

Local Paragraphs

Going to Portland—Salem Geological society will sponsor a trip next Sunday to the Gem Stones Products company plant at 5038 N.E. 15th avenue, in Portland. There they will view a demonstration of the manufacture of buttons and other articles from gem stones. Departure will be from Collins hall, Willamette university at 1 p.m.

Boulier to Show—Salem artist, Larry Boulier, is presenting an exhibition of his watercolor landscapes at the Elfstrom's galleries, beginning Sat. Boulier's last exhibit was in 1948. Twenty-five paintings will be on display depicting the Oregon scene. He has exhibited at many of the nation's leading galleries, including Riverside Museum, N. Y., Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, Albany Institute, N. Y. and others.

Students on Trip—Salem high school's agriculture students traveled Thursday to a field at Oregon State college. William McKinney, FFA club adviser, chaperoned the trip. Students going were Gerald Anderson, Dale Brunk, Morgan Day, Maurice Dickenson, Harley Dodson, Conrad Everson, Ronald Hamann, Robert Holst, Cleo Kappinger, Kenneth Keppinger, Bill Kirgill, Wilborn Lowery, David Masece, Bruce Matthis, Don Meyers, Willard Moore, Max Morris, Tex Neufeldt, Gerald Rains, Norlyn Rivers, Kenneth Sandner, Rudy Wellbrock, McKinley Wilson and Stephen Zielsnik.

Leave Salem General—Leaving the Salem General hospital with recently born infants were Mrs. Athlo Panissis and son, 2080 Fisher Road and Mrs. Byron Scott and daughter, Tangent.

Warehouses Called—The annual membership meeting of the Mt. Angel Farmers Union Warehouse will be held at St. Mary's school in Mt. Angel next Tuesday, starting at 10 o'clock with a free lunch to be served at noon. Terms of Frank Hettwer and C. S. Christianson are expiring and election will be held to fill the two-year posts.

Murphy Installs—Claude Murphy, state real estate commissioner, was installing officer for both the Tillamook and Lincoln county realty boards at the February meeting at Agate Beach. He was taken into both boards as an honorary member.

Big Check Received—Receipt of a check for \$408.69 from Charles Kelly, chairman of the March of Dimes campaign in that community, is announced by Gene Malecki, Salem campaign manager. The amount includes receipts from the recent talent play presented there by local talent. This check is far above amounts received from any other community, Malecki states, and compares with the approximately \$70 received from Mill City last year.

McKay Will Speak—Governor Douglas McKay will speak at the 20th annual dinner of Forest Grove business men at the Legion hall Friday evening. Between 250 and 300 are expected to attend. The dinner is annually sponsored by Washington Post No. 2 of the American Legion.

Youth and Recreation—One of the several committees named by Governor Douglas McKay to work on plans for a state youth and recreation convention slated for Salem, April 14 and 15, will meet in the state library building Saturday afternoon. This is the year when the White House conference concerning youth and recreation is to be held in Washington, D. C.

School Merger Asked—The county boundary board has set March 13 as the date of the vote on the proposed consolidation of the Hubbard and White school districts. The election will be held at both the Hubbard and White school buildings with the hours to be set later. Petitions seeking the merger have been filed by both districts. There are approximately 30 school age children in the White area.

BORN

The Capital Journal Welcomes the Following New Citizens:
JENKINS—To Mr. and Mrs. Orville W. Jenkins, 1301 Jefferson, at the Salem General hospital, a girl, Feb. 17.
JOHNSON—To Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson, Rt. 4 Box 111-1/2, at the Salem General hospital, a boy, Feb. 17.
PIPER—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Piper, 1885 Madison, at the Salem General hospital, a boy, Feb. 17.
ERICKSON—To Mr. and Mrs. James Erickson, 4573 Claxton road, at the Salem Memorial hospital, a girl, Feb. 16.
STEEPER—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steeper, 341 Wilbur, at the Salem Memorial hospital, a girl, Feb. 15.
JOHNSON—To Mr. and Mrs. Art Johnson, a daughter in the Bartlett hospital, February 11.
JOSLIN—To Mr. and Mrs. James F. Joslin, Falls City, a son in the Bartlett hospital February 9.
KLEIVER—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Kleiver, a daughter in the Dallas hospital, February 8.
CUFFELT—To Mr. and Mrs. Clifford E. Cuffelt, a daughter in the Dallas hospital February 13.
HIEBERT—To Mr. and Mrs. George Hiebert, a daughter in the Dallas hospital February 13.
HYDEN—To Mr. and Mrs. Lockard Hyden, a son in the Dallas hospital February 13.
WILLIAMS—To Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Williams, a daughter in the Dallas hospital February 13.
BLOCK—To Mr. and Mrs. Abe L. Block, a son in the Dallas hospital February 10.

Pratum People Home—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kleen and Mrs. Harry Robertson, of the Pratum community, have returned from Sacramento, Calif., where they had been visiting Mrs. Kleen's sister and other relatives and friends.

Square Dance Callers—A group of 15 or 20 persons interested in learning the art of calling for square dances will meet at the YMCA at 8 o'clock Saturday night for instruction. The course is under the sponsorship of the young adult group of the Y.

Flower Expert Coming—Marshall Lyons of Eugene, will be guest of the Salem camelia and rhododendron society at the YMCA next Thursday night at 8 o'clock to speak and exhibit varieties. Guests are invited.

Turner Woman Ill—Mrs. Lee Barber, of Turner, is in the Salem General hospital as a result of a recent severe heart attack.

Attorneys Selected—Justices George Rossman and Hall S. Lusk, of the state supreme court, and Allan Carson, local attorney, have been appointed to serve on the Oregon state committee, section of judicial administration, of the American Bar association. Appointments came from Paul DeWitt, New York City, director of state committees for the bar association.

Cooper Rites Held—Funeral services for Willard Cooper, 62, brother of Clarence Cooper, Salem, were held at St. Helens Thursday. Cooper, who had been a resident of that community for 35 years, died Monday in Portland. He was born Dec. 20, 1888. Also surviving are another brother and a sister. Burial was in the IOOF cemetery at Warren.

Infants Taken Home—Leaving the Salem Memorial hospital with infant daughters are Mrs. Donald Sutherland, Rt. 2 Box 408; Mrs. Richard Moffitt, Stayton and Mrs. Einar Skinnarland, Mill City.

Engineering Course—The state highway department, the Oregon State college school of engineering, and the general extension division of the system of higher education are jointly sponsoring a course in civil engineering for highway department employes to begin Tuesday evening, February 21, at 7 o'clock in the conference room of the state library, R. H. Baldock, state highway engineer, announced today.

Auto Crash Bruires Four—Four men suffered bruises and concussion Thursday night when two autos in which they were riding crashed at the intersection of Union and North Summer streets. The cars were driven by Larry Orth, 235 South 14th and Edward J. Diem, route 2. Passengers were John Dunlevy and Robert L. Morris. The four were taken to Salem Memorial hospital for treatment.

Quizzed by Impostors—Salem police were looking Friday for two men who quizzed a Salem woman under the pretext of securing information for a radio program. The men, both described as about 45 years old, represented themselves as employes of station KSLM to the woman. The station, however, told the woman that it was not engaged in any such program. The men endeavored to secure information dealing with family habits, and police presumed that it may have been for the purpose of future burglaries.

Bridge Club Guest—The Salem Heights bridge club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles Hageman on the Liberty Road. Present were Mrs. George Beane, Mrs. Lyle Bayne, Mrs. Harold Bacon, Mrs. Willard Day, Mrs. Del Ramsdell, Mrs. Leslie Bates, Mrs. James Morgan, Mrs. Ed A. Carleton, Mrs. Carl Harris, Mrs. Kenneth Zwicker and the hostess.

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Rosedale Church Host—The quarterly conference of the area Friends churches will be held at Rosedale this week-end, opening Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with the meeting of ministers. There will be a worship service Saturday morning and business meeting in the afternoon with the women of the Rosedale and Marion churches serving the noon meal. A rally for young people will be held in the evening. Helen Wilcutts, who spent last summer in the mission field in Bolivia will speak at the Sunday night service.

School Union At Silverton

Consolidation of nine rural school districts with Silverton was suggested by Dr. Carl Huffaker, professor of education at the University of Oregon, at a public meeting in Silverton Thursday night.

Huffaker told the group that by 1960 there will be two school children in Oregon for every one enrolled today with the "flood" starting in 1953.

He suggested that pupils attend rural schools for the first six years and then attend centralized junior and senior high schools with one central board chosen in a district-wide election. Another meeting will be held here March 3 with those attending the Thursday night meeting to obtain the attitude of those in their various districts.

The meeting was called to discuss ways and means of solving problems brought about by increased school enrollments by Mrs. Agnes Booth, Marion county school superintendent, presided. School districts represented were Silverton, Brush Creek, Bethany, Victor Point, Central Howell, Evergreen, Silver Crest, North Howell, Evans Valley and Silver Falls. Also represented were the Silverton Junior Chamber of Commerce, American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Pringle Club Electing—The annual election of officers will be held Friday night by the Pringle community club at the school house at 8 o'clock followed by installation. The club will also vote on the question of merging with the Mother's club. Mrs. L. E. McRae has charge of refreshments.

Dancing Continues—The Salem Heights Square Dance club will meet at the community hall next Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. The club recently decided to hold dances twice a month due to the large attendance. The dances will be held the first and third Tuesdays of the month.

Musicians Incorporate—John Wallace Graham, John A. Heitzel have filed articles of incorporation for the Salem String society, designed to operate, maintain and further a string orchestra and musical pursuits in general. The filing was made with the Marion county clerk's office Friday.

Building Permits—Noel Worley, to alter a one-story dwelling at 1135 Lewis, \$2500. Tom Dalke, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 1425 Elm, \$6000. Associated Oil company, to alter a service station at 835 South Commercial, \$600. J. J. Veer, to build a one-story dwelling at 1181 Elm, \$4000.

New Escort Service—The escorting of vehicles, funerals, parades and other such movements along the streets and highways will be the business of Sines Escort. An assumed business name certificate for the service has been filed by Gordon L. Sines of 870 S. 18th street.

Burris Now Sole Owner—E. D. Crabtree and Edwin Keech have sold their interest in Salem Building Supply to W. G. Burris, the third partner. The concern, on South 12th street, was established about two years ago with each of the three men having a third interest. Burris has been manager.

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Stone to Attend Seattle Meet

Dr. W. J. Stone, Marion county health officer, is one of 10 health officers chosen to attend the mental health hygiene institute to be held in Seattle, March 2-11. Health officers from Oregon, Washington and British Columbia will attend the institute which is similar to the one held in Berkeley, Cal., in 1949 and in Gulfport, Miss., in 1949.

Announcement of the institute was made during Thursday's monthly meeting of the Marion county department of health executive committee of which Mrs. David Wright is chairman. Other committee members present were Judge Grant Murphy, Dr. Stone and Mrs. Ruby Bunnell.

Pre-school children, first and second graders in school district No. 24 will be examined this year during the dental program. Dr. L. B. Schmidt was selected by the dental society to guide the program. Mrs. Lewis, the dental hygienist, will work for six weeks during the dental program. A full time hygienist will be employed next year.

The committee discussed garbage disposal and flood water problems and heard plans for the 1950 tuberculosis survey.

Garage Files—Illihce Garage is the name of a service station and garage to be operated by Clifford W. Page of Jefferson, who filed an assumed business name certificate with the Marion county clerk Friday.

Firemen in School—Officers and eligible officers of the Salem fire department were having another one-day refresher school Friday. It was a continuation of the one-week school of last month.

To Play Chemawa—Three basketball clubs that work out at the Salem YMCA will go to Chemawa Saturday afternoon for competition with the Indians. The quints involved represent the Englewood Gray-Y, Lawrence Doggett Junior Hi-Y and John Gardner Junior Hi-Y.

Exchange of Credit—The confidential exchange of credit information between the Salem credit bureau and members of the association was outlined Friday by Charles Schmitz, secretary of the association, for members. Schmitz warned that slander actions were possible if such information was not handled in a confidential manner.

Willamette to Continue Program
Willamette university isn't going to de-emphasize its athletic program, President G. Herbert Smith said Friday.

The university gives scholarships to athletes if their grades are good. These scholarships cover tuition. It also gives grants to needy athletes as well as to other students. And it finds jobs for athletes.

Chester Stackhouse, athletic director and football and track coach, said Willamette is interested in the finest athletes available.

Professor of Physical Education Leslie J. Sparks said the aid which Willamette gives its athletes is similar to that given athletes in other Northwest conference schools.

COURT NEWS

Circuit Court
Walter and Evelyn L. Murrave vs. Edward J. and Caroline Lucas: Order permits plaintiffs to further amend their complaint.

Ernest J. Porter vs. Clara Maxine Porter: Order of default against defendant.

Cecil J. Moller vs. Ruby Moller: Defendant files motion for order restraining plaintiff to sell property during pendency of suit.

Jane Duncan vs. Gene Duncan: Decree of divorce granted plaintiff; defendant ordered to pay \$25 monthly for support of minor child.

Roy Morley estate: Order closes estate and discharges administrator.

L. J. Davenport estate: Final account hearing set for March 27.

Belle Golden Steiner estate: Order closes estate and discharges executor.

Marion F. Nicolson estate: Appraisal at \$4014.

Girls Discuss Sale—Discussion of the cookie sale being held until February 23 occupied Girl Scout troop No. 51 when Yvonne Pool was hostess to the group at the home of the leader, Mrs. Robert Morrow, in the Liberty district. The girls were given a demonstration on making seams and Janet Smith outlined the history of Girl Scouts, and was in charge of games with Miss Pool serving refreshments. A Valentine party and gift exchange were also held. Margo Hudkins was a guest.

Willamette on Gradual Rise

The Willamette river edged up to the 12.9 foot stage Friday morning at Salem as it continued its gradual rise.

Little change was expected in the measurements during the day, but the weather bureau report stated slight to moderate rises were due during Saturday, and starting Sunday there will be moderate to substantial boosts in the waters of western Oregon streams. Flood stage is 20 feet at Salem.

Warmer temperatures are said to be speeding up the snow runoff a bit in the hills.

February will record a goodly fall of rain if the present pace keeps up. To date, 4.07 inches have been recorded for this month, against a normal of 3.03 inches.

Forecast is for occasional rain tonight and Saturday with slightly warmer temperatures tonight.

Gale Hampers
Better weather was forecast for tonight and tomorrow, but today's storm not only bothered searchers but would be an additional blow to the five missing men.

They alone were unaccounted for of the 17 who parachuted from the ice-coated, blazing brouge. Eleven men have been brought here, and another was rescued yesterday.

The Royal Canadian air force at Vancouver, B.C. asked a parachute team to stand by at McChord in case survivors are sighted in inaccessible country. None Lost at Sea

Survivors interviewed here expressed belief the B-36 was far enough inland when the men parachuted so none of them could have come down at sea.

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Aircraft in readiness at International airport here will renew the air sweep as soon as 40-mile-an-hour gales subside.

Snow is falling on the island, already covered by 18 inches. Winds, which began early in the day, are expected to die this afternoon.

Havre Smith, 86, Dies, Silverton

Havre Smith, 86, one of the oldest natives of the Silverton community, died at the Salem Convalescent home Thursday afternoon where he had been in ill health for the last five months.

Smith was the last member of the pioneer family of Solomon and Jemima Smith, who came to Marion county in the early 1850s and was one of a family of seven children. He was born near Silverton April 11, 1863.

He was married to Annetta Dawes at her home in Stayton March 4, 1886, who died three years ago. Most of their married life was spent on a farm two and a half miles east of Mt. Angel.

Surviving are two children, Orville Smith, Tacoma, Wash., and Mrs. Hugh (Jennie) Range of Silverton; also three granddaughters and two great-grandsons.

Funeral services will be held from the memorial chapel of the Ekman funeral home at 1:30 o'clock Saturday with burial in the Silverton cemetery.

Woman Killed

She was wearing an inexpensive band on her ring finger, possibly indicating she was married.

Her clothing consisted of a red bandana headpiece. It was of a figured Dutch boy and girl pattern. Her dress was a figured, bluish-green. She wore a long brown coat, brown sandals and red anklets.

In her clothing were found cigarettes and a lighter. A spring-type watch band was also found, but the watch was missing.

In an effort to identify the woman, Salem and state police officers canvassed the area, checking families there who may have known her. But none of the residents of the vicinity were able, by noon, to offer any clues to her identity.

Some of them, however, reported having seen a woman of her description walking down the railroad right of way upon several occasions recently, and one report was received which confirmed the story of the train crew. She was seen walking north from town shortly before the accident.

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Hell's Canyon Gospel Told By Hudelson of Baker

W. A. Hudelson of Baker preaches hell and damnation and believes in it.

Hudelson is on a trip through the western part of the state, and as he goes is telling the people about the Hell's Canyon development project.

He believes the people of the west side don't know too much about the project and what it means to northwest development. Hudelson happens to have been raised at Jefferson in Marion county, but has been an east Oregonian for 40 years or more.

He is a director of the Hell's Canyon Development association, which has 1200 members at Baker.

The cost of the dam, including transmission lines, is estimated at \$339,000,000, and it has a favorable committee report in the lower house at Washington.

Location of the proposed dam is on the Oregon-Idaho boundary and when built it will be the highest dam in the world and in the deepest canyon in the world. The site is 110 miles up Snake river from Lewiston and 103 miles downstream from Weiser.

The dam will be 742 feet high. It will form a lake 93 miles long, but which will inundate only 1800 acres of tillable land. Its purpose will be flood control on the Columbia, also to furnish additional water for McNary and Bonneville reservoirs at the low water season, and it will be an aid to navigation at that season.

Hell's Canyon dam will produce from 900,000 to 1,000,000 kilowatts of electrical energy against 800,000 at McNary and 600,000 at Bonneville.

Of the total \$339,000,000 estimated cost \$39,000,000 is charged to flood control, reclamation, wild life and recreation. Adjudged highly feasible as an approach is an already-constructed paved road from Baker to Richland, Ore., in Eagle Valley.

The project has the endorsement, among others of the Oregon Seed Growers, the Oregon Wheat League, and the reason that it will reduce the cost of fertilizer to the farmers by an estimated \$8 a ton.

Cole said Monday is the target for a return to work as John L. Lewis and mine operators began their third successive day of talks.

Hopes were high, because of a secret, three-hour meeting held last night.

At this session, wages and other contract terms were reported to have been discussed more realistically than at any time in the past eight months of the coal contract dispute.

Cole asked each side to reduce their representations to not more than four persons. There have been 20 representatives for each side.

It was reported that Lewis has thrown on the table a 14-point list of demands. He made no flat wage demand, it was said, but left this open for settlement when other points were agreed.

State Costs

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Cost of education came second with a total outlay for the year of \$36,888,000 or slightly over \$5 millions in excess of what was spent in the fiscal year of 1947-48.

Total cost of public welfare in Oregon during the fiscal year of 1948-49 was \$24,552,000, pyramiding from only \$9,414,000 in the fiscal year of 1939-40 and only \$15,215,000 in the following year.

Natural resources was next in line with total expenditures for the year of \$9,536,000; hospitals and institutions cost \$9,122,000 and general government expenditures were listed at \$5,565,000.

Other expenditures, including health, public safety, debt retirement, correction and miscellaneous outlays totaled \$16,318,000.

Dollar Division Shown
The report does not show how the local tax receipts were used but does graphically point out the division of the local tax dollar. Of this dollar in the 1948-49 fiscal year, 59 cents went to support education; 18 cents to county expenses; 17 cents to cities and town; four cents to county roads and two cents to ports and special assessments.

The state levied no ad valorem property taxes nor any state elementary school taxes during the last fiscal year, according to the report which was signed by the three members of the commission, Carl W. Chambers, chairman, Robert D. Maclean, commissioner and Ray Smith, commissioner and secretary.

MILITARY MEN AND VETERANS

New Recruits
Six new recruits were enlisted in the Organized Naval Reserve surface division at the units meeting Thursday night. Four of the group were from Salem.

Salem men enlisted were James H. Hall, Carlton W. Brown and Douglas A. Wilson, all seamen recruits, and William E. Hardman, a seaman apprentice.

The other two enlistees were Walter D. Rollins of Turner and Walter G. Wilm of Sublimity. Both were seaman recruits.

To Take Cruises
Four Salem naval reservists Saturday morning will leave for San Diego to begin two-week cruises on Monday.

Two of the men, James H. McDowell and Donald W. Bassett, both seaman apprentices, are to attend the disbursing clerk's school and the other two, FA Norman L. Perry and FA Herbert Butler, will enroll for two weeks at the engineer's school.

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