

# HIGH SCHOOL WORK IN EVENING, TOPIC

### Meeting to Discuss Night Courses Scheduled For Thursday

Plans for the organization of evening high school courses, which will be carried out if a real and sufficient need develops, will be formulated at a meeting of those interested to be held at the high school Thursday at 7:30 p. m., announced T. M. McKenzie, vocational director, last night.

More than 30 students who are not now attending high school have asked for more instruction. Discussion of courses which might be offered, and registration of applicants will take place at the meeting. It is probable that costs of instruction will have to be borne, at least in part by those registering for the classes, and only those who can be definitely enrolled will be permitted to attend, McKenzie stated.

Some applications have been received for evening classes in the past but never before to such an extent as this year. The class was placed before the school board at its meeting last week and referred back to the vocational training department for further inquiry.

"Evening school work in Salem is far below the normal of similar cities in other localities," McKenzie said. "Average registrations range from 2 to 5 per cent of the total population of each city—Phoenix, Arizona, for instance has a population of approximately 75,000 and registers from 2,000 to 3,000 in its evening schools. Portland has a large and going program."

In the past, evening classes in Salem have been limited to adults. Special short units in machine shop, sewing and others are being offered again this year. Night high school work, if arranged, will be a new thing in Salem and is expected to fill a definite need since many students drop out of school before graduation, either from choice or from necessity, and later find that their training is necessary before advancement may be obtained. In cases where students must retain their positions it is possible only for them to attend the evening classes.

McKenzie urges that those interested be present Thursday evening or to call either himself at the high school or Miss Violet Swanson of the part time continuation school, at 5719.

# CIVIL SERVICE FOR POLICEMEN BACKED

### Office of Adjutant Bliven, 215 Masonic Building

A delegation from the post, including the drum corps, will go to the dedication at Sublimity this afternoon. Several members will also attend a meeting at Monmouth Thursday night.

Entertainment arranged by Bill Broun included songs by Newell Williams, numbers on the musical saw by Slater, Clifford Lantz in ukulele and yodeling numbers, and songs by Miss Martha Floor with Mr. Anderson as accompanist.

A talk on the service committee's work and problems was given by Miller Hayden.

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The water repeal vote contend that City Recorder Poulsen should be mandamus to print ballots for the election. That County Clerk Boyer should likewise be compelled to see that the ballots are properly counted and the results announced.

Which ever way the mandamus action is decided in circuit court here, will result in appeal, according to counsel for the opposing sides.

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## COMING HERE



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## POLING TO SPEAK HERE NOVEMBER 1

Dr. Dan Poling, nationally known orator and minister, will speak here Tuesday night, November 1, on the question of prohibition repeal of the Anderson prohibition law, it was announced here yesterday by Marion county representatives of the state committee of One Hundred opposed to the bill.

Dr. Poling was booked to speak several weeks ago but cancelled all engagements to fly east to assist in the search for Dr. Raymond Robbins, missing prohibitionist worker, whose whereabouts have never been found.

Poling, raised in Oregon and well known locally, is expected to deliver a slashing attack at the Anderson repeal measure on the ballot November 8.

Fred J. Toole, Jr., is in charge of local arrangements for the meeting which will be free to the public.

## NEGROES SLAIN BY SLAYER'S SEEKERS

### SENATOBIA, Miss., Oct. 17—(AP)—Conflicting reports tonight said that from three to seven negroes had been killed today by enraged posse scouring the hills of Tate county for Jesse Williams, 45-year old negro who killed Deputy Sheriff Walker Williams yesterday.

At least two other negroes and a deputy sheriff were wounded. District Attorney Milton Thompson said he knew of only three negroes who had been killed. Perry Poe, newspaperman of Coldwater, said he had seen the bodies of four and heard reports that someone had killed three more.

Deputy Sheriff Williams was killed with his own pistol here after he arrested Jesse Williams on a robbery charge.

A posse was hastily organized by Sheriff A. C. Williams, father of the slain deputy, and a trail was followed to the home of "Judge" Crawford, a negro farmer.

"Reports made to me indicate the posse was fired upon from within the Crawford home, one of the shots slightly wounding Deputy Max Lloyd," Thompson said.

The posse returned the fire, killing Crawford, one of his sons and a son-in-law. Crawford's wife and another son also were wounded.

## OREGON LISTED AS SAFE FOR HOOVER

### WASHINGTON, Oct. 17—(AP)—Just returned from a second campaign journey into the mid-west, President Hoover today decided to make still another westward political trip and speak at Detroit Saturday night.

The president's decision was made almost simultaneously with his receipt of a forecast of victory in November from one of his chief political lieutenants, Secretary Mills.

Asked what he had reported concerning his transcontinental campaign swing, Mills said he had described six of the states through which he passed as "safe" for the president. Of an equal number of states, he either said the result would be "close" or declined to comment.

The states he listed in the "safe" category were California, Oregon, Wyoming, Utah, Kansas and Michigan. He declined to comment on New Mexico and Arizona and said there would be a close fight in Washington, Missouri, Nebraska and Minnesota.

## CHURCH OBSERVES BOTH ANNIVERSARY

### Banquet Ends Celebration; First Congregational Is Sent Greetings

The celebration of the 80th anniversary of the founding of the First Congregational church of Salem came to an end last night with a banquet in the social parlors of the church. Greetings from former pastors and members of the church were read by Dr. W. O. Kantner, former pastor. Rev. R. C. Stover brought the greetings of a "daughter" church, Knight Memorial, William McGillchrist, Sr., former choir director, sang two numbers. An interesting number also was a vocal duet by Mrs. Babcock and Mrs. Duncan, both long time members of the church.

Dr. Raymond B. Walker, pastor of the First Congregational church of Portland, brought a challenging message to the assembly. Instead of confining his remarks to the platitude for the attainment of a ripe old age, Dr. Walker boldly spoke on the topic "The world is yet to come". In this period of destitution there are social strains and domestic tension, moral lapses, delinquencies, which lay fresh burdens upon agencies like the church. The changing conditions in which a new order of affairs is being constructed demand that religion supply the ethic and the motive which shall govern.

## FINLEY LECTURES TO TWO AUDIENCES

### A fair-sized crowd was on hand at the high school auditorium last night to view the series of motion pictures shown by William L. Finley, explorer, naturalist and photographer, and to hear his accompanying talk on the subject, "Alaskan Wild Life and the Kodiak Bear."

The same performance also was attended by the students. In all Finley showed five reels of pictures, the first showing bird life on the islands off the coast of Alaska, the second showing a clear picture of Muir Glacier and Glacier Bay, the third depicting animal life featuring a couple of cub bears, the fourth showing unusual scenes of a number of whales leaping from the water high into the air, and the fifth reel showing intimate pictures from the life of the Kodiak bear.

The share of the proceeds taken in for the day's entertainment received by the high school, will be used for the purpose of purchasing a piano for the school.

## RIVERS FLOODING IN THREE STATES

### ATLANTA, Oct. 17—(AP)—Rivers in three southern states were at flood stage today, causing isolation of homes, interruption of traffic, a train accident and a threat to overflow.

In Alabama, the Black Warrior has risen 60 feet, 14 above flood stage, and all other streams in that state were reported rising. At Northport a few houses in the lower sections were isolated and numerous families in the lowlands of Walker and Tuscaloosa counties evacuated their homes.

The Tennessee river was rising slowly as it pushed through Alabama, but torrential rains had diminished near Birmingham.

In North Carolina and South Carolina flood warnings remained posted as the Catawba river overflowed under general rains of from two to more than seven inches over the week-end.

## RECOVERING

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Accidents were also reported by J. E. Wing of Portland and V. I. Seaman of Salem, involving a collision at Fairgrounds and Capitol and by L. Lopston of the Senator hotel and an unidentified driver.

## THE CALL BOARD

### By OLIVE M. DOAR

- ..... HOLLYWOOD
- Today—Howard Phillips and Preston Foster in "The Last Mile".
- Wednesday—"Make Me a Star".
- Friday—"When A Feller Needs a Friend".
- ..... THE GRAND
- Today—Jean Bennett in "The Trial of Vivienne Ware".
- Wednesday—Edward G. Robinson in "Two Seconds".
- Friday—Buck Jones in "White Eagles".
- ..... WARNER BROS ELGINORE
- Today—Irene Dunne and John Boles in "Back Street".
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- Friday—Ricardo Cortez in "The Phantom of Crestwood".

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## Roosevelt Still Silent Upon His Bonus Attitude

### AIBANY, N. Y., Oct. 17—(AP)—Governor Roosevelt packed up for his western and southern trip today but kept a close silence upon his plans for dealing with the bonus question and upon the subjects of the half dozen or more speeches that will comprise the weapons for his attack upon the farm belt and border states.

His views upon the bonus, reported by some of those who have been in close contact with the democratic presidential candidate to contemplate opposing immediate payments but proposing a method of helping the most needy veterans, are expected to be made the subject of one speech. There have been various reports he would express his attitude either at Pittsburgh or Indianapolis.

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