

Local News Briefs

Woman Shooked, Bruised — Mrs. Ella Glickson, Route 9, suffered from shock and bruising, Sunday afternoon, when the car in which she was riding was compelled to drive up onto the curb to avoid an accident; Edna V. Rice of Route 9 operated the vehicle. The latter stated in her report to the police that the accident occurred at the corner of Commercial and Hoyt street at 4:15 o'clock. She did not get the name of the other driver involved since he did not stop. She claims that the other driver did not stop at the stop sign as he proceeded from Hoyt street into Commercial street.

Attend Convention — Several Salem people were in Ketchikan Sunday to attend the district Sunday school convention of churches held there. W. Ernest Gault, president of the district group, presided at the meeting of which was one of the outstanding sessions of the year. Salem folk appearing on the program included: Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Robins of the First Baptist church; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Shank of the First Methodist church; Mrs. W. H. Buck of the Jason Lee church; and Mrs. Clinton Mudd of the First Baptist.

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

Automobile Upset — When a Hugh W. Hoerner, Route 3, and H. J. Leaf, Marshfield, skidded their cars into each other at the corner of High and Court streets, Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock, Hoerner's machine was tipped over on its left side, breaking a window and damaging the front axle. Leaf reported to the police that he was going west on Court street and the other was approaching on High street at a high speed and tried to pass at the intersection with a sudden start of speed. The attempt was not a success. Hoerner completes the story with the statement that the two were at the intersection at the same time.

Got Printed Report — Members of the county court have received copies of the printed report of the annual convention of county judges and commissioners held in Portland the middle of the month. This is the first time the sessions events have been made a matter of permanent printed record. Commissioner Tim Smith of Marion county is secretary-treasurer of the group.

See rental list — Becke & Hendricks on classified page, also in office window, 139 N. High.

Account Accepted — Final account of O. B. Hutcherson, administrator of the estate of M. C. Luellan, has been approved by the county court and the decedent's widow and son declared only heirs to the estate. The order directs administrator to assign contract of sale executed by John and Lena Sattler to the heirs.

Crusher Through Today — The last rock crushing job of the year will be completed today, when the Silvertown plant grinds out the final batch of rock on its season's run. This plant, which broke down several weeks ago, has been operating for the past two or three days and will finish the output today. This is the last crusher in the county to be operating this season.

Mrs. Lillian Vina now at Mirror Beauty Shop, Phone 154, Balcony Gunnell and Robb.

Hits Towed car — Max Janhsen says in report to sheriff that as he was being towed Sunday into town by a wrecker from the Marion garage another car driven by R. Herons of Hubbard struck the Janhsen machine. The accident occurred when the tow rope slackened, causing the Janhsen machine to swerve to the left.

Program Tomorrow — The Men's Brotherhood of the Leslie Methodist church will be in charge of the watchnight service at that church Wednesday evening. A social time will begin at 8:30 o'clock, and the evening will close with the usual religious service at the advent of the new year.

Old Resident Here — M. O. Evans, who was associated with the old Oregon Growers organization here, was in the city yesterday for a few hours while visiting in the north from his home in Burbank, Calif. Evans left here five or six years ago. He is now buying for a wholesale firm in Burbank.

Miller's year end clearance now.

Stops Short; Gets Hit — Cedric Reaney of route eight says in accident report to the sheriff that he ran into the left rear wheel of R. Minor's automobile when Minor made a sudden turn to the left. The accident occurred on the highway near Oregon City, which is Minor's home town.

Sues on Note — Angie L. Warren has started suit in circuit court against George D. Grace and O. W. Vall to collect on a promissory note. Warren seeks that his interest in property of Grace be declared prior interest, inasmuch as O. W. Vall also claims interest in the property.

January Clearance and stock reducing sales at Elliott Dry Goods company, now.

Want New Patrolman — Thirteen taxpayers of road district No. 45, have petitioned the county court to appoint Selas Roda a patrolman of the district. Roda would be new to the job.

Cupper in South — Percy A. Cupper left Sunday night on a business trip to Grants Pass and other southern Oregon points. He will be gone for several days.

INSANITY PLEA MAY BE VARIED

Changes in Criminal Code To be Recommended by Judicial Assembly

Various amendments to the existing laws relating to insanity pleas in criminal cases will be recommended to the 1931 legislature by the Oregon judicial council, according to announcement made at the offices of the state supreme court here last night.

One proposed amendment will provide that a person convicted of a crime, to which he pleaded insanity as a defense, shall be sentenced to serve not less than three years in a state insane asylum, without the privilege of habeas corpus.

Another amendment will provide that in cases where a defendant in a criminal action relies upon an insanity plea as a defense, he shall notify the prosecuting officer or officers before his case is called for trial.

Beek Competent Observation — A third amendment provides that in cases where insanity is suggested as a defense, the persons accused shall be committed to a state insane asylum for observation by an alienist.

The legislature also will be asked to enact a law providing that jury panels shall be approved by a jury commission, and that all jury prospects shall be examined under the supervision of circuit court judges. It was declared that such a law would improve the work of the courts.

Under another proposed law the state and defense would have nine peremptory challenges in which the penalty is death or life imprisonment, five peremptory challenges in other criminal cases, and three peremptory challenges in cases involving misdemeanors. The Oregon judicial assembly, which includes members of the Oregon judicial council and circuit judges of Oregon, will meet in Portland next Friday when the proposed legislation will be submitted for final consideration.

Chief Justice Coshow of the state supreme court is chairman of the Oregon judicial council.

Motion Day Friday — Motion days will be on in Judge McMahan's department of circuit court Friday and Saturday when motions and demurrers will be heard, and cases set for the January term of court, which opens Monday, January 5.

Home for Holiday — Miss Lucille Chapin is spending the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Chapin of the Red Lantern auto camp south of town.

Released From Jail — J. J. Chavez, who has been in the county jail since December 28, was released yesterday through justice court. He was held on a non-support charge.

Repairs Warehouse — F. N. Derby was issued a building permit by the city engineer's office, Monday, to repair the two story warehouse at 210 State street. The estimated cost is \$15,000.

World Borrow Money — F. N. Derby, administrator of the estate of T. W. Steiger, has petitioned the county court to borrow \$500 to pay taxes and interest.

At Newport — County Engineer and Mrs. Hilda Swart and children are at Newport, where they will remain until after the New Year's holiday.

Statements Approved — The county judge has issued order approving final account of Lloyd Rigdon, administrator of the estate of William Elmer.

Licensed to Wed — Marriage license was issued here yesterday to Ernest L. Hove, Hubbard route two, and Marie Hanson, Woodburn.

ESCAPE CHASE IS DUD

But Mystery Man Makes Up in Full for Loss HAYES' STATUS PROBED

Salem police department had its share of the excitement that resulted from the escape of Carl Kramsek, operator of the Oregon state penitentiary. In addition, it holds William J. Hayes, 21 College Hill road, Salem, Mass., for investigation on a suspicion of being mentally unbalanced.

Kramsek escaped early Saturday in order, he said, Sunday night to hurry to the side of a daughter lying near death in Omaha, Neb. Sunday morning, Salem police headquarters received a notice from Eugene Hally, deputy warden of the penitentiary, to the effect that Kramsek had left Portland at 9:30 o'clock in a Brown and White taxicab and was bound for Salem. Such was the belief of several people who

had seen a man answering Kramsek's description, hire the taxicab. Local officers immediately set a watch for the taxicab in question and at 2:15 p. m. Officer Smart and Sergeant Fisher took into their custody William J. Hayes, who proved to be the mysterious passenger of the taxicab. Investigation proved that Hayes was fairly well to do, and had a considerable sum of money on his person at Salem. He dismissed his taxicab and then went to a hotel where he deposited all of his money but enough to buy a one-way ticket to Portland by stage. It was at the stage office that the officers finally took him into custody.

Y. M. C. A. Outlines its Activities Until 'way Next Spring

The Friday night program which has become a regular part of the Y. M. C. A. activities, are planned for each Friday night until May 1. Through these affairs, the public, whether they are members of the association or not, an opportunity to hear a variety of programs throughout the year.

The following is a tentative schedule of the season: November 14 — Frank Cross, Bill Dyer, and Frank Spears — Trip to Orient.

November 23 — Thanksgiving Program — Dr. Carl G. Doney spoke.

December 5 — Dean Roy R. Howitt — Trip to South America.

December 12 — W. A. Elliot — Bird talk.

December 26 — Christmas program — Salem churches and Salvation Army.

January 2 — New Year's Program.

January 9 — Ray Conway.

January 16 — Beethoven Club.

January 23 — Play.

January 30 — Scotch Program.

February 6 — Service Clubs.

ACQUATIC STARS IN Y EVENT THURSDAY

Variety of Events Listed In Annual Event of Organization

The annual New Year's swimming program of the Y. M. C. A. in their tank will take place Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock under the direction of Charles Gill. The organizations that will take part are the boys' division, Junior Life Savers, boys and girls, and the Senior Mixed Life Savers. Several independent swimming and diving stars are included.

Underwater and surface swimming by 20 "7" boys will commence at 7:30 o'clock. They will be followed by eight girls who will show methods of recovering drowning persons from the water.

Several races by the Senior Life Savers will then take place followed by a boy's ping pong race in which the balls will be blown across the water followed by the swimming boys.

Many strokes to be seen. A demonstration of the following strokes will be exhibited: side stroke, Boardman and Balderston, crawl, Dwight Adams trudgen, Vera Gilmore; trudgen crawl, Esther Arnold; element back, Mrs. Niles; racing back, Fred Paul; breast stroke, Fred Smith; double kick, single overarm, optional participants. The following dives will be exhibited: swan, gander one-half

Testimony in the case of Korb v. Clark started before Judge L. H. McMahan several months ago when he presided over department two of the circuit court, was started again Monday morning and completed that day. The case was transferred to department one in order that McMahan, now in charge of that department, might hear the rest of the case which involves foreclosure of a mechanic's lien.

After hearing the balance of the testimony yesterday, the judge ordered the attorneys to submit memoranda in the case. Judge McMahan succeeded to the first department of the court upon appointment of Judge Percy Kelley to the supreme bench and because of that change had been unable to hear the remainder of the case until this time.

Popular Pageant To be Given for Third Audience

By request of the many hundreds who were again Sunday evening turned away from the pageant, "The Light of the World" at the American Lutheran church, the pageant will be presented for a third time next Sunday evening.

Although Sunday evening's weather was cold, and adverse, the church was filled to capacity before 7:30 o'clock, and hundreds

Morgan Clarence L. Morgan, member of a pioneer North Howell family, died at San Francisco, Calif., December 23, aged about 45 years; brother of Virgil Morgan, Mrs. Sylvia Baughman, and Mrs. Elsie Dunn all of North Howell; father of three minor children, Leslie, Priscilla and Virgil all of North Howell. Funeral services Tuesday, December 30, at 1:30 p. m. from the chapel of the Clough-Barrick company, Interment Mackley cemetery.

White Claude Leland White died at the home, 2409 Nob Hill street, December 29, aged 7 months; son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. White of Salem. Funeral announcements later by the Clough-Barrick company.

Dent Ellsworth E. Dent died at his residence on route 1 near Jefferson, December 29, aged 68 years; husband of Jessie; father of Mrs. Raymond Daniels of Medford, Miss Ruth Dent of Medical Lake, Wash., Wilbur of Snake River, Wash., and Ralph of Jefferson; brother of Albert of Seattle and Mrs. Mattie Wyanick of California. Announcement of funeral later by W. T. Rigdon and Son.

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CREDIT HIGH-UPS TO SPEAK, BANQUET

Eight prominent men in the field of retail and wholesale credits as they are related to business, have been secured for the first annual banquet of the Salem Credit Men's association. The affair is to be held January 7 at 8:10 p. m. at the Marion hotel here. Two hundred and fifty local business men are expected to attend.

Included on the list of speakers are Don Rissm, vice-president of the National Association of Credit Men; J. G. Colt, president of the First National bank of Portland, and his banker, "The Merchant and his Banker". Other outstanding speakers secured for the banquet include John Keelen, national Retail Credit association; B. Cantoe, credit manager, Portland; Stuart Bliss, director Portland association; O. F. Tate, secretary Oregon Retail Merchants' association.

Braman, manager of credits for Bedell's in Portland, is to talk on "Your Local Credit Association". C. C. Colt, president of the First National bank of Portland, has for his topic, "The Merchant and his Banker".

Mathias Dvorak, Known as Good Violinist, Dies

SCIO, Dec. 29 — Mathias Dvorak, 81, a native of Bohemia, died here early this morning. Funeral services have not yet been arranged.

Dvorak came to Scio with his wife 16 years ago and the two, having retired from their occupation of farm owners and operators, resided here steadily. The widow survives.

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OBITUARY

Cobb Edward H. Cobb died at the residence of his son on route 3, box 115AA, December 29, aged 78 years; husband of Mary; father of Mrs. Bertha L. Wimer of Hillsboro, Mrs. Elizabeth Cook of Portland, Mrs. W. M. Dudd of Alturas, Calif., Mrs. A. E. Moni Miller of Sparks, Nev., Walter L. Cobb of Molalla, Clarence E. of Los Angeles, Calif., Ernest E. and Herman both of Salem. Funeral services Tuesday, December 30, at 1 p. m. from the Terwilliger funeral home, Rev. J. M. Comer officiating. Interment at Hayesville.

Music from O. S. G. March 13 — Irish Program. March 20 — Japanese Program. March 27 — Normal School Music Program. April 3 — Chemawa. April 10 — Easter Program. April 17 — High school music club. April 24 — Willamette music club.

Music Week The social committee in charge of the Friday night programs is Joseph H. Albert, chairman, Mrs. Herbert Gordon, Mrs. C. A. Kelle, Mrs. Roy Lockman, H. B. Glasier, William McClellan, Sr., Dr. D. B. Hill and William Wright.

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Fee or Not, She Desires Her Divorce!

It's going to take more than the divorce decree to make happy one woman whom the Marion county courts gave freedom. Here's why:

Some time ago the county clerk received a letter from the woman in question asking the charge for a certified copy of her divorce decree. The clerk notified her of the usual fee in the matter. Yesterday, the clerk received another letter from her, saying that she had the information on the cost at hand, and—"Would the clerk please advise her how to make out a postoffice money order?"

Cherrians Plan Festive Banquet

Tickets admitting Cherrians to the annual banquet scheduled for January 8 at the Marion hotel, were sent out yesterday to all members who have paid the regular \$5.00 assessment. Men who have not paid the money have been asked to remit at once to the King Bin's office at the chamber of commerce.

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