawn during the administration of President Coolidge.

# S P & S Agrees to Closed Union Shop

Portland (AP) — The Spokane, Portland and Seattle Railway Thursday joined the other rail lines that have agreed to a union shop for its workers.

J. L. McBreen, general vice president of the Machinists union, announced the railway signed an agreement for a union shop to go into effect April 1. Fifteen unions are affected. McBreen said other Western railroads previously had signed such an agreement, as recommended by a presidential commission.

# UNDER FIRE



Two United Nations soldiers duck into a trench on hill next to Old Baldy, in Korea, as they come under Communist Chinese fire. Top, background shows bits and splinters of trees still standing. The two are communication men trying to string wire which ruined during Red barrage in battle for Old Baldy. U. S. troops completely abandon the strategic peak on the main division route to Seoul, after three days of bitter fighting. (AP Wirephoto)

# Garden Road Home Burned

A two story frame dwelling at 3630 Garden Rd., was badly damaged by fire Friday morning before the flames were controlled by firemen from Four Corners and the U.S. Navy Air Facility.

The house is owned by John A. Jelderks, 3635 D St., and was rented to Louis Roler, who occupied it with his wife and three children.

First to arrive at the scene was Fire Chief Ted Miller with three tank pumpers from the Four Corners fire department. Just as the Four Corners pumpers water supply was almost exhausted CPO G. A. Smith of the U.S. Navy Air Facility arrived with a large tanker and crew that soon controlled the fire.

Only a few of the downstairs possessions of the Roler family were saved from the fire.

# Charges Made

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Neuberger told the senate that he had written a letter to Newbury asking for an explanation of the use of his private automobile for which he charged the state mileage of seven cents a mile.

"This morning I received a reply from Mr. Newbury and here is all he said. 'I am not concerned how you vote on my salary increase.'"

Senator Dean Walker said that the question of drawing mileage for private cars by state officials and employees had long been a distressing one.

"I think that our solution of this problem will come in the form of a bill, soon to be on this floor, creating a state car pool."

Sen. Eugene Brown added to the debate when he read a mimeographed letter sent out by Neuberger giving the roll call of the vote in the senate in which an effort to remove the emergency clause from the liquor by the drink bill was defeated by a 18-14 vote.

"This letter was sent out at state expense by the senator from Multnomah county," said Sen. Brown, "and I think he should heed the old adage 'a man in a glass house should not throw stones.' A total of 780 copies of this letter was sent out by Neuberger at state expense."

Neuberger said that his letter could not be compared to the mileage collected by Newbury and then addressing Senate President Eugene Marsh added:

"I believe you and all future presidents should take some safeguards against the secretary of state, be he a republican, independent or a democrat, who as custodian of the legislature, can scan our letters and listen on our phone calls, and then turn any information over to our political enemies, for an attack on the senate floor," Neuberger said.

Neuberger's charges followed a lengthy debate on the bill after Senator C. F. Merrifield had told the senate that the salaries committee had worked daily for 11 weeks and had reached what he considered to be a fair and equitable salary increase schedule.

"We heard from many people on these bills and I think that the increased salaries proposed are fair."

Sen. Angus Gibson, chairman of the subcommittee on salaries said that while he was opposed to all salary increases he felt that the increases granted were fair.

Senator Fred Lamport failed in an attempt to send the bill back to committee with specific instructions to increase the salary of the commissioner of labor to \$10,000, the same amount granted to the superintendent of public instruction.

**Judges Increased**  
Previous to the argument on the bill, the senate passed a bill increasing salaries of circuit judges from \$9,300 to \$10,500 a year.

The salaries increased for elected officials will be acted upon Friday afternoon.

# Eisenhower Appoints Four Top Officials

Washington (AP) — President Eisenhower Friday nominated Ray Gidney, Cleveland banker, to be comptroller of the currency.

Eisenhower also sent to the Senate the nominations of John Roger Lewis of New York, vice president of the Curtis-Wright Corp., to be assistant secretary of the Air Force, and Maj. Gen. Ret. Glen E. Edgerton, of the District of Columbia, to be a member of the export-import bank.

A fourth nomination was that of Raymond Blattenberger of Philadelphia to be public printer, a \$15,000-a-year job which oversees most of the government's printing and book-binding.

# FLAMES DAMAGE HOUSE



Four Corners firemen stand on back porch roof of home at 3630 Garden Rd., to fight flames that badly damaged the residence Friday morning. Fire apparently started in attic.

# U.S. Marines

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The commander leading the Marines assault on Vegas messaged:

"We are on the top, situation well in hand. Enemy has tried several attempts to reinforce and counterattack." Withering Red machine gun fire had ripped at the Marine stacks on their way up the slope. Marine tanks hammered at the Communist machine gun nests. Smoke from exploding shells shrouded the outpost.

Col. L. W. Walt, a Marine regimental commander disclosed that every Leatherneck on Vegas and Reno when the Reds hit was presumed dead or captured.

The number was not reported, but presumably was small, at Elephant Butte, N. Mex.

# Car and Garage Burn In Morning Fire

Frontline reports said casualties in the fight back up the slope were far greater.

Fire destroyed a car and double garage early Friday morning at the Vera Albin residence, 590 North 17th street.

The fire was discovered about 1 a.m. and was completely out about an hour later. Both the car and the garage were described as a complete loss but were covered by insurance.

Cause of the fire was unknown, firemen said.

The biggest irrigation reservoir using Rio Grande water is located at Elephant Butte, N. Mex.

# SAROYAN AND EX-WIFE IN COURT



Novelist William Saroyan of Fresno, Calif., and his former wife, Carol, appear in Los Angeles court where they resisted a claim for \$4,888 filed for their former landlora Czechoslovakian Film Comedienne Marta Eggerth. Miss Eggerth's father, Ernest Sechy, testified that when the Saroyans vacated the house he found decomposed food on the floors, greasy drapes, and a "great accumulation" of unwashed dishes. The Saroyans' divorce decree was final. (AP Wirephoto)

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