

# Paratrooper Travels Far To Make Jump

Sgt. John J. Uselman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Uselman of 1975 Chmeka St., recently traveled across the continent by bus to make a practice parachute jump, members of his family reported.

The sergeant, stationed at Ft. Bragg, N. C., and now on temporary recruiting at Ft. Ord, Calif., made the trip back to his home base this month in order to keep his parachute proficiency rating up, it was reported. His home unit is the 376th Airborne Field Artillery, 82nd Airborne Division, at Ft. Bragg.

During his two-day stay at his home base, Sgt. Uselman reported briefly on the progress of recruiting at Ft. Ord to his commander, Brig. Gen. Thomas L. Sherburner Jr. He is scheduled to continue recruit duty at least through January.

Sgt. Uselman has more than 150 parachute jumps to his credit since his first jump in September, 1943. He served with the 507th Parachute Regiment in Europe during World War II. He joined the 82nd Airborne Division in September, 1946, shortly after it was established at Ft. Bragg.

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## City Obituaries

**KEENE**  
 Mary Grace Keene, 78, at the residence, 245 E. Wilson st., December 23. Mother of Chester E. Keene, L. Arthur Keene and Miss Mayme E. Keene, all Salem. Services will be held Saturday, December 29, at 2 p.m. in the W. T. Rigdon chapel with the Rev. B. J. Holland officiating. Interment Masonic cemetery, Gervais.

**COMER**  
 Margaret G. Comer, at the residence, 4375 Macleay rd., December 24. Survived by husband, Ernest Comer of Salem; daughters, Katherine Hanson and Laura Hanson, both of Salem; father, Alfred Burton Johnson; and a brother, Harold Johnson, both of Long Beach, Calif.; six stepsons, Everett E. Comer, U.S. Army; Myron A. Comer of Salem; Larry C. Comer of Stayton, James R. Comer of Silverton, Garry G. Comer and Dwight L. Comer, both of Tokio, N.D.; step-daughter, Eileen Harrington of Brantford, N.D. Funeral services will be held Friday, December 28, at 2:30 p.m. in the Clough-Barrick Chapel. Interment in Belcrest Memorial Park.

**OSTENDORF**  
 Sadie Evelyn Ostendorf, at the residence in Klamath Falls, December 24, at the age of 81. Survived by husband, Ed O. Ostendorf of Klamath Falls; daughter, Mrs. Jean Aldrich of Klamath Falls; sisters, Mrs. F. O. Johnson of Salem and Mrs. George Balch of Pitts, Pa. Member of the Lutheran church. A home chapel, O.E.S., of Klamath Falls and Zuleima temple 13, daughters of the Nile. Services will be held Saturday, December 29, at 2:30 p.m. at the Howell-Edwards chapel with the Rev. John Caudle officiating. Interment at Belcrest Memorial park.

**LYLE**  
 Ernest Jordan Lyle, at the family residence, 130 E. Owens St., December 25, at the age of 89. Survived by wife, Mrs. Irma Lyle, Salem; sisters, Mrs. Jessie Barnhill, Sitawa, Kans., and Mrs. Dabulis Day, Garnett, Kans.; two nieces and three nephews. Services Friday, Dec. 28, at 2 p.m. in the Howell-Edwards Chapel. Vault entombment in Lincoln Memorial Park, Portland.

**PFAU**  
 Mrs. Mae Pfau, late resident of 1645 S. Capitol St., at a local hospital December 26 at the age of 63 years. Survived by husband, Antone Pfau Sr.

daughters, Mrs. Ruth Friesen, Dallas, and Mrs. Dorothy Friesen, Rapid City, S.D.; six grandchildren and 13 step-children. Services Wednesday, Jan. 2 at 1:30 p.m. in the Howell-Edwards Chapel, the Rev. Walter Frederick officiating. Interment in the IOOF Cemetery.

**JORY**  
 Miss L. May Jory, at the residence, 230 S. 15th St., Dec. 27. Survived by husband, Ernest Jory, and several nieces and nephews and several cousins. Funeral services will be held Saturday, Dec. 29 at 10:30 a.m. in the W. T. Rigdon Chapel, the Dr. D. H. Schultz officiating.

**RICH**  
 Samuel Rich, at the residence, 1910 S. Commercial St., Dec. 27. Survived by the widow, Augusta; two daughters, Mrs. Louise Friesen of Portland, and Mrs. Mary Hansen of Kelso, Wash.; two sons, Robert O. Oneida, N. Y., and Lawrence of Salem; brother, Silas of Seattle; 12 grandchildren. Service Saturday, Dec. 29 at 3 p.m. in the Clough-Barrick Chapel. Interment in Belcrest Memorial Park.

**MACKENZIE**  
 Victor Keith MacKenzie, at Carmel, Calif., Dec. 24, at the age of 19. Survived by parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor MacKenzie; grandmother, Mrs. Hilda Townsend of Portland; uncle, Herbert L. MacKenzie of Hillsboro; aunts, Mrs. A. Fook of Siles and Mrs. Wallace Peabody of Medford. Concluding services Friday, Dec. 28 at 2:30 p.m. at Mt. Crest Abbey Mausoleum. The Rev. George H. Swift officiating. Friends invited. Please omit flowers.

## Year-End Rally Sends Stock Prices Higher

**NEW YORK (AP)**—With a great display of recovery power, the stock market made substantial progress Thursday toward fulfilling its promise of a year-end rally.

The market's gain more than erased the losses of yesterday in a final burst of selling for tax purposes.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks advanced a full dollar at \$98.10 with the industrial component up \$1.40, rails \$1.10 and utilities 30 cents.

Volume came to 1,460,000 shares as compared with 1,520,000 shares Wednesday.

The first clash between Italian and Ethiopian soldiers occurred at or near Wai Wal on the disputed frontier of Italian Somaliland, Dec. 9, 1935.

## L. May Jory, Salem Native Dies Thursday

Miss L. May Jory, member of one of the Salem area's oldest families, whose father came here more than a 100 years ago, died Thursday after an illness of four months. She was 86.

Miss Jory had spent her entire life in Salem, living for all but six years of it on the old Jory donation land claim seven miles south of Salem. Since 1945 she had lived at the home of a niece, Mrs. Edith Stone, 230 S. 15th St., where she died.

Born Oct. 7, 1865, she was one of the 11 children of James Jory and Sarah Ann Budd. Her father and his five brothers came west between 1847 and 1852, with the senior Jory the first to arrive in this area. Her five brothers and five sisters preceded Miss Jory in death several years ago.

As a young girl, Miss Jory studied oratory at Willamette University. One of her brothers, Thomas C. Jory was professor of mathematics there during the 1880s and 1890s. Following the death of her parents, Miss Jory lived on the old family home with one brother, John, and two sisters, Mrs. Mattie Myers, and Miss Phoebe Jory.

During the early part of her life Miss Jory was active in young peoples activities at the Hope Chapel Methodist Church, and the Rosedale Friends Church.

Besides Mrs. Stone, she is survived by nieces and nephews and several cousins.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a. m. Saturday in the W. T. Rigdon Chapel, with Dr. D. H. Schultz officiating.

**Cow Gives Birth To Five Calves**  
**FREDERICK, Md. (AP)**—Silas D. Bittle's Holstein cow may have made some kind of history yesterday when she gave birth to five calves.

Three of them died, apparently crushed by their mother. Henry R. Shoemaker, veteran county agent for Frederick County, said he never before had heard of five calves being born at one time.

## Portland Livestock

**PORTLAND, Thursday (AP)**—(USDA)—Cattle salable 100; market active, strong on limited supply; few utility steers scarce; few good around 750 lb fed heifers 32.50; utility heifers 22.00-26.00; canner and cutter cows mostly 18.00-21.00; utility cows 22.00-24.50; few young cows 25.75-28.25; utility bulls 23.00-27.50; odd commercial and good bulls up to 30.00 and 31.00.

Calves salable 25; market steady; odd choice vealers 34.00-35.00; commercial and good 27.00-33.00; cull and utility 15.00-24.00.

Hogs salable 100; market active; fully 180-220 lb butchers 21.00; choice 140-175 lb 18.50-20.25; choice 250-280 lb 19.00; odd choice 150 lb sows 13.50; 200 lb 17.50; good and choice feeder pigs salable around 19.00.

Sheep salable 35.00; market steady considering quality; one lot good 77 lb woolled lambs 27.50; good and choice quotable to 28.50; good around 65 lb feeder lambs 27.00; good slaughter ewes salable around 12.50-13.00.

## Grain Prices Inch Upward

**CHICAGO (AP)**—Most grains inched their way upward on the Board of Trade Thursday, led by March wheat and all the soybean contracts.

March wheat rose more than a cent at one time with traders believing that some of the buying represented lifting of hedges prior to selling the cash grain to West Germany. That country asked for offers on red wheat and was expected to take a fairly large quantity.

Wheat closed 3/4 lower to 1 cent higher, corn 1/2 lower to 3/4 higher, oats 1/4-1/2 higher, rye 1/2-3/4 higher, soybeans 3/4 to 2 cents higher and lard 5 to 10 cents a hundred pounds higher.

## Stocks and Bonds

Compiled by the Associated Press  
 Dec. 27

STOCK AVERAGES	15	15	60
	Ind	Rails	Util
Net change	+1.4	+1.1	+3.0
Thurs. day	135.8	65.5	90.7
Prev. day	134.4	65.4	90.4
Week ago	136.1	65.9	90.5
Month ago	131.9	63.2	90.0
Year ago	118.2	62.4	86.0

**BOND AVERAGES**

	10	10	10
	Unch	Unch	Unch
Thurs. day	92.3	96.5	97.1
Prev. day	92.3	96.5	97.1
Week ago	92.5	96.8	97.7
Month ago	92.9	96.4	97.7
Year ago	96.8	101.7	103.8

## Death Takes Samuel Rich, Wool Weaver

Samuel Rich, for many years a weaver at the Thomas Kay Woolen Mills, died Thursday at his home, 1910 S. Commercial St., at the age of 71. He had lived in Salem since he was nine.

Rich, born in Belfort, France in 1880, was brought to Salem with his parents in 1889. He attended local schools, and was active in church work, and a member of the Christian Missionary Alliance Church.

In 1904 he was married to Augusta Rich, who survives him. Mrs. Rich grew up in the Salt Creek area of Polk County. Rich's hobbies were gardening and painting. Besides his widow, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Louise Friesen of Portland, and Mrs. Mary Hansen of Kelso, Wash.; two sons, Robert of Oneida, N. Y., and Lawrence of Salem; a brother, Silas, of Seattle; and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday in the Clough-Barrick Chapel. Interment will be in Belcrest Memorial Park.

## Portland Grain

**PORTLAND, Thursday (AP)**—Coarse grain 15 day shipment, bulk coast delivery:  
 Oats No. 1-38 lb white 79.50; barley No. 2-45 lb B.W. 71.00.  
 Wheat (bid) to arrive market, basis No. 1 bulk delivered coast: Soft white 2.44 1/2; soft white (excluding Rex) 2.44 1/2; white club 2.44 1/2.  
 Hard red winter: Ordinary 2.44 1/2; 10 per cent 2.44 1/2; 11 per cent 2.45 1/2; 12 per cent 2.46 1/2.  
 Hard white Bant 2.44 1/2; Ordinary 2.44 1/2; 10 per cent 2.44 1/2; 11 per cent 2.45 1/2; 12 per cent 2.46 1/2.  
 Today's car receipts: Wheat 44; barley 3; flour 7; corn 2; oats 2; mill feed 11.

## Salem Market Quotations

(As of late yesterday)

BUTTERFAT—	
Premium	33
No. 1	31
No. 2	28
WHEAT—	
Wholesale	37
Retail	37
EGGS—(Buying)	
(Wholesale prices range from 8 to 7 cents over buying price)	
Large AA	33
Large A	30
Medium AA	28
Medium A	26
Small	24
POULTRY—	
Leghorn hens	15
Colored hens	21
Colored fryers	21
Old roosters	14
Roasters	14
Ewes	2.00 to 12.00

## Final Rites Today For Col. Foster

Funeral services for Col. Eugene I. Foster, 63, war-time commander of Camp Adair, who died Wednesday in Watsonville, Calif., will be held at 3 p.m. today in that city, with Masonic ritualistic services. Arrangements are by Mehl's Funeral Home.

Foster in 1940 was named commander of the 147th Field Artillery Regiment of the National Guard at Fort Ord, Calif., and in Nov. 1941 he became post executive officer there. He had served in both world wars, and was once on the staff of the State Treasury Department.

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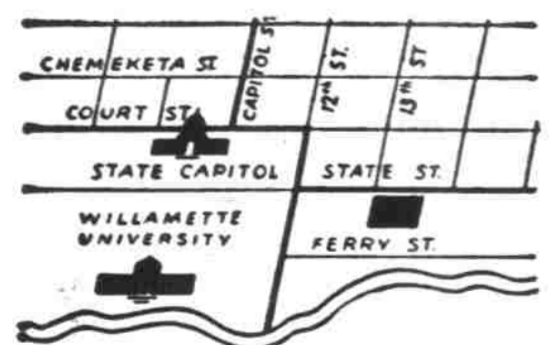
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If you can't make it then, drop in any time you're in the neighborhood and we'll be glad to show you around. Glenn L. Briedwell, manager of the new University Office, heads a staff of competent, experienced personnel, prepared to give you complete, personalized banking service. The Bank will open its doors for business at 10:00 a.m. January 2nd.



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