

Local News Briefs

Mr. Van Loan Visits—Wendell Van Loan, principal of the junior high school at McMinnville and teacher at the Parrish junior high school here in 1925 and 1926, visited Salem schools Wednesday. The McMinnville schools are taking a vacation this week, a new scheme there and one which Mr. Van Loan was instrumental in having tried this year. Faculty members are spending the week visiting schools of the state to learn "how it's done" in other systems. While in Salem the McMinnville principal conferred with R. W. Taveornier, assistant principal at the high school, on the local system of personnel records for pupils, as the Yamhill school is anxious to adopt a good system.

Students Plan Event—Sixth grade pupils at the Washington school Wednesday brought novel invitations, written on a piece of shingle, to Superintendent George W. Hug and Miss Carlotta Crowley, elementary supervisor, bidding them attend an entertainment to be given by the Pioneers at the school Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The class has named itself the Pioneers while carrying out an Oregon history project. Miss Mary J. Wilson is the teacher.

Visits Rural Schools—William W. Fox, rural school supervisor, visited the schools at Manning and Parkersville Wednesday. The previous day he spent at Central Howell, Brush Creek and Dell Dell schools. He reports that Miss Mabel Harris has been rehired as principal and Miss Nellie Hilliker as teacher at the Central Howell school. Miss Jessie Hartley has been relieved at the Brush Creek school and Mrs. Mary Riley at Hazel Dell.

Student Players Appeal—The Theta Alpha Phi players of Willamette university presented A. A. Milne's one-act play, "The Boy Comes Home," at the university chancel house Wednesday. Students participating were John Mintop, Ruth Bauer, Charles Kaufman, Dortha Peters and Esther Lisle. All the students, excepting Miss Bauer, are seniors. The production was directed by Dr. R. M. Gatte.

Mrs. Gowdy Visitor—Miss Eva Roberts has as her guest Tuesday night Mrs. Elmer Gowdy of Alto, Calif. The two young ladies were classmates in Willamette university. Mrs. Gowdy's husband is a senior at Stanford university in the law department and will return to Portland in June to start a practice there. Mrs. Gowdy was Grace Collins before her marriage.

Show Films at West Station—Films depicting Oregon's flax growing industry and a two-reel feature on the Pendleton Round-Up were viewed Tuesday night by more than 1000 members of the West Salem community club. Dr. David E. Hill of Salem showed the films, which he made personally. Mrs. Hill, who has been ill for a number of weeks, was sufficiently improved to accompany the doctor on the trip.

Many Guests at Rotary—Out of town guests at the Salem Rotary club luncheon Wednesday included Ben Benson of Portland, Harry G. Brice of Seattle, H. B. Doman of Corvallis, Dr. W. D. McNary of Pendleton, A. F. Newbell of Los Angeles, the Rev. Duncan P. Cameron of Forest Grove, and W. F. Wyatt of Santa Monica, Cal.

To Attend Meet—The Rev. Fred C. Taylor, A. A. Schramm and the Rev. Harry E. Gardner will attend the convocation at the University of Oregon to host Bishop Thomas L. Dooley. The faculty will also attend a business meeting of the Wesley Foundation of the Oregon conference.

Swim Tests Scheduled—Swims for the National M. C. A. swimming association will be recorded during the last two weeks of April at the local tank. Each association sends the team scores to national headquarters for rating. Salem is recognized a strong contender.

Smith to California—Mr. and Mrs. James Smith left Wednesday morning for a three weeks or month motor trip through California. They plan to go as far south as the Yuma. Mr. Smith is one of the owners of the Smith and Watkins service station.

Table of Local Meetings—The recent issue of Health Progress magazine has been published by the Oregon Tuberculosis association, contains an account of the annual meeting of the association held in Salem in February.

Attachment Writ Filed—A writ of attachment was filed Wednesday in circuit court in the case of Ray Aspinwall vs. Ed Cheatham. Property, personal or real, to the extent of \$133.75 is to be attached under the order.

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Rotarians Contest—The Salem Rotary club has entered into an attendance contest with the clubs at Eugene, Astoria, Warrenton and Yachema. The only prize, according to Secretary Eric Butler of the local club, is the privilege of bragging about the victory at the district convention, which will be held at Vancouver, B. C., May 6, 7 and 8. The plan to "uncover" committee announced the details of special rate offered may be by the railroad companies.

Opens New Restaurant—A new restaurant to be known as the New Argonia, is to be opened tonight at 222 1/2 North Commercial street. A special dinner will be served by the proprietors, Mr. and Mrs. Heathman as an opening event.

Dental Clinics—School children at Hall, Johnston, Four Corners, Arbor Grove and St. Paul will be given dental examinations today by Dr. Estill Brunk, dental supervisor with the child health department.

Green to Substitute—The Rev. J. S. Green will conduct the mid-week service at the First Methodist church tonight in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. F. C. Taylor, who will be out of town.

Health Exam at Sunnyside—Dr. Edward Lee Russell of the children's health department will give health examinations today at the Sunnyside school.

Here On Business—Vernor M. Sackett, McMinnville insurance man, is in the city today on business.

From Astoria—Roy Porter of Astoria was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

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Solar Dinner—Every night 5:30 to 8 at the Marion hotel.

Furniture Upholsterers—And repairing Giese-Powers Furniture Co.

Auction Sale Today—1:30 p. m., 5 room bungalow and all furniture and furnishings of the home of Robert Sanger, 1859 Fir St., F. N. Woody is the auctioneer. Phone 511.

Thomas Bros. Band, Mellow Moon—Every Wed. and Sat.

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For Sale or Trade—The Black Cat restaurant. See Roth Grocery Co.

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Boxing, Salem Army—Fri. night, April 5. Jack Kentworth, Salem vs. Chuck Borden, Los Angeles, Snappy preliminaries, 85 rounds of boxing.

Old Time Dance Crystal Garden—Every Wed. and Sat. night.

High Grade Auction—Friday 1:30 p. m. at 660 N. Cottage. Baby grand piano, Zenith all-electric radio, Westinghouse electric range, mohair overstuffed davenport and chair, Westinghouse bed room and dining room furniture, draperies, etc. Al Grasse, owner, F. N. Woody, Auctioneer, Phone 511.

Longtime Watches Will Check—Up to the minute Time Signals every night. Pomeroy & Keene are Salem dealers.

Charter Oak Range—Demonstration at the Imperial Furniture Co. Inc., all this week.

Bag Range, 60c—Imperial Furniture Co., Inc.

Best Word On Business Told Rotary

"How's business?" The answer to this frequent question is extremely indicative as to the place which the answer holds and will hold in the business world. Perry B. Arnold, salesmanship expert, told members of the Salem Rotary club at their Wednesday noon luncheon.

If the answer is "bad and getting worse," that business man is "unselling himself to the public; if it is "good and getting better," the business man is selling himself and his business, but is in danger of achieving complacency and then failure; but if it is "uncertain," he is alert and most likely of all to succeed.

Mr. Arnold pointed out that better business methods in 1928 broke the seven year cycle of depression which had lasted since the close of the last century; there was no real crisis in 1928 and the first quarter of 1929 has indicated an upward trend.

STATE DEPUTY DIES SUDDENLY IN AUTO

Clifton Hugh Evans, a native of Marion county, and deputy state game warden, the past three years, died in his automobile, parked at the rear of the Cherry City garage at 12th and Trade streets, shortly after 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Evans left his car and entered the garage, but finding a motorist there, reentered the machine, presumably to leave. He was found by the motorist about five minutes after he left the building. He was 58 years old.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been made, pending arrival of a daughter from Stockton, Cal. Remains are at the Rigdon Mortuary.

Mr. Evans was born in Marion county, near Waconda, September 13, 1871. He lived in and around Salem for many years.

Besides his widow, Daisy, he is survived by four children: Keith Evans, Berkeley, Jr., debate coach of Salem, and Mrs. Daphne Evans Hayes of Stockton, Calif., Daryl Evans of Oakland, Calif., and L. F. Evans, both of Salem, also survive.

SIX SOPHOMORES ON SQUAD OF DEBATERS

Aspirants for the sophomore inter-class debate squad were so nearly matched and all made such an excellent showing that six of them were selected to represent the school at the state tournament. The seven students who appeared for tryouts Wednesday morning were placed on the squad. They are: Eleanor Henderson, Harold Pruitt, Bob Bishop, William Mosher, Siviter Horn and Eldon Olson. Four of these students will comprise the debate teams.

This year members of the high school debate teams are coaching the class teams, with Fred Blatchford assigned to the sophomore; Norman Winslow to the juniors and Marvin Byers to the seniors.

Norman Berkeley, Jr., debate coach, is directing the entire work. Tryouts for the senior class squad will be held Friday, and due to the illness of Norman Winslow, junior tryouts will probably not be held until next week.

JUDGE CONSIDERS 3 ESTATE MATTERS

Three estate matters came to the attention of the county judge Wednesday.

August Huckelstein was named executor of the will of Jacob Idlewild, deceased. The estate is valued at \$4500.

Ronald Glover was appointed administrator of the estate of Theresa Sawyer, deceased. Her estate, which consists of a one-half interest in certain notes, is of an estimated value of \$1500.

Grace M. Johnson was named by the court as executrix of the estate of Clyde E. Johnson, deceased. The estate left in a will to various heirs, consists of personal property valued at \$2500 and \$5500 of real property.

Chemical Society Meet on Campus Here Saturday

The Oregon section of the American Chemical society will meet at the science building on the Willamette campus at 7:30 Saturday. F. J. Gilbrath of Salem will speak on "Technical Problems of the Flax Industry," and Dr. Deming of Corvallis on "Chemical Equilibria." The meeting is open to all interested.

Uniform System Of Finances To Be Worked Out

Establishment of a uniform system of accounting in all schools of the state to conform with that adopted recently by the National Education association, has been undertaken by the state board of education. The chairman of the committee is Dr. C. J. Smith, of the university of Oregon is in charge of the work.

Adoption of the uniform accounting system in the Oregon schools was made mandatory under a law enacted at the recent legislative session.

PORTLANDER APPOINTED—Leslie M. Scott of Portland Wednesday was appointed by Governor Patterson a member of the state industrial welfare commission to succeed Dr. C. J. Smith. Mr. Scott's term will expire January 31, 1932.

DENTIST APPOINTED—E. L. Metcalf of Portland Wednesday was appointed by Governor Patterson a member of the state board of dental examiners to succeed Dr. W. D. McMillan, whose term has expired.

Middle West is Not Prosperous Livesley Avers

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Legion Talks on Radio KEX Will Go on in April
The radio program of the American Legion, department of Oregon American Legion, will be broadcast every Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock on radio station KEX of Portland. The program is continuously gaining new listeners as evidenced by the communications received by the committee from all parts of the state.

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