

but it is a regulation which is difficult to adjust to everyone's interest."

CLEO PASTEUR, Chemawa student, said: "With all the preparations for Christmas and the holidays we don't have time to think about getting the flu. There are going to be several basketball games and entertainments. Then after Christmas the senior play will be given Friday."



Total Not Determined; Pack Greater Than Last

Season, Said

The 1928 canning season for Salem definitely closed Wednes. under close guard. day evening, when the Star cannery here finished its last car of apples, brought in from the Yak-

ima district. They were winesaps. This year's canning season opened when gooseberries were ready to can, back in May these were followed soon with strawberries, raspberries, cherries, and

loganberries. WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.-The total number of cases of (AP)-Out of a total population fruits and vegetables put into cans in Salem this year is not yet of 450 at Hoodah, Alaska, the in the harbor of Rio de Janeiro known, but it was larger than coast guard cutter Unalga rethat of last year's pack, which was ported today there were 424 cases above a million cases. Not to men- of influenza. The reports also said ment, the battleship's distinguishthat there was but one doctor, one tion the berries, mostly strawberries, put into cold pack, in nurse and one teacher to care for a round of salutes from guns of cartons, cans and barrels. The the Alaskan village's sufferers. In the report received by coast frozen strawberry pack was about guard headquarters here, the Unhalf the total of strawberry tonnage sent to market this year; or alga said she was visiting outlying Janeiro late Sunday afternoon and about 6,000,000 pounds, nearly communities in Alaska rendering aid to influenza victims. the same as in 1927.

It is expected that the tonnage of canned and processed fruits tion today as off False Bay in in many foreign lands, the exand vegetables put up in Salem Chatam Strait. She planned to perience of being away from the and the Salem district will be still proceed to Tenace and from there United States at the Yuletide seagreater next year. This will be to other communities where inassured with a normal crop year. Iluenza had been reported.

Christmas Programs Are Scheduled in Schools; Vacation Begins Today

Christmas programs will be fea- pupils in a musical directed by tured in several of the Salem Mrs. Clara Callison, featuring the schools today, with the Washing- oldest English carol, "Carol ton school children putting on Brothers, Carol," and five other probably the most pretentious pro- carols.

gram of any of the grade schools. Special guests at the Washing-The Snikpoh dramatic club of the ton program and Christmas tree F. Durham presided. Eighty-five votes were cast. senior high school will give the will be residents of the Methodist second one-act play as the feature Old People's home, the children of the Christmas homecoming having arranged transportation event there this afternoon, begin- for them. Following the program of struggles within the church, the ning at 2 o'clock. Programs at the teachers will receive parents peak of which was reached early the Englewood and Park schools and friends in their own rooms, this spring when a group with-and at Parrish Junior high are where also children will hold an drew from the church to form a also open to the public. The program at Washington The Englewood program will The chief contention at this time

school will begin at 1:30 o'clock consist of a play, "The Christmas was over Mr. Payne's selection as knee and bruises to one shoulder and has been arranged in two Tree" and will begin at 2 o'clock. regular pastor. He came here as about 7:30 o'clock Thursday night Programs have been prepared on supply. parts, as follows:

he did not want to keep Billy, he HUUVER IU HEAGH death.

Cappellano, his son Tony, 16, and Angelo Petitti, are the defend-

All Traces of Witnesses Lost

ants.

The disappearance of the state's President-Elect Prepares vitnesses was reported shortly be-Speeches to be Delivered fore the state closed its case, when detectives hunting the men, in-Upon Arrival luding relatives of Divito and of

Ole Scully, state witness who was U. S. S. UTAH, En Route to killed Monday, said they were un-Rio Janeiro, Brazil, Dec. 20 .able to find any trace of them. (AP)-Herbert Hoover today had The receipt of the death threat practically completed his preparaby Judge Gentsel created a sentions for his visit to the capital sation when it became known in of Brazil, the last of the South the court room. Samuel A. Hoff-American nations of his good man, assistant state's attorney. will tour. He will reach Rio de declared it was sent by the same Janeiro tomorrow and will repersons who killed Scully and

main there three days before conthreatened Divito and members of tinuing his northward journey to the Ranieri family and said "they Florida. would not hesitate to murder the

The President-Elect will have a judge if given an opportunity. busy time during his stay in the Every one connected with the Brazilian capital as the govern case, including the jury, the Ranment has arranged an elaborate leri family, the state's witnesses, round of entertainments luncheons the judge and the prosecutors are

state dinners and receptions. During his voyage from Monteideo Mr. Hoover has been pre

paring the three speeches which he will deliver at Rio de Janeiro. Alaskan Village One of these will be a response to Has 26 Persons the welcome of President Washington Luis of Brazil, he will de-Not Hit By Flu liver another when he is received by the Brazilian congress and the

third at the formal reception by the Brazilian supreme court.

The Utah is expected to arrive about noon tomorrow and under the plans of the Brazilian governed passenger will be greeted with Brazilian naval craft and the Utah will respond with a 21-gun salute. Mr. Hoover will leave Rio de

will spend Christmas at sea on the Utah. Mowever, for Mr. and Mrs. Slain Robber's The Unalga reported her posi- Hoover have spent Christmas day son is not new. On Christmas day the Utah is scheduled to be approaching the equatorial line.

ed right of way. NEXT PORT TODAY Thursday in Washington

posals to give the treaty undisput-

By The Associated Press President Coolidge signed the billion dollar treasury-post office supply bill.

The house passed and sent to the senate the \$112,000,000 four-department supply measure.

week following orders from dem-Scientists and representaonstration headquarters to quit tives of labor discussed health all rural service after January 1 hazards in the radium indusis still as tight as ever. try.

when Dr. Estella Ford Warner Chairman Myers of the fedsubmitted to County Judge Siegeral trade commission submund the Commonwealth Fund's mitted his resignation to Presireiteration of its previous stand dent Coolidge. to discontinue service.

The senate decided to take day that he and the commissionup together the Kellogg peace ers had not yet taken the latest treaty and the cruiser bill after word under consideration, but the Christmas recess. that they would do so soon.

Secretary Kellogg expressed confidence that all danger of hostilities between Bolivia and Paraguay had passed.

The senate passed the \$286,-000,000 interior department appropriations bill, adding \$1,-500,000 for western projects.

The nomination of Secretary West of the interior was presented to the senate with a fa vorable report from its lands committee.

Relatives Will Take Body Away Sale of Corpse

COQUILLE, Ore., Dec. 20 .-AP)-Relatives of Marion Rube, lain bank robber who was killed . PAYNE ELECTED here Tuesday, arrived today to take the body to Martins Ferry. Humboldt county. Officers awaited AS REGULAR PASTOR word from Governor Patterson to

the state. Robert L. Payne, acting pastor

of the First Baptist church for the last 18 months, was last night unanimously elected regular paslet, near North eBnd, Ore. He left man and wife. tor of the church at an adjourned eight years ago after residing business meeting, over which H. there three years.

Acceptance of Mr. Payne as Injury Sustained regular pastor comes after a series In Auto Accident tific research institutions for the body.

G. W. Scott, about 65, whose home is at 1244 Ferry street, suf-fered two broken legs, a dislocated \$70,000 Blaze when he was struck by a Pickwick

Good Will Fund If the wonderful gifts of provisions, clothing, toys and candy that are flowing into

Salvation Army headquarters could be translated into cash the total of the Army's good will fund would be much higher this morning. But these gifts do not discount the need for \$1500 in cash before Christmas

day. Thursday \$27.41 was yielded to the fund through the Salem Ministerial association and Salem churches. Hunt Bros. Canning Co. presented 27 cases of canned fruits, perhaps more in value than any gift yet made to the cause. The fund Thursday night showed: Previously reported .\$1014.85 Street Kettles, Thurs. 32.27 A Friend Elizabeth A. Downing 1.00 8.00 Lulu H. Stewart 8.00 Thanksgiving Day Offering from Salem. Churches 27.41 5.00

Total to Date \$1086.53

ACCIDENT BLASTS

LONDON'S STREETS A "Commonwealth Fund authorzes me to say that if the county court is not sufficiently convinced of the value of the health work to make the necessary appropriation

LONDON, Dec. 20.-(AP)now there is no reason to believe Leaping gas flames tonight illum. the wind may howl and the frost that in view of the county court's attitude the situation would be inated the wreckage of torn lay thick on the ground. What changed by a special election. Un- streets in London's busy west end does that matter while down in der such circumstances fund is where a series of violent explo- the basement a great furnace not prepared to waste further sions extending through the morn- glows throughout the day and ing ripped up the pavement as if night?

with a giant plow for nearly a delay. Decision therefore stands to discontinue county work Jan-

> area, roughly, along Shaftesbury mighty slim? avenue, High Holborn, New Ox-

ford street, and Bloomsbury. Probably a score of persons days buying beautiful presents. were injured with burns or bruis-

Great chunks of paving stone and

(AP)-John L. Stuts, who ac-

The first explosion occurred in bank, formerly lived at Larson in- which they stayed at hotels as feared momentarily London was

The aged Meridian, Miss., rail-Fires started in many of the way engineer had offered letters broken gas mains, and there was from Mrs. Sawyer, Long Beach, a fierce blaze for a while on the Cal., divorcee, as evidence that premises of the Overseas Film Kenneth B. Coulter, wealthy by the press of the country." she claimed she could secure from service. The fire apparatus was broker and owner of numerous \$25,000 to \$350,000 from scien- kept busy all day.

Waldorf-Astoria Hits Portland

of motor license fees, but the tax commission believes the revision may be such that one-cent tax will Salvation Army Needs More yield about \$500,000 more than

WIN EXTRADITION

present highway revenues, and Money to do This Blg this surplus could be turned over Job Just Right (Turn to Page 2, Please)

> ICK in today if you want to get that waim glow ICK in today if that warm glow satisfaction that comes from doing you full duty at Christmas! Join the

Today, Saturday and Monday

in today. A dollar will help!

re the only "shopping days" left

MODERN apartment house

Gvernor Patterson Thursday Good Will Gang! authorized the extradition of A. B. The Salva- Meyer, alias S. Stevens, who is tion Army's wanted at Pocatello, Idaho, on Christmas fund, two charges of larceny. The warwith which the rant was issued by Governor Pat-Army will strive terson with the understanding

to take a mito that the prisoner would not be of good will removed from Oregon until the and cheer into unfortunate Salem close of a habeas corpus hearing homes, lacks \$413.47 of its \$1500 next Monday.

goal. And \$1500 is not a mere Meyer is a clairvoyant and was arbitrary figure. It is almost the operating in Salem at the time of exact amount of money required his arrest. He also is accused in a to provide a measure of happiness telegraphic warrant received here to each of the scores of homes of swindling a Wisconsin woman that only the Salvation Army will out of \$13,000. An Idaho office: # reach at the Boliday season-if arrived in Salem Thursday in they are reached at all. quest of the prisoner.

before the grand Christmas day. Ernest Williams 'Shop" for happiness by kicking Dies Suddenly on Duty at Station

or home, with its many radiators keeping it warm and Ernest E. Williams, aged 47. cozy within, can hold a wealth of died suddenly at the Southern Pa-- joy at Christmas time. Outside cific station Wednesday night as a result of a heart attack. Williams was baggageman for the Hotel Marion and was on duty at the time of his death. He came here with his family about 18

months ago in search of health, But what of the poor who have He is survived by his wife, three to crowd into one little room bedaughters, Miss Carla, Miss Merrion and Miss Ethyl Mae Williams roadway was in ruins through an the chance of securing more is and by two sons, Curtis and Lowell. The family home is at Many happy, prosperous shop- 1695 N. Fifth street. Mr. Williams pers are filling Salem stores these was a member of the A. F. & A. M. No. 301 at Bayard, Neb. He What of the poor who are walk- was born in Indiana in 1881. Fun-

es, or affected by gas fumes. Two draft animals were killed and ve-(Turn to Page 2, Please.) of the Rigdon mortuary.

manhole covers were hurled in ev-ery direction through the fronts Former Salem Girl Says She's Fleeing to Escape **Millionaire's Attentions**

> ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 20. jously so, and my whole efforts (AP)-From his invalid's chair have been to straighten out what in the Clifton Springs sanitarium, has been taken as a deep mystery

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20 .central and western New York state farms and dairy establish- (AP)-Ruth McConnell, 26, who ments, today repudiated previous says she was born in Salem, Ore. statements that he was the uncle and educated in Portland, denied of Miss Ruth McConnell, who ar- herself to the public here tonight To Be Demolished rived in San Francisco today while David O. Meeker, whose ahead of D. O. Meeker who sought pursuit of the girl across the conto overtake her. tinent by train and airplane has

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.- (AP) -- "I have been asked to comment won much publicity for them both t he said, "on so many stories and was arranging to come here by

Is Poor Scheme LOS ANGELES, Dec. 20 .-

allow the body to be shipped from cused Mrs. Alice Sawyer of in- and roofs of buildings. viegling \$32,000 from him in a

made.

Bug McGowan, who was cap- "scheme" to market the petrified the postoffice tunnel; others foltured at the time Rube was shot body of her son, admitted in court lowed rapidly, heaving up roadto death by a posse after attempt- here today that he had made ways and rocking the entire ing to hold up the First National trips with the defendant during neighborhood so much that it was

FUND HEAD TURNS

DOWN COMPROMISE

Headquarters Reiterates De-

cision to Quit Health

Work on Jan. 1

The deadlock in which the Mar-

ion county child health demon-

stration and the county court has

been involved for more than a

This became known Thursday,

Judge Siegmund said late Thurs-

Following is the telegram, sign-

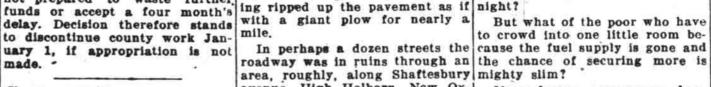
ed by Courtenay Dinwiddle, which

sets forth the Commonwealth

Fund opinion:

experiencing an earthquake.

Investor Avers draft animals were killed and ve-



Part ,- A play, "The Lovely the new school mimeograph and Mr. Payne, in accepting the stage driving north three miles PORTLAND, Dec. 20.- (AP)- the most famous hostelries in the rumors that I may have approved train from Reno after his second Part ,—A play, "The Lovely the new school mimeograph and children announce the following char-grades; a play, "The Grouch Fam-ily," by the fourth grade; a play, "The Christmas Spirit," third "The Christmas Spirit," third "The Christmas Angel; John Matt grade; Tolstoi's "Where Love Is God Is," adopted and played by the sixth grade pupils. Part 2—Fifth and sixth grade (Turn to Page 2, Please.) (Turn to Page 2, Please.) (Turn to Page 2, Please.) through the building. Astoria Realty corporation. "She is very ill, even danger- (Turn to Page 2, Please.)