

# Local News Briefs

**Dress Rehearsal Tonight**—Dress rehearsals for the Sulphur play "Seven Keys to Baldpate" will be held tonight and tomorrow night at the high school auditorium. The play will be presented at the school auditorium Friday night. With two dress rehearsals scheduled, the finishing touches to the play are expected to have more than the usual opportunity of producing an effective production. Katherine Gonsler, publicity director, reported yesterday that ticket sales had already started. A booth for this purpose has been set up at the high school. A musical intermission program has been planned, with Charles Bier to sing and Kathleen Phelps also to sing.

**Dance with Thomas Bros. Band**—Mellow Moon Every Wednesday.

**Pedestrian Hurt**—Mrs. J. P. Herbst was knocked down and injured by a Valley Packing company truck about 4:30 Monday afternoon at Fairgrounds Road and Church street. This is one of the corners where stop signs are being urged and while the accident was a mixup between a pedestrian and an automobile, the mishap might have been averted had the traffic signs been located at the corner.

**Want used furniture.**—Tel. 511.

**Cleaning Affected**—Principal Fred Wolf of the high school spent some busy moments yesterday cleaning out an accumulation of several years' collection of odds and ends stowed away in the vaulted closet at the high school, included in the debris which went to the basement were a stack of the 1927 and the 1929 high school annuals, copies which failed to find sales.

**Those genuine Navajo rugs and blankets,** and they are priced right. Henderson's Store, Chemawa.

**Parked Car Wrecked**—J. D. Sears, 1370 South High, left his automobile parked in front of his residence Monday night and when he came out of his house to put the car away, he found it badly damaged. Someone had crashed into the machine and drove away before he could be identified. Sears reported to police.

**Fox Terrier Puppy Sale.** Salem's Petland.

**Sheep Are Killed**—Ten sheep were killed and 15 badly mutilated by dogs which attacked a flock on the J. W. Ebner ranch near Mt. Angel, reported County Commissioner Porter who journeyed to the Ebner place to examine the sheep Tuesday.

**Auction sale of All-Electric Radio,** Piano, orthophonic, good furniture, etc., at the F. N. Woodry Auction Market, Wed. 7 p. m.

**John Mull III**—John O. Mull, 1130 Oak street, is seriously ill at the home and slight hope is held for his recovery. Mr. Mull was stricken Saturday with an illness not yet diagnosed, and since that time practically no improvement has been noted.

**Christmas tree lights 89c.** Eoff Electric, Inc.

**Adam Burns Improving**—The many friends of Adam Burns will be interested to know that he is recovering satisfactorily from an operation to which he submitted at the Willamette Sanatorium recently. He is not yet able to be out.

**All heaters and circulators** reduced to sell at F. N. Woodry's, Sumner street.

**Forfeits \$25 Bail**—A \$25 bail was declared forfeited in the case of State vs. Lloyd Thornburg, the latter being charged with fishing in Horsethree lake near St. Paul without a license, at justice court Tuesday. Thornburg was arrested July 10.

**Special sale of Floor Coverings** and Stud-Built Davenport at F. N. Woodry's, Sumner street.

**Auxiliary to Meet**—A meeting of the auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars is scheduled for this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. George E. Lewis, 1180 North Winter street.

**Big Christmas Auction** Wednesday 7 p. m., at F. N. Woodry's Auction Market, 1610 North Sumner st. See large ad of itemized articles for the sale.

**McElroy's Band Coming**—Cole McElroy's dance-famous band will play for a concert at Mellow Moon this week end. McElroy himself was here recently making arrangements for the band's appearance.

**Electric Corn Poppers** and Corn \$1.98. Eoff Electric, Inc.

**Campbell Has Son**—Mr. and Mrs. Allan Campbell, 555 Norway street, are the parents of a baby son born Tuesday morning. Campbell is an employe of the Capitol Journal.

**Irrigated Tract**—Stocked and equipped. Large modern home, 1/2 mile from good valley town. 15 acres of bottom land. All in cultivation. Complete for \$5,200. Becke & Hendricks, 189 N. High street.

**Found Not Guilty**—Accused of stealing a holly tree by Mrs. Emly Landrich, Richard Carey was found not guilty after a trial in justice court Tuesday.

**Shed dry wood, coal.** Tel. 13. Salem Fuel Co.

**Kamrar From Portland**—James J. Kamrar of Portland, casualty superintendent of the Metropolitan Casualty Insurance company of New York, was a business visitor here yesterday.

**Teacher Absent**—Mrs. Elsie Hamble, teacher at the Park school, was absent from her class Tuesday on account of illness. Mrs. Nellie C. Hiday substituted for her.

**Dance Schindler's Saturday.**

**Bryan Conley President**—Bryan Conley was named past commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post No. 661 of Marion county, at the annual election of officers held Monday night. An entertainment followed the business session. Other officers elected were: Ben Woelke, vice commander; Frank Millett, junior vice commander; Dick Welter, chaplain; Roy Remington, officer of the day; Charles Grant, quartermaster; Herman Brown, judge advocate; Dr. George Lewis, Albert Hennes and H. A. Peterson, trustees; Dr. Carlton Smith, post surgeon.

**Universal quality Waffle Irons,** \$4.95. Eoff Electric, Inc.

**Seniors Win Debate**—The senior class negative debaters defeated the sophomore affirmative 3 to 0 in the sixth and last high school inter-class debate held yesterday during the home room period. This victory gives the seniors the class championship with 14 points, the juniors second with 10 points and the sophomores no points. Waldo Mills and Charles Heltzel debated for the first year class.

**Bosch Radio.** The best in radios. Halek Electric Co.

**Extradition Refused**—Governor Patterson Tuesday refused to authorize the extradition of Worth E. McManus, who was wanted in Iowa on a charge of non-support preferred by his wife. Worth was arrested in Portland. Evidence was introduced at the extradition hearing in the executive department showing that McManus had made substantial payments toward his wife's support.

**Give her a Frigidaire** for Christmas. Eoff Electric, Inc.

**Program Planned**—Music students of the Leslie Junior high school will present the Friday night lobby program at the Y. M. C. A. The seventh grade pupils will present a cantata, "Legend of Story Hollow," and the school orchestra will play. Special numbers will be presented. Miss Gretchen Kraemer, music instructor at Leslie, will direct the program.

**Bulbs half price.** Salem's Petland.

**Many Secure Jobs**—Forty-four of the 36 women who applied to the Y. W. C. A. employment bureau for work during the month of November were sent to permanent positions, according to the monthly report compiled by Mrs. Eric Butler, secretary. Eighty-three residents sent in calls for help, only 13 less than the calls for work. Thirty women were given temporary work.

**Christmas Cards** with our without engraving or printing at The Statesman Publishing Co.

**Zontas Meet Today**—The Salem Zontas club will hold its regular weekly luncheon meeting at the Marion this noon, when Mrs. Olga Hoffard, of the States Savings and Loan association, will tell of her work in that business. Mrs. Hoffard is a member of the club, and her talk is one of a series being given by each member to acquaint the membership with work done by each.

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**Church School Class Meets**—The Tri-C class of the First Presbyterian church held its regular monthly dinner meeting and business session at the church parlors last night. Mrs. Paul Ellis is teacher of the class and Jack Ramage is the president.

**Ever Ready.** The Radio Supreme sold by Gahlsdorff's, 325 Court St.

**Gives Reading Lessons**—Bessie Blackstone Coleman, reading specialist of New York City, who has been visiting in the local schools the past two days, gave demonstration reading lessons at the Highland and Garfield schools Tuesday.

**Fidelity, selectivity, stability** all in the New Screen Grid Ever Ready Radio at Gahlsdorff's.

**Lambrecht Joins Army**—Dale W. Lambrecht, who had served a four-year period in the navy, yesterday joined the army and left Salem for Portland, from where he will go to San Diego to enter the army aviation training school.

**Dollar dinner every night** 6:30 to 8 at the Marion hotel.

**Girls Arrange for Sale**—Members of the McKinley school Girl Reserves are planning to hold a candy sale at Miller's and Shipley's stores on Saturday, December 14. Mrs. J. E. Blinnhorn is advisor to the group.

**See and hear the New Ever Ready Radio** before you buy. Gahlsdorff's, 325 Court St.

**Dawson to Marshfield**—Major C. A. W. Dawson left Tuesday for Marshfield on one of his regular trips of instruction in connection with his work as regular army instructor attached to the Oregon national guard.

**Visits Rural Schools**—W. W. Fox, rural school supervisor, visited the schools at Brans Valley, Evergreen and Center View Tuesday. He found work progressing smoothly at each place.

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**Woodburn School Men Visit**—Vern D. Bain and Harold Aspinwall, heads of the Woodburn schools, were business visitors in Salem Tuesday.

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**Pianos for Rent.** H. L. Stiff Furniture Co.

**Warner to Portland**—Dr. Estelle Ford Warner was in Portland Tuesday to confer with Dr. Frederick Stricker, secretary of the state board of health.

**Rain gutters, eavestroughs,** down spouts cleaned out. 3011-J.

## WITNESSES SAY JUDGE TREATED

### Sensational Story Told of Giving Liquor to Obtain Favorable Action

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Skipworth was disposed to bar it, but his fellow referees, Judges Norton and Wilson, held that it should be admitted leaving to its referees final decision as to its competency. Albert B. Ridgeway, Portland attorney, and former officer of the bar association, the last witness called by the prosecution, related that in the fall of 1927 Mr. Joseph had asked him how he could file a complaint against a member of the supreme court when a case he was interested in was pending.

On cross examination Condit admitted he had been in four divorce suits and other litigation. He said he had heard the Wemme case and the Brigham case discussed in the Mannix office, but when Attorney Thompson showed him certified copies of the papers in the case showing dates other than those he referred to Condit repeated he had heard them discussed but his memory was general. He denied that he had tried to sell a car to the justice's daughter. It was "good liquor" he was furnishing, he asserted.

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the trustee of the Wemme Endowment fund and was asked to supply copies.

When the Joseph hearing was resumed the next witness after Condit was M. Pallas, a quaint character who was a little faint after climbing the few steps to the witness stand. Before testifying he demanded that "George Joseph guarantee to keep me harmless against any comeback." He refused to testify even after the judge admonished him he would have to go to Mr. Joseph assured him he would keep him "harmless" and he testified that he had seen McBride in the Mannix office many times but that he did not see him consume liquor there. Effort to get testimony admitted as to the condition of the justice was denied.

E. R. Wolf testified that on a visit in 1920 to the office of Dan Powers which opened off a company reception hall with that of Mannix, Justice McBride came in, later Judge Johns, that Mannix got liquor from a safe, poured a drink for McBride, and Johns poured one for himself. After three rounds McBride slipped to the floor and he and Powers picked him up and laid him on a table in a back room.

An interchange between John Carson of the prosecuting staff and Judge Skipworth brought the comment that he had been designated as presiding judge and would serve as such, when Carson appealed for the ruling of the full bench. Later the judge announced his colleagues sustained his ruling.

Jacob J. Mazurky testified that he saw McBride in Mannix' office in 1920.

After Condit won his case he complained about having to continue to supply the liquor. He said Mannix told him: "We have seen you through your case, now you will have to see Neppach through his case." He also asserted that Mannix told him he had loaned McBride \$500.

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James Williamson, of Forest Grove, testified he had been delivered at the Condit and Conser garage that he had delivered papers wrapped in paper to the Mannix office on the order of Condit Mollenhour, the parts man, handing it to a man in the Mannix office.

Robert Mollenhour testified he was parts man at the garage and had the stock of liquor which consisted of 25 or 30 bottles, that he sent it out on Condit's order, giving it to Condit or to Williamson for delivery, in tire cover boxes. He gave one package at the garage to the man from Mannix office.

C. C. Hall, former attorney for Condit, testified that Condit had called on him after he lost his divorce case in the lower court, but was not allowed to testify as to their conversation.

F. W. Vogler testified that he had a suit of the Northwest Auto company, which he was head of, against the Reo Motor Car company, pending on appeal, that it dragged along, that Condit took him to Mannix' office, that Mannix



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Mr. Weatherford described that extraordinary retreat in which Chief Joseph was encumbered by the women and children of his Nez Percé tribe and a large herd of loose horses in glowing terms. The escape, following the Indians' refusal to occupy a reservation, would have been successful except that Chief Joseph thought he was already safe in Canada when he was some distance south of the line.

Dr. George H. Alden, a member of the local club, supplemented the talk with a description of Chief Joseph as he met him shortly after his capture. Dr. Alden was a young boy in North Dakota at the time.

## Mrs. Hamilton Again Elected Y. W. C. A. Head

Mrs. C. S. Hamilton was re-elected president of the local Y. W. C. A. board at the annual meeting and elections held at the Y. W. C. A. parlors yesterday noon. Other officers chosen for the ensuing year are: Mrs. W. D. Clarke, first vice-president; Mrs. Rex Sanford, second vice-president; and Mrs. Frank M. Erickson, secretary.

The board selected its own officers from the board membership, which was completed at an election held last Friday afternoon.

## Obituary

**Scott**  
Martha Scott, age 75, mother of Mrs. J. D. Carey, died December 10 at the residence on Center street. Sister of Mrs. James Williams of Burlington, Ore. Funeral announcements later from the Clough-Taylor mortuary.

**Medary**  
Katherine W. Medary, age 80, at the residence of Mrs. F. O. Bartholomew, 960 N. 17th, December 10. She is survived by the following nieces: Blanche B. Burns, Chicago, and Flora W. Burns, of California. Funeral announcements later from the Terwilliger funeral home. Final services will be from the Portland crematorium.

**Handschy**  
Walter S. Handschy of Turner died Saturday at a local hospital at the age of 62 years. Survived by the following brothers and sisters: Solomon, Val and Mrs. Anna Davis, all of Turner; Mrs. Carrie Nicholson of Graham, Wash., and Mrs. Della Traphagan of Watsonville, Calif. Funeral services Wednesday, December 11, at 1 p. m., from the Clough-Taylor chapel. Rev. W. Earl Cochran officiating. Interment Twin Oaks cemetery.

**Hansen**  
Sophia Hansen, 70, died Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Laura Herrick, 709 North High street. Survived by the following children: Mrs. Herrick; Mrs. L. A. Sullivan of Brooks; Mrs. Etta Turner of Orofino, Idaho; John Hansen, of Saint Joe, Idaho; Pete of Colville, Wash.; Charles and Morton of Butte. Remains are being forwarded to Colville, Wash. by Rigdon and Son for funeral services and interment.

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