

#### SEVENTY-SECOND YEAR

**Opinion of Former Acting At**torney General Frierson lanored-Schlesinger Advice Preferred.

PROHUBITION LEADERS PREPARE TO GET BUSY

#### Upshaw of Georgia Proposes to Meet Condition With Amendment to Law

WASHINGTON, June 14.-Shipping of liquor on shipping board vessels at sea, will be continued Chairman Lasker reiterated tonight, until a separate de-cision has been rendered holding such practice illegal under the prohibition law and, until "he have been convinced of its illegal-

Lasker maintained Mr. throughout the day the position taken by him in his letter to Brewery company, St. Louis, despite indication that it would be made the subject of attack in congress and by dry organiza-

Indications are that the Oregon Former Opinion "Dry" Officials of the department of public service commission will not ness when we neglect the govern- order. justice refused to comment on the be represented at the conference ment" said Justice John McCourt situation, but in some quarters of Pacific coast utility commis- last night in addressing the audiattention was called to an opinion sions in San Francisco on June 19, ence at the Flag day program in Oriental garb that has become the on file there which was rendered called by the California railroad Willson park. "You cannot take most familiar part of downtown by former Acting Attorney Gen- commission to discuss the pend- a drink of water without touching San Francisco scenery the last few eral Frierson in 1920, Mr. Frier-son held that the national prohi-bition act was effective upon dered by the United States su-"Mere willingness to sacr

**OF SHEDD** BELIEVED **IN CALIFORNIA CITY** 

. A. Dickson, nationally known Jersey breeder of Shedd, Linn county, who disappeared mysteriously from his home a few days ago after deeding all his property to his wife, has been traced to Davis, Calif., a small place between San Francisco and Sacramento. While he is not believed to be directly in Davis it is thought he is in that vicinity and his family is

**MISSING CATTLEMAN** 

to an extent relieved in this belief. Dickson's family and acquaintances are puzzled at his sudden leaving, and it is attributed to possible ill health due to overwork, and also it is feared that he may have become

slightly affected mentally. Mrs. Dickson did not know that her husband had deeded the property to her until he had left. He sent her a message through Professor Whitney of the University of Oregon whom he met on a train and with whom he traveled from Woodburn to Eugene.

Dickson is between 30 and 40 years old. His wife, two children and his mother live on the farm near Shedd.



ner American Ideal Says Justice McCourt

"We are neglecting our busi-

"Mere willingness to sacrifice

SALEM, OREGON, THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 15, 1922

WASHINGTON IS SALEM GIRL NEXT POINT OF SHRINE FROLIC

New Potentate.

to Hawaii

next meeting place.

regon

**CUP TROPHY** Almack History Award Becomes Permanent Possession of Salem High School

AGAIN WINS

The Oregon history silver trophy will become the permanent National Capital Selected posession of the Salem high school according to word received here for 1923 Council - Mc-Candless of Honolulu is "Know Oregon First" essay contest, which ansounces the award of the loving cup to Miss Marjorie Mellinger of the local school. Miss Mellinger has entered for

SAN FRANCISCO SEES COLORFUL PARADES pessays have won the cup each year. "Pioneer Stories" was the title

of the essay with which the talent-Imperial Party Accompanies ed local writer won the 1922 con-Aloha Patrol on Voyage test. It recorded the struggle of a family of pioneers which settled in southern Oregon near Roseburg.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 14 .- most successful of the younger June 23, to participate in the Washington, D. C., was chosen to- writers of the city. Besides a Portland, Rose festival, made a day by the imperial council of the large collection of Indian legends trip to Portland yesterday and order of the Mystic Shrine for its which she has written, many of held a conference with the Rose her stories have been featured in Festival officials, where all ar-The council also re-elected two school publications, the Clarton rangements were made for the

ATTEMPT MADE

TO GET SLAYEI

**FROM OFFICERS** 

for crippled children. They were week, featuring one of her stories. W. Freeland endrick of Philadelphia and Dr. Oscar M. Landstrum Professor Almack of the Univer- tival officials, who are delighted f Helena, Mont. Parade Welcomes McCandless

Salem high collection and is is general manager, and in brief A human river of color, even highly prized by the local stu- outlined the following program: more barbarically gay under the dents. Professor Almack is using glow of electricity than by daymaterial collected from the essays light, flowed through the streets entered in the contest from all of San Francisco tonight, the over the state in complling his-Shriners welcome to the election torical data of early Oregon. of James S. McCandless of Hono-

lice.

Scores of bands and Arab patrols dressed in the bright hued days, briskly marched their way through banked masses of spectators to highly American music

lulu as imperial potentate of the

yesterday from the judges of the three consecutive years and her

## Portland to Make Grand Salaam Upon Entrance of Salemites Into City

the committee on caravan for the Miss Mellinger is one of the Cherrian trip to Portland Friday,

READY

Statesman

trustees for the Shriner hospitals Annual which was published this arrival and stay in Portland. Gilbert reports that they were The cup which was given by given a fine reception by the fessity of Oregon is one of the most that Salem is to be represented on beautiful of the trophies in the such a scale. William B. Merry

> **Rosarians Meet Cherrians** The Cherrian caravan to arrive at the city limits of Portland at

10 o'clock Friday morning, there to be met by the full organization of the Rosarians in automobiles. They will be accompanied by the motorcycle corps of the Portland grounds last night, of which were police, who will lead the caravan 14 tourists who had been there into Portland and parade through before yesterday. the principal streets.

The motorcycle police will hold friends in Salem and in a few court, but has been due to the up all travel to allow the Cher-rians the right of way on their cases decided to remain for a desire of some of the citizens in certain sections of the county to up all travel to allow the Chertriumphal tour of Portland. They longer time.

The policy of the state highway commission relative to the West Side highway in Polk county, now tied up as a result of a recent circuit court decree by Judge Percy R. Kelly, is to rush the work to completion this year if possible.

**TWO SECTIONS** 

10 Pages

PRICE: FIVE CENTS

The difficulty arises over the decree that market road money cannot be used on a state highway. R. A. Booth of Eugene, chairman of the state highway commission, in a statement here yesterday, intimated that ther case would be appealed to the supreme court. The decree, if upheld, will bring about a serious handicap to the highway commission in all parts of the state, for the reason that a large part of the state highway system is made up of market roads. Should the commission's paving program on the West Side highway in Polk county be held up the commission will improve with Lee Gilbert and Harry Love of rock all the important parts of the highway that must be used for traffic so that the road may be used throughout the season.

Mr. Booth said relative to the commission's policy on



ing Daily, Official Records Indicate

More than 30 camps were pitched in the Salem auto camp that the controversy has been so

possible, but is anxious that it may be done this season that a full account of the improvement of the Pacific highway, both east and west, may be included in the commission's annual report that the law requires to be made to the governor not later than the 30th of November. County Relations Harmonious "It is extremely unfortunate

long continued and to some extent still exists. This controversy, however, is not between the highway commission and the Some of the travelers found county, as represented by the

change the location of that for

"In the matter of the improve-



**POLK COUNTY ROAD** 

**POLICY EXPLAINED** 

**BY CHAIRMAN BOOTH** 

ellective ships flying the American flag preme court. erever they might be.

ding to high government A sharp division of opinion on officials a decision of an attorney the question in Oregon and indigeneral remains the official incations that it is developing a secterpretation of a law until it has tional controversy are the reasons een revoked by court decision or that Oregon may not be reprey a superseding opinion. Fursented. hermore they added such opin-Commercial bodies from nearly

ion always stands unless request all the important western Oregon for a review comes from the same cities have sent communications spartment or agency which or to the Oregoh commission urging iginally requested the ruling. that influences be set to work to forestall the unmerger.

Lasker States Defense Mr. Lasker's stand as to liquor Many Points Busy. sales on board American vessels Among these are the commerwas taken, he informed Mr.

cial or other civic organizations Busch, on the authority of an opinion rendered by General of McMinnville, Independence. Counsel Schlesinger of the ship- Newberg, Springfield, Medford, Ashland, Roseburg, Grants Pass, ping board. and in addition many personal Chairman Lasker declared he would not ask the department of letters.

justice for a new opinion, being entirely satisfied with that ren-On the other hand a number of communications have been received taking the other side of dered by Mr. Schlesinger.

While there was no indication the question. tonight that there would be any move by an executive department Ship Subsidy Bill to Be in the matter, at the capitol the Busch - Lasker correspondence provoked considerable discussion among prohibition leaders, coming as it did on the heels of the publican leaders announced toattack yesterday on the board by night that the administrations crat, Massachusetts, for permitting the sale of liquor on American ships.

**Upshaw** Proposes Amendment Representative Upshaw, Democrat, Georgia, was the first to announce publicly today that he would offer an amendment to the party vote. With one possible ex-

port. on whose ships liquor is sold. A leading western representative had announced that he would "Never Alone," Famed Picture by friends of the bill said it seemed certain the issue would have to be met unless the bill was reported by the rules committee with a stipulation that none but merchant marine committee amend-

ments would be considered.

Bold Prophecy Made There was talk tonight that such an amendment would be considered before the committee prohably tomorrow, although its defeat there was predicted.

ardent prohibitionist One went so far as to express the expensive. This is especially true opinion that "by next summer a in the Salem showing of Mareau's law will be enacted prohibiting terrible indictment of war. the landing in the United States of foreign ships on which liquor who later fell on Flanders' field. selling is permitted."

**Busch Makes Reply** The statement that A. D. Lasker, chairman of the United States shipping board, "misunderstood dent of Anheuser-Busch company, George Washington, a shipping of war's horrors in this lone sol- floor of the store will continue un-

Division Sharp

Oregon May Keep Offic-

ial from Parley

flag and what it stands for is not and live for it." rection the program was given. McCourt. Robin Day gave a brief the race for grand outer guard,

history of the flag and J. A. Ben- the lowest rung of the ladder that jamin gave the "Tribute to the leads from this point without fur-Flag.' , Mrs. Hinges Sings

The "Star Spangled Banner"

was sung by Mrs. Hallie Parrish Hinges, accompanied by the Salem Cherrian band. Mrs. Hinges' voice, considered especially suited to an outdoor program, was especially pleasing last night.

The band opened and closed the evening's program with patriotic selections

The Elks marched in a body from the Elks temple to the park.

### Eugene Guardsmen Leave for Camp Lewis Training

WASHINGTON, June 14 .- Re-EUGENE, Or., June 14 .- Between 125 and 130 national Representative Gallivan, Demo- ship subsidy bill, introduced to- guardsmen of this city entrained day, would be taken up by the tonight for Camp Lewis, Wash., house next week, provided the where during the next two weeks merchant marine committee to they will engage in their annual which it was referred, is able to maneuvers and training. Com-

report it by Saturday night. pany C and battalion headquar-The measure is expected to be ters company of the 162nd infan-

pall-like clouds of smoke from the

reported by almost a straight try are located here. Major William G. White(, comship subsidy bill providing that no ception, Democratic committee manding the First battalion, has part of the federal subsidy fund men declared they would vote his headquarters in this city. He should be used by such operators against it and file a minority re- and his staff will accompany the two companies to camp.

## Slain French Artist, Exhibited in Original at Department Store

By WILL CARVER

Takeh up Coming Week

passing battle lines. Do not miss viewing Herbert De Mareau's deservedly famous ise also in the portrayal. painting during the remaining seven days of its stay in this city. It has been said that the best things of life are often the least

The artist, himself a soldier, had no pity for humanity's frailtles when he limned his last work,

"Never Alone." On the large canvas a deserted Christ. This, according to exhibifield is portrayed. A single figure tors of the picture, has been comand therefore assalled" the mo- is in the foreground. This is a mented upon by many persons who tive of Adolphus Busch III and young French pollu who has fal- have visited the exhibition. his father, August Busch, presi- len in his "rendezvous with "Never Alone" as shown in Sadeath." The face is distorted by leem is the original canvass on its announced in writing to President the awful pain of the last suffer- only tour of America. It is at the sonia and H. F. Alexander, which Harding, regarding the sale of li- ing. With unrestrained emphasis Worth & Gray department store have been chartered for the voyquor aboard the Steamship the artist gives a revelation of all and the showing on the second age.

your life in a time of national and American songs, peril is not enough. To praise the Mills Is Outer Guard

Most of the bands and patrols enough but we must work for it were out of town today while the imperial council went through The Flag day ritualistic service part of its business, electing imof the Elks lodge under whose di- perial officers and hearing committee reports. There was only preceded the address by Judge one contest, three men being in worker, was frustrated here

ther struggle to the rank of im-

perial potentate. Earl Mills of Za-Ga Zig temple

Chattanooga, Tenn., and E. J. Scoonover of Murat temple, Indianapolis. Mills was chosen on the first ballot and the election then was made unanimous.

Brown and Rowell Renamed Conrad V. Dykman of Kismet temple, Brooklyn, N. Y., succeeded McCandless as imperial deputy in the Ingham county jail at potentate. The two officers who Mason, instead of Lansing. have handled the business admin-

istration of the Shrine for many years, were re-elected. They were William S. Brown of Syria temple, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Benja-

min W. Rowell of Aleppo temple, Boston, imperial treasurer and imperial recorder, respectively. Other imperial officers were advanced one grade.

The report of the board of trustees of the Shriners' hospitals for crippled children occupied most of

the rest of the day. Tomorrow applications for new temples will be considered. Many imperial representatives said that probably only a few, if any, of the nine cities applying, would receive

charters.

Oakland Is Host Nearly half of the patrols and bands were guests of Oakland today, parading through the streets

there and being taken on sightseeing tours.

New Head Speaks

Most of the others went to the automobile races at San Carlos where they gave fancy drills. To-

Golden Gate Park stadium. But there is comfort and prom-Tomorrow night there will be

Another figure is in the middle

the greed and hatred of humanity. events of history. There is a peculiar effect from

Mrs. James S. McCandless, wife a first glimpse of the painting. of the new imperial potentate, when the observer has received the full effects of the terrible was the guest of honor today at foreground, the gaze is caught by Coburn, wife of Islam's illustrate

the figure of the compassionate potentate. Friday the imperial party, acchanters of Honolulu and many planist; Miss Minnie Scheller shortly. other members of the Shrine from all parts of the country will sail

for Honolulu on the steamer Mat-

LANSING, Mich., June 14. -A second attempt by a num-George Straub, alleged concommittee. fessed slayer of Miss Alice Mallett, a Jackson welfare

tonight by state and local po-**JACKSON**, Mich., June 14. -A score of automobiles left clared their intention was to

leged to have confessed to the slaying of Miss Alice Mallett last Thursday night. It was generally believed Straub was

seize George Straub, who is al-

**Becker**; Found Guilty and is Fined \$200

J. J. Becker, Woodburn youth. was yesterday found guilty of simple assault in a verdict returned by a jury in department No. 1, circuit court. Judge George G.

Bingham imposed a sentence of \$200. The fine was paid. Becker was recently indicted on a charge of assault wit ha dangerous weapon. He was alleged to

have attacked Warren Hicks, also of Woodburn, brandishing a knife after Hicks had struck him in a dance hall brawl.

County officials said last night that Hicks had been arrested on a charge of possessing liquor and that he will probably plead in justice court within a few days.

Dickman, soprano and Miss Myr-

tle Knowland were among the

Salem persons heard last night by

local radio fans.

Salem Musicians Heard By Radio Last Night

Salem musicians were included

## Cash Bonus Proposal is

WASHINGTON, June 14 .- The proposal of Senator Ladd, Repubschool which has been trained by of the soldiers' bonus in cash reverse side of same.

from profits of banks, was eub-Frederick L. Boynton sang a mitted today by Hanford MacNinumber of solos which were said der, head of the American legion by Salem listeners to have been idea inspired by the figure in the a reception given by Mrs. Ira W, unusually good. A trio composed of opinion. In his letter to the of Hilda Amsler, soprano, C. R. legion commander, Senator Ladd Munston, tenor and Leon Jenni- said it would, be a saving to taxson, baritone, gave a number of payers, and he promised to excompanied by Aloha patrol and selections. Miss Ruth Bedford, plain his plan to the senate very

A large group listened at the PENDLETON, Ore., June 14 .---F. S. Barton home on Capitol

will then be taken to the Imperial hotel, headquarters of the Cherrians for the day, and the dent Albert's books. This indi- ty, and in this way led to the long automobiles to a local garage, to cates only the number of cars that legal controversy. The matter of ber of Jackson citizens to seize be supplied by the Rose Festival have remained in the park for at location, however, having now counted.

Nothing Left Out

The Cherrians and their ladies will be entertained at luncheon by the Rosarians, probably at the Commercial club grill.

say to the Cherrians that the son, Puyallup; Mr. and Mrs. C. Rose festival this year is going to Collen, Mehama; Mr. and Mrs. be in a class by itself, and that V. W. Haselton, Mr. and Mrs. W. of Des Moines, won the honor over Jackson about 11 o'clock to- every effort will be put forth to G. McLean, Portland; Mr. and John Fouche of Alhambra temple, night for Mason, carrying make the visit of the Salem Cher- Mrs. L. T. untz, Bonners Ferry, men and some women who de- rians especially pleasant. They Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Yoker. have been assigned to class B in Puyallup; A. E. Harbord, Portthe parade, cities under 50,000 land; H. Stuttaford, Terrace, population, and are assured of a Wash .; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bulgood position. They were par- mer, Cedro Wooley, Wash .: W. ticularly gratified at news of Sa- J. Robinson, A. Fisher, Baker; lem's unique projected float. Mr. and Mrs. John Burns, Los

57 Cities Accept Angeles: Mr. and Mrs. J. Trager Already 57 cities have accept- Denver; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ross, ed the invitation to take part and Puyallup, Wash .: Mrs. C. H. Fenton, Chewelah, Wash .; Mr. and to furnish floats or march or Mrs. E. M. Schutt, Heppner; Mr. both.

The acceptances include Seat- and Mrs. T. C. Jackson, Marshtle, Victoria, B. C. and Pasadena. field.

The registration last night had merly adopted under an agreereached serial 384 on Superinten- ment with the people of the co least one night. Visitors are not been determined by Judge Kelly's

decision, which he says has the Those registering yesterday same force as the suprema were Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Proctor, court's it apears to be a reason-Long Beach, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. able supposition that further el-J. A. McGuire, Walla Walla; A. fort to restrain the building of Mr. Merry asked Mr. Gilbert to M. Hart, Tulare, Cal.; S. T. John- the road is not apt to continue.

Hindrance Arises

"For the moment, however, there is one hindrance on account of Judge Kelly's decision that market money cannot be used on a state highway. This not only hinders the road program in Polk county, but in various counties of the state. A prominent case in point is Lane county where the citizens voted a \$2,-000,000 bond issue but did not provide any part of the bond issue for doing the work legally required by the county on the Pacific highway but appropriated it to roads mostly lateral to the Pa-

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# PICTURE OF SLOAT RECEIVED FROM TACOMA POLICE OFFICER

## WHEW! O, PAPA

MONROE, La., June 14 .--Mrs. Williard Prestage, wife word received here today. Five aaccusation in Marion county.

years ago she became the mother of triplets.

Presented by MacNider

lican, North Dakota, for payment whose description is on the re-

with a request for an expression

## BUILDING ACCEPTED

Oregon state hospital which has cessful assault upon her. Prior been completed at a cost of \$145.- to his arrest we had received nu-

C. A. Sloat, Linn county school teacher, will probably be brought to Salem within the next three days to face charges of assault with intent to commit rape upon two little Salem Five children were born to girls, according to reports from Albany.

District Attorney John H. Carson and his force are giving of a farmer of the old Floyd much time to the case so as to be prepared for immediate neighborhood, 60 miles north- procedure should the Linn county authorities decide to suseast of Monroe, according to pend filing of Albany charges as Sloat faces more serious

Absolute confirmation of Sloat's past record was established last night by Chief of Police Moffitt who identified a photograph from Tacoma, Wash., police headquarters as that of Sloat. A letter in answer to Chief Moffitt's inquiry made several days ago throws new light upon the Tacoma case.

The letter follows: this date, enclosed find our pho- 1908. In consideration for his to No. 2507 of the above named widowed mother, he was only

Employed as Motorman "Beg to advise you that he was ty. arrested on July 5, 1918 by De-Patterson of this department and motorman on one of Tacoma Judge Healy."

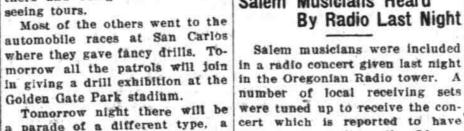
Railway & Power company's cars "He was positively identified by a 9-year-old girl as the man chief of police, Tacoma, Wash. who had on the day previous. picked her up on his bicycle and taken her to the vicinity of the city pumping station, which is located on the outskirts of South The west wing of the Eastern Tacoma, and there made a suc-

in the superior court of Plerce "Confirming our telegram of county against him on July 9, sentenced to serve six months in the Pierce county jail on July 23, 1918 on entering a plea of guil-

"Without knowledge of this tective Cliff Osborne and Dave department until this date, Sloat was released on probation on at that time was employed as a September 9, 1918, by Probation

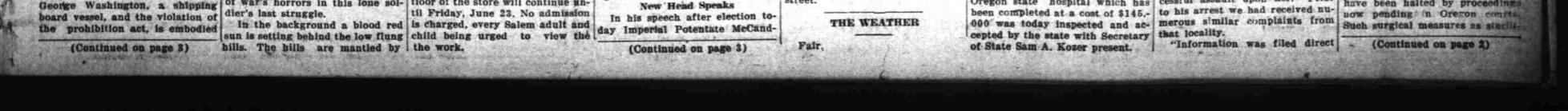
> The letter is dated June 13 and is signed by H. D. Dyment.

May Get Long Sentence Should Sloat be found guilty of the charges filed against him he will be subject to a sentence of from five years to life, Surgical measures provided by law have been halted by proceedings



a parade of a different type, a cert which is reported to have foreground. It is that of the Car- historical pageant with a series come in unusually well. Of spepenter of Nazareth, standing with of floats portraying the part cial interest were the number by uplifted arms over the sacrifice to played by Masons in the leading the girls' chorus of Polytechnic

Miss Minetta Magers. Mrs. McCandless Honored



street.