

**PENALTY OF BEING PRESIDENT**

The column of White House mail during 1947 was described by a presidential aide Saturday as "really astonishing."

He said it consisted of 862,870 incoming letters and 908,345 cards. In addition there were 124,561 telegrams, or an average of 14.22 telegrams every hour.

Truth is the summit of being; justice is the application of it to affairs.—Emerson.

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**UNITED NATIONS DATES**

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January 19 — Sub-Commission on Freedom of Information and of the Press of the Economic and Social Council to meet at Lake Success.

January 20 — Preparatory Commission of the International Refugee Organization (IRO) to meet at Geneva or Lausanne, Switzerland.

January 22 — Interim Commission of the World Health Organization (WHO) to meet at Geneva.

February 2 — Economic and Social Council to meet at Lake Success.

**2200 LICENSES ISSUED**

It was learned that approximately 2200 car licenses had been issued here since December 15th, at the city hall. Mrs. Donnell Allen, assisted by her daughter Shirley, had charge of issuing the licenses.

There is no record of how many were sent direct to Salem.

**GRADE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT UP**

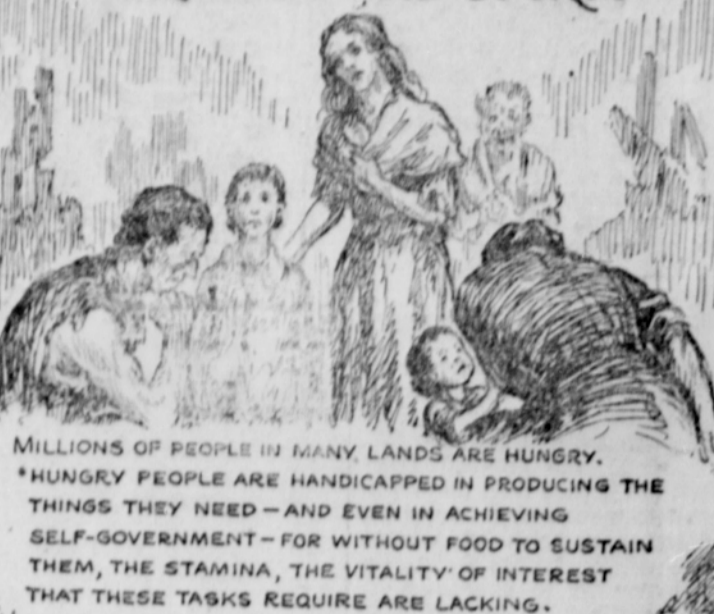
The Grade school enrollment climbed to 659 the first day after the holidays according to Elmer Fleming, superintendent. The top enrollment before the holidays was 654 for the Jefferson and Adams schools.

**Odd Fact**

In Huntington, W. Va., a councilman submitted a resolution which would limit the price of haircuts for bald-headed men to 25 cents, with a possible additional charge of 10 cents for "polishing."

All Truth is from inspiration and revelation—from Spirit, not from flesh.—Mary Baker Eddy.

**OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat**  
**FOR BODY- AND SPIRIT**



MILLIONS OF PEOPLE IN MANY LANDS ARE HUNGRY. HUNGRY PEOPLE ARE HANDICAPPED IN PRODUCING THE THINGS THEY NEED — AND EVEN IN ACHIEVING SELF-GOVERNMENT — FOR WITHOUT FOOD TO SUSTAIN THEM, THE STAMINA, THE VITALITY OF INTEREST THAT THESE TASKS REQUIRE ARE LACKING.



BY SHARING OUR SUBSTANCE, WE CAN HELP OTHER PEOPLE TO ACHIEVE THAT CREATIVE AND PRODUCTIVE VITALITY THAT IS ESSENTIAL TO WORLD PEACE AND FREEDOM — THE GOALS FOR WHICH WE ALL ARE STRIVING.

**Killing Chestnuts**

The Asiatic blight which struck down native chestnut orchards in the United States, estimated at sums up to a hundred million dol-



Forest Fire Commissioner W. L. Shaddix inspecting chestnut burs for asiatic blight.

lars some 25 years ago, is still active, and doubt that it will pass over and let this luscious crop come back usually is accepted by well informed agriculturists.

**Poultry Relish Grit: Aids Grinding Process**

Grit is a material of value to poultry but full details are not yet definitely known, according to University of Delaware. It is certain that birds like it and, when grit is fed freely, they consume more than is actually needed. Grit containing a large amount of soluble calcium has been widely recommended but appears to have no advantage where other forms of calcium are included in the ration. Actually it might be detrimental, say Delaware specialists. Helping the gizzard in the grinding process is the only known function of grit. A hard mica grit of suitable size doubtless should be available to all chickens.

**Productivity Depends Upon Organic Matter**

The soil's ability to produce high crop yields needed to feed hungry millions depends on its organic matter supply. Soils rich in organic matter are good "sponges" for soaking up and holding rainfall for crops. Organic matter helps restore soil structure, improves tilth and helps plant roots get more nutrients from the soil. Use lime, fertilizers containing phosphorus and potash to get good catches of legumes.

**Midwest Barley Growers To Compete in Contest**

A \$30,000 contest which stresses the importance of certified seed, early planting, seed treatment, use of commercial fertilizer and timely and careful harvesting in growing barley as a cash grain crop that under proved methods of production commands a premium price is announced by the Midwest Barley Improvement association, Milwaukee. The prizes are offered to farmers in seven Midwest states.

**Church Activities**

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Sunday school at 10:30 in I. O. O. F. hall.

Assembly of God — We wish to extend a hearty invitation to you to worship with us—the church of evangelical action. Sunday services: Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; morning worship 11:00 a. m.; Christ's Ambassadors 6:30 p. m.; evening evangelistic service 7:45 p. m.

Weekday services: Tuesday, prayer, 7:30 p. m.; Thursday, Bible study, 7:45 p. m.

We have a home department and any wishing spiritual help or would like a visit from the minister, feel free to call at any time. Also, if you are in need of a wheelchair, in an emergency, we shall be glad to be of an accommodation to you.—Rev. Hilton T. Park, minister, Phone 195-R.

The Hebrew Christian church Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Morning worship at 11:00.

London Church of Christ, "that friendly church"—Sunday Bible study 10 a.m. Classes for all ages. Sermon 11 by Thomas Clark. Communion 11:45. Evening service 7:30 p.m. Midweek Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Your presence is appreciated at the London church, come and make yourself at home.

Church of Christ, Sixth & Gibbs (Now meeting in the armory) "the church with a friendly spirit" —Our new congress is in session, but the outlook for world peace is not too cheery. There are sore spots all over the world. How about you, personally? Are you for peace? Are you in peace? There is a teaching, prominent in the Bible, which has been sadly overlooked. It is, "Jesus brings Peace!" Now that's the only sure way I know to have peace. Won't you come out Sunday morning and study this great truth with us? You're welcome, friend.

Bible school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11:00, sermon: "Jesus Brings Peace." Young folks at 6:30. Our group will be back from San Jose, and will have some inspiring things to tell. Evening evangelistic service at 7:30, sermon: "The Persecution and Triumph of the Church." A study in early church history which we believe you will appreciate.

Two mid-week prayer services. Wednesday at 1:30 and Thursday 7:30 p.m. There is room for you.—J. Michael Shelley, minister.

Free Methodist Church, So. 6th St., Rev. Mrs. Rozella Douglas, pastor—Sunday school 9:45 a.m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a.m. Junior meeting at 7 p.m. Young people's meeting 7 p.m. Preaching by the pastor at 8 p.m. We invite you to all of the services of this friendly little church.

Christian Science Society, Cottage Grove, Oregon, 242 Second street holds Sunday services at 11 a.m. and Sunday school at 9:45

a.m. Wednesday evening meetings at 8 p.m. (the second Wednesday of each month). Reading room is open Wednesday, Friday and Saturday afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Subject for next Sunday is "Sacrament."

**Testing Program Seeks New Fruit For Oregon Use**

People who have an intimate friendship with God are found regularly at the House of God for worship. Those who know him best appreciate his friendship the most. We invite you to worship God with us and would be glad to confer with you in regard to your spiritual problems and to pray with you for your spiritual needs.

The Church of God Sunday school assemblies at 10 a.m. at 1060 East Adams. Morning worship 11 a.m. The young people will picture the childhood and boyhood of Jesus in their evening service at 7 p.m. Regular devotional service at 7:45. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:45 and children's story hour Saturday at 2:00 p.m.—Roy E. Hutchison, pastor.

First Baptist Church, Fifth and Jefferson, Rev. Peter J. Bakker, pastor—"The Story of Two Babes" is the sermon to be delivered by the pastor in the morning worship hour of eleven o'clock. Bible school at 9:45 a.m. is superintended by Mrs. Charles Parrott, and has a staff of competent teachers. The Baptist Youth Fellowships gather at 6:30 p. m. Mrs. Frank Bridwell is the new advisor for the junior age group, and her daughter, Geraldine has the topic. The lesson in the senior age fellowship will be given by Misses Sarah Jenkins, Mary Montgomery, and Vera Bridwell.

"The King in Exile" will be considered in the evening service, which is known as "Inspiration Time". The hour is 7:30 p.m. The Baptist church is preparing for a week of "Crusade for Christ" meetings beginning Sunday, January 18. Cottage prayer meetings have been held since November. Last Monday, Mr. and Mrs. James Kiker had the preparatory service in their home. Rev. Kenneth

Fruit and nut varieties from every section of the nation and from Canada, England, China, Japan and Asia will be tested at the Oregon State college experiment station beginning this year as part of the station's expanded fruit and nut research project.

The purpose of the long-range project is to improve Oregon's fruit and nut crop, valued at more than \$90,000,000 in 1946, by introducing, breeding and testing promising new varieties here from other states and countries. Dr. Quentin B. Zielinski, associate horticulturist, is project leader.

"New and improved varieties are necessary to meet the ever-present competition from other areas, to cope with changing consumer demand, and to insure Oregon's place among the leaders in fruit and nut production," Dr. Zielinski said in outlining project plans.

Under the improvement program, selections from other states will be gathered and studied at the Daniels, of the Oregon State Baptist Convention will be the speaker.

At the New Year's eve service, Mrs. Clifton Shortridge of Lorane, was baptized. Last Sunday she, and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip McKenzie were received into membership of the church. Yesterday, the Women's Missionary Circle met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reed.

The choir now rehearses at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesdays, and the regular prayer meeting is Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

The Methodist Church, Frank E. Brown, minister, 303 Main, Phone 108— Sunday school, 9:45; morning worship, 11:00, sermon topic, "Christ Above All"; Methodist Youth Fellowships, 6:00 p.m.

**Uncle Sam Says**



Benjamin Franklin said that it was not what a person earned but what he saved out of his earnings that counted. Millions of Americans who are buying Savings Bonds regularly know Ben Franklin was right. An allotment of \$3.75 a week for Bonds for 30 years would provide you with \$2,162.45. In your own interest, you should be as wise as millions of your countrymen today who are practicing what Ben Franklin preached—thrift gets results. U. S. Treasury Department

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