

Local Paragraphs

Miss Your Paper? — If the Capital Journal carrier fails to leave your copy please phone 22406 BEFORE 6 P. M. and a copy will be delivered to you.

Taft Calls Team — The ritualistic team of Capital Post No. 9 and Capital unit of the American Legion will have charge of installation of the new officers of the Taft post at the Legion hall at Taft Wednesday night. Officers of the state department are also expected to attend. Veryl Hoover, Nelscott, is commander of the new post.

Rotary Program — Reynolds Allen of Shangri La Mission fame, will show motion pictures taken during that war time expedition to members of the Salem Rotary club Wednesday noon.

Salem Heights Graduation — The Salem Heights public school will conduct its graduation program in the community hall at 8 o'clock Wednesday night.

St. Ambrose Graduate — John J. Toohy of Salem is listed among the 153 seniors who will be graduated from St. Ambrose college, Davenport, Iowa, next Sunday. Guy M. Gillette, U.S. senator from Iowa, will deliver the commencement address.

To Meet Thursday — Marion county chapter of the National Infantile Paralysis foundation is to meet Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic building, room 206.

Lost Purse — Minnie Sternberg, 1145 E. Rural, reported to Salem police that her purse, containing \$10 had been taken Monday night.

Plates Stolen — Robert O. Mickel, M. Angel, reported to Salem police that the license plates from his car had been removed.

Attends Memorial — Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith, 195 S. 24th, joined the Fleet of Roses tour at Depot Bay on Memorial day in memory of their son Arthur who was lost on submarine duty during the war. The son saw service as a torpedoman.

Sneak Thief Operate — Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brock, 845 Hines, reported to Salem police Tuesday morning that a sneak thief had reached in their bedroom window while they were asleep and taken a purse and wallet. The purse contained \$2 in cash and a driver's license for Jessie S. Carter while the wallet contained \$10.

Townsend Club — Townsend Club No. 4 will meet at the E. H. Earl home, 2225 N. 4th street, at 7:30 Wednesday night.

Bath Resort Licensed — The county court has issued a license to Otto R. and Sarah K. Nation to operate a bathing resort at Paradise Island on the Salem-Turner road.

Hearing Set — The county court has set June 12 at 10 a.m., standard time, as date for continuation of the hearing on vacation of a portion of Sunnyside Fruit farms.

Peter Loans Paul — A county court order authorizes a loan of \$20,000 from the county general road fund to the market road fund, necessitated by tax collections being insufficient to care for emergency road work caused by last winter's freezing. A loan of \$30,000 from the same fund was made to carry the work up to March 1 and will be restored to the general road fund as moneys become available.

Information Sent — County Clerk Harlan Judd has received from the interior department at Washington a large packet of new information as to various passport regulations which will be available to anyone interested in taking a trip abroad. Clerk Judd says that passport applications have been unusually numerous this summer.

Board Ends Hearings — The county equalization board which organized for hearings May 9 adjourned sine die for the year Monday. Only one matter was presented to it and that was withdrawn before it came to the hearing stage. The board hears protests against assessed valuations.

Building Permits — James Madsen, to alter a one-story dwelling at Victory Circle, \$150. T. J. White, to build a one-story dwelling at 2114 Broadway, \$3500. B. W. Bunn, to repair a two-story dwelling at 1085 North 18th, \$50. P. W. Harcourt, to build a one-story dwelling at 1905 North 20th, \$7000. V. I. Clutter, to re-roof a one-story dwelling at 1920 Waller, \$45. Salem Woodworking company, to build a store at 1225 Cross, \$1000. Ralph Wright, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 1170 Evergreen, \$9500.

BORN

The Capital Journal Welcomes the Following New Citizens:
VARNER—To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Varnier May 27 at Williston, a son.
McCALL—To Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCall, June 1, 301 30th, Astoria, a son, May 19, at Salem Memorial hospital.
WILLIS—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Willis, 2485 Hill Drive, a son, May 21, at Salem Memorial hospital.

Studio Makes Filing—Certifies assumed business name for Santiam Studio, Stayton, has been filed with the county clerk by R. H. Stamey and M. K. Swisher, both of Stayton. The studio does a photographic business.

Guest Informant Pictures Hotels

A book publicizing Salem pictorially and editorially all over the west is to be a project of Pacific Hotel Publications, Inc., whose representatives, S. L. Simons and Don W. Knapp, arrived here today. The book, extensively bound and printed in colors will, among other places, be placed in every room and suite in 150 of the finest hotels on the coast, also in the lounge cars of five railroad systems, and with five airline systems.

The railroads are Southern Pacific, Union Pacific, Chicago & Northwestern, Rock Island and Santa Fe. The airline systems are TWA, Pan American Western Air, Southwest Airlines, and United Airliner which is to be added.

The book, covering Salem as a number of other cities have been covered in the last 10 years, carries the title "Guest Informant."
Mr. Knapp, who lives in Portland, will be the permanent representative in this area. About two weeks will be needed to assemble the Salem material.

Libians to Fight Return to Italy

Tripoli, May 31 (AP)—The one-eyed Mufti of Libya says he would lead his more than 700,000 Moslem followers in a fight to death if the United Nations re-impose Italian rule over Tripolitania.

"It would not be another Palestine," the 70-year-old sheik Mohammed Bulas Ad El Alem said in an interview. "We would never leave the battlefield alive."

Rioting broke out here recently while the UN assembly in New York was deliberating over a British-Italian plan to cut Italy in on a split-up of the African empire Mussolini lost in war.

The assembly finally put over the question until its fall session and the former colonies remain under British military administration.
The Libian Mufti said the Tripolitanian Moslems have cached arms they got during the war both from Montgomery's famous British 8th Army and Rommel's defeated Afrika korps.

Emigh Talks on Baseball Features

George Emigh, business manager of the Salem Senators, outlined the "good and bad" features of the national pastime Tuesday for members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

On the good side of the picture, Emigh said baseball provided jobs for thousands of persons both directly and indirectly. He cited the fact that there were more than 6000 professional players in the game today for the largest number in the history of the sport.

Emigh also pointed to the spread of baseball to Japan, Canada, Mexico, Cuba and other islands.

On the bad side of the sport, the business manager pointed to the Durocher incidents and others which have given the sport unfavorable publicity.

Building construction under Eire's housing acts is becoming active.

Special on dry plainer ends and block wood. Highway Fuel. 130*

For Sale: 1948 Nash "600", perfect cond. Eddie Ahrens, Rt. 2, Box 61A, Turner. 129

Bruchman's Breitenbush Springs are now open. Call 21644 for information. 132*

The office of David M. Nyberg & Co., accountants, will be closed from June 1 to June 15. 130*

Dr. L. B. Warnicker Dentist is now associated with the Dr. Painless Parker office, 125 N. Liberty St., Salem. Ph. 36825 *

Auction tonight, Glenwood Ballroom, 4 miles north of Salem. 129*

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Holiday Claims 8 Oregon Lives

The long Memorial Day weekend holiday claimed eight lives in Oregon.
Three died in highway crashes. Three were drowned. Logging equipment crushed a youth at play, and a toddler choked to death on a crayon while visiting his grandparents' home.

Arthur E. Demning, 40, Prineville Lumber company employe, and his 8-year-old nephew, James Racher, were drowned in the Ochoco reservoir yesterday. Demning was stunting a boat, which overturned when he turned sharply. His widow and an unidentified visitor from Portland clung to the side of the boat and were rescued.

The body of Robert Andrew Loveace, 19, Glide, was taken from the Umpqua river late last night. It was found 80 feet from the junction of the turbulent Umpqua and Little rivers. The youth had been fishing from a rock on the Little river and was seen tumbling into the stream rapids Sunday.

Three-year-old Johnny Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Baker, route 1, Veneta, died yesterday after shoving a crayon into his mouth. John Gamble, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gamble, route 1, Loran, was crushed when a piling loader frame fell backwards and pinned him down. Two other boys were playing with him near his home yesterday.

Killed previously in the highway accidents were W. D. Hedge, 61, Portland; John Eldridge, 19, Eugene, and Leonard P. Larsen, 28, Yamhill.

Past Presidents of Kiwanians Ribbed

Past presidents of the Salem Kiwanis club came in for some good natured ribbing during the weekly luncheon of the organization Tuesday noon. Attired in school boy clothing each ex-president had a bit of his history revealed by Ward Davis, president officer while Father George L. O'Keefe presented each with a gift.

Bill Braun was presented with a wig to cover his bald pate while Guy Hickok, manager of the Salem branch of the First National bank, was recipient of a coin bank from the United States banks. Other gifts were as timely and appropriate. Former presidents recognized in addition to those mentioned were Ben Ramseyer, Rev. George Swift, Henry Morris, W. W. Chadwick, Tommy Tomlinson, Fred Klaus, Phil Schnell, W. W. McKinney, Col. Phil Allison, Ted Medford and Frank B. Bennett.

The Armstrong school of dancing provided entertainment early in the luncheon.

Silver Falls Lodge Open daily from 12 to 8, beginning Sunday, May 29, for summer season. 129*

ALL ACCORDION CONCERT 8:15 p.m., June 7th, Leslie Jr. High School Auditorium. Public invited. 132

Working mother with two daughters, age 4 and 5, wants room and board. Ph. 39065. 129*

Auction tonight, Glenwood Ballroom, 4 miles north of Salem. 129*

Time to install that air cooler for home - office - store. Judson's, 279 N. Com'l. 129*

Dance Wed. over Western Auto. Dick Johnson Orch. 129

Let Reinholdt & Lewis show you the many advantages of the nationally advertised, easy to clean, Flexalium Metal Slat used exclusively in Salem Venetian Blinds. Phone 2-3639. 129*

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Sunday School Class Honors Jason Lee

Members of the Methodist Jason Lee Sunday school class assembled at the Grave of Jason Lee in the Lee Mission cemetery (at left) to decorate the grave of a distinguished pioneer and the father of Methodism in the Oregon country. Lee's tombstone has recently been removed by vandals and cross of roses contributed by members of the Sunday school marks the site of his grave. Rev. Lewis Kirby, pastor, assisted by Mrs. Lee Haskins, Sunday school teacher, conducted and supervised the services. Jason Lee and his missionary assistant served in Oregon from 1834 to 1844. Lee died at Stanstead, Canada, March 2, 1845. His remains were reinterred in Lee Mission cemetery June 15, 1906.

Must Notify West Refuses

2. Denied Dawn L. Allen, an unmarried mother, a hearing on her efforts to recover her two-year-old son from a Tappahannock, Va. couple who adopted him. The mother claimed that before the baby was born, and while she was in "a state of emotional agitation" an agreement to the adoption was obtained "by duress and coercion."
3. Refused to reconsider its recent action upholding the conviction of two men for offering bribes to New York Giant pro football players. The pair, Harvey Stemmer and David Krakower, were sentenced in New York to prison terms of 5 to 10 years each.
4. Cancelled an \$80,000 award made to the Penn Foundry and Manufacturing company, Inc., of Waynesboro, Va., because of a broken wartime contract with the navy. The case, decided 7-2, hinged on a letter to the company notifying it that it had been given a \$2,087,555 contract for gun mounts and a telegram received the same day saying the notification was a mistake.
5. Agreed to review a national labor relations board order requiring the Colgate-Palmolive-Peet company to reinstate 37 employees discharged from a Berkeley, Calif., plant on demand of a CIO union which claimed they favored a rival AFL union.

Hal Grayson, Ex-Band Leader Back in Jail

Hollywood, May 31 (AP)—Hal Grayson, who once earned \$5,000 a week as a big time band leader, is back in jail again today for the umpteenth time for drunkenness.

Grayson is just five days out of a county jail camp after serving seven months on drunk charges.
Yesterday—on his 41st birthday—he was arrested after he shoved his fist through a window at his aunt's house trying to get in.

COURT NEWS

Robert R. Hart vs. Francis R. Martin application for trial.

Marjorie Albersson vs. Margaret McDuffie, demurrer by defendant to complaint.

Ruth vs. Morris Johnson, answer admitting and denying and asking that plaintiff pray for divorce be denied.

Nancy M. vs. Floyd H. Edmunds, divorce decree to plaintiff, custody of child to plaintiff with \$30 a month for support and authority to remove child to state of New York. Disposition made as to personal property.

Anna M. Bennett vs. Pacific Greyhound Lines and Journal Garage company, damage action for \$7000 general and \$1000.00 special damages, on trial before a jury in Judge George H. Duane's court arising out of an accident on the Pacific highway south of Salem Nov. 3, 1947. This is one of a series of actions arising out of the accident in which two people lost their lives and several sustained injuries.

Waste highway commission vs. O. C. Dale and others, petition of defendant C. L. Ambler to make complaint more definite and certain.

Probate Court
Eva Bryant estate, under allowing sale of real property.

Christie M. Bane estate valued at \$3000. Sissy Kowals named executrix and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bane and Jessie Wasserman appellants.

District Court
Lazarevo Lazare E. Johnson, Oregon City, and Edward Heide, Mikalia pleaded general, preliminary examination set for June 15, held on 1330 hall each.

Marriage Licenses
Howard E. Hicks, 32, car salesman, and Elizabeth Day McKinnon, 24, housekeeper, both Salem.

Thelma Nathan Booker, 19, laborer, and Grace Ann Sparks, 17, student, both 9, both Salem.

V. J. Woodruff, 33, state printer, and Marie E. and A. King, 24, housewife, both 10, both Williston.

Lucia A. Schmitt, 30, farmer's daughter, and Alice Jacobi, 41, teacher, both 4, Williston.

Awards Made At Senior High

Awards and scholarships having a monetary value estimated at \$23,000 were distributed during the final senior class assembly of Salem high school early Tuesday afternoon. Principal E. A. Carleton announced the awards while Phil Ringle, class president, presided.
The list of awards included: Joseph H. Albert prize, Gerald Brog; Bush & Lomb honor science award, Roger Smith; Nelson social science cup, Donald Young; Nelson memorial fund, Diane Perry, John Rockefeller; American Legion Auxiliary history award, John Rockefeller; senior home economics, Una Mae Grayless, Maxine Hensen; senior band and orchestra, Deryl Peters, Phil Ringle; Civics club, Peggy Meyers; Girls Letter club, Peggy Meyers; Commercial club, Bernice Wedmore; "S" club, Bruce MacDonald; SNAK citizenship, Leah Case; SNAK Dramatic society, Marjorie Ogle, Jack Byers; Woodworking club, Calvin Pearsall; Sorority club, Marilyn Quamme; Radio and Electronics, George Noakes; Lena Belle Tartar award, Virginia Benner.

Berlin Situation

Berlin, May 31 (AP)—East German communists threw a cloak of mystery today about their timetable for eastern Germany.

"There is no necessity to establish an east German state," Prof. Hermann Kastner, head of the newly chosen people's council, told a reporter. "Even if there were such an idea it would certainly not be discussed now, while the foreign ministers are meeting in Paris and trying to reach an agreement on the unification of Germany."
The communist-led people's congress yesterday adopted a Soviet-type constitution claiming to speak for all this country. These 400 members of a people's council to serve as a government, including in the list Gerhart Eisler, communist fugitive from America who has not been here since Nazi days. Kastner was named co-president of the council.

Kastner, who heads a splinter party of liberal democrats, described the east German constitution as "only a draft." The constitution has been viewed as Russia's answer to the west German constitution ratified by the states of the three western occupation zones.

"It is not a constitution which will become formally effective," Kastner added. "It is a product of an ideological and political trends in the Soviet zone and is what we think the new democratic Germany should look like. It is our contribution to the unification of Germany and not intended for any one part."

Westerners had expected Russia would race the allies in setting up a rival republic in the east when it became apparent that four-power control of all Germany could not be revived. West Germany is expected to have a functioning government by mid-July. The proposal of the west that the western constitution be extended to all Germany has been rejected by the Russians in Paris, but the Russians have not yet introduced their eastern German constitution.

Complain Russians Insulted Yugoslavs

Belgrade, Yugoslavia, May 31 (AP)—The official communist party newspaper, Borba, complained bitterly today that the Russians insulted Yugoslavia, her national anthem and her premier, Marshal Tito.

The newspaper said soviet representatives at memorial services for a Red army soldier at Lazarevo failed to salute when the Yugoslav anthem was played and sat down when the audience chanted praise of Tito, who has been denounced by the communist parties outside Yugoslavia.

Borba said this was a practice the Russians did not employ even against capitalist countries.

Columbia Water

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Meantime Rep. Stockman (R-Ore) called attention to a statement by Assistant Secretary W. E. Warne of the interior department saying he visualized "the climbing of the ladder to the north" until at last the Columbia river may be reached in getting water for southern California.

Missing Convicts

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Meanwhile, Penitentiary Warden George Alexander is conducting an investigation to find how saw blades and wrenches were smuggled into the convicts in their detention unit cells.
Pinson and Benson had been placed in the "bull pen" as punishment for previous escape attempts, and were not allowed to mingle with other prisoners or work in the prison shops.
Alexander believes the tools used in the escape came from one of the prison shops. He suspects that a guard or inmate smuggled them in to the detention unit.

Question Asked
Alexander also is pondering over the question, "Why did Pinson and Benson escape together?"
The warden states that the apparently did not know each other before entering prison, and did not associate closely with each other during their stay at prison.

"Pinson is a quiet guy, never talked to anybody very much," Alexander said this morning.

It is obvious that Pinson aided his escape-partner in making the break. Two bars were sawed off of Pinson's cell, and the lock of Benson's cell was opened from the outside with a wrench.

This would indicate that Pinson freed himself from his cell first, then took time to pry the lock on Benson's cell, instead of making a run for it himself.

The two made their way up from the prison basement, across the yard, and climbed the south wall, with the aid of a plank, unnoticed. They were first spotted as they went over the top of the wall. A guard fired five shots at them, but it is not certain if he hit one of them or not.

The two criminals were fleeing across the outer prison yard, heading toward town, when the guard lost sight of them. No one has caught even a glimpse of them since.

Jaycees to Improve Bush Pasture Park

Ed Linden, chairman of the Junior Chamber of Commerce plans to improve a section of Bush pasture for a city park system, called Tuesday for the start of a work program on Saturday afternoon.

Volunteers from the Jaycees were asked to start work on Pringle Creek on Saturday afternoon at one o'clock.

Tuesday night meetings of the organization will be devoted to the work program.

Resumed After 23 Years

Abandoned in 1926 when a hurricane caused defaults on pledges, work has started again on the University of Miami's main classroom building.

City '49 Budget Up Only \$89,296

The Salem city budget for 1949-1950 will actually exceed the budget of the current year by only about \$89,296, J. L. Franzen, city manager, said Tuesday.

Franzen explained that an act of the recent legislature permits cities to borrow on short term loans from banks, on the same basis as school districts are permitted to borrow, funds to bridge over the gap between time of spending and time of collecting tax money or street improvement assessments, or money from any other source of collection.

Under this act of the legislature it is required that the street improvement estimate be shown in the city budget, although it is not actually a part of the budget, since the source of the fund is assessment against a building property. For the coming year this is estimated at \$198,000, which, with a normal increase of some \$89,296 gives the total budget the appearance of exceeding the old budget by more than \$280,000.

The estimated new budget totals \$1,658,355.29, and the budget of the present year was \$1,370,059.35.

Of the normal increase \$77,000 is accounted for by the 3-mill tax levy voted by the people to reduce working hours and add to personnel of the fire department.

MILITARY MEN AND VETERANS

Tuesday, May 31
Military law classes for regular army and army reserve personnel at Willamette University Law school. Subject: "Composition and Jurisdiction of Courts Martial Procedure before Trial." Instructors: Lt. Col. Eugene Laird and Lt. Col. Francis Wade.

Wednesday, June 1
Organized Naval Air Reserve unit at Naval and Marine Corps Reserve training center.

Thursday, June 2
Salem chapter No. 6, DAV at Salem Women's clubhouse.

Organized Naval Reserve surface unit at Naval and Marine Corps Reserve training center.

Salem Air Reserve composite unit at Army Reserve quonset huts on Lee street. Discussion of new Air Reserve program.
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Scholarships: University of Oregon, Dorothy Govig, Mary Swigart; Oregon State college, Martha Durham, Marjorie MacGregor, Barbara Spagle, Donald Young; Oregon State college, F. F. A. Gerald Brog; Salem Rotary at Willamette university, Joyce Edgell, Paul Jewell; Willamette university, Phil Ringle, Marilyn Quamme, Joyce Kirby, Sue McElhinny; Lions club to C.O.C., Catherine Persons; Lincoln college, Mary Ruth Dowd; NROTC, Dick Fuhr, James Cooke; U. S. naval academy, Michael Kaye; Whittier college, Almeta Gilbert; Rudolph Schaeffer School of Design, Darlene Engdahl; Sears Roebuck foundation, Alberta Fern; A. F. of L., Phil Johnson; Oregon College of Education, Alta Hadeney; Mills college, Martha Jane Percy; Yale university, Bruce MacDonald.

Housing Drive

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Democratic leaders were reported to have given the rules group until tomorrow to clear the housing bill for house action. That group shelved similar legislation last year. It has had the new measure for about two weeks, without acting.

Action Promised
Mitchell said Banking Chairman Spence (D, Ky.) has promised public hearings on his mid-income housing bill when the controversy over the administration's housing measure is cleared.

He conceded, however, that it may be too late to obtain passage this year. "But," he added, "the ground can be prepared for early action next year." The measure proposes direct low-rate, 60-year loans for housing construction by corporatives, limited housing associations and mutual dividend corporations.

One will determine the most practical and advantageous use of the water resources of the Klamath river.

The other will determine the economic and engineering possibilities of "supplying badly needed water to California and possibly to portions of the great basin and the Colorado river basin from surplus waters of the Columbia river and possibly other northwest streams."

He said it will be several years before the studies are completed.

The assistant secretary said there is no immediate proposal to export Klamath river water to the Central valley and no such proposal is expected in the near future.

