

Local News Briefs

Read Viewed—The section of the North Santiam highway between Detroit and Niagara, which under recent agreement with the state highway commission, is to be maintained jointly by Marion county and the state, was inspected Monday by a party composed of County Commissioner Ralph Girod, County Engineer N. C. Hubbs, State Division Engineer Frederick D. Eason, Market Road Engineer Oscar B. Cutler and District Maintenance Engineer Jerry Farrar. "Winter condition, and not excellent winter condition" was the description brought back by at least one member of the group.

Special Deputy Named—Charles J. Zerzan was Monday named by the Marion county court as special tax deputy district attorney in compliance with the request of District Attorney Miller B. Hayden. Zerzan succeeds George Belt in the post. Belt resigned to enter army service. The position pays \$150 a month salary and places responsibility for legal work in connection with the county's tax suits and sales in the hands of the Salem attorney, who according to Hayden has had 30 years experience in law specializing in real property proceedings.

Three Houses Oked—Permits to erect three new dwellings and garages were issued by the city building department Monday to H. C. Hummel to build at 2311 Fairgrounds road, \$2500; J. E. Cox at 1116 Nebraska street, \$1500; W. A. Cladek at 1880 North 18th street, \$3000. G. M. Slentz was issued a permit to repair feed and seed store at 2700 Portland road, \$150.

Sophomores Elect—Officers elected Monday in a re-vote by the sophomore class at Willamette university are Charles Furno of Vancouver, Wash., president; Eleanor Todd of Portland, vice-president; Louise Lucas of Salem, secretary; and Ted Ogdahl of Portland, treasurer.

Obituary

Cook
Marion A. Cook, West Fir, died on February 6. Born November 9, 1895 at Marion, Oregon. Resident of Marion and Salem until seven years ago. Husband of Jessie and son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cook. Funeral services Tuesday, February 10, at Christian church in Turner under the direction of Pool funeral home, Eugene. Interment in City View cemetery in Salem.

Foote
Henry E. Foote, at his residence, route 2, Salem, Monday, February 9, at the age of 86 years. Survived by widow, Mrs. Laura L. Foote of Salem; daughters, Amy Sears of Salem, Mrs. Laura Schulling of Iona, SD, and Mrs. Lucy Dickman of Gregory, SD; sons, W. B. Foote of Salem and Earl and W. C. Foote of Fremont, Neb.; sister, Mrs. Sarah Hoaglin of Ithaca, NY; survived also by 13 grandchildren and six great grandchildren. Services will be held Thursday, February 12, at 1:30 p. m. from Clough-Barrick chapel with Rev. S. Raynor Smith officiating. Ritualistic services will be given by Chemeketa lodge No. 1, IOOF of Salem. Interment in IOOF cemetery.

Christiansen
Mrs. Clara Christiansen, at her home, 240 N. 18th street, Sunday, February 8. Wife of Henry Christiansen of Salem; mother of Mrs. E. M. Lovejoy of Malta, Mont., Harold C. of Kalspell, Calif., Clayton L. of San Diego, Calif., and Loren N. of Aberdeen, Wash.; sisters, Mrs. Albert Gildner of Iowa and Mrs. Oscar Engstrom of Ogilvie, Minn.; brothers, Paul, Peter and Carl Hansen, all of Iowa; grandson, Glen W. Lovejoy of Malta, Mont. Services will be held Tuesday, February 10, at 1 p. m. from the Clough-Barrick chapel. Interment in Belcrest Memorial park.

Engel
Sunday, February 8, Melvin Frederick Engel, aged 25 years, late resident of 500 Rose street. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Engel of Salem, brother of Mrs. Margaret Lenchitsky of Portland, Mrs. Helen Keyes of Alhambra, Calif., and Miss Dorothy Engel of Salem, grandson of Mrs. Magdalena Engel of Salem. Funeral announcements later by the W. T. Rigdon company.

Wilson
In this city Sunday, February 8, Anne Wilson, aged 77 years. Late resident of Brooks. Mother of Mrs. Grace Stewart of Brooks, Mrs. Rose Kissel of Rainier, Mrs. Dot Chouinard of Prescott and Ben Schweing of Portland. Funeral services from the W. T. Rigdon chapel Tuesday, February 10, at 10:30 a. m. Interment in IOOF cemetery.

Tuel
In this city Sunday, February 8, Addie E. Tuel, aged 77 years. Late resident of 2900 Brooks Ave. Aunt of Henry R. Albers and sister-in-law of Henry A. Albers of Salem. Services will be held in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company Wednesday, February 11, at 10 a. m. Concluding services in City View cemetery.

Forest
Jack Forest, in this city February 8, at the age of 45 years. Survived by one brother, Francis of Los Angeles. Funeral announcements later from Rose Lawn funeral home.

Coming Events

Feb. 15 — National Christian Mission opens here.

Girls Missing—Elaine Wise, 15, and a 16-year-old girl named Leah were reported missing from Mt. Angel Sunday night by the former girl's mother, Mrs. Anna Wise of Oregon City, according to state police. They were believed by her to be with Arthur Thielens of Mt. Angel. City police reported Charles Louis Service, 42, missing since Sunday from Silverton, where he is employed as a logger.

Savings — insured to \$5,000.00— are earning 3 1/2% at Salem Federal, 130 South Liberty.

Tire Records Urged—Every automobile operator should make a record of the serial numbers of his tires, Sheriff A. C. Burk declared Monday. Such information would aid officers in tracing tire thefts as they become more frequent, he said, pointing out that a thief should hesitate before he removes a tire's serial number since lack of that label brands the tire as stolen.

Leaves for Conference—Leave of absence, to be approved by the board of trustees, has been granted to Ivan E. Rhodes, YMCA professor at Willamette university, who has been named USO director for Oregon and Idaho. He left Monday night for a conference in New York with other USO officials. Rhodes was formerly a YMCA official.

"The Quelle and the Picket Line" KSLM tonight, 9:15 o'clock.

Talk on Weaving—Women from the weaving guild will talk over KSLM this afternoon at 2:15 on the hand weaving display at the Salem Art Center. This is the regular weekly Art Center radio program. Speakers are Mrs. Agnes Tschopp, Mrs. Otto K. Paulus, Mrs. H. Clay Taylor and Mrs. Max Rogers.

Hits Parked Auto—While leaving its parking space Sunday morning, an auto driven by Ruth Mary Lawson, Salem route two, damaged the fender of a parked car owned by Cleo Dent Phillips, 1232 Allen court, in the 100 block North Commercial street.

Honor Her With a Spa Heart Box.

Juveniles Held—Two 17-year-old Salem boys were held for juvenile court Monday after their arrest by city police Sunday while taking a tire from a car owned by David Pritchett, 995 South 14th street. They admitted to police they were taking the tire for use on another auto.

Asks Extradition—Gov. Charles A. Sprague Monday asked Michigan officials to surrender James E. Potts, who is under arrest at Saginaw, charged with larceny by embezzlement in Portland. An officer left for Saginaw Monday night in quest of the prisoner.

Ruling Made—Establishment of industrial loan company branches is not permissible under the existing laws, Attorney General I. H. VanWinkle held in an opinion here Monday. The opinion was requested by A. A. Rogers, state superintendent of banks.

Blazes Extinguished—City fire department equipment was called Monday morning to extinguish a chimney fire at 308 South 19th street. A davenport was considerably damaged by fire early Sunday morning at 1610 Kansas street.

"The Quelle and the Picket Line" KSLM tonight, 9:15 o'clock.

Addresses Club—Dr. J. Edgar Purdy, publicity chairman for the National Christian Mission, will discuss "The Church in a World at War" at the Kiwanis club luncheon today.

Former Salem Man Succumbs

Louis Ravensaux, former resident of Salem died Sunday at his home at 2308 NE Rodney avenue, Portland. He spent many years in Salem but in recent years he has been employed by the Bissenger company in Portland.

He is survived by his widow, Elizabeth Ravensaux, brother, Paul Ravensaux, Portland; sisters, Mrs. Herbert Bean, Portland, and Mrs. John G. Fischer, Salem; nephew, Lawrence Fischer, Salem, and a niece, Mrs. John G. Etzel, Salem.

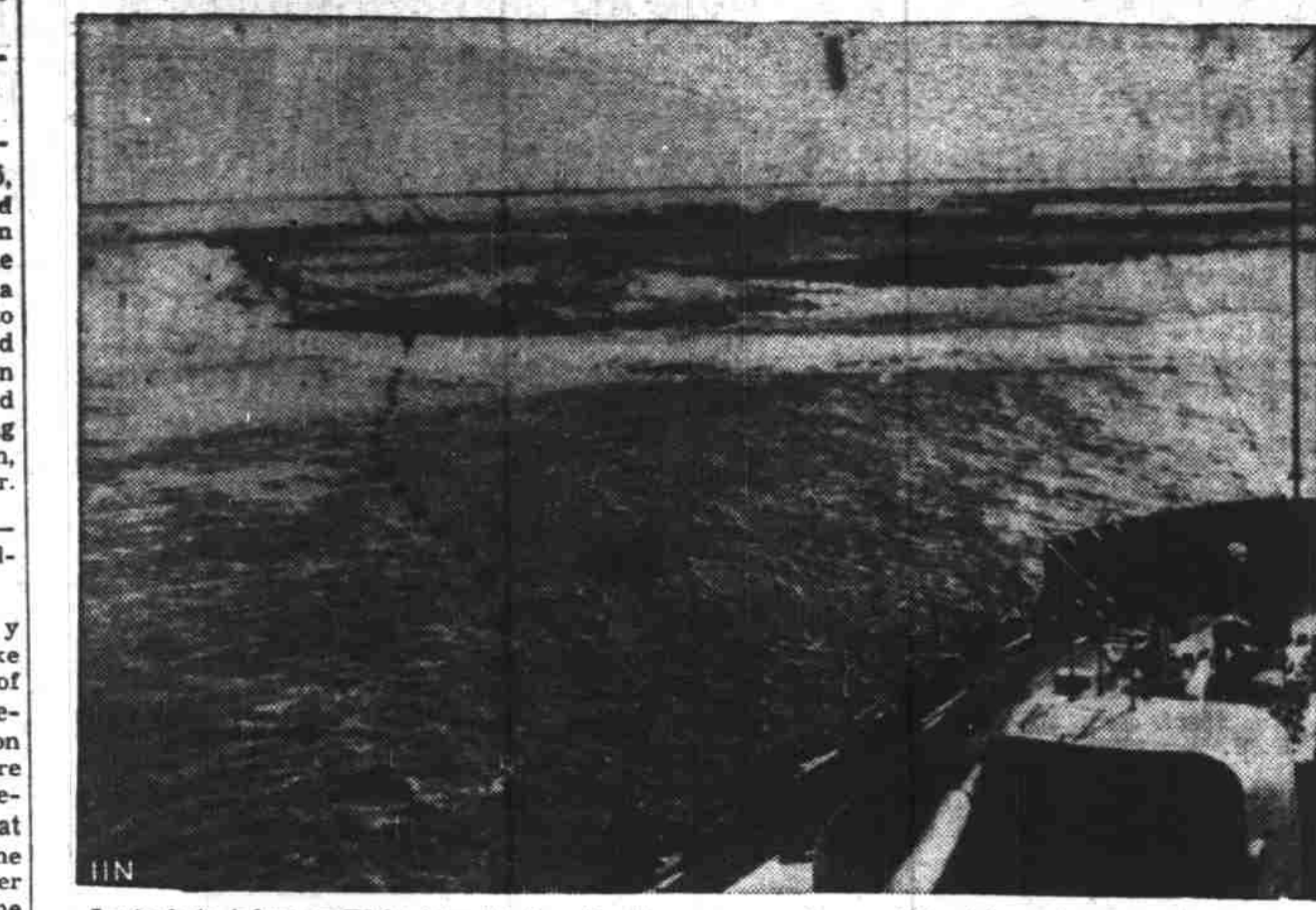
Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 9 a. m. from the Zeller funeral home, Portland, and graveside services will be held at the St. Barbara cemetery at 11:30 a. m.

Sixth Day of School Slated

GERVAIS—Following the lead of other schools in the county Gervais high school began holding classes Saturday. This is to advance the closing date of the school so that teachers and pupils may be released to assist on the farms.

In addition to the \$2000 bonds and savings stamps reported sold during January by Postmaster Mrs. Cecil G. Colby the Gervais State bank reports that it sold \$1,860 in bonds. The bank does not sell stamps.

View of Wake Island Before Jap War Started



Last photo taken on Wake Island before the Japanese war began, this picture shows floats supporting a gasoline supply line which carries fuel from a navy patrol vessel to storage tanks in the background. In far right can be seen the tent of the U. S. marine base. Gallant stand of these marines, less than 400, in fighting off Japanese air and sea attacks on the tiny U. S. outpost in the far Pacific will go down as one of the most heroic defenses in history. The island fell to the Japs after two weeks of assaults.

260 Aliens in County Apply For Cards

About 260 German, Italian and Japanese aliens applied for certificates of identification at the Salem postoffice during the past week, according to Postmaster H. R. Crawford. Nationals of these countries must register as soon as they reach their 14th birthday anniversary.

Persons who have failed to apply for certificates are now subject to severe penalties, including internment for the duration of the war, Crawford explained.

Civil Defense Hit by Vets

Criticism of civilian defense organization was included among resolutions adopted here over the weekend by the annual meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars council of administration, comprising district commanders and state officers from Oregon, Idaho and Washington.

The setup was charged with having functional dislocations and for disinclination on the part of officials in enlisting the aid of veterans' organizations. Other resolutions sought legislation by congress to provide for evacuation from defense areas of persons whose presence would be dangerous, offered assistance of selectees, provided for coordinators for cities to provide refresher courses for air training and approved fingerprinting of veterans.

Schools Plan Observances

Lincoln's birthday anniversary and Arbor day will be jointly observed in Salem schools this week.

Bush, Garfield, Grant, Washington and Richmond schools will observe Arbor day on Friday with special programs. Some of the schools will be presented with trees or shrubs for the grounds.

McKinley and Englewood schools will hold regular assemblies and include a recognition of Lincoln's birthday. Parrish junior high school students will attend an assembly on Thursday that combines Lincoln and Arbor day program and merit award presentations.

The "Living Pictures" program, participated in by all the schools, will be held at Parrish junior high school on Friday night.

SIAC Reduces Work Hours

Simultaneously with the inauguration of war time here, the state industrial accident commission has reduced the working hours of its employees from eight to 7 1/2 hours a day with the exception of Saturday when the hours are cut from four to 3 1/2 hours.

Under the new ruling accident commission employees will work from 8:30 to 5, instead of from 8 to 5 five days a week. On Saturdays the employees will report at 8:30 and quit at noon.

In most other state departments women workers previously reported for work at 8:30 a. m., while the men employees worked from 8 to 5.

Births

Smith—To Mr. and Mrs. Johnson W. Smith, 1740 Mission street, a daughter, Dorothy Lynn, born February 3, Salem General hospital.

Rose—To Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Rose, 4712 N. E. 32nd, Portland, a daughter, Mary Lynn, born February 1, Salem General hospital.

Federals Seize Counterfeiters



Federal agents have cracked down on a counterfeiting ring in New York, raiding two places, one of which was described as "the biggest counterfeiting plant seized in years." Three men were seized and held as suspects. Photo above shows some of the phony money and equipment seized.

Governor Reveals Figures on Defense Effort in Oregon

Protection of Oregon forests during the fire season is one of the outstanding jobs confronting the people of this state, Gov. Charles A. Sprague told county defense coordinators at a meeting here Monday.

Gov. Sprague said there is "much composure" in Oregon, largely because the state has a high percentage of native born Americans. He warned that the few aliens in the state may do some damage by sabotage. Counties which have been bearing the brunt of the cost of civilian defense, may receive some financial assistance from the federal government, Gov. Sprague continued. It was made plain by the governor that the state's constitutional limitations on debt do not apply in the present emergency.

Figures presented by the governor showed that 110,000 persons are now enrolled for service in the citizens defense corps of Oregon. Of this number 64,259 have been assigned to specific duties while the remainder are either awaiting assignment or completing courses.

Largest enrollment is in the classification of air raid wardens with a total of 32,225 men and women and 22,691 actually assigned to duty.

Next largest enrollment is for auxiliary police with 20,221 on the rolls and 10,754 on active duty. He said 10,833 men were enrolled as auxiliary firemen with 6019 assigned to duty.

The remaining enrollees are registered for service as fire watchers, drivers, messengers, in medical disaster relief, emergency housing and food, rescue squads, bomb squads, demolition and clearance crews, and on committees involving nutrition, transportation, public utilities and recreation.

Gov. Sprague said 849 aircraft warning observation posts had been established and of this number 562 were manned 24 hours a day. Of these posts 103 are in counties east of the Cascades where the army has not yet set up official observation posts and personnel.

The coordinators were assembled by Jerrold Owen, civilian defense coordinator, to receive instruction on the organization of a citizens defense corps from the Oregon civil reserves. There will be some changes in training courses for various units of the defense organization.

A complete outline of the new procedure was made by Maj. H. F.

Filing of Roy Springer's Will Reveals His Death December 2; Owned Large Farm at Gervais

Word of the death of Roy Springer came as news to numerous Salem residents Monday, although it occurred December 2 in Missouri. Springer farm, large portion of the Marion county estate of the deceased business man is left by the will filed here Monday to a son and the widow.

Each is to receive an equal portion of the large property holding near Gervais, which once comprised most of the old Joseph Gervais place.

A tentative value of \$40,000 is placed upon the Marion county real property, \$8000 on the personal property estate here, of which Custer E. Ross has been named administrator with will annexed.

Coincidence permitted admission of the will to probate here, in spite of the fact that witnesses are residents of Manila, none of whom could appear here under current war conditions in the Pacific and from whom it would likewise be difficult to secure required affidavits, attorneys said.

Two of the signatures of witnesses on the will, executed in the summer of 1940 in Manila, are those of attorneys, recognized by Mrs. Gloria B. Tuason, Manila resident who is a guest of her mother in Salem. Both men had served her husband in business capacities numerous times, she has declared, and her affidavit concerning their signatures is on file with the will.

—CIRCUIT COURT—
Krum vs. Torrens; case on trial today Wednesday to go to jury today in Judge L. H. McMahan's department of circuit court.

Vena Pentico vs. Coda Pentico; complaint for divorce, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment and asking custody of one minor child; \$150 attorney's fees and \$41.50 court costs; married March 21, 1935, in Eugene.

Arleen Gannon vs. William E. Gannon, jr.; complaint for divorce, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment, asking custody of minor child, \$25 a month support money, \$1000 in lump sum as alimony, attorney's fees; order awards custody of child to plaintiff during pendency of suit.

S. P. Matheny and Robert Matheny vs. A. Garner and others; reply contains general denials to entire answer with exception of those facts contained in complaint.

Benjamin Robb vs. Elsa Pauline Robb; order releases plaintiff from responsibility under decree requiring payment of \$20 a month support money for minor child.

E. B. Smith vs. Charles P. Pray as superintendent of state police and Farley E. Mogan, state police officer; amended complaint asks \$224.14 for damages allegedly received at Market and Capitol streets, August 6, 1940, when a truck owned by plaintiff and state police car driven by Mogan allegedly collided.

—PROBATE COURT—
Sarah F. Busick estate; order authorizes Myrtle E. Walker and William J. Busick, executrix and executor, to pay attorneys \$500 for services; order ascertain and determine value of inheritances and of taxes declares that to each of deceased's sons and daughters shall go \$5628.33 and to each of two grandsons, sons of deceased Leonard Busick, shall go \$2814.16. Heirs are Myrtle E. Walker and Iva Rickman, daughter.

—MUNICIPAL COURT—
William S. Large, Turner route two, drunk, fined \$10.
Earl Griggs, 425 Locust avenue, no driver's license, fined \$5.
Leonard D. Banks, Dallas, failure to stop, fined \$2.50.
Earl Johnston, 145 Park street, failure to stop, fined \$2.50.
Ersie W. Rickey, 970 North 14th street, failure to stop, fined \$2.50.
Hollis E. Ramsden, Pratum, illegal use of horn, fined \$5.
David Penner, Oklahoma, drunk, sentenced to 10 days in city jail.
Sam Hafner, Portland, violation of basic rule, paid \$2.50 bail.
Emmett Dutton, 1630 Yew street, drunk and in possession of stolen bicycle, sentenced to 30 days in city jail.

Rail Agent Succumbs
PORTLAND, Feb. 9—(AP)—Burton Beck, general passenger agent here for the Union Pacific railroad from 1937 until his retirement last year, died here Sunday.

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Food to Win War Declares CC Speaker

Nutritious, concentrated, non-deteriorating foods "will win the war and help with the peace," Dean W. A. Schoenfeld of the school of agriculture at Oregon State college declared in an address at the Salem chamber of commerce luncheon on Monday.

Dried and condensed milk, cheese, powdered eggs, lard and pork products fulfill these qualifications and since they are all produced advantageously in the Willamette valley, this region has an important role in the agricultural war effort, Dean Schoenfeld pointed out.

Western Oregon has also been asked to double its production of grass and legume seed, the speaker said, for the reason that the south has depended largely upon New Zealand and Australia, now possibly cut off by war, for its supply of legume seed and because legumes replenish the soil with nitrogen, taking the place of the commercial nitrogen now diverted to manufacture of explosives.

Auto Mishap Is Fatal to Salem Man

PORTLAND, Feb. 9—(AP)—Melvin F. Engle, 25, Salem, was killed in an automobile-truck crash on the Mount Hood loop highway near Sandy Sunday night.

Among the five passengers in the car Engle was driving was James B. Haley, 26, Salem, who received an arm injury and facial cuts.

Melvin Engle, killed in an auto accident Sunday, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Engle, 500 Rose street, Salem, and was manager of the Salem office, Personal Finance company. He was unmarried.

Seeks Circuit Bench
Floyd D. Moore, Portland, Monday filed preliminary petition in the state department here, for the office of circuit judge, fourth judicial district, Multnomah county, department of probate.

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