

# Local News Briefs

**Miss Putnam Hurt** — Miss Winona Putnam, former resident of Salem when her father was pastor of the Court street Christian church here for eight years before leaving Salem nine years ago, suffered a pelvic bone fracture last Thursday when struck by a car at Eugene, where she is attending Pacific Christian university. Report from the Eugene hospital is that she is getting along as well as could be expected, but that it will be six months before she is able to walk. Miss Putnam, whose home is now in Hillsboro, is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Von Behren of Salem and a niece of Mrs. Chris Kowitz of Salem.

**American Legion dance, Crystal Gardens.**

**No Age Limit Set** — It would be an abuse of discretion and not within the power of the state board of pilot commissioners to refuse a pilot's license to persons over 50 years of age unless such applicants could not comply with the requirements of the statutes, Attorney General Van Winkle ruled Tuesday. Such judgment or conclusion would have to be based upon facts adequate to support them, Van Winkle said. The board asked if it had power to refuse licenses to applicants over 50 years of age and decline to renew licenses to applicants over 70 years old.

**Scout Confab Dated** — More than 50 Boy Scouts and their leaders will spend December 4, 5 and 6 at Dallas attending the annual national leaders' conference, Executive James E. Monroe announced yesterday. The three-day program will include a series of conferences on troop leadership, craft instruction and an outdoor class in camp cookery. Section leaders will include Henry Wiedemeyer, West Salem scoutmaster; Grant E. DeCorah, Chemawa scoutmaster; and George Rowell, Dallas scoutmaster.

**Dance with the American Legion, Crystal Gardens, old time and modern.**

**Committee to Report** — The legislative interim committee on state government reorganization will make its first report to the state board of control here Monday, Governor Martin announced. D. D. Hood, chairman of the committee, is chairman of the committee. The committee was appointed after Hood presented a revised governmental reorganization plan at the last legislative session.

**Accidents Not Serious** — No serious automobile accidents had been reported to city police up to 6 p. m. yesterday. Minor mishaps reported involved: A Albert Cummings, Woodbury, and Irl S. McCarty, 48 North Front street, on Cottage between Court and Chemeketa streets; Florence Marie, Fugh, route seven, and an unnamed driver, at Gaines and Liberty; Earl P. Conroy, and an unidentified motorist, in 500 block North Front street.

**Cash or trade for used furniture, Phone 5-1-1-0, Woody & Woody, auctioneers.**

**Wood Pile Scorched** — Forty gallons of chemicals were employed by city firemen yesterday morning in extinguishing a fire that broke out in a woodpile at 2214 North Front street at about 6 a. m. Only a small amount of the wood was destroyed. The department also was called to a house fire at Second and Gerth avenues, West Salem, at 8:45 a. m. and to a chimney blaze at 3:30 p. m. yesterday.

**Recording Optional** — The state board of pilot commissioners need not have its examinations of applicants reported by a stenographer unless the board chooses to adopt such a practice, Attorney General Van Winkle held Tuesday. The opinion was requested by the state board of pilot commissioners.

**Publisher Visits** — Lloyd E. Tierman, publisher of the Barstow, Calif., Printer and a director of the California publishers' association, was in Salem Tuesday on a trip through the northwest. He reports that business in general is much improved in California.

## Obituary

**Baxter** — At the residence on route 6, box 42, Oliver A. Baxter. Survived by widow, Nellie; son, Clarence of Montana; two brothers, E. E. Baxter of Eugene and Harry H. Baxter of Redmond, Neb. Funerals and announcements later by W. T. Rigdon company.

**Shinn** — In this city November 9, Doris June Shinn, late resident of 875 North 17th street. Survived by widower, Lowell E. Shinn of St. Sherry; mother, Mrs. J. H. Lamson of Hebo; brothers, Kirk Lamson of Salem and Deryl of Los Angeles; sister, Mrs. Beryl Morse of Salem. Funeral services will be held Thursday, November 12, at 10 a. m. with Rev. Guy L. Drill officiating. W. T. Rigdon company in charge. Interment at Willamina.

**Madill** — George Franklin Madill passed away at a local hospital, November 10, late of 2590 Simpson street, age 53 years. Survived by wife, Adele M.; children, Shirley Albertina, Lester George, Clarence Mox, all of Salem; sisters, Mrs. Stella Harland of Troy, Idaho, Mrs. Bertha Johnson and Mrs. Lela Eddy, both of Vancouver, B. C.; half brother, Oren Buckbee of Oregon City, and mother, Mrs. Mary E. Buckbee of Oregon City. Funeral services will be held from the Clough-Barrick chapel Thursday, November 12, at 3 p. m. Interment at Belcrest cemetery. Rev. D. W. Daniels officiating.

## Births

**Applington** — To Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon Applington, 874 South Commercial street, a boy, Darrel Duane, born November 6 at Salem Deaconess hospital.

**McIntire** — To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Eugene McIntire, 845 Academy street, a boy, Terry Eugene, born October 27 at Salem Deaconess hospital.

**Polston** — To Mr. and Mrs. Archie Otho Polston, route three, a girl, Daylene Eleanor, born October 27 at the residence.

# Six Released, Disorder Case

## Seventh Member of Group Must Apologize to Waitress, Ruled

Disorderly charges against six of the seven young men arrested at a downtown cafe early Sunday morning were dismissed by Municipal Judge A. Warren Jones yesterday after he had listened to separate presentations of the cases. Cleared of the charges were James Mulcrone, Frank Rokos, P. Sumner, J. A. Wise, Paul Tatman and Charles S. Johnson.

Judge Jones said he had postponed until Thursday the time for sentencing the seventh young man, John L. Mulcrone, whom he ordered to apologize to a waitress whom police asserted he had insulted.

After filing suit in circuit court Monday against Behops Farm corporation asking that they be declared the owner of 33 acres of hops, Ladd and Bush, plaintiffs, yesterday moved for and secured an order dismissing the complaint without prejudice.

In their complaint the plaintiff sought an injunction preventing the defendants from disposing of the hops. The injunction requests had been granted.

In the motion for dismissal the plaintiff set out that the defendant had not answered or appeared in the case and would not be injured by the dismissal.

Complaint for the foreclosure of a \$2500 mortgage was filed yesterday against A. E. Feebles and others by the state land board. The complaint sets out that money was loaned to the defendants from the irrevocable school fund and that no payment had been made on the note.

**Circuit Court** — John C. Dalk vs. Louis Lachman and others; order extending time for filing objections to defendant's bill of exceptions to November 17 and granting defendants until November 18 to file transcript of appeal.

**Probate Court** — Margaret E. Brown estate; petition of Edna B. Reitz for probate and appointment as executrix of the \$2500 estate. Request is made for the appointment of J. F. Ulrich, Elmer Reitz and Charles H. Heltzel as appraisers. Lydia Wilson estate; order appointing Letha Stripling, executrix of the estimated \$4410 estate and naming Jesse Campbell, Roy Bush and Miss Ott appraisers. Elmo C. Plank estate; order approving account of Ladd and

**Can't Finance Autos** — The motor vehicle finance act not only fails to authorize but forbids the granting to a national bank of a license to engage in the business of making loans on motor vehicles, Attorney General Van Winkle ruled Tuesday. The opinion was requested by Mark Skinner, state superintendent of banks.

**Meeting Today** — The regular Boy Scout meeting scheduled for Wednesday night will be held instead immediately after the Armistice day parade today. The group will meet at the chamber of commerce.

**Snell to Speak** — Secretary of State Snell will be the principal speaker at the Armistice day celebration at Hillsboro today. The celebration is under the direction of Hillsboro post, American Legion.

**Liquor Stores Close** — All liquor stores in Oregon will be closed today, Armistice day. Arthur McMahon, chairman of the state liquor control commission, announced. State offices here also will be closed throughout the day.

**Hats cleaner, remodeled, Fashionette.**

**To Build Garage** — Chester Harnes secured a permit from the city building department yesterday to erect a garage costing \$50 at 2290 North Fifth street. No other permits were issued.

**Diapers Parents** — A baby girl, weighing six pounds, four ounces, born to Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dives last night at the Bunkalo Maternity home. They named the infant Margaret Louise.

**License Drawing Set** — Drawing of low automobile numbers for 1937 will be held in the state department here November 20, Secretary of State Snell announced Tuesday.

**One Mail Delivery** — Observance of Armistice day will cause the windows of the postoffice to close at noon today with only one complete delivery to be made. Regular collections will be made.

**Apply For Permit** — Menden brothers applied to the county court yesterday for a log hauling permit over the Dr. Lear road and market road No. 45 near Silverton.

**Fulton Reports** — P. C. Fulton, democratic candidate for county treasurer, reported yesterday that he had spent \$61 in campaign against D. G. Drager.

**Trustees to Meet** — The November meeting of the Y.M.C.A. board of trustees will be held at the Y.M.C.A. Thursday noon.

**Disorderliness Charged** — Frank Coffin was booked by city police early yesterday on a charge of disorderly conduct.

## Coming Events

- Nov. 11 — American Legion Armistice day celebration.
- Nov. 11 — Peace rally, 3 p. m., First Christian church.
- Nov. 12 — Oregon Baby Chick association annual fall meet, 9:30 a. m., chamber of commerce.
- Nov. 13-16 — Gideon's state convention, First Evangelical church.
- Nov. 14 — County-wide 4-H leaders' meeting, courthouse.
- Nov. 20 — Willamette vs. Pacific, night football.

## Marriage Licenses

Russell Shipman, 23, spinner, 955 North 19th street, and Margaret Keefe, 19, housekeeper, 535 Madison avenue.

Orville L. Moim, 20, machinist, route 7, and Pearlina Jones, 19, housekeeper, route 2.

Henry Schulzberg, legal, Silverton, and Elizabeth Tharman, legal, beauty operator, Marquam.

## Justice Court

Lee O'Brian; pleaded not guilty to charge of issuing a check without sufficient funds. Waived preliminary hearing and bound over to grand jury. Held in lieu of \$100 bail.

John Doe; pleaded not guilty to charge of larceny of an automobile. Case continued to Thursday. Defendant held in county jail in lieu of \$750 bail, which is under observation of the county physician.

Arthur James Maden; pleaded guilty to driving a truck with no operator's license. Fined \$5 and sentenced to five days in jail with the jail sentence suspended.

Jess Maden; pleaded guilty to allowing an unlicensed minor to operate or drive a motor vehicle. Fined \$5.

Tom Reynolds; pleaded guilty to violation of basic rule. Case continued to November 20 for sentence.

Sam Adolph; fined \$2.50 for failure to observe a stop sign.

Frank Coffin; pleaded guilty to charge of disorderly conduct. Case continued for 30 days for sentence. Released on own recognizance.

Marion Branch; pleaded not guilty to charge of larceny not in a dwelling. Preliminary hearing Thursday at 9 o'clock. Committed to county jail when \$500 bail not furnished.

Lloyd Weathers; bound over to grand jury on charge of check fraud and delinquency of a minor. Pled \$150 bail.

John C. Goplerud vs. Edward H. Seymour, doing business under the name of Capital bakeries, and Cecil H. Walker; case taken under advisement by Judge M. B. Hays. Plaintiff is seeking \$97 damages arising out of an automobile accident.

## Champion Typist Coming Thursday

Reported to be the world champion amateur speed typist, Clarence Snook, will demonstrate his skill before Salem high school students and other spectators in the senior high building at 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning. His outstanding feat will be to type at the rate of 200 words per minute from unfamiliar copy, changing paper as he proceeds, and at the same time submit to an interview.

Snook, only 25 years old, won his title at Toronto, Canada, last September, by averaging 122 words per minute for one hour. During the test he struck the typewriter keys 27,900 times and made but 24 errors for a world accuracy record.

## Education Issues Heard by Kiwanis

In view of doubts spreading through the world as to the merits of democracy, Americans as believers in democracy must insist upon a type of education which will make for intelligent voting and citizenship, M. J. Elle, president of the Salem Teachers' association, told the members of the Salem Kiwanis club Tuesday at their luncheon.

His address was a feature of Education week and his discussion of educational problems related to citizenship in an interdependent society contrasting with the previous era of rugged individualism, led up to a plea that parents take active interest in the schools, and this week arrange to attend some of the programs and open house events scheduled.

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# Famous Itch Case Mandate Changed

## Interest on Judgment Now Allowed Compton; New Hearing Refused

The state supreme court Tuesday ordered correction of an mandate to include interest on a judgment, in a suit brought by Ralph Compton to recover damages for alleged "itch" contracted while employed on a boat operated by the Hammond Lumber company. Motion for further rehearing was denied.

The lower court previously allowed Compton a judgment for \$1000, including damages of \$700 and hospital costs of \$300. Interest on the judgment was estimated at \$45.50.

The court affirmed Judge Robert Tucker of Multnomah county in a suit filed by U. T. DeMartini and Leonora M. DeMartini, involving private building restrictions in the Ladd Addition, Portland. The lower court held against the defendants, C. W. Hayhurst, Elizabeth Hayhurst and the Shell Oil company.

**Other opinions:** Pearl L. Cooke and Agnes Bradshaw, appellants, vs. Charles W. King, executor of the estate of William Parker Olds, deceased, and Charles W. King, intervenor. Appeal from Multnomah county. Petition for rehearing denied in opinion by Justice Bailey.

H. C. Siegman vs. A. J. Siegman and Mary Siegman, appellants. Appeal from Jefferson county. Suit to recover money. Opinion by Justice Bean. Judge T. E. J. Duffy reversed and case remanded.

Louis Goodman, appellant, vs. John Baller, respondent. Appeal from Multnomah county. Suit for damages for personal injuries. Opinion by Justice Kelly. Judge Robert Tucker affirmed.

In the matter of the determination of the relative rights of claimants to the water of White river and tributaries, Wapinitia water company, appellant, Water Users corporation of Juniper Flat, and individual water users, appeal from Wasco county. Involving adjudication of water rights. Decision of Judge Fred Wilson modified by Justice Rand.

Resignation of C. A. Swope, attorney, referred to board of governors of Oregon state bar.

## Churches to Aid Labor Relations

PORTLAND, Nov. 10. — (AP) — The Rt. Rev. Benjamin D. Dagwell, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Oregon, has accepted a tentative appointment as chairman of a ministerial committee to meet with labor and industrial leaders "in the interest of happier relationships."

Dr. E. C. Farnham, executive secretary of the Portland Council of Churches, said the proposal for such a meeting developed at the national preaching mission here.

The ministers accepted as long as labor and industrial officials were willing to follow the procedure.

"We are not presuming to settle particular issues in present strikes," Bishop Dagwell said, "but we do have faith to believe that some real result if we can sit down together to talk over our differences in a truly christian spirit."

## Alliance Pickets Move on Capitol

Picketing Workers Alliance members abandoned their beats in front of the Marion county relief office long enough yesterday afternoon to pay an unsuccessful visit to the state office building. They found that Governor Martin, whom they had expected to see, had left for Portland.

One of the pickets carried a banner reading, "Governor, do your duty."

The Alliance members, who have been claiming a right to have a grievance committee present complaints to relief officials regarding lack of relief for Woodburn and Gervais residents, said they would return to the governor's office Thursday.

# Strike Situation Confused, Report

## Packers Fail to Show Any Emergency in Effort to Avoid Payment

First hand information regarding conflicting orders, general confusion, and seeming uncertainty about the strike itself among the four unions connected with the maritime deadlock in the gulf area comes from Frank Darby, radio operator who arrived home by train Monday. The vessel on which he sailed is tied up at Houston, Texas. It carried perishables and grain, planning to discharge and add to the cargo at Galveston and then go to New York.

Darby said none of the strikers seemed to know what it was all about, but that from such hasty information as he could get, he judged the men were striking for two more hours work a day. Picket lines were given the crew.

He commented that the "Canal Zone" has a rainfall that makes Oregon's look like mist. When going through the canal the rain fell like a veritable wall of water.

## Naturalistic Art Revival Heralded

### Hinshaw Discusses Trends as Speaker on League Program, Library

With a return to facts of nature as against the mad orgy of impressionism of recent years, art, and particularly painting, will become richer, more vital, and free the artist from mere representation. These were some of the concluding statements of Prof. Bernard Hinshaw of Portland, member of the staff of the state board of higher education, who spoke Tuesday night in the first place room at the State public library under the auspices of the Salem Arts league as a feature of the observance of National art week.

Miss Grace Gilliam, president of the arts league, called the session to order and the featured program was given by Miss Constance Fowler, art director, who presented the speaker.

Among the significant statements he made were that modern art is here to stay, whether one likes it or not; that art grows out of the dull nature of human being, the commonplace and the imaginative; that art is a language concerned with conveying emotions; and that artists naturally fall into three classes. . . the romanticists, the classicists, and the development of modern art from the French Cezanne and the Dutch van Gogh and revealed how the artists worked.

The exhibit of the work of Salem artists in the library will be open Thursday afternoon, Friday evening and Saturday afternoon and evening. Miss Fowler stated that the pictures as a group reveal conservative lines. The number of pieces is smaller but the quality better.

Salemities whose work can be seen are Peggy Smith, Fred Treadup, Wilson Johnson, Arthur Selander, Rose Walleson, Ella Hathaway, Ralph Gilbert, L. C. Laughlin, Imogene Humphrey, Ida M. Andrews, Mary B. Kells, George Gutekunst, R. U. Rennings, C. E. Fowler, Ida Brown, Betty Carney, Carmelita Barquist, and Joseph Portal.

## Program of W. U. Broadcast Given

Willamette university's first regular monthly program over KOAC will be presented tonight from 8:30 to 9 p. m. Dr. Robert Moulton Galt, professor of history and political science, will speak on the subject, "America's Unfinished Job." Ervin Potter, baritone, accompanied by Ina Bennett, will sing:

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- "Trade Winds" . . . . . Earl
- "A Summer's Night" . . . . . Burleigh
- "The Light Divine" . . . . . Hosmer

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# Injunction Denied On Job Insurance

## Packers Fail to Show Any Emergency in Effort to Avoid Payment

Application for a preliminary injunction against the state employment insurance commission restraining the collection of fees from the Pinnacle Packing company and others in Jackson county, was denied Tuesday by Circuit Judge G. F. Skipworth.

The ruling of Judge Skipworth left the way open for renewal of the application should the commission insist on its refusal to proceed against the company during pendency of the decision of the case on its merits.

The packing companies alleged they were exempt from payment of the nine-tenths of one per cent charges for insurance because they were engaged in agricultural work. The statute exempts agricultural producers from payment of the unemployment compensation insurance law also was attacked.

## Presumes Law Valid

"The preliminary injunction is a mixed question of law and fact and cannot be decided until after testimony has been taken in the case," Judge Skipworth held. "The presumption is that legislative enactment is constitutional."

Skipworth said a temporary injunction should not be granted on grounds of unconstitutionality unless a clear and convincing showing that property rights of the plaintiffs are in jeopardy or that multiplicity of suits would be prevented by granting such injunction. He said such a showing was not made in this case.

Attorneys indicated that the unemployment insurance commission would take no legal action against the packing companies for refusal to make payments until the main case is decided.

The attorney general's office handled the case for the state.

## National Leaders Of VFW to Speak

Armistice day observance by the Veterans of Foreign Wars will include a broadcast over NBC which may be heard here between 2 and 2:30 p. m. today, local officers have been advised.

Bernard W. Kearney, commander-in-chief of the national organization, and Mrs. Gladys Young, national president of the auxiliary, will talk, and the University of Minnesota Chanters and school of music orchestra will be heard.

# Worsted Company Closing Deplored

## Portland Chamber Seeking to Dissuade Roy Bishop From Final Shutdown

PORTLAND, Nov. 10. — (AP) — Proposed liquidation of the strike-paralyzed Oregon Worsted Company, a million dollar industry, gained the attention of Portland business men today.

W. R. May, manager of the Portland chamber of commerce, said business leaders would attempt to dissuade Roy T. Bishop, president of the firm, from carrying out his plan to close down permanently. The group was expected to meet with Bishop tomorrow.

The Oregon Worsted closed last week when members of the textile union called a strike. They asked union recognition and a 25 per cent increase in pay.

Four hundred regularly employed but now only a skeleton of force is at work.

Bishop's representatives withdrew from a national labor relations board meeting yesterday. The session was called in an effort to determine if the textile union held a majority among the company's workers.

Bishop's firm is regarded as a major factor in the northwest wool-using industry, May said. He added that the business men regarded Portland industry at a low ebb, and that a general strike made to hold all those that are here.

## Mott Speaker at Active Club Meet

Congressman James W. Mott spoke on major legislation passed by the last congress when he appeared before the members of the Salem Active club at their regular meeting last night at the Argo hotel.

Mott told the Activists that the passage of legislation is not a matter of party politics, aside from "must" bills received from the executive department, as is generally believed.

He told of committee work in the congress and declared that he believed the land grant measures, flood control bills and the roads appropriations were of principal importance to western Oregon.

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