Local News Briefs

WU Banquet Tonight-The au- |. nual holiday period banquet of Willamette university alumni and students will be held in Portland tonight at 6:15 o'clock at the Bohemian, it was announced yesterday. Dr. Daniel Schulze will be the principal speaker. Ralph Mc-Cullough, who died as result of contact with a live wire in the basement of his home in Portland Monday, was president of the Portland alumni, and cancellation of the event was considered but officers of the group decided to hold it because invitations were out and all plans made. Herbert Hardie, treasurer of the group, will probably preside.

Some young people are planning to begin a usable course of study at the Capital Business college bext Monday-A wise plan. Perhaps others should do likewise. Call, let us show what a business training will do for you.

Contract Awarded -- Contract for grading and paving .77 mile of the Smiths Point-Youngs Bay bridge section of the Oregon coast highway at Astoria was awarded Tuesday by the state highway commission to the Mountain States Construction company of Eugene on a low bid of \$43,973. There were eight other bids received by the commission. The bids were opened by the commission November 30.

Livestock Men Meet - Only a small group of livestock growers both in and out of Salem. He has attended the discussion meeting in just received 5500 receipt blanks afternoon, which had been called by County Agent Harry Riches. Speakers, all from the state college, included Prof. J. M. Shaw. E. R. Jackman and Harry Lindgren, extension specialists. Topics included diseases of animals and feeding problems.

First Nat'l. Bank Bldg. Barber Shop Now Open! C. E. (Speed)

Unconscious Four Days-It was reported from the Salem Deaconess hospital last night that Ray Paulk, 1460 Chemeketa, who has been hospitalized since last Friday night when he was injured as an automobile driven by him collided Goddard of the state police, was skull fracture and brain concus- invited.

Bus Hearing Set - Herbert H. Hauser, chief examiner in the office of the public utilities commissioner, has set 10 a.m., January 7. as the time and his office in Salem as the place for a hearing on the application of Howard P. Dovle and William S. McCarron for permit to operate as a common carrier bus line between Eu-

Turkey pickers report at 1 o'clock today. Marion Creamery &

Sparks to Portland-During the three day conference of the Oregon State Physical Education association in Portland, to which Prof. Lestle Sparks of Willamette will go today, he will be installed as president of the association.

Obituary

Effenberger Joseph Effenberger, late resident of 411 Front street, December 25 at the age of 67 years. Survived by three daughters, Mrs. Roy Stafford of Salem, Mrs. George Chapman of Junction City and Mrs. Edith Chapman of Grants Pass; son Carl Effenberger of Sacramento; seven grandchildren and one great grandchild. Funeral services will be held from the Walker and Howell

chapel Wednesday at 2 p.m. Com-

mitment will be at the IOOF cem-

Long Albert Creigh Long, aged 42, passed away in Portland on December 26. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Bessie Long of Sa lem, and by five stepchildren: Mrs. Edward Foore, Portland; Richard and Vincent Bishop, Portland; James Bishop, Salem, and Mrs. John Gottfried, Salem. Also surviving are the parents, Mr. and Erwin, The Dalles. Funeral servi- one, for state beer licenses. ces will be held on Wednesday. December 29, at 2 p. m. at the Clough-Barrick chapel. Rev. Lynn A. Wood will officiate. Interment at Belcrest Memorial park. Graveside services in charge of Capital

McCullough Ralph H. McCullough, 25, late resident of route one, Portland. December 27. Husband of Gwen McCullough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McCullough of San Francisco. Funeral services Thursday. December 30 at 10:30 a.m., from Son. The House of Holman, Hawthorne boulevard at S. E. 27th street, Portland, Vault interment at Lincoln Memorial park.

post No. 9, American Legion.

Charles Gossett, 50, at the residence, 1520 Woodrow street, December 28. Survived by sister, Mrs. Walter Williams of Port Orchard. Wash, Funeral announcements later by the Clough-Barrick company.

Mrs. Adella Roth, 72, at the residence on Salem route, December 28. Survived by husband. William of Salem; five daughters, Mrs. Elvin Herr of Silverton, Mrs. Ed Leisy of Portland, Mrs. Homer of Salem, Mrs. Charles Smith of Monmouth and Mrs. Robert Elfstrom of Salem; four sons. W. A. Roth of Salem, and John. Henry and Ernest Roth, all- of Pratum. Funeral announcements later from the Clough-Barrick

Aver Project Damages-Surface water attributed to a WPA ditch cleaning project carried on last year was blamed yesterday by Walter S. Lamkin, attorney, in a letter written to the county court, for damage done to property owned by Francis, Ursula and Andrew DeConnick near Gervais. Lamkin urged the court to investigate the flooding of the DeConnicks' land to remedy the situation by deepening 4000 feet ditches through the Barnes and Schwab properities.

Plan Watch Night-The First Baptist church will hold watch night services New Year's eve. Friday night, starting at 8:30 o'clock. The first hour will be devoted to music; from 9:30 to 11 o'clock a fellowship hour will be enjoyed and during the last hour before the turn of the year, a devotional period will be in charge of the pastor, Dr. Irving A. Fox.

Reserve Officers to Meet-There will be a meeting of reserve officers tonight at the Argo hotel at 6:30. Major Carleton E. Spencer of Eugene, department of Oregon president, will be present and the meeting will be of unusual interest to all officers of tory period of 30 days allowed this vicinity, local members an- them to elect whether or not so

Paints-roofing. Mathis, 474 Ferry

5205 Dogs Licensed - County Clerk U. G. Boyer said yesterday 5205 dogs had been licensed in Marion county, including those the chamber of commerce Tuesday for 1938 dogs licenses and has already issued 20 tags for the new year. Dog owners have until March 1 to secure the new li-

\$13,074 Turned Over-December tax turnovers reached a total of \$119.279.94 yesterday as the sheriff's office delivered \$13.-074.53, representing 1935 taxes. to the county treasurer. The tax lace, and providing for division office hopes to have cleared all but \$25,000 or \$30,000 from its books before Saturday.

West Salem Club Meets-The West Salem Townsend club, meeting tonight in the auditorium of the city hall, will nominate candidates for 1938 officers and for with one driven by Captain A. D. this reason attendance of all members is requested. B. I. Plummer still unconscious. Faulk suffered a will be the speaker. The public is

> The Salem Federal is paying 4% on savings. All accounts insured.

To Build \$1000 House-A building permit was procured from the city buliding inspector's office yesterday by D. A. Larmer, to erect a one-story dwelling at 1085 Larmer, to cost \$1000. Permission was also granted to Mrs. Cornelia Stuttaford to alter a one-story dwelling at 407 18th, \$30.

Ad Firm Formed-Earl J. Mc-Laughlin, Lee M. Unruh and Gardner Knapp yesterday filed a ecutrix, to transfer to herself an certificate with the county clerk showing they had assumed the business name of Western Opportunities, as an advertising firm with offices in the United States National bank building.

Safety Effort Praised-Governo. Charles H. Martin yesterday received a letter from D. D. Fennell, president of the national safety council, praising him for quarters of the council are in Detroit.

Re-Roof Now-Elfstrom, 6550 Lumber Firm Files-Co-part-

nership certificate of F. E. Tice and J. H. Hughes of Hubbard and Lester Smith of Woodburn to do business under the assumed name of Hardwood Lumber company of Woodburn was filed yesterday with the county clerk. Lee Ray Improves-Lee Ray,

business agent for the Salem Retail Clerks' union, was reported as improved yesterday at Salem General hospital where he was taken Thursday for treatment of pneumonia. He was believed past the crisis.

Beer Licenses Endorsed-The county court yesterday endorsed applications of J. G. and Edna C. Mrs. Percy Long, Hillsboro, and Jones, Hopmere, and Mrs. Ella two brothers, Carol, Salem; and and Harry Welsh, Gervais route der approving final account of

Lutz florist, 1276 N Lib. Ph 9592

Meeting Postponed-Townsend club No. 4 which has been meetschool, will not convene until

Unity Class Tonight-"A New hearing on larceny charge connight in the Marion hotel. Miss ey, complaining witness. Olive Stevens is the leader.

Speaks Tonight-Dr. J. E. Conant, nationally known bible teachchapel of Edward Holman and er of California, will speak tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church here.

> Licensed to Wed-A Vancouver, Wash., marriage license has been issued to Doras L. Brandon, Salem route two, and Wilma A. Holdebrand, Kennewick, Wash.

Catholic Church Sponsors Scouts

A new boy scout troop in the Cascade council has been organized and is sponsored by the Catholic church. This will be troop 6, and 15 boys are registered. Rev. Nicholas J. Dels is the scoutmaster and Joseph Thomas assistant scoutmaster. Daniel Hay is chairman of the troop committee and committeemen are T. O. Russell and Bill Tracy. The troop will hold regular meeting every Monday night at St. Joseph's hall.

Members of the troop are Benedict Braun, John Brennan, James Daugherty, Raymond Daugerty, James Fox, Richard OLSON, Florist Court & High Phone 7166

Gorman, Wilbur Gorman, Martin Krapp, Philip Misknal, James Morsan, T. O. Russell, jr., Raymond Schless, Gerald Shick, Henry Weisner and Dale Woodruff.

Cawrse Estate Issue Is Aired

Three new Motions Filed; Administrator, Will's Validity Involved

The dispute over administraion of the Ida Cawrse estate yesterday brought three new motions in probate court, including one for transfer of the matter to circuit court, and the assertion that the administrator. William H. Trindle, cannot legally act in that capacity. The motions were made by Charles Cawrse, deposed executor, and George Cawrse, brothers of the decedent.

One of the motions asks that the order of December 22 rescinding an earlier order naming Charles Cawrse executor under the will be itself rescinded. The same order set a date for hearing of proof of will. A third motion demands that the order of December 21 appointing Trindle as administrator be quashed. The two brothers allege they have not waived any rights to serve as administrator and that the statuto act has not yet passed.

- Circuit Court -Fred Roberts vs. Clayton and Charlotte M. Jones; suit to collect \$288.55 under labor and

In re Bean Truck line; report of utilities commissioner showing Bean Truck line has filed certificate of dissolution, and as a result there is no issue World War Veterans State Aid

commission vs. Joha M. Miller;

transcript on appeal from jus-

ice court judgment of \$146.03 in favor of plaintiff. Waunita Germond vs. Ralph Germond: formal decree awarding plaintiff divorce and return of former name, Waunita Wal-

of personal property. - Probate Court -John Kreamer estate; order for hearing February 1 on final account of N. M. Lauby, executor, showing \$4852.31 received. \$703.75 paid out and assets worth \$5363.36 remaining.

Emil Boschler estate; final decree given Josephine Boschler, administratrix. Andrew Nelson estate; order appointing Harry B. Nelson administrator of \$6000 estate.

Charles H. Murray estate; fifth annual report of Marion Curry, executor, showing \$287.42 received and \$185.53 paid out. Ellen J. Soules estate; order

releasing C. H. McClung, administrator, and closing estate. Albert G. Graefe guardianship; order approving annual report of W. F. Prime, guardian, showing \$612.21 received and \$562.21 S. E. Purvine estate; order

authorizing Mary B. Purvine, ex-Louis Lang estate: order ap-

ing distribution to six heirs of \$314.50 cash each and one-sixth estate. share each in receivers certificate on Coolidge & McClaine bank, Silxerton. Matilda S. Wampole estate: or-

der for hearing. January 29 on final account of Clarence C. the interest he has taken in the Wampole, executor, showing \$3,safety traffic campaign. Head- 897.85 received, \$300 advanced by legatees and \$4197.85 paid

Clara E. Healy estate; order appointing Dr. W. M. Thome and John L. Torrens, executors, and naming W. A. Schultz, R. C. Davis and Walter Socolofsky appraisers of \$1000 estate; will leaves one-half the estate to a brother, J. L. Healy, Manhattan, Kan., one-quarter to the Salem First Presbyterian church building fund and the residue to the foreign missionary society of the same church.

Claireta J. Ross estate; apcraisal, \$820, by Thomas Brunk, Ernest Brunk and Bessie M. Elof-

Martha J. Schmuck estate; appraisal, \$13,502.61, by Joseph B. Felton, Hattie Bratzel and Nancy Spurlin. J. R. Broyles estate; final di-

cree given Georgia S. Broyles, administratrix. Elisabeth Forstner estate; or-Jonas M. Will, executor, and clerk. closing estate.

- Marriage Licenses -Walter Nicodemus, legal, labof Salem route three. Justice Court —

William Mattson; preliminary

Beginning" is the topic for the tinued to Friday on account of William McGilchrist, sr., and Rob-Unity study class, meeting to- absence from state of Dick Moon-- Municipal Court -Roy Eilert, drunk, forfeited

Stanton F. Rutherford, reckess driving, operator's license revoked for one year. Total bail collected on parking tags for the day, \$8.

Yule Baby Arrives SILVERTON-Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cross are announcing the birth of a son, weight six pounds, born Christmas day.

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Former Silverton Folks In Northern California Flood, Relatives Learn

SILVERTON-Former Silveron residents were in the flood zone in northern California, according to word received here. The Frank Wolcotts and Cecil Youngs were cut off from the outside world for about 10 days by the floods.

Wolcott is the youngest brother of Mrs. Russell Scott and Mrs. Young is the former Virginia Sanderson Rowan, once bookkeeper at the Stiff Furniture store here.

Governor Praises Jobless Payments

Sensible and Humane Says Executive of Setup for Unemployed

Payments of benefits under the Oregon state unemployment compensation law, beginning January 1, 1938, were described by Governor Charles H. Martin yesterday as "the development of a sensible, humane and businesslike system of dealing with the hazard of unemployment ... "Workers want jobs rather

than benefits and our law properly recognizes that desire," Governor Martin said. "The merit system in our law will reward the employer who stabilizes his employment by granting him a lower tax rate." The governor pointed out that

employers affecting labor stabilization in their plants may receive a payment rate under the state law as low as one-half of one per cent on covered payrolls after the merit system becomes fully operbe as high as four per cent," Governor Martin said. **Good Effect Forecast**

'We are all hopeful that benefit payment during the coming year will have a stimulating effect upon business by giving financial support to those whose unemployment is covered by the law. Certainly it should do a great deal to ing 583 for the year. alleviate distress in the families of workers upon whom the burden of Governor Martin said he was Motor Factories unemployment falls."

anxious that every employer covered by the state unemployment compensation law conduct a study of its merit provisions.

S. C. Stone Estate **Estimate \$230,000**

An estate estimated worth uary 1. \$230,000 was left by the late William S. Knudsen, president Dr. S. C. Stone, early day Salem | who made the announcement, said druggist who died recently, according to a probate order en- pletely, and that the workers reautomobile belonging to the es- tered yesterday admitting the will and naming the widow, M. J. Stone, executrix. The appraisal proving final account of Lois will be made by Arthur Smither. Burch, administrator, and direct- C. C. Ward and J. C. Perry, Walter S. Lamkin is attorney for the

The will, signed November 24. 1901, before Mrs. E. E. Lewis and J. Clem Lewis, the latter now deceased, left \$1000 to Dr. Stone's daughter, Mrs. Ada Hull, and the remainder of the estate to the widow, who was designated to serve as executrix. The petition for admission of

the will sets a value of \$17.000 on real property owned by the estate and of \$213,000 on personal property, understood to be in large part securities.

Rotary Will Fete 50 new Citizens

Nearly 50 new citizens, graduates of the December 10 class in citizenship, will be guests at a reception to be held in their honor by the Salem Rotary club in the chamber of commerce auditorium Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

The group will be addressed by C. A. Sprague, editor of The Statesman, and the certificates of citizenship will be formally presented by U. G. Boyer, county

Carle Abrams, chairman of Rotary's naturalization committee, is in charge of the reception. erer, and Margaret Josephine and Mrs. William Hamilton heads ing on Wednesdays at Highland Walbert, legal, housekeeper, both a committee that will serve light refreshments at the conclusion of the reception.

Solo musical numbers will be rendered by Mrs. Ivan Stewart, ert Hutcheons.

More Births Are Recorded, County

93 in November, Year to Date Shows Increase 112 Over 1936

The monthly report of the Marion county department of health has been released by Dr. Vernon A. Douglas, health offirer. There wasc an increase of births for the month of November with 93 born making a total of 1033 for 11 months this year as compared to 921 in 1936. Forty three were female and 50 male. Deaths for November were 53 making a total of 681 up to December, with 27 male and 26 female. Causes for the deaths were communicable diseases 5, cancer 7, heart disease 12, diabetes 3, apoplexy 6, automobile accidents 4, infant deaths 3. There were no maternal deaths during the month.

According to the records there were 15 cases of measles during the month, 10 pneumonia cases, 7 cases of scarlet fever, 4 tuberculosis, one case of smallpox and 25 cases of venereal diseases. Activities Reported

Immunizations and vaccinations have been the main activiti s carried on by the health department staff this month. There were 102 field visits for communicable diseases. Smallpox vaccinations numbered 591 making 3069 for the 11 months and 216 diphtheria immunizations numbering 1488 so far this year. One hundred thirty visits to the venereal disease clinic were made and 40 tuberculin tests were given to individuals. There were 57 visits made by the nurses to tuberculosis cases totaling 3825 for the 11 months.

Forty two infants and preschool children were examined at the clinics for the month and 610 ative. "The maximum rate may school examinations were given totaling 4321 so far this year as compared to 3924 last year.

There were 41 visits made to food handling establishments and 53 to dairy farm and milk plants. Three hundred and sixty-three milk samples were taken and 76 samples of dishes for tests in restaurants were made, number-

Reducing Crews

DETROIT, Dec. 28-(AP)-General Motors corporation announced today that because of the "recession in business" approximately 30,000 employes in its automotive plants in the United States would be laid off effective Jan-

no plant would be closed cor tained would work a 24-hour, three-day week.

Others of the "big three" of the industry also have curtailed operations. In Chrysler's Detroit plants, which have operated on a four-day, 32-hour work week, assembly lines will be idle until after January 1. Ford sources reported that about 40,000 of a normal 87.000 employes are working this week at the huge Dearborn plant. Ford assembly lines are not operating but their resumption is planned tentatively for next week.

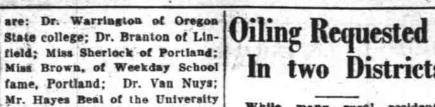
Oregon Churches Council to Meet

The Oregon Council of Churches has called a meeting of all persons engaged or interested in religious education work, to be held in room 310 of the Portland Central YMCA beginning at 10 a.m., December 30, the purpose of the conference being to promote a closer fellowship and understanding among the workers. Expected to lead the meeting

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Rex Putnam, state superintendent of public instruction, and Ralph Dugdale, Portland city school superintendent, have been roads next spring.

of Oregon; and Mr. Chambers of resented before the county court from Pratum east to Bower's corby petitions for oil-surfacing of

names of Albert H. Bahrke of Silverton and 95 others, asked the county court to include a sixtenths mile section of market read In two Districts tenths mile section of market read No. 74, running from the Silverton-Scotts Mills highway to the junction with market road No. 75, While many rural residents on its oiling program for 1938. were worrying about high water | Lorena Thompson and 36 sign conditions along the county's ers of the other petition asked roads, two delegations were rep- that market road No. 44, running

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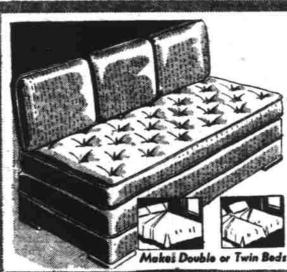
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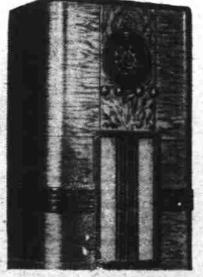
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