

PUBLIC IS ASKED TO HELP IN HUNT FOR MISSING MAN

Thomas C. Parker, acting superintendent of Crater Lake national park, today asked the help of the public in a search for Albert C. Goetze, 68-year old Ashtland resident who disappeared shortly after noon on Sunday, September 24, while employed in the park as a saw filer.

A thorough search of the park has been made daily by park employees, CCC enrollees and CCC foremen since Mr. Goetze's disappearance became known and further search of the park is considered futile, Mr. Parker said.

Considering the possibility that Mr. Goetze might have left the park to visit at some unexplained destination without informing fellow workers or park executives, Mr. Parker came to Medford late yesterday to enlist public aid in searching for the missing man.

Mr. Goetze had intimated just before his disappearance that he was ready to quit work, it has been learned.

Mr. Goetze is of slight build, being five feet, eight inches tall and weighing 135 pounds. He has white hair which he wears cut high and short. He has a slight limp in his left leg. His home is at 295 Palm avenue, Ashtland. His picture is published on page 1.

Mr. Goetze worked alone in a detached shop in the park and so his disappearance was not known until Tuesday noon, two days after it is believed he disappeared. As soon as his disappearance became known, an extensive search was organized by J. Carlisle Crouch, chief ranger.

Anyone learning anything concerning the whereabouts of Mr. Goetze was asked by Mr. Parker to notify the park service.

LLANO, Texas.—(AP)—A. P. Moss, ranchman, has a collection of petrified fruit, including oranges, coconuts, a watermelon, and a peach.

Meteorological Report

Forecasts
Medford and vicinity, Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; cooler tonight with light frost.
Oregon: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday, cooler tonight in southwest portion, light local frost in west and freezing temperature in east portion, moderate northwest wind off the coast.

Local Data
Temperature a year ago today: highest 69, lowest 37.
Total monthly precipitation, .94 inches, excess for the month, .69 inches.

Total precipitation since September 1, 1939, 1.10 inches, excess for the season, .43 inches.
Relative humidity at 5 p. m. yesterday 86 percent; 5 a. m. today, 95 percent.
Tomorrow: sunrise 6:15 a. m., sunset 5:43 p. m.

Observations Taken at 5 a. m.—120 Meridian Time.

CITY—	High Temp.	Low Temp.	Wind	Weather
Boise	62	48	.14	Cloudy
Boston	80	58	.00	Cloudy
Buffalo	77	63	.00	Clear
Chicago	62	52	.00	P Cloudy
Denver	72	42	.00	Clear
Eureka	58	46	.41	Foggy
Havre	63	32	.00	Cloudy
Los Angeles	73	52	.00	Cloudy
Medford	60	46	.42	Cloudy
Omaha	75	50	.00	Clear
Phoenix	88	52	.00	Clear
Portland	63	47	.10	Cloudy
Reno	67	46	.10	Cloudy
Roseburg	63	42	.12	Cloudy
Salt Lake	67	51	.00	Cloudy
San Francisco	68	54	.00	Cloudy
Seattle	58	47	.29	Cloudy
Spokane	56	38	.00	P Cloudy
Wash., D. C.	73	56	.00	Cloudy
Wenatchee	60	41	.00	Cloudy

R. N. A. TO GIVE DANCE IN J'VILLE SATURDAY

JACKSONVILLE, Oct. 6.—(SpI)—The Royal Neighbors will sponsor a dance at the U. S. hotel Saturday night with the promise of a large crowd and the usual good music. Refreshments will be served near the conclusion of the dancing.

SALEM PLANNING CENTENNIAL FETE FOR NEXT YEAR

SALEM (UP)—Plans for a centennial next year, celebrating the construction of the first house on the present site of Salem in 1840, have been given official recognition by the city council. Mayor W. W. Chadwick was empowered to call a meeting of the heads of fraternal and civic groups to draft a campaign for the observance of the city's hundredth anniversary.

The house, occasion for the celebration, which was built by Jason Lee, pioneer missionary, is still standing. Oregon history shows that the building was distinctly the forerunner of modern Salem although the city was not incorporated until 1860.

Paraphrasing, some records show that the first house built by white men in the Willamette valley was built in 1812 just north of Salem near the present Oregon school for the deaf.

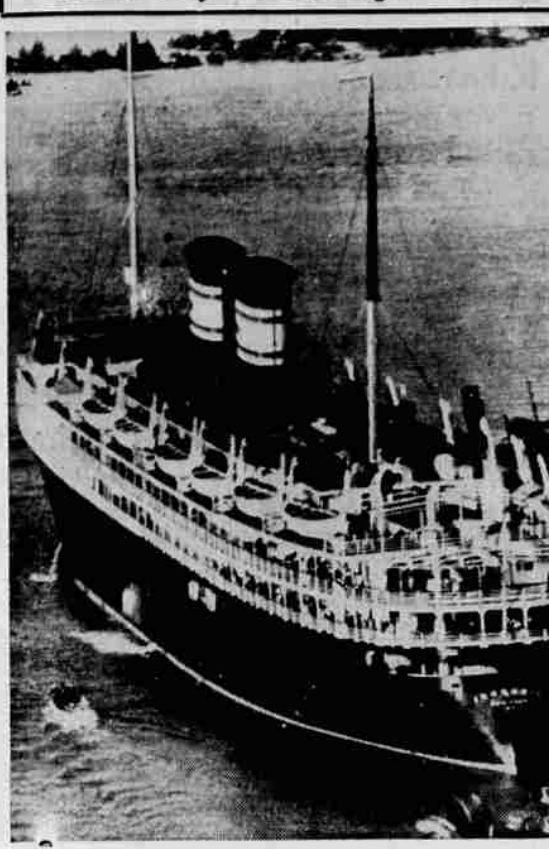
Jason Lee, with other Methodist missionaries, started a mission at Wheatland Ferry, 12 miles north of Salem, in 1834. The site proved to be unsatisfactory and in 1840 he came south and built the house which proved to be the start of the present city of Salem. The little settlement was at first called Chemenkata.

The same year a grist mill and saw mill were built and the town became known as The Mills. The following year, a manual training school for the Indians was built on the present site of Willamette university and the city took on its third name, Institute. Later the trustees of the Methodist church bought the school building and grounds and established Willamette university.

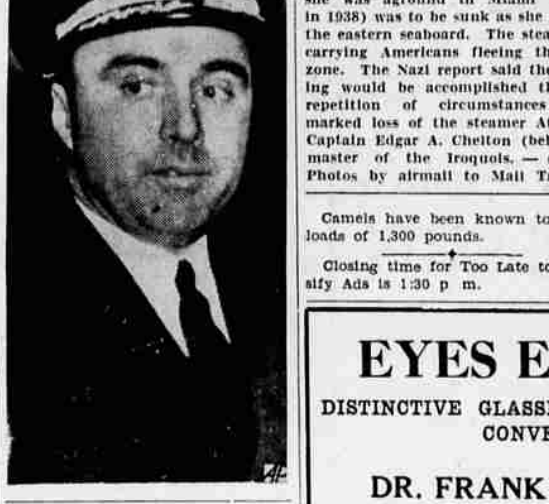
In 1846, the records show, William H. Wilson entered a donation land claim for a large part of the present site of Salem and two years later the claim was divided into lots. Another two years passed before the platting was officially filed and the town given its present name.

It became the capital of the state a year later and was finally incorporated in 1860.

Nazis Say U. S. Ship Doomed



Reports made public at Washington, D. C., yesterday by Stephen Early, presidential secretary, stated the United States had received word from the German navy that the American steamship Iroquois (shown above as she was aground in Miami harbor in 1938) was to be sunk as she neared the eastern seaboard. The steamer is carrying Americans fleeing the war zone. The Nazi report said the sinking would be accomplished through repetition of circumstances that marked loss of the steamer Athenia. Captain Edgar A. Chelton (below) is master of the Iroquois. — (A. P. Photos by airmail to Mail Tribune.



Deserts are caused chiefly by regular passage of hot, dry trade winds. Pneumatic tubes for transmission of messages were introduced in 1853.

BOY SLAYER CONTRITE BEFORE EXECUTION IN WALLA WALLA PRISON

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Oct. 6.—(AP)—Roy Wright, a 19-year-old youth whose car theft craze led him repeatedly afoul of the law, died on the Washington state prison gallows early today for killing an automobile dealer on a "demonstration" ride.

The Watsonville, Calif. youth dropped through the trap at 12:06 a. m. and was pronounced dead 13 minutes later.

His victim on the ride last November was John Dee Moore, Yakima automobile dealer who was prominent throughout eastern Washington. Repentant as he faced the noose, Wright said in his last statement: "My life is not worth half of the man I killed," and expressed the hope "the judgment of my sinful life will be a warning to all young boys and girls to not transgress the law."

Before dropping to 'his death, Wright admitted to Warden James McCauley and newspapermen in the execution chamber numerous automobile thefts with which he never had been linked. He had, however, served terms in two California institutions.

Wright was sentenced to death at Yakima. He had been returned there from San Jose, Calif., where he was arrested after attempting automobile theft by tactics similar to those which led to the killing of Moore.

COAST WALNUT QUOTA GETS FINAL APPROVAL

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—(AP)—Secretary Wallace announced today final approval of amendments to a federal marketing program fixing at 60 per cent the amount of this year's

west coast walnut crop which may be sold. The amendments were approved in a recent referendum by growers in California, Washington and Oregon. Growers must withhold 40 per cent of this year's crop as surplus above anticipated market needs.

Seagram's 7 Crown Blended Whiskey. The straight whiskies in this product are 4 years or more old. 40% straight whiskies, 60% grain neutral spirits, 90 Proof. Seagram-Distillers Corporation, New York.

CALIFORNIA MAILS WELFARE CHECKS

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 6.—(AP)—The state controller's office mailed checks totaling approximately \$1,500,000 today to California's 58 counties for distribution to the aged, blind and dependent children. Approximately \$2,000,000, the federal government's contribution to the department of social welfare, was released for payment at the same time. The federal funds were held up while the state negotiated the sale of its warrants.

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SOUP-BONES	Rich Broth For Cooler Days ea. 5c
BEEF ROASTS	Chuck Cuts lb. 11c
VEAL STEAKS	Shoulder Cuts lb. 14c
VEAL ROASTS	Chuck Cuts lb. 12c

Grocery Department

HILL'S RED CAN COFFEE	1 LB. TIN 26c
	2 LB. TIN 51c
PEAS 303 size	\$1.75
CORN 303 size	Case 24 Cans
STRING BEANS No. 2	1 Case 24 Cans
Josphine Tomatoes	Ext. Stand. No. 2 1/2 \$2.13 case

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MANAGED BY ELMO GRIMES
ONIONS, No. 1 50-lb. bag 65c
SWEET SPUDS, No. 1 4 lbs. 17c
ORANGES, nice and juicy . . . doz. 8c

Condensed Report of the UNITED STATES NATIONAL BANK of Portland, Oregon

as of October 2, 1939

RESOURCES	
Cash on Hand and Due from Banks	\$38,953,165.18
United States Government Bonds	37,912,703.60
Municipal and Other Bonds	9,307,729.96
Loans and Discounts	31,499,949.32
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	219,000.00
Bank Premises (including Branches)	3,076,848.21
Safe Deposit Vaults	34,714.55
Other Real Estate	80,747.86
Customers' Liability on Acceptances and Foreign Bills	294,158.90
Interest Earned	457,692.30
Other Resources	2,100.73
	\$141,838,810.81

LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$4,500,000.00
Surplus	2,800,000.00
Undivided Profits	2,390,171.21
Reserves	887,516.89
	\$10,577,688.10
Reserves for Interest, Taxes, etc.	252,931.96
Acceptances and Foreign Bills	294,158.90
Dividends Declared	78,750.00
Deposits: Demand and Time	\$121,833,433.59
*Public Funds	8,700,012.12
Interest Collected Not Earned	130,533,445.71
Other Liabilities	100,036.31
	1,779.83
	\$141,838,810.81

*Both Public and Trust Funds are secured according to law.

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