

### Scioans Busy On Defense

**Former Resident Dies; Teachers Marry; Homes Sold**

SCIO—Death of Reva (Tindall) White, niece of Marion Tindall, farmer near Scio, occurred at Camas, Wash., December 12, according to word recently reaching this city. She was making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tindall. Miss Tindall lived at Scio some year ago, attending high school here and working for a time at the old Scio hotel.

Three Lebanon women officiated as judges at the Christmas lighting contest in Scio, first prize going to Mrs. E. Phillips, second to Mrs. H. W. Hoagland, and third to Mrs. W. P. Goulding. Mrs. Phillips donated her award to the local Red Cross sewing group.

Scio feed mill has applied to the city council for permit to construct a 40x170-foot building on the south of its present building of concrete piers and wood and galvanized iron above.

Raymond Slover, who enlisted Friday in the army air corps, was to be sent from Fort Lewis, Wash., to a Texas station for service, according to report here.

Miss Patricia Modrow, Scio high school commercial instructor, was married at Forest Grove December 26 to Donald Bryant, assistant high school coach at Forest Grove. Both were graduated from Pacific university, Forest Grove, and will retain positions now held.

Scio community AAA committee, consisting of Victor Lyon, Wilbur Funk and Vardie Shelton, attended all-day meeting at Albany Friday for the purpose of instruction on the federal program from 1942.

Guessing contest at third annual kiddo's day at Scio recently, sponsored by a group of local merchants, placed Lourdes school at Jordan winner of first award, guessing the weight of a sheep. Second and third went to districts 22 and 11, respectively. Cash and defense stamps distributed among children participating totaled approximately \$25.

Intensive program of first aid got under way this week, when Dr. W. P. Goulding addressed 30 members of the class, sponsored by the Linn county Red Cross and the county defense council. Nine more meetings of two hours each are to be held, one each week, at VFW hall.

Red Cross knitting and sewing, sponsored by Scio Pythian Sisters, will be resumed soon, following holiday suspension.

Defense committee of the Linn county medical society will arrange community members throughout the county with a view of complete and effective cooperation with other agencies. Dr. A. G. Prill of Scio, a former president of the society, recently attended preliminary meeting at Albany.

The Scio residence property of the late George Bilyeu was sold a few days ago to Fred Morter for \$1600. The deal was handled by the Roy Shelton agency, acting for the widow, Icie Bilyeu, of Lebanon.

The former Sam Zyssett farm near Scio was purchased this week by Roy Atkins of Mehama, who has taken possession. Roy Shelton, Scio broker, was agent in the transaction.

Roy Bates has purchased a tract of logged-off lands east of Scio from the Hammond timber interests.

Linn county's quota of \$2000 in the recent Christmas seal sale was nearly reached a few days ago, according to Mrs. M. R. Cooley of Albany, county chairman of the canvass. Mrs. Cooley expressed hope that the full quota soon would be recorded, requesting that those who had not made returns do so at once.

Linn county federal trapper continues relentless war on coyotes and other predatory animals which have played havoc among livestock and poultry flocks.

#### Silverton Man Fined

SILVERTON—Edward Hanson Hague was fined \$25 and given a 30-day jail sentence Tuesday by police judge, Bert Terry, on a charge of disorderly conduct on the city streets. The arrest was made by A. Amo Terry suspended the sentence upon payment of the fine which Hague promised to do in installments.

#### Guests at Talbot

TALBOT—Mr. and Mrs. John Zehner had as their recent guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Barr and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Michelson, Carson City, Nev.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halonbek and sons of Brooks; Mr. and Mrs. John Neitling of Sweet Home; Mr. and Mrs. Lou Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scott and family, Independence.

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Walnut meats and Filbert meats. Cash on delivery. Highest price.  
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### Sailors Wounded at Honolulu Reach Mainland



Navy personnel, wounded in Honolulu, arrived in San Francisco, Calif. These men were awaiting movement to a navy hospital.

### Service Men

**Where They Are What They're Doing**

Bruce Wade Williams, former Willamette university athletic star and publicity director has been appointed a naval reserve aviation cadet following successful completion of his preliminary flight training course at one of the naval reserve aviation bases, according to the 13th naval district press release to The Statesman.

Williams will now report with 259 other newly-appointed aviation cadets to one of the US naval air stations for advanced flight training.

**BROOKS**—Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Falkner are in San Diego, where they will visit their son Chester, who is a naval lieutenant and who expects soon to be sent on active duty in the war zone.

**DAYTON**—Gordon Squire, 19, former Dayton youth reported missing after the Japanese raid on Pearl Harbor, is alive and on duty, according to advice received by his mother, Mrs. W. K. Scovell of Nehalem.

Leaving this week for Fort Lewis, Wash., to be inducted into the air corps service is Cecil Quesseth, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Quesseth, 725 South 13th street. His brother, Alfred Q. Quesseth was killed in action in the Philippines. Young Quesseth is a law student at Willamette university and was to have been graduated in June.

Hugh A. Schoebel, Willard H. Petre, Donald L. Jacobson, Carmen Edward Clark and Alvin Beardsley have been transferred to the air corps, unassigned, at Sheppard field, Wichita Falls, Texas. All were previously stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash.

Dowd L. Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Cooper, route 1, Salem, is a member of the first class of aviation students to enter the Air Corps Replacement Training center at Kelly Field, Tex., since the entrance of the US into the war.

He is taking the course in his enlisted grade of sergeant and upon graduation from the 30 week's course will be rated flying sergeant in the air force. He was formerly stationed at Fort Lewis.

Pvt. Roy E. Potter, who returned from the Hawaiian Islands two months ago, left Salem Friday for Fort Lewis after a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. L. Potter, 454 North Cottage street. Another son, Buddy Ambrose, is stationed on the Panama Canal zone.

**PRINEVILLE**, Jan. 3—(P)—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Iverson, Powell Butte, learned Saturday that

Benson, once a Salem resident, is the son of Clifford Benson, of Oakland, Calif., formerly with the secretary of state's office here, and of Mrs. Bertha Allen Bickford of Long Beach, also a former Salem resident.

Word was received by The Statesman Saturday that Sgts. Bob Brady, Pete Geiser and Casper Swaggert on Christmas leave, toured Washington, DC. Originally stationed at Fort Stevens, the three Salem men are in officer's training at Fort Monroe, Va.

They wrote they saw Andrew Mellon's National Art gallery, the Smithsonian institute, Winston Churchill and chatted with Sen. Charles McNary and Pete Buren, formerly of Salem, now a senate policeman, attending George Washington university.

### Folsom in Lincoln Store

LINCOLN—E. A. Folsom of Spring Valley is proprietor of the newly remodeled Lincoln store, which was formerly operated by J. C. Jessup. The store building has been moved back from the road, new windows put in and new shelving and show cases added.

Folsom operated a store in north Salem for 10 years prior to purchasing the W. J. Pruitt farm at Spring Valley last spring.

Private Kenneth R. Edwards of Lincoln who is now stationed at Fort Warren, Wyo., came home on 10 days leave for the holidays. Sunday his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Edwards, gave a dinner in his honor having as their other guests, Mrs. Frank Hershfeld and Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Durham and Evelyn and Lowell, Mrs. Kenneth Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Mickey had as their house guests during the holidays their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mickey of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Leo White of Scotts Mills. Robert Mickey was here on a Christmas vacation from Lockheed plant.

**Two Are Sentenced**  
WEST SALEM—Verna Cone, Willamina, was arrested by F. E. Neely December 30 for driving 40 miles an hour on Edgewater street. Her operator's license was suspended for five days in police court. Gene Lewis paid a fine of \$5 in police court for violation of the basic rule Monday. He was arrested by Officer W. Parker.

### Federal Agent Discusses City Military Club

A federal security agency official from San Francisco who inspected proposed sites here Saturday for a service men's club indicated a preference for the city water department property at the southwest corner of Liberty and Trade streets, Mayor W. W. Chadwick reported.

The mayor escorted the visitor, Paul E. Currie, report analyst for the FSA defense health and welfare service, on a tour of sites, which also include the postoffice grounds and waterfront property near the Marion-Polk county bridge.

Mayor Chadwick said the interest of the FSA in a Salem club site might indicate that the army was seriously considering the immediate construction of the Polk-Benton cantonment. The proposed clubhouse would require a property 139 by 169 feet in size.

### Keizer Exceeds Quota

KEIZER—Fred McCall, Red Cross director, has announced that Keizer district raised more than its quota in the recent drive. A Red Cross first aid class is being organized in the Keizer district.

### Valley Events

January 5—Guernsey Breeders meet, Polk county courtroom, Dallas, 8 p. m.  
January 12—State Grange Conference.  
January 14—Pasture improvement and feeding problem meet, Sublimity.  
January 17—Oregon Loganberry and Blackberry Control board, Woodburn.  
January 22—Small fruit growers meet, Sublimity.

### Hurt in Raid



GORDON W. SUMNER

### Salem Sailor Tells Action

Exciting adventures of Gordon W. Sumner, former student in Salem schools and ex-Statesman carrier, as a pharmacist on a Navy ship which was sunk near Pearl Harbor seven minutes after the war started, are told in a letter to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hinz, 1688 Center street.

Sumner, who joined the navy about four years ago, was able to swim ashore and was on his way to the hospital for treatment of injuries when a bomb exploded about five feet from him.

His letter was mailed from San Francisco, where he arrived with a shipment of injured persons. He wrote that he expected to go back to Hawaii.

### Navy Warns Of Rumors

Thirteenth district naval authorities today reiterated the president's warning against rumors and urged all civilians to "kill a rumor by refusing to carry it further."

"The regular news agencies are carrying all legitimate navy news which will not be of aid to the enemy," the spokesman said. "Meanwhile hundreds of street rumors are being circulated, some by enemy agents—in an effort to create panic and confusion—but most by unthinking citizens who do not realize they are aiding the enemy by retelling idle gossip."

Along with the rumors, the navy officials pointed out, there are occasional facts which generate from defense plants, waterfronts, and even naval stations, which if given wide oral circulation are of genuine assistance to the axis powers.

### Two Families New In Brush Creek

BRUSH CREEK—Two new additions to the Brush Creek residential district have been made recently. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Grace sold their home to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Moffett from the Midwest, and moving into the Alvin Anderson home, which joins the Grace home, are the Ed Lofthuses.

Mr. and Mrs. Grace have moved to Silverton and now live on Adams street.

Frost is thought to have done considerable damage to kale and

### Safe and Well



JOHN CLAUD WILSON

A. W. Brown of Jefferson received communication this week from his nephew, John Claud Wilson, who was stationed at Pearl Harbor on December 7, that he is safe and well. Wilson's mother, who resides in Duncan, Oklahoma, received word from the war department in early December that her son had been killed. Wilson has made his home in Jefferson until entering the service and has two sisters and one brother living in Salem and vicinity.

cabbage plants in the local region. Farmers report that if more severe frost does not follow farm crops will not have been damaged to any great extent and the work of slugs will have been stopped for at least a time.

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Store Closed  
All Day Tuesday  
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<b>RESOURCES</b>	
Cash on Hand and Due From Banks.....	\$ 66,808,787.58
United States Government Bonds.....	81,811,192.05
Municipal and Other Bonds.....	8,448,465.22
Loans and Discounts.....	47,341,953.96
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....	270,000.00
Bank Premises (including Branches).....	3,329,659.87
Safe Deposit Vaults.....	26,126.46
Other Real Estate.....	3.00
Customers' Liability on Acceptances.....	90,899.65
Interest Earned.....	396,314.72
Other Resources.....	28,609.87
	<b>\$208,552,012.38</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Capital.....	\$ 4,500,000.00
Surplus.....	4,500,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	1,552,232.36
Reserves.....	1,257,815.67
	11,810,048.03
Reserves for Interest, Taxes, etc.....	303,357.09
Acceptances.....	90,899.65
Dividends Declared.....	78,750.00
Deposits: Demand and Time.....	177,283,530.55
* Public Funds.....	18,899,104.74
	196,182,635.29
Interest Collected Not Earned.....	83,208.45
Other Liabilities.....	3,113.87
	<b>\$208,552,012.38</b>
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