

# Local News Briefs

**Boy Injured in Accident**—Donald Panek, age 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Panek of 2125 South Church street, was cut about the head and face when the car in which he and his father were riding, the latter operating the vehicle, slipped on the icy pavement 13 miles north of Salem on the Portland road and skidded into the ditch. The sedan was considerably damaged. The accident happened at 3:45 a.m. Wednesday, according to the report made to police officers here by Mr. Panek. The Paneks were on their way to Seattle to visit Mrs. Panek's parents. The trip was abandoned.

**See rental list**—Becke & Hendricks on classified page, also in office window, 189 N. High.

**Balance Due**—There is due the C. C. Chick company a balance of \$53.32 on a \$480 merchandise order delivered to D. A. Yoder, according to complaint filed yesterday in circuit court against Yoder by the Commercial corporation of Portland, acting as agent for the Chick company.

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

**Drunk Arrested**—Martin W. Curry was arrested at 4 o'clock, Wednesday, on drunk charges. He was released on a bail of \$10 at 6:40 p.m. The bail money was forwarded by the management of a local hotel since Curry had sent his money to San Francisco, where he went last night by stage.

**Dance tonite** Hazel Green.

**Walsh Visits**—William Walsh, district attorney of Clatsop county, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walsh of 1020 N. Cottage. He will remain in Salem over the holidays.

**Merry Christmas!** H. R. Press-nall Paint Store, 445 Court.

**To Try Soon**—Application to place case of Claude A. Johnson vs. Anna Luthy and others on the trial docket has been filed with the county clerk.

**Marion Hotel Special Christmas Dinner**, \$1.25. 11:45 to 2—5:45 to 8.

**Guardian of Minor**—W. H. Dorman has been appointed guardian of the person and estate of Juanita Dorman, a minor. Foster C. Cone, John Heitzel and H. Gearhart have been named appraisers.

**Special**—Flight lessons, \$3.75. Further information at Salem air port.

**Account Filed**—J. G. Schaefer, guardian of Edward Duffy, incompetent, has filed annual accounting in estate with the county clerk.

**Sale Confirmed**—The county judge has confirmed sale of real property in the estate of Richard and Thomas Hughes, minors. The land was sold at private sale to H. L. and Vera Staver for \$1050. The property is in the Nob Hill addition to Salem.

**Final Report in**—Final report of Vivian Standifer, guardian of Vesta Ione and Versa Leone Antrim, minors, has been filed in the county clerk's office.

**Christmas balloons free** at Howard Corset Shop.

**Y. M. C. A. Closed**—The boys' lobby of the Salem Y. M. C. A. will not be open all day today because of its employees' holiday. This is also true for the gymnasium.

**A Merry Christmas** to all. A. A. Edwards, the Shoe Rebuilder.

**Arrested on Warrant**—Henry Ruth was arrested on a warrant from Polk county at 12:30, Wednesday, and turned over to Deputy Sheriff Gerth of that county at 2:20.

**Guardian Named**—J. J. Fitzsimmons has been appointed guardian of the estate of Eric Fitzsimmons, a minor. Appraisers are Alice H. Page, Irene Roemhildt and E. L. Crawford.

**Annual Account Given**—W. P. Hardy has filed annual account as administrator of the estate of Charlotte Hardy, showing a cash balance of \$378.97 on the books.

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**Seeks \$215**—Clara Riechel has filed motion and affidavit in circuit court seeking order of the court for August Riechel, who wants a divorce from her, to pay \$215 costs in connection with the suit.

**Merry Christmas!** Frank's Quick Lunch.

**Case Dismissed**—Case of Intermountain Building and Loan association vs. Fred C. Kothoff has been dismissed, order to that effect being signed yesterday by Circuit Judge McMahan.

**In Corvallis**—Miss Agnes Campbell, supervisor of nurses with the county health unit, is spending the Christmas holiday with friends in Corvallis.

**The Halk Electric company** wishes you a Merry Christmas.

**Improving**—Condition of Mrs. N. A. Lawrence, 1578 Ferry street, who has been confined to her bed for nearly a month, was reported yesterday as greatly improved, her many friends will be glad to learn. Because she has been extremely weak, friends have not been encouraged to call.

**Rifles to Meet**—The Salem Rifle club will hold its annual meeting Monday night at 8:00 o'clock at the D. H. Mosher tailor shop on Court street. There will be election of officers and other business. All interested rifle practice are asked to attend.

**Visiting Parents**—Mrs. Helen Parker and children are spending today in Vancouver with her parents.

**Can pay own bills**—Arch E. Conner, against whom suit for divorce was recently brought by Ann M. Conner, yesterday filed answer to her complaint and request for cost money. Conner says he contracted a large number of hospital bills during their married life because of illnesses of the wife and that he has applied his wages toward payment of these. He lost his employment about a month ago and has not since had a salary, as a result of which he cannot pay support money, he asserts. He says he is informed his wife is earning \$15 a week and board and is able to pay her own costs.

**A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year** to all our patrons is the wish of The Snappy Lunch.

**Savage Visits**—Ed Savage, formerly with the Roth Grocery company here but now at Waldport where he is engaged in the grocery business, was a visitor in the city Wednesday. Savage reports his new business is excellent there. He says the fishermen on the Alsea are having the largest run of steelheads in the memory of the old resident.

**Xmas dance tonite** H's'l Green.

**Shed dry wood-coal**. Prompt delivery. Phone 13; Salem Fuel Co.

**In Portland**—Mrs. Cora Reid of the county school superintendent's office is spending the holiday in Portland with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Bagley, Jr. Her son, Evan, who is working in Lakeview, joined Mrs. Reid here and they went to the city together.

**Hotel Argo Christmas dinner**, turkey and goose, served noon and night. Tables reserved for families.

**Demurrer to Complaint**—Frank Morley has filed demurrer to the amended complaint made against him by the Indemnity Insurance company of North America, averring that the document does not state sufficient facts to constitute cause of action.

**Bargain Prices** Hazel Green.

**Holiday in Portland**—Miss Mabel P. Robertson and her niece, Gertrude Mildred Brooks, leave this morning for Portland where they will remain until the end of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Howell. Mr. Howell is a prominent Portland architect.

**Carnival tonite** Hazel Green.

**Gift From Pupils**—Mrs. Mary L. Fulkerson, county school superintendent, was recipient yesterday of a pair of attractive wooden bookends which the eighth grade girls at the Salem Heights school designed and made for her.

**To Washington**—Dr. and Mrs. Vernon A. Douglas and children are spending the Christmas holiday in Sumner, Wash., with relatives.

**From Gervais**—Among Gervais business callers in Salem yesterday was G. T. Wadsworth.

## Where to Dine Today

**Gray Belle, 449 State Street**—We celebrate today. Special Christmas dinner, 50c. For menu see our advertisement. And also—Gray Belle dinner, 75c. Dollar Dinner DeLuxe—roast turkey, steak or grilled half spring chicken.

**Turkey Dinner, 50c**—Argola Cafe, all day.

**Marion Hotel Special**—Christmas dinner, \$1.25. Served 11:45 to 2, 5:45 to 8.

**Special Roast Turkey**—Christmas Dinner—The Spa, 75c and \$1.00.

**Hotel Argo Christmas Dinner**—Turkey and Goose, served noon and night. Tables reserved for families.

**Local or Eastern Railroad Rates** phone 727 Oregon Electric Ry.

**PILES CURED** Without operation or loss of time. DR. MARSHALL 329 Oregon Bldg.

**Merry Christmas**

**Schaefer's Drug Store** 135 N. Com'l St. Phone 197

**Merry Christmas**

## FOG BLAMED FOR MANY ACCIDENTS

### 6 Accidents Reported to Sheriff's Office in Recent Days

Six traffic accidents which occurred in the county in recent days were reported to the sheriff yesterday, with fog being accountable for at least four of the mishaps. W. M. Stevens of Woodburn says Thial Roth of Woodburn was bruised on the legs and arms Tuesday in an accident caused by skidding.

Jack Petojanos says he had one wheel off the pavement going around a curve near Brooks Sunday night in the fog, but that Ann Caron of Oregon City drove into him anyway, pushing him into the ditch and doing considerable damage to his car.

H. S. Wenschell of Woodburn and Gus Koe of Salem route 2 got into traffic difficulties near Woodburn Saturday, when Koe lost control of his car as Wenschell signaled him to pass. The cars had some time dodging each other before the thing ended, according to the report.

F. N. Smith of Mt. Angel said the car driven by Mrs. M. Brady skidded in the fog Sunday night, causing a minor mishap.

Cars driven by Gladys Habersack of Clackamas, who made the report, and John Lowes of 145 Miller street were involved in an accident near Woodburn Sunday. Fog was the cause.

Fog was also responsible for the traffic mishap at the crossroad east of the asylum, involving the cars of Mrs. J. H. Mills, 2283 Lee street, and Paul Lee.

## Obituary

**Ward**—At the residence, 532 North High street, Dec. 23, Mrs. Sedate Ward, 76. Survived by one brother, C. B. Houghton of Portland; one niece, Mrs. L. C. Marshall of Salem; three nephews, Thomason Houghton of Illinois; Dwight Houghton of Portland, and Harry Houghton of Spokane. Funeral announcements later by Clough-Barrick company.

**Brownell**—At the residence at Shaw, Dec. 24, Lillian E. Brownell, 67. Survived by widower, William of Shaw; children, Mrs. John Grubich of Shaw, Mrs. A. E. Williamson of Long Beach, Calif.; Elton W. of Shaw, Orlo L. and Maurice A. of Woodstock, Ill.; sister and brothers, Mrs. K. D. Baker of Pine Grove Mills, Pa.; Edgar R. Freligh of Deposit, N. Y.; and John W. Freligh of Mansfield, Pa. Funeral announcements later by W. T. Rigdon and Son.

**Judd**—At Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 23, Lynn Beldon Judd, 26. Survived by parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy G. Judd of Salem, route 4; five brothers, Frank E., Harland A., Harold K., all of Salem, Leslie W., of Corvallis, and Fred T., of Los Angeles, Calif.; and three sisters, Mrs. Gerald Norwood of Roland, Manitoba, Canada, Mrs. J. W. Anderson of Dewney, British Columbia, and Dorothy A., of Salem. Funeral services Friday, Dec. 26 at 2 p. m. from the Clough-Barrick chapel with Rev. S. D. Johnson of the Leslie Memorial church officiating. Interment Belcrest Memorial park.

**City View Cemetery** Established 1893 Tel. 1266 Conveniently Accessible Perpetual care provided for Prices Reasonable

**Belcrest Memorial Park** Phone 3205 Friedly Moderately

**A Park Cemetery** with perpetual care Just ten minutes from the heart of town

**TERWILLIGER'S FUNERAL DIRECTORS** 770 CHEMISTRY Our Service is Personal Prices Are Reasonable Our Home is Modern Licensed Lady Embalmer

**Clough-Barrick Co. MORTUARY** Phone 126—Church at Ferry St.

**Mt. Crest Abbey Mausoleum**

**Vanik Entombment Indoor Burial** LLOYD E. RIGDON, Mgr.

## BOY ACTOR



Paul Benedict, of Brunswick, Ga., eight-and-one-half-year-old actor, has appeared to critical French audiences in his role in "La Mome Detective." In this production he plays with the famous French actress, Mlle. Parisys. The boy will visit America for Christmas and then return to France to continue his promising career.

## Cermak, Demo, is Endorsed as Man To Race Big Bill

CHICAGO, Dec. 24—(AP)—Anton J. Cermak, powerful Illinois Democratic leader and president of the Cook county board of commissioners, was endorsed by the managing committee of his party today as a candidate for mayor of Chicago. Mayor William Hale Thompson announced his candidacy for a fourth term last week. Charles Barrett, republican member of the county board of review, had previously started a campaign. A group of republican leaders, dissatisfied with both Thompson and Barrett, formed a committee to select a candidate and now are working with civic organizations in an effort to draft a business man to make the race.

## Salem Water for Incoming Solons

Legislators who attend the 1937 legislative session which opens here January 12, will be served with Salem water, according to announcement made here yesterday by Hal E. Hoss, secretary of state. Bull Run water from Portland was served to legislators at sessions prior to 1929. In the latter year the legislative halls were supplied with water from McMinnville.

**Dr. Chan Len Oh** 189 Commercial St. Office hours every Sunday 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. during the month of Dec.

**TODAY Gray Belle Celebrates CHRISTMAS DAY** Special Dinner 50c Served from 11 A. M. to 9 P. M.

**SOUP** Tomato with Croutons CHOICE OF ENTREES Chicken with Dumplings Roast Young Pork—Apple Sauce Pot Roast of Beef—Mushroom Sauce Filet of Sole—Tartar Sauce Cream Whipt or Sweet Potatoes Buttered Squash Hot Rolls Salad Waldorf CHOICE OF DESSERT Hot or Cold Mince Deep Apple, Pumpkin or Lemon Pie Ice Cream or Sherbet Jello or Layer Cake Tea - Coffee or Milk

**and Also Gray Belle Dinner 75c**

**Dinner De Luxe \$1.00**

**We Wish You a Merry Christmas** Salem Bargain House and Salem Junk Company I. SAFFRON — S. KLINE

## Phone Helps Lonely Wife At Christmas

GRANTS PASS, Ore., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Loneliness induced by spending Christmas in a foreign land caused a woman today to place the longest long distance call ever made here.

It was Mrs. Victor Bruce, British aviatrix, calling her husband in London. Mrs. Bruce chatted with her husband several minutes and, aside from expressing the season's greetings, asked about her pets, her plants and inquired if he were able to keep warm during the recent London fog.

Mrs. Bruce didn't say whether she reversed the charges. The aviatrix today received a telegram from the air division of the Canadian army advising her that an expert was on his way to Medford to supervise repairs to her round-the-world plane. The plane was damaged in a ground loop there Monday.

Meanwhile Mrs. Bruce is a guest in Grants Pass. She expects her plane will be ready for travel by January 1.

## Stephen Smeed Hop Grower for 30 Years, Dies

EUGENE, Ore., Dec. 24—(AP)—Stephen Smeed, 88, Lane county pioneer hop grower, died here today.

Smeed was born in England and came to Eugene in 1875. For 30 years he conducted a hop ranch.

He is survived by a son, Herbert, and a daughter, Mrs. A. H. Tyson, both of Eugene.

## Big Still Taken In Coos County

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Dec. 24.—(AP)—A 180 gallon still, one of the largest ever taken in Coos county, was seized today by officers. Kenneth Thorpe, alleged owner of the still, was arrested.



**Metropolitan Chain Store of Delaware** 484 State

**State Cafeteria** 479 State

**CHURCH AT FERRY** PHONE 126

*A friend, no matter how willing, could give no friendlier a service.* Clough-Barrick Co.

**I WILL honor Christmas in my heart, and try to keep it all the year.** —Charles Dickens

**Merry Christmas** Cobb & Mitchell Lumber Co. 349 S. 12th St.

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## Cupid Vies With Old St. Nick as Holiday is Here

The marriage clerk at the county courthouse did a rushing pre-Christmas business yesterday, issuing licenses to five couples. They were:

Arthur H. Balley, 558 S. 19th, and Mary A. Miller, 1664 Chemeketa, both of Salem. LeRoy W. Gard, 460 Bush street, Salem, and Alice G. Beaudin, Enterprise. Clyde S. Betts, Marion hotel, and Andra Peeta, 405 Marion, both of Salem. John Othoff, Suver, and Lydia Mayer, Macleay. DeWitt D. Sitt, Mill City, and Matted Glenn, Wash-tucna, Wash.

Two of the couples were married yesterday, two will be united today and one will be married tomorrow, according to the record at the clerk's office.

## Jury Disagrees In Murder Case Of Idaho Miss

ST. ANTHONY, Idaho, Dec. 24.—(AP)—The jury in the trial of Miss Jennie Bishop, middle aged spinster charged with the murder of David L. Jenkins, was discharged at 4 o'clock this afternoon by District Judge C. J. Taylor after it reported inability to reach an agreement because of credibility of some of the witnesses.

Miss Bishop's bail was fixed at \$10,000 and it had not been furnished.

She is survived by a son, Herbert, and a daughter, Mrs. A. H. Tyson, both of Eugene.

**TABLES and CHAIRS TO RENT** Complete House Furniture Department 151 N. High

**May Christmas Joy and Christmas Cheer** Follow you throughout the year...

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## Tongs Thought To be Back of Quaker Slaying

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Willie Lum, proprietor of a Chinese laundry in South Philadelphia, was found gagged and shot to death today.

Police tonight had not determined whether the slaying was the work of Chinese Tongmen, nor had they any clue to the slayer.

## "No Layoffs" is Chief's Promise To His Workers

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 24.—(AP)—A promise there would be no layoffs during the coming year was the Christmas gift to 150 employees of the Scanlan-Morris company, from its president, S. C. Scanlan.

Scanlan informed the employees at a Christmas dinner today that rumors of a layoff during 1937 were untrue.

**WE WISH YOU ALL A MERRY, MERRY CHRISTMAS** Gahlsdorf

**Here's to the Merriest Christmas Ever!**

**Kuhn's, Shoe Repairing** 464 Court St. Telephone 2133

**May All the Joy of the Christmas Season Be Yours**

**Pickens & Haynes Grocery** 456 Court St.

**The same old wish in the same old way...** Yet what else would you have us say? **MERRY CHRISTMAS!** Weller Hdw. & Paint Co. 428 Court St.

**Loads of Christmas Cheer**

**WE send you a message of goodwill this festive day. May the spirit of Christmas in all that it means abide in your home to bring new cheer.**

**Pomeroy & Keene** JEWELERS & OPTICIANS 870 State Street

## \$35,000 LEGION'S GOAL FOR CONCLAVE

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 24.—(AP)—The national convention commission of the American Legion in Oregon Tuesday night decided to seek a fund of \$35,000 for the purpose of bringing the 1932 convention of the order to Portland.

Announcement of the meeting, called by J. M. Biggs, of Heston, state commander, was made today. The commission would put up \$25,000 as evidence of good faith at the national convention in Detroit next September and the remaining \$10,000 would be used for promotion.

New members were appointed to the commission as follows: Dr. R. H. Hoskins, Astoria; Douglas McKay, Salem; Frank Stellmacher, Albany; Dr. E. E. Stewart, Roseburg; F. A. E. Prince, Bend; Earl W. Snell, Arlington; and Fred Middle, Irving City. These men will represent the seven Oregon districts of the Legion.

**Merry Christmas** And Best Wishes for the Coming New Year **Arehart & Aldrich** Milliners and Corset Makers 420 Court St.

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