

Local Paragraphs

Returns from Portland—Miss Frieda Muellhaupt has returned from Portland where she was called by the death of a relative, Mrs. Vernon Rubin. She visited friends while there, too.

Winners Announced—The Salem Movie Club announces the winners in the movie contest which was held at their regular meeting Tuesday night in the Salem Memorial Hospital Chapel. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bloom won the trophy for the best film entered in the 8mm division and Melba Conrad won the trophy given for the 16mm division.

New Salesman—A new salesman, T. D. (Tom) Pomeroy of 2935 Rivercrest Drive, has been employed by Ramsey Real Estate at 208 1/2 North Commercial. Pomeroy is especially popular among Salem's "small fry" around Christmas time. Each year, he appears in the role of Santa Claus at various functions throughout the city.

Seed Analysts Meet—Miss Grace White, Mrs. Harvey Scheidel and Mrs. Elmer Morley, seed analysts at Jenks-White Seed Laboratory attended a seed analyst meeting and dinner, followed by a short program at the Benton hotel in Corvallis Wednesday night.

Pre-natal Class—Four couples, all expecting babies, were present Wednesday night at the class in pre-natal instruction at the Public Health Department. The lecture with a film on "Labor in Childbirth" was given by Mary Lois Mondloch, a public health nurse. She also gave a demonstration on how to make the baby "bump" and other matters of baby care.

Tea Postponed—The Child Evangelism Fellowship announces the postponement of one week of the mother's tea at which Mrs. Willard Aldrich is to be the speaker. Instead of Friday, January 22, it will be held a week from Friday, January 29, 1:30 to 3 o'clock, in the lower Fireside Room of the First Baptist Church, Marion and Liberty streets. A nursery for small children will be provided.

Social Sunday—The Salem chapter of the Indoor Sports Club will have a social Sunday afternoon at the Hollywood Lions Den. A no host dinner will be served at 1:30 and entertainment will follow. The meeting will be open to the Good Sports Club and anyone who is interested.

Building Permits—Fred Lamport, to alter a store at 143 North High, \$300. Charles W. McCabe, to build a one-story duplex dwelling at 1915-1917 7th, \$15,000. Consolidated Food Processors, to alter a cannery at 1105 North Front, \$8,000. M. Girard, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 2325 Claude, \$8000.

Airport Road Patched—The city again has the South 25th street approach to the Salem airport in good traffic condition. The road has deteriorated under weather attacks and patching operations have been in progress for some time.

Boys Admit Burglary—Five teenagers from Fairview Home have admitted the recent burglary of the Hrubetz and Bushnell building at 2880 South 25th Street, city police reported Wednesday. The boys admitted going to the nearby building on New Year's afternoon and returning to the school the same day after taking about \$1 and several bottles of soft drink from a vending machine, also a number of tools and some articles of work clothing. They said they tossed some articles into the creek nearby. Most of the loot was recovered and returned to the owners, police said.

Cars Collide—The collision of cars driven by Clara Jane Coburn, Route 2, and Frank Oliver, 1960 North 15th street, Wednesday afternoon resulted in considerable damage to both cars, city police reported. The accident occurred near the intersection of Tile road and North Capitol street as the Oliver car was pulling away from the curb.

MILITARY MEN AND VETERANS

Thursday, January 21
USAR school at USAR armory, D battery 722nd AA, AV battalion, National Guard, at quon set huts.
Company D, 162nd infantry regiment, Oregon National Guard at Salem armory.
Organized Naval Reserve surface division at Naval and Marine Corps Reserve training center.

Births

SALEM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
KRUPICKA—To Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Krupicka, 995 Cascade Dr., a boy, Jan. 20.
PACK—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pack, 1235 Vista Ave., a boy, Jan. 20.
BROWN—To Mr. and Mrs. William V. Brown, 1945 N. Church St., a boy, Jan. 20.
SALEM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
CULLEN—To Mr. and Mrs. James Cullen, 2720 Fifth Ave., a boy, Jan. 20.
COUTURE—To Mr. and Mrs. William V. Couture, 475 McNary St., a boy, Jan. 20.
MILVERTON HOSPITAL
CARRY—To Mr. and Mrs. Don Casey, 427 1/2 Jan. 20.
DYRUD—To Mr. and Mrs. Justin Dyrud, a girl, Jan. 19.

Hands Up—Well, it looked like a stickup Wednesday evening when a customer at Orcutt's market, 4200 North River road, saw an employee in the back of the store with his hands raised in the air. So he phoned police. Patrol cars from city, county and state offices converged on the scene to find that apparently what their tipster had seen was an employee directing a truck that was backing up to a loading door.

Ring Missing—Her set of wedding and engagement rings and about \$7 in cash were stolen from a shelf in her kitchen, Mrs. Marilyn Kassel, 1074 Sixth street, reported to city police Wednesday.

New Highways To Be Built '54

Here is a list showing the mileage of new construction which the Oregon Highway Commission plans to contract in the first six months of 1954, and the total amount of contracts to be awarded in each county:
Baker 2.8 miles and \$44,000; Benton 2.54 and \$210,000; Clackamas 8.82 and \$518,000; Clatsop 1.99 and \$125,000; Columbia 20.92 and \$1,136,000; Coos, no miles and \$145,000; Crook 9.92 and \$180,000; Curry 5.56 and \$1,457,000; Deschutes 10.5 and \$53,000; Douglas 25.38 and \$4,875,000; Gilliam 9.5 and \$35,000; Grant 2.79 and \$93,500; Harney 20.02 and \$672,000; Hood River 1.1 and \$42,000; Jackson 3 and \$531,000; Josephine, no miles and \$40,000; Klamath 15.4 and \$684,700; Klamath-Lake 43.6 and \$131,000; Land 35.47 and \$3,885,000; Lincoln 1.91 and \$166,000; Lincoln-Polk 3.91 and \$269,000; Malheur 20.3 and \$380,000; Marion 29.18 and \$4,997,000; Morrow 18.9 and \$77,000; Multnomah 5.85 and \$2,950,000; Polk 3.18 and \$133,000; Umatilla, no miles and \$605,000; Union 13.6 and \$78,000; Wallowa 6.77 and \$191,000; Wasco 10.5 and \$1,660,000; Washington 15.93 and \$1,265,000; Wheeler 6 and \$54,000; Yamhill, no miles and \$240,000.

Hearts and Flowers For Policemen's Ball

Hearts and flowers will be in style for the 1954 Annual Policemen's Ball. Police Captain Glenn Bowman announced Thursday that a Valentine theme would be carried out for the annual dance which will be held this year on February 13.

Lewis Cuts Funds of Disabled Coal Miners

WASHINGTON—Disabled soft coal miners will have the benefits from their welfare fund sharply cut in March. The fund trustees, headed by United Mine Workers President John L. Lewis, said Wednesday night the \$30 monthly maintenance paid disabled miners and \$10 monthly benefits to each of their dependents will be eliminated. The trustees said the move was made less for economy reasons than to put the responsibility on federal and state relief programs.

Justice Brand to Be

Justice James T. Brand of the Oregon Supreme Court will be the principal speaker at the dedication of a new wing of the Coos county court house in Coquille Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Brand will accompany him on the trip. Justice and Mrs. William C. Perry also plan to attend the dedication and Perry made a remark at the banquet planned for Saturday evening.

CJ—LOCAL READERS

Problem hair? We specialize in all types of hair care at school prices. Modern Beauty College, 476 N. Church, Phone 3-8141.
Castle Permanent Waves, 305 Lively Bldg. Ph. 3-3663. Permanent \$5, up. Ruth Ford, Manager.
Rummage Fri., Jan. 22. Beaver Hall over Greenbaum's, W. W. Club. Doors open 8:30.
Clearance Sale on all merchandise at Lormans, 1109 Edgewater. Open till 7:00 p.m.
Accordion lessons. Instruments rented while you learn. Wiltsey Music House, 1860 State. Ph. 3-7186.
Antiques close out at cost. Moving Jan. 28. Everything must go. Open evenings. 3655 Portland Road.

Marshall's Oper for Lunch

11:30 a. m. special lunch dinners.

Rummage Sale Saturday, Jan. 23, 339 N. High. 8-6. Good warm clothing. Salem Jr. Woman's Club.

CARL W. HOGG NAMED FIRST CITIZEN



William L. Phillips (left), first citizen for 1952, passes the plaque of honor along to Carl W. Hogg, named first citizen for 1953.

Mystery Veils Lost Tacoma Tug

BELLINGHAM—A tug with two men aboard vanished mysteriously overnight almost within shouting distance of its Bellingham destination. The tug was the 30-foot Mile of the Bellingham Tug and Barge Co. The men aboard were Don Heffling and Bob Sloan, both of Bellingham. The tug was returning from Lummi Island to Bellingham Bay after picking up logs. It had left the island at about 5 p.m. Wednesday. A search by air and by ground around the shore line Friday failed to produce any clue to the strangely missing craft. Strong winds were blowing in the area at the time and again Friday morning. The tug was on a trip of only a few miles through Hale Passage.

Open Probe of Crash Landing of Convair

BUFFALO, N. Y.—American Airlines and the Civil Aeronautics Administration opened investigations Thursday in the crash landing of a Convair twin engine airplane that caused injury to six persons. The liner belly landed in a swampy field five minutes after takeoff from Buffalo airport Wednesday, skidding an eighth of a mile, plunged through trees and brush and lost a wing. Miraculously, none of the 24 aboard was killed or seriously hurt. Five of the injured were hospitalized.

COURTS

Circuit Court
Helen Oster vs Jack Oster. Decree of divorce to plaintiff awarding her custody of minor child and \$40 monthly support.
State vs H. A. Marconi. Order from Brevintion justice court, holding defendant to grand jury on charge of theft and to commit a felony. Bail fixed at \$300 and commitment issued.
B. J. Cole vs Andrew and Iona Puzic and Iona Overholser. Order allowing plaintiff to appeal from decree of Dec. 5, 1953.
Ray D. Drivers vs Alvin and Iva Williams. Demurrer by defendant Alvin Williams on ground of insufficient facts.
William H. Bahr and Motara Insurance Corp. vs J. K. and Dorothy Mackenzie. Motion for new trial by defendants.
William A. Kirsh vs Shepard-Domawalt Equipment Co. Motion by defendant to make complaint more definite and certain.
Laurance Frederick Wershner vs Gertrude Wershner. Decree to plaintiff awarding her custody of four minor children. Property agreement confirmed.
Robertia Fern Fisher vs George E. Fisher. Order of default entered against defendant.
Sandus Menz vs Kenneth Menz. Order of default entered against defendant.
Blue Mountain Mills, Inc. vs Western Lumber Factors, Inc. Judgment in favor of plaintiff in the sum of \$2,550.
Consolidated Pine, Inc. vs Western Lumber Factors, Inc. Judgment of \$12,618 in favor of plaintiff.
Probate Court
Alexander Jones estate. Estate appraised at \$2,700.21.
Edward H. Muller estate. Return of sale of personal property.
John R. Hinderliter estate. Final decree.
Peter Larkok estate. Petition for license to sell real property.
G. Max Finney estate. Order admitting will to probate and appointing Carl W. Hogg executor.

VICTIM RE-ENACTS CRIME



Leonard Moskowitz, 36, realtor, demonstrates for police how he was bound, gagged and blindfolded while held captive as his two kidnapers sought to collect \$300,000 ransom for 2 1/2 days while being held in a San Francisco home. Police, in a dramatic move, rescued Moskowitz and arrested his kidnapers. Officers looking on, left to right: Lieut. Don Scott, Lieut. Frank Ahearn and Assistant District Attorney Francis Mayer. (AP Wirephoto)

Escape Plot

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Taking a length of 3/4-inch electric cable from the storeroom, they made their way to the roof of the "intermediate" building behind the administration building, which put them above and about 1 1/2 feet from the outer wall. With a homemade hook on the end of the cable, they made an attempt to hook the wall but it failed to take hold. Although guards meanwhile were searching the grounds and checking for the cause of the power outage, the foursome had still not been spotted, and so apparently decided to sneak back to their cells. A guard spotted them as they huddled behind a door to the central control room and they were again taken into custody and placed in cells in the new segregation ward. Warden Gladden described them as maximum custody prisoners now while they had been close custody prisoners before the unsuccessful attempt. Other classes of custody are medium security prisoners, most of whom are housed in old Cellblock B, and minimum security prisoners, or trustees. The would-be escapees were housed in new cellblocks C and D. Ringleader Brumfield, 39, has escaped once from the prison, in February of 1946, but was soon recaptured. He also figured in a six-man escape attempt in October of 1952 where two men were wounded and all were recaptured.

PLOT LEADER



Allen Brumfield, lifer, leader of plot to escape that was foiled at state prison Wednesday night.

N.W. Projects

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The budget showed the army engineers estimated 78 million dollars more will be needed in the future to complete Chief Joseph and \$257,600,000 to complete The Dalles. The request for McNary dam, also on the Columbia, was \$24,547,008 last year. Another \$18,900,000 will complete the dam, it was said.
Detroit Dam Included
A request of \$72,036 was put in for final work at Detroit dam, which was dedicated last year. An appropriation of \$6,543,000 was asked for Lookout Point dam, compared with \$15,610,099 last year. The engineers estimate another \$1,600,000 will complete the project. Both dams are in the Willamette watershed.
Also asked was \$1,535,000 for fish rescue and protection work on the Columbia river.
An \$8,600,000 appropriation was sought for the Columbia basin project, on which the government spent \$18,303,706 this year.

Cuts Spending

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Military aid would rise by 75 million dollars, he said, to a new peak of \$4,275,000,000 for round-the-world assistance to friendly nations. The President told Congress "there will be no way of operating within the present debt limit" of 275 billion dollars in the last six months of this year. Therefore, he said, he was renewing his request, stymied in the Senate last summer, for a higher ceiling. Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey told newsmen the administration would again ask for 290 billion dollars borrowing authority, a boost of 15 billions. Both Humphrey and Budget Director Joseph M. Dodge, who met newsmen separately in briefing sessions, refused to forecast when the budget might be balanced. Both said efforts to bring out down to the level of income would not be relaxed. This budget was the first one prepared by a national Republican administration in 21 years. All the recommendations, of course, are subject to approval by Congress. There is considerable election-year sentiment there to reduce taxes further, a step which would swell the deficit unless corresponding cuts were made in spending.

Fingers Lacerated in Mushroom Machine

A Salem woman suffered severe lacerations of two fingers of her right hand when she caught them in some machinery while working at the West Mushroom farms, 4949 State street, about 8:30 Thursday morning. Ada Faist, 4025 State street, told first aidmen her gloves caught in the machinery and pulled her hand into the machine. She was taken home where first aidmen were called to treat the injuries and she was then taken to Salem General hospital by her husband for further treatment.

Blames Speculators For Coffee Price Hike

WASHINGTON UP—Sen. Guy M. Gillette (D-Ia) said today he is convinced that speculators are mainly to blame for the sharp jump in coffee prices. He called for quick action on his bill to give the government power to put the Coffee Exchange under strict regulation. If this had passed when he introduced it last year, he said, it would have helped prevent the current spiral. Preliminary to the honors to the First Citizen, Russell E. Pratt, immediate past Chamber of Commerce president, was given a certificate of appreciation and recognition from the Chamber by Mr. Hammond, also a large scrapbook highlighting activities of the Chamber during Mr. Pratt's term. The Willamette university string trio, Lisbeth Shields, Sally Bollinger and Margaret Huson, played during the dinner. Salem's three previous First Citizens—the program of choosing one was begun in 1951—were present, Charles A. Sprague, 1950, Robert L. Elfstrom, 1951, and William L. Phillips, Sr., 1952.

Fast Moving

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Freezing rain was reported at both Seattle and Portland along with some snow. But the Seattle overnight low was a comparatively mild 26 above. The temperature was up 30 degrees at Newport in northeastern Washington. It was -27 there early morning at the same time. From one to eight inches of new snow was reported elsewhere in north Idaho. Lewiston and Grangeville had overnight minimums of -2. The storm front came from the British Columbia coast and moved in earlier than expected. The snow clouds were figured to keep temperatures up above zero Thursday night, with minimums of 5-10 above forecast for Thursday night and early Friday in the Inland Empire, higher on the coast.

Silver Thaw Along Columbia River Road

Silver thaw made the Columbia River highway at Troutdale as icy as a skating rink and motorists were required to use chains. Chains were required at Austin, and advised at Government Camp, Timberline, Wilson river summit, Sunset summit, Warm Springs junction, Cascade locks, Bend, Santiam Pass and Chemult. Packed snow was well sand at Willamette Pass, Ochoco summit and Meacham. Chains were advised at East Diamond lake, also.

Prices Good Thru Sat.

79c Shower and Bath Spray 49¢ Toiletry	9c Waldorf TOILET TISSUE 4 Rolls 27¢ Toiletry—Limit 8
15c Pocket Tins Tobacco Prince Albert Velvet or Half & Half Your Choice 3 for 25¢ Toiletry—Limit 3	10c Large Size Pot Holders 5¢ Variety
79c Value Plastic Table Cover 54"x54" Size 29¢ Variety	25c Sparkling Crystal Glass Hollow Stem Beer Goblet Holds Full Can or Bottle Beer 15¢ 6 for 89¢ Variety
5c Handi-Pak PONDS TISSUE Pocket Size, Easy to Carry, Lint Free. 2 for 5¢ Limit 4	2 Yr. Oregon Field Grown Rose Bushes 49¢ 6 for \$2.89
49c Hickok Honey Comb Chips 8 oz. Tray 29¢ Candy	Regular \$1.00 Jeweled Lipstick • Non Smear • Gold Plated Case • Stays on Longer 29¢ Plus Tax Toiletry
\$1.59 Ocoma Whole Chicken Jumbo 3 lb., 4 oz. Tin \$1.29 Less than 38c a Lb. Delicious Meal For Four People	100% Zephyr Wool Sweaters \$4.98 \$1.99 Value Perfect Quality, Ass't. Styles to Choose From. Apparel

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