

Local News Briefs

Scout Candidates Considered—The Cascade Council selection committee Thursday will interview two candidates for the position of assistant scout master of the Cascade area, whose names have been submitted by the personnel department of the Portland regional office. The selection committee includes: Frank Bennett, chairman, of Salem; Hollis Smith, Dallas; Bill Phillips, Salem; Ray Glatt, Woodburn; Carl Aschenbrenner and Ralph Johnson, Lebanon. The assistant's position has been vacant since Don Lundberg went in the army.

Air Patrol Chevrons Given—Several members of the civil air patrol were awarded chevrons Thursday night by Lt. J. E. Cannon, commander of the Salem unit, as recognition of outstanding service. Honored were Sgt. Gaylord Nixon, Harold Seaby and Colmar Bjorke, who received three stripes and Priv. Jennie Winchell, Vades Dickerson and Ernest Christensen, recipients of single stripes. A gift was presented Lt. Eldon Turnidge, Jefferson, for a newly-arrived infant daughter.

Rummage sale, 485 Ferry. Waitress wanted, The Spa. Fifth "Okie" Tonight—Fifth in the series of YMCA Saturday night "Okie" parties will be held tonight at the Y from 7:45 to 10:45 o'clock, with Chuck Reagan's orchestra furnishing music for dancing. As usual, all kinds of lobby games, sports and swimming will be available, conducted on a basis of informality. The average attendance for each of the affairs has figured at well over 300 boys and girls, and tonight's party is expected to draw at least that many.

The new phone number of Ruby's Beauty Shop is 7620. Cook wanted, The Spa. Boy's Eye Injured—First aid was called to 310 East Lincoln street, Friday afternoon, to treat Kenneth Hiller, 3, who got a piece of glass in his right eye when he broke a water glass he was playing with in bed. The lad has been confined to bed for a month, convalescing from a broken leg.

Auction Tues. Woody Market. Pictures to Be Shown—Harman Garrett will present pictures of Oregon to feature a meeting of Townsend club no. 3 Tuesday night at 8 p.m. at the hall at 17th and Court street.

Obituary Adams—Richard, Calif., March 28, Charles Albert Adams, survived by wife, Ruby Adams, Richmond, Calif.; son, Elton Adams, daughter, Mrs. William Welch, Mrs. Fern Loet, Mrs. Margaret Jane West, stepsons, Howard Belknap, Karl Belknap, Wayne Belknap and Faye Belknap; mother, Mrs. Mary I. Adams of Salem; father, J. E. Adams of Salem; brother, J. Henry Adams; sisters, Mrs. Flora Woods of Hommouth, Mrs. Lulu Felthousen, Mrs. Lillian Burkhardt, Mrs. Ruth Bunting and Mrs. Grace McCall. Services at 2:30 p.m. Saturday from the Rose Lawn funeral home. Concluding services at City View cemetery.

Johnson—George F. Johnson of Brooks at a local hospital March 28, late resident of 208 SW Sheridan street, Portland, Ore. Survived by wife, Mathilda Johnson; sons, Francis Johnson of the merchant marine and Arthur Johnson of Portland; daughters, Marie, Thessa and Sophia Johnson of Portland and DeLores Johnson of Dallas; uncles, F. O. Johnson of route 1, Salem, and Miss Amanda Johnson of Seattle. Funeral will be Saturday, April 1, at 10 a.m. Requiem high mass at St. Vincent's church. Direction Clough-Barrick company.

Kieper—Frank G. Kieper, late resident of route 1, Jefferson, at a local hospital, Wednesday, March 23, at the age of 87 years, survived by his widow, Mrs. Esther I. Kieper of Jefferson; two step-children, Mrs. Lloyd Marlett and Mrs. Edwin Zehner of Jefferson; daughter, Mrs. Rose Sprague of Seattle, Wash.; two brothers, Arthur Kieper of Timber, Ore., and Herman Kieper of Jefferson; and a niece, Mrs. Wm. Umhoefer of Portland. Services will be held from the Walker-Howell chapel Saturday, April 1, at 11 a.m. Officiating, Rev. M. A. Getzandner, D.D., officiating. Concluding services in Belmont Memorial park.

Hobbs—Lydia Olive Hobbs, late resident of 488 Hood street, at a local hospital March 29, at the age of 79 years, survived by one son, Robert M. Hobbs of Portland; two daughters, Mrs. Fern Richards of Salem and Mrs. Frank Clarinda Leland of Arrow River, Manitoba, Canada; and a brother, James Monroe Cady of Salem. She was a member of the War Mothers and of the D.A.V. auxiliary. Services will be held in the chapel of the Walker-Howell funeral home Saturday, April 1, at 11 a.m. Officiating, Rev. M. A. Getzandner, D.D., officiating. Concluding services in Belmont Memorial park.

Cornelius—Elizabeth Cornelius, former resident of Turner, Ore., in Portland, Wednesday, March 23, at the age of 81 years, survived by one son, Robert of St. Helens, Ore.; a daughter, Mrs. Beulah Lodge of Stayton. Services will be held Saturday, April 1, at 11 a.m. from the W. T. Rigdon company chapel. Rev. James Alben Smith officiating. Burial services will be held under the direction of Salem Lodge No. 1 of the Rebekahs. Concluding rites at Mt. Crest Abbey crematorium.

Belknap—At the residence, 2400 South High street, early Thursday, March 29, Mrs. Ann Belknap, age 89 years. Widow of the late Joseph Belknap. Mother of Nellie Palmer of Lexington, Ore.; Ethel Wilcox of Harwood, Ore.; Frederickson of Salem, Cleo Van Winkle of Lexington, Kathryn Daniel and James Belknap of Salem and Earl Belknap of Portland. Also survived by 23 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren. Services will be held Saturday, April 1, at 1:30 p.m. from the W. T. Rigdon company chapel, Rev. Joseph Knott officiating. Interment in Belmont Memorial park.

Apfel—Allen Robert Apfel, late resident of 25 Childs avenue, Thursday, March 24, at the age of 15 years, survived by mother, Mrs. Marcia Apfel; a brother, Lowell Apfel; and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cady, all of Salem. Also survived by several uncles, including Ralph Hahn of Salem. Services will be held from the Clough-Barrick company chapel Monday, April 3, at 1:30 p.m. Interment in City View cemetery.

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PORTLAND, March 31—Charles A. Sprague, former governor and candidate for United States senator for the remainder of the term of the late Sen. Charles L. McNary, said in a radio address Thursday night that if elected to the senate he would aspire to a seat on the foreign relations committee where he would throw his full weight toward implementing the declaration of Moscow which calls for the early establishment of a general organization of nations to preserve the peace of the world. He said: "The United States senate will be a forum in which the issues of the war and the peace will be debated and in part, at least, decided. I have the ambition to represent this state and the Pacific coast in the senate, and to use my influence and my vote in giving correct answers to these questions. On the decisions that will be made there and in other capitals in the coming years hangs the destiny of the American people and of the peoples of the whole world."

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He endorsed the work of the Truman committee in checking up on war administration. Sprague said that in conducting his campaign he would conserve gasoline, use public conveyance as much as possible and rely chiefly on newspapers, radio, the mails and on the help of loyal supporters over the state.

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Public Records

CIRCUIT COURT Mildred E. Westgard vs. Howard O. Westgard; application made for place on trial docket. George Alonzo Wilson vs. Thelma Louise Wilson; answer admits and denies allegations of complaint which charges cruelty and asks custody of minor children. Percy E. Rake vs. Margaret K. Rake; defendant held in default; application made for place on trial docket.

MUNICIPAL COURT Waldo V. Hardman, 580 Market street; allowing dog to run at large; \$5 bail. Mrs. C. L. Schaeffer, 240 North 18th street; allowing dog to run at large; \$5 bail. Herman E. Lasky, 730 Stewart street; violation of basic rule; \$5 bail. George C. Jackson, route seven, Salem; failure to stop; \$2.50 bail.

Aiken Traces Bureaucracy The growth of bureaucratic government in the United States has been gradual but steady since the start of the federal government in the time of George Washington, George Aiken, state budget director, told members of the Salem Credit association at their noon luncheon Friday.

Aiken traced the development of the federal government back to the time of King John when the barons demanded and obtained the Magna Carta in 1215. A practical example of the effect of encroachment of the federal government is the forest lands which in Oregon are now mostly within the national forest boundaries, Aiken said.

Training to Start For Scoutmasters First session of the Cherry City district Scoutmasters' Training course will be held Sunday at the Rotary Scout cabin from 2:30 to 7:30 p.m. for the benefit of the 21 new scoutmasters and assistants who have appeared in the district within the past several months. A second training class will be held Sunday, April 16.

Lester Wilcox, Cherry City training chairman, is in charge of arrangements. Assisting will be Ted Roche, Art Lamka, Dr. Robert Lantz, Carl Aschenbrenner and Scout Executive Lyle Leighton.

Gar Veteran Dies At Newberg Home NEWBERG, March 31—The ranks of the GAR in Oregon were thinned further by the death of Henry Hopkins, 97, who caught a fatal cold in his final appearance as a soldier. He died Wednesday. Hopkins served in a Wisconsin Union cavalry regiment at the age of 18. He caught the cold when he appeared in a military drum and fife concert with Thomas M. Fenland, 98, Portland, another Civil war veteran, recently. The cold developed into pneumonia. Survivors include Grace Hopkins, Newberg, and Mrs. Nellie Murray, Salem, daughters.

Edward Harper Scholes estate; will admitted to probate and Leslie Scholes named executrix; Elbert J. Driscoll estate; final account of Nellie Marie Holeman shows receipts of \$874.15 and disbursements of \$138.21; hearing set for May 6 at 10 a.m. Michael Wetzel guardianship; all interested persons cited to appear in court May 1 at 10 a.m. to show cause why Mrs. John Hertl should not be authorized to sell certain real estate. Albert N. Moores estate; Ralph D. Moore, executor, authorized to execute extension agreement with Oregon Transfer Co. for leases of warehouse on certain premises. Edward Harper Scholes estate; will admitted to probate and Leslie Scholes named executrix;

Color Marks WAVE Booth Opening Here

Blue predominated at the dedication ceremony of the WAVE recruiting booth at Portland General Electric office on Friday, when a group of navy women came down from Portland, to officiate with Recruiting Specialist A. C. Friseman of the navy station here, and Recruiting Specialist Joan Ohlshine of the WAVES in opening the new center.

Lt. (jg) Lucia Brown, ranking WAVE officer in Oregon who gave a short talk on the purpose and accomplishments of the WAVES, was accompanied to Salem by Ensign Elizabeth Hill of Portland, Ensign Barbara Sadler of Boise and Petty Officer Dorothy Morrin of Portland.

Mayor I. M. Doughton and a group of representatives from city firms who helped in making the WAVE booth, and representatives of women's groups of the state and city gave brief talks. Mrs. George R. K. Moorhead of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs, which is cooperating with the WAVES in a state-wide recruiting program, attended, and talked briefly as did representatives of Salem clubs. Sen. Guy Cordon was a special guest.

Recruiting Officer Ohlshine will be in temporary charge of the booth which is permanently placed in the PGE offices through the courtesy of William M. Hamilton, manager.

225 Boys Jam Y for 'Ragger'

Two hundred and twenty-five boys jammed into the YMCA Friday night for the Camp Silver Creek camp reunion and "Ragger" presentation, gorged on cocoa and doughnuts, heard some corking stories from the top camp chief of 'em all, "Pop" Crary, and battled in 12 various contests for a grand prize of a Y centennial T shirt.

Bill Bangert won the T shirt. Norman Pearson came in with the "booby" prize of two camp stamps. Additional features were an "old lady impersonation" by Vernon Merrick and 20 minutes of camp pictures through courtesy of Harmon Garrett.

Crory presented the "Ragger" awards of which the following received the green ragger, bestowed on first-year campers: Bob Wrenn, Lloyd Hamlin, John Carson, Phil Ringle, Jean MacLean, Bob Gordon, Richard Hering, Jim Williams, Phil Eggstaff, Jerry Arnold, and Chet Goodman and Harold Davis of the Y staff.

Four-year campers receiving the blue ragger were Robert Charlton, and Bob and Allan Miller. Next "Ragger" meeting will be in April.

Lura Alice Leary Dies at Woodburn

WOODBURN, March 31—Lura Alice Leary, 73, died at her home here Friday morning. She was born November 4, 1870, in Abilene, Kan., and came to Oregon in 1920, and had lived in Woodburn for 23 years.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 Monday from the Ringo chapel, with Rev. D. Lester Fields in charge. Burial will be in Belle Passi cemetery. Survivors are a widower, Arthur E. Leary, and a son, Ora Leary, at home; two sisters, Anna Schockley, in Ohio, and Ella Pong, Medford; a brother, Harley Dunn of Ashland, a grandson and several nieces and nephews.

Hugh F. Cook Rites Sunday

Native Marion Farmer Succumbs in Albany On Tuesday ALBANY—Funeral services in charge of the Fortmillier Funeral Home of Albany will be held from the Friends' church in Marion, Sunday, April 2, at 2 o'clock, for Hugh Francis Cook, 48. Burial will be in the Marion cemetery. Mr. Cook, who was born in Marion May 20, 1895, and had spent his entire life in Oregon, died in Albany Tuesday. He was a farmer by occupation.

Surviving are a son and daughter, both living in California. The son arrived in Albany Thursday to make arrangements for the funeral. Walter and Fred Miller of Turner are cousins of the deceased.

Mary Chance Goodwin ALBANY—Mrs. Mary Goodwin, 76, widow of the late Phillip Goodwin of Albany died in Salem March 27, following an illness of two months during which time she had been in a hospital in that city. Funeral services were held from the Fortmillier Funeral Home Thursday. Burial was in Riverside.

Mrs. Goodwin, whose maiden name was Chance, was born in Iowa, but came to Oregon with her parents when a child. The family first lived in Brownsville and in 1890 moved to Albany. For many years previous to her marriage, she taught in the Albany schools. She was a member of the United Presbyterian church.

Surviving is a niece, Mrs. Bernice Fitzhugh of Portland. Harry Chance of Halsey is a cousin.

No Industrial Fatalities In State for Week

For the first time in many months the past week was free of fatalities involving persons covered by the state industrial accident commission, officials announced Friday.

The commission received 965 accident reports and 21 claims for occupational disease benefits.

"Ahead of Schedule" An AAF Report on the Aviation Cadet Program. Thanks to the young men of America, the AAF is seizing air supremacy in every theatre, faster than we ever planned or even dared to hope. Thanks to youth's eagerness to serve, the AAF has grown in a remarkably short time from a mere handful of men into the largest, most powerful air force in the world. Thanks to the fitness and alertness of these young men, they have learned their job so quickly that we have been able to throw our great airplane production into effective combat quicker than we believed possible. Due to their daring and skill we are destroying the enemy with less loss to our own forces than we anticipated. All air crew men must have the irresistible desire to fly. Every such flying man in the AAF is there on his own initiative... in response to our invitation to fly and fight with "The Greatest Team in the World." Hundreds of thousands have thronged to our Aviation Cadet Examining Boards in response to this appeal. Thousands are continuing to volunteer... for active duty... and for the 17-year-old Air Corps Enlisted Reserve. Our gratitude to the young men of America, and to their parents, friends and associates... is without bounds. We should like to welcome on our team any qualified young man who wishes to join. But there are other considerations... a balanced attack must be maintained. Since last July the Selective Service process had not yielded enough men for all phases of the military program. Other branches of the army urgently need men for currently pending operations. The AAF is ahead of schedule. It has sufficient men in training and in the Air Corps Enlisted Reserve to meet its present schedule for combat crews. It must therefore balance this activity with immediate over-all needs. As General Marshall has announced, the AAF has returned to their former commands some 36,000 men who had recently volunteered for air crew training from the ground and service forces. Moreover, until further notice, the AAF will not take any men into active duty from civilian life for air crew training. Also, further enrollment in the 17-year-old Air Corps Enlisted Reserve has been temporarily suspended. The future of America depends upon the fitness of our young men. All of the armed services need young men who are physically fit, mentally alert and well educated for the exacting demands of modern war. THE GREATEST TEAM IN THE WORLD AAF Commanding General, U. S. Army Air Forces

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