

country school house of lhe other years and the modern school as exemplified at Leslie were contrasted by Superintendent Slins Gaiser in a brief address pointing out the physical impiovements of the modern school and their adaptation to the school program. The new Leslie auditorum, he said, should not only be an integral part of the school but also of the surrounding community.

Accepted safety factors were fuiexceeded in construction of the new auditorium and gymnasium units, the architect in charge, Lyle P. Bartholomew ,told the dedication audience. He pointed out that whereas only a 2000-yard test was was specified for concrete in the auditorium palcony, actual test of the materials used was 4500 pounds.

Yet to be installed in the building, Bartholomew stated, are a public address system serving both old and new units, gymuasjum equipment, window drapes and velour and fire stage curtains in the auditorium.

#### Auditorium .Will

Seat 1200, Stated Don Upjohn, former president of the Leslie association and leader in starting the building program, spoke and also introduced the other speakers, R. G. "Bob" Brady, president, presided. Rev. George H. Swift delivered the invocation and the Salem high school band directed by Gordon Finlay played accompaniment to a singing by the audience.

When installation of balcony chairs has been completed, the new Leslie anditorium will seat 1200 persons, 912 on the main floor. The first real test of the ustics of the new hall, last night's meeting, showed echoes virtually absent and voices carry-

ing well from the stage. Following the formal program, Leslie students escorted the visitors through the other sections of that building.

## Hammond to Sign **Capitol** Contract

The contract and bond, involvag construction of the new state sapitol building, were prepared Monday by Ralph E. Moody, asaistant attorney general. Moody said the contract probably would be signed in Portland today by Ross B. Hammond, successful

contractor. The bond of \$2,500,080 was id to be one of the largest posted in Oregon in recent years. The contract was awarded in Portland Saturday.

**Coast Highway Leader** Said Holding His Own After Serious Injury

TILLAMOOK, Nov. 23.-(AP)-Ed-ward W. Millers, former Josephine ounty legislator and now man-

disturbed at the medical reports on three of Sarga's opponents who, their doctors said, were not quite up to the rigors of lunging at the sturdy Sarga with eightpound cavalry sabers.

Under the complex formalities of Hungarian duelling each contestant must have an affidavit from a doctor saying he is fit physically to carve or be carved. Dr. Sarga's lissome wife, Mag-

da, relieved visibly at the delay, nevertheless voiced utmost confidence in her spouse's ability "to show them" tomorrow.



PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 23-(P) Prolonged debate today thwarted contemplated action on a resoin funds from the state highway commission.

The controversial question came before initial sessions of the Association of County Judges and Commissioners here.

Wallace Wharton, ecretary to Governor Charles Martin, was bombarded with questions when he suggested that possibly \$400,000 more might be recommended for the counties. Judge George D. Grizzle of Klamath county voiced the opinion of one faction when he de-

clared "we need better roads from the farm to the market and better highways, too." The resolution, which was tem-

porarily tabled, proposed that the counties receive 18 per cent of the gross revenues derived by the highway commission. The money would be used for county road building and improvement.

### **Drunk Drivers to Work**

HOOD RIVER, Ore., Nov. 23 .-P)-Drunken drivers won't find ife in jail here so easy hereafter. Justice of the Peace James Stran-

Falls.

joint policy committee of the seven striking unions had agreed to submit it to their membership. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23-(AP) -A union stand against one em ployer group in the maritime strike blocked initial efforts to-

roposal.

vessels for Alaska, but another shipper body announced it was considering resumption of negotiations with unions.

Hopes for release of food ships

for Alaska and Hawaii from the

maritime strike blockade revived

here tonight with unlons giving consideration to a government

Col. O. F. Ohlson of the gov-

rnment - owned Alaska railroad.

The coast committee for shipowners, operators of offshore or vessels, announced Col. deepsea O. F. Ohlson of the governmentlution demanding that counties owned Alaska railroad had inreceive \$800,000 more annually formed it that the unions refused to man any vessels of lines represented by the group.

Ohlson, manager of the rail road which was authorized by President Roosevelt to charter food ships, Assistant Labor Secretary Edward F. McGrady, and executive

the coast committee conferred on (Turn to Page 2, Col. 6)

**Pipe Fabricating Plant Is Rushed** 

Three low sheds and one pipe making machine have been erected at the 12th and Howard streets site of the American Concrete & Steel Pipe company's temporary fabricating plant. Pipe manufactured there will be used in constructing a 5:75-mile sec-tion of the city water pipeline to Stayton.

The sheds will be used as steam process curing rooms. The newlymade concrete pipe will be steam treated for 12 hours, then rolled into the storage yard and given ahan decided. Instead, they will a water cure for seven days.

work on a nearby woodpile and One more pipe-spinning machine earn money for their families. is yet to be set up.

**Two County Jail Fugitives** Remain at Large; No Trace aintaining their reputation in Eugene by freight train and

Maintaining their reputation in Eugene by freight train and for ability in escaping from auth- that his mother had persuaded orities, Robert Perry, 16, and H. him to return. She provided him T. Smith, 15, pried a lock off their cell in the county jail eith-information as to the direction er late Saturday night or early the other two escapes, neither of Sunday morning and walked out whom has been recaptured, had of custody for the third time gone. within three weeks.

The escape was not discovered until Breakfast time Sunday mor With them went Arlie Hixon. until Breakfast time Sunday mor-17, an Indian boy from Klamath ning. Monnier said he did not know that the others had gone held on an auto theft harge as were Perry and Hixon. and gave sheriff's deputies temaining in the cell with no

tormation. The escape was made by break-ing up a screen which had been ingthered in the women's cell tortation area in a 48-hour period. lock and only an unlatched door between him and freedom was Henry Monnier, another minor. installed in the women's cell

mation to the insurgents. **New Fires Feared** 

In Coos Bay Area which it declared damaged the Miguel de Cervantes showed it was not of Spanish or Italian ori-

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Nov. 23. (P)-A lowering humidity led to who made the proposal, said the ears that new fires would spread hrough the much-harassed southwestern Oregon country today.

On Eden Ridge 5 miles southeast of Marshfield, where the only fire of consequence has been pa-trolled by 80 CCC boys, the humidity dropped to 18, and on Coos bay a recording of 33 was de-**Marble Approval** clared by Weatherman E. V. Broughton to be the lowest Norember reading in memory.

Several hundred dollars worth of equipment was destroyed at Eden Ridge last week. The fire has been burning slowly and has not eaten rapidly into virgin timber.

The southwestern Oregon area the contract for a new marble found itself almost covered with state capitol had been let and urged that the contract for the new federal building be let for lames in the latter days of September when the town of Bandon was destroyed, most of the comthe marble bid. munity of Prosper was wiped out and hundreds of conflagrations request of Admiral Peebles who surrounded other cities. wired

# **Employe Sign-up** Social Security **Cards Going Out**

Today the second set of regis-tration cards being distributed for the social security board by the postal department will be delivered. The cards being sent out today are for the signature of employes of those employers who have returned their application **Fire Is Spreading** 

blanks to the postmaster giving the number of people employed them.

Postmaster H. R. Crawford re ported that a majority of the 1200 employers to whom cards were delivered last Monday had re-South Santiam area of the Wilturned them to the local office. lamette national forest and 200 Those who have not yet filed men battled all day in an attempt their replies must now have them to bring it under control, forest officials here said. sent to the social security board. Postmaster Crawford said that It was expected the flames would be surrounded late tonight. several of the postal clerks would

the postmaster.

**Radio Announcer 21st** 

Traffic Fatality, Two Days in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 24.-(P)-William Xuser, chief announcer for radio station KHJ, was killed in the crash of his automobile ear-ly today, the 21st traffic fatal-

countries' vessels' supplied infor

Spanish civil war.

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For P. O. Sought

Senator Charles L. McNary yes-terday wired Admiral Christian J.

The telegram was sent at the

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28 (A)-constitutionality of the New York The ministry said examination Unemployment Insurance act was of the remains of the torpedo upheld today by the supreme court in an evenly-divided decision which gave fresh hope to supporters of pending new deal

legislation. The New York law, similar to that already, passed in 16 other states and the District of Colum-LONDON, Nov. 23. - (P) - Britain's determined hopes for European peace tonight shone through darkening clouds of fascism and

bia, was enacted under the federal social security program of communism, rolled up by the taxing employers for the benefit Great Britain took quick neuof those out of work. trality steps to help the storm

With Justice Stone absent be cause of illness, the court voted our to four on the New York

departments.

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**Paroles** Planned

fonday from Sacrament.

the California parole board

Gossiin said he would re

garding the parole situation.

plans of the school board, will As soon as word of the decision spread around Capitol Hill, Sen be vacated at the end of the present school year, in June. ator O'Mahoney (D-N.Y.) said in a statement, 'Mr. Dooley seems to to be right." It was Mr. Dooley, a newspaper communist's fictional **Reciprocity Upon** character, who said. 'The supreme

court generally follows the elec-Peebles, director of the procuretion returns." ment division at Washington that O'Mahoney's statement reflect ed the hopes, if not the beliefs, of many new deal leaders that the court's decision was evidence of a new division on the high bench.

Last session the division was (Turn to Page 2, Col. 6)

Senator McNary that he **Numerous** Thefts would like direct assurance that the contract for the new capitol **Admitted by Pair** would be of marble. "Such assurance, I am informed, will do

> Two 14-year old boys caught breaking into a service station last night gave city police information tending to clear up a se-ries of automobile tampering cas-es in the Hollywood district. The pair admitted stealing numerous pair admitted stealing numerous articles from automobiles in ad-dition to attempting last night to gain entry to the Triangle serv-ice station, 1505 Fairgrounds road, at 10:30 o'clock. Residents of the neighborhood caught them in the act of breaking a window pane on the station

Oregon at the present time. Amendments to the Oregon pa-role laws also will be recommen-ded, Gossiin said. The two, who said they lived on route seven, were placed in the county invenile detention room at a local hospital.



Seven people were injured in automobile or other accidents in or near Salem Sunday and yesterday, police and hospital re-ports showed last night. street from his home, 1335 Hines street. Diagnosis of his injuries Apparently most seriously in-jured was Mrs. Jane Cole, San Diego, Calif., who was received at Salem General hospital follow-the name of the motorist. Ralph Lautenschlager, sawyer, ing an automobile collision at

Front and Center streets at 1:50 of 176 East Luther street, was taken to Salem Deaconess hospi-The result put the Lions into a tie with Seattle's peppy Sea-hawks at the top of the league ton, also of California, remained vic fracture. Mrs. Helen Middletal shortly after 4 p. m. rester-day for treatment of a severe cut in the hospital overnight for treatment of lacerations about jury while operating a wood saw, A fall from a haystack Sunday sent six-year-old Charles Baker, of West Salem, to Salem Deacon-

the lips and nose, received in the same accident. Police reports also listed Mrs. V. W. Jones as injured in this crash.

apartments and worker Possibility of leasing the old Salem high school building, after Empire said. Dressed in red and it is vacated, for state office purbadly mangled, the girl-h poses was discussed at a meeting been listed among the missing of the state board of control Mon-day when State Treasurer Holthe dispatch said. Whether these were among the man brought up the question of

rsons referred to in the coast housing in connection with reguard's message could not be imports that some landlords promediately ascertained. osed to increase rentals on downtown offices now occupied by state

JUNEAU, Alaska, Nov. 23.-(A The suggestion of using the buildings beneath-a great landhigh school building was made by slide here tonight and hope faded Secretary of State Snell, who defor at least 13 missing persons clared it would accommodate virwho, rescue crews believed. were tually all of the state departments trapped under mud, rock and now quartered downtown. The shattered timbers. building according to present Only one body, that of Mrs. Gus

Erickson, negress, had been recov-ered and nine injured had been taken to hospitals as darkness fell over the jumbled debris from which fire issued fitfully and smoke coiled toward a murky sky. Weary men, mud-smeared from head to foot, dug and chopped at the pile while a power shovel ent into the 100-foot wide mass which ranged from 10 to 40 feet in depth.

For many of the rescuers, if was their second night without rest, but the silence at places from which voices came up through the Areciprocal agreement between the parole boards of Oregon and California, relative to the superruins last night served to drive vision of convicts paroled from them on. the penal institutions of the two states, was reported by W. L. Gosslin, member of the Oregon

Rescue efforts centered on the demolished three-story frame Nickinovich apartments which re-Parole Board, upon his return ceived the full force of the a as it rumbled down a mounts Gosslin, along with other of-ficers last week conferred with

side and cut a swath through an apartment house district. Four of those definitely listed as missing were believed to be in the Nickinovich. It was agreed that the Oregon

parole board would supervise all Mrs. Erickson's crushed h was removed from behind a st in a honse where she lived a her husband, who was serior injured and placed in a hospit California parolees who locate in Oregon while the California pa-role board will supervise all Ore-gon parolees who locate in Cal-ifornia.

mend to Governor Martin the em-ployment of the additional pa-rols officers in Oregon. There is only one state parole officer in **Bellingham Radio** May Lose License

> WASHINGTON, Not. 23.-(#) the communications co received today an examiner's re-port recommending against re-newal of the federal license us der which radio station KVOS has been operating in Bellingha

> The report, flied by Examin Ralph M. Walker, is subject approval, modification or rej-tion by the commission.

Summing up his co points raised at a hearing h before him in May. Walker a the station "failed to show it i in the past served or will in i future serve public interest, o venience and necessity."

Walker said he based his fin ings largely on the type of "editorial comment" and "newspape torial cor day for treatment of a severe cut in the arm. He received the in-jury while operating a wood saw. on the air" program represen by L. H. Darwin, employed by station under contract.

#### **Pedestrian Is Killed**

ess hospital for treatment of a neck injury. He was removed to



Pacific coast hockey league meeting here tonight.

standings. PORTLAND, Nov. 23.-(AP)-Er-nie Piluso, 163, Portland, won

two out of three falls in tonight's main event wrestling match with

Fires so late in the season are unprecedented, records show.

**On South Santiam** EUGENE, Ore., Nov. 23.-(AP)-A slashing fire raced out of control along a two-mile front in the

much to expedite action on re-quest for marble for federal building," he said. Admiral Peebles' wire came in reply to a telegram Senator Mc-

Nary had sent to his Washington office Saturday urging that the contract be let for marble now that the state capitol bids had been opened.

