

# Local Paragraphs

**Chiropractic Graduate** — A degree of doctor of chiropractic will be given Appa Leone Anderson, the former Appa Leone Stober of Salem during graduation exercises the night of March 26 at the Western State college, Portland. Mrs. Anderson graduated from Parrish junior high in 1939 and from Salem senior high in 1942. She married Harry Samuel Anderson in 1946 and they reside at 6305 SE 97th avenue, Portland.

**Auxiliary Meets** — Finance committee of Hal Hibbard auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans, will be in charge of the McKinley carnation sale April 10. Mrs. Fred Thompson is chairman and Mrs. Joe E. Wood, Mrs. Charles O. Wilson will assist. Past presidents of the organization will meet next Friday, March 27, with Mrs. Ora Hager, 536 North 21, for desert at 1 p.m. Next regular meeting of the auxiliary will be April 16 at the Woman's club house. Mrs. Anna V. Nugent of Washington, D. C. will make her official visit to the department of Oregon in Portland on April 18.

**Central Club Meeting** — Central Townsend club No. 6 will meet at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at 259 Court street.

## Drew Pearson

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departments which in their opinion would increase the ability of the U. S. to carry out its current policies and commitments within the total expenditure allocation to the department of defense.

(B) Evaluation of the capabilities of such forces to carry out presently approved policies and commitments.

(C) Evaluation of the nature and extent of modifications that would need to be made in presently approved policies and commitments.

Note — The instructions to the joint chiefs, it will be noted, opens the door wide for them to revise the whole defense structure. In other words, they could throw out supercarriers or do whatever they think best to keep military spending within the \$41.2 billion limit. This means such drastic cuts that you can almost see the baldheaded shadow of budget-cutter Louis Johnson stalking the Pentagon corridors again.

### HEADLINES AND FOOTNOTES

The agriculture department is so anxious to get rid of its surplus butter that it actually tried to get the state department to ship butter to Holland for food relief. This is like sending salt to Salt Lake City, since Holland probably has more butter than anything else. The Navy has stopped trying to sell the White House on making red-headed adm. Arthur Radford chairman of the joint chiefs of staff. Instead they've picked Adm. Robert Carney. Ex-Vice President Barkley's former aide, Bill Vaughan, has been handing out a mysterious medicine that cures burns and itches. India's Premier Nehru took along a bottle to treat a skin ailment the last time he was in Barkley's office, and has now written back for more.

The Treasury Department's new general counsel, Elbert Tuttle, won the purple heart when wounded while fighting off three Japs at once in hand-to-hand combat. Tuttle is so strait-laced that he sold his interest in his Atlanta law firm, though he refuses even to look at a tax case in which his former law partners have an interest.

## U.S. Newsmen

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Applegate came to Hong Kong recently after covering the war in Korea for several months for the United Press. He resigned from the news agency in Tokyo and has been representing the National Broadcasting Co. here.

He purchased the Kert, a yawl, and was outfitting it for a world cruise.

Dixon and Cicero arrived in Hong Kong from Formosa for a holiday before returning to assignments in Korea.

The Royal Navy said its observatory on Lantau Island saw the sailing craft intercepted about 5:35 p.m. and taken in tow toward Lapsamui, about 10 miles farther west from Lantau.

The observatory lost sight of the two vessels as they neared the Communist isle.

Applegate, 37, has worked for the UP for 17 years, and formerly was UP's Southeast Asia manager with headquarters at Saigon. He was in the Navy in World War II, returned to the UP New York offices, and went back to the Far East in the fall of 1951.

### BORN

**SALEM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL** — BLOOMER — To Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bloomer, 1948 N. 16th St., a boy, March 20.

**BROGAN** — To Mr. and Mrs. Philip D. Brogan, 345 E. Colgate St., a girl, March 20.

**HUGHES** — To Mr. and Mrs. William G. Hughes, 1369 Dallas Rd., a boy, March 20.

**POWELL** — To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Powell, Astoria, a boy, March 20.

**SALEM GENERAL HOSPITAL** — PARSONS — To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Parsons, Rt. 1, Box 29, McMinnville, a girl, March 20.

**SACRETTIN** — To Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McCaffin, Rt. 1, Box 109, Astoria, a girl, March 20.

**FLOWERS** — To Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Flowers, Rt. 3, Box 24, Salem, a girl, March 20.

**DALLAS HOSPITAL** — WILSON — To Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Wilson, 619 Riverside street, Dallas, a boy, March 18.

**MORSE** — To Mr. and Mrs. Leland Morse, 819 Stump street, Dallas, a girl, March 20.

**PETERSON** — To Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Peterson, Rt. 2, Box 55, Dallas, a girl, March 20.

**SILVERTON HOSPITAL** — WARREN, M.L. — To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren, M.L. — A boy, March 19.

## FREE—FOR A MOMENT



Joseph Poggi steps from behind the bars of the Oregon State Penitentiary for the first time in nearly 35 years Friday to greet his attorney, Merlin Estep (left), and almost immediately taken into custody again. Captain Ellsworth Herder of the prison guard is at right. In lower picture, Poggi is shown as he stands with Clackamas county Deputies Joe Shobe (left) and Ray Bevins while they await the transfer of custody from Marion county officers to the Clackamas deputies. Poggi was returned to Oregon City for possible court action in an attempt to recommit him to the state prison for life as a habitual criminal.

## Lloyd Pinner Dead in Action

Lloyd A. Pinner of Salem was killed in action while serving in Korea with the Marines, said a message received by his mother, Mrs. Gladys Pinner, 245 Oak street.

The message came Thursday from the Department of Defense.

Born May 10, 1928, Pinner, prior to his enlistment in the Marine Corps in Salem in August, 1951, had been employed in Salem. He had been in Korea since December, 1952.

Survivors besides the mother include two sisters, Joanne Pinner at home and Mrs. Lloyd Galbraith of Nebraska; and three brothers, John Pinner of Greeley, Colo., Thomas Pinner of Pinedale, Wyo., and Kenneth R. Pinner, U. S. Navy, now on his way to Japan aboard the USS Washburn.

## Hillsboro Contractor Gets Heppner Job

The State Highway Commission said today it had awarded a \$32,840 contract for construction of the Heppner junction overcrossing to R. H. Jones of Hillsboro.

The federal aid project involves construction of a reinforced concrete viaduct to carry Columbia river highway traffic over the Heppner branch of the Union Pacific railroad about 10 miles east of Arlington.

## Building Permits — A. H. Boedighelmer, to repair a garage at 2718 Brooks, \$450.

General Realty company, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 1890 South 22nd, \$7000. General Realty company, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 1710 South 22nd, \$7000. Ed Byrkit, to build a one-story dwelling and carport at 1085 Lovona Drive, \$9000.

## COURT NEWS

**Circuit Court** — Donald N. Ziminski vs Meredith L. Ziminski: Modification of divorce decree granting plaintiff custody of two minor children.

State Director of Veterans Affairs vs Walter H. and Bessie Orshov, Jim E. Hackett, Kenneth R. and Alice M. Loren and Lena Neumann: Complaint seeking judgment of \$2,813.80, \$43.82 and foreclosure of mortgages on certain real property.

Louis E. Kurth vs Southern Pacific company: John Sullivan and E. M. Stuchler: Order of nonsuit with prejudice to plaintiff and without costs to either party.

Leonard H. Haesner vs John Thomas and Clifford Tuss: Amended complaint.

Anna Babich vs John Babich: Answer to second supplemental complaint.

**Probate Court** — C. Philip Weeks guardianship: Appraised at \$2,904.15.

Jess Hart estate: Final decree.

Basile Reads estate: Final decree.

Charles M. Frye estate: Order authorizing executor to sell personal property.

Richard Downer guardianship: Order appointing Cora Moberg guardian, and authorizing her to accept \$1890 in full settlement of claim against Leonard Swanson for injuries said to have resulted from automobile accident.

**Marriage License** — Ben G. Chin, 31, restaurant operator, Portland, and Virginia Knappenberg, 22, waitress, Cottage Grove, Ore.

Otto Woodring, 48, farmer, Mt. Angel, and Strida Henkel, 46, housewife, Route 2, Woodburn.

James Thomas, 21, mill worker, Swanton, Ore., and Donna Lee Edwards, 19, domestic, Dayton, Ore.

Ronald D. Meier, 18, sawmill worker, Sublimity, and Darlene P. Dozier, 20, typist, Staron.

## Poggi Awaits Turn of Fate

Joseph Poggi was again behind bars Friday in only the time it took to release him from Oregon State penitentiary and transport him to the Clackamas county jail at Oregon City.

The 37-year-old man was released Friday from a life-term sentence as a habitual criminal by an order signed by Marion County Circuit Court Judge Rex Kimmel.

Judge Kimmel held in his ruling that the state failed to prove that Poggi had three prior convictions at his trial for burglary 24 years ago in Oregon City and that he had been illegally held for more than 19 years of that time since.

Clackamas county officials immediately got a bench warrant from the circuit court of that county for Poggi's arrest on the habitual criminal charge and had him picked up as he left the prison.

Now, says District Attorney Winston Bradshaw of Clackamas county, an effort will be made to prove the charge and return Poggi to prison for life.

Poggi is expected to go to court Monday to make a plea. If he pleads innocent, as his attorneys say he will, a trial date will be set.

## Note Signs of

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1. The proposal by Gen. Vasily Chukov, Soviet commander in Germany, for British-Russian talks to avoid future East-West air incidents. The Russian general surprised the West by expressing regret over the death of seven British airmen in a Lincoln bomber shot down by Soviet MTGs over the Iron Curtain.

2. President Eisenhower's statement last Thursday that the U. S. always would go half way toward any Soviet attempt to settle world issues.

Crisis Air Dropped? Allied quarters in Red-encircled West Berlin also wondered if Soviet Prime Minister Georgi Malenkov has sent orders to the Soviet satellite states, including East Germany, that all air of crisis should be forgotten for the present.

Despite Eastern zone threats of dire consequences for Berlin if the West German Parliament ratified the Allied-Bonn Peace Contract and European Army Treaty, there was little strong communist reaction to Thursday's lower house vote of approval.

The Soviet promise of action in the case of nine British civilians held in North Korea seemed of special significance. Previous British appeals on behalf of the group were ignored by the late Prime Minister Stalin's Kremlin regime.

Mr. James Keys and Mrs. Gilmore are the committee in charge of the festive exhibit and the project to be displayed will be braided rugs. This project workshop, with Mrs. George Hanauka and Mrs. M. Stephenson as leaders will be held Tuesday, March 31, and April 1-2.

For the festival this unit will have two auditorium hostesses in the morning, Mrs. Hanauka and Mrs. Gilmore.

For help with Azalea house in furnishings, this unit will have a party in May as a benefit project.

Present for the meeting were Mrs. Bean, Mrs. H. A. Biskie, Mrs. Scott Foster, Mrs. Gilmore, Mrs. Hanauka, Mrs. Keys, Mrs. Lay, Mrs. Seymour, Mrs. Floyd Thompson, Mrs. Herman Feddern and Mrs. Al McKinney with Mrs. Marvin Rathsum a new member.

Merry Minglers held a postponed meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Robert Fromm on Silverton road.

Attending were Mrs. Clyde Colwell, Mrs. Henry Sprick, Mrs. A. O. Myers, Mrs. Ernest Burier, Mrs. A. E. Jackson, Mrs. Carl Snyder, Mrs. Anna Jess, Mrs. Robert Wagers, Mrs. Irvin Wagers, Mrs. Albert Fabry, Mrs. R. Gordon Scott, Mrs. Covil Case, Mrs. Ernest Barker, a charter member of the club, Mrs. Allen McCain, who has been unable to attend for several years, and a guest, Mrs. Verle Hackett from Molalla.

The surprise gift was provided by Mrs. Le Roy Barker and awarded to Mrs. Fabry. The annual plant exchange was held. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Leonard Malm.

Merry-go-round club members were entertained at the home of Mrs. Royal Wenig in Fruiland community Thursday night.

Going out for the meeting were Mrs. Gil Blankenship, Miss Florence Kleeman, Mrs. Russell Proudfoot, Mrs. Paul Barham, Mrs. Sam Rehfeld, Mrs. Walter Fisher, Mrs. David Karn, Miss Ester Munson, Mrs. Edward Curtis, Miss Twilla Bernard, Mrs. Wilson Biles, Mrs. Lloyd Laudie, Mrs. Clayton Gibb, Mrs. Melvin La Due, Mrs. S. Buck, Mrs. J. P. Robinson, Mrs. Harold Holler and the hostess.

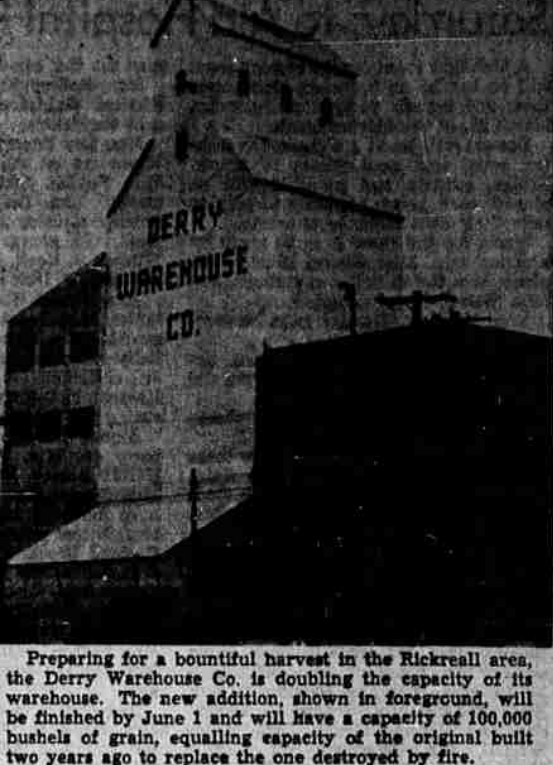
The meeting was a social one and the special award was given to Mrs. Laudie. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Robinson.

The Auburn Cookettes 4-H club held their meeting Tuesday at the home of their leader, Mrs. Dale Sullivan. The demonstration in the baking of a sponge cake was given by Mrs. Sullivan.

Girls present were Sandra Maas, Mary Feakens, Sharon Bouche, Arlene Maas and Linda Sullivan.

Two Auburn community boys had trips to the hospital this week, Jim and Steve Townsend, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Townsend, had their tonsils removed on Monday.

## EXPANDING WAREHOUSE



Preparing for a bountiful harvest in the Rickreall area, the Derry Warehouse Co. is doubling the capacity of its warehouse. The new addition, shown in foreground, will be finished by June 1 and will have a capacity of 100,000 bushels of grain, equalling capacity of the original built two years ago to replace the one destroyed by fire.

## Rep. Haynes Tells of A-Bomb Blast Reaction

The House of Representatives took time out Friday to hear one of its members, Lloyd E. Haynes, Grants Pass, give an eye-witness account of the atomic explosion at Yucca Flat, Nev., last Tuesday.

Haynes and Rep. W. W. Braden, Burns, were among 800 military, government, civil defense and other state officials to see the blast.

Haynes said his principal reaction to the explosion was relief from "the extreme tension just preceding the nuclear fury. He said many witnesses became ill from the "letdown," but that he and Braden suffered no disturbing effects.

Haynes said he was given a pair of very dark glasses, but that the brightness of the explosion easily penetrated the almost-black glass. "I was blinded by the flash," Haynes said, "and if I had it to do over again, I would rather turn my back."

Haynes said he took off the glasses 12 seconds after the blast, and then saw the shock wave rippling across the desert.

"When it struck me, it picked me up and set me back like a jolt," he said.

The fireball turned to a "gruesome purple" and sucked up an extremely dense cloud of dust, which hung over the area for an hour, then seemed to plummet to earth.

Haynes said he concluded

## Mid-Willamette Obituaries

**William P. Leach** — William P. Leach, 74, died in a Salem hospital Thursday. Leach was born December 17, 1879. He had lived in Salem for the last year, coming from McCoy, Ore.

Leach leaves two sons, William Roland Leach, Salem; and James Leach, Paynesville, Minn.; a daughter, Mrs. Samuel McDaniels, Hardman, Ore.; two half-brothers, Claude Clark, Portland and Grover Clark, San Francisco, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Sidney McDougal, North Hollywood, Calif.; and Mrs. R. H. Lenton, Randolph, Neb.; and numerous grandchildren.

Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Monday, March 23, at the McMinville Funeral Home. Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery.

## DEATHS

**Carl Fisher** — Carl Fisher, at a local hospital, March 18, survived by a brother, Richard Fisher, Fairburn, Ore.; sister, Mrs. Vada Boynton, Tule Lake, Calif.; and Mrs. Thelma Anderson, Portland; two sons, Pete Mitchell, Portland, R. H. Dietz, Portland; sister, Sally Simpson, Alameda, Calif.; three brothers, Ed Black, Albany, Oregon; Black, Pacific, Wash.; Ben Black, Sacramento, Calif. Also survived by 7 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Services will be held Monday, March 23 at 1:30 p.m. in the W. T. Bladon chapel, The Interment in City View cemetery. The Rev. Brooks Moore will officiate.

## John Grimes New Polk 4-H Leader

Dallas — John Grimes of Junction City has been named county extension agent succeeding Jack Evay, according to N. John Hansen, Polk county extension agent.

Grimes is an Oregon State college graduate in farm crops with the class of '40. He has served as assistant secretary of the Yamhill county PMA office after leaving school and also served at 4-H club agent in Clackamas county.

For the past eight years he has been farming in the Junction City area.

Grimes was also a former 4-H club member in Linn county.

In Polk county, he will be in charge of the 4-H agricultural program as well as the general organization work in 4-H. He also will assist in various phases of the adult agricultural program, Hansen stated.

The appointment is subject to the approval of the state board of higher education.

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