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From the fox holes of New Guinea, the fog-swept Aleutians, the hedge rows of Normandy and from the seven seas come letters of appreciation for the work of the Salem Cherrians in providing home town news for the boys in every branch of the armed services. The third issue of the "Salem Cherrian," a tabloid newspaper containing information concerning the folk at home, is now on its way to every serviceman from Marion county whose address is known to those in charge of the publication.

The letters started coming shortly after the first issue was distributed in every theatre of war. There has been no slackening off and King Bing Frank Chatas' mail continues to be well sprinkled with communications voicing the boys' thanks. "The biggest little paper in print," writes Thorne H. Hammond from the Mediterranean theatre, who adds that "issue No. 2 came aboard today many miles at sea when we made good our rendezvous with a supply ship."

War Correspondent Killed in Action

New York, Aug. 21 (AP)—Tom Treanor, war correspondent for the Los Angeles Times and the National Broadcasting company, has been killed on the road to Paris.

Advices to supreme headquarters in London said it was reported one other American correspondent had been killed and three wounded.

Treanor's death was announced from France by John MacVane, another NBC reporter, there who said the jeep in which Treanor was riding was run over by an American tank.

Treanor recently published a book of his experiences as a war correspondent, called "One Damned Thing After Another." He is survived by his widow, Eleanor Stimson Treanor, and their three children, Thomas, 10, Marshall 8, and Cordelia, 5.

Boys Grab off Doll Day Prizes

Doll day, an annual event on the Salem playgrounds, attracted 300 entrants on the seven neighborhood grounds Friday afternoon, with winners in the various classes awarded special prizes. An oddity of the competition was the fact that 10 prizes were carried off by boys. Next big attraction on the grounds, and the last for this year, is the pet day celebration planned for Friday of this week at 2:30 p. m., on the Leslie and Olinger playgrounds.

First prize winners in Friday's competition: At McKinley school—Mary Jane Mefford, Elsie May Ojien, Joan Barnes, Ina Randle, Max Pemberton, and Helen Grachsel.

At Washington school—Barbara Hennes, Bobby Brink, Shirley Campbell, Joan Lanke, Shirley Fee, Dabra Lamb, At Englewood school—Darlene Helfinkle, Judy Leserer, Shirley Ann Booster, Karen Johnson, Margie Lee Olson, Robert Pickering, and Patricia Ann Beal.

At Highland school—Lois Thomas, Barbara Young, Mildred Hagan, Marie Carbaugh, Sue Ellen Miller, Joanne Wood, and Jack Tach. At Grant school—Emma Jean Sadler, Joan Haukree, Lorraine Kenigge, Grace Stewart, and Maxine Brooks. At Richmond school—Sharon Heider, Mary Feike, Doug Rains, Orville Gemmill, and Harry Hendrickson.

At Bush school—Mary Young, Sandra Stonehecker, Julia Davis, Helen Joan Davis, Glend Strode, and Leone Strode.

The seven neighborhood grounds will close on Friday afternoon, September first, city playground director Gurnee Flesher reports, while the two pools, at Leslie and Olinger, will remain open through the Labor Day holiday.

Service Resumed By Airline Planes

Spokane, Aug. 21 (AP)—Resumption of northwest airline service between Portland and Spokane began yesterday. Mayor Earl Riley of Portland and a group of Portland businessmen were passengers on the initial flight.

Pvt. Pyles Dies In Battle

Independence, August 20—Word has been received here by Mr. and Mrs. George Earl Pyles of the death of their son, Pvt. Robert Carl Earl Pyles, who was killed in action in France on July 28.

This is the third Independence boy to make the supreme sacrifice while in action during this war. The other two were Sgt. Wilfred John Dingman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dingman, who was killed on Biak Island May 28, and Pvt. Leslie E. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Prather who lost his life in France on D-day, June 6. The parents all live on Seventh street only a few blocks apart.

Pvt. Pyles, who was 22 years of age last May, was born in Trinidad, Colo., and attended grade and junior high school in Clarksdale, Ariz. He enlisted in the service in September 1942 and was stationed in England for two months before going to France.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Earl Pyles; brothers Arthur, Harold and John, all of Independence, and two sisters, Mrs. H. Ross and Mrs. R. R. Ross, both of Flagstaff, Ariz.

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Johnston Talks About Russia

Vancouver, Wash., Aug. 21 (AP)—Eric Johnston, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, told a week-end meeting of the Washington state Junior Chamber of Commerce that the American and Russian people will have to work together in the postwar world.

Although we do not want their system of government in our country, Johnston said, "I believe in cooperation with them and long-term credits where they can be mutually worked out."

Johnston declared that the Russians were a good risk in the economic world and would not contract for anything they could not pay for.

"Industries in the Soviet union are operated by American machines, American methods and American assembly lines," Johnston said. Russia does not equal American production in man hours, however, because they are new to the game of production. He predicted that Russia will hit its stride in industrial production in 10-15 years.

Press Missed One Raid on Japanese

Seattle, Aug. 21 (AP)—An aircraft engineer for Boeing Aircraft company here, said today that the first attack ever carried out against the Japanese by American Superfortresses,

does not seem to have received much publicity.

The engineer, Joseph Zuber, Seattle, said that on his return from a 36,000-mile trip as technical observer on performance of the huge bomber, he found most people he talked to thought the June 15 raid on Japan was the first time the big planes had gone into action.

Actually, Zuber said, the raid on Japan was the second time Superfortresses had been on combat mission. The first, he said, was a 2,300 mile flight to bomb Bangkok, Siam, on June 5.

And Zuber said, the ground crews really sweated that one out. The temperature at the Superfort base was 135.

Two Injured in B-20 Crash Landing

Seattle, Aug. 21 (AP)—Two of six men aboard a B-20 Superfortress received slight injuries Saturday when the plane made a crash landing in Puget Sound near Redondo Beach. Boeing officials said the plane was on a "routine check flight."

Those aboard the plane, the company statement said, were J. A. Johnson, pilot; Frank Yager, co-pilot; Harold G. Buffington, Stanley J. Elliott, George F. Stein, all of the Boeing company, and J. D. Peterson, representative of the Bendix Aviation corporation. Which two were injured was not disclosed.

Turner Man Wounded

Washington, Aug. 21 (AP)—Oregon navy personnel casualties: Cpl. Robert H. Kralceck, U. S. marine corps, wounded. Father, Jerry Kralceck, Turner.

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Salem Marines Dead in Action

Lieut. William Shellhorn and Cpl. Edward E. Ames, the latter reported missing in action since June 23, have been officially killed in action in the South Pacific area. Both were members of the marines corps.

Lieut. Shellhorn, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shellhorn, of Marinette, Wis., had been overseas since October, 1943. He was married to Martha Getzendaner, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Getzendaner, at San Diego, Calif., last September. Mrs. Shellhorn resides here with her parents and is employed by the Marion county welfare commission.

Cpl. Ames was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ames, route 6.

Warning Cars to Go Ahead of Trucks

Coquille, Aug. 21 (AP)—The Coos County Livestock Shippers' association will send special warning cars ahead of its large trucks on the coast highway in compliance with an order of the state agriculture director, County Agent George Jenkins reports.

Two Donate Blood

Pleasantdale—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Launer and Mrs. Ivan Gubser were the blood donors from Pleasantdale at the Yamhill county Red Cross headquarters in McMinnville Thursday.

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