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TRIAL DATES SET

14 CASES TO COME UP AT NEXT TERM OF COURT

Trial dates for the January term of department 1, circuit court, were set by Judge Percy Kelly yesterday. There are 14 cases to come up.

Twice Winner as Prettiest Girl



For the second time within a year, Miss Pearl Cramer of St. Paul, Minn., has been selected as the prettiest girl in the twin cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis.

RISBERG PROMISES BASEBALL SCANDAL

Cobb-Speaker Episode Will Look "Silly" Claims Former Player

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—(AP)—Arrangements are now complete for another baseball scandal. Charles "Swede" Risberg of the Chicago "Black Sox," of the 1919 world's series, accepted today the invitation of Commissioner Landis to come here and tell some more of baseball's secrets, of which he claims knowledge.

NEW YEAR'S MEDITATION By J. H. Jennison (312 North Winter Street) The year is gone; but vanished years Claim not the tribute of our tears...

NEW YEAR WELCOME

Theater Parties Attract Many, Little Disorder Watch parties to see the new year come in, held at several churches and clubs, and at many private homes, were the chief way in which Salem residents celebrated New Year's eve.

RESIGNATION.—"Job arose, and said, Naked came I out of my mother's womb, and naked shall I return thither; the Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord."

A LAST WORD: AN INVITATION

Here is a last word in the old year, and let us make it an invitation— An invitation to come to Salem, if you live elsewhere; and if you have industry and ambition, if you have a vision, an ideal to work out in our land of diversity and country of opportunity...

SOCIETY

o'clock New Year's dinner tonight in their home on the Wallace Road. Included in the group will be Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allen, Mrs. Allen's mother, Miss Edith Ross, a niece of Mr. McCall; Mrs. M. N. Cusick, Dr. W. B. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Allen, Dr. and Mrs. Corydon Blodgett and son, Corydon, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Utley and son Billie, and the hosts Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCall.

Informal Party Given on Wednesday Evening

An informal party was given by Miss Edna Flitts at her home on Wednesday evening. Games, conversation and the appearance of Santa Claus with a tiny gift for each was enjoyed.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Clarena Downey of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kreug, Mr. and Mrs. Grant E. Wyckoff, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stettler, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stettler, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Teel, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flitts, Mr. and Mrs. George Christofferson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. David Saucy, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ritchey, Mr. and Mrs. Lutz, Mrs. Noron, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Flitts, Misses Alice Wulfmeyer, Pauline Denny, Ida Denny, Flora Turnbull, Donna May Kreug, Jean Stettler, and Messrs. John Nielson, Albert Wulfmeyer, Oscar Noron, Pierre Saucy, Mark Saucy, Harris Lietz, Frank Flitts, John Reynolds, Marvin Ritchey, Paul and James Stettler, Robert, Carl and Oral Flitts and Paul Anderson.

Hazel Green

Mr. and Mrs. George Dunigan of Chinook, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Richard Slater and sister Wilma Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Davis of Monitor were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Davis, on Christmas, Mrs. Davis' mother, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, of Salem, was a Christmas guest also.

TEACHERS QUIZZED

NUMBER TAKING EXAMINATIONS LOW, REPORT

If all the school children in Marion county have squirmed when their teachers gave them examinations, they may now be consoled because some of the teachers at least had to go through the same ordeal.

EXPECTED HOME FROM TRIP

SILVERTON, Ore., Dec. 31.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Preston who are spending the holidays in California are expected home Sunday.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Marion his duly verified final account as administrator of the estate of Paul Klingele, deceased, and that said Court has fixed Tuesday, the 4th day of January, 1927, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of said day, as the time, and the County Court Room, in the County Court House in the City of Salem, Marion County, Oregon, as the place for hearing said final account and all objections thereto.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the state of Oregon for the County of Marion, as administrator of the estate of James A. Trester, deceased, and that he has duly qualified as such administrator; all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, to me, at the office of Ronald C. Glover, 203 Oregon Building, Salem, Marion County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Gold Creek Mining & Milling Company is hereby called for Monday, January 10, 1927, at 8 o'clock p. m. to meet in the rooms of the Capital Business College, Salem, Oregon, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and transacting such other business as may come before it. By order of the President, George W. Shand. Attest: W. I. Staley, Secretary. j11

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I have impounded the following described dogs in compliance with Ordinance No. 1404, to-wit: One black and white shepherd and Air-bled dog. One yellow and white bird dog. The above described dogs will be killed if not redeemed by owners, on or before January 2, 1926, as provided in said ordinance. W. S. LOW, Street Commissioner. Dated this 28th day of December, 1926.

YMCA PLANS NEW YEAR SPECIAL PROGRAM TODAY

Capital Journal newboys, YWCA girls will put on a swimming exhibition at 4:45 o'clock. Leaders and members of the young men's division will give a swimming exhibition at 8 o'clock.

FRUITLAND

The annual Sunday school and church election was held at the church Monday evening, Dec. 27. The following officers were elected: H. E. Evans, superintendent; Albert Rodke, assistant superintendent; Miss Esther Girod, secretary; Mrs. Fred Gerig, treasurer; Mrs. H. E. Evans, pianist; Beatrice Cernick, assistant; Hale T. Cade, librarian; F. P. Girod, assistant librarian; Mr. Ounbey, church trustee; Daisy Lambert, church treasurer; Mrs. Emma Ranner, church steward.

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MY NEW YEAR RESOLUTIONS: 1927

- 1. I will read and study one good poem every day. 2. I will keep daily record of the birds alighting in the hawthorn tree outside of my study window. 3. I will beware of the temptation to be reminiscent. 4. I will attack the big work of the day first. 5. When my temper is aroused I will "stop, look and listen" before I speak. 6. I will pray, study and watch to be loveable. 7. I will strive to impart courage to every fainting heart I meet. 8. I will reach out a friendly hand to lonely souls. 9. I will be generous in expressing appreciation. 10. When I have been wrong I will admit it promptly and cheerfully.

THE OLD IS NEW

By HENRY GILLEN One merry midnight cannot change The habits of a whole year's learning. A blast of horns, a burst of bells, The music and the dancers turning, The colored lights, the gay festoons, Are salt upon the dying embers; I like a man who takes the new And of the old things still remembers.

Diphtheria Outbreak Halted by Good Work

Prompt action by county health authorities has stamped out an incipient outbreak of diphtheria epidemic at Stayton, where seven adults and two children in two affected families were isolated. Immunization has been made available for residents of the Stayton district by the county health unit, cooperating with Stayton physicians.

Francis Kinty and Andrew Kinty, neighbors of the Nettlings, later were affected.

Prompt precautionary measures against spread of the outbreak were taken by Dr. Vernon Douglas, deputy county health officer.

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Bits For Breakfast

Write it 1927— And make it your banner year.

However well you did in 1926, there are greater possibilities for you in 1927.

This is the opening day of the year in which we will begin to see a greater Salem, through a greater Salem spirit. The spirit will help to make the opportunity.

Make Salem the city of welcome, more than in the past. Hold open wide the door of opportunity to all comers with industry and a vision.

If the traffic officers arrest every autoist today who has not secured his 1927 license plates, it will certainly be their one big busy day.

The world doesn't develop new sins; it just develops new tolerances for the old ones.

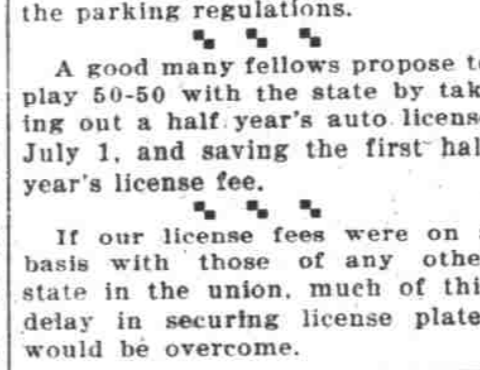
A letter from the children at college always affords a thrill. You wonder where you'll get the money.

In just a few years the alien can learn all our ways—except the parking regulations.

A good many fellows propose to play 50-50 with the state by taking out a half year's auto license July 1, and saving the first half year's license fee.

If our license fees were on a basis with those of any other state in the union, much of this delay in securing license plates would be overcome.

Extending Our Appreciation of Your Patronage During the Year of 1926 and Wish You and Yours HAPPINESS AND PROSPERITY For 1927



1927 FORECAST IN STATE GOOD DECLARES GRAM

(Continued from page 1) state. On the contrary, there is an abiding faith that the coming year will equal if not surpass 1926 in industrial activity.

Every indication brings assurance that the 1927 building construction will be as great as the year now closing. It is believed that there will be fewer small houses erected the coming season, but this will be more than offset by larger structural projects. If this proves true, building craftsmen have a right to anticipate a session of steady employment.

There appears no reason to believe that there will be any great change in the volume of lumbering in this district during the coming year. The cut probably will be no greater in 1927 compared with the past year. The 1926 production of lumber has been large and sales of finished product have been enormous, but prices on most items have been unsatisfactory resulting in some suspensions for financial reasons.

It is not anticipated that there will be any increase in the volume of highway construction work to be handled by the state highway commission during 1927 over that of 1926. Present indications are that the work to be performed during 1927 will be about the same as that in 1926.

It was estimated that approximately \$4,500,000 would be available in 1927 for expenditure by the state highway commission in connection with new highway construction work. It should not

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