

### TOWN TOPICS

**Mrs. Pearl Davis** was here on Sunday from Banks to see Mr. and Mrs. George Thacker. Mrs. Davis and the Thackers were friends many years ago when they resided in Kentucky.

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**American Legion and Auxiliary** members attending the District conference at Clatskanie Sunday were: Legion Commander, Ralph Hartman, Harry Culbertson, H. H. King, Ed Crawford, Chas. Biggs, Jess Miller, Earl Atkins, Frank Stiemmons and Auxiliary President, Mrs. Albert Schalock, Mrs. J. Biggs, Mrs. E. Crawford, Mrs. Chas. Biggs, Mrs. P. Weidman and District President, Mrs. H. Culbertson.

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### Son to Start Work in Alaska

**RIVERVIEW** — M/Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Hartman and children of Salem visited his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hartman, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilcoxon received word that their son, John, of Springfield has gone to Alaska to work for awhile.

Miss Betty Watt and Miss Lesore Moore of Portland spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Watt.

Week end visitors at the W. J. Lindsley home were: Mr. and Mrs. George Stanton and daughter and her girl friend from Toledo, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lindsley and children of Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lindsley and children.

M/Sgt. George Peachey and Miss Betty Michaelis of Portland enjoyed skiing on Mt. Hood Sunday.

### Joy Theatre

**THURS.-FRI. FEB. 21-22**  
**TOO YOUNG TO KISS**  
Van Johnson - June Allyson

**SATURDAY FEB. 23**  
**THE MAN FROM SONORA**  
Johnny Mack Brown  
Plus  
**SQUARE DANCE KATY**  
Vera Vague

**SUN.-MON. FEB. 24-25**  
**PANDORA AND THE FLYING DUTCHMAN**  
James Mason - Ava Gardner

**TUES.-WED. FEB. 26-27**  
**ANNIE OF THE INDIES**  
Jean Peters - Louis Jourdan

### Assessor Urges Amended Return

Leo Mickelson, county assessor, announces that the state tax commission reports a sampling of personal property returns in various counties discloses some personal property taxpayers, particularly those reporting merchandise stock-in-trade, are not reporting the full value of their property for this year's assessment and Assessor Mickelson urges every taxpayer who may have filed incorrectly to file an amended return before the March 2nd deadline.

The law requires every person, firm, corporation or association owning or having possession of taxable personal property to make a return thereof to the assessor. Authorized forms of the return contain space for a full listing of all such property and the true cash value thereof, with an affidavit or affirmation of the person making return that the statements therein contained are true. The return must be filed with the assessor on or before the second day of March of each year.

If a person, managing agent or officer, refuses or neglects to file, he is subject to a fine of \$10 for every day that such negligence or refusal continues. If a person, managing agent or officer intentionally falsifies the return, he is subject to prosecution for perjury. See section 110-349, O.C.L.A. as amended, and section 28-601, O.C.L.A.

### Visits Noted In Natal Area

**NATAL** — Pat Brisset was an overnight guest of Marlene and Darlene Pugh last Thursday.

Mrs. Clarence Kyser and Mrs. Coleman of Mist were Wednesday evening callers on Mrs. M. Oblack.

Saturday evening callers on the Devines were Mr. and Mrs. Dea Porter and Judy of Cedar Grove. Monday callers were J. S. Smith and Mrs. Jim Locke of Alder Grove.

Lester Pugh just recently purchased a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenton Zillman of Cedar Grove were Sunday callers at the Ernest Kyser home. Vernon Peterson spent the week end at his home here from Portland.

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### New Map Shows Mineral Deposits

The State Department of Geology and Mineral Industries has just issued a revised edition of its mineral localities map published first in 196. This map, on a scale of about 1 inch equals 16 miles, it printed on a 22 by 34 inch sheet.

Locations of mineral deposits are marked in red. The legend of the map includes brief descriptions of all commercial minerals produced in the state. It also describes some potentially important economic minerals not yet in production, such as the ferruginous bauxite deposits in northwestern Oregon and the nickel deposits in the southwestern part of the state.

This map has had a wide demand in schools throughout the state and investigators who desire to plan examinations of particular mineralized areas. The map is for sale at the Portland office of the department, 1069 State Office Building, and at the field offices in Baker and Grants Pass. The price is 30 cents.

### Game Licenses Reach New Peak

One out of every four Oregonians hunted or fished in 1951 with sales of hunting and fishing licenses reaching a new peak of 411,501, reports the game commission.

"Monies spent by the average citizen to go hunting and fishing represent a vast source of revenue dispersed throughout Oregon," commented State Game Director P. W. Schneider, "and until this fact is realized the significance of one-fourth the state population using our wildlife resources cannot be fully appreciated."

In addition to hunting and fishing licenses, sales of 2,192 elk tags and 179,667 deer tags were the highest yet recorded.

Not being a tax supported agency, the game commission's 1951 revenue of \$2,346,725 derived from game tag and license sales is the sole source of funds for operation of its state-wide program.

### Trip to Boston Said Enjoyable

**RIVERVIEW** — Mr. and Mrs. Walt Buckner and Amos Hain returned from Boston, Mass., Tuesday. They reported a very enjoyable trip with good weather all of the way.

Chief Bos'n J. F. Breedin of Bremerton spent the week end with his family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Huntley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Krink attended a birthday dinner recently held for Mrs. E. C. Hill at their home at La Fayette.

Guests at a birthday dinner held for Carnet Falconbury at his home Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Falconbury, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. George Feil and Bill Feil of Beaverton spent Sunday at the Louis Huntley home. Betty Huntley of Portland spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Tom Solomon returned home from visiting at Coquille, Powers and Roseburg for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Poole and children of Seaside spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tomlin, and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Lloyd.

Mrs. Erma Wood of Manhattan visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Solomon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mitchell visited relatives and friends in Portland Sunday.

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### Fir Tree Durability Indicated by Evidence of Resistance to Enemies

How long will durable Douglas fir timber withstand insects and disease once it been killed by fire or natural causes?

Douglas fir trees killed in the Yacolt fire of 1902 are still sound. Evidence continues to mount, according to W. D. Hagenstein, chief forester for the Douglas fir industry, of the tremendous resistance to natural enemies—fungi and disease—which nature has developed in this great tree.

Hagenstein says no other American timber species serves human needs in such a wide variety of ways as does Douglas fir. It is the leading softwood veneer and plywood species. It provides about one-fourth of all the lumber sawed in the nation. In addition, its long, straight trunks are used throughout the world for poles and piling.

Durable Douglas fir lumber is most familiar as framing for houses, schools, factories, churches, and other necessary structures for use, the forester observed. Most lumber in railroad cars is Douglas fir and the species is among the leaders for railway ties.

Helen of Troy would have admired Douglas fir, for during World War I this lumber built thousands of ships to bridge the Atlantic. In World War II Douglas fir became sought after for smaller ship construction. Even today, Douglas fir is supplying the lumber for glue-laminated ribs and most of the rest of the deck and body of mine sweepers and other similar craft.

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### GEMS OF THOUGHT

But if the while I think on thee, dear friend, all losses are restored and sorrows end.  
—William Shakespeare

Human affection is not poured forth vainly, even though it meet no return. Love enriches the nature, enlarging, purifying, and elevating it. —Mary Eddy Baker

I could not love thee, dear, so much, Lov'd I do not honour more.  
—Richard Lovelace

The power to love truly and devotedly is the noblest gift with which a human being can be endowed; but it is a sacred fire that must not be burned to idols.  
—Maria Jane Jewsbury

Love is the hardest lesson in Christianity; but, for that reason it should be most our care to learn it.  
—William Penn

The desire to be beloved is ever restless and unsatisfied; but the love that flows out upon others is a perpetual well-spring from on high.  
—L. M. Child

### Housewarming Honors Couple from Denmark

**NATAL** — Mr. and Mrs. Clair Divine attended a house warming party in Delena last Friday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Evoldsen who recently arrived from Denmark. The party was given at the home of Mrs. Pierce with Mrs. Pierce and Mrs. Gordon as hostesses.

Last week end visitors at the Clyde Hererson home were Mr. and Mrs. Clem and Mrs. Goode and Mr. and Mrs. Henderson and family, all of Portland.

### Visits for Past Week Listed for Community

**TREHARNE** — Mr. and Mrs. Chet Wienecke and children of Springfield spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wienecke.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Weaver are the parents of an 8-pound boy, born Monday, February 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Daniels, daughters Ruby and Carolyn, and Mrs. Byron Kirkbride were business visitors in Forest Grove Saturday.

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