

# LOCALS

Prospects for the national convention of the American Legion in Portland next year are bright, according to Vic McKenzie, national committee man, who is back from a national executive meeting in the middle west. Formal invitation to hold the 1932 convention in Portland was received with enthusiasm also from the convention, but the delegation closed with the remark that "California also invites you to hold the 1932 convention in Oregon." McKenzie spent Thursday on business in Albany after a conference here with Carl Moser of Portland, state adjutant.

Dancing every Friday night. Haunted Mill, Rickreall, Adm. 25c. 126

Everett Patton, house superintendent at the Warner Bros. Elsinore theater has resigned to devote his full time to study at Willamette university. Charles Freeland, who has been house superintendent at the Warner Bros.

Airplane transportation facilities were much in demand beginning shortly after midnight Thursday morning, officials at the municipal airport reported, when a call came for a plane to fly to Marshfield. The call was cancelled when it was learned there are no night lights at the Marshfield airport.

Later in the morning Superintendent Eyerly took the plane for Walla Walla with William L. Phillips, Paul Wallace and Curtis Cross as passengers. During the day Lieut. W. A. (Scout) Hazelwood, planned to fly to Tacoma, with District Engineer Clark of the state highway department as passenger. Marty Schwartz, northwest district manager for Warner Bros. Theaters, contemplated a trip by airplane to Aberdeen, Wash. Eyerly's party planned to return to Salem late in the afternoon.

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Paint, wall paper, art goods, Hutcheon Paint store, 154 S. Com'l. 124

A special rehearsal of the Salem Symphony orchestra will be held Thursday night. Present plans call for a public concert by the organization within the next two weeks. Prof. R. W. Hans Seltz is instructor and conductor of the orchestra.

Bedding plants, greenhouses open evenings, 2 miles north on Pacific highway. Frosty Olson. 123\*

The Eastern Oregon Light & Power company hearing was set for May 27 by public utility commissioner Charles M. Thomas, Thursday. Formal notice has been served upon the company directing it to appear and give testimony at the hearing. The commissioner recently instituted investigation of rates and charges of the utility company, which matter is at issue at the hearing next week.

Old time dance, biggest and best in valley. New old-time orchestra. Wed. and Saturday. Crystal. 123\*

The ballot title for the initiative petition for repeal of the criminal syndicalism, sabotage and labor laws, enacted by the state legislature several years ago, was issued Thursday by the State Election Director. The initiative petition requires the signature of 8 percent of the voters, and the law provides they must be completed four months before the next general election.

Skating, Dreamland, Tues., Fri., Sun. 7 to 10 p.m. Ladies free. 123\*

Order confirming sale of real property has been granted in circuit court in the case of C. F. Noakes vs. Irene B. Ranzau.

Modern dance, Crystal ball room every Saturday. 123\*

Decrees of foreclosure have been granted in circuit court in orders by Judge Hill in the following cases: Pearl R. Humphrey vs. John Williamson; Lena M. Schiff vs. John Williamson; and P. Paulson vs. Jacob Julius Schwarzenberger.

Permanents for the girl graduate. Mitt-Grey Beauty Shop, Phone 5033. 122\*

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Wood creations. Values to \$5, special \$2.95. G. W. Johnson & Co. 122\*

Final account has been filed in probate of the estate of Loretta Davenport by John H. Davenport and Eunice Goodnight and final hearing set for June 22.

All styles sweaters \$2.95. Values to \$6. O. W. Johnson & Co. 122\*

Members of Salem Grange No. 117 will meet Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in MacCormack hall for their regular meeting. Following potluck dinner at noon, the lecturer's hour, an open session, will convene at 1:30 o'clock. Lecturer J. J. McDonald has arranged a program of piano solos by Miss Margaret Burns, a talk on grange matters by State Deputy S. H. Edwards of Corvallis, and an address on "Oregon History" by Mrs. Edith Taylor Wethered, who is lecturer of the Oswego grange.

Popular dance every Friday, Hazel Green. Thomas Bros. band. 122

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With Judge H. H. Belt presiding, the monthly court of honor held by Cascade Area Boy Scouts of America Wednesday night presented a number of awards and merit badges to boys of Marion and Polk counties. The court was one of the largest of the year. T. C. Roake acted as master of ceremonies, with Maxie Langford performing the duties of clerk.

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## Lake County Job To Be Awarded June 4

One large road job will be awarded at the next meeting of the state highway commission, June 4, it was announced Thursday by Roy Klein, state highway engineer. The project will be constructed in two units, the majority of the cost to be paid by the federal government for roads on government land not in forest reserves.

The project is 33.2 miles of grading in Lake county, on the Valley Falls-Pike section and the Pike Lakesview-Burns highway. The first unit will be 24.6 miles in length and the other 18.6 miles.

The new construction season of the highway commission is about closed, for a time at least, Klein stated. The lone project however will equal the amount expended in a half-dozen other projects. Notices of the project were sent to contractors Thursday.

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The award was made by L. L. Baker of Eugene, grand master.

Other winners of awards, as announced at the annual grand master's banquet Wednesday night included:

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