

# Illinois Valley News

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## Capital Parade By MURRAY WADE

### NEW LIQUOR CHAIRMAN

Another good man has stepped into the crossfire that has been coming from extremists of both wet and dry groups ever since the Knox law has been in force.

Robert L. Elfstrom, Salem merchant and former mayor, has been appointed chairman of the liquor control commission by Governor Douglas McKay who recently announced the resignation of William H. Hammond as administrator.

The new chairman succeeds Carl Hogg, also a Salem merchant, who last February asked the governor to accept his resignation when the legislature was considering making the chairmans' position a full time job with compensation. Chairman Hogg explained to the governor that he could not accept such a position as his private business required a part of his time. He said he was pleased with the governor's appointment of Elfstrom, "a forthright man of unrelenting integrity."

Governor McKay referred to Elfstrom as a man having integrity, business acumen and administrative skill, which he has demonstrated in his own successful business, as mayor of Salem and as president of the League of Oregon Cities.

### DON'T MISS THE SHOW

The greatest Oregon State Fair in history starts Saturday, September 1 and continues for eight days.

There is more intensive interest evident than has heralded the approach of any previous fair.

There will be larger and more complete exhibits of all kinds, with an emphasis on agriculture, livestock, educational and recreational features, proportioned to match the vocational groups of the state, says Manager Leo Spitzbart, who has fashioned increasingly successful state fairs here since 1935.

## — LOCALS —

Mrs. Purdie and Miss Fulmer were visited by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fuller from Portland last Saturday and evening.

Sunday afternoon Rev. and Mrs. Jake Boss of Bridgeview visited Mr. and Mrs. Simmie Hilliard at the Q-X Ranch. Mr. Hilliard has been in bed suffering from a pulled ligament in his back since Sunday afternoon. Sunday evening Myrtle Preston baby-sat with him.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dunlap of Cave Junction were the hosts of Mr. and Mrs. Emo Zimmerman from Yakima, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunlap from Klamath Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pierce from Medford and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Neethammer of Yreka, California.

Mrs. Frank Mellow returned Monday from her vacation at Redding, California, where she and her husband have been visiting two sons. She and Mr. Mellow left Cave Junction August 4.

Mr. Mellow went further south to Merced where he will be visiting two brothers and friends for several weeks.

The summer vacation has been a busy one for the R. H. Holm's of Cave Junction with visitors dropping in from California. Mr. and Mrs. W. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Head, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kelsey, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Glines, all of Pasadena were visitors at different times. Mr. and Mrs. Glines are thinking of moving to the Valley.

Also visiting the Holm's were Mr. and Mrs. T. Rosare of Tunja and Ricky Steward of Whittier. Ricky was here for about two months and left a week ago last Wednesday.

Polly Holm's cousin Mary Leslie of Los Angeles was visiting for a week in the Valley.

The famous Helene Hughes "Tulip Time Revue" will be presented nightly on the stage opposite the huge grandstand and the Horse Show and Rodeo will occupy the stadium each night. Free acts will be presented daily in the fun zone.

Sunday afternoon a sacred concert will feature the Forest Grove Gleeman and the Paul Armstrong "Prevue of Tomorrow's Stars," of Salem.

Eighty acres of parking space will be available.

Ninety per cent of the space for exhibitor's displays was sold by August 10th, Edward Armstrong, diplomatist of concessions revealed.

U. S. Senator Wayne Morse called Manager Leo Spitzbart from Washington this week to say he was coming to the horse show, as usual, with several entries.

Changes made in racing dates at western tracks will bring many more fast horses to the seven days of racing at Lone Oak track.

### AMMONIA KILLS BROOD FISH

This year's salmon brood in the North Santiam probably was destroyed this week when 9000 pounds of ammonia in dilution reached the river from an overflowing sediment basin at Detroit dam.

The Santiam rivers have some of the best spawning beds in the state for salmon and trout. Arne Suomela, Oregon's master fish warden termed the loss "a major catastrophe."

The killing of the brood salmon will mean the cancellation of egg stripping operations at Marion Forks Fish Hatchery next month when officials of the fish commission expected to take 4,000,000 eggs. The loss to commercial and sports fishermen is estimated at about \$250,000.

Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Collman and their son John left Aug. 7 on a trip to Seattle where they plan to stay until the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Peggy O'Dell, Judy Collman and her dog are keeping house.

This being Fair week, it is hoped and expected that some of our Valley folks are going to walk off with some prizes.

Mrs. Ruth Masters, accompanied by her daughters Jeanne and Janice returned Sunday after a pleasant visit with her sister Mrs. Bruce Wood and family of Portland.

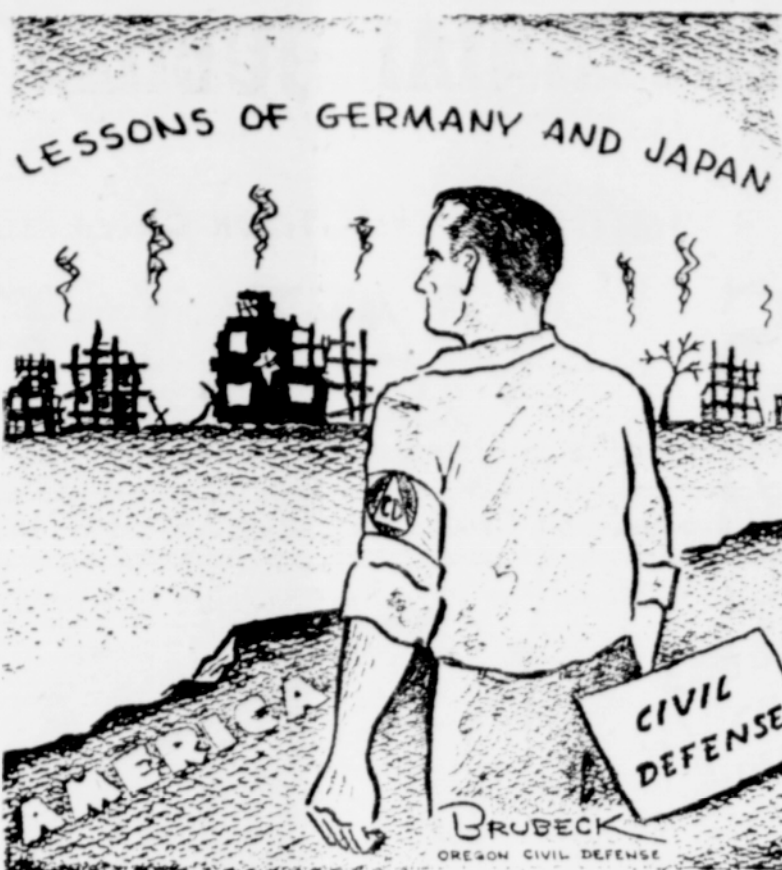
M. K. Snyder of Sequim, Washington arrived in Cave Junction Monday afternoon to visit with his daughter, Mrs. Betty Burnett and family. Mr. Snyder plans to be here a week.

Mrs. Gladys Chamberlin and children, Nettie and "Bucky" are down from Oregon City, for a few days, visiting friends and taking care of other business, and they plan to return soon to spend the winter in the north.

An unfortunate accident happened last Sunday morning when a truck load of children and adults was run into by another car, the truck being turned over spilling the ten occupants out and breaking both shoulder blades of Mrs. Myrtle Looper, who is now in the hospital. The others escaped with minor cuts and bruises.

What seemed almost a miraculous fire occurred at the George Gray home recently when sparks from supposedly dead ashes caught the grass near the chicken yards and burned within a couple of feet of the buildings, when it was discovered and extinguished.

## THE LESSON



Where does the battlefield stop and the home front begin? That always has been a big question on the plains of Europe. Until the present, Americans have not given it much thought. To our civilian population, war is remote.

The question has been forced upon us by technological advances. Six or seven years ago European and Japanese cities were flattened by TNT and incendiary bombs — before the A-bomb was perfected. Probably more persons lost their lives by fire at Tokyo in a six-hour period than at any time in history.

We have a heritage from the Old World we had not contemplated. They learned about civil defense the hard way. While there's yet time we must heed the lesson.

### Legion Auxiliary Meeting

On Aug. 1 the American Legion Auxiliary voted to ask anyone having relatives in the service to give his name to any member of the Auxiliary or to the Auxiliary President, Myrtle Clifford.

John Krauss celebrated his 4th birthday Saturday afternoon, with a party. The children enjoyed fishing for toys in a fishpond. John's mother, Mrs. Lew Krauss served birthday cake and party roll ice cream, and gingerbread boys were used for table decorations. Guests were Mrs. Elwin Crouse and Vicki, Mrs. Henry Krauss and Willa Ann, Mrs. Otis Hussey, Kathryn and Michael Hussey, Carol Carter and Sandra Shaw.

Miss Pat Brown is visiting with her sister Mrs. J. E. Stepp and family until school starts.



SATURDAY, AUGUST 18th —

### DEVIL'S DOORWAY

ROBERT TAYLOR

SUN., MON., AUG. 19 & 20 —



TUES., WED., AUG. 21 & 22 —

### DEPORTED

MARTA TOREN  
JEFF CHANDLER

AND

### GASOLINE ALLEY

SCOTTY BECKETT  
JIMMY LYDON

THURS., FRI., AUG. 23 & 24 —

### FRENCHIE

JOEL MCCREA  
SHELLEY WINTERS  
PAUL KELLY  
ELSA LANCHESTER  
JOHN EMERY

### SHOW REVUE

SATURDAY

Flaming with vivid action and a strange romance, "Devils Doorway" is the story of a man who lived beyond the law—and love!

Also playing in this spectacular western are Louis Calhern, Marshall Thompson, James Mitchell and Edgar Buchanan.

SUNDAY & MONDAY

With Van Heflin, Yvonne De Carlo, Alex Nicol and Preson Foster acting in "Tomahawk," a night of entertainment is in store for Sunday and Monday night movie-goers.

"Tomahawk" is a story of pioneer adventure complete with Indians and pioneers. Jim Bridger, a noted scout, played by Van Heflin is seen seeking revenge of the slayer who killed his Indian wife.

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

"Gasoline Alley," the wonderfully entertaining comic strip will be brought to life Tuesday and Wednesday on the Ivy screen when Scotty Beckett, Jimmy Lydon and Susan Morrow take over the leading roles of those famed comic strip characters.

Energetic, obstinate Scotty Beckett leaves college and returns home with a wife he's determined to support by his own efforts.

"Gasoline Alley" is a pleasant little comedy acted mostly by young actors and especially appealing to the younger crowd.

AND

On the second bill being shown will be "Deported," starring Marta Toren and Jeff Chandler.

THURSDAY & FRIDAY

Joel McCrea and Shelly Winters head the cast of "Frenchie," which also features Paul Kelly, Elsa Lanchester, John Emery and John Russell.

Sheriff Joel McCrea, white watching Shelley Winters to see that she operates her gambling joint within the law, falls in love with her, and has quite a time minding his business. In "Frenchie" you'll find gunplay, a feminine hair-pulling fight, much riding and many beautiful technicolor shots.

SATURDAY

"Bedtime for Bonzo" brings you another good animal comedy with Bonzo, a chimpanzee who performs amazingly well and Ronald Reagan and Diana Lynn making with the laughs. Helping out in the supporting cast are Walter Slezak and Lucille Barkley.

Reagan, a young psychology professor attempts to prove to his prospective father-in-law that only early environment determines what a child shall be like, and takes a monkey home to train. To help him, he hires an attractive young lady who not only ends up helping him prove his theories, but also wins him away from fiancée.

"Bedtime for Bonzo" will provide the entire family with good entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Campbell of San Diego have been here visiting the Dale Tucker family. Lawrence was married recently to the former Janice Emery of San Diego and they were on their honeymoon. Lawrence is a hospital apprentice on a hospital ship in the Navy and he expects to be sent to the Mediterranean for duty when he gets back to base.

## SELMA NEWS ITEMS

(Mrs. Fritz Krauss)

Mrs. Charles Huffman was guest of honor Friday afternoon at a Stork shower. Mrs. Don King and laughter Charlotta were hostesses and the party was held at the home of Mrs. Leslie Weiss.

The honoree received many lovely gifts. Cake, jello and punch were served.

Billy Pope was home for a few days' furlough from Fort Bliss, Texas. He expects to be sent to England soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Hamilton and daughter Lawana and son Jerry of Santa Ana, California, have bought the Elmore place and moved here to make their home. He is a brother of Doyle Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ralls and family of Redding, California, have been here visiting Mrs. Ralls' sisters, Mrs. L. J. Prewitt and Mrs. W. Stepp and their families.

Mrs. Bert Hogue, who underwent surgery last week, is getting along satisfactorily according to late reports.

Mrs. Henry Krauss and daughter Willa Ann spent a few days in Corvallis last week with her mother, Mrs. W. Akin, who has been ill. She is improving, but will have to remain in bed for some time.

Sharon Tucker was in the hospital in Grants Pass a few days last week because of infection in her ear, but she is home again.

## Coming Soon

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Monte Brooks Show

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