

# Local News Briefs

**On Light Metals Committee**—Clay Cochran, Salem Chamber of Commerce manager, has been appointed a member of a committee of advisors to the Pacific Northwest Light Metals committee of which E. F. Slade, former Salem banker, now in Portland, is chairman. The advisory organization is designed to obtain the advice and cooperation of representative groups throughout the Pacific northwest. Chambers of Commerce, granges and labor organizations are on the initial appointment list.

Wedding pictures taken at the church, 520 State, Ph. 5722.

**Held Conference** — Louis W. Hill, Jr., chairman of the board of the Great Northern railway, and Curtis C. Goodson, the rail line's auditor, were in Salem on Wednesday conferring with the state commission regarding the timber levy. The Great Northern holds considerable timber in this state, particularly along the South Santiam.

Excellent unpainted furniture, desks, book shelves. R. D. Woodrow Co., 325 Center.

**Atty. R. H. Bassett**, legion service officer, will speak to the Salem Realtors board at a luncheon Fri. noon at the Marion hotel & will explain GI Bill of Rights & proposed amendment to amend the constitution of the state of Ore. to create Ore. war vet. fund.

**Putnam Is Speaker** — Rex Putnam, state superintendent of public instruction, spoke Tuesday at the public health conference at Eastern Oregon College of Education sponsored by the Oregon Tuberculosis association, OCE and the Union county public health association. Health education programs in Oregon schools was stressed at the conference which closed Wednesday.

2 experienced salesladies wanted. Ph. 7898.

**Lions Club Speaker** — Wendell Webb, managing editor of The Statesman, will tell his experience at Associated Press war correspondent at the Lions club luncheon this noon. He served in that capacity in the Pacific during the battle of Midway.

Shattuck's Chateau air conditioned.

Townsend meeting 4 will meet at 2125 Court, Thurs. eve., 7:30.

**Servicemen's Bulletin** — King Bing Frank A. Chatas, of the Salem Cherrians, announced that the regular September edition of the Cherrian Bulletin, and the fourth edition for servicemen will be sent to them by the first of next week.

For home loans—see Salem Federal, 130 South Liberty.

**Leaves Hospital** — Evelyn Noyes, 590 Union street, who was taken by first aid car to Salem Deaconess hospital Wednesday after she had become ill suddenly at a downtown beauty parlor, was discharged from the hospital an hour later.

**Wanted** — Experienced fountain girl, excellent wages to right party. No Sunday work. Apply in person only. Ace Confectionery, 127 N. High.

**In Veterans Hospital** — E. E. Buckles, 645 Breys avenue, has been in the US veterans hospital in Portland for the last three weeks. His condition is critical neighbors are learned in letters from Mrs. Buckles.

"Cyn" Cronise Photographs and Frames. 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg.

For Kem-Tone shop R. D. Woodrow's, 345 Center street.

**Closes Labor Day** — The Salem Community cannery will be open Friday night and all day Saturday, it has been announced, but will be closed Monday, Labor Day. The cannery will reopen Tuesday night as usual.

Night school. Learn to earn. Capital Business college, 345 Court St.

**From Missouri** — Mrs. C. E. Clowe of Dexter, Mo., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. T. Reid, 2385 State street, Salem.

## Obituary

**Baczaj**  
Felix Baczaj, late resident of route 1, Salem, at a local hospital Wednesday, August 30, at the age of 75 years. Survived by several nieces and nephews, including Mrs. H. D. Braddock of Salem and Stanley Baczaj of Portland. Shipment has been made to Portland by Clough-Barrick company for services and interment.

**Mullholland**  
Elizabeth Mullholland, late resident of Toronto, Canada, at a Salem hospital, Wednesday, August 30. Survived by a sister, Letitia Darner of Salem, and a niece, Elizabeth Treib, Coquitla, Alberta, Canada. Announcement of services later by Clough-Barrick company.

**Thomas**  
Charles S. Thomas, late resident of route 1, Wednesday, August 30. Husband of Mrs. Mary Jane Thomas of Salem; father of Lloyd L. William C. Edward E. and Albert R. Thomas, all of Salem; brother of Andrew Thomas of Salem. Survived also by five grandchildren. Services will be held Friday, September 1, at 2 p.m., from the Clough-Barrick chapel. Rev. Dushy Strain officiating. Interment in Belcrest Memorial park.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings from our friends and neighbors in the loss of our beloved wife and mother.  
Mr. John Amo  
Mr. John Philpot  
Mrs. Rose Evert

**First Twine Shipped** — First consignment of flax tow twine manufactured by the Oregon Textiles plant here moved out Wednesday. Half of the 4000 pounds of six-ply and eight-ply twine was to go to Portland, half to Seattle. Approximately 3600 pounds will go out to eastern markets next week. Now operating one full and one part-time shift, the new plant, located in the Bonesteel building on Portland road, will next week go to two full shifts.

Scripture greeting cards. New Christmas cards already in. Bible Book House, 150 S. Liberty.

**Marine Attacked** — City police are attempting to locate a man answering the description of the person who allegedly set upon Pfc. B. T. Rutty of the Corvallis marine air base here early Wednesday morning. Rutty, eye blacked, nose skinned and jaw apparently fractured, was taken to Salem police headquarters and city first aid men were called. They advised that he be sent to the Camp Adair hospital.

Bill Powers Battery Shop now at Standard Sta., High & Ferry.

**Bottle Cuts Hand** — Billy Vanard, 7, of 1920 Waller street, who stuck a finger into the neck of a bottle Wednesday afternoon, was unable to remove it without aid. Children in the neighborhood offered aid with a rock, broke the bottle, cutting Billy's finger slightly but not removing the neck, so he was taken to the city first aid station, where firemen operated on the glass.

Chicken dinners & sandwiches at Shattuck's Chateau.

**In Million Dollar Club** — Gene Vandeneyned, Sears, Roebuck manager here, and Arthur W. Smither, Salem bond broker, were initiated into the KOIN Million Dollar club Tuesday night, third and fourth Marion county men so honored. Charles A. Sprague, Statesman publisher and former governor and Jesse Gard of the US National bank, are the other two members. Credit for sale of at least a million dollars worth of war bonds is principal requirement for eligibility.

**Boardman to Marshfield** — State Parks Supervisor Samuel Boardman left Wednesday for Marshfield to investigate fire damages at Cape Arago state park near Coos bay, where 10 acres of standing timber were destroyed early this week. The blaze approached but did not reach Shoreacres, beach home of Louis J. Simpson, in former years a showplace of that area.

Potatoes and tomatoes are both members of the nightshade family of plants.

# Kiwanis Told China Should Be Let Alone

Prof. Ray G. Johnson of Oregon State college, who spent eight months in China for the department of state, told the Kiwanis club Tuesday that "if the United States doesn't learn to live with the rest of the world there'll be another war in 20 years—and it will be over here."

Professor Johnson was in China to assist in animal production. He commented that living conditions in western China were "terrible," but that "they're getting along in China; they are pretty well satisfied; and I am wondering if it isn't our business there to lick the Japs and not meddle in their (Chinese) business."

The professor, talking to a larger-than-usual attendance at the Marion hotel, said that so-called smuggling of goods between the Japanese and Chinese "is holding China with us."

He attributed much of Chinese internal trouble to inadequate communication and transportation systems, said that "the distance between Salem and Roseburg is the difference between granaries running over and peoples starving," and that it should be recognized that living inadequacies "cannot be rectified now and are not entirely due to the war."

Professor Johnson advised his audience to "watch China for the next 12 to 14 months . . . for an internal war, possibly," and said some lend-lease materials were being withheld from aiding the present war because of that possibility.

Medical facilities in western China were termed "just a about nil," and inflation was declared to have reached a point, several months ago, at which he offered \$8000 (\$400 in American money) for a pen and pencil set. Sulpha drugs were selling at \$79 a tablet, and a pile of old clothes replaceable in America for about \$165 sold for \$50,000 in Chinese.

# Riviera Villa Aids Frenchmen Escape

NEW YORK, Aug. 30—(AP)—The Riviera villa of Miss Grace Moore, American opera star, was reported in an overseas dispatch to the OWI today to have served as a relay station for more than 50 Frenchmen fleeing the Gestapo during the four years of German occupation.

The villa is Casa Lauretta, situated near Cannes.

Miss Moore's former chauffeur and gardener, Julien, arranged the hiding, clothing and feeding of the fugitives, the dispatch said. It quoted a message from Julien: "Tell Miss Moore that Casa Lauretta has been used in the service of France."

# Public Records

**CIRCUIT COURT**  
State vs. Frank Jones; charge of wanton destruction of a game animal dismissed on motion of district attorney, based on allegation that principal witness has changed his story and evidence is lacking.

Antoine M. Caisse vs. John Hughes company, Inc.; complaint to collect \$4200 and interest from September, 1938, alleged due for services plus costs and disbursements.

Helen C. Winn vs. Ernest D. Winn; complaint for divorce charging cruel and inhuman treatment asks custody of minor child, sum of \$2000 in lieu of her interest in specified property, all furniture owned by couple, \$80 a month support money, attorney's fees and costs.

Colby F. Sanborn vs. Alice Marie Sanborn; complaint for divorce charges desertion, asks custody of two minor children and that plaintiff be decreed sole owner of specified real premises.

State vs. J. W. Ramsay; defendant admitted to bail in sum of \$500 and matter transmitted to Salem justice court.

Ernest D. Winn vs. Helen O. Winn; dismissed on stipulation.

H. C. Langenbacher vs. Edith R. Langenbacher; order of default.

**PROBATE COURT**  
Ida F. Martin estate; Robin D. Ida, administrator, authorized to sell shares of stocks and have depositor's refund certificate transferred to the legal heirs of deceased, John Martin, Arthur Martin and Rebecca Martin.

Martin Lentz estate; final hearing set for October 9.

George H. Bates estate; final account of Marjorie Olson, administratrix, shows receipts of \$2770.73 and disbursements of \$1572.97; hearing set for September 30.

Leonard Falk estate; decree of final discharge to Herman N. Falk, executor, Michael N. Mahony; objection to final account by George Mahony on grounds that his \$3000 claim against estate remains unpaid.

Ann Eliza McKinney estate; citation to issue for hearing on petitioned sale of real property.

**JUSTICE COURT**  
Rene Henry Sagnotty; no clearance lights; \$1 fine suspended and costs paid.

William Franklin Whiteford; no operator's license; \$1 fine suspended and costs paid.

Ralph Sam Price; no clearance lights; \$5 and costs.

Eddie Jennings; excessive height load; \$5 and costs.

Jose Gomez; charge of committing injurious and incident acts continued and defendant released on own recognizance.

Adam Cornelius Werner; defective muffler; \$2.50 and costs.

Albert Jewell George; plea of innocent to operating motor vehicle while under influence of intoxicating liquor; trial set for September 1 at 10 a. m.; committed to jail on failure to post \$250 bail.

Walter Edward Rieck; no clearance lights; \$2.50 fine suspended and costs paid.

# Rotary Club Hears About Censorship

Anything which gives aid or comfort to the enemy is subject to censorship but odd things are found comforting, Wendell Webb, managing editor of the Oregon Statesman told Rotary club members Wednesday noon.

Diphtheria in the schools, reputation of a volcano and call to arms of all able bodied men in Honolulu were examples of news which officials thought would in some manner comfort the Japanese.

News men on the job realized only too well why many things could not be published since it was questionable whether the enemy knew of the amount of damage done. This applied in particular to losses suffered by the US navy.

The secrecy maintained for months about the loss of the Yorktown was explained in detail by Webb who witnessed the attack in which all of the Japanese planes were shot down, none returning to tell the story.

Mechanical details of getting news copy to Pearl Harbor from the scene of the battle were of particular interest to the several newspaper people present.

# Man-Started Fires Decline

PORTLAND, Aug. 30—(AP)—Man-started forest fires were reduced 33 per cent in the last year, thanks to energetic fire prevention campaigns, a forestry official said today.

Chiefly because of aroused public interest, a decline in fire damages has been noted over several years, reported P. A. Thompson, chief of the forest service fire control, Washington, DC.

Fast-working parachuters were complimented as fire fighters when Thompson spoke of their ability. Supervisor of the Willamette national forest from 1930-38, he will go to Eugene within a few days.

Smith cited his candidacy as representing the conservative and constructive element of the democratic party, and said the opposition of the CIO political action committee was an inverted compliment.

The coastline of Alaska is 4750 miles long.

# He's in Bad Way

DELAKE, Aug. 30—(AP)—Denied gas for a campaign tour by auto, William L. Graham can't even walk around Lincoln county.

The candidate for state representative on the democratic ticket broke two bones in his foot in a fall near his home.

# Laura K. Amo Funeral Rites Held Tuesday

Funeral services were held Tuesday for Mrs. Laura K. Amo from the Dose Lawn funeral home here Tuesday and interment was in Belcrest Memorial park.

Daughter of John Kennedy and Ida Kennedy, she was born Feb. 24, 1893, in Missouri. She died August 27 at the age of 51 years.

On June 1, 1910, she was married to John Philpot, Jr. To this marriage were born two children, John Philpot of Salem and Rose Evert of Kent, Wash. Her husband died Nov. 23, 1938, at Mollala.

April 10, 1943, she was married to John Amo. They resided at 4139 Houghton street in Portland. Employed at Willamette Iron and Steel works, she made many friends in addition to the numerous friends in Salem.

Mrs. Amo was a member of the Church of Christ of Salem.

# Cordon Names 2 Salem Boys

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30—(AP)—Sen. Guy Cordon (R-Ore) today announced these appointments to West Point military academy and Annapolis naval academy for terms starting next spring:

West Point — Principal, John Allen Patterson, Hillsboro; first alternate, Forrest C. Hedges, Portland; second, Wyatt R. Flock, jr., Portland; third, Richard M. Page, Salem.

Annapolis — Principal, Robert McKillop Smith, Lake Grove; first alternate, Donald N. Dackins, Portland; second, William T. Peckham, Swisshome; third, Charles G. Robertson, jr., Salem.

Principal, Ronald Arthur Nadig, Oregon City; first alternate, David S. Lofts, Hood River; second, Robert Clair Goodlin, Eugene; third, Daniel Angue Deady, Oswego.

# Norman Lewis Killed By Bullet in Paris

LONDON, Aug. 30—(AP)—A broadcast from Paris today said that Norman Lewis, investment banker and former Paris representative of the Eastman Dillon company, was killed accidentally in his Paris apartment by a stray bullet during street fighting Aug. 24.

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