

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duffy motored to Salem Sunday and from there were accompanied to Beaverton by Mrs. Tom Courtney, Sr., where they visited at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Tom Courtney. They attended Rev. Courtney's church while there. Tom sends greetings to his friends here.

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY

and SATURDAY

January 14, 15 and 16

RANDOLPH SCOTT,  
PATRICE WYMORE in  
**THE MAN BEHIND  
THE GUN**

In Color—Plus—Color  
BROD CRAWFORD,  
CLAIRE TREVOR in  
**STOP, YOU'RE  
KILLING ME**

HILLTOP KIDS MATINEE

2:00 P. M. SATURDAY

SUNDAY

MONDAY

January 17-18

DORIS DAY,

RAY BOLGER, in

APRIL IN PARIS

In Technicolor

TUESDAY,

WEDNESDAY,

January 12 and 13

ANNE BAXTER,

RICHARD CONTE,

ANN SOTHERN, in

THE

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NEWS

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Complete show can be seen any  
time up to 8:30

## Gates PTA Hears Talk on 4H Work

GATES—The January meeting of the Gates Parent-Teacher Association was held Thursday evening, Jan. 7, in the auditorium of the Gates high school. Mrs. William Pennick presided at the business meeting. It was decided by the members to sponsor a second dance, to be held in the high school gymnasium, the date to be announced when an orchestra was secured. Following adjournment the speakers, Miss Bea Humphries and Anthol Riny, representatives from the Salem 4H office were introduced by Mrs. Edward Chance, chairman of the program committee.

Miss Humphries and Mr. Riny, spoke on the aims of 4H club work, the advantages to be gained by the youngsters and told of the various types of 4H work available. The program was closed by a comedy musical skit, presented by Mrs. Walter Brisbin, Mrs. Philip Hess, Mrs. Walter Thomas and Mrs. Stanley Vail, with Mrs. Edward Chance at the piano. The ladies used toy musical instruments and sang to their accompaniment.

Hostesses, who served refreshments were Mrs. Elmer Klutke, Mrs. Leo Johnson, and Mrs. Floyd Volk.

### KELLOM TO HELP MARCH OF DIMES FUND

Ed. Kellom, proprietor of Kellom's Grocery and Snack bar, has made it known that he will donate 50% of what he takes in at his hamburger stand during the next three Fridays, namely January 15th, 22nd and 29th, for the benefit of the March of Dimes. The campaign for funds to combat polio will continue through the entire month of January.

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### JERRY'S CORNER . . .

With prices high  
How fine if I  
Could live as  
Moths and moles  
They do not need  
Substantial feed,  
They live by eating holes.

Jerry

Gene Teague Chevrolet  
Stayton, Oregon

## Pre-Nuptial Shower Given For Miss Mary Anderson

Miss Mary Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Anderson, who plans to be married January 16 to Donald Sledge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barton Sledge of Scio, was honored with a bridal shower January 7th given by Mrs. James C. King and Virginia Bilyeu.

Those present were Mrs. Ella Sledge, mother of the groom to be, Mrs. Marvel Anderson, mother of the bride to be, Mmes. Irene Hayworth, John Clark, Elmer Shaw, Paul Jennings, James C. King, and Misses Audrey Shaw, Pauline Christensen, Roberta Loucks, Jane Ross, Evelyn Johnston, Ardis Meeks, Velma Shaw, Camille Goble, Rose Fleming and Virginia Bilyeu. Unable to attend but sending a gift was Miss Jackie Bickett.

## Engagement of Gerry Hamblin Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Hamblin announce the engagement of their daughter, Geraldine, to Doyle McMillin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. McMillin of Silverton.

Miss Hamblin is a member of the senior class of Mill City high school and is to graduate this spring. At present she is worthy advisor of Marilyn Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls.

Young McMillin graduated from Oregon Technical Institute at Klamath Falls on December 18, and expects to enter the U. S. Army in the near future.

## Civil Service Examinations For Prison Helpers Open

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced examinations for correctional aid, \$3,175 a year, and Prison Library Assistant (for males only), \$3,410 a year, for positions in Federal penal and correctional institutions located in many States throughout the country.

To qualify, applicants must pass written tests and must have had appropriate experience or education. Further information and application forms may be secured at many post offices throughout the country, or from U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

Applications will be accepted by the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Bureau of Prisons, c/o U. S. Penitentiary Leavenworth, Kansas, until further notice.

A birthday party was held in honor of Toni Joe Walters at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walters, December 28. Those present were Joe Joaquin and daughter, Darlene, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Novak, and children, Janice and Wallace, all of Gates.

## Wax To Be Made From Doug. Fir Bark

M. W. Kellogg Co. of New York is reported to have received a five year option covering U. S. exclusive production and sales rights for wax and other products obtained from Douglas fir bark.

Processes were developed by Dr. E. F. Kurth at the Oregon Forest Products laboratory at Oregon State college. An initial 3,000 lbs. of wax will be distributed to consumers as a method of product evaluation in competitive field. Production costs are estimated at \$75,000 for the 3,000 lbs. of wax. The pilot plant site will be in southern Oregon where adequate supplies of old-growth bark may be obtained.

Early in 1950 the Oregon Food Chemical Co. was organized to manufacture wax by the Kruth process, and the government-owned wartime plant at Springfield, Oregon, was leased and converted for bark-product extraction. Experimental production continued for almost two years when the project was dropped.

Forest officials estimate usable fir bark in Oregon, Washington and California at 2 million tons. The fir-bark wax can be used as a substitute for South American carnauba made from palm leaves, which is used principally in floor and motor-vehicle polishes.

## Former Mill City Man Installed as Master Of Illinois Masonic Lodge

John E. Swan, Jr., of Fithian, Ill., was installed as Worshipful Master of Free Will Lodge No. 872, AF&AM in Oakwood, Illinois in December of this year.

Mr. Swan, who was born and reared in Mill City was a graduate of the local high school with the class of 1932 and lived here until entering the Army Air Corps in February, 1941.

Mr. Swan, his wife and two daughters have lived on a farm near Fithian since his discharge from service.

## Linn County Officeholders To Seek Nomination May 21

All Linn county political office holders whose term expire this year have expressed intention of seeking re-nomination on May 21, though none have yet filed.

Terms to expire are of those of Circuit Judge Victor Oliver, Albany, of the 21st judicial district, comprising Linn, Benton and Lincoln counties; State Senator Warren Gill, Lebanon; State Representative Ed Cardwell, Sweet Home and Jess Savage, Albany; District Attorney Courtney Johns; County Judge E. C. Arnold and County Commissioner Wayne Downing.

All are republicans. No Democrats have as yet publicly announced aspirations for primary nominations to any office.

## January Proves Worst Month for Traffic Deaths During Past Year

Oregon's 1953 traffic death toll now stands at 370, which means the state managed to achieve its second lowest fatality record in post-war years, Secretary of State Earl T. Newbry has reported.

Newbry said the reduced toll this year, 90 below the 1952 count of 460 might mean that Oregon led the nation in percent of death reduction for the year. Whether a reduction occurred in over-all accidents and traffic injuries will not be known for some time, but state safety men said it appears that the accidents for the year numbered about the same as in 1952 while injuries may have increased slightly.

Lowest post-war death toll occurred in 1946, when 356 persons were killed. The 1953 fatality count may increase somewhat, the Secretary cautioned, if delayed reports are received or if persons listed as injured later die.

The month-by-month death toll for Oregon shows: 35 in January; 23, in February; 28 in March; 29 in April; 36 in May; 29 in June; 35 in July; 16 in August; 42 in September; 35 in October; 27 in November and 25 in December.

Mile for mile, January was the worst traffic month with 7.8 persons killed in each 100 million miles traveled while August produced the lowest mileage death rate, 4.6.

Safety men said motorists should "take seriously the toll of last January and make a concerted effort to reduce the count this year." The best way to do that, they said, is to adjust speeds and other driving habits to meet winter driving conditions.

## Sheep Shearing Schools In Corvallis March 15 to 18

Linn county sheepmen, 4-H members and FFA members are again reminded of the sheep shearing schools to be held in Corvallis March 15-16 and 17-18.

Both schools are free of charge and those attending will actually shear sheep so that they can go home and do the job. Mr. Ed Warner, representing the Sunbeam Corporation together with John Landers, Livestock Specialists of the college will be in charge of the schools.

Since only nineteen trainees can be handled at a time they are requesting that those wishing to attend make application

## Many Patients Treated at Santiam Memorial Hosp.

Following is a brief summary of hospital patients since opening April 6, 1953 through December 31, 1953: Out patients, 562; hospitalized, 627; X-Ray, 690; Lab tests, 392; Total days of patients in hospital, 3167; babies 158—seven sets of twins, total surgical cases, 144.

The seventh and eighth grade civics club of St. Boniface school made tray favors to be placed on all trays for hospital patients for Christmas.

Another fine service to patients at the hospital is furnished by Raleigh Harold Florist, and Girod's. Flowers are sent the patients each week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Maxon, accompanied by Mrs. Lila Wilson and daughter, Cordelia, all of Mountain Home, Idaho, stopped at the George Veteto home Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Maxon were on their way to Coquille to attend the funeral of Mr. Maxon's father, who passed away at the age of 99 years. Mrs. Wilson and daughter stayed at the Veteto home until Monday when they all returned to Mountain Home. Mrs. Maxon and Mrs. Wilson are daughters of Mr. Veteto.

Don Jenkins motored to Salem Tuesday where he attended a showing of fishing tackle put on for dealers of the area.

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