West Salem Water Board Reports Excellent Revenue in 1936

Collections Reach \$8242

City System Returns \$6000 to Municipality and Pays \$2500 Bonds

WEST SALEM, Jan. 5—The West Salem water board not only made money enough in 1936 to meet its pledge of \$5000 to the city government, but made \$2642.48 in revenue over that pledge, shows the report of Guy Newgent, retiring mayor, made at the city council meeting Monday night.

Collections to the end of the year totalled \$7642.48, with collections for December bills estimated due at \$600; or a total revenue for the year of \$8242.48.

BOS Meters in Use
The board retired \$2500 worth of bonds as for December, During the year, 52 new services were subscribed and a total services metered reached 305.

Two new wells, delivering 1,-500,000 gallons of water were placed in use, fully equiped with new Sterling deep well pumps. A total of nine and one-quarter miles of new water main were

W. L. LaDue made a report on installing a new sewer. Several communications were read and placed on file. Bills were affirmed. Guy Newgent, retiring mayor, gave a speech mentioning that the

city is out of debt and that a retiring fund has been established. The new officers were sworn in as follows: Mayor, John Friesen; city recorder, R. E. Patti-son; councilmen, J. E. Douglas, Don Kuhn, George LaMire and Mitchel. Warren Baker was absent and will be sworn in later.

Cook City Attorney . Elmer Cook was appointed city attorney, Fred Gibson and Walter Gerth as members of the water board and W. L. LaDue asked to serve on the police committee until the next meeting.

Mrs. J. E. Monroe was given courtesy of the floor and asked permission for the use of the hall Wednesday, February 3 at which time a national Camp Fire execu-Camp Fire girls to continue to ings. Both requests were granted. W. L. LaDue was instructed to get brakes for the city car fixed and Elmer Cook to continue to get sements on property along the

Bert Seely Dies; **Final Rites Held**

WOODBURN, Jan. 5-Funeral services for Bert Garfield Secly, for many years a well known resident of the Union district, were held at the Ringo chapel Saturday afternoon with George R. Cromley, pastor of the Presbyterian church officiating. Two solos were sung by Peter Lar-son, accompanied by Miss Vera Mrs. Lon Shuttleworth in charge. Jean Huber. Pallbearers were Arthur Hugh-

es, Frank Sweaney, Roy Bonney, C. Hayes, P. H. Seely and Roy Seely. Interment was in Belle Passi cemetery. Bert Garfield Seely was

in Wilsonville, January 28, 1881, and was married to Anna B Townsend January 25, 1905. They have lived on a farm east of Woodburn for the past 30 years. Besides his widow he is survived by two sons, Harold and Glenn of Woodburn; daughter Mrs Woodburn; daughter, Mrs. Audrey Morley of Blodgett; three brothers, Charles Seely of Dayton, Wash., Ralph and Blaine of Woodburn; two sisters, Mrs. Flora Larson of Woodburn and Mrs. Mabel Brobst of Wilsontwo grandsons, Lamar Morley and Harold Bert Seely. He was a member of the Wood-

Studies Resumed

AMITY, Jan. 5-The Amity schools reopened Monday after a vacation of 10 days. Many of the teachers attended the state teachers association held in Portland

Miss Bertha Munkers entertained with a dinner at her home New Year's day for her aunt, Mrs. Katle Herrin, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Munkers and two daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Munkers and family of

Lelab Shields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otho Shields of this community and a student at Oregon State college, was operated on for appendicitis at the McMinnville

hispital Monday.

Principal and Mrs. A. N. Arnold and family spent last week in Portland at the home of Mrs. Arnold's parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Moore, Mr. Arnold attended the tate Teachers' association.

Gain of But 7 Marriage Licenses, Linn County, Made During Past Year

ALBANY, Jan. 5—Only seven more marriage licenses were issued in 1936 than in 1935, reciate patron; Mrs. Orli Edwards, ports the county clerk here. In the year just closed 184 couples obtained licenses to wed while the previous year there were 177. In the divorce court \$3 couples obtained divorces while in 1935, 30 divorces were granted.

June, 1936, led as usual in the number of marriage licenses with 29; September followed with 21.

Spot Where Airliner Cashed



Two-weeks' search for a Northwestern airliner which disappeared Dec. 15 ended in discovery of the wreckage of the ship almost buried in the snow drifts of Cemetery Ridge, Idaho, above, the pilot and co-pilot dead.

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tive will speak. She also asked night at the schoolhouse, the for permission for the Waakita program committee, W. A. Starker and E. B. Klampe, announces. use one of the rooms for meet- The meeting is being held one week later than usual. Refreshments will be served.

> Bush Will Speak usually fine program is announced for the community club program at the gym here Friday night. Capt. W. C. Bush of Salem will speak on "Hunting Big Game in the Malay Jungle," in which he will tell about the Malays, rubber, Hindu rites, shooting man-eaters and rogue elephants. William McGilchrist, sr., will sing and play the concertina; Robert Hutcheson will sing and play the bagpipes; and Brownlee and Laidlow will give

> a black-faced skit. A club dinner will be held before the program and will All who are interested are invited to attend.

> A kitchen shower for the kitchen will be a feature. G. L. Weaver is chairman of the committee for the program, which the men are arranging.

Men Entertain MEHAMA, Jan. 5.—The Mehama community club held its

to the city council Monday night,

shows that 213 readers were ad-

ded during 1936 and only 58

withdrawn, making the total

number of readers now 1755. During the past 12 months, 651

books have been added for cir-

culation and 451 wthdrawn. The

total number of books in the cir-

culation department is now 2484. Total circulation for 1936 was

The December report shows

the month's circulation at 1422;

23 new readers added: 20 books

repaired; 18 books removed from circulation and 5 books purchas-

Will Install Officers

INDEPENDENCE. Jan. 5-

Adah chapter No. 34, O. E. S., will hold installation of officers

at the next regular meeting

installed as worthy matron; O.

Tuesday night, January 12.

at Session January 12

Independence O. E. S.

14,394.

LABISH CENTER, Jan. 5 .- | of the refreshments. On the en-The Silverton commercial club tertainment committee were will present the program at the James Blum, Giles Wagner and community club meeting Friday | Will Hughes; Julius Titze and John Lambrecht were the refreshment committee.

> Chet Kubin; solo, Mrs. Lee Dickson; harmonica solos by Joel Bouche, Walt Bevier and Lee Dickson; song by Ora Purser, June Dickson, Joel Bouche and Wilbur Blum; solo by Will Hughes; "liar's" contest for men and a group song by the entire

The "liar's" contest was won by Giles Wagner.

A short business meeting was held with President Chet Kubin presiding. The next "family night" will be February 7, and a card party will be held Jan-

CENTRAL HOWELL, Jan. 5-The reguar meeting of the community club is to be held Friday night. The men and women are each to put on a 45-minute program in a friendly contest. Gene Kuenzi and Raymond Werner are on the men's committee and Jean Landerback and Mrs. Clarence Simmons are arranging the monthly "family night" Saturday women's program. In charge of at the schoolhouse, with the men the lunch are Grover Lichty, entertaining and having charge Irene Nafziger and Lucille Roth.

Library Records Final Rites Held Net Gain of 155 For Alice Tracy Readers in 1936

TURNER, Jan. 5-The funeral SILVERTON, Jan. 5 — While the first half of 1935 showed a of Miss Alice M. Tracy was held Saturday afternoon at the W. F. larger book circulation per Rigdon mortuary in Salem, with month than the first six months Rev. W. C. Kantner officiating. of 1936, the last half of the Mrs. Tracy was born of pioneer past year showed a gain of 607 parents, William and Martha Darin circulation over the same per- by McKinney, and had always liv-In Amity Schools in circulation over the same per- by McKinney, and had always liv- He sing iod in 1935, the annual library ed within a radius of a few miles hymns. of her late home, four miles south-The annual report, submitted east of Turner.

She was married to Clinton Tracy, (now deceased), October 22, evening until Sunday when he 1895. Two sons were born to them, will preach at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. Robert Rockwell, who was accidently killed some years ago, and Comyn Clinton, who survives with his children, Marlene Adale and Comyn LeRoy, But one brother, Mayro McKinney, Turner, and three sisters survive, Mrs. Martha E. Adams and Mrs. Onie Longs-worth of Portland and Mrs. Fran-

es O. Ball of Turner. Mrs. Tracy had been seriously ill for several months, being in a Salem hospital much of the time, and where she died December 28. Interment was in Twin Oaks

Child's Hand Caught BRUSH CREEK, Jan. 5—Two-rear-old Janet Kellis had her right hand injured Monday when it was caught in her mother's electric wringer. While no bones were broken the hand was badly bruised and the skin torn half way up the forearm.

Alumni Hold First Banquet

Mill City High Graduates Vote to Make Affair **Annual Event**

MILL CITY, Jan. 5—About 40 former graduates of the Mill City former graduates of the Mill City high school attended a banquet held at Rada's hotel Saturday night. The guests were seated at tables decorated with the school colors, yellow and green. The room was decorated with pic-tures of all the graduating class-es. Charles Kelly was toastmas-ter.

Miss Ethel Hickey, superinten-dent of the high school, welcomed the graduates. Response was made by Eddie Rada. Short talks made by Eddie Rada. Short talks were given by Frank Smith. class of 1927; Mary Holthouse, 1929; Bob Faust, 1931; Marian Allen, 1932; Estil Swan, 1933; De Los Hoeye, 1934; William Wachter, 1935; and Dwight Catherwood, 1935. An accordian solo was given by Rudolph Rada, after which all joined in singles. singing.

To Repeat Annually
It was decided to make this
an annual affair and Charles Kelly was appointed chairman for 1938. The evening was spent in dancing.

in dancing.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Kelly, Miss Marian Allen, Miss Ethel
Hickey, Miss Nancy Jane Faust, Mr.
and Mrs. Alfred Ward, Miss Barbara
Rada and guest, Miss Welch of Corvalils, Miss Mary Holthouse, Mr. and Mrs.
Dous Goode, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawson,
Mr. Dé Los Heeye, James Turner, Wililam Wachter, John Seim, Jack Flook,
Eddie and Rudolph Rada, Bob and Jack
Allen, Bob Faust, Miss Genella Gentry,
Morris Seim, Estel Ewan, Merritt Smith
and Hellis Wood. d Hollis Wood. Miss Lulabel Dunivan, super-

visor of the U.S. hospital in Tacoma, visited friends here New Year's day.

Monmouth Church **Elections Staged**

MONMOUTH, Jan. 5-The annual election of officers of the Evangelical church was held New The program consisted of a Year's eve in connection with a er, J. L. Van Loan; gatekeeper, son, "The Prisoner's Song," by social time. Rev. John Burns talk- C. J. Seibel; chaplain, Mrs. T. Giles Wagner, James Blum and ed on "Digging Deeper," and Rev. Edwards; Ceres, Mrs. J. V. John-Giles Wagner, James Blum and ed on "Digging Deeper," and Rev. Will Hughes; guitar solo, Melvin A. N. Glanville, minister, also Stockwell; recitation, Dickie spoke. Officers: Class leader, Mrs. Wagner; clog dance, Genevieve Merton Mack; assistant leader, A. tive committee, William Riddell, Wavner; musical selections by N. Poole; trustees, E. N. Stebbins, Charles Crook, banjoist, and Mrs. T. Edwards, A. N. Poole, Del Melvin Stockwell, guitar and Tedrow and W. A. Buss; Sunday harmonica; musical selections by school superintendent, Mr. Layton; secretary, Agnes Sheeon; treasurer, Mrs. P. O. Burbank, Communion service was held at the close. The Christian church congregation held its annual election of officers New Year's eve, following a supper and program in the social rooms of the church. Rev. W. A. Elkins, minister, spoke. Officers: Elders, H. K. Sickafoose, Mr. Tripp, Elmer Gillam; deacons, R. E. Emerson, S. R. Skeels, W. W.

Elliott; deaconesses, Mrs. Harold Elkins, Mrs. Arthur Parker, Mrs. Keen; Mrs. J. B. Hill; trustees, Roy M. Miller, Ira Powell, R. E. Emerson; clerk, S. S. Parker; treasurer, Mrs. S. H. Halliday; choir director, Mrs. F. E. Chambers; assistant superintendent, Naomi Tripp; primary superintendent, Miss Nowo wiesjki; assistant, Mrs. Harvey Young; musician, Thelma Pollan

Scottish Preacher To Open Revivals

Beginning Thursday, George Wallace Scott, who is a Scottish evangelist and singer, will hold a series of meetings at the Rose-dale Friends church. Scott was born in Glasgow, Scotland, and while a young man was engaged as a theatrical singer until he was converted.

Since then for 25 years he has been "walking by faith" and preaching the gospel wherever he had opportunity. Some of the largest churches have opened their doors to him, and he has held numerous camp meetings. He sings many of the old Scotch

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When Admiral William D. Leahy, right, new chief of naval opera-tions, took over his position, the first to wish him well was his re-tiring chief, Admiral William H. Standley, left. This photo was taken in Washington as the navy's new commander was inducted.

Grangers' Column

mouth grange observed the an-nual New Year dinner, largest social event on the grange an-ular date. nual calendar, with 100 present. Installation of officers occured in the afternoon, with S. H. Edwards last regular meeting under the acting as installing officer; Mrs. direction of the lecturer, Mrs. Far-Ed Rogers, marshall; Mrs. J. V. nie McCall. Gifts were given for Johnson and Mrs. W. L. Smith, use in the kitchen in place of the emblem bearers; Mrs. S. H. Edwards, musician, all of Monmouth, Mrs. L. V. Seeley pleased with a violin solo, accompanied at the piano by her daughter, Ruth.

Officers: Master, C. O. Allen; overseer, Harrison Brant, lecturer, Mrs. S. Edwards; steward, Byron Ruddell; assistant steward, L. V. Seeley, lady assistant steward, Mrs. H. Brant; clerk Mrs. C. O. Allen; treasurson; Flora, Mrs. L. V. Seeley; Pomona, Mrs. W. L. Smith; execu-W. J. Stockholm and R. B. Swen-

Card Party Slated
WOODBURN, Jan. 5—Woodburn grange met Saturday with a business meeting in the morning which was presided over by Master A. A. Brothern. A dinner was served at noon and was followed by a short program and a talk on farm agriculture by Mr. Walker, representative of the state board of agriculture.

Plans were made to hold a "500" party at the hall Friday night, January 8, the proceds to be used to paint the hall. Stanley Woodward is chairman of the committee on arrangements and will be assisted by Wyles Free-man and Mrs. Lloyd Waymire. Coffee and sandwiches will be served. The public is invited.

CHEMAWA, Jan. 4-Miss Marjorie Mudge will be hostess on Wednesday January 13, to the Chemawa grange home economics club. A no-host luncheon will be cinations. No new cases of the served at noon and a business disease have been reported thus eeting with election of officers far.

AND LESS.

MONMOUTH, Jan. 5-Mon- will follow. Members please no-

The grangers enjoyed a tree and Christmas program at their usual exchange, Mr. and Mrs.
James Wolfe and L. Peterson
were obligated in the third and
fourth degrees. Past master H.
S. Keefer was appointed chairman of the agriculture committee
and Mrs. H. W. Bowden was appointed chairman of the H. E. C. The new officers filled the chairs. The next meeting will be held at the M. W. A. hall Thursday night, January 14.

Installation Friday RICKREAL, Jan. 5—The offiers of the Richreal grange for 1937 will be installed at the regular grange meeting January 8. A special program is being prepared for that night.

Eustelle Bauman Is New Teacher

MT. ANGEL, Jan. 5-With the eopening of classes at St. Mary's school Monday a new teacher, Miss Eustelle Bauman, took her place on the teaching staff. She has taken the place of seventh grade teacher, temporarily held by Miss Anna Bigler after the resignation of Mardon Oveross.

Miss Bauman formerly taught at the Crooked Finger school. Her position there is being taken by Miss Bigler, who is one of last year's graduates of Mt. An-gel Normal school.

The roll call at St. Mary's was somewhat limited due to the after effects of the smallpov vac-

Labish Residents

Are Newlyweds Given Noisy Welcome

LABISH CENTER, Jan. 5—A large group of neighbors gave Mr. and Mrs. Roy Aker an old-fashioned charivarl at the home of the groom's parents Saturday night. Mr. Aker and Wileen Starten of Dayton, Wash., were married last Wednesday at Vancouver. They have an apartment at Salem where Aker is employed.

Many of the group motored to West Salem the same night to charivari Mr. and Mrs. Don Metheney (Eva Dow), who were

charivari Mr. and Mrs. Don Metheney (Eva Dow), who were married early in the week. Mrs. Metheney is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Taylor, ir., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. and Mrs. Guy Dow.

C. E. Entertained

The Christian Endeavorers were entertained Friday night at the H. M. Bibby home with 25 present. An interesting social period followed the business meeting.

Dinner guests New Year's day at the E. B. Klampe home included the W. A. Gueffroy family of Salem and the W. F. Klampe family.

Maxine and Archie Dunsmoor

Maxine and Archie Dunsmoor of Portland were guests over the cated by the Cammacks, holidays of the W. R. Daughertys. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Bec

Mikkelson Leaves
George Mikkelson left Sunday night for his home at Washington, D. C., following a tenday visit with his sister, Mrs. W A. Starker and family.

Phyllis Leedy, Louise Tonts, Clyde Boehm and Willard Aker returned Sunday to Corvallis to continue their studies there. Vivian Jones and friend returned to Beaverton where Vivian is staying with her sister and at-tending high school.

Knitting, Carving Occupy Teachers Heights Garden Club,

MT. ANGEL, Jan. 5-The teachers' study club, augmented by a in the eighth grade classroom of St. Mary's school Monday night. Miss Eustelle Bauman joined the

The club meets every two weeks and its purpose is to cover a certain amount of study so as to talk on the subject: "Flo merit a reading circle certifi- That Endure the Drought." cate. This year the club has un-

Last night's session was devoted to woodcarving and knitting. Buckles, buttons, and bracelets were carved from juniper wood. A regular class of knitting is being conducted with others. not teachers, also taking part. The next meeting will be held Monday, January 18.

Taylor Home Is Stage Charivaris Scene of Party

Roy Akers, Don Metheneys Sunnyside Residents Enjoy Winter Sports Thrill Near Detroit

SUNNYSIDE, Jan. 5—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Taylor, jr., entertained New Year's eve with a watch night party. The guests were given new calendars as mementos of the occasion. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heckart, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Calwell, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cannoy, Mrs. Merrill Parchet of Camas, Wash., and Mr. Dean Bunse.

and Mrs. Towne, who formerly lived in Sunnyside will occupy the Hammer house recently va-

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Beckley entertained the members of the Birthday club at their home on Friday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Grant Teter, Mr. and Mrs. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. Trick, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bates, Mr. and Mrs. George Heckart, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Calwell, Gus Cole, Helen Beckley and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Beckley.

Miss Marion Beckley, who has been spending the holidays with her parents at Sunnyside, has returned to her school at Hue-

Woman's Group Slate Gatherings This Week

SALEM HEIGHTS, Jan. 5-The Little Garden club will meet Thursday at 1:30 p. m. with Mrs. H. E. McWain on Fairview Avenue, Mrs. Maud Sherman will talk on the subject: "Flowers The Salem Heights Woman's

at the community hall. The subject for the program is "Oregon Poetry," led by Mrs. C. A. Kells, Mrs. Roy Burton has been confined to her home for the past few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burton of San Francisco spent the holiday with their parents. Alvin works for the Standard oil company there as chemist.

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