

LOCALS

General George White, and Colonel T. E. Rilea left Monday for Klamath Falls, Ore., to inspect a new national guard field artillery unit there.

Stop in at Pomeroy & Keene's gift room, take your time, look around, you'll find gifts that you never thought were in Salem at prices far less than you would expect to pay.

Water users on Butter creek in Umatilla county have petitioned the state engineering department that a water district to set aside in their section under the exclusive supervision of a water master. About 75 users are located on the creek.

Give shrubs and bulbs for Xmas. Peary Bros. 178 S. Commercial.

The state highway department today reports several feet of snow on McKenzie pass, with large drifts in the highway, and that the pass will probably remain closed the rest of the winter.

You should hear the Orpheus Radio at Giese-Powers.

Complaint to quiet title has been filed in circuit court by Frank Pokorny against L. D. Magers.

Shaeffer Pens, Pencils, Kodaks and Stationery in Gift Packages at Fry's Drug Store, 280 N. Com'l.

Bessie Boles is seeking a divorce from Charles F. Boles, regardless that they have been married since 1899 and are the parents of six children. She charges he has called her vile names, that he has been crippled for the past year or so and she has cared for him, but he has never been satisfied, that he has accused her of poisoning his food and medicine and she says he has threatened to take the life of her if he could get his hands onto her. She says their children have offered to care for him and a hospital bed has been offered him, but he has refused.

Shaving Mirrors, Requisites, Sets, Toilets, Leather Pouches, Keychains, Bristle Goods, etc., at Fry's Drug Store, 280 N. Com'l.

Maria Goplerud has been named guardian of Cora Goplerud. She has an estate of \$1000.

For Milady's Gift—Rare Perfumes, New Compacts, Toilet Sets, Ivory Sets, DeVilbiss Perfumers, Leather Bags, etc. Fry's Drug Store, 280 N. Com'l.

The estate of Mrs. M. C. Timm, incompetent, valued at \$4000 in real and \$700 in personal property, has been placed under the guardianship of Otto H. Timm.

For Rent—Upstairs apartment, close in on North Liberty \$20.00 per month. Phone 585-J.

The Eastman Furniture company of Silverton has been awarded the contract to furnish a furnace and install it at the county farm for \$350.10.

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The quarterly conference of the First Methodist church will be held in the church on Wednesday evening by Dr. D. H. Leech, the superintendent of the Salem district. The official board will transact its monthly business at the close of the conference.

McElroy's Dance Band will be at Crystal Garden Tues. Dec. 13.

The Liberty Womens club will hold its December meetings Thursday afternoon, Dec. 15, at the home of Mrs. William Joseph. A representative of the Marion county Child Health demonstration will talk to the group on the values of toxin anti-toxin and vaccination.

The management of Crystal Garden announce McElroy's Band Tues. Dec. 13.

Evangelistic services of the United Brethren church will be held tonight at 7:30 with Reverend S. S. Turley using as his subject "The Man up a Tree."

For the convenience of those in business, sitting for photographs will be made evenings during December, between the hours of 7 to 9. Gunnell & Robb Studio, Capitol Theater Bldg.

Bates makes good glasses.

Dr. Fred W. Large will attend the bi-monthly meeting of the Willamette Valley Veterinary society at the Oregon City chamber of commerce rooms Wednesday. Nearly 40 veterinarians from various parts of the state and valley are expected to attend. Papers on scientific topics will be read by different members of the organization. Dr. C. H. Seagraves, of Oregon City, is president of the society. The meeting will be an all-day affair, beginning at 9 o'clock.

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Holly trees and cut holly for Xmas Peary Bros. 178 S. Commercial.

N. H. Gabbert, arrested Monday by state traffic officers for speeding, spent the night in the county jail and was released Tuesday morning when he raised money for a \$10 fine imposed in justice court.

For flowers in Portland call Carl F. Ruef, 635 East Broadway.

Cole McElroy's will play at Crystal Garden Tuesday, Dec. 13.

J. H. Tweedie, Jr., arrested in Stayton Monday on a warrant from Corvallis charging him with giving a check without sufficient funds, was taken from the custody of Henry Smith, Stayton constable, by Corvallis officers Tuesday.

Roller skating at Dreamland, Tuesday, Friday and Sunday.

A Ford coupe belonging to Harry Levy of Salem was recovered Tuesday in Portland by the auto thief.

division. The machine was stolen from Salem Sunday.

Novel gifts, just oodles of them at Pomeroy & Keene's exclusive gift room. All moderately priced.

H. F. Woodry, 271 North Commercial, reported to police Tuesday that a battery was stolen Monday night from his truck.

Bridge gifts, party gifts, birthday gifts, gifts for every occasion at Pomeroy & Keene's.

Leuter Landgraf left Salem Monday for his future home in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Lampshade varnish. Crystal beads. Hutcheon Paint Store, 154 S. Com'l.

Helen Follansbee will leave Salem Wednesday for a trip to Cleveland, Ohio.

Jesse Angus Clay, Plastic. Hutcheon Paint Store, 154 S. Com'l.

A chimney fire called the department at 9:55 o'clock Monday night to 1565 South Liberty street.

Prints, Plaques, Tube colors. Hutcheon Paint Store, 154 S. Com'l.

First Sergeant Charles L. Unruh, headquarters, 249th O. A. C., has returned from Fort Monroe, Va., where he completed a three months special course in radio work. His studies were in line with his vocation and will be of material assistance in the radio activities of the unit during the summer encampment at Ft. Stevens.

Choice holly at Cityview cemetery.

Mrs. E. J. Bayless and Mrs. Howard, of Silverton, were callers in the city Monday afternoon.

McElroy's to play return engagement Tues. Dec. 13 at Crystal Garden.

Sixty of the 84 members of the American Legion military band of Albany will appear in concert at the Capitol theater here January 11, it is announced by Archie Holt, manager.

Good mistletoe with lots of berries. Phone 2002-J.

Patronize Salem music. Castilian Wed.

Just 17 days remain in which ex-service men may file for their adjusted compensation certificates, some of which will bring nearly \$1600 to the veteran. R. H. Bassett, post adjutant of Capital Post No. 9, declares. Several hundred men in the district who are eligible have not yet applied. Widows or dependents of veterans may also apply for the certificate, which is offered to any man who saw service during the world war.

Cole McElroy with his Spanish Ball Room Orchestra will play at and under Crystal Garden management Tuesday, Dec. 13.

George and Jennie Robinson, of Salem, attended a family reunion at the home of Henry Robinson, police chief at Corvallis, Sunday. It was the first time since 1915 that all the children and grand children were together. Other children present were Floyd Robinson, Independence; Mrs. Iva Haskins, Hogue, Wash.; Clifford, Velma and Woodrow Robinson, all of Corvallis.

For Sale—Piano, trap drum outfit, xylophone and guitar. Will sacrifice any of above for cash, party leaving town. See at Tallman Piano Store, 12th and Mill.

Dr. Carl Gregg Doney, president of Willamette university, spoke at the chamber of commerce luncheon at Corvallis Tuesday noon.

Give Furniture—the appreciated gift. Select now. Pay later. Giese-Powers.

H. F. Day, of Broadacre, is a patient at a local hospital.

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John P. Jones, of Woodburn, was brought to a local hospital Monday night and operated upon.

Give Furniture for Christmas. Giese-Powers.

Miss Alice E. Vandervort, a clerk at Kafoury Bros., has received word that she won first prize in a recent "boss contest" held by the Pacific Coast Merchant. The letter was the best solution to a store problem.

Furniture for Christmas Gifts. Select now. Pay later. Giese-Powers.

James D. Schneider of Silverton has evaded a non-support case filed against him in Salem justice court and his case has been continued one week to give his bondsmen an opportunity to hunt him up and produce him in court.

We Cater To
MEN
Who Buy
For
Women
SHIPLEY'S

STUDENTS PLAN XMAS CAROLS IN AUDITORIUM

Music students at the senior high school will not sing Christmas carols this year in the corridors of the high school building, in the offices of the state house, and at various state institutions, as has been the custom in past years. Instead of going from place to place, carolling, Miss Lena Belle Tartar, head of the music department, plans this year to give a program of Christmas music in the high school auditorium next Friday evening to which the general public will be invited.

The program on Friday evening, for which no charge will be made, will open with selections by the high school orchestra. In addition to carols by both the beginning and advanced choruses, the beginners chorus will sing selections from the cantata "The World's Redeemer," and the advanced chorus numbers from "Noel."

Vocal solos will be given by Lucille Cummings and Elizabeth McCrone, and violin obligatos by Leonard Chadwick. Lois Plummer will play all accompaniments.

The program will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

Both teachers and students at the high school are voicing their regret that Miss Tartar and her students will not sing the carols in the corridors of the big building on the day before the beginning of the Christmas holidays. The carolling has been one of Salem high's most enjoyable traditions in years gone by.

Owing to our staff of experienced workers, sittings will be made for photographs up to Dec. 20th and finished for Christmas. Gunnell & Robb Studio, Capitol Theater bldg.

Have 30 acres, new house and barn 4 1/2 miles from Salem, to trade for house in town. Value \$8,000.00. Land alone worth \$400 per acre. To trade—50 34-100 acres clear. 5 miles from Salem, to trade for Salem home. Clear. Value \$5,500. Must trade before Friday. Homer D. Foster Realty Co., 315 First National Bank Bldg. Phone 842.

Christmas neckwear values to \$1.25, now 80c. G. W. Johnson & Co.

Cherrier election for 1928 will be held at the monthly session of the organization in the chamber of commerce auditorium tonight.

I buy listed and unlisted stocks and bonds. See Laflair, Ladd & Bush Bank Bldg.

W. A. LaFontaine, farmer of Gervais, has filed a voluntary petition in the bankruptcy division of the federal court in Portland. Liabilities are listed at \$777.73 with no assets.

Remington wide carriage type-writer, davenport and other furniture at F. N. Woodry's Auction Market, Wednesday night, 7 p. m.

\$3.00 Broadcloth shirts, now \$1.95. G. W. Johnson & Co.

Desk space for rent in attorney's outer office. Apply 601 First National Bank Bldg.

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Higher Duty Call Lands Pastor In Court; Fine Is \$15

"I have a higher duty to perform," A. F. Hickenbecker, 637 Strong street, Portland, told a state traffic officer Sunday when he asked why Hickenbecker was not obeying the law in regard to speed on the highway.

"I am on my way to deliver a sermon to a congregation in Salem and I must be there," Reverend Hickenbecker said. "Well, from here on you proceed at 35 miles per hour or less," Sergeant "Pete" Rinehart told the minister, "and also on Monday appear in Salem justice court and explain to the satisfaction of Justice Brader C. Small how it came about that I logged you doing better than 50 miles per hour on such a day as this with the road in the condition it is."

Reverend Hickenbecker did not appear in justice court Monday, but Reverend A. L. Helme, pastor of the Christ Lutheran church, 18th and State, reported as his proxy and was fined \$15.

Porter J. Neff, Gus Newbury, O. C. Boggs, and George M. Roberts, all Medford attorneys, and E. D. Briggs, and attorney of Ashland, were in Salem today on business before the supreme court.

St. Paul's Guild will hold an apron sale on Thursday afternoon in the parish house. Also luncheon will be served at 35c from 12 to 2 p. m. Public invited.

Dr. P. O. Riley has planned a full program for visitors at the regular meeting of the Marion county community federation which will be held at the chamber of commerce Wednesday evening. Officers for the coming year will be elected at the business session.

Men's fancy hose, 48c or 2 pairs for 95c. G. W. Johnson & Co.

Want to buy second preferred Columbia River Paper Co. stock. See Laflair, Ladd & Bush Bank Bldg.

The First Congregational church of Salem is now out of debt, and a mortgage covering its property was burned at a club meeting held at the church last night. The ceremony was informal. William D. Clarke of the state highway department, touched the match to the document.

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KEIZER REGION FOR HIGHWAY VIA CHAMPOEG

The Keizer school district has declared itself almost solidly in favor of the proposed Salem-Champoeg-Portland highway. At a recent meeting the school auditorium was packed by nearly 500 people interested in the proposal of the highway committee of which Dr. Henry E. Morris of Salem is chairman.

The designated construction straight north from Salem through Champoeg would decrease the distance from the city to Portland from 52 to 42 miles according to Dr. Morris. Basing his figures on the estimate of the Oregon State Motor association that at least 500,000 cars would pass over the highway the first year after its construction, Dr. Morris stated that the saving to automobilists would amount to more than \$250,000 in one year.

The committee has set out to organize each school district concerned in the highway area. Favorable receptions have been received today.

P. A. Price, J. Hiers and J. A. Gardner will represent the Keizer district in working for the new traffic artery. The new highway is designed to relieve heavy traffic on the present Salem-Portland route besides shortening the distance.

A Christmas tree with all the trimmings will be offered the Kiwanis club Tuesday noon as a paltry method of extracting cash for Christmas cheer for the needy people of Salem. Each member of the club will bring a present and these in turn will be auctioned. As the members leave the room the presents they have purchased will be returned to the tree and later distributed through local agencies. Money derived from the sale will go into a Christmas cheer fund. In charge of the tree will be N. D. Elliott, chairman, Ralph Cooley and Sam Chambers.

Why pay \$1.50? Castilian Wed 50c

Fire at the rear of the postoffice at Woodburn early Tuesday morning called out the fire department of that city, according to Dr. Gerald B. Smith, who was in the city Tuesday. Occupants of apartments above the postoffice had emptied ashes in a pasteboard box earlier in the night and concealed coals started the blaze. The damage was slight. Dr. Smith was the guest of Dr. George H. Vehrs at the Kiwanis club luncheon Tuesday noon.

Dancing Wed. Castilian 50 & 25c

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Investor Trying To Spend Fortune Here Proves Fake

C. H. Connell of Galena, Mo., whose plausible letters caused real estate men in Oregon, Washington and California to fall readily into his plans to spend \$3,500,000 in three states, has been investigated and found wanting, says information reaching here. Information comes from Missouri that Connell is mentally defective.

Connell saw Salem a future city of 500,000 people. In a letter to A. C. Bohrnstedt, a Salem realtor, Connell said confidentially that he wanted options on \$1,700,000 worth of property in Marion county, promising a cash payment of \$725,500. Among properties he wanted were six large cherry orchards, 10 apple orchards, four berry farms, two truck farms, two poultry and bee farms, several department stores, one redwood tract, some other timber tracts and several automobile establishments. He mentioned specifically the Bethel Heights farm, the Marion Auto company of Salem, the Eugene Motor company and the Roseburg garage.

Connell wanted the following retinue employed before his arrival: one housekeeper, one general manager, two civil engineers, two construction engineers, one sawmill superintendent, one logging superintendent, one secretary, a stenographer, and a chauffeur.