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A BRIEF GLIMPSE . . .

Into the Past . . .

From the Files of the American

10 Years Ago . . . 1944

Next Sunday will be one of the greatest days in the history of the local Church of Christ, according to E. Gilbert Cays, minister. The occasion will be the dedication of the new annex and improvements of the church building.

Harry Sturgis received orders to report to headquarters at Portland July 20. Mr. Sturgis passed his physical examination for the navy several months ago.

Keith Gregory writes that he covered Australia pretty well on his furlough and visited Dale Haley and bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Hawley are expecting their son, Andy McAllister, AM 1/c, and his bride any time now.

Mrs. W. B. Kincaid and Mrs. E. J. Vincent, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Freeman and Ruth and Bill arrived home from Portland last Thursday evening.

M. H. W. Copinger received word of the christening of a destroyer named in honor of his grandfather, Joseph Francis Cropey, at Jacksonville, Florida, June 24.

Claire Higinbotham, while leading a horse, got his finger caught in the rope, breaking the bone lengthways in this finger on his hand.

Miss Helen Pfaff, who has been visiting her brother, Robert Pfaff, will leave Friday for Portland and from there to New York. She recently joined the WAVES.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tonn had her tonsils removed this week.

20 Years Ago . . . 1934

Motion pictures of Oregon's Diamond Jubilee celebration will be shown at Central Point Grange hall Friday evening, July 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jantzer, Bobby and Karl, and Mrs. Jantzer's father, Mr. Hansen, spent the weekend at Diamond Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Maddus have moved onto the Scott place on the Old Stage road. They have been living with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Swinson.

The first local watermelon on the market were brought in this morning by Otto Bohnert.

Clarence Borah arrived last Wednesday from Haines, N. Dak., and is staying at the home of his uncle, Mr. Henry Borah.



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Westside Mother's Club Leaders Meet

Westside News Notes

Officers of the Mother's Club of the Westside school met at the home of Mrs. Francis Cheney on Wednesday of this week to make plans for the coming school year. Officers for the club are: Mrs. Wayne Stine, president; Mrs. Francis Cheney, vice president; Mrs. F. Givens, secretary; and Mrs. Lewis Conger, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tonn and three small children are visiting relatives and friends in the valley. Last Wednesday they called on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Conger. Tonn is a master sergeant at Travis Air Base, California. While here, they are staying with Mrs. Tonn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Trent of Medford.

makes it even more so is the fact that it actually happened and the consequences of Lacey's meeting Jed are written in local histories. Jealousy and gossip fanned the flames of a passion that might have been controlled, and the love that resulted has made "The Corioli Affair" a part of Americana.

Jed was the criminal who would pay for past crimes and serve as a warning that lawlessness must stop. He was to pay with his life for a crime he had not committed and for other murders of which he knew nothing. The book throbs with the agony and sweating hate of a furious mob sopping their need of self righteousness in the blood of an innocent victim.

To Seek Happiness

Violence was no novelty to Lacey whose father was an Irish revolutionary, but she had come to America to seek quiet happiness and had fallen in love with the wrong man and became a woman of international notoriety. This fame made it possible for her to go on the stage and make enough money to buy the one place in the world she had to own. You can see the house that was once Jed Dayton's with the river still flowing below it. You can visit the graves where the two lovers are finally united in death.

Some will say this is all they deserved. Others will admit it is a just ending, but will mourn over the sufferings of human entanglements.

HERE FROM ALASKA

Mr. and Mrs. Oba Logan are new residents in Central Point, having moved here from Astoria. They are residing in the Braund apartments at 55 South Second street.

Book Briefs

From Central Point

Public Library

By Evelyn Graham



Literary Guild has chosen for its June selection a book that will inspire many varied reaction. Some will like it exceedingly. Others will be offended by its picture of desperation and hopelessness, but everyone will be effected by its story of great love and deep sorrow. "The Corioli Affair" by Mary Deasy would make a suitable plot for an opera or drama.

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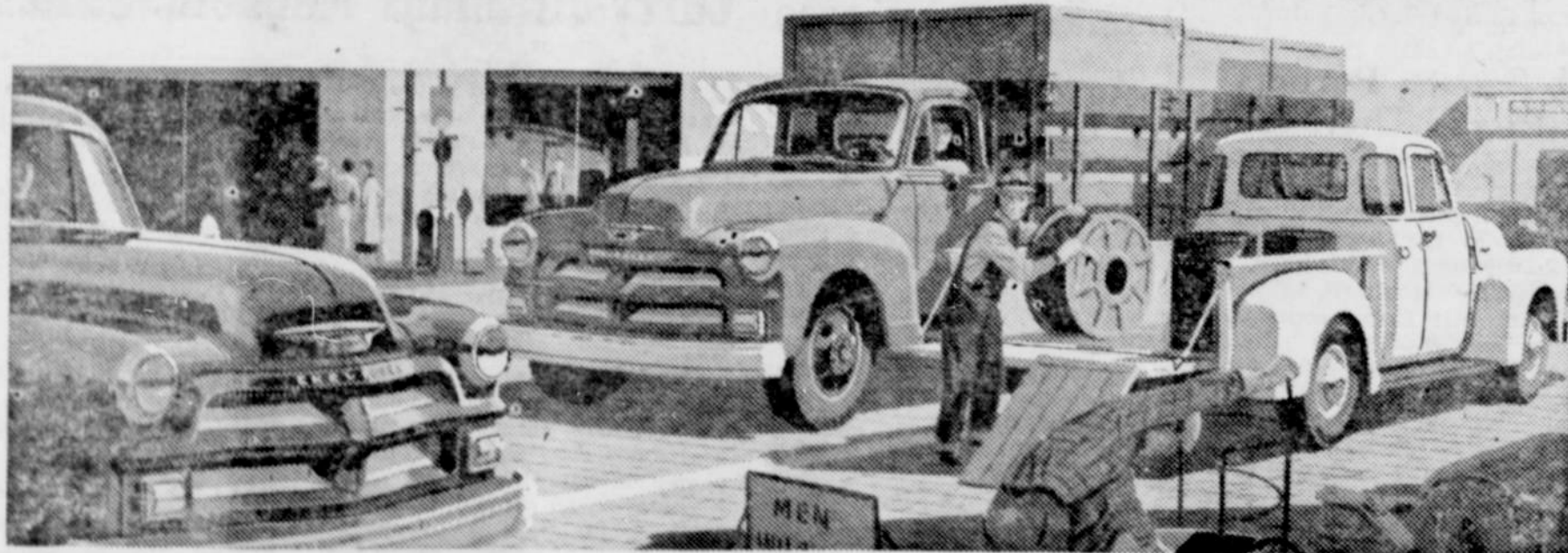
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