

# News Notes of Salem and Vicinity Briefly Told

## Coming Events

- \* Aug. 7—Public lecture \*  
\* I. B. S. A. in Derby build- \*  
\* ing at 2:30 p. m. \*  
\* Aug. 7—Veterans 162nd \*  
\* Infantry, Clackamas rifle \*  
\* range. \*  
\* Aug. 8—Wisconsin pic- \*  
\* nic. \*  
\* Aug. 8—Business men's \*  
\* luncheon, Commercial club \*  
\* Aug. 11-12—Evangelical \*  
\* camp meeting and conven- \*  
\* tion, Quincy. \*  
\* Aug. 31—Rotarian pic- \*  
\* nic, Wheatland ferry. \*  
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## Probate Court

Order appointing appraisers filed in the matter of the estate of Robert Weddle.  
Order appointing J. W. Hyett guardian of Zurelda J. Sparks, incompetent.

## Marriage Licenses

Casey J. Terbour, 23, Mt. Angel and Beatrice H. Butsch, 17, Mt. Angel.  
I. H. White, 26, Salem and Virginia B. Ritchie, 23, Salem.  
Love, the Jeweler, Salem.

Dan Tarpley has gone to Newport where he will spend a ten day vacation on the coast.

Have the Capital Journal sent to you during your vacation, please.

C. E. Albin, a former mayor of Salem, has sold his farm near Philomath and returned to the city to take up work with the Salem Tile and Mercantile company. Mr. Albin will live in his new home on North Cottage street.

New dance steps, 250 S. Cottage 186

Dr. R. E. Pomeroy, lieutenant in the naval reserve, has returned from a two weeks' training period spent on the U. S. destroyer No. 87.

Aid fashioned chicken dinner served all day Sunday, The Gray Belle. 187\*

A permit for the construction of a new Odd Fellows building here was issued today. The structure will cost approximately \$35,000 and will be used as an automobile terminal. The building has been leased by a Seattle company.

It's too warm to cook dinner tomorrow, take chicken dinner at the Gray Belle. 187\*

Dr. A. R. Andrews, veterinarian, has been appointed state humane officer for Marion county. He also will serve in Yamhill county on special occasions, according to the terms of his appointment.

A large assortment of French pastries fresh every day, made at The Gray Belle. 187\*

Members of the First Presbyterian church were guests of the Woman's Missionary society at the fair grounds last night for a picnic luncheon. The luncheon followed a business session of the missionary society earlier in the afternoon.

Roast or fried chicken dinner and all that goes with it, all day tomorrow at The Gray Belle. 137\*

J. C. Gardner, clerk at the Argo hotel who has been spending a month's vacation away from his duties, will return Monday to the hotel desk.

A group of students from O. A. C. arrived in the city last night on a tour of this part of the state to study poultry conditions and visited the state poultry farm. The two weeks' instruction trip is part of the regular course in poultry husbandry.

Major James S. Dusenbury, instructor for the Oregon coast artillery, will leave tomorrow to attend the coast artillery encampment in California.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Barnes of Eugene were in Salem over night.

J. G. Allen of Silverton was in the city today.

Information has been received from the headquarters of the 91st division association at Seattle that the annual picnic of that organization will be held there September 26. The association makes a request that a strong delegation be present from this county in order to make a bid for the annual convention of the association next year. A program of sports is being planned, the communication which was mailed to T. E. McCroskey, secretary of the commercial club, states.

Application for the certification of \$10,000 in bonds has been filed with the state irrigation securities commission by the Prescott drainage district covering approximately 400 acres of land near Goble in Columbia county. The money is to be used in the construction of a dike, pumps and outlet works for the district.

Two of the 428 industrial accidents reported to the industrial accident commission for the week ending August 4 were fatal, according to the summary prepared by the commission. The two workmen losing their lives in industrial accidents were Vernon Foster, logger, of Gaston and H. T. Lowe, logger, of Valseit.

Paul Wallace, C. A. Parks and William Walter went to Portland today to attend the tractor show.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Stone of Corvallis were in the city this morning.

William Pratt was a local visitor from Corvallis yesterday.

T. S. Woolson of Camas, Wash., has been in the city a couple of days.

Francis A. Moezer of Donald was in Salem this morning.

B. F. Smiley of Independence arrived in the city yesterday and registered for the evening at the Bligh.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Rondeau and family of Corvallis have been in the city over night.

E. P. Hull of Corvallis was in the city this morning.

Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Deane of Portland were in the city this morning. Dr. Deane is connected with the Painless Parker organization.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McGuire of Portland were in Salem today.

L. M. Hochstetter of Corvallis has been in Salem a couple of days.

His bicycle was stolen from the Y. M. C. A. about 8:30 o'clock last night, Edward Powell, 560 Chemeketa street, complained to the police last night.

Ross Harris, 624 North Capitol street, returned from Pacific City yesterday where he had been spending several days vacation. Monday he will leave for camp with the Salem boy scouts.

Only slight damage resulted yesterday evening when an automobile piloted by L. E. Wells, a state hospital employe, collided with the service car of the Great Western garage. Mr. Wells was moving south on Commercial street when the accident occurred.

His bicycle, reported lost, has been found and returned to him, Donald Hasler, 1284 North Front street, notified the police last night.

"I'm not worrying about what they do back in Washington," grinned E. C. Kirkpatrick of Dallas, as he checked out of the Imperial, climbed under the steering wheel and pointed the nose of his car toward the Pacific ocean, 110 miles away. "I filed an application for appointment as United States marshal, and I haven't followed it up with any endorsements. Both of the senators know me and know whether I am qualified for the position. Will I accept if the appointment is offered me? Certainly," and the former judge of Polk county "stepped on her"—Oregonian.

J. D. Taylor, Theodore Roth and their families, will spend the next few days at Pacific City on a short vacation.

Miss Mina Cook, a registered nurse, will return from Pacific City tonight ready to go with the boy scouts to their summer camp at McCredie Springs, where she will serve as camp nurse.

The body of Otto Greta, a berry picker who was found dead in his camp at the W. P. George farm Wednesday, was sent yesterday to Pasco, Wash., where his family resides. Greta has been traveling around the country for several years, camping wherever work presented itself, according to brothers who were here yesterday. The

Every city has one newspaper which, by universal consent, is the Want-Ad medium of the community. In Salem it's The Capital Journal.

body was sent through Rigdon & Son, local undertakers.  
Traveling in a veritable automobile mansion, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lenning of Los Angeles, Cal., are in the city for a short stay on a tour of the coast. They have been on the road from the southern city for about 10 weeks. The "house" is equipped with a gas range, wardrobes, a folding bed, cupboards, all enameled in white, and made homelike by curtains at the windows.

The first of a series of weekly contests is in progress at the Y. M. C. A. tank today among the boys of the association. Boys 12 years of age and under gathered at two o'clock, and those over that age will meet at four o'clock for events including races, dives for distance, under water swimming, and relay races. It is the plan of R. R. Boardman, new physical director, to vary the program for each week's event.

At a meeting of the Marion county Sunday school association officers last night at the Y. M. C. A. thanks were expressed by resolution to all those who assisted in making the Sunday school picnic July 23 the success that it was. Officers look forward to a greater picnic than ever next year.

Rev. Lind will preach in the Scandinavian church, 15th and Mill streets, Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse M. Shepherd of this city, accompanied by their two small children and Mr. Shepherd's father, E. Shepherd of Stayton, will leave Salem tomorrow by automobile for Crater Lake where they will spend their vacation.

George King of this city, arrived in Salem this afternoon to spend the week end visiting here.

Governor Ben Olcott went to Cannon Beach today and is spending the week end there with his wife and family.

L. R. LeFurgey returned Saturday from a week spent on his Monmouth orchard.

Kola Neiss, who has charge of disposing of surplus properties of the Phez company, spent Saturday in Salem.

Governor Olcott has gone to spend the week end with his family at Cannon Beach. Sunday he will dedicate the sea wall at Seaside.

Wisconsin picnic. The Wisconsin picnic will be held August 18 at the fair grounds. Basket dinner at noon. All Wisconsin people are urged to attend. 187

Major James F. Dusenberry, United States artillery officer attached to the office of the Oregon national guard, will go to Albany Monday to conduct examination of officers for the artillery units of the organization. He will return Tuesday and will go to California to instruct the guard of that state on 14 inch guns and 12 inch mortars.

Arthur Welsh, Clifton Ross, F. N. Toothacher and Walter Persons, postal carriers, are on their vacations. They have fifteen days leave exclusive of Sunday.

Dean George H. Alden of Willamette university has gone to Washington for publicity work in Vancouver, Tacoma, Seattle, Spokane and other northern points.

Rev. Dr. O. H. Holmes, of the First Congregational church at Walla Walla, Wash., is visiting with Prof. W. A. Kirk, an old friend. Dr. Holmes is well known in Salem having served at one time on the parole board of the state institutions. He arrived last night in the city for a short stay.

L. B. Davis of Corvallis was in the city this morning.

M. Wilhelm and family of Moore have been in the city over night.

Mrs. Iva Paterson of Marshfield arrived in the city this morning and registered at the Marion.  
'Bessie Christensen of Monmouth has been in Salem a couple of days.

O. E. Franke, formerly connected with the A. T. Barnes company of this city, passed through the city today on his way home to Newport where he is now engaged in the dry goods and men's furnishings business. He has been in Seattle at the buyers' week gathering there. He reports that the roads between here and Newport are in excellent shape at present for travel.

Miss Alice M. Waldron, recently school librarian of this city, is at present spending a vacation at the J. D. Smullin ranch near Mt. Hood. She has accepted a position as librarian at Reed College for the coming year.

## Minister of Oregon City Is Pugilist

Oregon City, Aug. 6.—When Rev. H. G. Edgar of the Seventh street Presbyterian church left on his trip to Seattle last week, his mind was only "mildly settled on the Japanese question, but should he be questioned now, he would be very emphatic in his denunciation of the race and probably stun you with his evident sincerity.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Woodbeck were motoring leisurely along the streets upon which the public market is situated in Seattle, when suddenly a huge truck, on the driving seat of which were two Japanese, swung directly in front of them and a serious accident avoided only by the quick handling of his own car by Mr. Edgar. Needless to say he was peeved enough at that but to make matters worse one of the Japs let Mr. Edgar and party have the full benefit of a rapid flow of Japanese language that sounded as though it meant something.

It was the last straw. Mr. Edgar jumped from the car, threw off his coat, rolled up his sleeves, saying that no Jap could talk like that to an American when he was around, and started toward the truck—but the Jap, true to his inheritance, was the quicker, rolling off of that truck like a ball, he raced down the side streets and all that Mr. Edgar could see of him was the soles and heels of his shoes.

## State Legion Deferred Action On Japanese Humanites Only Hope

Action on the Japanese question was deferred by the executive committee of the state department of the American Legion at its meeting in Portland yesterday according to information from headquarters of the Salem post here this morning.

If no action is taken by congress this fall, the state department of the Legion promises to initiate a law to the state legislature at its next session.

The duty of visiting men in the state institutions and supplying them with canteen articles will revolve on the shoulders of the local post here it was decided. It is expected that the women's auxiliary to the post will be active in the distribution of supplies while the post will bear the expense.

Abolishment of dues of disabled members of the post will be taken up at the next meeting of the local post. The matter was discussed by the executive committee yesterday making it optional with the different local posts as to their action.

The United States built 875 merchant ships of 2,941,845 gross tons during the war.

## Great Wheat Harvest On In Union Co.

La Grande, Or., Aug. 6.—Union county's wheat crop will exceed the million bushel mark instead of a total of 850,000 bushels as first estimated. The increase in bushels becomes evident with the arrival of wheat in the mills and warehouses. Harvesting is on in full blast, headers working everywhere and combines going in some instances. Binding is pretty well finished.

The increased total is brought about by a heavier fall wheat yield than had been anticipated, and the recent rain that added to the spring wheat situation. The rain helped much of the wheat recover from the stem maggot and what looked like almost total failure three weeks ago now looms up with 10 to 15 bushel prospects. This improvement in the spring wheat yield also boosted the county totals.

Another very encouraging fact developed at the mills and warehouses is that wheat coming in so far weighs full 60 pounds and in some instances a pound and a fraction more than that. This in itself is a very important item.

Notwithstanding the injured late spring wheat, and the small acreage in fall wheat, the yield is normal if a million bushels is the crop. The best yield the valley has ever given was a million and a quarter bushels, and that in a desirable year during the war when every available inch of soil was conscripted.

## Two Cars Damaged In Minor Crashes; Drivers Uninjured

Two automobiles were slightly damaged in two automobile accidents which occurred here yesterday evening. The drivers were unhurt.

I. H. Setton of Coaling, Cal., had police that while endeavoring to park his car on State street between Commercial and Liberty streets, an automobile which, according to the records, is owned by Chester C. Starr, of Salem, collided with his machine. Small damage resulted to the Starr car.

An automobile owned by W. S. Catton of route 1 which was parked in a driveway on High street between Ferry and State, was struck by a machine piloted by P. Anderson. The Catton car was damaged to a slight degree.

The Apple Growers' association at Hood River has let a contract for the construction of receiving and storage warehouses at Odell and Dee at an estimated cost of \$19,000.

## Distressed Humanites Only Hope



C. W. FIELD  
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Sunday, Aug. 7, at 2:30 p. m. Derby Bldg., Court and High

The message of the hour. Public Welcome

## Booth Tarkington's Book "Alice Adams"

Booth Tarkington's "Alice Adams" is a record of a girl's minor tragedies; the tragedy of a dance to a wall flower who was once a belle, the tragedy of a formal dinner in her shabby home with withering seconds for flowers, a bungling maid hired for the occasion and a father patently unaccustomed to a dress suit, the tragedy of brave, foolish, little deceptions to the man whom she seeks to attract, all these, though minor in the perspective of a life of time, are bitterly poignant to the young.

Alice lives in one of the middle western cities, lately overgrown towns, which Mr. Tarkington uses so often for settings. Attractive, pretty, almost beautiful, Alice is fighting hard to keep a place in the society of wealth and leisure which the city is rapidly developing. But it is a losing struggle. Her father, a kindly, simple doctor, is unable to give her a beautiful home of the influence and background which the other girls have. She cannot entertain nor dress as handsomely as her former schoolmates. The boys who thronged her front porch have become more sophisticated and her popularity has waned. Finally when the desirable stranger whom she has attracted discovers the pitiful little deceptions with which she has sought to camouflage her home life, and the family descends another step in the social scale by keeping roomers, Alice faces life squarely for the first time. With the same bright courage she sets out to do her share in winning the family bread and butter.

Although Alice overshadows the book, Mrs. Adams, the nagging wife who blames her husband for his failure and Walter, the impossible brother, are powerfully drawn.

Tarkington himself expresses the motif of the book thus: "Alice Adams is the story portrait of a family, taking family to express type—as in 'The Maguffin' and 'Ambergris'—with a predominant figure and one member of the family as dramatic subject, the 'hero' or 'heroine'. In this story I am still concerned with the great flux, the current of American life in which the families struggle, not knowing the floods and droughts themselves. The Adams are always partially submerged and get only a glimmer of the material prosperity for which families

struggle though they work thru to a spiritual emergency."

Whether or not the local players will oblige the coast town's manager, Hayes was unable to say this morning.

## Bandon Asks to Rent 9 Men of Local Ball Club

Bandon, Oregon, apparently has

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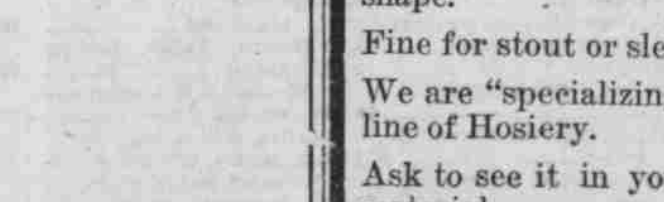
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