

### SCHOOLS ASKED TO HELP BOOST BIG CORN SHOW

In order that the coming Marion-Polk county corn show may receive attention through the schools, Paul Carpenter, Polk county agent, who is assisting in putting on the display, has written a letter to school teachers.

The letter in part is as follows: "The object of this event is to promote the growth of better corn in the two counties and to increase the acreage. One of the outstanding needs of our soil is the production of more crops that must be cultivated during the summer season. Corn fills this need, making profitable returns in addition.

"Will you be so kind as to call the attention of the older pupils in the school patrons to this display. A very attractive offering is made for a community display and it is probable that your people will be interested in competing.

"Your cooperation in putting forward this show will not only be met by the appreciation of the committee in charge, but you will be rendering a real service to your district."

In giving a few pointers in the selection of corn for display, Mr. Carpenter offers the following suggestions:

Corn must be ripe to be a successful crop. The ear takes on its growth during the last few days of the growing season. Williams-ette valley corn should be hard by September 15.

The shape of an ear of corn should be like a pitchfork handle.

As to size, it is not always the largest ear that is best. Ears of about eight to ten ounces are what we should aim for.

The cob should be small every time. The profitable corn is from ears that have small cobs and deep kernels.

Rows should be straight, as that means more grain to the ear. There should be no open channels between rows.

As to kernels, the deeper the better, and straight on the sides. With Dent varieties, there should be a well defined dent in every kernel.

The butt and tip should be filled, with tip rounded and covered with kernels. Grain should be crowded right to the shank of the butt.

The color should be uniform. Color is a good indication of the purity of the variety.

The Marion-Polk county corn show will be held in the Salem chamber of commerce rooms three days, beginning December 14. Cash prizes amounting to \$150 will be awarded.

### AUBURN PEOPLE ASK FOR ELECTRIC LIGHTS

A number of residents living on the Auburn hall road, have just made arrangements with the Portland Railway, Light & Power company for the extension of electric service into their homes. These include J. A. Poole, Murray J. Johnson, Homer D. Tarpole, Carl Swanson, W. H. Hayes, I. W. McElfresh and H. Wade Leonard.

To reach these homes, the electric service will be extended about three quarters of a mile east from Auburn hall, and work will begin at once.

It is understood that a number of residents living north of Auburn hall are considering the proposition of securing electric light service.

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Salem Bank of Commerce Building

### CHURCH PLANS NEW BUILDING

Members of the Court Street Christian church are planning on the erection of a \$30,000 church within a year or so. At the last meeting of the forward movement held Sunday evening, \$8,000 was subscribed and it is the opinion of members of the church that when the proposition of building is brought before all members, sufficient funds will be subscribed to justify making plans for the new church.

At present the membership of the church is about 400. Last Sunday the attendance at Sunday school was 312. With the many additions to membership during the recent services, and the general growth of the church, it is felt that large quarters will soon be necessary. The new church will be erected on the corner lot at Court and Seventeenth street, now owned by the church.

### HARDING FAILS TO SEND MESSAGE

Washington, Dec. 6.—President Harding has broken a precedent by permitting the second day of the new session of congress to pass without delivering his annual message reporting on the "state of the Union" and outlining the administration's recommendations for legislation.

It was said at the White House that no date had been fixed for the president's appearance before the senate and house, but that he expected to complete his message in time to deliver it before the end of the week.

### ARMORY BOOZE PARTIES AT WOODBURN PROBED

Woodburn, Or., Dec. 6.—There was a little excitement in this city yesterday when it was learned that three attaches from the adjutant general's office was here and investigating the rumor that there was considerable drinking in one of the rooms at the armory Thanksgiving night. A number of parties were interviewed. It is also understood that a dry squad was here a few days ago searching places for booze in the vicinity and in the town. Considerable bootlegging has been going on here and an effort is being made to stamp it out.

**Teachers to Meet.**  
Dallas, Or., Dec. 6.—The next regular teachers' examination in Polk county will be held in the circuit court room of the Polk county court house in Dallas on December 20, 21, 22 and 23. Superintendent of Schools Josiah Willis has arranged a program and anticipates that a large number will take the examination.

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### STUDEBAKER COMMON RETURNS 25 PER CENT

New York, Dec. 6.—The Studebaker corporation automobile manufacturers have declared a common stock dividend of 25 per cent on common stock.

A statement said that it was voted to capitalize \$15,000,000 of net earnings which have been permanently invested in plants, equipments, etc., to provide for future growth. The stock will be given to share holders of the present \$60,000,000 capitalization at the rate of one share for every four.

### FALLS CITY STUDENTS ORGANIZE SOCIETIES

Dallas, Or., Dec. 6.—Two new societies have been organized in the high school at Falls City and at present are carrying on activities as the "a" and "b" societies, intending to continue under these names until ones more appropriate have been thought out.

Two basketball games have already been played between the two societies. The "b's" were victorious in both the boys and girls games. There developed a great deal of friendly rivalry between the supporters of both societies in the form of serpentine and yelling.

The "b" society is making preparations for the giving of an appropriate Christmas program. Falls City has just reason to be proud of the fact that her boys have started the basketball season with winning the first game with the high school team at Airille. The girls' team lost by a score of 6 to 9 in Airille's favor.

### Polk County Court

**Probate Court.**  
Decree of final settlement made in estate of J. D. Durham, deceased.  
W. B. Cuthbert appointed executor of estate of Joseph Beanson, deceased. E. E. Paddock, J. McLeod and J. M. Jones appointed appraisers of estate.  
**Circuit Court.**  
Mollie Stump vs. Nessisa G. Stark, et al. Action to quiet title.

### OFFICER HAD TO QUIT HIS FORMER JOB

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### HIGH SCHOOL TO XMAS TURKEYS MAY BE CHEAPER

"Three Live Ghosts," a three-act comedy-drama after the war story, is to be presented by the associated student body of Salem high school on Friday, December 15, in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock.

Regular rehearsals are going on under the direction of Miss F. Bollen. The setting of the story is in England with the plot centered about an ex-soldier who was reported as killed in action but who is alive and living under an assumed name. The complications developing from this situation form the basis of the play. There is a decided comical feature in the story and at the same time a sombre note which carried throughout that is strongly portrayed. The characters are:  
Mrs. Gubbins, Lucile Pettyjohn; William Foster, Charles Anderson; Jimmy Gubbins, Burton Randall; Spooly, Lewis West; Rose, Alice Roth; Peggy Woofers, Frances Rhodes; Brigge, Harold Mero; Benson, Arley Anderson; Boulton, Clifford Goode; policeman, Charles Coffey.

### BUTLER NOMINATION RETURNED BY HARDING

Washington, Dec. 6.—The nomination of Pierce Butler of Minnesota to be an associate justice of the supreme court, which failed of confirmation at the special session of congress was returned to the senate Tuesday by President Harding.

Liverpool, Dec. 6.—(By Associated Press)—The local police today seized quantities of rifles, ammunition and explosives discovered on ships sailing for southern Ireland.

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