

## Salem Guardsmen Sight on Target



With nation-wide recruiting for the national guard in full swing Salem guardsmen level their sights on filling company B, 1st Battalion, 162nd Infantry Regiment to its full 188 men. Shown above practicing on the newly renovated target range in the Salem armory basement are, with rifles, left to right, Cpl. E. G. Hoyt, 1225 S. 19th st.; Pvt. D. L. Chamberlain, 430 Kappahn rd.; W. K. Faxon, route 9, box 394; and G. A. Wagers, route 8, box 1496. In back row, left to right, Commanding Officer 1st Lt. Burl Cox, 2590 E. Nob Hill; T/S L. W. Baker, 340 Union st.; Pvt. J. J. McReal, 1060 Howard st.; Acting First Sergeant W. L. St. Clair, route 4, box 603; and 2nd Lt. Waldo Gilbert, route 7, box 238. (Photo by Don Dill, Statesman staff photographer.)

### Valley Briefs

**Silverton**—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Barr look over the management of the grocery store in connection with the co-op lockers, the former Oehler Lockers, Monday but did not open officially until Saturday.

**Evans Valley**—Earl Johnson will resume his studies at Oregon State college this fall and his sister, Charlotte, will be a junior. She is a member of the Alpha Phi, recently established national sorority on the state college campus.

**Silverton**—A mass meeting will be held Wednesday night at Trinity church in the interest of the United Mission advance of the Lutheran church. Speakers will include the Rev. Joseph Simonson, Pastor Reidar Daehlin, former missionary to China, and Clara Jones, missionary.

**St. Angel**—Deputy Fire Marshal A. J. Butsch is at Spokane, attending a convention of the Pacific Coast Fire Chiefs association.

**Silverton**—Visitors at the Chris Liechty home have been Chester Liechty of Klamath Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Seaman and daughter, Janice, of Bakersfield, Calif.

**Scotts Mills**—Ransom Mooney is visiting relatives at Scotts Mills. He recently arrived from Guam where he has been employed in post war construction work.

**Slayton**—William Fair, an Eagle scout, is the newly elected assistant scoutmaster of troop No. 50, Boy Scouts. Ken Farwell is scoutmaster of the group, but it is expected Fair will take the most active part in the work.

**St. Angel**—Mr. and Mrs. R. Smith of Cedar Falls, Iowa, were guests early this week of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Aman. Mrs. Smith is a niece of Mrs. Aman.

**Unionvale**—School opened Monday September 15. Mrs. Dan Wolfenberger is principal and Mrs. Susie Bishop, primary teacher, both of McMinnville. Eighth grade pupils this year are Marvin Baker, Bobby Baker, Ray Hibbs, Leonard Hibbs, Leonard Dixon, Junior Roth, Katherine Gibson, Wanda Geiger, Wanda Hendrickson and Mary Jane Lawson.

**Unionvale**—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knoche and son have returned from their trip to Kansas where they visited relatives for the last month. They report very warm weather while there and witnessed a dust storm during their stay.

**Webfoot**—The Webfoot grange met for the first fall business session Saturday night. Next will be Booster night, September 27.

**Waldo Hills**—Mrs. Dale Harris, who has been recuperating from a recent appendectomy at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown's home, has returned with her husband and small daughter to their Cottage Grove home.

**Bethany**—Bethany school opens Monday. The extra week of vacation was granted to give school-age children an opportunity to assist in the hop harvest. All hops in this area are not yet picked.

**Silverton**—Mr. and Mrs. Erland Anderson (Maxine Dick) will leave shortly for St. Louis, Mo., where they will live. Anderson, on Oregon State college's basketball team for three years will play professional basketball in the south. Mrs. Anderson was employed at Welby's in Silverton before their marriage early this month.

**Waldo Hills**—The Klopfenstein steam sorghum mill began its annual run this week, fully two weeks earlier than in normal years. In 1946, the plant cooked 2000 gallons of finished sorghum, and the entire turn-out was in consumer hands practically as soon as it came off the evaporator. The management expects to run until mid-October.

**Lebanon**—The Cascade Plywood corporation held its first annual service pin banquet last week to honor more than 200 employees. M. D. Tucker, president, presented pins and engraved certificates and B. V. Hancock, vice-president, was toastmaster. The Lebanon plywood plant built by the Evans interests in 1940 was sold to the present company in 1943 and is the largest manufacturing unit in this community.

## National Guard Recruiting Campaign Committee Heads Named by Mayor Elfstrom

Salem's part in the nation-wide recruiting campaign for the national guard was off to a lively start today with the announcement of committee chairmanships by Mayor R. L. Elfstrom and a meeting of all leaders set tentatively for the middle of this week.

Named as chairman of the mayor's committee is Robert R. Boardman, former director of the USO here, with Charles Barclay, head of the Willamette university publicity department, as assistant.

Committee chairmen were appointed as follows: high school, E. A. Carleton; speakers, William H. Baillie, with Ty Gillespie as co-chairman; publicity, Bruce Williams; contact, Gene Vandenynde; prize, Holly Jackson; military advisory, A. E. Berger and Ty Gillespie; finance, Homer Smith, jr.; information centers, Sam Harbison; printing, Kenneth Long; women, Mrs. George Rossmann, Dorathea Steusloff and Mrs. William Phillips, sr.; veterans, Ira Pilcher.

### To Name Committees

The chairman will name their own committees.

The honorary committee named by Mayor Elfstrom includes: Gov. Earl Snell, Secretary of State Robert S. Farrell, jr., State Treasurer Leslie Scott, Charles A. Sprague, George Putnam, Keith Brown, Allan Carson, Dr. G. Herbert Smith, Douglas McKay, Frank Bennett, Clay Cochran, Guy Hickok, David Eyre, Edward Mack, Paul Hendricks, Gardner Knapp, Roy Harland, W. W. McKinney, George Tomlinson, Dorathea Steusloff, Mrs. William Phillips, sr., and Mrs. George Rossmann.

### Support Urged

In announcing his appointments, Mayor Elfstrom declared the national guard recruiting campaign should "have the best support of every citizen." He cited the Oregon guard's record, "both in peace and war," as "at the top of the nation's list," pointed out the organization's "worth-while program" and "fine pay," as well as the benefits of training in leadership, and urged "every

## Knutson Hurt In Car Wreck

Richard Knutson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knutson, Salem, was in "satisfactory" condition Saturday night in Salem Deaconess hospital, where he was taken Friday after being seriously injured when his car struck a parked truck on the highway east of Gates.

Knutson was brought to the hospital suffering from severe face lacerations and a large puncture wound in one of his legs, inflicted by a large piece of steel which was driven through it in the collision. He was a veteran of World War II, and served in Germany throughout the fighting there.

### Silverton Parochial Schools Enroll 91

SILVERTON—St. Paul's Catholic parochial school opened this week with an enrollment of 91, 11 of these were beginners, the same number as the increase in enrollment over 1946.

Sisters in charge include Sister Mary Gertrude, Sister Mary Liova, Sister Edward Mary and Sister Girard who is also music teacher.

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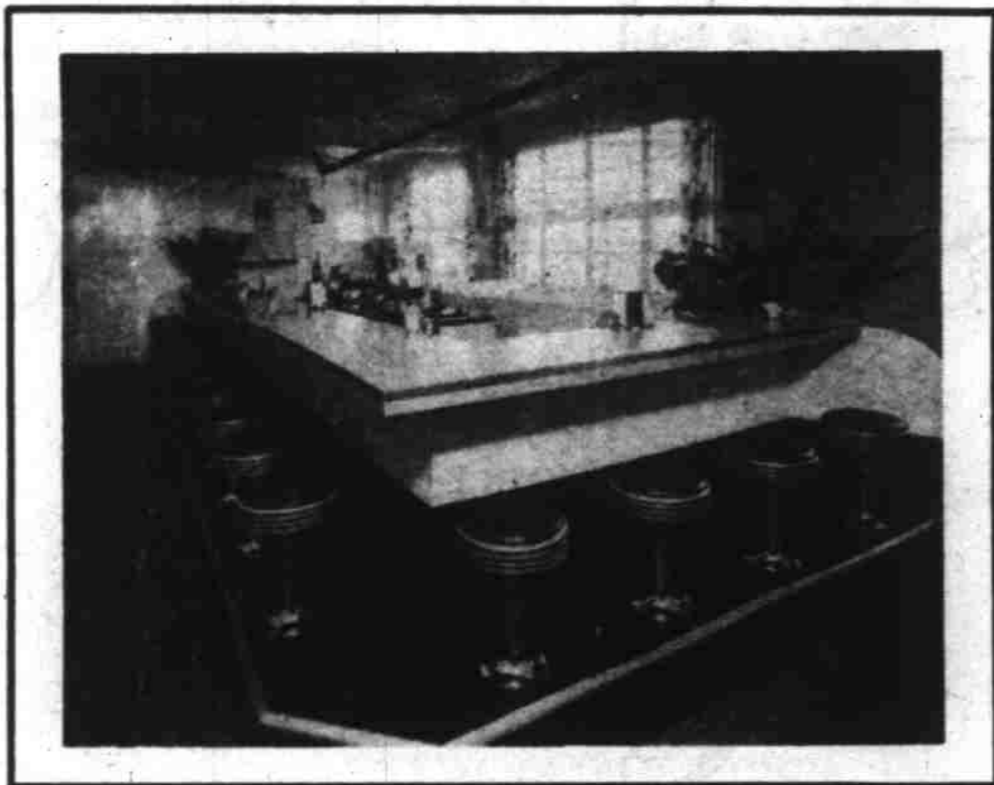
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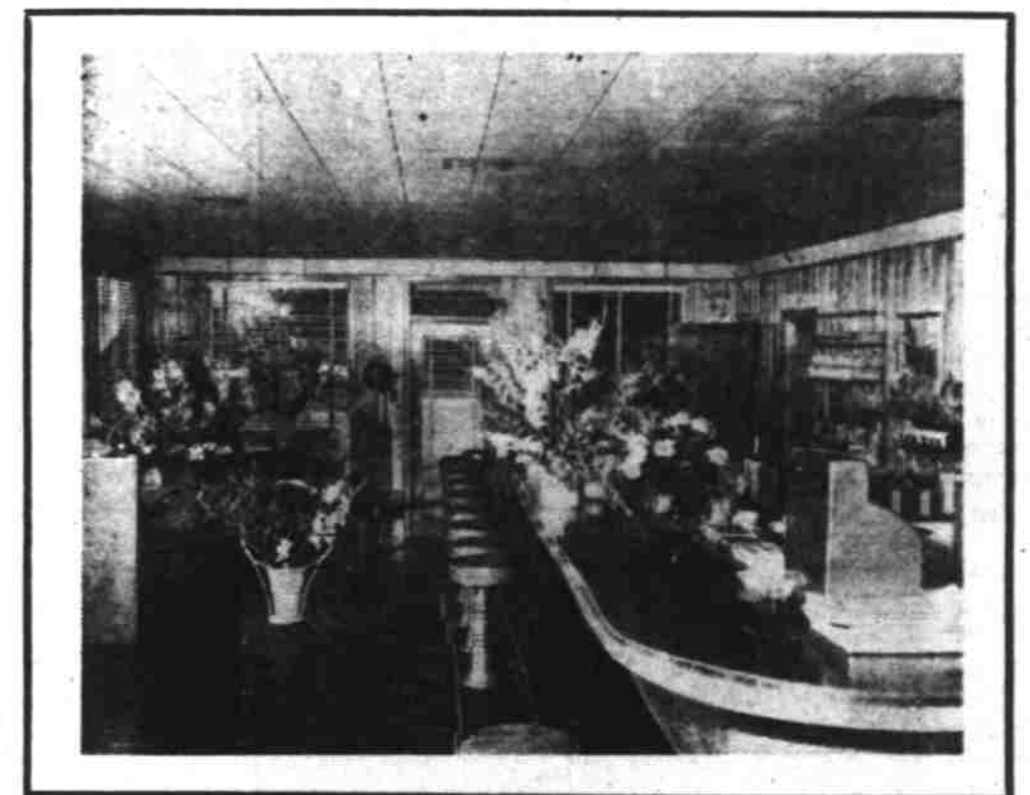


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