



**Describes Encounter**—Lt. Col. D. Grist, commanding officer Gloucestershire regiment which was nearly annihilated last April 22-26, addresses senior NCO's and officers of Royal Canadian regiment regarding that encounter. Gloucestershires received U. S. presidential unit citation in which only 41 men returned. (Canadian army photo). (Acme Telephoto)

### Salt Creek

Mary Daniel is in Kelso, Wash., this week teaching in the Southern Baptist Daily Vacation Bible school. She will continue this work in different places until fall, when she plans to go to college in Oklahoma. Mary graduated from high school this June.

Mr. and Mrs. John Billings and Stan, of Ashland, are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Frieda May, and her sister Luella. Mr. Billings is attending the Methodist church conference meetings in Salem while they are here.

Mrs. Percy Neufeld and two boys, of Coos Bay, visited with relatives and friends here Wednesday. They called at the Katherine Schroeder, Martha Buhler and Ernest Loewen homes. Mrs. Walter Kechler and Rebecca also called on her mother, Mrs. Katherine Schroeder, Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Emanuel Wolf were hosts at a dinner Wednesday evening. Places at the table were set for Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schneider, Eldon Schneider, Henry Voth, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Jake Voth, Rev. and Mrs. Wolf and Shirley and Donald Wolf.

Mrs. Martha Buhler and Ruth, Clarence and Vern, entertained Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Voth and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Shorack, of Monmouth, and Henry Voth, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Buhler at dinner Friday evening.

Little Steven Fleischman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fleischman of Salem, is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fleischman, this week while his mother is in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fleischman are the parents of a 6-pound 10 1/4-ounce baby girl born June 18. She has been named Susan Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Fast and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Buhler enjoyed a day at the beach on Sunday. Gordon and Marvin also did some fishing at Taft.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Neufeld and boys, of Coos Bay, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Loewen and sons on Friday evening. Miss Marie Funk of Dallas also was present at the dinner and assisted Mrs. Loewen with her work Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lange were hosts at a dinner on Sunday when places were set for Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert Schneider and Evan, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Fogle-song and Kathleen and Jimmy of Albany, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lange and Kenneth and Loren. The high school girls' Sunday

## Summer Solstice Gets Little Attention Nowadays

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The summer solstice, which marks the nominal beginning of summer, attracts little attention in our modern times. Our mathematical astronomers at government headquarters calculate for us to the exact minute the date of this occurrence.

Without effort on our part we 1951 summer begins on June 21 at 11:25 p.m. CST, 10:25 p.m. MST, 9:25 p.m. PST. (Add one hour for DST.)

But in early historical times when people had the leisure actually to observe the sun's movements in the sky, the summer solstice was the occasion for elaborate ceremonies. An ancient Egyptian temple was so arranged that on these longest days of the year the sun's rays at sunrise would light the entire length of the long hallway.

We read of the astronomers of many nations carefully measuring the shadow of a post in order to find on what day the sun was highest at noon and the shadow the shortest, thus determining the date of the solstice. At Syene, Egypt, vertical posts cast no noon shadows and open wells were lighted over the entire lower portions since the sun was directly overhead.

The term solstice means "sun stands." If a rock is thrown upwards, it "stands" for an instant at its highest point before it starts down. The sun apparently does the same thing at the summer solstice before it backtracks toward the south from its highest position. This seeming motion is brought about by the tilt of 23 1/2 degrees of the earth's axis to the plane of its orbit combined with its annual revolution around the sun.

Suppose the part of the earth at which we are located kept constantly facing the sun for six months, thus giving us continuous noon. A little before Christmas the sun would appear very low above the southern horizon. This lowest point would mark the winter solstice. Then it would move straight upward in the sky until after six months it would be 47 degrees higher in the south, the summer solstice.

With the earth's daily rotation, matters are complicated a trifle. But it simply means that after December 22 the sun's rising and setting points, as well as its noon position, constantly move farther north day by day.

At the summer solstice the sun is directly overhead at noon all along the tropic of Cancer, which is 23 1/2 degrees north of the equator, and constantly above the horizon for a full 24 hours everywhere within the arctic circle, which is 23 1/2 degrees from the north pole.

The tropic of Cancer was so named about 2,000 years ago when the sun appeared among the stars of the constellation of Cancer, the Crab, at the summer solstice. Precession of the equinoxes has since placed the solstice in Gemini, but the ancient designation is retained.

Alice Layton, excellent chief, presided over the temple meeting.

It was announced that the losing side would entertain the winning side in the traveling basket contest.

It was also announced that the councillor for the Pythian Sunshine Girls will be Mrs. Rudolph Fryberg.

Mrs. A. B. Smith was hostess to a farewell party for Mrs. Lewis Woods on Tuesday evening at the Smith home.

Mrs. Woods was presented with a pair of copper planters from the group, and the evening was spent informally.

The hostess, assisted by her sister-in-law, Miss Mary Smith, served ice cream, cake and coffee at the close of the evening.

### Roberts

At the grange meeting Saturday night, the legislative chairman explained the cuts being taken in building the new court house to keep within the budget since the increase in material and labor have caused insufficient funds. He also reported that there would soon be an increase of 12 1/2 per cent in income taxes.

The main discussions of the agriculture committee were on bugs and spray.

Mrs. Roy J. Rice gave the home economics club report which met at the home of Mrs. Lee U. Eyerly said each member is to make one apron, four pot holders and two dish towels for the bazaar booth for the grange fair in October.

It was voted to have the grange picnic at the Johnston home, Saturday evening, July 28, with a picnic supper at 7 o'clock.

During the lecturer's hour there was group singing after which rs. J. Johns gave report of the days she spent at the State Grange convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boehringer are spending the week at Klamath Falls, being delegates at the state convention of the A.F.L.

At the annual school meeting L. H. Zielke was re-elected to serve as director for the Roberts school.

### Aumsville

The Aumsville Woman's club held its last meeting for the year at the Bland Speer home. It was a no-host picnic. Members present to enjoy the day were Mesdames Charles Martin, Hugh Craig, Guy Shields, George Miller, Mae Lamb, John Hein, Earnest Towles, Elmer Klein, Luta Fuson, Kenneth Purdy, Ed Holmquist. Guests for the day were Mrs. Nichols of Scio; Mrs. Ethel Wright and Glen Munkers of Salem; Miss Grace Richards and Mrs. Orville Oderman of Aumsville; Mrs. Philip Gerhart of Seattle and Mrs. Olive Swedenburg of Ashland.

Mrs. John Smith, president, presided over the business meeting. New officers were elected for the coming year. They are: Mrs. John Smith, president; Mrs. Ed Holmquist, vice president; Mrs. Guy Shields, secretary and Mrs. Hugh Craig, treasurer.

Ed Gilbert was elected to serve for a three year term at the annual school election Monday night at the Aumsville school. With him to serve are L. L. Lee and Henry Tate. The school budget was also accepted by a vote of 30 to 17.

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Thursday evening, June 14, William F. Eberhard and Lynn Cook attended the dedication of the new IOOP hall at Lebanon. All the assembly and grand lodge officers were present.

For the pleasure of their son, Ray Ralston, on his 17th birthday, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Ralston prepared a picnic dinner and the family motored to Buell Park to spend the evening. The family members were Ray, Ben, Bob, Lillie and Rosalie Ralston and the parents.

Mrs. Lyle Hurless entertained a few friends at her home Tuesday evening. The program for the evening was furnished by Mrs. Clara Blensley giving a demonstration and games.

Refreshments of cake and coffee were served by the hostesses to the following: Mrs. Larry Sisson, Mrs. John Lorenz, Mrs. Pete Slipper, Mrs. Irvin Bernards, Mrs. Howard Flemming, Mrs. John Thornhill and daughter Barbara Ann, and Mrs. Frank Fox.

Little Sharon Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walker broke her arm while at play Saturday.

Overnight guests Sunday with Mrs. Margaret Lytle were her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Demmon and a cousin, Mrs. John Sheldrake, all of Hood River.

Mrs. Sally Romine has been moved from the McMinnville hospital to the Michael Rest Home on S. Evans street.

Callers on Father's day at the L. E. Emery home were Mr. and Mrs. James Emery and sons, Dale and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Lyons, Carolyn, Janet and Kenneth Lyons all of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Myers and daughter of Salem, Mrs. Alberta Emery and sons of Roseburg. The Emery's daughter, Mrs. Nila Boyoko of Elizabeth, N.J., called long distance to extend Father's Day greetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson (Marjory Woods) are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son, born Sunday evening, June 17, at the General hospital. The baby has been named Merle Junior.

## North Howell

Returning Sunday from a four day trip to Enterprise Oregon, where they visited relatives and friends were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jacog, their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Bales and children of Palo Alto, Calif. and Kenneth and Glenna Jacob.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fisher and daughters, Daisy Jo and Phyllis, and Miss Ruth Troyer, spent the day Saturday in Portland, shopping, dining and attending a show.

Jeffrey Kizer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Kizer left Wednesday for Spokane, where his grandparents live, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lovell will go with an aunt, Mrs. Jean Reed, to Newman Lake, Wash., for vacation.

Welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Harriman Henry (LaVerne Woods) is a baby son, born June 3, at Grangeville, Idaho, where they reside. He has been named Michael DuWaine. Grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. W. Everett Henry and Mr. and Mrs. George Woods all of Mc-

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