

Three Men Held For Grand Jury

Three young men charged with the burglary of a Salem home Friday night waived preliminary hearing in Marion county district court Monday and were ordered held to answer to the county grand jury.

Held in lieu of \$3,500 bail each are Harold Ellis Crowe, Grand Island, Nebraska; Lee Joe Barta, Long Beach, Calif.; and Jack Richard Homann, Libby, Mont.

In statements, the men admitted forcing a kitchen window at the Page Stevens home, 610 D street, Saturday night. One of them climbed through the window and opened a door for the other two. They took a .38 caliber revolver, a wrist watch, food, cigars and candy and socks and a wallet from among gifts under the Christmas tree, they said.

They were arrested by state police in Albany later that night in a car stolen from the 1500 block of South 12th street. Most of the loot was still in their possession, police said. The car of Joe W. Dougherty, Aumsville, was returned to the owner.

In the signed statements the three said they had been selling magazine subscriptions in Portland and were hitchhiking to California. They stopped at the Salem police station to ask where they could get some food and were directed to a local welfare agency.

When they found no one there, they said, they walked around until they came to the Stevens house. When no one answered the door bell they decided to break in, they said.

Youth Group Will Meet Here

Pilgrim Holiness young people from Western Oregon and Western Washington will conduct their annual midwinter Youth Convention, December 29-31, in the Pilgrim Holiness church, located on Carlton way, 2 1/2 blocks east of the San Shop off Portland road. Rev. William S. Deal, Salem, district superintendent of the area, will have general oversight of the convention. The services will be under the direction of Rev. Roy Dworschak, Eugene, executive secretary of district youth work. Rev. V. G. Story is host rector. The opening service will be at 7:30 Tuesday evening, December 29. Rev. James Kreider, a student at Western Evangelical Seminary, Portland, who is to be guest speaker for the convention will deliver the opening address.

Wednesday and Thursday will be given to papers, panel discussions of youth problems and church work, musical numbers and other features. Mr. Kreider will address the convention at 11 a. m. each day and 7:30 each evening.

The closing session will open at 7:30 Thursday night and close at midnight with a Watch Night service of prayer. An outstanding feature of this service will be the Gospel Light Trio, under the direction of Rev. Lyle Leach, Salem, which will furnish a variety of vocal and instrumental numbers throughout the evening.

The youth of Salem are especially invited to attend this convention.

Injured Persons in Good Condition

Two persons injured in auto accidents Saturday were reported in good condition at Salem hospitals Monday.

Eleven-year-old Donald Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Wilson, 400 Peck avenue, is recovering in Salem Memorial hospital from shock and concussion suffered when the family car was struck by a Southern Pacific freight train at the Lancaster drive crossing north of Four Corners Saturday noon.

Nile Caster, Sutherlin, is reported in good shape at Salem General hospital after suffering chest and shoulder injuries in an accident at Laurel avenue and Columbia street Saturday afternoon. Caster was riding in a car driven by Donald Lee Beck, 253 Gerth avenue, that collided with one driven by Elwin Jacob Klein, 2545 Laurel avenue.

New Citizen Dinner Scheduled Tonight

One of the two annual naturalization dinner meetings will be held at the YMCA Monday night when 15 new

citizens will receive their papers.

Most of the newly-naturalized will be accompanied by their wives or husbands, and in addition several prominent couples of the community will be present. They include Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kells, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Abrams, Judge George Duncan and Mrs. Duncan, County Clerk and Mrs. Henry Mattson, and Attorney General and Mrs. Robert Y. Thornton.

The annual meetings are held in December and June of each year.

Good Cleanup Made On Christmas Mail

Although the volume of Christmas mail reaching Salem during the holidays was extremely heavy, Postmaster Albert C. Gragg reports that when the temporary warehouse on South Liberty street was given up over the weekend only two packages remained undelivered and that was because the office to which they were addressed was not open.

The carrier force, reduced to normal size by virtue of the dismissal of a corps of extras, was confronted with a sizable jag of mail that accumulated over the weekend. However, all of this was expected to be delivered during the day in spite of inclement weather.

Thursday Deadline Oregon Vets Bonus

The deadline for applying for Oregon's bonus for World War II veterans is next Thursday midnight.

Bonus payments, made to 121,092 living veterans and to 4,571 next of kin, total \$50 million.

The 1953 legislature extended the deadline, and 2,400 veterans have taken advantage of the extension.

Seekers for Position Few

The number of applications received to date for the position of State Civil Service Director is somewhat disappointing. A. C. Cammack, chairman of the selection committee for the Civil Service Commission, said today.

Less than a dozen applications have been received and the final day for submitting applications is only about two weeks off. Applications postmarked January 15 will be accepted.

"Most of the applications received so far are from out-of-state residents," Cammack said, "and although we are glad to receive them we are hopeful that more Oregon people with personnel experience will enter the competition. We are looking for the best man for the job and are carrying on nationwide recruitment but that doesn't mean that the best man might not be an Oregon resident," he added.

The Civil Service Commission recently raised the salary for the position to \$8592 per year.

County Court Agrees To Switch in Room

The county court Monday agreed to a switch in rooms set aside for grand jury witnesses and court reporters in the new courthouse.

Judges who are interested in the proper functioning of the available space, suggested that a large room set aside for

grand jury witnesses, be turned over to court reporters who had been assigned an inner room of smaller size.

The new witness room will be directly across the corridor from the grand jury room. The reporters will have outside light in which to do their work.

Station Needs Three Enlistees

Three men are needed in the next three days to keep Salem on top as the Marine Corps recruiting station in Oregon, Staff Sgt. Robert D. Wilson of the local office said Monday. The local office has led the state for the past two months.

The enlistees will also be part of Oregon's second Beaver platoon which will leave Portland late in January for training camp, Wilson reported.

Salem sent about 1/3 of the first Beaver platoon which left in July and would like to sign up at least 25 for this one, Wilson said. There are presently 16 signed up. Others must be signed up by January 19, he explained, and will be returned home under orders until the date when they will go to Portland for processing and shipping out to camp.

The three or four enlistees that the local office hopes to get this month to maintain its top recruiting record will get the same deal, he announced. They will sign up now and can return home until the 19th before going on active duty.

Job Offered To Easterner

The position of park superintendent for the city of Salem has been offered to Walter Wirth of Harrisburg, Pa.

The position is really a new one in Salem, not comparing with any now in the city administrative organization, and it will pay a salary of \$5000 a year.

At the Monday night meeting of the city council the parks advisory board will advise the council that it has directed the writing of a letter to Wirth.

Duties of the office will be supervision of the parks maintenance crew, and operation, maintenance and development of the park program.

Approval by the city council is necessary for the employment.

Car Demolished in Strong Road Mishap

His car was demolished and a Salem man suffered back and rib injuries in an accident Saturday evening on South 12th street near Strong road, state police reported.

Archie Carter, 990 Morning-

side avenue, was reported in good condition Monday at Salem Memorial hospital, where he was taken after the accident in which his car left the road and rolled over. Carter was unable to explain what caused the accident, police said.

GRAND
PHONE 3-3447
Gary Cooper
Barbara Stanwyck
in
"BLOWING WILD"
— Also —
Eddie Pinner
"TONIGHT WE SING"

ELSINORE
PHONE 3-8708
Bob Hope-Tony Martin
"HERE COME THE GIRLS"
In Color
— 9 —
Walt Disney's
"Pioneers of the Everglades"
Also-Color Cartoon
"Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer"

CAPITOL
PHONE 3-8050
NOW PLAYING!
Technicolor
Esther Williams
Van Johnson
Tony Martin
in
"EASY TO LOVE"
"Champ for a Day"

MEN'S SUITS
NOW GOING AT
NEAR WHOLESALE PRICES
KAY WOOLEN MILL STORE
Open All Day Saturday
"The Street the Trains Run On"
260 S. 12th

HOMEOWNED HOLLYWOOD
Now Showing - Open 6:45
"ALL AMERICAN"
Tony Curtis, Lori Nelson
— Co - Hit —
"STAND AT APACHE RIVER"
Technicolor
Stephen McNally
Julia Adams

BARBEQUED CRAB
At **NORTH'S**
1170 Center St.

CHRISTMAS ISN'T OVER YET AT ...

ARBUCKLE'S

OUR ENTIRE SHOE STOCK GOES ON

SALE

• MEN'S • WOMEN'S • CHILDREN'S

10 TO 50% OFF!

YOU'LL FIND TERRIFIC VALUES IN SUCH FAMOUS NAMES AS—

- ★ Roblee
- ★ Naturalizer
- ★ Buster Brown

MEN'S...

- French Shiner and Urner
- Allen-Edmonds
- Pedwin
- Evans

WOMEN'S...

- Troylings
- Life Stride
- Rhythm Step
- Jantzen
- Skooters
- California Cobblers

CHILDREN'S

- Propr-Bilt
- Robin Hood
- Jumping Jacks
- Weber

★ Slippers

★ Handbags

★ Hosiery

ON SALE AT GREAT SAVINGS!

SALE STARTS TOMORROW 9 a.m.

ARBUCKLE'S

481 STATE ST.

Woodroffe's

\$AVING CENTERS

At the Foot of the Bridge | 1/2 Mile North of the Underpass

W. Salem | **Salem**

OPEN EVERY DAY 8 A.M. TO 10 P.M.

Grade A Creamery

BUTTER

59¢ lb.

LIMIT

ALL POPULAR BRANDS

Coffee **75¢**

LIMIT

POUND PACKAGE

Nucoa **22 1/2¢**

LIMIT

CANE OR BEET

Sugar **89¢**

LIMIT 10-Pound Sack

KITCHEN QUEEN 10-Pound Sack

Flour **75¢**

LIMIT

Radishes and Green Onions **3 bun. 10¢**

POTATOES U. S. No. 2

50-lb. Sack 55¢

LIMIT

MULLIGAN STEW!

Parsnips
Turnips
Rutabagas
Cabbage
Carrots
Onions

5^c lb.

Short Ribs of Beef **15¢ lb.**

CHEESE **39¢ lb.**

LIMIT

Eastern Oregon Baby Beef
Young - Tender - Tasty
MONEY BACK GUARANTEE!

PURE GROUND BEEF **lb. 25¢**

RIB STEAKS **lb. 29¢**

CHUCK ROASTS **lb. 29¢**

LOCKER BEEF **25¢**
Sides Average 180 lbs. LB.

FRONT QUARTERS **21¢**
Average 90 lbs. LB.

COLORADO PAN-SAN
at the **SAN SHOP**