

'EXPAND SALES OPPORTUNITIES'

Credit Meet Set Here

More than 200 persons interested in credit problems from Oregon and southern Washington will attend the Oregon Columbia Regional Credit conference here this weekend.

Represented at the Saturday-Sunday session will be credit and sales personnel, bookkeepers and secretaries from clinics, physicians and other medical and dental personnel as well as credit bureau personnel from the two-state area.

The conference is sponsored by the regional board of directors, representing the National Retail Credit Association, the Credit Women's Breakfast club of North America and the Association Credit bureaus.

Purpose of the meet is to acquaint delegates with the many complex problems and current changes occurring in the credit world, according to C. E. Schmitz of Salem, conference coordinator. "Expanding Credit Sales Opportunities" is the theme of the conference. Plans are laid to cover all phases of credit relationships with customers and the public through talks, workshops and panel discussions.

Workshops for various types of credit merchandising groups have been set up for the conference. Here problems dealing with merchandising and credit sales promotion, office collection procedures and skip tracing will be considered.

Medical, hospital and dental groups will be invited to participate in a workshop on admittance and registration of patients, office billing procedures, welfare and hardship cases and related subjects.

A dinner dance will take place Saturday night.

Newcomer Rites To Be Wednesday

Funeral services for George Washington Newcomer, 62, Salem, who died at his home Saturday, will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday from the W. T. Golden chapel.

Employed at the sash and door division of Oregon Pulp and Paper company, he was also head trustee of Salem Local No. 1411, Millmen's union.

He had been a farmer and had been chief engineer at an electric plant in Dryad, Wash.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Wilma Newcomer, three sons, Alton and Robert Newcomer, both of Salem and Lloyd Newcomer, Gullford, Conn.; two daughters, Mrs. Leona Ray, Salem and Mrs. Denita Wright, San Francisco; three brothers, David Newcomer, Kirkland, Wash., Calvin Newcomer, Sacramento, Calif., and Austin Newcomer, Wakarusa, Ind.; sister Mrs. Emma Berkey, Seattle, and nine grandchildren.

Homage Paid To Toscanini

MILAN (AP) — Nearly 50,000 Milanese music lovers crowded into the Duomo Cathedral Monday to pay final homage to Maestro Arturo Toscanini.

Other thousands, from street sweepers to opera singers and musicians, stood outside the cathedral under a steady, cold rain. The square was a sea of massed umbrellas.

Many went as Milan Archbishop Giovanni Battista Montini gave a special blessing to the great conductor. The coffin rested on a catafalque.

From the cathedral, the maestro's remains were taken to Milan's memorial cemetery for burial in the Toscanini family chapel.

Out-of-State Roses To Be Sent Here For Bush Planting

Roses from two out-of-state firms are being sent here for planting in the Bush Park rose gardens.

A New York rose growing firm is sending 25 each of the six latest varieties and a California company is contributing 15 each of two varieties which will not be re-leased to the public until next year.

City Park Superintendent Walter Wirth said the new roses would be placed in the gardens established two years ago. A stockpiling nursery provided the stock for the original planting.

Eugene Girl Queen of Banff Winter Festival

BANFF, Alta. (UP) — Marilyn Harrang, 21, of Eugene, Ore., was named "Queen of the Canadian Rockies" Saturday at the wind-up of the 39th annual Banff winter festival.

It was the first time in several years that the title had gone to an American.

Miss Harrang's crowning ended a four-day carnival attended by several thousand persons at this Rocky mountain resort.

Doctor Opens Office

STAYTON (Special)—Richard A. Waldo, M.D., has opened an office in Stayton Friday for the practice of medicine and surgery in the former Trask home on Third street.

Miss Perfect Balance



Norma Schaublin, above, was recently named "Miss Perfect Balance" of 1957. Here she balances her ledger in preparation for the two-state credit conference here Saturday and Sunday. In the picture with Miss Schaublin is Ernest W. Reames, credit conference chairman. (Capital Journal Photo)

Kirk Funeral Is Wednesday

SILVERTON (Special) — Funeral services for George Edwin Kirk, 67, will be Wednesday at 2 p.m. from Memorial Chapel Ekman's mortuary. Rev. I. M. Nelson will officiate, burial in Silverton cemetery.

Mr. Kirk was born May 8, 1880 at Portland and had lived in Silverton for the last 58 years. Survivors are his wife, Sarah Mahle Kirk; five sons, Norman, Carson City, Nevada; Joe Kirk, Mount Vernon, Ore.; Vilas Kirk, Sweet Home; Calvin Kirk, U.S. Army in Germany; Vernon, Canby; 12 grandchildren, and his mother, Mrs. Olivia Moser, Lebanon; four sisters, Mrs. Stella Hicks, Silverton; Mrs. Eika Littlepage, Arcata, Calif.; Mrs. Sylvia Canoy, Carson City, Nevada; Mrs. Helena Holm, Seio.

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Infant's Interment Will Be at Canby

Interment for Vielte Lorene Gregory, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Gregory of Klamath Falls and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gregory of Salem, will be at the Zion cemetery in Canby at 2 p.m. Tuesday.

The infant died Saturday in Klamath Falls and funeral services were held there Sunday.

Other survivors include the child's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Marks of Canby.

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Norton Rites Are Tuesday At Woodburn

WOODBURN (Special)—Funeral services for Mrs. Blanche Norton, 55, who died Saturday in a Silverton hospital, will be held Tuesday at 2 p.m., from Ringo-Cornwell mortuary in Woodburn, burial in Belle Passi cemetery.

Mrs. Norton was born in Illinois Dec. 27, 1901 and came to Oregon 36 years ago. Her home for the past 36 years had been in the vicinity of Monitor. Death followed a prolonged illness.

Rev. Melior Hildebrand, O.S.B., will conduct the funeral service. Rosary will be recited at St. Mary's Catholic church Monday at 8 p.m.

Survivors are her husband, Clifford Norton; her mother, Gertrude Arnold, Oregon City; son, Carl Norton, Austin, Tex.; daughter, Anita Norton, Woodburn; sisters, Mrs. Bertha Garber, King City, Calif.; Mrs. Ruth Babrazeanu, Portland; two grandchildren. One son, Dale Norton died in 1945 while in the army. Three brothers also survive, Paul Arnold, The Dalles; George and Orris, Oregon City.

She had been a member of Frances Rebekah lodge, No. 242 of Monitor, and had served as noble grand of the lodge. She was also past president of the auxiliary of the American Legion Mt. Angel unit.

Bishop Dagwell to Get B'nai B'rith Award

PORTLAND (AP) — The Rt. Rev. Benjamin D. Dagwell, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Oregon, will receive the B'nai B'rith brotherhood award Thursday.

The award is given annually by the Jewish organization for an outstanding record in the field of inter-faith relations.

Accident Victims Return to Home; Still Recovering

A Salem couple is recovering at home from injuries suffered in an accident in California last week. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert R. Carey, Rainbow Dr., were injured at Dunsmuir, Calif., when the steering gear on their station wagon failed and the vehicle struck a concrete bridge railing, they reported.

They were taken to a hospital there for treatment of face and head injuries and shock. They were returned to Salem over the weekend by relatives.

They were en route to the funeral of Mrs. Carey's brother at Arcata, Calif., when the accident occurred.

Firemen Quell Fence Blaze

Blazes in a fence and a hedge brought calls for city firemen Saturday.

A picket fence caught fire at the home of Carmen Kuhn, 1561 Oak St., about 2:45 p.m. when a container of hot tar spilled on the fence, firemen said. The tar was being heated for roofing the residence, they said.

A trash can with a blaze in it tipped over and set a hedge on fire at the corner of Superior and Liberty streets, firemen said. Damage was not extensive in either case, they said.

LOSES HANDCUFF KEYS

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)— Park policeman Motee S. Daniels had to take 15-year-old Bill Sheek to the local locksmith in order to open handcuffs he had put on the boy. Sheek asked Daniels to let him try on his handcuffs to see if he "could get out of them."

Daniels obliged and after a lot of tugging young Sheek gave up and asked the policeman to free him. Daniels reached in his pocket for the key, but it wasn't there.

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