

# LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF

**Nelson Sings Solo**—W. J. Nelson, member of the Corvallis Kiwanis club, was soloist at the Tuesday noon luncheon of the Salem club yesterday in the Marion hotel. Several other members of the Corvallis club, including Samuel M. Dolan, retiring president, and Arthur Lawrence, president-elect, were present.

**Christmas Special**—1341 Rogers 25-piece silverware sets in the new utility tray. Regular \$34.25; special \$24.50. Ray L. Farmer Hdw. Co.

**The Argo Restaurant**—Wishes its patrons a merry Xmas and announces that it will serve turkey dinner Christmas day, noon and evening. 60c. Closed Sunday.

**Visits Portland**—W. S. Walton, of the Ladd & Bush bank, was a Portland visitor Tuesday.

**Complete Line of—**Monarch Electric Ranges at Hamilton's. a21tf

**Makes Business Trip**—T. J. Elliot of Portland, who recently purchased the Smith-Arnold fruit farm about five miles south of Liberty, was in Salem yesterday arranging business matters relative to his farm.

**Hotel Marion**—Dollar dinner, served 5:45 to 8 every evening. a26tf

**Sails for Frisco**—Miss Gertrude Savage will leave on the steamer Admiral Pike, sailing from Portland, Dec. 22, for a protracted stay in San Francisco.

**Joy Gift**—A potted plant or fern. Portland, 279 State. d22

**Not Surprised**—C. H. Cannon is quoted as saying that the advance in gasoline prices comes as no surprise to him after seeing the wreck of a company truck on the Silverton road some days ago in which several hundred gallons of gas was lost.

**Artistic Gifts as Low as 25c**—Mrs. Trover, 122 N. Com'l. d24

**Motors to Portland**—Mrs. Winnie Pettijohn motored to Portland Tuesday for the purpose of closing a real estate deal in that city.

**Neighbors of Woodcraft**—Attention: Special meeting on Thursday, 8 p. m. at Mrs. Turner's, 355 S. 14th. d22\*

**Health Director Lectures**—Miss Ann Simpson, director of health education in Marion county, lectured to Miss June Philpott's class in biology at the Salem high school Tuesday afternoon on "Exercise and Posture." Miss Simpson's talks are direct to the point and considered by the high school teachers as of great value to the pupils.

**Choice Holly for Sale**—In City View cemetery. d24\*

**Calls on Trade**—George Halling, veteran salesman for J. K. Gill & Co. of Portland, was calling upon his Salem customers yesterday.

**50c Chicken Dinner Today**—Noon at the Black Cat. d22

**Have You Forgotten**—To put a case of Stolz's Soda-water away for the children on Christmas day? We have all flavors, pure and wholesome; 52¢ a case, delivered. Return bottles after Christmas and get one dollar back. Order through your grocer. Phone 26, Gideon Stolz Co. d23

**Three Will go to Camp**—The Salem YMCA has been allotted three boys to attend the winter boys' camp to be held by the Portland YMCA at Sprit Lake, Wash., during the holidays. The three boys to go have not yet been selected.

**Dance, Crystal Gardens, Dec. 24**—Christmas eve, given by United Artisan girls' drill team. Blue Ribbon orchestra. Ladies, 25c; gentlemen, 75c. d24

**Basketball Tournay Planned**—Two basketball tournaments for boys are being planned by the local YMCA for the Christmas holidays. One will be for high school boys, with six teams, and the other for junior high school and grade school boys, also with six teams. Each league will play one round of games.

**Virgin Wool Blankets**—In fancy plaids or white with colored borders, \$10 to \$14 for six-pound pairs. Thos. Kay Woolen Mills Co. d24

**First Methodists Win**—The First Methodist church volleyball team last night defeated the First Lutheran church four straight games in the inter-church volleyball league being held at the YMCA gymnasium.

**Warehouse Property Buy**—A property, 102x139 corner, has been bought for \$15,000 to \$12,000 and today to \$10,000 total price. Two residences now on; the best buy of its kind in Salem. Cash, Becke & Hendricks, 159 N. High street. d22tf

**Essay Contest Begins**—Miss June Philpott of Salem high school reports that the annual chemical essay contest is now in progress. This contest was instituted and endowed by the Garvans of New York in memory of their daughter, and is given under the auspices of the National Chem-

ical society. There are six prizes of \$20 each for each state. The winners will participate in the national contest, prizes for which are scholarships in educational institutions of national renown. Up to this time no Oregon contestants from secondary schools have won national prizes, but a Reed college student last year captured a \$1,000 prize in the national contest for college students.

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**Visits New Teacher**—Rural Supervisor W. W. Fox visited the Belle Passi school on Tuesday and reports that Mrs. Florence Borgman, successor to Miss M. Schollard, who died recently, is making splendid progress.

**See the New Sidewalk Bike**—\$12 and \$20, cut to \$10.25 and \$17.50. Ray L. Farmer Hdw. Co. d22

**Auto Ditched**—P. A. Jarman reported to the sheriff's office yesterday that while driving a car belonging to H. W. Hatch he was forced to go into the ditch near Hubbard in order to avoid a pedestrian who dashed across the road ahead of his car. The amount of damage was not stated.

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**Trophy is Awarded**—The Willamette university tennis team of last spring was awarded the northwest conference trophy at an assembly Monday. The team consists of Ivan White, Jack Minto and Bill Walsh.

**Fishing Tackle**—Baseball gloves, footballs make fine Christmas gifts for that growing boy. Ray L. Farmer Hdw. Co. d22

**Classes to End Today**—Classes at Willamette university will end at noon today for the Christmas holidays. They will reopen January 4. The first term of the school year will end February 1.

**Stockholders Annual Meeting**—The annual meeting of stockholders of the Mutual Savings & Loan Association of Salem, Oregon, for the election of three directors and for the transaction of any other business that may legally come before it, will be held at its offices at 142 S. Liberty street, Salem, Oregon, on the 27th day of December, 1928, at 7:30 p. m. J. D. White, secretary. d22

**Professors to Speak**—Dean George Alden and Dean Frank M. Erickson of Willamette university will take part in the Oregon State Teachers' conference to be held in Portland Dec. 28 and 29. Dean Alden will report for the higher education standards committee and Dean Erickson will lead the discussion on a paper to be given by William A. Kearns, head of the OAC physical education department.

**As Usual, the Ray L. Farmer**—Hdw. Co. has the largest line of toys in the city. d22

**Prof. Andrews in Spokane**—Prof. C. I. Andrews of Kinball School of Theology is in Spokane today and tomorrow for an annual conference on religious education with Washington representatives of the Methodist church.

**Pure Linen Handkerchiefs**—One-fourth inch hem, 19c. G. W. Johnson Co. d21

**Kells to Act as Secretary**—C. A. Kells, local YMCA secretary, will act as Marion county YMCA secretary from January 15, when A. R. Hodges, the present secretary, leaves until his successor is chosen. The county work will be carried on in the same manner as it now is.

**Silk Four-in-Hand Ties**—Delayed shipment. Extra special, 88c. G. W. Johnson Co., 469 State street. d21

**Boys' Chorus Sings**—The Salem Boys' chorus, under direction of H. C. Epley, gave its annual Christmas program last night before a packed house in the YMCA lobby. Christmas carols and similar numbers were featured.

**We Still Have a Good Assortment**—Of all wool overcoats, selling from \$10.50 to \$22.50. A chance to get a fine Xmas present at manufacturer's prices. Thos. Kay Woolen Mill Co. d24

**Building Committee Meets**—The building committee of the First Presbyterian church met last night to discuss plans for a campaign to be held in January for obtaining \$45,000 to add to the \$125,000 now on hand for a fund for erecting a new church building at North Winter and Chemeketa streets.

**Special Dance Christmas Eve**—Dances hall, McCoy. d23

**Statements Sent Out**—The Salem YMCA is mailing out statements to all persons who pledged money to the building fund and have not paid money that is due on them. About \$49,000 is now due, according to C. A. Kells, secretary.

**1927 Calendars Free**, Homer H. Smith Ins. Agency, over Millers. d19tf

**Local Butcher Arrested**—Henry Magnuson, local butcher,

is charged in justice court here with dealing in fish without a license. The complaint against him was filed by W. A. Smith, deputy fish warden. Magnuson pleaded not guilty and was released on his own recognizance.

**License Suspended**—William Lehman's drivers' license was yesterday suspended for 10 days on a charge of failing to have his lights adjusted.

**Special**—Christmas tree lights, regular \$1.25, cut to \$1. Ray L. Farmer Hdw. Co. d22

**Bloom Forfeits Bail**—John Bloom yesterday forfeited \$10 bail in police court here by failing to appear to answer a charge of drunkenness.

**Atwater Kent One-Dial Radio**—For Xmas. We are able to make last minute installations. Vick Bros. Phone 1841. d24

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J. Poster of Dexter, Or., was among the out of town visitors in this city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hansen of Erdmore, N. D., were in this city Tuesday night.

T. D. Roland of Roseburg is a visitor in this city.

J. V. Chandler of Grants Pass was in this city Tuesday.

G. F. Sowersby of Riddle spent Tuesday night in this city.

Dexter Rice, a Roseburg resident, was among the Tuesday night visitors in this city.

R. W. Davis of Albany is a Salem visitor.

W. L. Powers of Corvallis spent Tuesday night in this city.

**Stavton**

E. D. Philippi lost a valuable dog Saturday while on a coyote hunt in the canyon east of Kingston. The animal picked up poison bait which had been cached there by some unknown person. Another of the hounds also picked up a chunk of tallow which concealed a poison capsule. It was forced away from the dog before it had a chance to swallow it.

Friends of Mrs. Lottie Gentry were taken completely by surprise when news of her marriage to Charles Porter of Aumsville reached this city. The couple were married last week and were given an old fashioned reception with bells and guns at the farm home of the groom Saturday evening. A large number of friends of the newly weds comprised the party who met to wish them the happiness the matrimonial occasion demands.

Archie Caspell, his wife, and daughter Lucille are planning to spend New Years in Spokane, Wash., where they will be guests at the home of Mrs. Caspell's sister. The trip will be made by motor in company with friends from Salem. They are looking forward to the trip with great anticipation.

Special services which have been in progress at the Baptist church here for the past three weeks closed on Sunday evening. Rev. G. G. Laughlin of Portland had charge of the meetings.

Ward Baker, who, it has been said, is the greatest American violinist, appeared in concert here Monday night at the school auditorium. He was assisted by local talent. Those present pronounced it the finest of the kind ever held in Stavton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Missler attended the funeral of Mrs. Margaret Wittschen in Salem Sunday. Mrs. Wittschen was a sister of Mr. Missler. Other friends of the deceased also attended from here.

Charles S. Clark, editor of the Aumsville Star, was a business visitor here Monday. Mr. Clark has just finished installing a linotype machine in the printing department of the Star office which brings his office equipment up to the standard in efficiency.

Many Christmas parties and dinners are being planned for the holidays by private families, for the pleasure of house guests or relatives, while trees and programs will be held in each of the local churches for the children.

Several sheep owners in this vicinity have suffered heavy loss among their flocks by dogs recently. Two dogs belonging to Stavton persons were killed Sunday, having been caught in the act of attacking sheep on the Toelle farm, one mile from the city limits.

Americans having "an habitual residence in France" must pay French income tax on all their revenue, whether derived from the United States or France.

**SALEM ROD AND GUN CLUB HOLDS MEETING**

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warrant the present bag. The club went on record in favor of leaving the law as it now stands with the limit at two deer per season and leaving the spike buck as a legitimate kill.

A change in the present season dates was also favored, moving the opening date from September 15 to August 20, and leaving the closing date as it is now.

An open season on pheasants as it is now constituted was favored, rather than a plan to allow shooting on Wednesdays throughout October.

The club also went on record, at the motion of Walter Winslow, as favoring action by the legislature which would remove the present control of the game seasons from the hands of the state game commission and leave it entirely in the hands of the state legislature.

In reply to a number of questions raised by club members it was definitely stated that the action of the club in endorsing Roy Bremer as a candidate for game warden in this locality was simply a statement that Bremer would be a satisfactory man to fill the position and that there was no intention on the part of the club to remove any particular warden now working in this vicinity.

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Federal Prohibition Agents to Let Merriment Proceed Unwatched

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—(AP)—San Francisco is to have an unwatched New Year's Eve celebration, so far as the prohibition force of the federal government is concerned.

This was announced here tonight by Acting Prohibition Administrator William Anderson, who expressed a conviction that the country has become "fairly dry" after nearly seven years of prohibition.

"Of course," he said, "I intend to have a squad of agents on hand to dash immediately to any place where illegal use of spirits is reported. Further, I shall admonish the proprietors of hotels and cafes not to countenance liquor drinking in their establishments.

"But as to having my men go about spying on the respectable citizens of San Francisco, as has been done sometimes in the past—No, I do not believe this necessary at all."

**STORM HITS PORTLAND**

Snow and Driving Wind Blinds Motorists and Pedestrians

PORTLAND, Dec. 21.—(AP)—Blizzard weather raged again on the heights about Portland tonight and in the suburbs when snow fell before a driving wind that blinded motorists and pedestrians on the streets.

Last minute shoppers going home with their arms laden with bundles, found the streets on the heights covered with snow, while threats of snow hovered over the downtown sections but the flakes melted as they fell.

It had been raining pretty steadily throughout the day. A cold wind accompanied the rain.

**GUNS BLAZE IN JERSEY**

State Troopers Besiege Three Men in Jutland Farm House

HIGHBRIDGE, N. J., Dec. 22.—(AP)—A gun battle was raging early today between 30 state troopers and three men who barricaded themselves in a farm house at Jutland, near here. Corporal Matthew Daly was taken to a hospital, with buckshot in the jaw and legs.

The fight started when a trooper went to a farm in response to a complaint of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and was clubbed.

He summoned aid and the men started shooting from the farm house, on top of a hill in a remote locality.

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