

City News Briefs

FATHER-CHILD DAY SET
Salem Rotary club members are to be joined by their sons and daughters at Wednesday's luncheon meeting in the Marion hotel. Speaker will be Dr. Roy McCall, head of the speech and dramatics department at University of Oregon. His topic will be "One Life and How to Make the Most of It."

Look for Unity and other literature at Truth Center, 262 N. Cottage, 12 to 3 p.m. Mon. thru Fri.

"Let George Do It" 10% discount on all home refrigerators and freezers until Christmas only. Free coffee served from 2 to 4 p.m. each day. George Electric, of course. 493 Center St.

ROUND TABLE PLANNED
The Salem Kiwanis club luncheon Tuesday at the Marion hotel will be a round table program.

Auto glass installed. Floor sanders for rent. R. D. Woodrow, 450 Center St.

Don't forget, let George Do It.

LIONS TO DISCUSS
An open forum discussion, on a subject yet to be announced, is planned for the Hollywood Lions club luncheon Wednesday noon at the Lion's Den.

Laundrette—1255 Ferry St.

Federally Insured Savings—Current dividend 2 1/2%. See First Federal Savings First, 142 S. Liberty, Phone 3-4944.

LOAN POSITION READY
Appointment as examiner (loans) in the Reconstruction Finance corporation is the subject of an examination announced by the U.S. civil service commission. The position is in Portland. Entrance salary ranges from \$3,500 to \$5,210 per year, and grading of applicants is on the basis of experience and training.

Wallace Hardware, 2056 N. Capitol, will be closed Mon. & Tues. for inventory.

Insured savings earn more than two per cent at Salem Federal Savings Association, 560 State st.

TAKES DAUGHTER HOME
Dismissals from Salem Memorial hospital Christmas day included Mrs. Harvey Peterson, 1320 Hulsie rd., who took home a newborn daughter.

Reroof now with Johns-Manville shingles. Don't gamble with an old roof. Mathis Bros., 164 S. Com'l. Free estimates. Phone 34642.

The Flower Basket, 1020 Market, open Sundays, 10 to 3.

MOTHERS, INFANTS LEAVE
Mothers taking babies home from Salem General hospital Christmas day were Mrs. Lawrence Strohecker, Toledo, and Mrs. Harry Root, Salem route 7, both with sons, and Mrs. Ray Housley, 3180 Lynn st., and Mrs. Herman Ricketts, Salem route 7, both with daughters.

Karakul Karpet. It's new, it's reversible, it's 100% virgin wool and woven through and through, only \$4.95 sq. yd. Ph. 3-7648 or 3-3364.

Do you have the rare type trees and shrubs in your yard such as the Dove Tree, Silk Tree, Davidi Viburnum (the Dwarf evergreen snowball), Raphioliopsis and many others? These may be purchased at the F. A. Doerfler & Sons Nursery, Landscaping & Designing, 150 N. Lancaster Drive at 4 Corners. Ph. 2-1322.

DINNER HOSTS TODAY
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Davies, 941 N. Cottage st., are to be Christmas dinner hosts today to Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taylor and daughter Beverly Rose of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Davies and daughter Givonia of Salem; Fred Brock of Corvallis, and Mrs. Laura Turley of Salem.

Special: 7 1/2 cu. ft. completely re-conditioned electric refrigerator—\$99.50. George Electric (Let George Do It), 493 Center St.

Don't forget, let George Do It.

Mother Dies Here While Visiting Son
Mrs. A. J. Watts, Red Bluff, Calif., died Saturday morning at a Salem hospital following a cerebral hemorrhage suffered Friday afternoon. She was spending the holidays with her only son, Don Harger of Salem. Mr. Watts, also visiting here, will return home early this week.

Funeral services will be Monday at 10 a.m. at Howell-Edwards Funeral home, with Frank Doolittle reading the Christian Science service. The body will be cremated and sent to Red Bluff for commitment.

Mrs. Watts was a prominent singer in the San Francisco Opera company for several years. She was a sister of John Atherton, nationally known Vermont artist. Her husband is an auto dealer. Mrs. Watts had visited here frequently.

Makes Rustic Wood of Cement



After 40 years in cement work in England, Central America and Salem, W. H. Clowes, 1365 Mill st., is continuing his work by turning his hobby of making rustic wood fences into a vocation. Clowes is shown above with one of his reinforced concrete rustic fences which so resembles logs and tree stumps that close inspection is necessary to discover the true composition of the fences. The fences are very realistic and will last long after the real thing has fallen into decay. (Statesman photo.)

Stayton Adds Yule Displays For Christmas

STAYTON — Many novel outdoor Christmas displays and store windows are in evidence about Stayton.

An outstanding Christmas scene is that at the Louis Freres home on East Jefferson street where Santa Claus and his reindeer-drawn sleigh ride the rooftop. Realistically painted in gay Christmas colors Santa waves to passersby. The reindeer have been motorized so that they seem to be galloping across the roof.

Freres cut the figures from plywood and used them at Christmas time last year. This year they have been painted and action has been added, along with floodlights. Trees in the dooryard have been given colored lights and blue lights outline the eaves. A tree decorated in blue shines from a front window.

Other attractive displays about town include those at the homes of Conrad Neibert, Herman Darley, Julian DeJardin, T. G. Freres, Bill Nielson and Walt Bell.

Downtown the stores have also been given their holiday attire, and nearly every place of business has its tree. One of the first to decorate was the Lancelfield and Burmester store with its decorated tree and snow scene.

The window of the George H. Bell real estate office, which Mrs. Bell decorated, has a tree with gaily wrapped packages beneath it. Streamers of silver and green foil form a decorative background.

The window of Kay's Dress shop features gifts amid a snow scene with lamplight. Snowballs gleam in the blue light which floods the window.

An attractively decorated tree adorns the office window of Schies Bros. garage on Water street.

In the windows of Baldwin and Stangeby are a fireplace and a choir singing, drawn in crayons by Clarence Baldwin.

Salem Obituaries

VANDERHOOF
Mrs. Alice Vanderhoof, late resident of 1775 S. Cottage st., at a local hospital December 23. Survived by husband, Nelson Vanderhoof, Salem; daughter, Mrs. Della Keithley, North Santiam; son Ben Mills, Bay City, Ore.; granddaughters, Mrs. Don Chapman, Salem, and Betty Joe Keithley, North Santiam, and two nieces and one nephew. Services will be held Monday, December 27, at 1:30 p.m. in the Clough-Barrick chapel with the Rev. J. J. Gillespie officiating. Interment in City View cemetery.

BROWN
In this city December 24, Alameda Brown, late resident of Salem route 2, at the age of 84 years. Survived by sons, Frank E. Brown, Hillsboro, Wash., and Fred H. Brown, Hillsboro; daughters, Mrs. Rex Perkins, and Mrs. Ray Perkins, both of Salem; brothers, Lewis Miller, Brewster, Wash., Hayden Miller, Portland, and Fred Miller, Tacoma, Wash.; and seven grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Services will be held Tuesday, December 28, at 10 a.m. in the W. T. Rigdon chapel with the Rev. Dudley Strain officiating. Interment will be in Riverview cemetery at Portland.

HANSEN
In this city December 24, Adolph Hansen, late resident of Salem. Services will be held Wednesday, December 29, at 9:30 p.m. in the Rigdon chapel. Interment in Gates cemetery.

WINCHCOMB
Jennie Winchcomb, late resident of 436 N. 21st, survived by husband, Russell E. Winchcomb, daughters, Mrs. Gladys Beardley, Los Angeles, Mrs. Fern Neff, Portland, Mrs. Reed Shelton, Salem; brothers, Charles White, Scio, Keith White, Washougal, Wash., and Maurice White, Calexico, Calif.; sisters, Mrs. Mae McDonald, Scio, and Mrs. Lorien Allen, Roseburg; and five grandchildren. Announcement of services later from W. T. Rigdon company.

WATTS
Lucille Atherton Watts, late resident of Red Bluff, Calif., at a local hospital December 25. Survived by husband, Albert Jay Watts, Red Bluff; son Don Harger, Salem; granddaughter, Dondra Lee Harger, Stockton, Calif.; and brother, John Atherton, Shaftesbury, Vt. She was a member of the Christian Science church. Private services will be held Sunday, December 26, at 10 a.m. in the Howell-Edwards chapel, with cremation to follow.

Icebergs frequently are encountered far south of Polar regions.

Minnesota Family Visiting at Pedee; Vacationers Back

PEDEE — Mr. and Mrs. John McKindley and Jeanette of Osaki, Minn., are spending the winter with their daughters, Mrs. Robert Jahn of Fir Grove and Mrs. Orlo Frank of Falls City.

Visitors at the homes of Mrs. Mollie Lacey and Sidney Howard the past week were Mrs. J. W. Siddall (Katherine Lacey) of Dallas; Mrs. Harvey Bartel (Jean Siddall) and Buena Vista, who recently returned from Torrance, Calif.; Lois Siddall, nurse at Good Samaritan hospital, Portland, and Robert Miller of Salem.

Evelyn Acheson of Albany, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Acheson, former Pedee residents, left last week for Glendale Springs, N.C., to serve as a missionary of the United Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Glen Edwards and infant daughter, Jodel Elaine, returned home Thursday from Salem General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal and Bobby returned Saturday from a two-weeks trip to their former home in South Gate, Calif. O'Neal was on vacation from Luckiamute Lumber company at Pedee and Mrs. O'Neal from Willamette Valley Lumber company in Dallas.

The GEM Parade

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Inflation Scales New Heights in Shanghai Mart

SHANGHAI, Saturday, Dec. 25 (AP)—Commodity prices were on a dizzy climb in Shanghai this Christmas day.

It can be best explained by these comparative figures:
On Labor day Sept. 6, 20 gold yuan were worth 5 U. S. They would buy three cartons of American cigarettes.

Today 20 gold yuan will buy one package of cigarettes.

The black market rate for gold yuan has dropped to a low of 95 to \$1 U. S.

Commodity prices go up as the yuan rate goes down. Some went up as much as 100 per cent yesterday.

Rice, the main staple of food, was getting dearer. It cost 480 gold yuan to buy a 165-pound bag. Yesterday the same size bag cost 360 yuan.

Greeting Received From Stayton Man

STAYTON — Ed Forrette has received a Christmas greeting from Brig. Gen. A. J. Funk from Stuttgart, Germany, mailed November 29. Perhaps the highest ranking military officer who is a native of Stayton, he is a cousin of Forrette another Stayton resident.

General Funk was born and educated in Stayton. He attended grade school with Floyd Crabtree and Leo Rock, who now live in Salem. He graduated from Stayton high school and Oregon State college and has made the army his career. The Funk family home was the one now occupied by the Raleigh Harolds on West Washington street.

He was captured on Corregidor in World War II.

The greeting card carried a picture of the former Stayton man, who said he was well.

Ants, bees, wasps, saw flies, gall-wasps and ichneumon flies are all members of the same insect family: hymenoptera.

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