

# Local News Briefs

**Y. W. Leader to Conference**—Mrs. Elizabeth K. Gallaher, Salem Y. W. C. A. secretary, will leave Sunday morning for Seaside, where she will attend a conference and seminar of Northwest Y. W. C. A. secretaries to be held at the Seaside hotel February 2 to 8, inclusive. Among the leaders scheduled to appear on the program are: Miss Olooloh Burner, head of the educational and research department; Mrs. Y. W. national office in New York; Mary Frances Day, national secretary and head of the northwest city department; Miss Kessie L. Maguire, northwest town department head; and Dr. Edward S. Conklin, of the psychology department at the University of Oregon. Mrs. Gallaher will return next Friday or Saturday.

**Old Time Dance at Castilian**—Salem Saturday night, Salem's popular old time dance, had a attendance of 250 and 50c. Public invited.

**Enjoying Trip**—S. H. Van Trump, county horticultural inspector, writes to a Salem friend, telling of some of his adventures and experiences on a motor trip to Mesa, Arizona. Van Trump tells of being arrested three times for traffic violations and on one occasion he declared that he was arrested for running down and killing a group of school children. Although he had no knowledge of the accident and never saw the children. While writing the letter to his Salem friend, Van Trump was suffering from a bad cold.

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**Get Heavy Fine**—A fine of \$500 and 30 days in the city jail was imposed upon a Danewy, Dickson, Kerby, Ore., Indian, in municipal court by Judge Mark Poulsen Friday. Dickson is said to have transported "imported liquor" to this city from San Francisco, Cal., and was said to have been selling it at \$10 a case. He was arrested by Powell Clayton, city policeman, Thursday.

**Addresses Young Folk**—Rev. W. Earl Cochran, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, gave a short address at a banquet held in independence last night by the young people of the First Baptist church of that town. Yesterday afternoon he was in Lebanon officiating at graveside rites for the late Mrs. Inez Edna Davidson, who died here January 28.

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**Births Reported**—Births reported yesterday to the statistical department at the county health unit included: a boy, Robert Leroy Sharpe, born January 22 to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sharpe, 1345 Cross; and a girl, Mildred Louise, born January 14 to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Nelson, 935 Electric street.

**Will Visit in Portland**—Miss Maxine Nye Ulrich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrich, 1475 Eastman street, will spend the week end visiting in Portland at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Satchwell. Mrs. Satchwell is her aunt.

**Sharkey Returns**—Graham Sharkey, professional of the Salem Golf club, has returned from a trip through California with some new ideas to be tried out on the local course when play is resumed in the spring.

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**Fox in Albany**—William W. Fox, rural supervisor and leader of boys' and girls' club work in the county, was an Albany business visitor Friday.

**New Clubs Formed**—Twelve new clubs, representing 101 members, have been reported to William W. Fox, county boys' and girls' club leader. This brings the total number of clubs for the county to 95, with 948 members. The new clubs are: three at North Howell, sewing, room improvement and handwork; two at Marion, sewing and cooking; two at Jefferson, sewing and third year sewing and room improvement; two at Hayesville, cooking and rabbit; Brush Creek cooking; West Woodburn cookery, and Liberty cookery.

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**Student Show Planned**—High school students have made arrangements with the Fox Elsinore theatre to observe "high school night" at the show house Tuesday, February 4, when the students will contribute two acts of vaudeville to the regular program. Students are selling tickets to the show and will receive a share of the proceeds from cardboards they sell. The student vaudeville acts are being arranged by Yvonne Smith and Carl Collins and will include a tap dance chorus starring Rosalie Nausbaum, and a boys' quartet.

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**Instructor Announced**—Mrs. Gladys Jensen, who directed the sewing course offered last spring for housemaids, will instruct the class in sewing to be offered to the Les Amies club, composed of industrial girls. The class has been arranged by Miss Lila H. Butler, of the part time continuation school, assisted by Mrs. Eric Butler, advisor to the club.

**Many Attend Affair**—Nearly 200 members and friends of the Calvary Baptist Sunday school enjoyed a party and impromptu program at the church last night. A feature of the evening's entertainment was a big automobile tour in which young and old participated with much merriment.

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**Girl Reserves Plan Tea**—The Girl Reserves of the Englewood school are planning to hold a mother and daughter tea at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of their advisor, Miss Gladys Taylor.

**Brothers Speed**—Two brothers, residents of Shaw, were caught speeding at the same time early Friday on State street by local officers. They were driving, one behind the other, at about 35 miles an hour, the officers said.

**Fleming Released**—James Fleming, who was arrested on a charge of "canned heat" intoxication Thursday night, was released Friday from the city jail upon his promise to leave the city.

**Banquet Tuesday**—The father and son banquet at West Salem will be next Tuesday, instead of Friday night as was announced in items from West Salem in Friday morning's Statesman.

**Dollar dinner every night 5:45 to 8 at the Marion hotel.**

**Dunniogans to Los Angeles**—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dunniogan, Sr., will leave Sunday for Los Angeles where they will spend some time. They reside on Salem route seven, box 141.

**Baby Girl Born**—Lorene Winifred, a baby daughter, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Palmateer at the Maternity home, 1514 North 14th street, January 29.

**Semester just closed,** according to the final report of the instructor, Miss Mary J. Rieth. These students took the 8A test at the end of their semester of 8B work and as a result of passing this test will take a 9B subject instead of penmanship and spelling while they are in the 8A class.

The students who earned double promotion were:

Harold Aldrick, Helen Brown, Nola Clark, David Converse, Bruce Carkins, Norman Crum, Dorothy Damon, Bernice Elenbrandt, Ed Farrington, Robert French, George Grabenhorst, W. A. Gilson, Albert Hansberry, Martha Hammond, Mary Hartzler, Cathrin Headrick, Marjorie Hillborn, Marvin Humphrey, Carol Johnson, Frances Jirak, Irene Otjen, Virginia Pugh, Lawrence Shaw, Floyd Smith, Hazel Strang, Loren Swenold, Charles Maxwell, Kenneth Wood, Ruth Young, Alberta Van Dahl, Pauline Van Orsdol.

**J. P. APPOINTED**—Governor Norblad yesterday appointed S. W. Stark justice of the peace of district No. 5, Clackamas county, to succeed Edward Olds, who died recently.

The Citizens' Smoke Abatement league of St. Louis claims to have reduced the city's smoke by nearly 50 per cent in the last three years.

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## AWARDS GIVEN AT JUNIOR HIGH

### Fifteen Receive High Honors At Leslie for Athletic Attainments

Awards for scholastic attainments for the school and girls' athletic awards for the semester were announced at the Leslie Junior high school assembly held early Friday afternoon when students reported for their grades for the first half of the school year.

Fifteen pupils received high honors and 22 honorable mention in scholarship and athletic certificates were won by five girls and the Leslie "L" by seven girls.

Those who received high honors were: special room, Marion Neef and Rose Richter; 7B class, Myrtle Clayton and Flavia Downs; 8B class, Marjorie Hillborn; 8A class, Roberta McGilchrist and Irma Oehler; 9B class, Nina Taylor, Lucille Kelly, Julia Johnson, Helen Purdie, Lucille Fortner, Vesta Thompson, Margaret Dooze; 9A, Charlotte McCleary.

Honorable mention in scholarship went to: 7B class, Helen Trindle; 7A class, Betty Parker, Florence Citter, Leona Leisey, Margaret Gillette, Muriel Martin and June Johnson; 8B class, Madeline Weehler, Ed Farrington and Dorothy Damon; 8A, Carolyn Hunt and Elizabeth Smith; 9B, Harriet Howard, Roberta Johnson, Marie Leopold, Jean McMillin, Orna May Busch, Betty Parker, Dorothy Sedes, Violet Van Lydegraf, Eleanor Trindle and Elizabeth Smith.

Girls who won the certificate for athletic success were all from the Leslie club at the high school. Margaret Gillette, Betty Parker and Wilma Godsey. These girls won the Leslie "L" last semester just closed.

Mildred Clark of the 9A class earned 51 points in athletic work. This also makes her eligible for the letter club at the high school, an accomplishment which few junior high school girls realize. Another Leslie girl, Margaret Williams who entered high school in September had also a number more than 50 points in the 9B high competition.

Other girls who earned the Leslie "L" with 30 points, were: Laneta Bellinger, 7A class; Flavia Downs, Florence Duval, Edith Morehouse, Priscilla Simkins and Jessie Stone, all of the 7B class.

## BEARCAT DEBATING TEAM IS SELECTED

Ray Lafky, Roy Harland, and Charles Campbell have been chosen to represent Willamette university in the University of Oregon debate to be held in the Waller hall auditorium Monday night. Lafky and Harland are former Salem high students, while Campbell comes from Dallas.

## Obituary

**John Ahrens, 74,** died at the family residence a mile north of Turner, January 29. Survived by widow, Emma; following children: Katie, Henry, Ross and Eddie, all of Turner, and Mrs. Clara Kendall of Portland. Also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Carolyn Burmaster of Randolph, Neb., Mrs. Bertha Neimstedt and Mrs. Mary Hartman, both of Germany. Funeral services Monday at 1:30 o'clock from the American Lutheran church, North Church street between Chemeketa and Center, Rev. P. W. Erikson officiating. Interment in Belcrest Memorial Park. Rigdon and Son in charge.

**Brenner**  
Peter Brenner, age 33, died in this city January 30. Husband of Mrs. Melvina Brenner, father of Mrs. V. F. Luttrell of Gaston, Glen and Cleo Brenner of Medford, Clyde of Alaska, John and Homer of Mista, Colo. Funeral services today at 2 o'clock at the Miller cemetery at Scio. Rigdon and Son in charge.

**Applegate**  
Malinda Applegate died in this city January 31. Remains will be forwarded to Dratin for services and interment by Rigdon and Son.

**Unruh**  
William Unruh, 90, died Friday at the residence of his niece, Mrs. A. L. Smith of Dallas. Survived by his widow, Maggie; two brothers, Albert A. of Portland, J. F. Unruh of Salem; two sisters, Mrs. Alice Wright of Chesterton, Ind., and Mrs. W. G. Windle of Valparaiso, Ind. A Civil war veteran. Funeral services Monday at 2 o'clock from the Terwilliger funeral home, Interment City View cemetery.

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## AMERICAN DELEGATES TO NAVAL CONFERENCE



This is the first picture of the American Naval Delegation on their arrival at Paddington Station, London, where they were met by Mr. Arthur Henderson, of Premier Macdonald's Cabinet. They are (left to right) Charles F. Adams, British Naval Expert Alexander, Harry L. Stimson, Arthur Henderson, Charles G. Dawes, J. T. Robinson and Dwight Morrow.

las. All three are experienced debaters. Harland being a three year man in debate, while Lafky and Campbell are beginning their second year.

Plenty of color is promised for the audience with the announcement from the University of Hawaii that three races will be represented on its team. A Canadian and a Japanese, and a Chinese make up the team, the first to make a tour of the Pacific coast.

The first member of the team is Donald L. Layman, a junior. Both of the Orientals, Dai Ho Chun and Shigeo Yoshida are seniors with three years experience in debate. All are honor students and have been active in student affairs.

A small admission charge will be made to cover the expense of bringing the visiting debaters to Salem.

## JURY GIVES VERDICT ACCIDENTAL DEATH

**POINT AUX OUTARDES, Quebec, Jan. 31.**—(AP)—A verdict of accidental death of a rider that suitable recognition should be made of the bravery of Arvo Silyala of Ottawa, was brought in today by a coroner's jury at the inquest into the death of Peter Trans, diver who died under water here between Monday and Thursday morning. Trans was submerged for three days with air being pumped continuously through his helmet.

No blame could be attached to any one in connection with the tragedy, the jury decided. All possible was done to extricate the man from his plight but the isolation of the element and poor weather conditions held up relief operations until it was too late to help him.

The Ottawa man whose bravery was mentioned by the jury is a laborer and a fellow countryman of Trans, a Dane. Although totally unacquainted with diving conditions Silyala made several descents in an effort to release Trans.

## Highland School

The close of the first semester's work for the year at Highland school was celebrated by the teachers of that building in an enjoyable manner January 30 between the hours of 12:30 and 1:00 o'clock.

The new work table in Mrs. Farrand's room was attractive in its array of glass and silver. An elaborate no-hostess luncheon was served by Merl Dimick, Isabel Bartlett, Eva Beatty and Grace Allen. Gladys Paul presided at the coffee urn.

A pleasant time was enjoyed by every guest at the table, where weighty questions were discussed and settled.

The first semester ended January 31 with 10.8 per cent of the children attending Highland school neither tardy nor absent during the semester. Those having perfect attendance records were:

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## 2-Year-Old Child Bids Farewell to Daddy Who Gets Sentence to Prison

A little drama of life was enacted at the door of the circuit court house Friday afternoon. While its mother wept silently, a little two-year-old child toddled down the aisle to its daddy, John Hoffee, who had just been sentenced to serve three years in the penitentiary for his part in the attempted robbery of the Cherry City Milling company's safe the night of January 26.

When the officers led Hoffee from the court room to send him on his way to the penitentiary, he stopped by his young wife, soon to be mother again, and gave her a long embrace. Then kissing the child, he went away to serve his sentence. Hoffee acted as a lookout while two companions attempted to blow the door from the safe in the milling company's office.

James West, Hoffee partner, received only two years in the penitentiary as his sentence. The difference in the two sentences, 12 months, was made because Hoffee is second offender, having served time in a Washington reformatory.

Hoffee will not be eligible for a parole and will be required to serve the entire three years because of a law which provides that the third bandit, Fred Webber, made good his escape when the men were interrupted by police last Saturday night. It was thought that he had fallen through the ice in Mill creek when tracks leading to a hole in the ice were found. Police later announced, however, that they had obtained definite information that Webber was still at large.

Miss Bartlett's sixth grade is working on the "Best Book List" for the sixth grade. The list is put out by the city library and consists of ten books. Lorna Barham, Helen Lips and Jewell Turner have completed reading the list.

Several rural schoolhouses in Menard county, Texas, have been built by volunteer workmen.

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## LAND DEPARTMENT TURNS IN \$129,344

The state land department transferred to the state treasury department during December a total of \$129,344.44, according to a report prepared here Friday by George G. Brown, clerk of the state land board.

Items included in the turnover included: common school fund principal, payments on loans, \$72,535.23; common school fund principal, payments from income sources, \$6661.04; common school fund interest, \$34,588.81; common school fund, abstract deposits, \$301; agricultural college fund principal, payment on loans, \$4,377.87; agricultural college fund interest, \$1613.75; university fund interest, \$218.

Rural credits loan fund principal \$734.61; rural credits reserve fund (interest), \$55.27; A. R. Burbank trust fund interest, \$63; J. T. Apperson fund principal, payments on loans, \$5,03; J. T. Apperson fund principal, income sources, \$279; J. T. Apperson fund, interest, \$218.7.

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## SCOUTS GIVEN THEIR BADGES

### Initiatory Ceremony Staged At Salem Heights Friday Evening

Presentation of badges and membership certificates to eight new members of the Salem Heights community club Friday evening. The initiatory ceremony was handled by F. H. Zinser, president of the community club and chairman of the troop committee.

Boys were presented tenderfoot badges during the ceremony were George Wright, Fred Thilosen, Glenn Etter, George Jackson, Edwin McWain, Robert Brown, Donald Polk and Glen LaDuke. Harold LaDuke, acting senior patrol leader, and Harvey Larsen, a transfer to troop 11 from troop 2, assisted in the presentation.

Candles representing the spirit of scouting, the three virtues of the scout oath, and the 12 different scout laws, were lighted by Scout Harold LaDuke while the new members recited the various parts of the ritual. Kenneth Dalton, scoutmaster, presented the badges while Mr. Zinser awarded the boys their certificates.

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## HYDRAULIC CEMENT PUT ON FREE LIST

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—(AP)—Another major building material was restored to the tariff free list today by the senate, when it voted 40 to 35 to eliminate from the Hawley-Smoot bill a proposed levy of eight cents a hundred pounds on hydraulic cement.

Reunited after several splits in their respective groups, the democrats and republican independents—who have been generally successful in striking out tariff increases on industrial products—agreed to strong for the cement duty advocates. They voted an amendment by Senator McMaster, republican independent, South Dakota, to retain the product in its present free category. Both the house and senate finance committee measures proposed a rate of eight cents a hundred pounds. Twenty-four democrats, 15 republican and the one farmer-labor senator, Shipstead, of Minnesota, supported the free list amendment. Twenty-nine republicans and six democrats opposed it. After the vote, Chairman Smoot of the finance committee and restored to the bill a provision allowing a countervailing duty on cement where foreign nations tax American cement exports. This clause automatically went out of the bill when the house and senate committee placed the duty on cement.

## 57 PUPILS RECEIVE EXTRA PROMOTIONS

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