

# Local News

Mrs. Louis Marquardt and two grandchildren were visiting in Hepner Tuesday from the north Lexington farm. Work in the Marquardt wheat fields is now under way with the tractor being used double shift. The Marquardt family expected to move Sunday to the Geo. White farm which they recently purchased.

C. J. D. Bauman was accompanied to Portland Friday by Earl W. Gordon who spent several days in the city. Returning Sunday evening the sheriff was accompanied from Portland by Mrs. Claude Graham and Robert Wightman who had been in the city to attend funeral services for the late J. B. Huddleston.

John Turley returned to Hepner Monday after spending the winter at Coburg near Eugene, and expected to go to work shortly with the Justus sheep as is his annual custom. The winter was exceedingly wet in the Willamette valley and vegetation grew all winter long, Mr. Turley said.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ingles were attending the basketball tournament here the end of the week from Forest Grove where Mr. Ingles is professor of education at Pacific university. He formerly headed schools at Lexington and Boardman in this county.

Chas. McElligott who has been in Portland with his family a good part of the winter arrived back in the county this week and was in town yesterday from the farm in the Lexington section.

Word was received this week of the serious illness of J. H. Frad, former resident, at his home in Portland. His daughter, Mrs. Arnold Pieper of Lexington, went below to be with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Schafer of Yakima have taken residence in the Arthur Parker house on Gale street, Mr. Schafer being employed at the Wray mill, now in course of construction.

The regular business meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held Monday evening, March 14, at the home of Mrs. Lucy Rodgers. All members are urged to attend.

Harlan McCurdy, Jr., Leonard Gilman and Miss Irene Beamer visited home folks the end of the week from Forest Grove where they are students at Pacific university.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Mikesell and daughter were week-end visitors from Toppenish, Wash., at the home of Mr. Mikesell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mikesell.

E. R. Fatland, state representative, was among Condon folk attending the basketball tournament here the end of the week, bringing a carload of players.

Mrs. Jesse Deos from Hood River arrived this week for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Alva Jones, and with other relatives and friends.

George Krebs was in the city yesterday from the Cecil ranch. He expressed pleasure with the good shape in which lambing was progressing.

Mrs. Eller Brock and friend, Mrs. Wylie, of Pendleton were visiting here Friday at the home of Mrs. Brock's sister, Mrs. Josie Jones.

Mrs. Raymond Huddleston was a visitor the end of the week from Rufus at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Turner.

G. J. Ryan, manager Morrow County Grain Growers at Lexington, was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carlson were among folks of the Gooseberry section in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Clark left the end of the week for a ten-day visit at Portland and Eugene.

Grant Olden was a visitor in the city Tuesday from the Rhea creek farm.

## STATE CAPITAL NEWS

- Candidates
  - Labor Bill
  - Holman Saving
- By A. L. LINDBECK

SALEM.—With the near approach of the May primaries candidates for state jobs are beginning to blossom out like dandelions on a spring lawn.

Of the three high-up state officials about whose political intentions there has been so much speculation during the past few months uncertainty now enshrouds only one—State Treasurer Holman. While Holman himself is still non-committal there is a strong suspicion that he will yet enter the race for the republican nomination for governor. At least it is known that much pressure is being brought to bear to persuade him to make the race by prominent party leaders who believe that in him alone is there any chance for a republican victory in Oregon next fall.

During the past week two new gubernatorial aspirants made their debut in the primary arena. Charles L. Paine, Eugene real estate dealer who two years ago aspired to be Republican national committeeman, has announced that he would this year try for the governorship. At the same time Dr. Ralph H. Erwin, Multnomah county coroner, told the world that he proposes to go out after the Democratic nomination.

M. S. Shrock, Milwaukie feed manufacturer, who several weeks ago announced himself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor this week filed his formal declaration with the state department and is definitely in the race on a platform that calls for arbitration of labor disputes.

The surprise move of the week was made by Clarence F. Hyde, Eugene realtor, who filed as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Labor Commissioner. Hyde who has served three terms as state representative from Lane county had been prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for Congress from the first district but crossed the prognosticators up when he filed for the labor post.

Walter Norblad, youthful Astoria attorney who has had four years experience in the state legislature now has his eye on Washington and has been doing some checking up on his prospects with a view to seeking the Republican nomination for United States senator.

So far only one candidate has appeared for the United States senate short term from November 8 to January 3. Colonel Robert A. Miller, prominent Portland democrat, has announced his intention to seek that honor.

Five hundred and eighty-four tardy motorists who failed to heed the warning to do their license shopping by the first of the year were arrested by state police during January. In addition to being required to buy their new plates these delinquents also contributed \$1060 in fines to the public exchequer, records of the state police bureau reveal.

A new organization which is said to be opposed to the Townsend third party idea was launched in Oregon this week with the filing of articles of incorporation. The organization is known as the Associated National Recovery clubs of Oregon. Incorporators include E. C. Ahlstrom and W. T. Brooner of Lakeview and F. M. Mortensen of Klamath Falls.

Oregon's new 1938 road map is now ready for distribution. The new map contains much more information of value to tourists than its predecessors. Among this information is the location and acreage of game refuges and an extension of the border of the map to show highway connections in adjoining states.

District attorneys of the ten counties in which labor racketeers are

under indictment conferred here with Governor Martin Saturday morning. As a result of this conference the governor has decided to appoint a special legal assistant to the state police department whose services will be available to the district attorneys in preparing and trying the labor cases. The governor made it plain that the states' attorney would in no wise supplant the county officials but would cooperate with them in coordinating the overlapping phases of the terrorist charges which have been brought against a number of alleged "goons." Among the district attorneys attending the conference with the governor were G. Russell Morgan of Washington county; Bruce Spaulding of Polk county; L. L. Ray of Lane county; John Baker of Hood River county; T. Leland Brown of Wasco county; Fred A. Miller of Clackamas county; Earl A. Nott of Yamhill county; J. K. Weatherford, Jr., of Linn county, and Lyle J. Page of Marion county.

There are 30,000 dairy farmers in Oregon according to J. D. Mickle, dairy and food commissioner. Seventy-five processing plants handle dairy products valued at more than \$5,000,000 annually, Mickle said; 102 butter plants with an annual production of \$30,000,000; 50 cheese factories with annual payrolls aggregating \$375,000.

When Mrs. Lorah Spaulding of Salem was appointed by the Marion county court to succeed her husband, the late Charles K. Spaulding, as a member of the state senate she became the fourth woman ever to be elevated to membership in that body. Mrs. Spaulding, however, will not have a chance to see active service in the legislature unless the lawmakers are convened in special session before next January since she has agreed not to become a candidate for re-election. In appointing the widow of a deceased member of the legislature to fill the vacant seat the Marion county court acted under a precedent established in 1931 when Mrs. Lotta Smith of Salem was appointed to succeed her husband, the late W. Carlton Smith, former state representative.

## THE STAR Reporter

Friday-Saturday  
BUCK JONES in  
HEADIN' EAST

Buck goes on a jaw-busting spree in the badlands of Manhattan.

plus  
LOVE ON A BUDGET  
Another Jones Family Fun-Furore  
Cartoon Sport Reel

Sunday-Monday  
STAGE DOOR

Where hope—laughter and heart-break meet—starring  
Ginger Rogers, Katharine Hepburn  
Adolphe Menjou  
with

Gail Patrick, Constance Collier, Andrea Leeds, from the famous stage-play by Edna Ferber and Geo. S. Kaufman.

Disney's "Clock Cleaners"  
Movietone News

Tuesday  
THIS WAY PLEASE

Fun—Melody—Gayety—Romance  
with

"Buddy" Rogers, Betty Grable, Rufe Davis, Ned Sparks, Fibber McGee and Molly, Mary Livingstone

Wed.-Thurs., March 16-17  
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George Murphy, Ken Murray and Oswald, Chas. Wininger, Andy Devine, Wm. Gargan.

Six smash song-hits  
March of Time—Community Sing of Irish Songs—News of the Day

Star Theater  
HEPNER, ORE.

## Cold Storage Food Locker Operators To Confer at OSC

In establishing cold storage lockers for individual family use, Oregon and the Pacific northwest appears to have started something which is sweeping the country like the proverbial prairie fire. Recent reports from the United States department of agriculture indicate more than 2500 plants for renting family lockers are now in operation with about 50 new ones opening up each month.

To discuss the many problems that have arisen in connection with this new industry, the Frozen Locker Association of Oregon, Washington and Idaho have issued a call for its members and all other operators interested in the subject to meet at Oregon State college March 14 and 15 for a conference with the food products industries section of the horticultural department.

C. M. Duff of Walla Walla is president of the tri-state association, while E. C. Reiman of Corvallis heads the Willamette valley group of locker operators. Possibility of forming definite sectional units un-

der the main northwest organization will probably be considered in the conference meeting.

Program subjects for the two-day conference include a number of technical discussions on installation and operation of locker plants, as well as explanations and demonstrations of various techniques in handling the stored food.

E. H. Wiegand and Thomas Onsdorff, in charge of the food products work at the college, will give the visitors the results of more than 10 years research work at OSC in preservation of foods by freezing. H. C. Diehl of the federal frozen pack laboratory in Seattle, will also appear on the program.

Members of the association will discuss the business side of locker operation, and specialists have been obtained to explain legal aspects of the new industry. A feature of the conference will be an all-frozen-foods banquet the evening of the first day.

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