

### SALLEE'S COUNSEL FIRM FOR APPEAL ON COUNTY'S COST

The State Supreme Court, according to notice served upon the district attorney, will be asked tomorrow by Attorney M. O. Wilkins, to grant an order directing that the Circuit Judge of Jackson County, sign an order for the county to pay for a transcript of the evidence in the appeal of Melvin Franklin Sallee, serving seven and one-half years in state prison for conviction of a statutory offense, involving a seven-year-old Central Point girl.

Circuit Judge H. D. Norton, upon two occasions, has declined to sign an order for the evidence transcript. The cost is estimated at \$312.

At the same time, counsel for Sallee will ask the high court for an extension of time until October 1, to perfect the appeal.

District Attorney George A. Codding said today his office would oppose the plan for transcript funds on the grounds the conclusiveness of the evidence on which Sallee was convicted did not warrant an appeal, that the record in the case was unduly long and that there were no provisions in Oregon law requiring the county to pay the appeal expenses of a convicted party.

Sallee, a former BERA worker, was found guilty by a circuit court jury last May, after short deliberations. The trial lasted four days. The evidence showed that Sallee had lured the little girl into an auto, driven her to a point near the Bear Creek bridge and attacked her. He was identified by the child as her assailant and by a Central Point woman who saw the girl enter the auto, and noted the license numbers.

Sallee offered an alibi, supported by a half dozen witnesses, that he was in this city at the time of the commission of the crime.

### MEET the WIFE



MRS. FLOYD B. OLSON

Downagers may have their big society functions with celebrities attending, but Mrs. Floyd B. Olson, if the choice be hers, will take small informal parties with personal friends. An wife of Minnesota's governor, she has an entry to the big affairs of state, but she really would prefer a bridge game or golf match with friends, or even an apron and her kitchen where she prepares spiced roast beef to tickle the governor's palate. . . . "We have happy times," she says. "You see, I am Czechoslovakian descent, our daughter Patricia has an Irish name, the governor is part Norwegian and part Swedish, and speaks Jewish fluently. That's quite a combination, don't you think? Golf is her favorite hobby . . . flower gardening runs a close second. . . . On days the sun beams down she putters about her flower garden if she isn't playing golf or working for the welfare of children . . . in which she is intensely interested.

### HANSCOM LIBERTY PLEA OPPOSED BY PETITION SIGNERS

Petitions protesting any executive clemency for Earl Hanscom, former Eagle Point district resident, now serving a life term in state prison for the murder in July, 1933 of Albert Tingleaf, of the same section, have been filed with the district attorney for transmission to the governor. No date has been set for a hearing on the plea.

The petitions are signed by residents of Eagle Point and this city, and contain 215 signatures. The preamble of the petitions say:

"We were acquainted with both Earl Hanscom and Al Tingleaf, his victim, and we feel that the killing to which Earl Hanscom plead guilty was entirely unjustifiable and that Hanscom should not be at large."

Three petitions have been filed, and more are in circulation throughout the county.

Hanscom is the third Jackson county murderer, serving a life sentence to make a bid for freedom thru pardon or parole, in the last two months. Hanscom has served slightly more than two years.

The others are L. A. Banks, former local agitator, who entered state prison, two years ago yesterday, for the slaying of a peace officer. At the Banks pardon hearing, August 2, a state-wide stir was created by the startling disclosure that Banks and Dan Kellaher of Portland, former state parole officer, had entered into a written contract, for the alleged payment of \$50,000 by Banks to Kellaher for securing a pardon. Albert W. Reed, of Denver, Colo., serving life for the slaying of Victor Knott, Ashland policeman, in November, 1931, was the third Jackson county life term to seek clemency.

Hanscom entered a plea of guilty to the killing of Tingleaf, which occurred in front of an Eagle Point dance hall, on a Saturday night. The man were friends. Hanscom approached the auto in which Tingleaf was seated. During a trivial argument, Hanscom struck Tingleaf, dragged him from the auto, and administered kicks and blows from which Tingleaf died the following day. The brutality of the slaying caused deep resentment throughout the county.

### PRICE DISCRIMINATION ON TIRES ADMITTED BY GOODYEAR RUBBER FIRM

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—(AP)—A price discrimination of \$7,995,440, or 4.48 per cent on the selling price of tires sold to Sears-Roebuck and company was admitted in a brief filed with the federal trade commission today by the Goodyear Tire and Rubber company.

The trade commission has sought to show that through alleged price discrimination, Goodyear is cutting competition in sale of tires and tubes between other manufacturers and between Sears-Roebuck and company and other competing retail tire dealers, including those selling Goodyear products.

The complaint against Goodyear charges a violation of the Clayton act by discriminating in the prices which it sells in interstate commerce to Sears-Roebuck, and also to its dealers, "with the fact of lessening competition and tending to create a monopoly."

### STATE OFFICIALS ON AERIAL JAUNT

SALEM, Aug. 13.—(AP)—A trimotored airplane left here shortly after 9 a. m. today taking many leading state officials on a full day's trip over the entire state and into Washington for a view of development projects started or completed during the past few years.

Among the projects to be visited were Bonneville, Grand Coulee, the Oxyhee project, the state highway system, and the five Oregon coast bridges. The trip will cover more than 1,500 miles.

Those on the flight included Earl Snell, secretary of state; Rufus C. Holman, state treasurer; Henry Campbell, chairman state highway commission; R. H. Baldoock, highway engineer; C. B. McCullough, bridge engineer; C. A. Howard, superintendent of schools; D. O. Hood, state budget director; and Dan Fry, state purchasing agent. Governor Martin was invited but stated it was impossible for him to get away.

### DEATHS DECREASE; INJURIES INCREASE IN AUTO MISHAPS

SALEM, Aug. 13.—(AP)—After showing a decreased fatality rate from automobile accidents the fore part of 1935, the July data showed an increase of one over the same period last year. Fatalities were 25, while 467 persons were injured as compared to 417 hurt during July in 1934.

Number of accidents reported were 1,763 as compared to 1,641. The total fatalities up to August 1 was 140 as compared to 171 a year ago. The injured list mounted to 2,988 as compared to 2,839. Total accidents reported were 11,990.

Of the fatalities reported the secretary of state's office stated 11 were pedestrians and seven resulted from non-collision accidents. The fatalities occurred in Multnomah county 8, Washington county 4, Lane county 3, and one each in Deschutes, Douglas, Josephine, Klamath, Lincoln, Linn, Tillamook, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa and Yamhill.

### LITHIA HOTEL TAXES TOO HIGH IS CLAIM

A representative of bondholders of the Lithia hotel of Ashland appeared at the first meeting of the county board of equalization for this year, held yesterday, and protested the valuation and assessment on the hotel property. Four other protests were filed.

Sessions of the board of equalization will continue until August 31. The board is composed of the county assessor, county judge and county clerk, who will hear the complaints and act upon them later.

Notices of the board of equalization meetings have been posted throughout the county.

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### FOUR FACE JUDGE ON AUTO COUNTS

Theron J. Durely of the Berrydale district was assessed \$5 and costs in Justice William R. Coleman's court yesterday on a plea of guilty to a charge of driving with improper license plates. The fine was remitted upon payment of costs amounting to \$4.50. Dudley was driving with a mid-west state plates.

Joseph C. Bartley, a California teacher, visiting relatives in this valley, was assessed \$5 and costs for failure to get an operator's license. He had been here four days when the case was filed. He was given ten days in which to pay the court assessment.

Louis J. Campbell entered a plea of guilty to driving without an operator's license and was fined \$5 and costs. The court revoked the fine and costs.

Marjorie Lockwood of this city was scheduled to appear today to answer a charge of driving an auto without an operator's license.

May Use School Bus. SALEM, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Attorney General Van Winkle held today that the Beaverton school board may use one of its school buses to transport

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Vice Versa  
SHARPSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 13.—(AP)—Steve Ephraim, 18, didn't run away from home to join a carnival. He ran away to get away from the carnival his parents own, and to see the world. Police found him two miles away.

Discharged CCC Members Leave—Carl A. Schaeffer, Vincent Patane, Robert Kopt, Henry Finucan, and Cecil Rich, all discharged CCC, left last night for San Francisco. Herman Knoll, William Cappel, Clarence A. Hefley, left for Chicago. D. O. Hardin

and Lloyd Veller also left for Chicago.  
Diamond Lake Vacationists — Mr. and Mrs. Claud Thompson were hosts to a group of friends at their Diamond Lake summer lodge during the

past week-end. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Moore Hamilton and small son Alexander, Mrs. Donald Huntress and Miss Golda Boone.  
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