John Stark Evans, Eugene Glee-

ance Providing New Set Up

To Conform With Rating

A reorganization of the Spring-

provides for a full time paid chief

and the location of the equipment

Face Higher Rates

ation that it must either reorganize

its fire department or have a fur-

ther increase in insurance rates.

the city recorder that "according to

our records the Springfield depart-

Move to City Hall

recently prepared for the depart-

ment. The chief will be on duty in

night. Also the fire committee

plans to carry other city employees

subject them to call so that more

than one man will go out with the

fire truck at all times. Volunteers

will respond to the whistle signals

In the past the fire chief was the

only person trained in operating

the truck and pumper. Plans of the

three trained men who can operate

the truck and pumper so that the

ent on the chief's day off as the

When the question first came up

Since the filing of the petitions

Willamette Council of the Ameri-

can Legion will hold a district

meeting at Florence Sunday. The

Auxiliary is sponsoring a dance Sat-

urday night. Business sessions will

be held at the Florence Hotel Sun-

A delegation from Springfield

's planning to attend the meeting.

MOTHERS CLUB HOLDS

of mutual problems.

FINAL MEET OF YEAR

Final discussion meeting of the

blown from power plant.

rest of the week.

Springfield was faced with a situ-

ATHLETES WAIT BIG TRACK EV.

Hutchinson Turns Ankle In **Baseball Spoiling Chances** For Win In 440 Race

HANSEN, SMITH ENTERED

Local School Wins Second In District; Get Cup In Willamette Meet

Striking like a streak of lightned down on the Springfield high school program. school track team last night and almost certainly eliminated one of the three students who had qualified last Saturday to represent this district in the state track and field meet at Hayward field Saturday.

The victim was Kerrigan Hutchinson, winner of first place in the district meet last Saturday in the quarter-mile race. He turned his ankle in the baseball game played with Oakridge on Brattain field.

Eliminations Are Friday Hutchinson, together with Malcolm Hansen and Disque Smith, were Springfield's entries in the state meet. It is doubtful if he will be able to enter the preliminary events Friday afternoon.

Hansen qualified for the mile and half-mile events by first place in both events. Smith qualified in three events by winning firsts in the high hurdles and broad jump events and placing second in the events and placing second in the low hurdles. Both Smith and Hansen worked out on Hayward field Tuesday afternoon and drew favorable comment from Bill Hayward, veteran track coach and director of Less Than Month Separates the state meet.

Place in District Meet Other Springfield students who won places in the district meet to

Litscher came in fourth behind Hill cemetery. Hutchinson in the 440. Darr tied for second place in the high jump and Randall Ray won fourth in the low hurdles. Hall's team also won third in the relay race.

Hall's team which was also successful in winning second place in the Willamette Valley meet held at Corvallis two weeks ago also won the district cup now held by Cottage Grove. The Grove officials have promised to bring the cup, Raymond and Victor; and three state meet Saturday.

Springfield people who are interested in these track and field events are invited to Hayward field Friday afternoon and Saturday to gon high schools compete. A small DELEGATES TO ATTEND watch the leading athletes of Oreadmission charge will be made.

FIGHT PROGRAM DRAWS BIG CROWD

Fans Pleased With Owens Offering In First Legion Boxing Venture

Results of the opening American Legion boxing program at the Armory Monday evening were satisfactory to all parties concerned with the possible exception of the fighters themselves who did not draw much in the line of financial renumeration for their efforts. Herb Owen promoted the affair for the Legion.

Gibson Smooth Fighter

Leroy Gibson, 130 pound negro fighter from Wichita, Kansas, won pound blonde Portland boy in the six-round main event.

Mickey Barker knocked out his negro opponent, Nick Leslie, in the third round of the six-round semi-

Adams Gets Eye Cut

Kit Turner won a technical knockduled four-round battle. Adams rethe bout as the gong sounded for the third round.

gene boys, staged an interesting response by Jerry Clark as presifour-round battle for a draw.

The Shannon twins nearly stole ile battle which went to a draw with their father as referee. They speacker. received a nice silver shower from the fans.

DISTRICT WILL RECEIVE SCHOOL FUNDS SOON

ceived early next week by Spring- day evening. school fund.

Attend Church

Methodist Pastor To Preach Sermon At Union Service Sunday Evening

commencement week for members of the Springfield high school senior class will start Sunday evening with the annual Baccalaureate service to be held at the Methodist church at 8 o'clock.

There will not be evening services in the Baptist and Christian church as the pastors of these coning, that old bugbear, injury, swoop- gregations will participate in the

> Fifty-two seniors will receive their diplomas next week and will hear Rev. Dean C. Poindexter, pastor of the Methodist church, preach on the subject, "A Rendezvous with

an church, will give the invocation after Barbara Barnell has played Chopin's "Prelude" as a processional, and the audience has sung the hymn, "Blest be the Tie that Binds.'

The high school chorus will sing Mrs. Carl Olson. "The Prayer Perfect" preceding the reading of the scripture by Rev. R. E. Rolens of the Baptist church. Rev. Rolens will also pronounce the benediction.

Deaths Of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jack, Camp Creek

enable Marion Hall's squad to take Jack who died at the home of his group on music, and Mrs. Dawson Wright Scores Final Point In preparation of the organ chamber. calls for a volunteer organization second place in the district with daughter, Mrs. Alma Pierce, last asked for support in the play-36 points were Irvin Darr who tied Thursday, were held from the ground undertaking. Plans for the with three others for second place Poole chapel here Saturday at 2:30. annual picnic of the organization in the pole vault, and Hill who Rev. Ralph Clark officiated and were discussed. No date for this placed fourth in the shot put. Bob interment was made in the Laurel event was set.

Mr. Jack was a resident of Lower Camp creek area and was 54 years old. He was born October 31, 1890 at Arcadia, Kansas, and moved to Vernon county, Missouri, where he was married to Miss Ida Melissa Baldwin. After living in Colorado and Washington they moved to Camp Creek in 1909.

Mrs. Jack died on April 15, this year. Survivors include two sons, Pauline Cline, Mrs. Catherine Cole; high school will present their final a brother, Herbert Jack of Glendora, California, and a sister, Mrs. Herman Moeller of Pendleton.

LODGE CONVENTIONS

Odd Fellow and Rebekah Groups Meet In Salem Next Week For Annual Sessions

named here Monday evening at the Charles Cole as Judge Wilson. weekly meeting of the lodge group. They are Miss Eunice Gerber, Mrs. clude selections by the high school Clara Snodgrass, and Clarine Put-

of the I. O. O. F. instructed the Banjo," between the first two acts. delegates and members on legisla- The boys glee club will also sing tion which will be taken up at the Salem convention.

Crabtree presented three of her sing, "Sundown," "Bells of the pupils in a program of readings and Sea."

The Odd Fellows lodge will also meet at Salem May 21-23 next man, business manager; Jack Pedweek. The local lodge has chosen a decision over Whitey Neal, 128 Elmer Pyne and Lee Putman as of sisted by Charles Clement; Joan ficial delegates.

JUNIORS FETE SENIORS

AT BANQUET SATURDAY Junior students at the high school honored the members of the out over Freddie Adams, Umatilla graduating class with the annual Indian, in two rounds of their sche Junior-Senior banquet at the Del Donna Resident Passes Away Sun- Chatterton; first run scored-\$2.00 of the local troop. Rey cafe in Eugene Saturday evenceived a deep cut over the right ing. Following the banquet and eye in the second round and referee program the entire group attended Wiley Spivley of Portland stopped a late show at one of the theatres. Included on the banquet program Lyle Copple and Fred Myers, Eu. president of the junior class and a kill, New York on January 17, 1853, and 1.00 grease job at Logan's, to dent of the seniors. Pearl Helterbrand sang a vocal solo and Barthe show in their one-round juven. bara Barnell played a piano solo. Idaho, Washington, and Oregon strike out, surprise package, to F. W. E. Buell, principal, was the

STAR TO HONOR PAST OFFICERS NEXT TUESDAY

Past Matrons and Past Patrons of Cascade chapter O. E. S. will be An apportionment of school funds honored at the regular meeting of in the total of \$2995 will be re- Cascade chapter here next Tues- Monday afternoon. Rev. Norman Mitchell's, to G. Wright; most hits,

field school district number 19 it. At the last meeting Mrs. Bessie Poole chapel in Springfield was in and \$1.00 in trade at Sneed's, to G. wa: announced today by L. C. Mof- Paddock was elected conductress charge of interment. fitt, county school superintendent, to succeed Mrs. I. M. Peterson, re-The district will receive \$1020 from signed, Mrs. May Ogilvie was electand \$1975 from the elementary Curtiss was initiated as a new opened a restaurant for the sum- spent the week-end here visiting will come here from the Albany nate weeks for panel discussions were here Sunday visiting at the the county high school tuition fund, ed associate conductress. Mrs. Rose

H. S. Seniors to START PLANS FOR FLOWER EXHIBI

Civic Club Announces Intention To Sponsor Rose Show and Children's Parade

TO SET EARLY JUNE DATE

Seek New Location For Display: Make Plans Tuesday for Annual Picnic

The Civic club will again sponsor a rose and flower show and a chil- lems in the development of playdren's parade. Although the date grounds for the city. has not been set it will probably be pointed and as much preliminary was taken care of Tuesday when other interested organizations. the club met at the home of Mrs. I. G. Shaw, pastor of the Christ- Edw. Privat, president, for a lunchon and afternoon session.

She will be assisted in making pre-

Armory Being Investigated

A new location for the show will to boost the project. be sought by a committee headed will be investigated along with sev- one of the lots. eral other locations in the city.

No committee was appointed for the Children's parade at the Tuesday meeting, but it was decided to revive this once-popular event.

The meeting Tuesday was the annual plant exchange meeting for the club members, Mrs. Blaine Funeral services for Charles Hovey of Eugene spoke to the

Graduating Students To Present "Tommy" In Auditorium Friday At 8:00

Senior students at Springfield public entertainment at the school Friday evening when they offer the people of this city, "Tommy," a three-act comedy under the direction of Miss Marguerite Millhollen.

Cast of characters for the play written by Howard Lindsay and Bertrand Robertson include: Doris Marie Robinson as Mrs. Wilson; Jerry Clark as Bernard; Hartle Olson, Marie Thurber; Frances Delegates to the state Rebekah Stiles, Mrs. Thurber; Jack Wil-Assembly convention to be held at liams, Mr. Thurber; Uncle David Salem on Tuesday, Wednesday and Tuttle, played by Antone Uchytil; Thursday of next week were Irvin Darr as Tommy Mills; and

Special entertainment will inorchestra before the curtain rises. The girls glee club will sing "Little W. F. Walker, past grand master Coon's Prayer." and "Sing Little "Anchors A-Weigh," and "Pirates Song." Between the second and Following the program Miss Lola third acts the mixed chorus will

> Members of the business staff presenting the play are Leroy Inerson, stage manager, who is as- Jasper. rett, costumes; and Evelyn Johnon, promoter.

The play will start at 8 o'clock.

HOLD GRAVESIDE RITES

day At Arthur Baugh Home At Age Of 77 Years

his home at Donna since 1933.

hews and two nieces.

Opens Restaurant-M. B. Huntly

Outdoor Groups CHURCH ORGAN To Talk Merger

SPRINGFIELD, LANE COUNTY, OREGON, THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1935

Tennis, Playground Groups To Meet Friday; Park Pro- John Stark Evans and George ject Is Progressing

A merger of efforts of the recently organized Springfield Playground Association with the group INSTALLATION COMPLETE of tennis enthusiasts will probably be discussed Friday evening at a meeting to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bartholomew. Representatives of both groups

The playground association has with the Eugene Gleemen. been busy the past week contacting The fedicatory concert is de-Mrs. C. E. Wheaton will be chair- requests for cooperation in the dev- Besides dedicating the organ it will man for the flower show this year. elopment of a playground for a provide a means of raising additionliminary arrangements by Mrs. D. tioned the City Council for use of been necessary in preparing the O. Fisher, Mrs. R. E. Dawson and the lots at Seventh and "A" streets building for the organ. Tickets are and are planning a benefit program now on sale for the concert which at the Lincoln school next week will begin at 8 o'clock.

Work on the city park lots is by Mrs. Dawson. No show was held continuing this week. Announce cost about \$2500 completely installlast year, but in 1933 when it was ment has been made of an offer ed, was made possible largely held at the Library it was found from Wright and Sons Hardware through a \$1250 bequest of the late that the room was too small to pro- store to furnish paint for the fence, Mrs. Janie Cruzan. Members of the vide adequate display space. The and a seed company has agreed to church and others in the commun use of the armory for the exhibit donate 10 pounds of seed to plant ity who are interested in music

TOWN TEAM WINS

7-6 Victory Over Marcola Here Sunday Afternoon

By C. E. WHEATON

The baseball season was ushered

until the fourth inning, two bases clared. three more and there the count stood tied until the twelfth. Spring-

six, which made the game a thriller. Manager Shull called in Mattison from shore, putting Pete Taylor at that place. Mattison, with his speed and his whiff ball working well, kept the visitors in check throughout the final six innings. . Mullanix, for the visitors, pitched a steady game, and with a little better defense at critical times, the score might have been differ-

Gordon Wright at first base play ed a stellar game and was the leading hitter for the Springfield team. Many Win Prizes

Prizes given by the business men vere quite evenly divided. Mayor quite up to standard yet Enoch Monday evening. Stuart was fanned. &

Score by innings: Seavey, properties; Margaret Jar- Spr'gf'ld 3 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1-7 corsage was at each place and the list as the true situation was Refunding Bonds due in 1944 which Prizes for the various firsts of decorating the rooms.

the day were donated and won by the following:

FOR MOREL NICKERSON ber's to Chatterton; first safe hit, solo by Flora Bertsch; and a one- DISTRICT MEETING FOR \$2.50 razor set from Fulop's to act comedy, given by three girls bat from Wright's to Chatterton; The girls will work on their first sacrifice, \$1.00 grease job from merit badges again at the weekly Larson to Chatterton; first walk, meeting next Monday afternoon at Morel Nickerson, 77, died Sun- 50c roast at Stuart's, 3 pounds of the Lincoln school, day at the home of Arthur Baugh butter from Pyles' to Mulligan; was a welcome by George Irvin, at Donna. He was born in Maner- first assist, \$1.00 credit at Taylor's STATE LEGION HEAD TO and moved to Nebraska at the age Mattison; first single, 75c pipe of nine years. Later he went to from Vern Dahiels, \$1.00 grease job British Columbia and has lived in at Mitchell's, to H. Russell; first since that time. He was married in Squires; first hit by pitcher, 50c British Columbia, and has made trade at Dibblee's to F. Squires; first error, 50c trade at Irene's and He is survived by two half bottle of shaving lotion from Flanbrothers, Frank Nickerson of Ohio, ery's, to F. Squires; first stolen and Ed Hass of Denver, four nep- base, haircut and shave at Wheaton and Whitney, to D. Wright; Graveside services were held at first put out, 75c trade at Scott's the Donna I. O. O. F. cemetery on and 50c pressing job at Jimmie Workman of Marcola officiated. \$1.00 at Hall's Shoe Repair shop,

with friends.

Wright.

Bishop To Present Program Here Wednesday

Cruzan Bequest and Donations Of Local People Make Purchase Possible

Dreams of many music lovers in will meet to discuss mutual probthis city will be fulfilled next Wed-The Lions club has appointed ter pipe organ will be dedicated at held sometime during the first Rev. Dean C. Poindexter to act for the Methodist church by John week of June. Committees were ap- them in investigating the possibili- Stark Evans, director of pipe organ ties of creating a number of tennis at the University, in a special benework as can be done at this time courts in this city and to work with fit concert. Mr. Evans will be assisted by George Bishop, soloist,

local organizations and presenting signed to serve a double purpose. Register-Guard). smaller children. They have peti- al funds for expenses which have

Funds Are Pledged Purchase of the organ, which have made it possible, through pledges and cash donations, to purchase the organ at a time when the cial prices in order to keep their and regulations of the state fire

In addition to the price of the organ itself, the church has assumed an additional expense in carpenter and construction work in in the city hall building. It also The present receipts will not cover of from 12 to 18 men to be trained this additional expense, therefore by the chief. the benefit concert.

Same as U. O. Organ

This organ is made by the same in Sunday before a large crowd of company which made the one used home town fans and they all were at the music building on the Uniwell repaid in seeing an interest- versity campus. Mr. Evans has The insurance rating bureau writes ing twelve-inning game, ragged at been here several times this week times, but anybody's until the fatal working with James A. Bamford, twelfth inning when Gordon Wright factory representative, in the inled off with a single to left field, stallation of the organ. He is very stole second, went to third on an favorably impressed with the organ out, and scored on Doc Taylor's and the installation made here. The console, which is a dark gum wood, Harvey Russell was the starting is one of the best looking and yet pitcher for Springfield and did well practical ones he has seen, he de-

Another beautiful part of the orthree runs for the visitors, and in gan installation will be the scroll the fifth two errors coupled with a work over the sound opening. This single and a two-bagger sent in is being made in three sections to represent windows with a cross in the middle unit. It is being made by field in the meantime had scored Lawrence Davidson of Eugene and

will be in place for the concert. Last night, Mr. Bamford gave a lecture on the history of music and the growth of the pipe organ to an interested group of listeners who later bombarded him with queetions. He also explained the detailed workings of the organ to his

GIRL SCOUTS ENTERTAIN MOTHERS AT DINNER

Troop Members Play Host At Gathering In Christian Church Monday Evening

Thirty-four members of the Girl Turner and the sheriff formed a Scout troop of Springfield and their battery for the first hitter, and mothers attended the Scout banwhile the Mayor's control was not quet held at the Christian church about moving the fire equipment tes how the reputation of the city

Every detail of the dinner in Everyone had a good time and cluding the preparation of the food, names asking that Hugh Jolliff, the fans will be treated to more the serving and the decorations, fire chief be retained, and the degood games in the near future. The were handled by the Girl Scouts. partment kept where it is now. Dear Sir: team plays Hill's Creek Sunday at They served a three-course dinner at a long table decorated with gay nine persons have written the city May poles in pastel shades. A small asking their names be taken off regarding interest coupons on some Marcola 0 0 0 3 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 flowers were used extensively in mis-represented by the circulators. I own.

during the evening included tap newspaper. -First double-\$1.00 credit at Ger- dances by Roberta Rebhan; piano

VISIT POST HERE MAY 23 day afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Joe Chamberlin, state commander of the American Legion, will Some are going over to the coast make an official visit to the Spring- for the week-end. Ail service peofield past Thursday of next week. ple and their families are invited Members of the Legion at Westfir according to M. A. Pohl, local post have been invited to attend the commander. meeting here which will held at the

MOUNTAIN STATES TO TRANSFER WORKERS

ant bookkeeper at the Mountain taught by Mrs. Leota Rodenbough, potluck luncheon at 1 o'clock was States Power company office here was held Wednesday at 2:30. Mrs. enjoyed by the membership. is to be transferred to the Albany Olive Rebhan was leader for the Portland People Here-Mr. and office of the company about the discussion. The club has met duroffice in the exchange.

WILL DEDICATE ORGAN CITY WILL ARGUE LIGHTING RATES

Attorney Will Appear At Utility Commissioner Hearing In Albany June 3.

702 SIGN PETITIONS HERE

Petitions For Playgrounds, Tennis Courts, and Change In Sewer Outlet Received

Light and power rates for the Springfield resident and commercial users will be argued by the city attorney at the State Utilities Commissioner hearing in Albany June 3, according to authority expressed by a resolution passed by the council at Monday night's meetmen director who will play the ing. The resolution came after petidedicatory concert on the new pipe tions carrying 702 names were organ at the Methodist church next presented to the council Monday Wednesday .- (Picture courtesy of evening asking that the city offiers intervene for lower rates.

The petitions charge that electric rates here are excessive and point out that by comparison with other places they are discriminatory and retard industrial development. If the city attorney follows the pleaset up in the petitions he will not only argue that Springfield should have lower rates but that they City Council Passes Ordin- should even be lower than those charged by the Mountain States Power company in other towns of the valley. The reason for this is the availablity of Eugene municipal field fire department to make it power at much lower rates. The conform with the standards of the petitioners think this is a strategic argument since other towns have Oregon Insurance Rating Bureau not cheap power available at their city limits. In other words they marshal's office is authorized in an would apply "Roosevelt's yard ordinance passed at the city counstick" reasoning. cil Monday evening. The ordinance

The council also received a petition from residents living in the Northwest part of town who complained of the condition at the sewer outlet. They believe that the sewer should be extended into the main river instead of the present slough or that a disposal plant should be erected. The petition was referred to the fire and water com-

Two bids on lots 1 and 2 in Sunnyside addition and a bid for the lot at Sixth and A streets, owned ment has three fully paid firemen by the city, were received and re-

and 12 volunteers." On this or. ferred to the finance committee. ganization the present rates were Petitions asking for the setting established. The truth is of course out of the city owned lot a Seventh the Springfield fire department has and A streets for a children's playneither three paid men nor 12 vol- ground signed by 123 people were unteers. It has one paid fire chief received by the council and referand one relief man who comes red to the street committee. Also another asking that city property be given for tennis courts were re-The new fire department will be ceived and referred to the same located in the rooms in the city hall committee.

the day time and two paid men will sleep at the department hall at night Also the fire committee BY BOND HOLDER on the fire department rolls and

Financial Program Drawing **Favorable Comment From**

Investment People Efforts of the officials to refinance and in taking care of the city's fire committee are to have at least three year defaulted bonds has brought favorable comment from bankers, bond buyers and holders department will be just as effici- in the last few weeks. The following letter from C. H. Reade, who holds some Springfield bonds, and is agent for bond holders, illustraa petition was circulating protest- is being raised in investment peoing the move. It was signed by 245 ple's eyes:

City Recorder, Springfield, Ore.,

with you during the past few years

The full text of the ordinance is "I was interested in an article in Entertainment numbers given printed in other columns of this the Oregonian Jan. 21, 1935 regarding Springfield cutting its operating costs and another article on May 11th, regarding the improved condition of your finances. My LEGION AT FLORENCE April 1st coupons were a few days late in being paid but have since

been cashed. "It is a pleasure these days to see public officials, such as those of Springfield, making an effort to take care of their towns obligations, and to reduce expenditures, and) would like to commend you on your

"It is to be regretted that some other cities do not take their obligations as seriously as you do.

C. H. READE."

NEEDLECRAFT MEMBERS

HAVE LUNCHEON TODAY

Mrs. W. N. Long is entertaining Mothers club consisting of mothers for members of the Needlecraft Miss Maxine Snodgrass, assist of children in the second grade club at her home this afternoon. A

Down from Westfir - Mr. and has gone to Yachats where he has Mrs. Elton LaSalle of Portland first of the month. Floyd Hillker ing the entire school year on alter-