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Fat Said to Be Lacking And Butter Is Unknown

By Wm. G. Shepherd, (United Press Staff Correspondent.) Rotterdam, May 29. (By mail)--Nobody ever has anything fried these days in German cities and towns unless a special feast is on and the householder or host has had a remarkable piece of luck in securing fat of some sort. Fats of every kind are lacking. Travelers from Germany to Rotterdam say butter is practically unknown. Now and then a householder may secure half a pound of margarine at a dollar a pound. Lard is as scarce as butter. Some months ago, when the shortage in fats became definite, a few good cooks discovered that olive oil might be used for frying meats and within a short time many foresighted civilians had laid in supplies of olive oil. At present the olive oil supply is exhausted. The government experts in their efforts to obtain fats, commandered all the peanuts in Germany. "I'm very fond of peanut candy," said a German from Munich, who had come to Rotterdam to feed up, as he explained, "and every afternoon I used to drop a few pennies in a penny-in-the-slot candy machine near my office. "One afternoon I ran out to the machine and found that the peanut candy slot had been sealed up with a government seal. "I couldn't break it of course. Later on a policeman came and collected all the peanut candy in the machine. He said the government was going to take the peanuts out of it and extract the oil from them. "The one great food that can be obtained in limited quantities in certain districts of Germany is the little canned French sardine. How it gets into Germany no one seems to know. "My grocer always had some sardines," explained a neutral lady, who was going back to the United States, "where I can eat all I want to." He doted them out sparingly without any government regulation she said, but a beefsteak fried in the fish oil was very unlike a beefsteak. There has never been a shortage of lemons and oranges, according to various persons from various parts of Germany. The ally blockade it appears has not as yet shut off the supply of citrus fruits, which reach Germany by devious routes from various warm climates. Of sugar the Germans of course have an immense supply owing to their beet root industry. Salt abounds but pepper is scarce. Ham, bacon or pork in any form is unknown to civilians. Eggs in April were sixty cents a dozen and facing hens were so valuable that no chickens were killed for food until their laying capacity declined. A dressed chicken in a Cologne shop brought two dollars and a half during the day while it rested in the shop window many persons stopped to look at it. The shooting of pigeons in the streets or on the rooftops is severely punished but it is said that the pigeon population is being rapidly diminished. Zepplin crews that have passed over Berlin at low altitudes in recent celebrations have commented on the number of pigeon traps they have seen on the roofs of office buildings. On this account there is a joke current in Berlin that the porters of office buildings have the best food families in the city. Undoubtedly Germany has food--beef, pork, fats, oils and most of the other odds that make eating worth while. Where do they get? Who gets them? The soldiers. Behind the German lines are cattle sheds, always full of live stock. From all I could hear in Rotterdam, the German soldiers have no complaint to make of their food. A civilian in Germany these days is an incubus. More or less, he must feed himself and his family as best he can. The next three months, until crop time will of course be the hardest of the year for German civilians. They are struggling along with last year's leanings. All Germany is waiting with bated breath, to see how the autumn crops turn out.

Dr. Mendelsohn, specialist, fits glasses correctly. U. S. Bank Bldg.
The Oregon State Dental society will meet in Portland July 7-8. Several of the sessions will be attended by Salem dentists.
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The W. H. M. S. of Jason Lee church held a quarterly tea yesterday at the home of Mrs. Alma Bennett. A splendid program was followed by a pleasant social hour.
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Salem and Marion county residents who formerly lived in New York have decided to hold their annual picnic Wednesday, July 12, at the state fair grounds. P. S. Barton is president of the New York society.
If its building materials come to us. Falls City-Lumber Co., 349 S. 12th.
J. M. Walker, of the Standard Oil company, has received a promotion in the way of his appointment as agent at Independence, to take effect July 1. He will be succeeded by O. T. Olson, who will drive a new three ton White oil truck.
Dr. Mendelsohn left this morning for California and will be back at his office in about two months.
The Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian church will meet at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Dr. Richard Carrwright, 734 Perry street. All members of the church interested in the work of the Alliance are invited to attend.
Loganberry pickers wanted. Twelve to fifteen more pickers are need at Martin yard five miles south Phone 419.
City Engineer Hicks of Roseburg has asked the public service commission for information and data concerning the construction of railroads in this state. A standard gauge road between Roseburg and Hook Creek is contemplated.
Loganberry pickers wanted. Three or four more families, long season. Camp five miles south. Phone Carey P. Martin, 419.
A telegram received by Mrs. L. H. Compton, wife of Lieutenant Compton on the Third Battalion staff says the boys have been in fine spirits ever since they left Salem. He telegraphed from Red Bluff, Cal. Compton says the troops are comfortable and have lots to eat.
Baseball series for championship Inter-City league Salem league grounds July 2-3-4, Battling Bradford vs. Salem. Games start 3 p. m. 2nd and 3rd and 2:30 p. m. 4th.
Now that the unusually cool weather is with us for the last week in June, the following temperatures for the week may be interesting, taken from the records of the government at the O. C. T. Jack: Monday, highest 62, lowest 36; Tuesday, highest 62, lowest 30; Wednesday, highest 61, lowest 32; Last night the minimum temperature was 50 degrees above.

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All Around Town

COMING EVENTS
TONIGHT
June 29-30--Women's Home Missionary conference First Methodist church.
June 30--Benefit sales day for Ladies Auxiliary Spanish War Veterans.
July 2--All-Oregon Grange rally, Salem.
July 3--Annual Cherry fair, Salem.
July 4--Fourth of July celebration, State Fair grounds.
July 4--Indiana society annual picnic at State Fair grounds.
July 12-18--Salem Chautauqua.
July 16--Salem Street Railway excursion to Newport.
July 19--Monthly meeting of Commercial club.
July 20--Wisconsin society reunion at State fair grounds.
July 20--Southern Pacific railway men's picnic, State Fair grounds.
The patriotic spirit is surely in the air. The Gutenberg volunteer company organized, through the efforts of Benjamin S. Via and O. B. Gingrich report today 40 volunteers after only four hours work.
Charles Dombrosky, a special agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad is making the rounds of the state institutions today. Dombrosky is on his first trip west and is much impressed with Salem. He leaves for the south tonight.
Isaac Surkis is a bad boy. The Multnomah county authorities say so. Today the Salem police took him to the reform school after receiving him from C. T. Evans who brought the lad from Portland. During the past year Evans has arrested Surkis twelve times and he has been before the court in that city on twenty occasions.
The "paregoric drunk" is the latest. Moreover it is an effective paralyzer. C. O. Mason says so and he ought to know for he was taken up by the police last night and thrust into the cooler. This morning he appeared before Judge Elgin and was given five days. Sam Foster also limbed freely and is serving a similar sentence.
The funeral of Mrs. Anna Mabel Gibson, who died last Tuesday was held this morning from the parlors of Rigdon and Richardson under the auspices of the Oregon Grange No. 1699, Royal Neighbors of America. The services were conducted by the Rev. J. C. Spener and burial was in the Old Fellows cemetery.
Miss Alcee Eugenia Girardou of this city and James Garfield Greenlee of Round Up, Montana, were married this morning at the home of Mrs. Laurence Girardou, 143 South Thirtieth street by Rev. F. T. Porter. The ceremony was witnessed by relatives and friends of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Greenlee will leave today for Round Up where they will make their home.
Forrest Walker, 19 years old, arrested in connection with the recent roundup of boys who robbed Willamette university gymnasium, went to Portland last night with his sister, having been released on promise of good behavior. His case was to have been presented to the grand jury when it meets next week. Mrs. Durkin, Walker's sister, promised to be responsible for his future conduct.
The Orphans Male chorus went to Silverton last evening to appear in concert at the Gem theatre. Although the weather somewhat interfered with the number attending, the show was a success from an artistic standpoint and also from the appreciation shown by those who came out in the storm. E. Cooke Patton gave his exhibition of genuine bigedantism and Oscar Steelhammer appeared as a solo trombone player.
Although Monday next will be a holiday in Salem, this will in no way produce any effect on the workings of the post office department. The city carriers as well as the rural route men will be permitted to celebrate Cherry fair day by attending to their usual duties. But the fourth being a national holiday, just office miles far holidays will be in force, which means that only one city delivery of mail will be made and none on the rural routes.
The pageant at the meeting tonight at the First Methodist church of the Woman's Home Missionary society of Oregon conference, will be given to show in an attractive way the work of the society in the different states. The original solution will be shown, represented by young ladies in costume. Other features will make it plain what is now being done in all parts of the country. Mrs. J. Montcalm Brown is in charge of those taking part in the pageant tonight.
While walking into town on North High street this morning F. H. Berger was struck on the head by a spent bullet of pretty large caliber. A man went before he heard a bullet strike the sidewalk and saw it bounce off. The one striking him landed just above the brim of his hat and had inside hand helping to ease the force of the blow. The bullets came from the south and so far away that the report of the gun was not heard. Mr. Berger suggests that a little more caution on the part of shooters might prevent a serious accident.
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OFFICIAL SCHEDULE FOR CHERRY FAIR DAYS
9:15 a. m.--Queen Estella and attendants leave Marion hotel, escorted by the Cherries.
9:30--Crowning of the Queen by Governor Withycombe.
9:45--Baby parade around Wilson park.
11--All-Oregon Grange exercises at Marion square.
2:15 p. m.--Automobile parade.
3:15--Street sports.
4:15--Base ball. League grounds.
7:30--Water sports.
8:30--Band concert.
9:00--Grand ball.

PATRIOTIC LEAGUE WILL HELP FAMILIES

Trying to Perfect Arrangements to Aid Those Really Needing It
The Salem Patriotic League, working with the Commercial club, churches and all other organizations interested in the welfare of those left behind, hopes to secure funds sufficient to take care of the needy families of the boys at the front.
At a meeting held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. E. Terwilliger, it was decided to effect a permanent organization with regular meetings Friday afternoon at the public library. The next meeting will be held one week from tomorrow.
It is the endeavor of the Patriotic League to arrange a system by which those in need will be given assistance of a certain amount every month. Relief committees have been appointed to investigate and report. After these reports have been passed on, their support will be undertaken by the League in the way of monthly payments. As yet, these plans have not been worked out, but the intention at present is to work on plans by which relief will be given in a business way at regular times.
The committee named yesterday are: Relief--Rev. F. T. Porter, chairman; Mrs. William Galloway, Mrs. Olive Esling, Esling.
Ways and Means--Rev. James Elby chairman; Mrs. Chapman Bishop, Mrs. Fred S. Benson.
By-laws--Mrs. F. B. Southwick, chairman; Mrs. Anna Fitch, Mrs. Laura B. McDonald.
At the last band concert, the sum of \$50 was cleared by the efforts of the League in selling ice cream and confections. There is now about \$250 in the treasury which will probably be used in sending comforts to the boys at Fort Rosecrans and for the aid of those needing help in the city.
The Patriotic League membership is not confined to any one organization, but is for all who are interested in the membership of Company M. The membership fee is 25 cents. Mrs. W. O. Asselin is president of the League.

MR. OSTRANDER WILL TAKE CHARGE OF WORK

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Y. M. C. A. last night it was decided to reassign to the Board of Directors that Mr. Clinton Ostrander be employed to take charge of the Boys' Work of the Association immediately instead of beginning September 1st as was formerly decided.
Mr. Ostrander has decided to accept the offer of the committee and will assume his duties at once.
One of his first duties which Mr. Ostrander will perform will be to take charge of the organization of the Salem contingent of the State Boys' Camp which will be held at Oscandia from July 27th to 30th inclusive.
John H. Bull, state boys' director, has been in conference with Mr. Ostrander this morning and plans are well under way for the camp.
Mr. Ostrander is to have charge of the Salem contingent and will be with the boys at the camp for the entire period of time. He is to have charge of the records, commissary and sanitation department.
H. C. McDonald, secretary of the Albany Y. M. C. A., will be the camp leader for the Albany contingent and will have charge of the instruction of First Aid and Athletics.
L. A. Pickett, boys work director of the Eugene Y. M. C. A., will accompany the Eugene delegation and will have charge of Bible Study and Social Activities.
There seems to be an impression that only Y. M. C. A. boys are eligible to the camp. All boys who can meet the requirements may register and attend the camp.
All boys who are anxious to have at least fifty cents spending money for the Cherry Fair are to report to Mr. O. B. Gingrich, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., immediately and enter one or more of the events which are to form the program of street sports during the afternoon of the 3rd. Every boy regardless of whether he wins a prize or not will be given fifty cents to spend.
The program of events is as follows:
100 yard dash--Boys under 13 years of age; 1st prize \$2, second prize \$1.
200 yard dash--Boys under 16 years of age; 1st prize \$2, second prize \$1.
440 yard dash--Boys under 18 years of age; 1st prize \$2; 2nd prize \$1.
Patrol race--Boys under 13 years of age; 1st prize \$2; 2nd prize \$1.
Potato race--Boys under 16 years of age; 1st prize \$2; 2nd prize \$1.
Bicycle race--Boys under 18 years of age; 1st prize \$3; 2nd prize \$2; 3rd prize \$1.

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As the appropriation for the street sports committee is limited it will be necessary to limit the number of entries. Boys who are anxious to participate in the races should enter immediately.

Will Entertain Queen and Maids at Marion

Mrs. Mrs. Edyth Teizer Wetherrod, member of the state fair board, announces that Queen Estella and her maids will be entertained at the Marion hotel on the Fourth of July and that the board will place an auto at her disposal for the day.
Those in charge of the Fourth celebrations are preparing to give the queen and maids a really royal time. They will be met at the grounds by the Goddess of Liberty and escorted to the seats of honor.
With this arrangement by the state fair board, the queen and maids will be entertained at luncheon and dinner on both Cherry fair day and the Fourth.
Judge Galloway today sustained the demurrer in the suit of Pugh against County Judge Bushby, et al, it being a mandamus in which the court was asked to compel the defendants to do certain things. Judge Galloway held that county officials could be compelled to take action, but the court had no jurisdiction over their consciences to compel them to act in a specified way.

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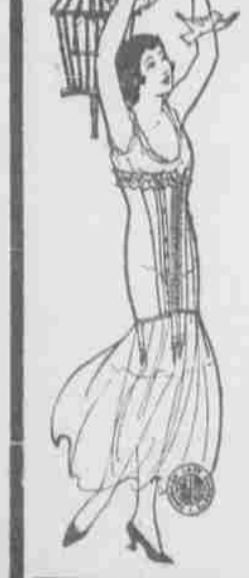
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Taking Steps to Aid Those In Need

At a meeting of the war and means committee of the Salem Patriotic League, held this afternoon at the Commercial club, it was decided to call a meeting of nine representative citizens, to discuss with the league, plans whereby the relatives of members of Company M who are in need may be assisted and given support during the absence of the company. It developed at the discussion this afternoon that the main problem facing those who wish to lend their aid, was to so systematize all efforts that help given would not be temporary, say for a month or so, but would continue during the time of need. To fully discuss these problems, the following were appointed to confer with the league tonight: Joseph H. Albert, C. K. Spaulding, William Brown, F. G. Duckelshel, Chamney Bishop, Sidney Elliott, Edward W. Hazard, E. T. Barnes and Frank J. Miller.
The police are looking for Harold Collins who has a liking for motorcycles. So strong was his feeling in this respect that he felt impelled to give Blaine Renwick of Silverton a bogus check for \$150 in payment for a machine. He has not been seen since. When Renwick presented the check at the Coolidge & McElaine bank he was informed that there were no funds Collins had been paroled from the reform school.
Green boughs will enter into the decorations of the reviewing stand for Cherry fair day. Electric light posts in the business section of the city will also be decorated with boughs. The Rev. F. T. Porter, chairman of the decorating committee says that the merchants are all showing a proper Cherry fair spirit and that decorations will be placed on all business houses Saturday afternoon.
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