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CITY NEWS

A Real Christmas Present—
The best present you can possibly give the wife this Christmas would be a policy with the oldest and strongest life insurance company in America—The Mutual Life of New York. Information free. J. F. Hutchison, district manager, 371 State street. I live in Salem.

Big Dance—
Tonight 8 p. m. at the armory.

Mrs. Frost Makes Record—
Mrs. Mary Frost in exactly one year knitted for the Red Cross 60 pairs of socks. Yesterday she checked in the sixtieth pair. She began knitting on December 20, 1917.

Schools—
Will remain open every evening till 9 o'clock from now until Christmas. 344 State street.

James Gardner Not Dead—
James Gardner, the former Salem high school student reported dead in a recent casualty list, is still alive, according to word received by his parents in Oregon City. Through an error the boy's name was placed on the death list instead of among those severely wounded.

You Should Buy—
Salem bread only, there's a reason.

Bids Called For—
Willamette Chapter of the American Red Cross calls for bids on the following articles, which will be sold if fair prices can be obtained: 10,800 yards gauze, 356 pounds absorbent cotton, three-quarters case scotch tissue. Call 1500 or call at Room 204 U. S. National Bank building.

Christmas Gifts—
Gloves, handkerchiefs, suspenders, wrist bands, shirts, collars and cuffs, socks, hats, etc., make useful gifts. Schei's, 344 State street.

He Favored Conviction—
William Gahlsdorf, who was one of the jurors in the Nash case in justice court Thursday, says he was in favor of conviction and not acquittal as previously published. His part in the discussion that arose among the jurors, he says, was merely to hasten a verdict without waste of time.

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Legal Blanks—
Get them at the Statesman job office. Catalog on application.

Christmas Stories Today—
Story hour at the public library today will be devoted to Christmas tales. The winter Saturday morning session is now being conducted in real earnest and a number of children are enjoying the stories.

Choice Neckwear—
Shirts, gloves, handkerchiefs, socks, hats, shoes, etc., make good Christmas gifts. Schei's, 344 State street.

Receipts, Notes and All Blanks—
At Statesman job office.

Nick Paris Home—
Nick Paris, just discharged from the radio school at the naval training station at Mare Island, arrived in Salem Thursday night and will remain here. He is now with his brother in the Paris Shoe store. Mr. Paris was first sent to Goat Island for instruction and transferred in six weeks. He says George Paulus is expecting to come home within a few days.

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Going Out of Business—
Hence it will be to your advantage to look over any goods. J. A. Patterson, 285 North Commercial street.

Higher Rate Asked—
Application for increased rates was filed with the public service commission yesterday by the Amity Mutual Telephone company. The increase asked is from 75 cents a month, the present charge for service, to \$1 a month. Increased cost of labor and maintenance is the reason given.

Build Up Salem's Industries—
By supporting those now on the ground.

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Son Is Born—
A son was born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lane A. Morley, 1390 South Twelfth street, Friday, December 20.

Standard Scale Book—
In duplicate. Statesman job office.

Aviator Home on Furlough—
Lieutenant Kenneth Moores is home from Texas to pass the holidays with his father, A. N. Moores. He will be in the city 10 days. Lieutenant Moores is already an experienced flyer and had expected to go to France just before the armistice was signed. He enlisted a few months after the United States declared war while he was attending the University of Oregon.

Leslie Church—
Sunday morning is "Every Member Present Day." Christmas message.

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China Ware Selling Fast—
Plates, 15c, 35c and 40c; glass fruit sets, 75c; fine water sets, \$2.25; punch bowls, \$1.25. J. A. Patterson, 285 N. Commercial street.

Canteen Worker Back—
Miss Nell Sykes, formerly of the domestic science department of the Salem high school, is back from Bremerton navy yard, where she has been working in the canteen cafeteria and in the lunch room at the hostess house.

Furs For Xmas Gifts—
High grade genuine furs for Christmas gifts at special prices. West Fur Co., 217 South High street.

A Socialist Meeting—
Will be held at Union hall, 463 Court, Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Those interested are invited to attend.

Committee To Make Report—
A committee of 10 business men organized to promote the best interests of the taxpayers was formed Thursday night and will within a few days investigate the local school budget coming to a vote for the second time on December 30. Milton L. Meyers is chairman. Other members are Joseph H. Albert, Theodore Roth, Frederick Thielsen, Melvin Plimpton, W. H. Trindle, W. T. Jenks, H. H. Olinger, John Roberts and Ben F. West.

The Store for Percolators—
Casseroles, silverware, dinnerware and useful Christmas gifts, Gahlsdorf's store of housewares, 135 North Liberty street.

Salem Bread—
Supports Salem's payroll and in turn asks the support of the Salem people.

Turner Wants Damages—
The city of Turner has filed a complaint against Jennie J. Hall asking that a jury make an assessment for damages sustained by the town by reason of appropriation of water rights involved in a recent suit concerning a stream passing through Mrs. Hall's property.

Starting Saturday 10 A. M.—
The ladies aid society of the First M. E. church will hold a cooked food sale at 371 Court street, what was Moore's Furniture store. Lunches will be served.

High School Game Close—
Junior and sophomore class teams at the Salem high school played a closely contested basketball game Thursday afternoon, the former finally winning with a score of 15 to 13. On account of a tie it was necessary to extend the time ten minutes. A team organized among the alumni played the school team last night and lost by 19 to 27.

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Want Claims Presented—
In a complaint turned in yesterday by William Butzke and wife

against J. A. Jefferson et al, the plaintiff asks that the heirs of DeLos and Matilda Jefferson and J. E. Parrott present their claims to the estates. The property to be settled is in the Sunnyside fruit farm tract.

May Bar Visitors—
While it is said no case of influenza at the state hospital for the insane threatens to terminate fatally, Dr. R. E. L. Steiner, superintendent of the institution, is contemplating closing the hospital to visitors as was done several weeks ago. Captain Joseph Keller, state parole officer at the penitentiary, and Mrs. Keller are both ill with the disease, but not seriously.

Establish Weighing Station—
Packages for Christmas mailing now being brought to the postoffice are being taken to a table placed in the lobby. E. A. Gibbard, who is in charge of this, is weighing the parcels and making the amount of postage to be purchased. This prevents congestion at the stamp windows. Only one extra employee has thus far been taken on at the office.

Road Work Going On—
Reports on the Marion county road work for November show that \$11,563.54 was expended on improvements, almost half of this going for general repairs and miscellaneous. For macadamizing \$1601.31 was allowed and for graveling, \$1376.17. Bridges cost \$946.53 and patrolmen's salaries, \$1321.20. Among the volunteer work is listed 19 1/2 days labor put in by men and seven days by teams.

Court Settles Case—
Deeds made by Beulah R. Ratliff and her husband, Levi D. Ratliff, when the latter was ill were the subject of a suit on which Circuit Judge Bingham yesterday gave an opinion. Mrs. Ratliff, who was granted a divorce on the grounds of desertion, was found to have agreed with her husband that the deeds giving their daughter, Nellie, the property were to be kept in a safety deposit box upon the husband's recovery from the sickness in 1913. Mrs. Ratliff claimed that her husband in October, 1916 violated the agreement and attempted to deliver the property. She is 56 years old and in poor health and asked for \$1000 for her support. Judge Bingham found that she is entitled to this sum and the separation, as well as her portion of the property.

PERSONALS

J. K. Nash, a leading stockman and extensive rancher of Poulson, Mont., is in the city on business and expects to remain several weeks.

Dr. H. H. Scovell went to Portland on a business trip yesterday and returned last night.

E. A. Skelley was a business visitor in Portland yesterday.

A. F. Schmalz left yesterday for Seattle, where he will pass the holidays.

Harry Rarey has gone to his home in Tacoma for the holidays.

Esther Martin and Lana Martin are in Sunnyside, Wash., for Christmas week.

Esther Yend, a student at Willamette university, has gone to her home in Walla Walla for the coming week.

Miss Blossom Redmon, instructor in the commercial department of Salem high school, was called to her home at Decatur, Ill., by the sudden illness of a member of the family. She left on a northbound train last night.

Miss Martha Beer of Arcata, Cal., and Miss Frances Garrett of Eugene passed the night in the city with friends. Miss Beer was in Portland yesterday, returning with Miss Garrett, who has been teaching in a high school there. The former is connected with the extension department of the Humboldt Normal school and will pass Christmas in Eugene.

Howard Zimmerman is home after receiving his army discharge and is visiting his relatives before going to Astoria to take up his law practice. Zimmerman is a graduate of Salem high school.

City Treasurer C. O. Rice passed yesterday in Portland.

Bertha B. Benck, who has been employed in the quartermaster's

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| Fabric Gloves | Baby Shirts | Leather Purses |
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| Face Veils | Children's Handkerchiefs | Novelty Jewelry |
| Novelty Ribbons | House Aprons | Box Stationery |
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| | Whisk Brooms | Clothes Brushes |
| | Toilet Soaps | School Supplies |
- Dennison's Paper Novelties include Stickers, Tags, Cards, Twine, Boxes, Tissue Paper, Crepe Paper, Xmas Napkins, Streamers Tablecloths, Doilies, Crackers, Nut Cups, and all items for sending Christmas packages.

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ice in Portland, is among the former Salem high school students home for the holidays.

Marshall Ryan, who was born in the S. A. T. C. at Corvallis, is home again.

Henry Millie of Grandview, Earl Jones of Kennewick and Mabel Stanford of Cashmere, were among the Willamette university students returning to their homes in Washington for the holidays.

Miss L. Mae Rouch is passing Christmas in Tacoma. She left yesterday on a northbound train.

Margaret F. Power and Irene Rinehart went to Seattle yesterday.

Ethel McGilchrist, Doris Churchill and Marjorie Kay came in from Eugene yesterday to spend Christmas at their homes. They have been attending the University of Oregon.

Men in the S. A. T. C. there will probably not come in until tonight.

Douglas Walker is home from Mare Island for Christmas.

Paul Schmidt of Olympia is stopping at the Bligh.

Delbert C. Deal stopped over night at the Bligh on his way home from Camp Lewis to Dallas.

Mrs. Zadoc Riggs, who has been studying pharmacy at North Pacific college in Portland, came in last night to spend the holidays with her husband.

M. Selig, who has been in the S. A. T. C. at the University of Oregon, registered at the Bligh last night. He is going on to Falls City today. His mother was a visitor in the city Thursday.

Lieutenant Howard P. Miller of Portland is a guest at the Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin N. Raynes of Mill City are at the Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Parker of Holbrook are visitors at the Marion.

Fred Beckebach returned last night from Corvallis, where he has been in college, and will spend the holidays with his parents.

Miss Helen Willett left last night for Seattle, where she is to spend Christmas with her family.

Robert L. Hinkle came in from Camp Lewis yesterday and was joined by Erwin Stewart of Monmouth. The two men stayed at the Bligh over night before going to their homes in Polk county.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gates of Walls are stopping at the Bligh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mayer of Roundup, Mont., were among yesterday's arrivals at the Marion.

John R. Hoover of Rupert, Ida., is at the Marion.

Miss Margaret Higgins, a student at Oregon Agricultural college, arrived here last night to visit her uncle, J. S. Austin, during vacation. Her home is in Poulson, Mont.

Mrs. R. C. Hoshinson of North Bend is at the Marion hotel.

Abel W. Cook is a Dallas guest at the Bligh.

departments. This was developed at a meeting of the tax commission yesterday when the state tax levy was made officially. Figures cover one year only. From total amount of the budget for a year's time or \$4,500,390 has been deducted \$28,269 estimated for the military police before that organization was reduced, and then a further reduction of \$819,520 representing treasury receipts is made, leaving \$3,451,570 that should be levied for if 6 per cent limitation did not stand in the way. The amount to be levied is \$3,021,402 and the average levy is 3.96 mills.

Stolen Dallas Ford Is Recovered in the South

DALLAS, Or., Dec. 20.—(Special to The Statesman)—Sheriff John W. Orr of Polk county received word this week that the Ford automobile belonging to Sam Morrison of Monmouth had been recovered by the police officers at Riddell in the southern part of the state, the thieves having abandoned the car when the roads to California through that country became impassable. The car was stolen last week from a street in Independence where Mr. Morrison had left it while trading.

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