

# Local Paragraphs

**District Meeting**—A district meeting of Kiwanis clubs from Oregon, Washington and British Columbia will be held in Salem, October 28. It is possible the prime minister of British Columbia and the governors of Washington and Oregon will be in attendance. All are Kiwanians.

**Attends Cleaning School**—Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Gardner are in Silver Springs, Md., where Mr. Gardner, who is connected with Thriftway Cleaners in Salem, is attending a three-months dry cleaning school sponsored by the National Institute of Cleaners & Dyers. They expect to be home on Christmas day. This is said to be the only school of its kind in the United States.

**Fire Alarm False**—A fleet of fire trucks dashed to Fairview home Tuesday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock. The alarm proved to have been caused by the accidental tripping of the alarm system in one of the buildings in which a "short" occurred. The accident may have been caused, it was said, by the installation of a loud speaker system which was in progress.

**McKennon to New York**—Frank McKennon, chief of the state division of plant industry, will be in New York the week of October 10 to preside over the annual meeting of the National Association of marketing officials. He was elected president at its convention in Portland last year. In New York, McKennon will study the condition of Oregon products when they arrive at eastern markets.

**Quits Station**—A. W. Amundson has filed with the county clerk his notice of retirement from Stop-Lite Richmond Service station which he has been conducting with Carl Halvorson as a partner.

**Finish Oiling**—The county oiling crew Tuesday completed the program for the summer with the exception of a few minor patching jobs that will take care of a small amount of surplus oil left on hand. Commissioner Roy Rice estimates about 60 miles of roads were either patched, rebuilt, repaired or rescaled with a very small amount of new construction such as the 25th street extension into the airport, the road into the west side of the airport and a few hundred feet near West Stayton virtually all paid for by someone else than the county. Rains brought a sudden halt to the county striping program Wednesday.

**Signs Ordered**—The county court Wednesday ordered signs made for the new speed zone on South 12th street ordered by the speed control board which set a 40 mile per hour limit between the city limits and Fairview. At each end of the zone two signs will be installed, one calling attention to traffic it is approaching a restricted speed zone and the other that the limit is 40 miles per hour.

**Detroit Man Ill**—Ray Johnson, of the Detroit Telephone company, is hospitalized here for stomach ulcers. He was brought to the Salem Memorial hospital by ambulance over the week-end.

**Woman Escapes**—City police listed a 46-year-old woman Wednesday as an escapee from the Oregon State hospital. She was identified as Ida Williams, five feet, one inch tall and weighing 110 pounds.

**Vandalism Reported**—Peter Drasdorf, 229 North Commercial, reported to Salem police that a spotlight on his car had been damaged beyond repair by vandals who attempted to steal it.

**Tools Taken**—Howard Smith, City Ice Works, reported to Salem police that a saw, brace and bit had been taken from an un-locked shed by thieves. The tools were valued at \$17.50.

**Jefferson Woman Hurt**—Mrs. Kenneth Ellis, 30-year-old Jefferson housewife, is in Portland for treatment of injuries received when her clothing caught in a tractor she was operating near her home. Mrs. Ellis, who was pulled a short distance on the ground, received right shoulder and vertebrae fractures.

**Yell Squad Named**—Among the 11 students at Linfield college at McMinnville who will assist Jack Blum, yell king, are Mary Ruth Dowd, Salem, and Jean Effenberg, Dallas.

**Stayton Man Held**—Ernest Rhodes, 28, of Stayton, Rt. 1, is being held in the Linn county jail in lieu of \$500 bail after arraignment in justice court at Albany on a charge of allegedly receiving and concealing a stolen portable power saw. He has been given until Friday to arrange for counsel. The saw, valued at \$135, reportedly was stolen from the West Scio Planing mill.

**Preparing to Move**—Bligh Billiards, operated by Alfred Fox in the Bligh building on State street, is preparing to move to 241 North Commercial, which is to be vacated by Capital Hardware & Furniture company. The space in the Bligh building will be taken over by a large mercantile company. Fox expects to vacate about October 15, and is required to be out by October 22. The transactions were negotiated by Burt Picha Realtors.

**Building Permits**—H. G. King, to reroof a garage at 1770 South Liberty, \$50. A. G. Hamilton, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 2780 Bonesteel avenue, \$7000. A. G. Hamilton, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 2790 Bonesteel avenue, \$7000. Lillian M. Ritter, to repair a porch at 385 Taylor, \$50. Murray Wade, to reroof a 1 1/2-story dwelling at 852 North Liberty, \$150. Donald C. Reed, to alter a 1 1/2-story dwelling at 2285 North Liberty, \$200. Mary Miles, to reroof a garage at 454 North 17th, \$50.

**Leave Salem Memorial**—Dismissed from Salem Memorial hospital, all with newborn sons, were: Mrs. Wilbur Trippe, 1630 Jefferson street. Mrs. Kenneth King, 2280 North Commercial, Mrs. Lee Baldwin, 1210 South 18th, Mrs. Harry Obermann, route 8, box 853, West Harold Moffett, 1242 Sixth, West Salem, and Mrs. Baker Berry, 767 North Liberty. Leaving with infant daughters were Mrs. David Dunway, 670 North Summer and Mrs. Peter Kirk, of Newberg.

**Cranes in Flight**—Four very large cranes flying north over Salem attracted attention Tuesday. They were reported by Richard Castle, a visitor here from Iowa who thinks they were half a mile high and flying rapidly. They were in formation. Mr. and Mrs. Castle are at the home of Mrs. Castle's mother, Mrs. Sadie Henderson, 1309 South Liberty.

**Mrs. Inlah Home**—Mrs. Lawrence Inlah, Rt. 1, Box 535, and infant son, were dismissed from the Salem General hospital Wednesday morning.

**To Haul Logs**—Maurice D. More and Boyd L. Hilton, Jefferson, have been granted a permit by the county court to haul logs.

**License Approved**—The county court has approved a beer license for Dallas and Una Driskill, route 1, Jefferson.

**Quick service!** Have prescriptions in one day, made by prescription of your optometrist at Semple Optical Offices, Waters-Adolph Bldg., State and Commercial, Phone 3-3311. 231\*

**Garage for rent, 585 S. Com'l, 236\***

**Cannery workers attention: Regular meeting Hall 670 Wed. Sept. 28, 8 p.m., Hall 1, Labor Temple. 231\***

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## School Staff Shy 1 Teacher

With the hiring of three elementary teachers Superintendent Frank B. Bennett announced during Tuesday night's school board meeting that his staff for the year is completed with one exception. The exception is an instructor in the special education department. New teachers hired are Dorothy Barlow, Mrs. Raymond A. Withey, Jr. and Gladys Bartholomey.

Cooperating in the movement for better drainage in the Capitola district, the board agreed to give an easement 17 feet wide along the western boundary of its property which contains the new Washington grade building.

Widening of Lansing avenue from 40 to 60 feet is agreeable to the school district which Tuesday night agreed to give a 10-foot strip along the Capitola property.

Boundary lines between the new Washington grade building and the recently annexed Hayesville district were designated while a slight shift was made in the dividing line between Bush and Richmond.

The superintendent was authorized to keep a member of the administrative staff on duty at the school office building each Saturday forenoon. The administrative staff operates on a five day basis.

A number of pupil transportation matters were up for consideration.

**Local Firm Files**—Articles of incorporation for Coast Production company have been filed with the county clerk by J. Ray, Agnes and George A. Rhoten with principal office in Salem to handle goods, wares and merchandise of all kinds. Capital stock is placed at \$50,000.

**Book Shelf Listed**—Certificate of assumed business name for the Book Shelf rental library, 370 1/2 State street, has been filed with the county clerk by Margaret Drager, 776 Shipping street.

**Given Pole Permits**—Portland General Electric company has been granted county court permits to extend pole lines on Nile avenue and also on an unnamed road in Ewald Fruit farms from its junction with Salem Heights avenue.

**Get Marriage Licenses**—Obtaining marriage licenses at Vancouver, Wash., were Kenneth B. Griffin and Crystal Kirkwood, both of Salem; Aquapit S. Curpuz, Brooks, and Annabelle Elgin, Salem; Earl E. LaBranch and Ann V. Barton, both of Salem; Albert G. Smith and Nadine L. Bradshaw, both of Salem; Cecil A. Gross, Sheridan, and DeLore J. Hesser, Paramount, Calif.; and George D. Schriner and Mabel N. Good, both of Sheridan. A license was issued in Portland to Ronald L. Swan, Portland, and Colleen I. Shelton, Seio.

**Clark to Talk**—Prof. Herman Clark of Willamette university will address members of the West Salem Lions club at 8:30 Wednesday evening at the city hall on the subject "Dead Animals and Live Problems."



# Shift of Wind Eases Forest Fire Danger

Dallas, Ore., Sept. 28—Shift of the wind from the southwest Tuesday brought an end to immediate danger from the dozens of slashing fires that threatened green timber and relief to more than 1000 men engaged in fighting fire throughout the area controlled by the Polk-Benton forest service district.

Light rain began falling shortly before midnight and rapidly increased humidity beyond the prevalent danger point.

Early reports as to both the extent and loss by the fires were exaggerated and the damage very slight. It was declared today by W. M. Curtis of Dallas, district warden for the Polk-Benton area. Curtis, who has had only five hours sleep since Sunday, has been constantly on one or another of the numerous fire fronts.

"The low overcast with its moisture definitely has quieted all existing fires and none are spreading," he said today. The warden pointed out that the condition could change quickly with a return of adverse conditions. Curtis said he planned to get a few hours sleep before starting to definitely determine the territory covered by the fires.

Despite what he calls "wild stories," there has been surprisingly little loss of green timber, no casualties and none of the fire fighters seriously injured. Neither has there been a loss of major equipment though the forestry service has lost some hose.

Most exaggerated of the fires is that of the Long-Bell company in the Grand Ronde district. There a little green timber was burned and a few seed blocks damaged. Several hundred men were on the lines where burning started last week on 2400 acres of logged off land.

Several families in the Pioneer district near Dallas were preparing to move out of the danger zone with evacuation halted by both the Roy Woodman and Sydney Hanson homes by the shift in wind. On the east side of the district fire was stopped within a few feet of the home occupied by Johnny Keller, Jr., and family.

With the changed conditions Governor Douglas McKay is expected to recall a modified postponement of deer hunting in virtually all of western Oregon which was issued late Tuesday.

Between 25 and 50 million board feet of timber has been lost in all Oregon fires during the last few days, it is estimated by a bureau of land management forester here.

More than 80 persons evacuated in Yamhill county Monday were preparing to return today. Five cottages were burned and it is believed several small logging camps and a few small firemen have been destroyed. Sawnmills saved several small communities that were threatened.

Several hundred volunteers fought fires west of McMinnville, most of them in the Pea Vine canyon. One large logging camp is reported destroyed in that area.

Largest fire in Linn county was 60 acres on the Quinzville creek sector east of Tangent. The C. E. Gowey home five miles southeast of Tangent was burned and 10 of the 25 sheep on the E. G. Harris farm killed when a 100-acre field burned.

There was also activity in the Lyons-Mehama district but no damage reported.

The William Powers sawmill was destroyed by fire early Tuesday. Firemen fought the blaze for two hours, using equipment of the Falls City fire department. Origin has not been determined nor the damage estimated.

Smog over the Salem area Tuesday afternoon resulted in closing McNary field for contact flying. Airline instrument flights were not affected.

## Rotary Listens to Assorted Program

A magician who was given no identification other than "Mr. Holmes" presented a sleight of hand performance for the benefit of the membership of the Salem Rotary club Wednesday noon. Two cello solos by Warren Downs provided a musical prelude. Downs, son of Dr. C. A. Downs is a graduate of Berlin college and will join the Denver Symphony orchestra for its first program in the near future.

Tom Angle, president of the senior class of Salem high school, was introduced as Rotarian of the month from that institution. He is a member of the National Honor society, National Athletic Honor society, Civics club and is president of Abel Gregg chapter of Hi-Y.

## Hard Work Saves Home from Polk County Fires

This house, owned by Johnny Keller, on Pioneer Loop road in Polk county, 5 1/2 miles from Dallas, was in the path of one of the forest fires, and was saved by emergency action when a fire-break was thrown around the premises with a bulldozer. The fire was stopped about 100 feet from the house from which some furnishings had been removed. Above, a fire truck of the Southwest Rural Fire Patrol district, with Dave (Butch) Moser at the wheel stands by. On the roof spraying the shingles is Art Fromberg. Below, bulldozer driven by Ray Richter, Route 2, Dallas, throws firebreak around the house. The fire was near enough that Richter could feel the heat. The fire was from slash burning on Salt creek that got out of control. Several homes in the patch of fires were vacated, but none destroyed. A bulldozer was damaged by a falling tree. (Photos by Abel)

## U. S. Mediators Safecrackers

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fairness said in a statement: "We have made a proposal to the union setting forth the willingness of United States Steel to pay its share of the costs of contributory programs for insurance and pensions to be negotiated with the union up to an average of four cents an hour for insurance and six cents an hour for pensions."

The corporation proposal also called for the union's agreement on extending the present contract for one year until April 30, 1951.

Fairless' statement made no mention of how the steelworkers reacted to the company offer. However, President Philip Murray of the union released a statement at the same time saying: "The deadlock in the collective bargaining conference is due entirely to the adamant refusal of United States Steel to accept the fair and equitable settlement proposed by the report of the steel industry board."

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## Churchill

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Churchill said Britain must: 1. Cut taxes to increase the incentive to work, especially among wage earners direct. 2. Ease up on "needless and vexatious controls and interference with the flexibility of private enterprise." 3. Elect a government which could command national and international confidence.

Churchill made only passing reference to the news that Russia has achieved an atomic explosion.

Harold Wilson, president of the government's board of trade, followed Churchill with an outline of what he expects devaluation to do for dollar exports. He said: "I am perfectly certain that we can, within a short period, treble the rate of exports of consumer goods to the United States and increase tenfold the rate of exports of capital goods to Canada."

There are nearly 7,000 ice making plants in the United States.

## Sgt. Bartlett Moved To Camp Pendleton

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Stationed in Salem on recruiting duty with the U. S. Marine Corps since February, 1948, Tech. Sgt. George E. Bartlett has received orders transferring him to duty at Camp Pendleton. Bartlett, with his wife and the couple's two daughters, will leave Salem Friday for the California camp, where he is to be assigned to the First Marine Division.

A Marine for ten and a half years, Bartlett came to the Salem assignment from Portland where he had been on duty for about four months.

Replacing the sergeant at the Salem recruiting station is Master Sgt. C. J. Granziانو, who was sent to Salem on temporary duty September 13. Granziانو came from Mare Island, San Francisco.

## COURT NEWS

**Circuit Court**  
Felix vs. Charles Geppner, divorce complaint alleged defendant is in the state penitentiary and asks she be given custody of two children. Married June 1, 1948.  
Betty Jane vs. John Emil Benisek, divorce complaint alleged cruel and inhuman treatment, asks custody of a child and a month for the support, with property settlement. Married May 2, 1947, at Mantoloking, Wis.  
James E. Keza vs. Alfred W. and Dorothy E. Burkeson, dismissed with prejudice and without costs.  
First National bank vs. Theodore O. Tanner, application for trial.  
Lunette vs. George Hadden, default entered.  
W. F. Nile vs. W. E. Wheeler, application for trial.  
Janice A. vs. Ravina G. Short, application for trial.  
Lyle A. Wallthrop vs. Thomas Broe. Louise Co., reply making denial.  
**Probate Court**  
Albert Walker guardianship. John Heitler, Charles Heitler and Mildred Winslow named administrators.  
Mary Agnes estate. Robert Kumpel, executor authorized to accept \$250 in distribution of a claim against Joseph A. Xetinos, growing out of death of deceased in an automobile accident.  
Blondina Kenny estate valued at in excess of \$10,000. Blondina K. Davis named executor, and Earl D. Duce, W. E. Keza and I. M. Rantz, appraisers.  
Loretta Pearl estate inventoried at \$77.37 by John L. Schwabe, guardian.  
Roser B. Price estate, supplemental account of Harold J. Warner, administrator of Harold J. Warner, administrator.  
Frank E. Healy estate, order for supplemental widow's allowance.  
Mrs. Grace Olson conservatorship, order for sale of real property.  
Ernest Todd estate. Roy B. Todd, executor, authorized to execute a real property deed to Claude L. and Edna Reta McGill.  
E. M. Crohan estate, final account approved.  
Harold J. Currier estate appraised at \$21,339.67 by R. W. Starr, Russell Morgan and Raymond Field.  
Clarence Forette estate, order to Edwin Forette and Harry Porter, administrators, to sell personal property. Estate appraised at \$17,975 by Marjorie Kerber, Josephine Bell and Geo. H. Bell.  
Alois Imper estate, second annual account filed by Joseph Imper, executor.  
Paul Ayer, minor, final account of Lillian Ayer, guardian, and order discharging guardian.  
**Drunk Court**  
Drunk driving: Arthur J. Findley, conviction filed by C. L. Hall 1954.  
**Marriage Licenses**  
Claude Lester Rodazis, 31, truck driver, and Joyce Johnson, 27, at home, both Salem.

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## Military Men and Veterans

**Thursday, September 29**  
Organized Naval Reserve surface unit at the Naval and Marine corps reserve training center.  
Company G, 162nd infantry regiment, Oregon National Guard, at Salem army.

**Egin Air Force Base, Fla.—Lt. Col. Frank D. Sharp, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Sharp of Evergreen avenue, Salem, has reported to Auxiliary Field No. 2, Egin Air Force base, Florida, where he will be stationed with the Tactical Air Force (Prov.) Colonel Sharp will continue in his assignment of Vice Commander.**

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10" 70¢

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7 inch \$1.35  
8 " 1.80  
9 " 2.25  
10 " 2.95

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Holds 18 lb. roast 6.45  
Holds 25 lb. roast 7.45

**OVAL ROASTERS**  
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Holds 7-10 lb. ham 5.95

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3 qt. 3.75  
4 qt. 4.15  
5 qt. 4.40

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