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WEATHER

Salem, Oregon, Tuesday Morning, July 8, 1930

ANU S. WINTER

Council Gives James Hugh Contract For Larger **Bridge Structure**

Will Specify Employment of Local Help, City Aldermen Agree

To Roberts & Horstkotte, contractors, went the award Monday night from the city council for the construction of a new bridge over Pringle creek at South Winter street for the sum of \$5993.04, the firm winning the award in a field of six bidders.

James R. Hugh, local contractor, won the job of constructing a new bridge over North Mill creek on North Commercial street, at a price of \$15.520.

On both jobs the council ordered all certified checks submitted by the other bidders, retained until the council should have completed the legal acceptance of the winning bids and the award of the contracts. Under resolution passed Monday night by the council, at least 90 per cent of the labor employed must be Salem residents and this clause is to be written into each award. Less Costly Plan

Is Selected Decision was made by the council to build the bridge on North Commercial street under the plan specified as number one instead of following a culvert type of construction for which the bids were considerably higher. The council voted that during construction of the North Commercial street bridge, traffic would be routed over North Front and North Liberty streets, thus saving \$600 which would be expended for a temporary bridge if the traffic were continued over North Commercial street.

Other bidders and their bids on the South Winter street bridge Calif. \$6726,54; F. L. Odom, Salem, \$7161.29; Fred A. Erixon, \$7270.99; Roberts & Horstkotte, \$5999.04; J. R. Hugh \$6888.90; Carl O. Engstrom, \$6,-

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FIRM APOLOGIZES FOR PERMIT LACK

Apology for its failure to secure a permit to build a spur track across North High street was contained in a letter sent the council Monday by Manager W. M. Hamilton of the Pacific Northwest Public Service company. Hamilton explained that his

when the new Liberty street warehouse was planned but thought that the Oregon Electric Railroad company would secure the permit. Inadvertently the company failed to check on the railroad's work and the track was built without permission, apparently through an oversight on both companies

Mr. Hamilton, after making the full explanation, asked the council to extend a retroactive permit. public utilities commitee.

Attorneys Engaged To Pass On Salem's **Bond Issue Measure**

Portland Firm Will Examine Charter Amendment With View to Determining Legality of Water Purchase Action

CALEM councilmen took action Monday hight employing the Portland law firm of Teal, Winfree, McCulloch and Shuler to examine the charter amendment passed May 16 providing for the purchase of the water company here and by this resolution of employment, made the acquiring of that property one step nearer.

At the same time the council

No fee was set for these serv-

ices, City Attorney Trindle saying

that 'the customary charge for

bond examination was one dollar

A month ago the city was con-

sidering a test suit to determine

the constitutionality of the chart-

er purchase ordinance and also to

test the legality of the bonds. It

is now the opinion of the council

tirm will suffice and thus a sav-

ing will be made both in time and

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., July 7 .-

(AP)-John D. Rockefeller will

be 91 years old tomorrow but

there isn't going to be any partic-

and with the pleasant routine

characteristic since he retired

from active business almost 20

In the morning nine holes of

Through the Standard Oil offi-

"It gives me great pleasure to

ees in New York, Rockefeller is-

say," the statement read, "I have

of the country than ever before

state I am unspeakably grateful.

"I am in the best of health, sur-rounded by dear friends and have

naught but good will toward all."

servant a brand new dime or

nickel and then go for a short

There will be a fairly hearty

breakfast. Rockefeller does not

suffer from indigestion and never

has, popular belief to the con-

trary. At 9:15 he will retire to

his study for an hour of work

over his financial and benevolent

undertakings. At 10:15 he will

be on the golf course. Nine holes and then he'll retire to rest be-

fore lunch. After lunch and more

numerica, another nap. Then his

automobile ride, more rest, and

walk about the grounds.

golf on his private course with

He will pass the day quietly

ular fuss or bother about it.

in money.

for each \$1000 worth of bonds.

provided that the same firm, no-

ted for its accurate advice in mat-

BILL VOTED DOWN

Long Grist of Minor City **Business Comes up at Monday Meeting**

The usual miscellany of small business came before the city council Monday night, Mayor T. A. Livesley presiding and Alder- that the opinion of the Portland man Kowits, serving as recorder in lieu of Mark Poulsen, who was

Bids for steel for use in sewer work were received from a number of firms, the award being company with an offer of \$517 for the quantity of steel needed by the city.

Without competing bids, the city council awarded the job for the construction of a tar kettle for street work to the W. W. Rosebraugh firm for the sum of

Bills to limit the number card rooms, billiard and pool halls to one for each 4000 residents in Salem were quickly voted down. Weed Ordinance

An ordinance providing penaldes for failure to cut weeds on private property was approved as few neighbors as companions. In was the ordinance, introduced the afternoon an automobile ride. several meetings previous relat- In the evening, probably a family ing to fines for unusual and ex- dinner and a birthday cake. traordinary noises whether made by animals or by machinery With the approval of Alder- sued a birthday statement, man Hughes, petition for the right to erect a three by six wait-

nue was granted. the airport committee that a new mower was needed to handle

motion of Alderman Upon company contemplated the track Johnson the city recorder was authorized to call for bids for a new camera to photograph finger-prints for the city police department.

Twelfth Street

Upon motion of Alderman Dancy the city council approved his idea that the bridge on South Twelfth street between Louis and Goward streets, be repaired by the addition of a cement slab top. This is to be constructed at The matter was referred to the a cost of \$1800 and the work is (Turn to page 2, col. 2)

He attracted the attention

passing motorists who took him to

DEAN TRIAL OPENS

PORTLAND, Ore., July 7 -

AP)-Trial of Dr. Charles J.

the national bankruptcy act in

court today. Dr. Dean operates a

chain of clinics in Portland, San

Francisco, Los Angeles and Se-

Dr. Dean is alleged to have

concealed assets from his bank-

BARELY ESCAPE DEATH

NEWPORT, Ore., July 7 -(AP)—Leonard Hespark and

Stanley Wilkins narrowly escap-

ed injury or death in a fire and

explosion which destroyed the

troller Acme 30 miles off Yaquina

Wilkins, owner of the \$6000

boat, was working on the gasoline

engine. Fire broke out and et-

The two men leaped into a skiff and rowed away. They had gone

about 300 feet when gasoline aboard the Acme exploded. The men were rescued by the troller

HANSEN SUSPENDED

PORTLAND, Ore., July 7 -

forts to extinguish it falled.

Dean, charged wih violation

Will Plant Trout Eggs Promoter Is Suspended **Bankrupt Trial Starts Bull Gores Astorian**

ruptcy petition.

lead Sunday.

Hayfland.

TROUT EGGS ARRIVE PORTLAND, Ore., July 7 -(AP)-Matt Ryckman, superintendent of hatcheries for the Oregon state fish commission, said today half a million cutthroat trout eggs had been received from Montana.

Half the eggs will be taken to the Necanicum hatchery near Seaside today and the other half will go to the Galles Creek hatchery

in Washington county. The fish will be ready to release in coast streams next spring, Ryckman said.

YOUTHS CONFESS ROBBERY ASTORIA, Ore., July 7-(AP) -Chief of Police John Acton said Elbert Agee, 17, and F. Linn Scott, 19, confessed today to robbing a confectionery and postal sub-station here last week.

BURKE UP FOR ARSON ASTORIA, Ore., July 7—(AP)

—J. R. Burke, prominent Port-land and Astoria fish packer, went on trial in circuit court here today on charges of arson in connec-tion with the Sanborn cannery

fire here last January. Selection of a jury was not completed when court adjourned today but it was expected that a panel will be completed early to-

ATTACKED BY BULL (AP)—The Portland boxing com-ASTORIA, Ore., July 7—(AP) mission today suspended Captain ATTACKED BY BULL

given to the Commercial Steel

Given Approval ing room for a bus passengers on had more kindness shown me dur-

Fairgrounds road at Myrtle ave- ing the last year from every part Watson Townsend reported for in my life and it is needless to weeds on the grounds and when he had told the aldermen that money had been "discovered in funds on hand" to meet the cost. the city recorder was authorized to call for bids for the mower. Upon motion of Alderman Johnson the city recorder was authorized to call for bids for the at Pocantico Hills, giving each

AUXILIARY NAMES DELEGATES

Delegates were elected Monday night in the American Legion auxiliary meeting, who will represent the auxiliary at the state legion convention in Baker, August 14, 15 and 16, Mrs. F. N. Waters, Mrs. Roscoe Van Orsdol, Mrs. A. M. Lockard, and Mrs. M. J. Melchior are the delegates, and the delegates, and the alternates are Mrs. Charles Duval, Mrs. Frank 1927, opened in federal district Jirad, Mrs. B. A. Victor and Mrs.

William Watkins. The auxiliary voted at the Monday night meeting to declare a ecess during the remainder of the summer with only committee meetings and a meeting of the delegates before the convention to take care of any business that may come up for consideration. Mrs. William Watkins was elected and installed as vice president to fill the vacancy left by Mrs. G. A. Sherman, who is leaving Sa-

em in the near future. Following the business meeting a costume party, a program of music, and humorous readings and dance numbers and refreshments concluded one of the most pleasant meetings of the year. Prizes for costumes were awarded to Mrs. M. J. Melchior, first; Mrs. Harry Wechter, second; and Miss Lois Ohmart,

Brother Dutton Leaves Molokai For Operation

ASTORIA, Ore., July 7—(AP)
—Chris Raske, rancher from the Youngs River district, is in a local hospital suffering from severe injuries to his legs and chest received Sunday afterneon when he was attacked by a buil he was leading.

Captain Hansen said he merely told James Carroll, the commissions of Milokai Island leper sion's secretary to take the plunge.

HONOLULU, July 7—(AP)—Brother Joseph Dutton, "Samar-leged Hansen told him to "go brought to Honolulu for an eye operation after spending 44 years in the Molokai Island leper sion's secretary to take the plunge.

New Charge in Effect July 16: Result of Demand From Producers

Organization Will Hold **Meeting Tonight to Dis**cuss New Law

The first objective in the threatened battle between producers and distributors of milk in Salem was gained peacefully Monbond issues, examine the proposed bond issue with the view of de-termining the validity of the day night when the Salem distributors met the board of directors

of the producers association. The producers requested that they receive \$2.50 per hundred for four per cent milk for a term of one year. They maintain that this price is necessary, in view of the increased cost of production made necessary by the new Salem milk ordinance which is soon to

become effective. In order to comply with this ordinance many producers will have to add equipment to their plants at an increase in cost.

The distributors agreed to com ply with the producers' request but in turn passed the increased cost on to consumers so that beginning July 16 milk will be sold at 12 cents a quart in Salem. Producers to Hold Meeting Tonight

This price will be for milk sold on a credit basis. For each paid advance milk will be sold at The producers' regular meet-

ing will be held tonight in order that the new milk ordinance may be fully explained. Every producer is urged to attend this meeting as it will be the first opportunity for the producers of the Salem territory to have the ordinance explained and they will be given opportunity to ask questions about any point that is not clear.

GRAIN FEDERATION NEEDED, HYDE SAYS

HASTINGS, Neb., July 7— (AP)—Federation of all grain growers of the country into one cooperative organization and reduction in wheat production to a point where it will keep approximately even with market demands was advocated here today As exact as the schedule of any by Secretary Hyde of the United active business executive is the daily routine Rockefeller has States department of agriculture, and Alexander Legge, chairman worked out for himself. He will be up at 7 a. m., make the rounds of the federal farm board. of his big. Georgian granite house

Opening a series of six meetings in five states in the heart of the winter wheat belt, the government's chief spokesman of agricultural subjects addressed large group composed of Nebraska grain growers, dealer, business men, county agents and oth-

Saying there would be "no attempt to compel wheat growers to do anything" Secretary Hyde said "all we want farmers to do is to plan production according to market demands." wheat producers were faced by a surplus which he characterized as agriculture's major problem." Without naming them, Legge said in reference to proposals for dealing with agricultural surpluses "there is one thing wrong with all these plans and that is they will not work" in prepared addresses he had referred specifically to the debenture plan and the equalization fee, storm centers in congress in recent years. Both speakers said foreign countries had enacted laws

which would not permit dumping of surplus wheat production in those countries at a price lower than the country in which it was raised.

"We would give the wheat surplus to China," Hyde said.

Logger Admits Part in Slaying Of Postmaster

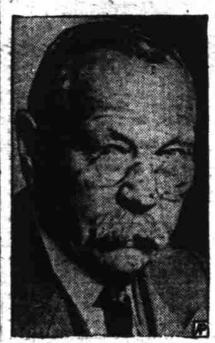
TACOMA, July 7-(AP)-A complete confession of the murder of Carl Krummel, 60 year old Adna postmaster, Saturday night, was made tonight by Myatt Simia, 24, logger, who had been held at Chehalis with two companions since Sunday, according to special dispatches received by the Tacoma Ledger tonight.

Simia made his confession volintarily to County Prosecutor William H. Grimm, Sheriff Edward Doggler, Dr. J. H. Manning, Deputy Sheriffs Joe Hatfield and Louis Lund and two newspaper men, it was reported. The confession was taken down by Miss Alma Watson, court reporter.

TIME SAVERS

Real estate directory, Suits \$22.50, Laundry pervice, Transfer, Storage, Tailor service,
Ricycle repairing,
Radio service, Baths,
And many other services.
For quick reference turn
to the Business Directory on Page 8.

Sherlock Yarn Creator Dies



ARTHUR CONAN DOYLE

Noted Career as Author is Recalled. Especially **Detective Tales**

CROWBOROUGH. SUSSEX, England, July 7-(AP)-Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, 71, novelist, historian, physician, traveler, and spiritualist, died at his residence, Winflesham" today of heart dis-

Lady Doyle, two sons and one daughter were at his bedside when death came. Though the famous creator of Sherlock Holmes largely surrendered his other interests during the later years of his life to his championship of spiritualism, thereby antagonizing many former friends, it was his long career as an author that the great majority of Englishmen recalled

today. Above all, England remembered the series of Sherlock Holmes stories wherein he portrayed with the greatest detective in fiction but also the quieter, more leisurely, more leisurely London of late Victoria days. "Complete in Each

Shortly before his death, Sir Arthur in a chat with the associated press correspondent explained how he came to write his Sherlock Holmes stories. As a poverty stricken young doctor, he said, he used to sit in his office and wait for patients who failed to appear.

At that time, most magazines were running serial stories, and Doyle thought it would be a great thing if a continued story could be written in such a manner that each section would be complete in itself, so that the reader would not have to wait for the next issue.

From this, he said, grew the Sherlock Holmes stories. Arthur Conan Doyle, latterly Sir Arthur, had a long and varied career. He was a physician in the 80's. He was a sensationally brilliant novelist in the 90's. At the beginning of this century he entered his literary genius to place before Europe the facts of the Boer war. For this he was made a knight of the realm.

LITTLE HOPE HELD FOR AGED CARDINAL

VATICAN CITY, July 7-(AP) -Cardinal Vannutelli, 93, Dan of the Sacred College, tonight was reported showing improvement, after suffering a serious attack of uremic poisoning early today.

The aged cardinal had a very bad morning. He was visited twice by doctors. Drainage and other treatment was resorted to, with beneficial effect.

When reports of his illness were circulated throughout Rome many persons of all classes, ineluding government dignitaries and members of the diplomatic corps called to express their concern and their hopes that the venerable but robust prelate would be able to overcome the crisis. The pope today was kept constantly informed of Cardinal Vannutellis condition and sent, him a special benediction:

'Summer Capitol' Is Dedicated For Use of Governor

Governor Norblad will spend virtually all of the week-ends during the summer at Newport, according to announcement made at the executive department

The residents of Newport have provided a summer home for the governor, which was dedicated Sunday. The governor found that the home had been decorated with flowers and that a radio receiving set had been included be known as the "summer cap-

Mrs. Norblad, son, Walter, and daughter, Eleanor, are spending the summer at Newport. Mrs. Frank Jenkins and family of Eugene are guests of the Norblads for several days.

SENATE HEARS

Demand For Private Notes Renewed at Once by Treaty Enemies

Reed's Offer to Show Them Privately to Any of the **Members Concerned**

By FRANCIS M. STEPHENSON WASHINGTON, July 7 .- (AP) -President Hoover opened the special session of the senate for consideration of the London naval treaty today with a 2,400 word message, calling for its ratification as "an important step in disarmament and in world peace." Hardly had the presidential mes-

sage been read to the 58 senators who answered the first roll call, when Senator McKellar, democrat, Tennessee, offered a resolution requesting the documents relating to the London conference which President Hoover-had refused to turn over to the senate foreign relations committee.

Senator Reed, republican, Pennsylvania, who was a member of the American delegation, offered them in confidence to any senator who wished to see them. He said: "The senator who accepts my suggestion will readily see the reason why the correspondence ought not to be made public."

However, Senator Johnson, republican, California, who with Mc-Kellar is one of the chief opponents to the pact, scorned the Reed offer and demanded the papers. "for the United States senate and for every member of it, and for my government here." Resolution to Be Called Up Today

McKellar will call up his resolution tomorrow after Senator Swanson, democrat, Virginia, has delivered the opening address in behalf of the pact. There was no doubt tonight over the outcome of a vote on the resolution and what effect its adoption would have. In his message to the senate, President Hoover touched on this subject. He said "every solitary fact which affects judgment upon the treaty is known, and the document itself comprises the sole

obligation of the United States." Senator Reed said the documents related to cablegrams exchanged between Ambassador Dawes and the state department prior to the London conference. There have been intimations the picturseque language employed by America's outspoken ambassador in London forbids their publica-

HUSTON TO STAND BY CHAIRMANSHIP

WASHINGTON, July 7 .- (AP) Claudius Huston is standing by his chairmanship of the republican national committee, at least dwarf the Elephant Butte dam on temporarily, despite a whirl of the Rio Grande in New Mexico, agitation in republican rans over rearing its shoulders more than is leadership.

President Hoover, after hearing numerous complaints in recent weeks against his party chairman, conferred with him for an hour and a half last night. Today Huston said he was going ahead with his meeting of committee officers here Thursday. lating gates and the valves for He answered no questions about the future but it was made plain in his behalf that he is not resigning now nor at Thursday's

It has been freely stated in inner republican circles for weeks that Huston would withdraw. The successor has not been chosen although it is known the president has been looking over a list

lately. ed in the house shortly after tes- districts in the west. By increastimony was given the senate lobby committee he had used funds given by the Untion Carbide company for the Muscle Shoals lobby ctivities of the Tennessee river improvement association in his account before turning them over to the association.

The disposition of Muscle Shoals is a live question in congress and the whole dispute was forced over until next session.

110 to Write Bar Exam Here Today

Approximately 110 applicants will write in the annual bar examinations to be held in Salem today. The examination will be held in the house of representa-tives and will be conducted by the state board of bar examiners.

Aero Tryout Wednesday

Trial flights for model gliders and airplanes entered in the contest sponsored by The Statesman, the Fox Elsinore theatre, the Eyerly Aircraft corporation and the Grimm Glider school, have been definitely scheduled for Wednesday morning of this Wednesday morning of this week at 9:80 o'clock on Sweetland field at Willamette university. It was found necessary to postpone the contest a second time Monday, but there will be no more postponemis.

Contract For Barge Traffic From Salem To Portland In View

VERBAL CHALLENGE

Says He Didn't Do Any of Things Woodburn's Editor Wrote

County Fruit Inspector . S. H. Van Trump may wish that he might wave a magic wand into the air and bring back the days of knights, swords and seconds. Then instead of calling upon the public to settle a little matter with a certain Marion county editor, he might slap that editor across the cheek and argue the question

out with sword or dagger. But since it is 1930, and since an article which Van Trump declares contains slanderous charges against himself appeared in the Woodburn Independent of July 3, Van Trump has taken his typewriter and paper in hand and directed another kind of challenge to Rodney W. Alden, editor of the Independent.

The Independent, in a front page article, reports that at the Salem grange meeting June 28, Van Trump read from unfavorable editorials in the Independent and in turn attacked the Independent, "Van Trump just about spit tacks when he was telling us about the editorial," said one member of the grange," Woodburn paper said in part. Now, Inspector Van Trump says he will give the Associated Charities of Salem \$100 if Alden will

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WASHINGTON, July 7-(AP) -A line of white stakes glistening in the desert sun, stretched across the wasteland of southern Nevada today toward the brink of Black Canyon, marking the first day's work of an engineering project so immense the flamboyant adjectives of the circus have been called upon to describe

They traced the path over which trains soon will be lumbering to the construction town that is a mere huddle of stakes now, three miles from the canyon walls that tower high above the Colo-

From the foot of the canyon walls a dam is to rise more than 575 feet, thrusting its roots 100 feet below the stony basin of the stream. It will create a lake of 100 miles long, and in size will 250 feet higher than the 306 feet

of that structure. "The dam is not merely a mass of concrete to hold the water back," Secretary Wilbur said. "It is a complex industrial structure traversed by pipes and corridors, in which will be placed the reguthe dynamos which will generate 1,000,000 horsepower of electrical energy and the waste ways for controlling floods."

Wilbur said 1,000 men would be employed for a period of between five and eight years. In announcing the starting of construction Wilbur said "with Imperial valley no longer menaced by floods, new hope and new financial credit will be giv-Agitation against Huston start- en one of the largest irrigation geles and surrounding cities,

possible for millions of people."

Seaport Advantage Seen for This City Now

Announcement Will be Made Thursday is Report Here

Strong indication that freighting on the Willamette river between Salem and Portland by means of barges, a dream of river navigators as well as manufacturers, canners, agriculturists and others, will soon be an actuality, is contained in dispatches re-

ceived here Monday. These dispatches bring word that by Thursday of this week, a contract for barge navigation in the Willamette river will be announced, this navigation to extend "to a point above Oregon City,' which has been the head of heavy freight traffic on the river heretofore. They add that the "point above Oregon City" is be-

lieved to be Salem. Inquiry among persons at present engaged in fiver navigation discloses that the project in question is a new one and that the parties thereto are saying nothing until the matter is settled. It was stated that one party had signed the contract and that it is in the hands of a second.

Will Make Salem Practically Seaport Barge navigation has long been sought here as a means of establishing Salem virtually as a seaport city from the standpoint of manufacturing and fruit production advantages. Barge transpertation from Salem to Portland will mean that freight charges from here to world markets will be practically on a par with seaport charges, with only the added cost of transferring freight from the barges to steamers at Pert-

Realization of this dream has been held up due to the shallow portions of the river which have precluded year-around navigation. During a large portion of the year freighting on the river is possible and the Salem Navigation company has operated two steamers with heavy patronage in the last

Last year after more than the usual amount of work had been done toward improving the river, it was hoped that the steamers could travel all summer and fall, but an unprecedented dry period spoiled these plans. However, still more work is being done this year and appropriations are in sight for a greater program in fu-

Paper, lumber and all of the land crops of the middle Willamette valley will be aided by this project, and the inauguration of barge traffic now will also hasten the time when the government will authorize permanent improvements on the river - the "still water" of which much has

been said and written. Present plans call for construction of wing dams to raise the water to needed levels at the few shallow places below Salem. Word also came Monday that President Hoover had told Senator McNary he was whole heartedly in favor of improving this river to permit

large scale freighting. GRAPPLERS DRAW SEATTLE, July 7.—(AP)— Dynamite Gus Sonnenberg, regarded as world's heavyweight wrestling champion in a majority of ing the water supply of Los An- states, and Ed "Strangler" Lewis, former world champion, wrestled homes and industries are made eight rounds to a draw here te-

Health Work Here Will Figure in U. S. Contest

health conservation contest, spons- work. ored all over the country by the United States chamber of commerce. Cooperating with the local commerce with the help of the chamber, will be the Marion coun- American Public Health associa-

vor in a contest of this nature," at the 1931 convention of the na-Dr. Vernon A. Douglas, county health officer and head of the health unit, said last night in telling of the contest, "and especially favorable to begin with are the climate here and the class of the limite here. people, as well as the health pro-gram already being carried on." competing cities. Last year the en-trants were distributed as follows over the country: Eastern states, fourth class of the five divisions 23 per cent; southern states, 23 of the contest, competing with cities of from 20,000 to 50,000 population. Last year White Plains, New York, won the first prize and plaque in this division. That city has a per capital health expenditure of \$1.21, as compared to the 78 cents per capital spent in Salem last year.

Health work carried on in the | The contest is based on a numcity of Salem will this year be ber of main factors, including: entered in competition with health | Water supply, sewage and garbage disposal, milk and food supply, programs from all over the United preschool and child hygiene. States, following decision of the death rates from preventable dislocal chamber of commerce to en- ease, laboratory facilities, clinics ter Salem in the inter-chamber and local appropriations for health

A grading committee appointed

by the United States chamber of

tion, will make the awards in "Many things are in Salem's fa- each class, these to be announced