

City News Briefs

CHAMBER ADDS MEMBERS
New members recently joining the Salem Chamber of Commerce include: G. G. and R. D. Denton and Lee Haskins of Denton & Denton, realtors; Haskins & Denton, insurance; M. E. Moore, Fred Corda, Carl Greider, Roth Holtz and Ardo Tarem, all of the Salem YMCA staff; and Norman A. Clark, All State Insurance company.

Rummage sale Fri., Sat. 8th & 7th over Greenbaums. Alpha Chi Omega Mother's Club.

MCCOY RITES HELD
Funeral services for Everett Flossy McCoy, 60, brother of Ned M. McCoy of Salem, were held Wednesday at Redmond where he had made his home. Vault entombment was in Riverview abbey in Portland Thursday. McCoy had lived 41 years in Oregon.

We still have fresh-killed turkeys, 39c lb. Buy & freeze. Cheapest meat you can buy. Orwig's Market, 4375 Silvertown Rd. Ph. 26128.

CHEMEKETAN PARTY SET
A picture party for members of the Salem Chemeketan club will be held Friday, January 6, at 8 p.m. in the basement of the YWCA. Colored slides taken on trips by the club last summer will be shown.

Elec. pipe thawer. Moody Plumbing. Immed. serv. Ph. 2-4426.

CROSBYS FILE NAME
Certificate of assumed business name as E. W. Crosby & Sons, farmers at Woodburn, was filed with the Marion county clerk Thursday by Edgar W. Crosby, Jr., Edgar W. Crosby, Jr., and Donald J. Crosby.

Read the best sellers. The Book Shelf, rental library, 370 1/2 State, half-way upstairs.

SEATTLE WOMAN HERE
Mrs. Francis Wright, Seattle, is visiting in Salem this week with Mrs. Laura Trachsel on Carleton way. Mrs. Wright stopped on her way home from California where she spent the holidays with her son.

We have closed The Flower Basket, 1020 Market. Watch for Grand Opening soon at 500 N. Capitol. Jary Florist.

CREDITMEN TO ELECT
Members of the Board of Salem Retail Credit association will elect a new president today just prior to the association's noon luncheon at the Golden Pheasant. New officers and new directors will be present at the luncheon.

Karakul Karpel. It's new, it's reversible, it's 100% virgin wool and woven through and through, only \$4.95 sq. yd. Ph. 3-1648 or 3-3364.

SALEM FIRM NAMED
An assumed business name certificate as Spangh Manufacturing company of Salem, a firm dealing in food flavors, was filed with the Marion county clerk Thursday by Hubert D. Spangh.

Johns-Manville shingles applied by Mathis Bros., 184 S. Com'l. Free estimates. Ph. 34642.

OLSON SERVICES HELD
Final rites for Mrs. Frances Ann Olson, mother of Onas Olson, Salem, were held Thursday at the Christian church in Hillsboro. Burial was in Evergreen cemetery at McMinnville.

Insured savings earn more than two per cent at Salem Federal Savings Association, 500 State st.

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387 State St.**

SEEBES MEET TONIGHT
Organized Seabee company 13-9 will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the naval-marine training center.

Dr. S. P. Lezene has returned to his office, Salem Veterinary Hospital will be open to receive patients as usual. 3380 Portland Rd. Ph. 3-4272.

Dish garden plants and planters, choice selection at our greenhouse, Pemberton's Flower Shop, 1980 S. 12th St.

Public Records

CIRCUIT COURT
R. M. Walker vs Unknown heirs of Isaac Leabo and others: Suit to quiet title to real property. Frank Halferty vs McNeely and Aubry, inc.: Plaintiff files reply admitting and denying.

Phyllis D. Loe vs Roger E. Loe: Plaintiff files amended complaint for divorce. William and Mathilda Iwan vs George R. and Jacinta T. Green: Defendants granted five days to file second amended answer.

Mennis Oil company vs Frank and Mary Wilson: Plaintiff files reply admitting and denying. State vs Oddie Oxford: Sentenced to two years in state penitentiary on charge of taking a vehicle without permission.

State vs James Campbell: Plead guilty to charge of forgery, sentenced to two years in state penitentiary.

State vs Arthur Calvin Harman: Plead guilty to charge of larceny, sentenced to three years in state penitentiary.

State vs Don Bostead, Gary Allen Meredith and Alfred Vernon Cureton: Each defendant pleaded guilty to charge of burglary not in a dwelling, sentence suspended and each placed on three years' probation.

State vs Leonard Alfred Burns: Plead guilty to charge of burglary not in a dwelling, given 16-months suspended sentence, placed on three years' probation.

State vs Harlan Selmer: One-year county jail sentence suspended, placed on three years' probation.

State vs Burnell A. Raphael: Plead guilty to charge of contributing to delinquency of a minor, sent to state hospital for 30 days' observation.

State vs Delbert Smith: Plead innocent to charge of assault with intent to commit rape, continued for trial.

PROBATE COURT
James E. Smith estate: Order closes estate and discharges executor.

Sam M. Jurgensen estate: Final account hearing set February 11. Gertrude Dickinson McKee estate: Order admits will to probate and appoints Richard McKee administrator.

Elva C. Sutter estate: Order appoints Al Sutter administrator and R. J. Berning appraiser.

F. W. P. Smith estate: Final account hearing set February 7.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS
Wasson Holmes McClain, legal, lumber worker, 4219 Durbin ave. Salem, and Mabel Ruth Henson, legal, domestic, Portland.

DISTRICT COURT
Dale Winfred Neliton, Ernie Wayne Howe and Floyd M. Howe, all of Silverton route 2, charged with larceny; continued to January 6 for plea, held in lieu of \$100 bail each.

Robert Burr, Harrington, Kans., charged with larceny, continued to January 6 for plea; held in lieu of \$2,000 bail.

MUNICIPAL COURT
Richard Parsagian, 1020 Trade st., charged with failure to remain at scene of an accident, held in lieu of \$25 bail.

It's estimated that 85 per cent of cattlemen in the United States are small operators with less than 200 head of cattle.

Recaptured Inmate in Court



Robert M. Burr, state hospital criminal insane ward escapee, is shown above with Sheriff Denver Young (right) as he appeared in Salem district court Thursday morning to answer charges of stealing an automobile used in his escape with Marion Watson. (Statesman photo.)

Robert Burr Adds Details to Escape Story

By Winston H. Taylor
Staff Writer, The Statesman

A fight between two state hospital escapees over continuing their flight together was the beginning of the end of freedom for Robert Melvin Burr, according to the story he told Thursday.

Burr appeared in Marion county district court but asked time to consult a lawyer prior to arraignment on a charge of larceny of an auto used in the December 2 escape. Now held in the county jail, he is due in court again this morning.

Captured last week in San Diego, Burr repeated most of the story of the escape, as told to Sheriff Denver Young, who returned him to Salem Wednesday.

Didn't Come Close
Searchers didn't even come close to him and Marion Watson, the other escapee, as they hid for two days on the state hospital grounds, Burr said. They did hear sirens. At first, he claimed, they lay under a car in a large barn, which Watson "seemed to have picked out."

Then they climbed into the building's rafters, where there were boards to sleep on. Hunger drove them out two days later, on December 4, when they broke into a garage on the hospital grounds and stole a car owned by employee W. J. Wellard. They drove it almost to the Oregon-California border before abandoning it.

Then they walked, rode freight trains and hitched rides on Christmas tree trucks. At one place, Burr said he asked an elderly woman for something to eat and that she also gave him a blue suit to replace his tattered clothing. He was wearing the suit yesterday. Burr claimed that neither he nor Watson broke into any place, but that they did get such handouts and that Watson had about \$15 when they left Salem.

Rode Bus to Mexico
From San Diego, they rode a bus to Tijuana, Mexico. There Watson made plans with a Mexican girl to go to El Paso. Watson returned to San Diego and brought back a car (Burr said he didn't know how he got it). Burr wanted to go along to El Paso. Watson objected with "four or five" blows. Burr said he struck back but that his partner was a much bigger man, so he left. He said he passed out after taking some "pills" Watson had given him and drinking some Mexican whiskey.

From there on, the memory is lacking or hazy, according to Burr. But he does remember being rec-

Richmond PTA Plan Program

Plans for next Monday evening's meeting of Richmond Parent-Teacher association call for a program, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, presented by Cub Scout pack 10, including a short talk by Richard Wyatt and slides of scout activities.

The association's executive council has completed arrangements for sponsoring four classes in social hygiene on Tuesday afternoons and evenings at Knight Memorial Congregational church.

The building committee has announced plans to visit the new Lincoln school building next Wednesday noon.

Over \$1 Billion in Portland Banks

PORTLAND, Jan. 5 —(P)—Portland wound up the year with more than a billion dollars of bank deposits, for the fifth successive year, the bank call reports showed today.

But business isn't as brisk as last year at this time. Deposits on Dec. 31, 1949, totaled \$1,109,611,814, some \$42,000,000 below the Dec. 31, 1948 figure.

Loans and discounts dropped \$8,300,000 to \$332,247,665.

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Snow-Covered Pastures Help Alfalfa Market

By Lillie L. Madsen
Farm Editor, The Statesman

Colder weather and snow-covered pastures have done a good turn to the alfalfa markets of the Pacific northwest, reports by the USDA show, as the first week in the new year draws to a close.

The alfalfa markets have been strengthening almost day by day. Colder weather and snow storms are given most of the credit for this, as it has increased the demand while growers and dealers have continued to hold supplies at high levels. Offerings have been quite light during the week. Inquiry itself has been much improved.

While most of the loads noted being brought in to the valley were not overly large during the week, small load after load left the markets and traversed toward the farming areas. Those buying in huge quantities here in the valley, have as a whole put their bigger stores in early.

During the week, it has been the small livestock grower, caught a bit short because of the unexpected snow that has increased the demand in this immediate sector.

But the nation's supply of feed grains and feedstuffs is starting the new year in bountiful amounts, the USDA service reports. Portland,

this past week, has remained the main exception to most markets where feeds worked lower during the week. At Portland the market continues its steady upward price trend of the past several weeks.

Reports on pig crops continue to show a low output. The 1949 fall pig crop is estimated at 7 per cent less than last year and 33 per cent below the 10-year average in reports released Thursday. Reports for this spring show that another decrease of 14 per cent from the spring of 1949 in farrowing is expected.

Births

REHBERG — To Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rehberg, Turner, a daughter, Thursday, January 5, at Salem Memorial hospital.

KLEEN — To Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Kleen, 1445 Candlewood dr., a son, Thursday, January 5, at Salem Memorial hospital.

MACKIE — To Mr. and Mrs. John Mackie, Sublimity, a daughter, Thursday, January 5, at Salem Memorial hospital.

Income Tax Returns

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J. W. Coburn
Consultant
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Test Slated on Parents Law

EUGENE, Jan. 5 —(P)— Eugene's new parental delinquency ordinance will get a jury test here soon, Karl J. Stover pleaded innocent to a charge of failing to exercise

proper supervision over his son. The charge was filed after the son, 17, was arrested on charges of reckless driving and leaving the scene of an accident.

A jury will hear the case against Stover later.

Eugene's new ordinance, modeled after a similar one in Baker, penalizes parents whose children become juvenile delinquents.

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION

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DECEMBER 31, 1949

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

RESOURCES

Cash in vault and in Federal Reserve Bank.....	\$ 68,368,396.77
Due from Banks.....	35,182,297.77
Total Cash.....	\$100,550,694.48
United States Government Obligations, Direct and Fully Guaranteed	\$10,441,731.28
State, County and Municipal Bonds and Warrants.....	40,182,346.01
Other Bonds and Securities.....	2,333,965.84
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....	400,000.00
Loans and Discounts.....	\$51,077,377.52
Accrued Interest Receivable.....	1,794,861.89
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures and Safe Deposit Vaults	5,406,961.12
Other Real Estate owned.....	None
Customers' Liability on Accounts of Letters of Credit.....	4,155,291.23
Other Resources.....	282,432.19
TOTAL RESOURCES.....	\$316,826,661.53

LIABILITIES

Capital.....	\$ 4,500,000.00
Surplus.....	15,500,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	13,042,322.69
Total Capital Funds.....	\$ 33,042,322.69
RESERVE FOR POSSIBLE LOAN LOSSES.....	898,492.61
DEPOSITS { Demand.....	333,219,859.66
{ Savings and Time.....	142,218,446.12
Liability for Letters of Credit and as Acceptor Endorser	4,155,291.23
or Maker of Acceptances and Foreign Bills.....	3,516,328.68
Interest Received in Advance.....	971,495.47
Reserve for Interest, Taxes, Etc.....	104,225.07
Other Liabilities.....	
TOTAL LIABILITIES.....	\$316,826,661.53

In addition to its 45 branches throughout Oregon 17 other Oregon Banking Offices are members of the First National Bank Group

DEPOSITS	
The First National Bank of Portland and 45 Branches.....	\$476,438,305.78
17 other Oregon Banking Offices in the First National Group.....	99,926,938.75
LOANS AND DISCOUNTS	
The First National Bank of Portland and 45 Branches.....	\$131,077,377.52
17 other Oregon Banking Offices in the First National Group.....	24,292,636.77
TOTAL RESOURCES	
The First National Bank of Portland and 45 Branches.....	\$316,826,661.53
17 other Oregon Banking Offices in the First National Group.....	106,888,748.68
TOTAL RESOURCES of the 62 BANKING OFFICES in the FIRST NATIONAL GROUP	\$423,715,410.21

SAVE FIRST!

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF INTEREST EARNINGS FROM JANUARY 1. Savings deposits made on or before January 10 draw interest from January 1. Open your account now! There's no substitute for cash in the bank.

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S.E. Morrison at 6th Ave.

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N. Denver Ave. at Interstate

MONTAVILLA BRANCH

S.E. Stark St. at 80th

HOLLYWOOD-ROSE CITY BRANCH

N.E. Sandy Blvd. at 42nd

SOUTHEAST PORTLAND BRANCH

S.E. 82nd Ave. at Foster Road

UNION AND RUSSELL BRANCH

BRANCHES OUT OF PORTLAND

ALBANY BRANCH

ASHLAND BRANCH

ASTORIA BRANCH

BEND BRANCH

CENTRAL POINT BRANCH

CONDON BRANCH

COOS BAY BRANCH

COQUILLE BRANCH

ENTERPRISE BRANCH

FOSSIL BRANCH

GRANTS PASS BRANCH

GRESHAM BRANCH

HEPPNER BRANCH

HILLSBORO BRANCH

HOOD RIVER BRANCH

KLAMATH FALLS

Klamath Falls Branch

South Sixth Street Branch

LA GRANDE BRANCH

LAKEVIEW BRANCH

MEDFORD BRANCH

MERRILL BRANCH

MOLALLA BRANCH

NEWBERG BRANCH

NORTH BEND BRANCH

NYSSA BRANCH

OAKRIDGE BRANCH

OREGON CITY BRANCH

PENDLETON BRANCH

SALEM BRANCH

SHERMAN COUNTY BRANCH

STAYTON BRANCH

THE DAILES BRANCH (Portland)

TILLAMOOK BRANCH

UNION BRANCH

WOODBURN BRANCH

OTHER BANKING OFFICES IN THE FIRST NATIONAL GROUP

Carlton State and Savings Bank

Benton County State Bank (Corvallis)

Philomath Branch (Philomath)

The First National Bank of Cottage Grove

The First National Bank of Eugene

West Eugene Branch

The First National Bank of Forest Grove

The First National Bank of Lebanon

Monroe State Bank

State Bank of Multnomah County (Ontario)

Moreland-Sellwood Bank (Portland)

The First National Bank of Prineville

Solo State Bank

Clatsop County Bank (Seaside)

Coquille and McLane (Silverton)

Bank of Sweet Home