

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF

Annual Party Planned—The Amperette club, composed of wives of electrical workers in the city, together with the workers, will hold an annual New Year's party January 1 in the Labor hall.

Year-End Clearance—Any \$40 suit, \$28.85; all others greatly reduced. G. W. Johnson Co., 469 State. d30

Doctor Returns—Dr. L. N. Sanders recently returned to Salem from Chicago. He has added to his 25 years' experience by studying for the past few months internal medicine under Drennon & Howell in Mercy hospital, specialists of Chicago, in the treatment of ulcers of the stomach; he also studied physiotherapy under Dr. Eberhardt of Chicago. It is Dr. Sanders' intention to resume his Salem practice.

For U. S. Inspected Meats—Phone 574, Pontious & Walcher 11

Returns From Visit—Hazel B. Marsters of Salem has returned here after spending the Christmas holidays visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Margaret Marty of Eugene.

Flowers for All—Occasions. Adams, Florist. d30

Methodists to Meet—Methodist ministers of Salem and vicinity will meet at Kimball School of Theology auditorium on Jan. 8 at 10:30 o'clock. Prof. C. L. Andrews will speak on "Christian Nurture in Relation to Conversion and Regeneration."

No Longer Salesman—L. R. Feirice is no longer connected with the MacDonald Auto company as a salesman for Willis-Knight, Overland and Marmon cars. MacDonald Auto Co. d30

One Fine Paid—Mrs. J. B. Protzman was the only person to pay a fine yesterday for violation of the Salem parking law. She paid a fine of \$1 on an overtime parking charge.

Odde and Ends—Sale now in progress. H. L. Stiff Furniture Co. d30

This is the Time of Year—When work is slack, but an ideal time to study in preparation for a better position. The Capital Business College has both day and night classes. A new class in shorthand will be started next Monday—a good time to enter any department of the school. Call this week to arrange for a course. d30

Young People's Convention—The State Young People's convention of the Church of God will be held at Woodburn, in the auditorium of the high school, Dec. 31 to Jan. 2. Services will be held each day at 10:30, 2:30 and 7:30 o'clock.

Wanted, Used—Furniture. Tel. 511. 12

Pontious & Walcher—Having again purchased the old State Street Market at 1266 State St., will be pleased to meet all old, as well as new customers. Phone 574. Free delivery. 11

Epworth League Institute—The mid-year Epworth League institute of the Salem district will be held in the city on January 7-9 inclusive. Dr. G. O. Oliver, vice president of Willamette university will act as dean of the institute and Rev. D. H. Leech, superintendent of the Salem district, will have part in the program.

Special Dance—New Year's Eve, Domes Hall, McCoy. d30

Income and Business Properties—At \$8,000 and \$22,000, we have extraordinary buys in inside income property. Both are corners. One 102x104; the other 165x195. Others all sizes and locations. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High street. d30

Missionary to Speak—Rev. John M. Springer, D.D., who has spent 25 years as a missionary of the Methodist Episcopal church in Africa, and who is now spending his furlough in Salem, will speak in the First Methodist church here on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. He will relate his experiences among the tribes of the dark continent and the progress of the Christian religion.

Overstuffed Furniture—Made to order and over-covered. Salem Walker and Overstuffed Manufacturing Co., 2218 State. Tel. 2230. 112

Visits in Salem—Emil Snow of Portland is spending the holidays at the home of F. T. Wicklander.

Dr. Marshall, Osteopathic—Physician and surgeon. d30

Van Name Arrested—Emil Van Damme has been arrested on a charge of non-support and was released yesterday in justice court on \$500 bail. The warrant was issued in Multnomah county.

\$500 Down—Balance exactly like rent. Three new modern homes, 4 to 6 rooms, \$4200 on up. Every one has double construction—throughout, large furnace, fireplace, hardwood, electric water heater, shades, light fixtures, cement walks and drive, lawn graded and seeded. Quick possession. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High street. d30

Motor to Pendleton—Henry Thielsen and Robert Bishop motored to Pendleton on Monday where they will spend the holidays. Robert's father, Chauncey Bishop.

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Used Pianos—Lots of them—\$50, \$75, \$100, \$125, \$150. Why pay more? Tallman Piano Store, 395 South 12th. 12

Grimes Case Dismissed—The case of J. E. Grimes, charged with non-support of a minor child, was dismissed yesterday in justice court. Grimes had come to an agreement with Ruth Mills, his ex-wife, who had filed the complaint against him.

Furniture Upholstery—And repairing. Glass-Powers Furniture Co.

Motor Vehicle Owners—Apply for 1927 licenses at temporary quarters, corner Ferry and High streets. Entrance on Ferry street. Sam A. Koser, secretary of state. d31

Smith Hearing Today—Hearing in the case of C. C. Smith, charged in justice court with reckless driving, has been set for 10 o'clock this morning by Brazier Small, justice of the peace. The complaint against Smith was filed by F. W. Lewis following an accident last fall. Smith at present is free on his own recognizance.

Dance, New Year's Eve—Happy Hour hall, N. Dallas. Fun! d31*

Warehouse Property Buy—A beauty, 102x139 corner; has been cut from \$15,000 to \$12,000 and today to \$10,000 total price. Two residences now on; the best Two residences now on; the best buy of its kind in Salem. Cash. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High street. d31

Divorce Suit Filed—Alonzo Thomas has filed suit for divorce in circuit court here against Frances Thomas, charging desertion in February, 1924. The two were married in February, 1921, in Las Cruces, N. M.

Player Piano—Left with us. Will sell at a real bargain. Terms. Tallman Piano Store, 395 South 12th. 12

Nothing Lasts Forever—Except real estate. Why not a lot as a New Year's present to some one or to yourself. From \$125 on up. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High street. d30

Final Account Rendered—Elmer M. Savage, administrator of the estate of Sara N. Savage, has filed his final account in probate court here.

For Choice Meats—Prompt service, phone 574, Pontious & Walcher. 11

Dr. Brown in Portland—Dr. Walter H. Brown, director of the Marion county child health demonstration, was in Portland yesterday to give an address before the state teachers' convention.

For Rent—Office rooms over Gray Belle. Apply at Gray Belle. d31

High Grade Grand Piano—Will be sacrificed if sold this week. Terms. Tallman Piano Store, 395 South 12th. 12

Miss Simpson Away—Miss Anne Simpson, director of health education of the Marion county child health demonstration, has gone to Portland to spend a week attending the state teachers' convention there.

Odde and Ends—Sale now in progress. H. L. Stiff Furniture Co. d30

Acres Tracts—In bearing fruit and nuts. Just outside Salem, close to bus line and school, \$1,000. Terms. Three left. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High street. d30

Convention Planned—The Church of God young people's annual convention will be at Woodburn Dec. 31 to Jan 2. Services will be held in the high school auditorium three times a day.

Big Reductions—In fine furniture during our odds and ends sale. H. L. Stiff Furniture Co. d30

Mrs. Haley Returns—Mrs. Emma K. Haley has returned to Salem after a two month's visit in San Francisco, where she was called by the illness of her sister.

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Company Has Banquet—Members of the Hillman Fuel company held a banquet last night in the Marion hotel. Short talks were made by each man present. The following, with their wives, attended: Harold Nichols, Paul Elliott, George Smith, Milton Dierks, Asa Smith, Adolf Hillman and Otto Hillman.

Concrete Products—The Oregon Gravel company makes 11 different kinds of pipe, brick and tile—let one or more of them work for you. d30

Rotarians Have Music—The Schuflert octette, composed of local women, sang several numbers at a special musical program held at the weekly Rotary club luncheon Wednesday noon. Arbutus Rudie, Ellen Moore and Mrs. Jean Peary sang solos. Jack Spong gave several sleight of hand tricks. Walter Jerks was in charge of the program.

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Lightfoot Returns—W. C. Lightfoot, private secretary to Governor Pierce, has returned from Lewiston, Idaho, where he spent the Christmas holidays.

"Meadowlark" and "Just a—Birdseye View of My Old Kentucky Home," at Wendell Hall Brunswick hit, at Stiff's. d30

Hearing Date Set—Feb. 1, 1927, has been set as the date for final hearing in probate court on the final account of M. D. Pilkenton, administrator of the estate of Harry H. Hill.

1927 Calendars Free, Homer H. Smith Ins. Agency, over Millers. d191f

Judge Kelly Here—Circuit Judge Percy Kelly is here today from Albany and will hear demurrers, motions and set cases for the coming term of court, which opens Jan. 3.

New Pianos—Standard makes, \$200, \$245, \$295; terms. See these at Tallman Piano Store, 395 South 12th. 12

Visitors Here Yesterday—Carl Francis and Alphonse Ruben of St. Louis were visitors in this city Wednesday.

Complete Line of—Monarch Electric Ranges at Hamilton's. a211f

Charity Group Elects—Harry Levy has been elected president of the Associated Charities, succeeding Mrs. John A. Carles, who resigned on account of ill health. Carl Webb will be treasurer, succeeding George Arbuckle. Mrs. Mae Young is retained as secretary.

The Air Will be Full—Of wonderful programs for the New Year. Hear them on the new one-dial Atwater Kent radio. Vick Bros. Tel. 1841. 11

Man Hit By Car—Sam Wood, 1671 Mission street, is in a local hospital with bruises and broken ribs following an accident Wednesday morning when he was hit by a car driven by Kenneth Campbell at Twelfth and Mill streets.

For Rent—Office rooms over Gray Belle. Apply at Gray Belle. d31

Aplin Hurt in Crash—C. W. Aplin was badly shaken up when his car was hit by another yesterday at Market and Church streets, according to a report filed at local police headquarters.

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Constant Visits Here—Ed Gloss, Multnomah county constable, was a visitor in this city Wednesday on business.

VISITS IN EASTERN STATES

SILVERTON, Ore., Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Jonas Byberg is spending the holiday season in eastern states visiting friends. Mr. Byberg is a junior at college and the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Byberg, formerly of Silverton but now of Los Angeles.

GOOD WILL OAKLAND SAYS: We have an extra good 1925 Chevrolet coupe with new tires and several extras. This is a fine running car and is priced low at \$325.00.

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COOLIDGE ASKS FOR SUPPORT FOR PEACE

(Continued from page 1) tainment of such an object, in view of the present mentality of mankind, would greatly and necessarily be aided by international treaties limiting the "use and size" of armaments. Just because of the fears, jealousies and other human failings of nations, he continued, it is "well for them to take counsel together" to try to "discard the old theory of relying entirely on force and to adopt the method of relying more on reason."

"I do not believe we can advance the policy of peace by a return to the policy of competitive armaments," he asserted. "While I favor an adequate army and navy, I am opposed to any effort to militarize this nation. When that method has been worked out to its logical consequences, the result has always been a complete failure. We can render no better service to humanity than to put forth all our influence to prevent the world from slipping back into the grasp of that ravaging system. Truth and faith and justice have a power of their own in which we are justified in placing a very large reliance."

"In nations, individuals have their counterpart. As we can expect some help from domestic laws, so we can expect some help from international covenants. While each represents the best that humanity can do at this time, neither in themselves are sufficient. As it is necessary to change the heart of the individual so it is necessary to change the heart of nations. This has often been referred to as moral disarmament. The mistake that is being made in its application lies in the fact that it does not come first."

Referring to the Christmas season, the president said that all humanity has laid aside the burdens of the day that they might rejoice in glad tidings of "peace on earth, good will toward men," and added that if the world could achieve complete moral disarmament it would have "little need of armaments and no need at all for international treaties limiting their use and size."

The president said the world needs a "complete change of heart," as at present "altogether

too much of international relationship is based on fear. "Nations rejoice in the fact that they have courage to fight each other," he continued. "When will the time come that they have courage to trust each other?" Mr. Coolidge said he believed a wider understanding of the spirit of mutual service is growing in the world but that this "does not run counter to the theory of independence." In the days of Washington, the president asserted, the colonies determined to resist but Americans "did not then and do not now fail to recognize that they are a part of the civilized world and that they owe not only to themselves but to others great obligations."

"But they were determined then and are determined now to be the masters of their own destiny and the judges of their own conduct," he added. "They knew and we ought to know, that unless we can be Americans we cannot be anything. Unless we look after ourselves we cannot look after anybody else. The obligations of civilization are reciprocal. The same consideration that we owe to others they owe to us."

Only the "influences of religion and education" in the opinion of President Coolidge could give American citizens a full sense of their civic duties and give American political institutions their full force by allowing intelligent and direct intervention of the people. "By religion I do not mean," he continued, "either fanaticism or bigotry; by education I do not mean the cant of the schools; but a broad and tolerant faith, loving thy neighbor as thyself, and a training and experience that enables the human mind to see into the heart of things."

Week of Prayer Planned for South Salem District

A union service of the Leslie Methodist Episcopal church and the South Salem Friends church will be held next week. All Christian people in South Salem are cordially invited to unite in these services and urged to be present every evening at 7:30 o'clock. The following is the schedule: Monday Evening—Leslie church—leader Rev. Robert Dann. Tuesday Evening—South Salem Friends church, Rev. J. Willard De Yoe, leader. Wednesday Evening—Leslie church—The leader will be from the Friends church. Thursday Evening—South Salem Friends church, Mrs. J. Willard De Yoe, leader. Friday Evening—Leslie church, Rev. De Yoe.

The following subjects will be used as arranged by the Federal council of the Churches of Christ in America. "Thanksgiving and Humiliation," "The Universal Church," "Nations and Governments," "Missions—all the World—Every Creature," "The Promise to Your Children."

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HUNDREDS FLEE FROM SURGING RIVER WATERS (Continued from page 1) Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis was tied up at Stones River. Street car and vehicular traffic in the city was hampered, the latter by the closing of two of the bridges over the river here. The water was lapping at the Woodland street bridge, the only one remaining in use. No estimate has been made of the probable property damage in the city and none can be closely approximated until the waters have receded. Improvement in the southern flood situation was noted tonight after today's respite from rain, except in Tennessee and in certain localities in Mississippi. Conditions in the Chattanooga vicinity along the Tennessee became more acute tonight as inhabitants awaited the flood crest. In western Kentucky also the rise in the Cumberland had brought flood waters down upon Eddyville, and Kuttawa. Lowlands between Monticello and Burnside in southern Kentucky were 20 feet under water. Overflow waters of the Tombigbee river in Mississippi, near Columbus and Aberdeen, were withdrawing tonight. A Columbus report said that damage to highways, railroads and other properties would total hundreds of thousands of dollars. Three unidentified persons drowned near Bentonia, Miss., today, when their car overturned in flood waters. Greenwood, on the Yazoo river, reported that fear of severe flood damage in the Yazoo-Mississippi delta was past since cessation of rains. Conditions in Alabama flood areas were likewise improved. Refugees from lowlands in Walker county, near the Warrior river, were being cared for by relief

committees. Waters of small streams which flooded parts of Huntsville, Albany, Heflin and other communities were falling. Relief organizations were busily alert tonight at Chattanooga and in neighboring communities along the swollen Tennessee river.

AIMEE CHARGE TO BE DROPPED SAYS KEYES

(Continued from page 1) by Keyes. Mrs. Wiseman was said to have told officials that the man who approached her in San Francisco and engaged her to play the role of the sister of the mysterious "Miss X," Ormiston's companion at Carmel, was a relative of Woolley's named "Jack Woolley." She said she was instructed to go to Los Angeles and there went to Attorney Woolley's office where she received further instructions as to what to do in attempting to produce evidence clearing Mrs. McPherson in the Carmel episode of her disappearance. The state in the conspiracy case has contended that the "Miss X" who appeared at Carmel with Ormiston

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to have survived 10 forest fires in more than 200 years only to fall victim to the lumberman's axe was the fate of a fir tree in the Blackfoot valley of Montana.

Announcement

Dr. George R. Vehrs desires to announce the removal of his medical and surgical offices on January 1, 1927, from the United States Bank Building to Suite 603 New First National Bank Building. The office telephone will be the same number 615. Residence telephone 775.

OBITUARY

Hibbard Clara E. Hibbard, 42, of Salem, died on December 28, 1926. She is survived by her husband, A. B. Hibbard; two sons, Albert of Leavenworth, Wash., and Marvin of Terribon; one daughter, Kreta, a student at Monmouth normal; Gertrude of Spokane; one sister, Mrs. C. Lewis of Klamath Falls; one brother, Wesley Stockwell, en route here from the Orient. The funeral cortege will leave the Terwilliger funeral home Thursday morning at 9:30 a. m. and go to Scotts Mills where services will be held, with Rev. Mr. Atchinson officiating. Interment will be in the Scotts Mills cemetery.

FUNERALS

Funeral services for the late F. X. Moisan will be held Friday, Dec. 31, at 10 a. m. from the Catholic church at Gervais. The body is at the Rigdon mortuary.

Funeral services for Mrs. Catherine Hawk will be held Thursday at 1:30 p. m. from the Christian church at Jefferson, with interment at Shelburne. The body is at the Rigdon mortuary.

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