

City News Briefs

BUTLER IN ENGINEERS

Pvt. Thomas J. Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston O. Butler, 4190 Sunnyview ave., Salem, informed his parents by letter that he is now with the 633rd light equipment company, a division of the 1169th army engineers, Enlistment in the army last January. Butler received his basic and advanced engineer training at Ft. Belvoir, Va.

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AWARDED MEDAL

Cadet Stanley E. Johnson, 1898 Market st., Salem, has been awarded the sharpshooter's medal for marksmanship at Ft. Lewis, Wash., reserve officers training corps camp. Johnson, an ROTC cadet from Oregon State college, qualified for the second highest award presented by the army for range firing.

New Batteries 40% off, exchange, lubrication and car wash, special at United Service, 2083 N. Capitol.

FROZEN FOODS TOPIC

Salem Lions club at a meeting today noon in the Marion hotel is to hear a talk on frozen foods by E. M. Burns, consultant to Terminal Ice & Cold Storage Co. here, secretary of Northwest Frozen Food association and past president of the National Association of Refrigerated Warehouses.

GEARHART VISITS

Delbert Gearhart, formerly of Salem, is visiting a few days with his father, Frank Gearhart and sister, Mrs. Fred Shay, 515 N. 21st st., while enroute from Honolulu to Alaska on business. He represents S. C. H. e. n. e. y International Corp. in Hawaii and Alaska.

TRAVELERS PICNIC SUNDAY

The Salem council of the United Commercial Travelers will hold its annual picnic at Paradise islands Sunday, beginning at noon.

TOWNSEND'S SKIP MEET

Townsend club 16 will not meet this week, or during the month of August.

Kleinke to Attend Meat Dealers Conclave

Emmett Kleinke, owner of the State Street market, will leave next week for Cincinnati, Ohio, to attend a National Meat Dealers association convention August 5-9. This is Kleinke's third year as a director of the national group. He attended this week the Northwest-Retail Meat Dealers conference in Portland.

Salem Obituaries

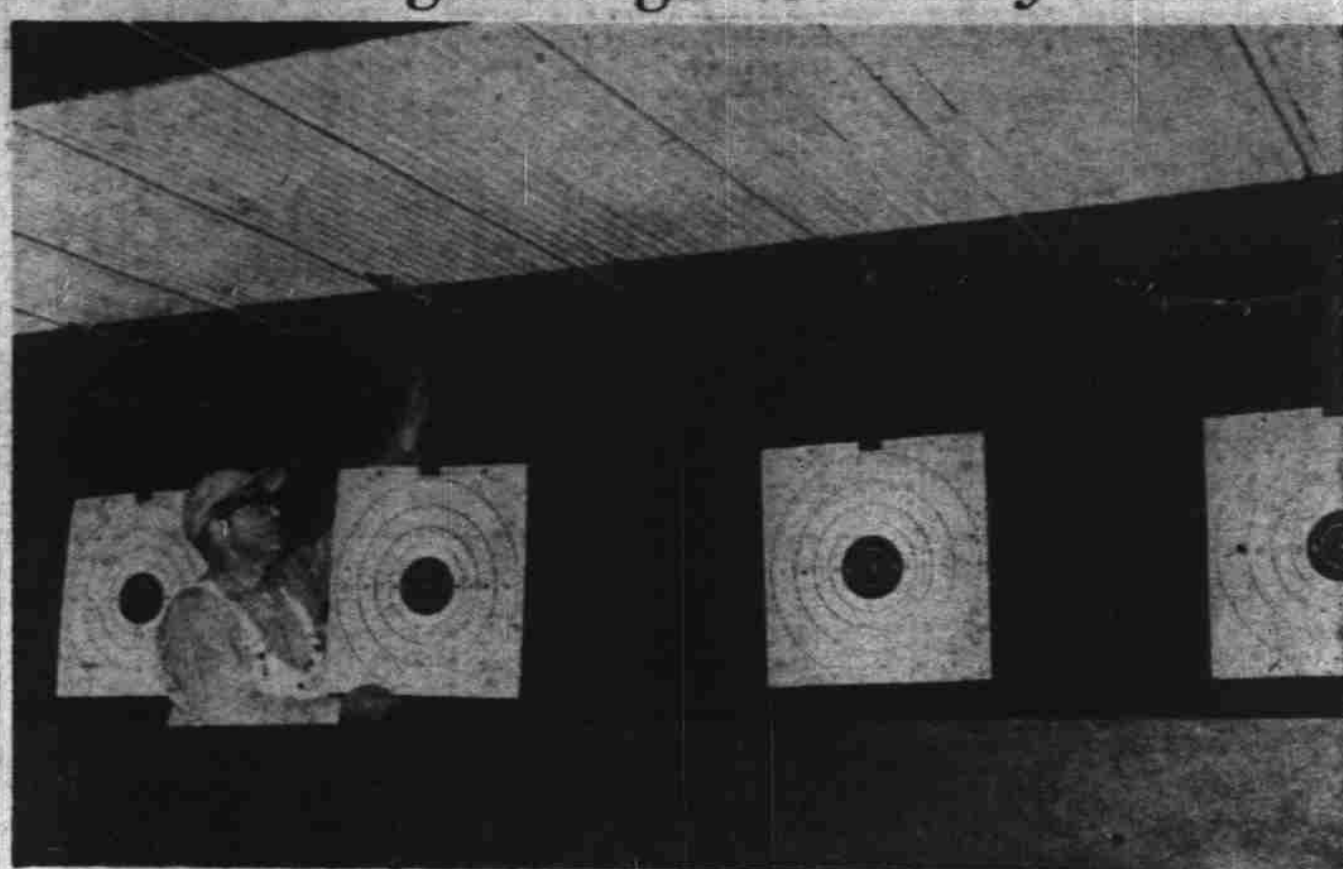
BATTALION
Minnie Battalion, late resident of 975 N. 5th st., in this city July 24 at the age of 78. Survived by daughters, Rose Battalion, Tena Battalion and Minnie Busch, all of Salem; sons, Chris Battalion and Mrs. Minnie Battalion, both of Salem; also four grandchildren and three grand-grandchildren. Services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, July 26, at Christ Lutheran church with concluding services at Lee Mission cemetery. The Rev. Carl R. Schulz will officiate. Services under the direction of the W. T. Rigdon company.

EWICKER
Leonard William Zwicker, late resident of Pendleton, at Pendleton July 24 at the age of 73 years. Survived by brothers, H. O. Zwicker, Pendleton, W. R. Zwicker, Salem, F. H. Zwicker, Coquille; sisters, Mrs. Ferdig Hall, Salem; Mrs. A. W. Forath and Mrs. A. M. Shrum, both of Portland, and Mrs. J. W. Kavanagh, Turner, and son, Benjamin Zwicker, Ohio. Services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, July 26, at the W. T. Rigdon chapel. Ritualistic services by Christiana Jodice, I. O. O. F. Concluding services at City View cemetery.

COCKER
Isaac Jefferson Coker, late resident of Eugene, Ore., in this city July 23 at the age of 81. Father of Martha L. Young of Chastanay, Wash. Shipment has been made to Portland by the W. T. Rigdon company.

DAY
Ella Vesper Day, late resident of 1185 Columbia st., in this city July 23 at the age of 83. Wife of Grant W. Day, Salem; mother of Mrs. Phyllis Ramsden, Salem; grandmother of Gary and Carol Ramsden, both of Salem; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Runyon David City, Neb.; sister of Mrs. Rita Ballenger, Lincoln, Neb., and Mrs. Lydia Shrader, David City, Neb. She was a member of the First Methodist church in Salem. Services will be announced later by W. T. Rigdon chapel.

Police Target Range Soon Ready for Use



Salem police officers will soon be sharpening their shooting eyes on their own pistol range, now nearing completion in an ex-barracks on the Salem airfield. Adjusting one of the target trolleys is Sgt. Ernel Munding who has been in charge of constructing the range. (Statesman photo.)

Police Provide Pistol Range For Own Use

Odds and ends of salvage materials, lots of ingenuity and the labor of city jail inmates have combined to make a first class pistol range available to Salem's police officers.

Located in an old barracks near the city dog pound at McNary field, the range will have five targets with shooting distances ranging up to 25 yards.

Dog control officer William Wilson began the project by directing pouring of concrete backstops. Sgt. Ernel Munding took charge of remodeling, using volunteer labor from city jail prisoners.

Bicycle wheels were salvaged to serve as pulleys for target trolleys, making it possible to place new targets, score shot up targets and check shooting without any person entering the firing range. A shooting counter and cabinet work was done by Sgt. Munding in his home workshop.

The back wall of the range is 12 inches thick, of reinforced concrete. A heavy wood plank buffer will be placed in front of this wall to catch the lead slugs shot by .38 police special revolvers, to later be salvaged. This lead will be used by the officers to reload their own ammunition. A front wall of eight inch concrete, about waist high will stop rebounding slugs.

In addition to the range itself, a reloading room is being constructed, as is a rest room and waiting room.

Wrecks Bring Damage Suits

Automobile accidents in May and June brought two damage suits which were filed in Marion county circuit court Wednesday.

One was filed by Thomas M. McGuire, Vancouver, Wash., who asked judgment of \$10,000 general damages and \$800 in special damages against Waldo V. Hardman, Salem route 2. The complaint alleges that the plaintiff was injured and his car damaged as the result of an accident June 20, 1931, seven miles north of Salem on Highway 99E.

The second suit was filed by Charles G. Davis, against Tom Dybvad, doing business as the Silvertown Poultry plant, and one of his employees, Merle Rasmussen. Davis is asking judgment of \$5,530.01.

His complaint alleges that as a result of an accident May 19, 1931 on Victor Point road, six miles southeast of Silvertown, the plaintiff was injured, with resulting damage to his car, and that he has suffered "great physical and mental anguish."

Oklahoma Man Jailed On Intoxication Charge
An Oklahoma transient, Joseph Milton Burke, was fined \$25 and sentenced to 10 days in the Marion county jail Wednesday, after pleading guilty in Jefferson justice court to a charge of being intoxicated on a public highway.

Burke, who gave his address as Pueblo Falls, Okla., was arrested by state police Tuesday night in Jefferson.

SEEK REVENUE AGENT
Examination will be held soon for an internal revenue agent, at \$3,825 a year, with the bureau of internal revenue in Washington, D. C. Information may be obtained at the Salem postoffice civil service headquarters.

LANDSCAPING AND DESIGNING
No job too large or too small. F. A. Doerfler and Sons Nursery, 250 Lancaster Dr. at 4 Corners. P. 2-2549.

MARTINE-LALLYS SAIL
Mr. and Mrs. Luis Martine-Lally of Salem are prepared to sail at 9:30 a.m. Sunday from Portland for their scheduled round-the-world cruise in their yacht "Magic Carpet," they advised friends Wednesday.

AIR-STEAMSHIP TICKETS ANYWHERE
Kugel, 3-7694. 153 N. High St.

PARTNER RETIRES
Notice of retirement from the firm of Norwest Drilling company was filed with the Marion county clerk Wednesday by Vernon E. Coleman, of Woodburn. The other partner is Vernon R. Coleman, also of Woodburn.

VANDALISM REPORTED
Vandalism on new construction at Highland school was reported to city police Wednesday. Six windows in an upper story were broken overnight the report said.

KANSAS PLAN MEET
Former Kansas residents now living in Salem are invited to the annual picnic of the Kansas Society of Oregon at Jantzen beach, Portland, Sunday, August 8.

CHOICE BABY BEEF FOR YOUR LOCKER
Also young turkeys to fry or bake. Orwig's Market, 3975 Silverton rd. Phone 2-6128.

REPAIR PERMIT LISTED
A permit was issued by the city engineer's office Wednesday to E. A. Lundy for repair to a dwelling at 2365 Maple ave., 3370.

Sears Officials Visit Salem, Attend Dinner

The visit to Salem of Price Sullivan, Sears Roebuck zone manager of Seattle, together with six of the firm's northwest zone executives, was the occasion for a dinner given Wednesday at the Senator hotel by the Salem and Albany Sears stores for representatives of press, radio and chambers of commerce of the two cities.

James Mosolf, Sears-Salem store manager, was master of ceremonies.

Sears executives present, besides Sullivan, were D. L. Davis, Pat Barry, Al Arkills, William Gantner, Charles Brown and John King of Seattle; R. Moore of Los Angeles. The group is on a flying inspection tour of Sears northwest stores.

Also from out of town were Don Primrose, manager, Bill Longman and Jim Macy of the Albany store and Albany farm store manager Cecil Wirt.

Births

GRIMES—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grimes, 1530 Bellevue st., Salem, a son, Wednesday, July 25, at Salem General hospital.

LYMON—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lymon, Dallas, a son, Wednesday, July 25, at Salem General hospital.

RABE—To Mr. and Mrs. Keith Rabe, 2370 Claude st., Salem, a son, Wednesday, July 25, at Salem General hospital.

MOFFETT—To Mr. and Mrs. Greer Moffett, 815 Chemawa rd., Salem, a son, Wednesday, July 25, at Salem Memorial hospital.

WRIGHT—To Mr. and Mrs. George Wright, Salem route 4 box 673H, a son, Tuesday, July 24, at Salem General hospital.

SCHWARZ—To Mr. and Mrs. John Schwarz, 641 Thompson st., Salem, a son, Tuesday, July 24, at Salem General hospital.

MORELY—To Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morely, Sublimity route 1, a daughter, Tuesday, July 24, at Salem Memorial hospital.

HARRIS—To Mr. and Mrs. Rex Harris, Aumsville, a son, Tuesday, July 24, at Salem Memorial hospital.

BAKER—To Mr. and Mrs. James A. Baker, McCoy, a daughter, Tuesday, July 24, at Salem Memorial hospital.

Tax Board to Discuss Timber Assessments

Members of the Oregon State Tax commission Wednesday accepted an invitation to attend a meeting at Toledo August 10 to discuss timber assessments in Oregon.

Invitations have been sent to representatives of approximately 50 industries in the state to attend the meeting which is sponsored by the Lincoln county court.

HIGHWAY JOB TO START

ASTORIA, July 25—(AP)—The work of straightening the Big Creek section of the lower Columbia river highway will begin in the next 10 days. The \$224,000 job will substitute a straight two-mile stretch for the many curves now in that section of the highway. The job is expected to take a year.

The meeting which is sponsored by the Lincoln county court.

Persons Neglect to Call for Photostats

Apparently forgotten records are piling up in the county recorder's office, after having been photostated according to requests of the owners.

Recorder William Lanks reported Wednesday that his office has around 150 such records, and addresses of people to whom they belong. But since the recorder's office doesn't mail such records out, unless previous arrangements have been made, they are now taking up needed space. He requested that people who have deposited records with him pick up their photostated copies.

Col. Johnson New Instructor Of Reservists

Slated to be the new instructor of the Salem army organized reserves is Lt. Col. Lorin K. Johnson, whose appointment was announced Wednesday by the Oregon military district.

Capt. Andrew J. Brown, present instructor of the unit, said on Wednesday he had not been informed as to when the new unit instructor will arrive.

Johnson, an army officer since 1928, was an infantry battalion commander during World War II in France, Germany and Austria with the 42nd division. He was inspector general of the Korea base command until 1948. Johnson was more recently the supply officer with the planning division of the 6th army.

Baillie Envisions Salem Civic Auditorium to Seat Near 10,000

A memorial auditorium seating a top of 10,000 people, at an estimated cost of \$3,000,000, capable of bringing conventions to Salem once a week for 40 weeks, was envisioned by William Baillie, treasurer of the Memorial Auditorium association, speaking at a noon luncheon of the Exchange club in the Senator hotel.

Baillie outlined plans for a large, flat-floored, convertible auditorium, useful for both conventions and athletic events, seating between 6,000 and 7,000 people. He said a 2,000 to 4,000 seat concert hall should be planned with it, and also a recital chamber for 400 to 600 people. A basement with dining, kitchen and dancing facilities could also be part of the memorial auditorium.

The history of the memorial auditorium association from its creation in 1946 to the present was outlined by Baillie. He told club members of the success other cities had had with municipal auditoriums, and expressed the committee's hopes that the time would come shortly when the plans drawn over the past five years could be put into effect.

With Baillie at the luncheon were Carl Greider, president of the auditorium association, and Fred Mangis, secretary. The speech was the first in an Exchange club series on municipal activities.

HOME-MADE HARPS

TORONTO—(AP)—John Duncan, 47-year-old Toronto harpist, not only plays harps—he makes them. The round-faced Englishman has made 45 in the last quarter-century and has done repairs on almost every harp in Canada since he came here in 1927.

Man Given Jail Term by Stayton Court in Theft Case

Vernon Taylor, transient, giving Houston, Texas, as his address, was sentenced to 30 days in the Marion county jail Wednesday after pleading guilty in Stayton justice court to a charge of larceny.

Stayton police said Taylor stole a mechanics tool box from a truck belonging to a Stayton truck company. The larceny was committed Monday night, and Taylor was arrested by Stayton police Tuesday.

Another transient, Fred Wolfe, was fined \$28 and \$4.30 costs in Stayton justice court after pleading guilty to a charge of being intoxicated in a public place. Wolfe was arrested by Stayton police Wednesday.

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