

City News Briefs

SPEAKERS TO MEET

Toastmasters unit 138 will meet at the Spa restaurant at 6 p.m., Sept. 21, to nominate officers. Russell Forrest, Art Erickson, Jack Frisbie and Al Isaak will be toastmaster, general critic, time-keeper and handle table topics, respectively, for the program. Speakers will be James Calvert, Eugene Kokko, Jacob Ferder, Paul Frederick and E. Kvarsten.

Mrs. Iverson's Home made Swedish rye, white breads. Nothing finer, every meal including packed lunches, deep freeze. Ph. 3-4918, 5250 Pld. Rd.

UNDERWRITERS TO MEET

H. B. "Bud" Horn will address the Salem Life Underwriters' Association luncheon Friday noon at the Senator Hotel. Horn's talk will be entitled "Sistamo." He is past president of the Oregon State Association of Life Underwriters and is also past national committee man. He is the general agent for Business Men's Assurance, Portland.

Sunnyside Parents Club will hold a rummage sale over Greenbaum's Sept. 17 & 18 from 9 to 4.

REV. MUNDT ON TV

The Rev. Robert Mundt, son of City Recorder and Mrs. Alfred Mundt, 1415 Saginaw St., will appear Sunday at 3 p.m. on the television show, "What We Believe," presentation of KOIN, channel 6. The Rev. Mundt is on the staff of Central Catholic High School in Portland. He was ordained as a priest at Milwaukee, Wis., in 1951.

Maxine Brown-Wilcox of the Cottage Beauty Shop wishes to announce the association of Edna Fedders, former owner of the Gay Lock Beauty Shop. She will be pleased to greet her client at this location. We offer complete personalized beauty service. "Our permanent waves are your permanent pleasure." Phone 4-6314 for day or evening appointments.

HIT-RUN LISTED

Mrs. Gene Teague, Stayton, reported to police that her car received minor damage Wednesday night in a hit and run accident at State and Commercial streets. She said another vehicle turned wrong way into State St., then backed into her car. The other car immediately left the scene, she reported.

Rummage Sale — First Methodist Church dining room beginning at noon Thursday, Sept. 16th and all day Friday.

RETURNS FROM NAVY

Doyle Dodge, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dodge, 1275 N. 24th St., received his discharge from the Navy recently after four years of service. He will enroll this fall at Oregon State College. While in the Navy, Dodge was an electronics technician aboard the U. S. S. Los Angeles.

Merle F. Brown M. D. announces the association of Philip B. Porter M. D. in the practice of medicine & surgery at 595 S. Winter St. Salem, Ore.

PROWLER REPORTED

A prowler complaint was received by police Thursday from Mrs. Carole Gunn, 1248 Highland Ave. The woman reported that a man kicked over a milk box on her porch early Thursday morning, then fled between two adjacent houses.

Public Records

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Billy Jack Thomas, 21, 1240 Wilbur St., U. S. Navy, and Velma Vivian Clemens, 23, 690 Vista Ave., stenographer.

CIRCUIT COURT

William J. Whitney vs. M. B. Hinds, Dan J. Malarkey Jr., George A. Moore and Hugh I. Ruffner: Plaintiff seeks \$55,000 in general damages and \$2,748 in special damages after fall into ditch allegedly dug by defendants.

State vs. William Wells Jr.: Defendant charged with larceny of auto, waives grand jury, pleads guilty to charge, sent to Oregon State Hospital for observation not to exceed three months.

Wilma Wing Haney vs. Leonard Hugh Haney: Suit for divorce charges defendant incarcerated, asks custody of two minor children, \$40 per month support for each child. Married Jan. 28, 1947.

Betty L. Grimes vs. Jack W. Grimes: Plaintiff granted divorce, restoration of maiden name of Betty Lou Beckman.

Ardelle E. Pedersen vs. Earnest R. Pedersen: Plaintiff seeks divorce, custody of two minor children and \$50 per month support for each child.

PROBATE COURT

Olaf M. Hillard estate: Lucile Benson appointed administratrix.

DISTRICT COURT

State vs. Jack Lee Taylor and Dillard Hedger: Defendants charged with larceny, being held for preliminary examinations until Sept. 27, held under \$10,000 bail each.

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Human Error 'Chief Cause' Of Accidents

A more rigid control of highway speed is necessary to cut down on traffic accidents, a traffic safety expert said in Salem Thursday.

Dr. Marland K. Strasser of San Francisco, Calif., field representative of the accident prevention department of the Association of Casualty and Surety companies, said his organization has for "some time now" held that a "stated speed limit is a detriment to traffic accidents due to speed."

Dr. Strasser's remarks came in a question and answer session during a talk Thursday noon at a meeting of the Salem Insurance Agents Association at the Marion Hotel.

"Research in this field," Dr. Strasser said, "has convinced us that many individuals cannot judge what safe driving speeds are for themselves."

The main reason for traffic accidents which have claimed more than 1,000,000 lives and about 35,000,000 injured in the last 50 years, Dr. Strasser said, lies "in the human failure to be good drivers."

"It is frightening when you can predict accurately when, where and how a certain number of people will be killed in auto accidents during a certain period of time, and yet be unable to stop the slaughter."

The speaker praised Oregon highly as having a good accident prevention policy. He paid tribute to the Oregon Highway Lifesavers group and to the state's accident reporting system as excellent programs.

Ward Heads Saddle Club Drill Group

Ervin Ward was reelected captain and Floyd Seamster, drillmaster, both for the third time, of the drill team branch of the Salem Saddle Club at the annual election this week.

Mrs. Olive Murray was reelected secretary at the Wednesday night session at the stadium on the state fairgrounds. The group also decided to resume weekly Wednesday night practice drill sessions at the stadium about mid-November.

The 32-member drill team recently closed its 10th summer of appearances at fairs and celebrations and collected 8 trophies, and several blue ribbons for performances. Final exhibition was at the State Fair last week.

Seamster also was recently elected president of the parent organization, the Salem Saddle Club.

Death Takes Ex-Salem Man In California

Orval J. Colgan, 32, former resident of the Marion-Stayton area, died Wednesday in California, it was reported by Salem relatives Thursday.

Death came at an Alameda, Calif., hospital following a recent heart attack. For the past several years he had resided at Newark, Calif.

He was born March 11, 1902, in Salem, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harry Colgan. He grew up in the Marion-Stayton area and moved to California in 1926.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Effie Colgan of Newark; son, Cpl. Jack Colgan of the U. S. Air Force; daughter, Mrs. Maxine Kelley of San Jose, Calif.; sister, Mrs. Harriett DeLaugh of Marion; brothers, Francis of Salem, Harold of Hubbard and Lester of Monmouth, and one granddaughter.

Funeral services will take place in California.

United Plans Fast Flights to Washington

The nation's capitol will be just 9 hours, 40 minutes away from Salem when United Air Lines on Sept. 26 puts in the fastest airline service ever offered between Salem and Washington, D. C.

UAL Station Manager H. F. Sweeney said the schedule revision makes the following service possible: Leave Salem at 6:45 p. m. by Convair which connects with a DC-6 at Portland, arriving at Denver at 12:35 a. m. (MST); there connecting with a new DC-7 which arrives in Washington at 7:25 a. m. (EST).

The DC-7 has two main passenger compartments and a rear lounge, carries 9,000 pounds of cargo as well as full passenger load; requires a crew of five; travels at six miles a minute.

Court Upholds Pinball Ordinance

The Oregon Supreme Court refused Thursday to grant a rehearing of the case in which it held that Portland's anti-pinball ordinance is valid.

The high court's decision was handed down last April 14. The suit was brought by Stanley Terry, Portland pinball operator, who wanted the ordinance thrown out.

Terry won before a three-judge circuit court in Portland, but lost when the city appealed to the Supreme Court.

Thom McAn Store Opens

Salem's newest store opened Thursday at 220 N. Liberty St.

Thom McAn, retailers of men's and boys' shoes, and hosiery, is the third such store, a division of the Melville Shoe Corp., to open in Oregon. The other two are in Portland.

The company began operation on the Pacific Coast after World War II and now maintains over 600 retail stores.

Two persons are employed at the Salem store. Manager is John Blocker.

Hours will be from 9:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m., except on Friday when the store will be open until 9 p.m.

Wreck Victim Still 'Critical'

A Salem youth, injured in a Tuesday motorcycle-bus accident, remained in critical condition at Salem General Hospital Thursday night, according to attendants.

The youth, Gerald Wright, 16, of 2320 Market St., was hurt when his cycle crashed into a school bus at Cherry Ave. and Plymouth Dr. The hospital said he has not yet regained consciousness.

A passenger riding with Wright, William Hilliker, 17, of 1206 Chemeketa St., was reported making rapid recovery from less serious injuries.

Exchange Student Program Granted To Willamette U.

An exchange-visitor program has been granted to Willamette University, it was disclosed Thursday.

The program will provide courses of study in various fields of instruction for qualified foreign students who have received scholarships or grants from the university, part-time employment under campus auspices, or grants awarded by private groups in the interest of international academic exchange.

In charge of the exchange-visitor program will be Mark Hatfield, dean of students, and Regina Ewalt, dean of women.

We wish to thank our many friends & relatives for their beautiful floral gifts, masses, and many other acts of kindness rendered us during our recent bereavement of the death of our beloved husband and brother Boyd.

Mrs. Victoria Madill
Mrs. L. K. Bruce
Mrs. W. G. Fisher
Raymond Mohler & family

Births

DORAN — To Mr. and Mrs. John Doran, Silverton Route 2, Box 75, a daughter, Thursday, Sept. 16, at Salem General Hospital.

BARTHOLOMEW — To Mr. and Mrs. William Bartholomew, 640 Winding Way, a daughter, Thursday, Sept. 16, at Salem General Hospital.

PERKINS — To Mr. and Mrs. Warren Perkins, 1396 Park Ave., a daughter, Thursday, Sept. 16, at Salem General Hospital.

DICKEY — To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dickey, Brooks Route 1, Box 64-A, a son, Thursday, Sept. 16, at Salem General Hospital.

MILLION — To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Million, 325 S. Winter St., a son, Thursday, Sept. 16, at Salem Memorial Hospital.

BACKA — To Mr. and Mrs. Walfred Backa, Salem Route 3, a son, Wednesday, Sept. 15, at Salem Memorial Hospital.

ECK — To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eck, 3380 Winola Ave., a son, Wednesday, Sept. 15, at Salem Memorial Hospital.

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