

LOCALS

Word reached Salem this morning that Edward Lee, who enlisted recently in the United States navy from this district and whose home address is 255 Richmond avenue, has been chosen honor man for his company for the week ending December 12, 1925. He is stationed at the naval training station at San Diego, Cal.

Dollar dinner at Hotel Marion 5:45 to 8 every evening.

Fancy Oregon Franquette walnuts in five and 10 lb. hurlay bags for Xmas shipments. Peary Bros., 178 S. Commercial St. 399*

Rev. J. S. Evans, pastor of the First Christian church of Salem, will leave to take up his new position in California early next week. An auction sale will be held of the furnishings of his home on Monday afternoon.

For sale, about 2000 two year old English wire trees, also a few 1 year old black. Flata Vineyard, three miles north in Polk county. 391

Free at Darby's drug store next Sat. a carrying bag with a 50c purchase. Come early. 391*

The lecture of Louis K. Anspacher to be given at Waller hall last night, was called off because not enough tickets had been bought to justify going ahead with the lecture. The affair was to be the second of a series being staged by the Willamette university faculty. It is reported that the first, given several weeks ago, was a financial loss to the faculty.

Italian silk vests \$1.95. Howard Corset shop, 153 S. High. 390

Dr. Marshall, osteopath. Or bid

The river steamer Northwestern docked at Salem at 6:20 this morning, having tied up at Lincoln east night. Members of the crew reported that large flocks of ducks and geese were seen during the night. Frightened by the boat, they would fly into the air, but when the searchlight was turned upon them they would become bewildered and drop back again into the water.

Shopping bags free to ladies. Perry's Drug store. 390*

Cut holly. Peary Bros., 178 S. Commercial St. 390*

Gertrude J. M. Page is again ill with neuritis, and confined to her home.

Love, the Jeweler. Salem.

Special prices Pyralin ivory. Perry's Drug store. 390*

E. N. Peetz and W. H. Parker have formed a partnership in the real estate and insurance business. Under the firm name of Peetz & Parker, and will open offices at 402 State street, in room 8, D'Arcy building, the first of the year.

Country store dance at Tumble Inn, Sat. Dec. 19th. 391*

New and 2nd hand ready to wear articles, comforts, quilts and rugs. Dec. 18-19, 467 Ferry. 390*

W. T. Perkins, editor of the Klamath Falls Herald, was in Salem yesterday on the way to Portland to spend Christmas with relatives. His family is accompanying him to Portland.

Want used furniture, phone 75.

Swiss razor blades. Perry's Drug store. 390*

K. K. Kuhl was here yesterday from Portland.

This Christmas, something for the car. See our suggestions. Smith & Watkins.

1926 Calendars, Standley & Foley Ins. agency, over Ladd & Bush bank. 391*

Gettried M. Mehl has been named as guardian ad litem in the action in circuit court by Sigurd M. Mehl against Ingvold M. Mehl and others.

Ladies vanity cases and hand bags 25 percent discount. Perry's Drug store. 390*

Upholstering and furniture repair work at Hamilton's.

An all day meeting of the grange will be held here Saturday, at which time officers both local and state will be voted on. Speakers for the occasion have not yet been selected.

Shrubbery for Xmas gifts. A permanent year around remembrance. Peary Bros., 178 S. Commercial St. 390*

A nice line of leather Boston bags at \$3.25. Hamilton's, 349 Court street.

The public service commission issued an order yesterday reducing the freight rates on cement from Ilme, Or., to Astoria from 21-3 cents a hundred to 21 cents. An order was issued granting authority to the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company to

Hotel Bligh Arrivals

Portland, James Stewart, A. E. Briggs, B. A. Meyer, Ed. McGuinn, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Martin, J. B. Sawyer, Sam Ducean, Julius Helwig, J. K. Wood, F. D. Sparger, Ione, H. G. Wood, Eugene, J. W. Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Merrill, Albany, Sam, Richard, Frank B. Haviland, M. S. Richards, L. E. Rogers, Bucoda, W. J. J. Banta, Spokane, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Jacobson, Seattle, A. P. Villars, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan S. Hollcomb, Charles Becker, Oakland, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. Harlan M. Fournish, Los Angeles, George B. Harlow, Sam's Dale, Santa Barbara, Prof. J. L. Hawkins, Denver, Colo. F. B. Carnes.

BOYS CHORUS TO GIVE CONCERT FRIDAY EVENING

The Salem Boys' chorus will give its first and, perhaps, its only concert of the season at the First Methodist church, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. H. C. Epley, who has charge of the chorus, announced this morning that the proceeds from the collection plate, over and above a few expenses incurred by the boys, will be given for the help of needy persons this Christmas. The funds will be distributed to people in this district. Mrs. Carson of the Associated Charities helping us to find the right ones," says Dr. Epley.

Dr. Berger, dentist, now located at 392 U. S. bank bldg. phone 278

The "Black Cat"—not a poet. 390

Henry Savage is in the county jail being brought here from North Bend, Oregon, by Constable DeLong on a non-support charge.

Xmas carnival, Gervais city hall, Dec. 18. 390

Scandinavian church will have a package sale and social Fri. nite Dec. 18th. 390

The estate of Bertha Schreiber is appraised at \$25,822.17 by August A. Hestekin, C. A. Swope and Otto Anagnost. The property is all personal, and includes 19 shares of common stock in the Oregon Pulp & Paper company, \$1099.79 shares of preferred in the paper company, \$7000; bonds of Rupert, Idaho, \$2000; bond of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company, \$1,000; bond of Vernonia Light & Power company, \$2000; two Liberty bonds, \$200; open account in Ladd & Bush bank, \$2,717.94; and savings account in the same bank, \$1900. The balance of the estate is in notes and mortgages.

Shrubs, rose bushes, bulbs, fruit and nut trees. Peary Bros., 178 S. Commercial St. 390*

We must close out our new and second hand pianos, regardless of profit, to make room for our new instruments coming in the first of the year. Come in at once and get one of these bargains, easy terms. Tallman Piano store, 295 S. 12th. 392*

An unusual estate matter has been filed in probate in connection with the estate of Axel Emil Eliason, as one of the heirs of the estate of Christ Olsen Eliason, who was left \$510.17, his share co-terminated to the state, and the present action is being brought by heirs in Norway in an effort to have the fund taken from the state and turned over to the heirs.

For sale, oak dining table and chairs, like new, also some antique furniture. 1509 N. Com'l St. 392

Complete optical office in U. S. bank bldg. for sale, no reasonable offer refused. Mrs. M. P. Meudelsoln, 1450 Center, phone 1292R. 392*

Mrs. B. Feneels of Silverton was brought to Salem for medical treatment at a hospital this morning.

"I wonder where we met before," fox trot. Stiff's. 390*

Get her a hat box for Christmas, only \$5.95. Hamilton's, 349 Court St.

Thirty five cut leaf birch trees were yesterday planted in along State street at the north edge of the Willamette university campus. The trees are very small, being only about as high as an ordinary rose bush at the present time, but are expected to grow rapidly. They are some 30 feet apart. The row extends from the corner of State and Winter streets to the edge of the site occupied by Kimball school of theology.

"Look who's here," fox trot at Stiff's record dept. 390*

Save \$100 to \$200, new pianos standard makes, will close stock on hands at \$25, \$250 and 295. Easy terms or quick sale. \$10 will make first payment. Tallman Piano store, 295 S. 12th. 392*

Mrs. Irene Enas of Toledo was taken to a Salem hospital today.

"Joy to the world," Christmas record at Stiff's furniture store. 390*

Have new high grade Baby Grand piano will sell at used price on easy terms. See this snap at once. Tallman Piano store. 395 S. 12th. 392*

W. M. Hamilton, head of the local branch of the Portland Electric Power company took a business trip to Portland today.

Consult the gift list in Wednesday's Capital Journal. Stiff's furniture store. 390*

Dance Sat. Crystal Garden. 390

Persons with common names should exercise extreme care to keep clear of complications with the law lest they innocently cast reflections upon their more cautious namesakes, in the opinion of Albert Cox, 1279 north Commercial street, and Roy M. Smith, an employee of the Associated Oil company. Both Cox and Smith are being confused by their friends with men of the same name involved in the delinquency cases now pending in the local court that involves a 14 year old girl.

Dance every Sat. Crystal Garden. 390

A vase lamp and shade complete at \$10.95. Hamilton's, 349 Court street.

Rev. and Mrs. DeYoe of the Leslie Methodist church of Salem today gave two vocal duets before the Marion-Polk County Health association. They sang "The Song I Heard Last Night" and "Good Bye, Ye Royal Sinner." Rev. Mr. DeYoe furnished the accompaniment on a guitar.

Joy Riding Chicken's Fame Travels East On Capital Journal's Wire

A letter from Newport News, Va., seeking to establish relationship with him has been received by Newt Smith, manager of the Gray Belle, whose exploit in joy-riding a chicken (feathered variety) for nearly a mile through the streets of Salem on the bumper of his automobile brought him publicity extending throughout the country.

Several weeks ago the Capital Journal carried the story of how a chicken, which had roosted on the bumper of his car when it was parked behind the Gray Belle, rode all the way to the Smith home in South Salem before being discovered. The story was also carried all over the country on the Associated Press wires.

Tuesday Mr. Smith received a letter from Mrs. Alma Smith, 851 30th street, Newport News, asking if by any chance he is the brother for whom her husband has been seeking for years.

A clipping of the chicken story from a Newport News paper was inclosed in the letter.

The Salem Electric company, headed by F. S. Barton, who has been in the electric business in Salem for the past 12 years, yesterday went into voluntary bankruptcy.

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The birth of a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Michael Brennan of Salem, was recorded to the office of the city health officer this morning. The child has been given the name Marcelyn Jean. The birth took place on December 15, Mr. Brennan is a farmer by occupation.

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Fruit-ola-nut bread, your grocer 390*

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DEBATE TEAM NAMED AT WOODBURN SCHOOL

Woodburn, Dec. 17—Six of the ten aspirants for places on the high school debate team were successful in the try-outs, it was announced Wednesday by F. E. Fagan, principal. The successful candidates are Betty Baillie, Fernie Tweedle, Floyd Massey, Naomi Hoshinger, Hubel Smith and John Steelhammer. Mrs. Maude Mochel is coach. Judges for the contest were Keith Powell, W. F. Norman and Rev. R. B. Scott. Woodburn high school participated in a three-legged debate last year with Salem and Albany for the district championship, losing by a narrow margin.

WOODBURN HOOP TEAM OPENS SEASON TONIGHT

Woodburn, Dec. 17—The 1925-26 basketball season will be ushered in tonight when the Woodburn high school and Howitzer company quintets meet on the high school floor. The high school team plays at St. Paul Tuesday night.

Immediately after the game tonight Coach D. R. Borey will start pruning the squad and get down to business for the season. The squad numbers about 25 players at present. The schedule for the remainder of the season has not yet been completed.

Mayor Broyles Laid Up

Woodburn, Dec. 17—Mayor W. H. Broyles, who received an injured eye when a branch of a tree struck him across the bridge of his nose, will be confined to his bed for several days it was reported yesterday. It has not yet been determined if the injury will be permanent.

Mrs. W. C. Steelmacher of Albany was a Salem visitor today.

Stainway upright piano, good condition, will sacrifice for \$295. Investigate this snap. Tallman Piano store, 295 S. 12th. 392*

A "Lady Jane" sewing cabinet at \$5.75 makes a wonderful Christmas present. Hamilton's, 349 Court St.

Mr. W. J. Ransom of Turner, wife of Dr. Ransom of that city, was in Salem this morning.

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DISMISSED OF MITCHELL DEMANDED

Guillon, the assistant judge advocate, to present the closing plea of the prosecution.

Both for the sake of discipline in the army and for the national interest, Major Guillon asked that the air officer be stripped of his army commission because of his repeated denunciations of government aviation policies and those responsible for them.

Dismissal of Colonel William Mitchell from the army was asked today by prosecution counsel in opening arguments before the general court-martial, trying the air officer under the 96th article of war.

In asking the maximum sentence prescribed for offenses triable under this article of war, Major Allen Guillon, assistant trial judge advocate, declared Colonel Mitchell "had been proven guilty of disorder to the prejudice of good order and military discipline and of conduct of a nature to bring discredit to the military service."

The prosecution counsel bitterly arraigned the defendant and severely condemned many of the witnesses who had testified in his behalf, singling out, among others, Rear Admiral William S. Sims, retired, as a particular target for barbed thrusts. Representative Frank R. Held of Illinois, chief counsel for the defense, also came in for repeated mention in this connection.

CORONER'S INQUEST HELD OVER HAYTER'S REMAINS

Dallas, Or., Dec. 17—A coroner's inquest was held this afternoon beginning at 1 o'clock over the body of J. C. Hayter, who died last night several hours after being struck by a machine on one of the main streets of Dallas.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow in the Methodist church of Dallas with Rev. H. Charles Dunsmore of Independence in the pulpit. The body will be taken to Portland on Saturday for cremation in accordance with Hayter's wishes as found in his will.

Wodburn, Dec. 17—F. G. Eversden, local druggist, making a business trip to Salem yesterday, counted four wrecked automobiles between Woodburn and Salem. The heavy fog which blanketed the community is believed responsible.

Died. SELBY—In this city, December 17, Gordon Selby, age 2 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Selby. The remains were forwarded on Thursday, December 17, to Oregon City by the Higdon Mortuary for funeral services and interment.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy to us during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother—Mrs. W. M. Bright and family. 390

Ladd & Bush Bankers ESTABLISHED 1868

General Banking Business Office Hours from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

POOR DUMPED ON MARION BY OTHER COUNTIES

Members of the Marion county court are incensed at the action of the Tillamook county court in dumping into this county Mary Barnett and her five children, wife and children of Floyd Barnett, Tillamook county bootlegger who has recently arrived at the prison to serve a one year sentence.

According to the information received the Tillamook county court told the mother if she remained in that county her children would be taken from her and placed in public homes. The mother at that time wrote a Seattle attorney saying that "more than half our capital is invested in these worthless bonds."

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good, was later admitted by him to be a conference of its board of directors to be signed with forged names. Bramwell said he had a list of the bank's notes, but his comment only on the one.

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FORGED NOTE USED TO KEEP BANK GOING

Portland National bank should be accorded authority to be a reserve depository and to ready to make its ruling on that point. What this will be was not intimate.

Bramwell Letter. The Portland National representatives last Friday introduced a letter written by Bramwell in November to officials of the un-

Marriage licenses have been issued as follows: Fred W. Lang, Saldimity and Gertrude Martha Saldimity, Silverton; Harry Becker and Etta Rogers, both of Woodburn; James H. Lambrecht, route 9 and Gwendolyn Hyrangelson, Salem.

The capital stock of the above Corporation is \$200,000.00; divided into 1,000 shares of common stock, par value \$100 each—and 1,000 of 7% cumulative preferred stock, par value \$100 each. The above stock is totally subscribed. Capital will be expended and distributed approximately as follows:

Building and property \$60,000
Heating system, \$5,000
Fire protection (sprinkler system) \$5,000
Machinery and equipment, \$50,000
Working capital, \$47,000

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