

Local News Briefs

Called by Death—J. Earl Pickens, Roseburg, brother of K. H. Pickens and W. C. Pickens and Mrs. J. Dale Taylor, all of Salem, died Thursday in Roseburg of a heart attack. He was elected county assessor in the November elections. Survivors, in addition to the Salem relatives, include his wife and three children, Mrs. Veranita Atterbury and Wayne, Seattle, and Kenneth of San Francisco. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Wooten Returns—Lieutenant Colonel Elmer V. Wooten, state director of selective service, returned here yesterday from Washington, DC, where he attended a conference of all state selective service officials. Wooten said Oregon's quota in the January call for draftees would be announced within the next few days.

Was Not Arrested—L. E. Townsend, West Salem, was not arrested by Salem police Thursday as might have been implied from Salem newspaper reports. Townsend was suffering from heart trouble and apparently had been taken to the city hall and from there to the Deaconess hospital.

Wall paper, Mathis, 164 S Coml Boys to Report—Boys who attended the Older Boys' conference will report at the 11 o'clock service of the Gervais Presbyterian church Sunday morning. Rev. James Alkin Smith of Salem will give the sermon. Sunday night the Sunday school will present a program.

Safety of your savings is insured at Salem Federal, 130 S Liberty

Swallows Kerosene—First aid treatment was given 10-month-old Janice Drakeley, 1655 Berry street, yesterday after she swallowed a small amount of kerosene. The child was not in serious condition.

Open Saturday nights until Christmas. Cooke Stationery Co. 370 S. 10th

Attend Bar Meet—Journeying to Portland Friday were Justice J. O. Bailey of the Oregon state supreme court and Allan Carson, attorney, to attend a bar association meeting.

Look—Toy prices slashed at Farmer Hdw. Co., 115 S. Coml.

Meeting Canceled—The naturalization class at the Salem YMCA will not be held tonight, but will begin again Saturday night, January 11. C. A. Kells announced yesterday.

Lost—Billfold. Rwd. Ph. 5861. •

Notes \$110—The recent bazaar held by the Woman's club of Mehama netted that organization \$110.

Coming Events

Dec. 25—Christmas. Dec. 26—Last day for aliens to register at postoffice. Jan. 2—Salem public schools resume. Jan. 6—Willamette university classes open.

Sweep Assigned—Chief Justice John L. Rand of the state supreme court yesterday assigned Circuit Judge Calvin L. Swook, Pendleton, to go to Burns to try the case of Lyon vs. Mazaris, et al., involving the sale of personal property and receivership proceedings.

Christmas service in Grand Theatre Sun. at 11, Congregational Church, R. A. Hutchinson, preaching welcome.

None Die in Week—The state industrial accident commission reported yesterday there were no fatalities due to industrial accidents during the December 12 to 18 period, and a total of 751 industrial accidents during the seven days.

Dressed turks, Rt. 1, B. 67C.47F3. Has Operation—Lucius Forben, Monmouth, underwent an appendectomy at the Deaconess hospital Tuesday night. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Forben and a student at the University of Oregon.

H. L. Stiff Furniture Store open nightly until Xmas.

Marshall Is Ill—John Marshall of the Swegle district has been seriously ill at his home with the influenza. He is reported as improving.

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Fin Strike—First Aid Captain Charles Charlton and Captain Herb Savage of the east Salem fire station are both off duty on account of flu.

Plan to Wed—Kenneth R. Rolfe and Leslie F. Gardner, both of Monmouth, were issued a marriage license recently at Vancouver, Wash.

Camellias, azaleas for gifts. H. L. Pearce Nursery, Court St., 1/2 blk. W. of Com'l.

Speeding Charged—Harvey P. Borin, Forest Grove, was charged with violation of basic rule by city police yesterday.

Agriculture Board to Discuss Legislation

Discussion of legislative matters will feature a meeting of the state agricultural board here today.

A number of bills, scheduled to go before the 1941 legislature, probably will be approved.

Silverton Case Fails to Open

Defendants Missing When Hour Arrives; Defense Attorney Ill

The matter of A. W. Simmons and others against the city of Silverton remained unheard and unadjudged yesterday when Circuit Judge Carl Hendricks of Fossil, scheduled to hear the case, failed to appear at the courthouse here.

His absence was the result of failure of word to get to the clerk of the circuit court and to attorneys for the plaintiffs that one of the defense attorneys was ill, and that the trial had gone out for that reason.

The word reached Judge Hendricks at Portland while he was still on his way to Salem. He halted his journey, assuming that other parties to the suit had been informed of its continuance. Meanwhile Custer E. Rose, attorney for the plaintiffs, and the plaintiffs themselves waited in the courtroom until finally informed of the postponement.

The suit involves validity of the Silverton charter amendment setting up a city manager form of government. Plaintiffs, who include Roy Morley and A. R. Eastman in addition to Simmons, are members of the city water commission who seek an adjudication on the election before they surrender the water system and other properties in their care.

Justina Nelson vs. Bryum G. Nelson; complaint for divorce on grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment in which plaintiff asks return of name Justina Hamby; married October 5 at Vancouver. Egan company vs. Ted Crites and F. H. DeHarpport; motion of defendant Crites to make more definite and certain.

Motions to place on trial docket filed in Lizzie Silfist vs. S. P. Matheny; J. E. Parrish vs. Harry U. Miller; and J. H. Callahan vs. J. H. Laidlaw and others.

N. M. Lauby, liquidator of First National bank of Mt. Angel, vs. Peter Borschowa; answer alleges chattel mortgage involved executed October 5 at Vancouver. In consequence outstanding.

Mrs. W. G. Walling vs. United States National bank and United States National building corporation; answer alleges accident on stairway of United States National bank building as due to plaintiff's negligence.

Probate Court—Stephen Hemshorn estate; Hugo Hemshorn appointed executor of \$10,000 in personal and \$30,000 in real property. A will leaves dower interest in real property, personal effects, household goods and a one-acre tract of land to the widow, Elizabeth, 1.35 acres and unpaid balance on notes totaling \$5300 over the sum of \$3000, the latter to be secured by mortgage on real property, to Werner Hemshorn, a son; 106 1/2 acres of farm in Lincoln county executor, another son; a 51 acre tract to Arthur Hemshorn, son; two tracts of land, one of 20 acres to Wilhelmina Hemshorn, a daughter; 43.25 acres to Alphonse Lelek, daughter; 43.25 to Eugene Lelek, daughter; \$1 to Joseph Griesenauer, and \$500 to Father Alcuin Heibel of Mt. Angel parish for masses, the latter to be paid out of the first monies coming into the hands of the executor. The residue of the estate is to be divided equally among the six children.

William F. Kelly estate; appraisal of Myrton Moore, Robert Fallon and John Hobson at \$634.28.

F. M. Woodward estate; notice of appraisal of property situated at 2244 Center street, and in Lincoln county at Linn county courthouse December 27, by Lucile P. Curry, administratrix.

W. I. Staley estate; no inheritance tax assessed on \$12,762.73 total estate, of which \$7076.74 comprised the taxable estate. Executors are the widow, Nell M. Staley, \$3537.86; and to Lucille Staley Reinhard and Paul H. Staley, children, \$1768.94 each.

Emporia Editor Honored

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—(AP)—William Allen White, Emporia, Kan., editor, was chosen today as recipient of the Churchman award "for the promotion of good will and better understanding among all peoples," awarded annually by the Churchman, independent journal of the Protestant Episcopal church.

Births

Fess—To Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Fess, 2245 Center street, a son, Gary Guy, born December 10, Salem General hospital.

Gescher—To Mr. and Mrs. Herman B. Gescher, Stayton, a son, Gary Lee, born December 15, Deaconess hospital.

Staab—To Mr. and Mrs. Alex Staab, 689 North Capitol street, a daughter, Sharon Kay, born December 13, Deaconess hospital.

Beard—To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond P. Beard, 350 Crawford avenue, a son, John David, born December 14, Deaconess hospital.

Nelson—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry V. Nelson, 413 North 21st street, a daughter, Nancy Lee, born December 15, Salem General hospital.

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Specialty Schools on at Clatsop For Guardsmen; Commander Irwin Issues Statement for Christmas

CAMP CLATSOP, Dec. 20.—A series of schools for military specialists is being conducted by qualified officers within this regiment.

These are the schools and their instructors: Buglers, W. C. Germain, warrant officer in command of the band; clerical (administrative) Captain Charles L. Unruh, adjutant; senior instructor, Lieutenant Allyn C. Stellmacher, personal adjutant; junior instructor, Lieutenant George O. Fordard and Staff Sergeant William Detlaff; clerical (supply), Lieutenant Michael J. Melchior and Sergeant Fordard; cook and mess sergeant, Lieutenant Zed C. Harris; electrical, Lieutenant Edward E. Zumr; mechanic (auto), Lieutenant Melchior and Master Sergeant Clayton Roth; mechanic (artillery), Lieutenant William E. Cray; radio operator, Lieutenant Thurlow V. Wauchope and Master Sergeant Robert Baker and Private Paul Hamby; observer (height finder, anti-aircraft artillery), Lieutenant Clarence E. Greig and Sergeant William Hoxie; observer (naval targets and movements), Lieutenant E. Van Norwick; meteorology, Lieutenant Andrew Baker and Master Sergeant Roth; intelligence, Captain Beecher Dantford; motor transportation, Lieutenant Melchior and Staff Sergeant Robert Simon, and chemical warfare, Lieutenant Jack E. Wood.

Tramontina Clatsop week's show were Maxine Holt, Helen Dean and Jean DuRette (known as the Delta Phi Trio) who sang "That Same Old Story"; and Kent and Keith Markes, who ended the show, by playing on their twin trumpets "The Holy City."

SPECIAL! The 21st Is Here. Yes, Mice, the day of days has finally arrived. What a day it's going to be. Fun, entertainment, prizes, songs and Santa Claus.

The stage show, Mice, will not begin its opening night until the show will start with the new Mickey Mouse choir. This choir, made up of small club members, has been practicing for the past two weeks, and they really have something to offer. While they sing, Santa Claus will briefly tell the story of Christmas. This part of the program will last but ten minutes, and will be presented in a serious manner; therefore, Mice, due respect will be expected from each one of you. The rest of the program, however, will be nothing more than a big Christmas party with a Christmas tree and all the trimmings. There will be special contests, novel prizes and Christmas songs sung by everyone. Also, Santa has something up his sleeve which will give everyone an especially good, and a gift. So remember Mice, if you want a pre-Christmas party—IT'S MICKEY MOUSE TODAY.

What a party this is going to be, especially when we have the Marx Bros., too, in "Work Street of Cairo" with Sigrid Gurie and Ralph Byrd. Besides this, we will have another chapter of "The Green Hornet Strikes Back." So until 1 o'clock—

Your Own, MMC, WES.

Youth Held at Dallas Taken by US Marshal

DALLAS, Dec. 20.—(AP)—US Marshal Jack Summerville took custody yesterday of John W. Hiles, South Dakota youth arrested here October 9 on an automobile theft charge.

The marshal said Hiles was wanted on a charge of driving a stolen car across a state line.

Hollywood 15

Last Times Today

Continuous Today - 1 to 11 P.M.

"GOLDWYN FOLLIES" William Boyd in "STAGE COACH WAR"

Hey! Kids, Attend the Hollywood Christmas Party Today at 1:00 P. M. FREE ORANGES AND PRIZES

Today—Henry Fonda in "Young Mr. Lincoln," and Brian Donlevy in "Sharpshooters."

LIBERTY Today—Gene Autry in "Carolina Moon," and Anita Louise in "Hero for a Day."

HOLLYWOOD Today—"Goldwyn Follies" with Edgar Bergen, Charlie McCarthy and the Ritz Brothers, and Hopalong Cassidy in "Stagecoach War."

STATE Today—Bob Hope, Martha Raye in "Never Say Die," and John Payne, Gloria Dickson in "King of the Lumberjacks."

ELSHIRE Today—The Marx Brothers in "The Marx Brothers Go West," and Sigrid Gurie, Ralph Byrd in "The Dark Streets of Cairo."

CAPITOL Today—"Allan Jones, Nancy Kelly in "One Night in the Tropics," and The Three Mesquiteers in "Trail Blazers." Saturday—Marlene Dietrich in "Seven Sinners," and Jack Holt in "A Fugitive From a Prison Camp."

CAPITOL Starts Today

TWO TOP FEATURES She Out-Laugh! She Out-Fights!

She makes a South Seas typhoon look like a gentle breeze!

MARLENE DIETRICH

SEVEN SINNERS

JOHN WAYNE

ALBERT DESSER BROCKWAY CRAWFORD MURRAY AND GILBERT ANNAHE and OSCAR HANDEL

COMPANION FEATURE The shocking, stirring story of criminals in the making!

JACK HOLT FUGITIVE FROM A PRISON CAMP

Revenues for State Gauged

Eccles' 2-Year Estimate Is \$119,224,263; Tops Total of Budget

Revenues available for the operation of Oregon's state government during the two years beginning July 1, 1941, will aggregate approximately \$119,224,263 or \$25,780 in excess of the budget total for the next biennium, State Budget Director David Eccles reported here yesterday.

These revenues, as segregated by the state budget division, follow:

State general funds, total \$19,555,544, including income taxes \$13,423,568, inheritance and gift taxes \$1,211,050, insurance premiums tax \$1,876,322, transfers for state police \$1,026,319, miscellaneous \$1,009,557 and balances left over from previous bienniums \$698,947.

State special funds, total \$73,207,305, including gasoline taxes, motor vehicle fees, etc., \$26,312,000, game funds \$1,036,695, commercial fishing fees \$264,773, contributions to industrial accident commission \$9,512,136, contributions for unemployment compensation \$8,000,000, forest patrol taxes \$222,520, liquor commission profits \$6,799,900, student fees for higher education \$2,346,445, department of agriculture fees \$618,773, and other state funds, including \$12,000,000 wholesale cost of liquor, \$17,992,672.

Federal funds, total \$17,071,269; for public welfare \$7,752,373, for highways \$5,560,000, for vocational education \$31,755, for unemployment compensation \$1,706,532, for agricultural extension \$560,704 for public health \$390,600, for forest protection \$339,700, for other purposes \$283,923.

County funds, total \$339,700, for public welfare \$4,597,479, for other purposes \$291,210.

Other funds, for repayment of loans by veterans to the World War veterans state aid commission \$4,100,000, other funds \$300,434 (endowments and gifts to institutions of higher learning).

Annual Employee Party Is Today

Employees of Wieders laundry will hold their annual Christmas dinner and party in the laundry dining room Saturday noon as guests of the owners, E. L. and Van Wieders.

For several years the proprietors have held the dinner party for their more than 50 workers, giving each a turkey in addition. Gifts are exchanged around a Christmas tree.

Windishar Plays Host to Employees

Playing his annual role of Santa Claus for 27 employees of the Capital City Laundry, Thomas A. Windishar, owner and manager of the company, was host to the employees and their relatives at a Christmas party and dinner at the laundry Thursday evening.

Motion pictures of the recent

Fete for Birthday Planned in Salem

Plans are now under way for the celebration of the president's birthday in Salem, and Dr. Vernon A. Douglas, county health officer, will head the committee here. Funds from the annual dance, to be held January 21, will go toward the fund in the national and local fight against infantile paralysis.

Mrs. David Wright will act as vice-chairman of the committee again this year, and C. A. Guling will be treasurer. Mrs. George R. K. Moorhead is secretary of the committee.

Other members are: W. W. Chadwick, Rev. George H. Swift, Brazer Small, Rosemary Eyrre, Maxine Buren, Dr. Hugh A. Dord, William Gahldorf, William Entwistle, C. W. Cray, O. D. Olson, Dr. B. F. Pound, O. J. Paulson, Vernon Gilmore, Frank B. Bennett, R. S. Keene and V. E. Kuhn.

Baskets Filled by Junior Red Cross

The Junior Red Cross council of Parrish junior high school held its regular meeting Monday after school. Joan Remington, president, presided.

After the meeting the group went to the home of Mrs. George Alling, chairman of the Junior Red Cross for Marion county. Here they worked, filling jars dressed as Santa Claus with candy. These jars are to be given to children in a hospital.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Alling served the group hot chocolate, sandwiches and cookies.

Advertisement for Kay Kyser's "You'll Find Out" musical show. Includes text: "STARTS SUNDAY THE BIG LAUGH MYSTERY WITH MUSIC!", "Key's in a daze of Bad Humor Men—in the screen's big Mirth, Melody and Mystery show...", "Annual Employee Party Is Today", "Windishar Plays Host to Employees".

OBITUARY

Haynes Mrs. Carrie Estella Haynes, late resident of route six, Salem, at a local hospital Friday, December 20, at the age of 77 years. Survived by three daughters, Mrs. Essie Lukin and Mrs. John St. Clair, both of Salem, and Mrs. Laura Stamler of Petaluma, Calif.; sons, Charles T. and Frank W. Haynes, both of Salem; sister, Mrs. Nettie G. Smith of Portland; a 10 1/2 grandchild and 10 great-grandchildren. Services will be held Saturday, December 21, at 1:20 p.m., from the Clough-Barrick chapel, with Rev. M. O. Field officiating. Concluding services will be held in Lee Mission cemetery.

Baker At the residence, Salem, route three, Wednesday, December 13, Randall S. Baker, aged 44 years. Husband of Sarah, father of Helen Grosdel of Klamath Falls, Clarence Baker of Portland, George Baker of Forest Grove, Henry, Murray, Muriel Baker and Mrs. Lucille Price, all of Salem; brother of Leon E. Baker of Portland and Ethel Rothwell of Canada. Funeral services will be held Saturday, December 21, at 1:30 p.m. in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company with concluding services at Belmont Memorial park, Rev. Dean C. Poister officiating.

Kelly Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Kelly, at the residence, 790 North Commercial street, December 18. Survived by husband, W. F. Kelly, of Salem; three sisters, Mrs. Roberta Wykoop, Miss Lucille Bruner and Mrs. Mildred Radcliff; father, Charles Bruner, Los Angeles, and a brother, Ray Bruner, Detroit, Mich. Funeral services will be held Saturday, December 21, at 2 p.m. at the Portland Mausoleum, Portland, with Rev. William Booth Clibborn officiating. Clough-Barrick in charge.

Bosley Margaret E. Bosley, 53, at her late residence, Salem route six, after a short illness. Came to Salem 35 years ago, residing here since. Surviving are her husband, George Bosley; three sons, Floyd and Roy, Salem, and Earl of Iowa, Ore.; one daughter, Martha, Salem; one sister, Effie Eaton, Olympia, Wash., and one granddaughter. Funeral announcements later by the Terwilliger-Edwards Funeral home.

Smith Russell R. Smith, late resident of 251 1/2 North avenue, West Salem, at a local hospital Thursday, December 19, at the age of 54

years. Survivors are a son, Russell Smith, Jr., Salem, and a sister, Mrs. Ralph Scharf, Portland. Funeral services will be held Saturday, December 21, at 10 a.m. from the W. T. Rigdon company chapel, Rev. Guy L. Drill officiating. Interment IOOF cemetery.

Taylor John Taylor, late of 147 North Commercial street, Thursday, December 19, at the age of 65 years. Survived by daughter, Mrs. Gertrude S. Thompson, of Wichita, Kan., also two sons, George and Charles Taylor, both in Alaska. Announcement of services to be made later by Clough-Barrick company.

Faulkner John Thomas Faulkner, late of 578 Union street, at a local hospital Friday, December 20, at the age of 47 years. Survived by widow, Mrs. Beatrice Faulkner, and one daughter, Miss Mary Patricia Faulkner, both of Salem. Recitation of the Rosary will be given Sunday evening, December 22, at 8 o'clock, in Clough-Barrick chapel, followed by services Monday, December 23, at 9 a.m., at St. Joseph's Catholic church.

Cunningham In this city December 20, Thomas Morton Cunningham, late of Ashland. Funeral announcements later by the W. T. Rigdon company.

Kirchner In this city Friday, December 20, John George Kirchner, late of 795 South 19th street, Salem, age 82 years. Father of Arthur Kirchner of Salem and Martha Gardner of Siletto, Ore. Stepfather of Jose Skinner of Long Beach, Calif., Oris Carr of Great Falls, Montana, and Mary Nelson of Forsyth, Mont. Recitation of the Rosary will be given Sunday evening December 22 at 8 o'clock in the chapel of the W. T. Rigdon company followed by services Monday, December 23 at 10 a.m. at St. Joseph's Catholic church.

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