Local Paragraphs

Agency Improvements — The Globe Travel Service, operated by Mr. and Mrs. George Murphy in the Senator hotel lobby since last March has had its quarters improved by being enclosed with gum wood counters. The concern also operates in Corvallis and North Bend.

Hearn Rites Saturday — Funeral services for Mrs. Rose M. Hearn, Portland, mother of Mrs. Alice Stone, of Salem, will be held in Portland Saturday at 9:15 o'clock with concluding rites at Mt. Calvary cemetery. She is also survived by four other children, a sister and seven grandchildren.

More Hop Contracts — Williams & Hart have filed an additional 32 hop contracts with County Recorder Herman W. Lanke. S. S. Steiner company had filed 33 earlier in the week at prices ranging from 50 to 59 cents and covering both fuggles and late clusters.

Grangers to Confer—Marion county will be hosts for the state grange conference to be held at the Macleay hall Tuesday with the session opening at 1:45 o'clock, no host dinner at 6:30 o'clock and the business session at 7:45 o'clock. Mrs. George Benson, Silverton, Pomona master, has appointed as committee chairman for two years Harry Riches, agriculture; Cornelius Bateson, legislative; Mrs. J. C. Krentz, home economics, Edith Wilson, relief and Edity Beugli, juvenile matron. The quarterly meeting of Pomona grange will be held with Ankeny grange host January 19.

Winter Terms Open—Registration for the winter term at the Oregon College of Education at Monmouth will open on January 3, according to word from R. E. Lieuallen, college registrar Classes will start the following day. Some housing is still available in dormitories, he states.

Young Grangers Dance — The Young Grangers of Macleay are sponsoring a New Year's eve dance Saturday night for Grangers and their friends. The affair will be held at the grange hall with refreshments to be served.

Buckley Known Here—Harry C. Buckley, who was named superintendent of Portland city parks this week, is well known in this district as he served for nine years as head of the Silver Falls recreational area, making his home in Silverton.

Grangers to Dine—Members of the Macleay Grange and their families will hold their annual New Year's dinner at the grange hall Sunday noon. Dinner arrangements are in charge of Mrs. Harry Martin, Sr., with Mrs. Cornelius Bateson directing the afternoon entertainment.

Farm Group Files — Articles of incorporation have been filed here for Farmont, Inc., a group organized for general farming and headquarters at Jefferson. Signing the articles were David E. Turnidge, Wilma B. Turnidge, J. Eldon Turnidge and Mary E. Turnidge, all of the Jefferson area.

Operates Hop Ranch—Operation of the Golden Gate hop ranch, which he recently purchased, has been taken over by H. F. Moritz. He has leased 150 acres to a Silverton group who will continue hop growing but the remaining 300 acres will be put to use other than producing hops.

Licenses are Issued—Obtaining marriage licenses at Vancouver, Wash., were Edward L. King and Jean I. Mackie, both of Salem; Richard L. Kyllo, Canby and Greta J. Johnson, Woodburn and Laurence F. Yellen and Dolores V. Rolofson, both of Salem.

Gerhard Funeral Set — Final rites for Mrs. Adelaide V. Gerhard, who died at her home in Eugene Thursday, will be held from St. Mary's Catholic church at 9 o'clock Saturday with burial at Corvallis. She was born at Harrisburg June 14, 1876 and had lived in Eugene since 1926. She was the mother of Mrs. Leona Michaels, Salem, and is survived by her husband, Conrad A. Gerhard, whom she married in Corvallis in 1902; four sons, three sisters, two brothers and seven grandchildren.

BORN

The Capital Journal Welcomes the Following New Citizens.

SHAW—To Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Shaw, 470 S. 25th, at the Salem Memorial hospital, a boy, Dec. 30.

MORTIMORE—To Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Mortimore, La Grande, at the Salem Memorial hospital, a boy, Dec. 30.

MARY—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mary, 1647 N. Church, at the Salem General hospital, a boy, Dec. 30.

RENNELLS—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rennells, 2185 N. Broadway, at the Salem General hospital, a girl, Dec. 30.

CHAMBERLAIN — To Mr. and Mrs. Willard Chamberlain, Lyons Rt. 1, at the Salem General hospital, a girl, Dec. 30.

MEMMOTT—To Mr. and Mrs. Heber Memmott, Independence, at the Salem General hospital, a girl, Dec. 29.

PEARSONS—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pearsons, Silverton, at the Salem General hospital, a boy, Dec. 29.

GRAHAM—To Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Graham, 1135 S. 18th, at the Salem General hospital, a boy, Dec. 29.

BORK—To Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bork, Monmouth, at the Salem General hospital, a girl, Dec. 29.

GRAY—To Mr. and Mrs. Leslie A. Gray, 1402 Ellendale Ave., Dallas, at the Salem Memorial hospital, a girl, Dec. 28.

School Starts Monday—While most schools in the county will not resume classwork until Tuesday, the Bethel school work will take up again Monday morning following the holiday vacation.

Bethel Local Meets — The Bethel local of the Farmers Union will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock with the program to be provided by the Orchards Heights local.

Take Daughters Home — Leaving the Salem General hospital with recently born daughters are Mrs. Eugene Austin, 557 Tryon Ave.; Mrs. John Singer, 5005 Portland Road and Mrs. Joe Ditterick, Rt. 9.

To Haul Logs—Log hauling permit has been granted by the county court to Lowell C. Cree, route 1, Lyons.

Nelson First Citizen — John W. Nelson, of Coos Bay, son of Mrs. William Nelson, of Woodburn and a former resident of that city, has been named the outstanding citizen of Coos Bay for 1949 Nelson is a graduate of Willamette university.

Go to Hawaii—Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McCormick left Thursday night for Los Angeles, where they will leave January 4 by steamer for Hawaii. They expect to return late in January.

Bates Named — Dale Bates, employe of the Salem Federal Savings and Loan association, was named president of the Y Breakfast club during a recent meeting of the group. The club meets each Thursday morning at 6 o'clock at the YMCA for volleyball and breakfast.

Air View of Salem — A. A. Larsen, real estate broker at South High and Ferry streets, has an attractive air picture of the city of Salem. It is 48 by 72 inches in size. The photograph was made locally from the air and finished in the east. It is attracting much attention at Larsen's office.

To Rose Bowl Game—Robert L. Elfstrom, Jr., Miss Jean Weger, and Mr. and Mrs. Marco Tiano, left Friday for Pasadena where they will be spectators at the Rose Bowl game on New Year's day between University of California and Ohio State university. They are driving to California.

Building Permits — James F. Lang, to wreck a garage at 1125 North 17th, $50. Mrs. J. Walsh, to alter a store at 594 North Liberty, $500. Mrs. Sarah Peterson, to alter a one-story dwelling and garage at 235 West Wilson, $300. Oscar Price, to reroof a garage at 444 North Cottage, $25. Walter Beck, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 970 North 18th, $5950. Mrs. Bertha Bowman, to repair concrete steps at 1095 North Fifth, $150. Lloyd Crowley, to build a one-story dwelling and garage at 105 West Boice, $13,000. John W. Goebel, to build a one-story dwelling at 1010 North 13th, $6000. John W. Goebel, to build a one-story dwelling at 1020 North 13th, $6000. George Tompkins, alter a garage at 125 South 19th, $800. Lester Lamb, to build a garage at 2905 Evergreen, $1000.

Mortimores Parents—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Mortimore, 501 Adams, La Grande, are the parents of a son born Thursday at the Salem Memorial hospital. He has been named Terry Allen and has a brother, Daniel Eugene. His grandfather, Wallace Thackara, is also a resident of La Grande. Mrs. Mortomore, a registered nurse, was formerly employed at the Salem Memorial hospital and was a school nurse at Willamette university for five years before moving to eastern Oregon.

Phone 22406 before 6 p.m. if you miss your Capital Journal. *

Knapp shoes. Ph. 3-4320. 310*

Notice!!! Hearing Aid Users. Our new office hours are from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. including the noon hour, every day except Saturday, when we close at 3 p.m. Come in and let's get acquainted. Batteries for all kinds of hearing aids. James N. Taft and Associates, 228 Oregon Building, Salem. 310*

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New Year's Day dinner Kingwood post, American Legion. Turkey and trimmings. Legion hall, Parkway Dr., West Salem. 1 p.m. 'til 4 p.m. 310*

Free Teen-Agers dance. Four Corners Community hall. December 30—9 to 12. 310*

Johns-Manville shingles applied by Mathis Bros., 164 S. Com'l. Free estimate. Ph. 34642. *

DuBois Barber shop, 429 N. Church, opposite Greyhound bus depot. 9*

Exclusive presentation Imperial wallpapers. R. L. Elfstrom Co. *

2½% current rate on your savings. Salem Federal, 360 State St., Salem's largest Savings association. *

The new Flexalum Vinyl Plastic Tape is now available in several colors. Call us for estimates. Ph. 2-3639. Reinholdt & Lewis. 310*

Eola Acres Florist. Ph. 3-5730. 310*

Air-steamship tickets. Kugel, 153 North High. Ph. 3-7694. 310*

We have closed the Flower Basket, 1020 Market St. Watch for grand opening soon, 590 N. Capitol. Jary Florist. *

Drink mixer attachments for Sunbeam Mixmaster available now at Yeater Appliance Co., 375 Chemeketa. 311*

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New classes in shorthand starting January 3 in both Day and Night Schools. Capital Business College, 345 Court Street. 311*

We have a limited supply Prestone on hand. Winterize now — while you can. ELSNER MOTOR CO., 352 N. High. 311*

Free Teen-Agers dance, Four Corners Community hall, December 30—9 to 12. 310*

Fresh killed young turkey for your New Year's dinner, 39c lb Orwig Market, 4375 Silverton Rd. Ph. 2-6128. 311*

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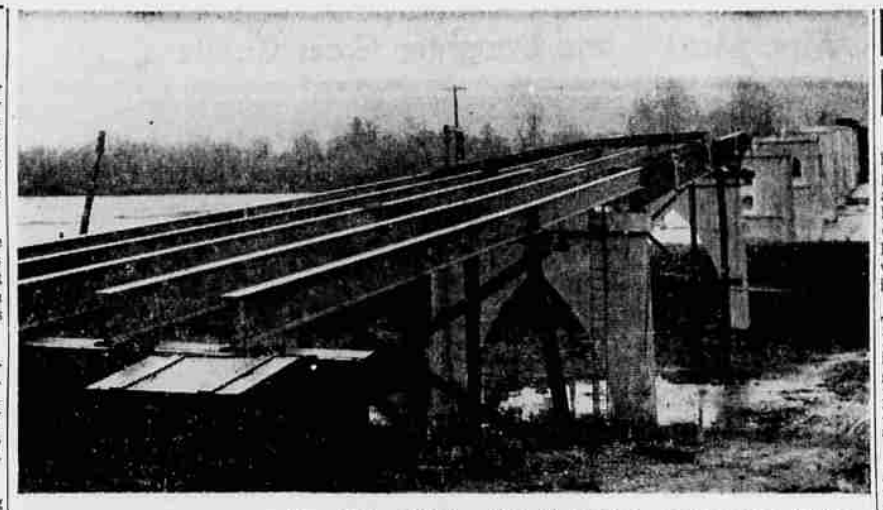

Delayed Bridge Gets First Steel — Independence bridge spanning the Willamette, scheduled for completion before January 1, has received steel girders and stringers on piers 9 and 10. No workmen are now employed on the job and no additional steel will be laid until the spring of 1950.

Cochran Going To Washington

Clay Cochran, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, will leave for Washington, D.C., Saturday on several missions, one of which is for the benefit of the Oregon flax industry.

Cochran is taking up the flax matter with the department of agriculture at the request of Henry R. Crawford, chairman of the state flax board.

The state operation of the flax industry handled through the penitentiary, is in good condition, Crawford said. But some of the flax cooperatives are not doing so well, and one reason is flax importation from other countries. Cochran will put before the department the need of a tariff or some other form of relief.

Efforts are under way for an improvement of the quality of Oregon-grown flax.

Cochran will attend a three-day meeting, January 5, 6 and 7, of the American Chamber of Commerce executive board, of which he is a member. The board will meet with officials of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

Other matters Cochran will take up in Washington include completion of the deal between the war assets administration and Manganese Products of Seattle for transfer to the latter of the Salem alumina plant.

In Chicago he will call on W. A. Patterson, president of United Air Lines, relative to the pending hearing in Washington involving the future operation of United in Salem.

Preview Showing — Several from Salem have been invited to a preview showing of the new Plymouth cars January 3 at the Multnomah hotel in Portland. The showing is to be preceded by a luncheon at which a brief speech on automotive trends is to be given by Bruce K. Steele, assistant general sales manager for the Plymouth Motor corporation. A press party has been arranged from 5 to 7 o'clock in the evening.

No Mail Monday—The Salem post office will observe the customary holiday regulations January 2, which means there will be no delivery service of any nature. The office will return to regular hours insofar as Saturday service is concerned tomorrow. All windows will close at noon.

Howard Zinser Dies—Word of the death of Howard Zinser, formerly of Salem, has been received by Earl Pearcy. Zinser died of leukemia in the Sawtelle Veterans hospital. Zinser was active in Boy Scout work here and lived in south Salem. He left in 1936 to enter business at Long Beach, Calif. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Emma Zinser, six children and three grandchildren.

Held for Arizona—A man described as "dangerous" was under custody of Salem police who were holding him for an Arizona sheriff from Tucson Friday. The prisoner was identified as LeRoy White. He was placed in the Salem jail by the sheriff who was stopping enroute to Arizona. White, according to his guard, has escaped from several jails and penitentiaries.

Vets Checks in Mail January 16

Houston, Dec. 30 (AP)—Veterans Administrator Carl B. Gray said today the first service life insurance dividend checks will be mailed from Washington Jan. 16.

He said some 200,000 checks will be mailed daily and all shall be sent by June 30.

Gray, here conferring with regional VA officials, made the announcement after a telephone conversation with treasury department officials in Washington.

He said the treasury advised him that the date had "leaked out."

The announcement was made as Gray conferred with officials and students of the University of Houston.

Earlier this week Gray had said the checks would start going into the mail "after the first of the year."

It has been estimated that some $2,800,000,000 will be paid in dividends to some 16,000,000 policy holders.

Gray said receipt of the checks will depend on the last three digits of policy holders' military serial numbers.

Seal Sale Lags For Health Work

Christmas may be over but the holiday spirit still prevails at the Marion County Tuberculosis and Health association in the Masonic building, Mrs. Ruby Bunnell, executive secretary, states.

Returns from seal sale letters mailed early in the month have been coming in this week, reports Mrs. Bunnell. Of the 23,794 letters mailed to Marion county residents, 10,217 have replied with cash returns of $14,607.53. Several explained that delay in making returns was due to the Christmas rush. A few returned the seals with the explanation that they were unable to purchase them, but requested that they be kept on the mailing list.

The tubersulosis association is financed solely through the sale of seals. Money will be invested during 1950 in such projects as the mobile chest X-ray survey, health materials and movies and in fluoroscopic clinics through the medium of the health department.

COURT NEWS

Circuit Court

A new grand jury has been selected subject to call of the district attorney members named being Neva M. Cross, Francis J. Palmater, Onas S. Olson, Douglas J. Follis, Mildred E. Osborn, Ted R. Lannigan and Benjamin Felton.

Woodburn Lumber company vs Carl and Dorothy Petzhaw, complaint for $325.85 and interest alleged due for building materials.

Allwin vs Dorothy F. Kenfield, application for trial.

Thelma V. vs Sheldon L. Densmore, plaintiff's motion to modify decree as support.

Georgina Martha vs Raymond W. Lamka, divorce complaint alleges cruel and inhuman treatment, asks $150 a month alimony, half interest in certain property and that name Georgina Martha Clark be restored to plaintiff.

Ernest A. and Dorothy I. Brock vs Roy Livingstone, satisfaction of judgment.

Probate Court

John William Gilman estate, report by Albert Gilman, administrator, shows personal property sold.

Clara B. Danielson guardianship, report of Emma Risheld, guardian.

H. H. Olinger estate appraised at $18,602 by Milton L. Meyers, Chandler P. Brown and Rex Adolph.

Lemuel D. King estate, motion for redetermination of inheritance tax.

Nancy J. Davis estate, final hearing January 31.

Marriage Licenses

Walter Roberts, 80, retired, and Emma Matthews Whealdon, 80, retired, both Salem.

Dike Road Up to City of Turner

County Commissioner Roy Rice reporting to the county court Friday on condition of the Dike road leading south from Turner, on which three complaints had been filed with the court, said that investigation showed the bad part of the roadway about which the complaints were lodged lies within the city of Turner and is that town's problem. He referred to a place where the brush obstructs the view of the road and water runs over the roadway at flood times. He said that beavers working in the ditch had dammed it so the overflow was caused.

There is some work to be done on the county's part of the road, he added, and a crew will be sent there to take care of this shortly after the first of the year.

Complaints lodged with the court came from Helen Peetz, postmaster, also from the clerk of the school board, Margaret E. Riches, as well as a petition signed by 16 residents in the neighborhood.

Red Invasions

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The assault on Matsu appeared the most serious Many military observers believe the Reds must subjugate Matsu and strongly-defended Quemoy island, about 160 miles to the southwest, before attempting the big operation against Formosa.

Both islands help to screen Formosa, as does the blockade base of Chusan island, nearly 300 miles north of Matsu.

Central news said several thousand communist troops landed on Matsu Christmas night from a nearby island and were repulsed with heavy casualties.

Nationalist military sources said Matsu is being reinforced against another Red attack expected at any moment. Nationalist warships assisted the defense by bombarding Red positions on the Min river delta opposite Matsu.

The nationalist air force asserted that a two-day aerial attack on mainland targets had disrupted communist plans for the invasion of Hainan island.

Hainan's coast artillery was said to have broken up several small-scale communist landing attempts.

Bernardi Incorporates — Articles of incorporation were on file here today for Fred L. Bernardi Plumbing & Heating of Salem. Signing the articles were Fred L. Bernardi, Mary K. Bernardi and D. J. Arnold.

MILITARY MEN AND VETERANS

Friday, December 30

Organized Seabee reserve meeting at Naval and Marine Corps Reserve training center.

Home for Holidays

Dayton — Lt. Bruce Reeder of Lackland air base, San Antonio, Texas, has been home for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Reeder. Reeder has been attending officers' school for the past six months. He left Wednesday and expects to stop in Oklahoma to visit a brother, Tom, before returning to camp January 8.

Parker Visits

Monmouth — Charles Parker, air force, surprised his mother, Mrs. Lulu Parker, and brother, Max Parker, by dropping in on them for breakfast Christmas morning. Parker has a general assignment in the cost control department of the air force and came here from Cheyenne. He stayed over until Wednesday when he left for Moses Lake, Wash., where he will stay until March. Parker will complete 20 years in the air service in two more years.

Fritzie Visits

Pvt. Frank Fritzie, who is stationed at Fort Ord, Calif., is spending the holidays in Salem with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fritzie of 1944 North Liberty street. The soldier leaves to return to Fort Ord January 1.

Three Join Unit

Three new men joined the Organized Naval reserve unit at the unit's meeting Thursday night. One of the men, SN James W. Cleveland, was a transfer from a unit in Wyoming. The other two enlistees were SA Donald Griffin and SR Jack H. Sills.

Last Rites for Mrs. Beardsley

Funeral services are to be held at the Clough-Barrick chapel Tuesday, January 3, at 10:30 a.m. for Mrs. Olive M. Beardsley, resident of the Salem area, who died December 16, in Honolulu, Hawaii. Interment will follow in Belcrest Memorial park.

Mrs. Beardsley died at the Tripler General hospital in Honolulu following a serious illness. At the time of her death she was visiting with her son First Lt. Orville Beardsley, Air Force pilot, stationed at Hickam field, and his family.

Born at Lemar, Iowa, September 11, 1889, Olive Beardsley came to Salem a number of years ago and her three sons, Orville, whom she was visiting; Russell, in business in the San Francisco Bay area and a first lieutenant in the army reserves, and residing in San Lorenzo, and Charles, a senior at Northwestern University and a first lieutenant and pilot with the Marine Corps reserve, were born in Salem.

Mrs. Bearsley took over the care of her three sons 25 years ago and reared them by herself. She operated farms in the Lake Labish, Bethel, Sunnyside and Salem Heights district, doing the actual farm work herself before the sons were old enough to help her, and had lived in Salem on 12th street. At the time of her death she still owned property in the Salem Heights community.

Survivors are the three sons, all of whom will be in Salem for the funeral Tuesday; and four grandchildren, James R. and Janet S. Beardsley, both of San Lorenzo, and Ronnie and Dickie Beardsley in Hawaii.

Pentagon Critic Gets Demoted

Washington, Dec. 30 (AP) — A sweeping series of navy orders and promotions sent one critic of Pentagon policy to what looked like a lesser post today, but named another for a raise in rank.

Vice Adm. Gerald F. Bogan—whose statement that unification policies had damaged navy morale helped set off a bitter admirals-vs.-the Pentagon row before a house committee—was transferred from his command in the Pacific to a shore job now held by a rear admiral.

But Capt. Arleigh A. Burke—chief of the now-abolished navy unit which reportedly prepared material for the admirals' unification attack in congress—was one of 23 officers nominated for promotion to rear admiral.

New jobs and ranks also were in store for a whole boatload of other high navy officers, subject to senate approval.

The letter about morale which Bogan sent to Secretary of the Navy Matthews was made public several months ago — along with the comment of the then chief of naval operations, Adm. Louis Denfeld—by Capt. John G. Crommelin, longtime critic of unification.

Crommelin's action touched off a series of hearings by the house armed services committee at which a long parade of admirals testified that defense policies were weighted in favor of the army and air force, and were damaging the navy.

India

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Responsible French quarters in London said the French government was ready to recognize communist China "as soon as arrangements can be made with other western powers."

The Chinese nationalist flag still fluttered above the nationalist embassy here this afternoon but diplomats gave a farewell party for the nationalist ambassador, Dr. Chia-Luen-Lo.

The party was held at the residence of U.S. Ambassador Loy Henderson, who said it was a "spontaneous mark of our affection."

An official announcement said recognition was granted in response to a request made last October by the Peiping regime of Chinese communist leader Mao-Tse-Tung.

Moscow and all Moscow-dominated countries recognized the Chinese communists some time ago before Mao journeyed to Moscow to be a Kremlin guest during Premier Josef Stalin's recent 70th birthday anniversary.

Yugoslavia and Burma also have recognized the Chinese communists, but India so far is the first country definitely aligned with the western world to extend recognition.

Disease Report—Twenty-three cases of communicable or reportable diseases are listed from Marion county for the week ending December 24 in the bulletin issued by the state health department. The list includes: six chickenpox, four each of mumps, scarlet fever and whooping cough, three pneumonia and one each of amebic dysentery and German measles.

New Home for Independence Post Office—Dodson and Butler building at 323 Second street, now being reconstructed for post office usage, will be the center for mail distribution at Independence after January 15. The new location has twice the floor space of the old office on C street.

129 Families in County Given Special Holiday Help

Many families who might have had a bleak holiday had a bright Christmas this year because of the generosity of groups and individuals making donations through the Marion County Welfare commission.

In a statement of gratitude to the organizations and individuals making Christmas possible for a number of families all over Marion county, Marion Bowen, director of the office, noted that it was the biggest response the office had ever had.

In all, 129 families were given a Christmas. Of this group the majority were unemployed people with families. Only 17 of the famliies were those getting regular welfare aid. Of the 17 receiving regular aid, 13 were aged couples.

Families over the county were helped, and before being given assistance were cleared with the Catholic Charities, Red Cross and Salvation Army to prevent duplication. Some of the deliveries were made by groups or individuals offering the donations and others were made by the welfare commission.

Organizations and groups making donations were American Legion Aux. Salem post NO 136, Altruna club, First Presbyterian church (two Sunday school classes); Brownie troop No. 1; Bush school, room 23; Business and Professional Women's club; Calvary Baptist church, 2 groups; Cub Scouts, den 8, pack 10; Englewood school, 18 rooms; Explorer Scouts, Troop 19; First Christian church, 3 groups; First Congregational church; First Methodist church; Garfield school, 4th grade; Jason Lee Methodist church, 7th grade Sunday school; Jason Lee Wesleyan guild; Junior Chamber of Commerce; St. Paul's Episcopal church, 3 groups; Knights of Columbus; Liberty Church of Christ; Lion's club auxiliary; McKinley school, 1st grade; Methodist high school youth fellowship; Optimist club; Employees, Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co.; Pi Beta Phi, Willamette; Phi Delta Theta, Willamette; Roberts Mothers' club; Rohland's General store; Employees, Salem Willamette Supply Co.; Salvation Army; Spinsters club; Sunnyside Friendly club; Kappa Alpha Theta alumni; Salem High Try-Y; Employees, Wage Records Division, Unemployment Compensation Commission; United Commercial Travelers auxiliary; White Shrine lodge; St. John's Lutheran church, Women' guild; Y.M.C.A., free membership; Y.M.C.A., clubs and boys chorus; Y.W.C.A., Tri-Y, 3 groups; Zonta club.

A number of individuals making donations asked that their names remain anonymous.

Colder Weather

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Cooler temperatures, general throughout the northwest, checked melting of snow in the mountains and the threats of floods subsided.

The colder weather also aided in restoring communications in British Columbia, where Christmas travelers still were stranded or delayed in mountain passes closed by snow or mud slides.

Three railroad lines in western Washington still were blocked by slides. One covered Seattle City Light's Electric railway between Nehalem and Diablo and cut off communications to 300 people at camps and dams above Nehalem. City Light officials said the people had plenty of provisions.

The Northern Pacific's Bellingham branch was closed by three slides between Wickersham and Bellingham. A slide blocked the Great Northern spur between Concrete and Rockport.

Snow covered the ground in most of western Washington to varying depths but melted rapidly in lower areas.

Henry Cornoyer Hurt—Henry A. Cornoyer, 775 N. Summer, is in the Salem Memorial hospital with a fractured shoulder the result of a fall Thursday. He is an active member of the Elks lodge and has the distinction of being its oldest living local member.

Leave Salem Memorial—Dismissed from the Salem Memorial hospital are Mrs. Norman Merrill, 1915 Saginaw, and infant daughter; Mrs. Kenneth Williams, Gates, and infant son and Mrs. Verne Shaw, Mill City, and infant son.

Cabinet Hears

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Although the two White House economists warned against trying to predict President Truman's specific proposals from its text, they came out for:

Recommendations Made

1. Continuation of federal rent controls due to expire June 30.

2. "Immediate expansion of federal old-age security."

3. Government policies that "can place foremost emphasis upon encouraging steady business expansion and thus minimizing the fluctuations in business activity."

4. More consistency and stability in government programs and planning, including federal taxes.

The Keyresling-Clark report proceeded to make some recommendations.

Among its points:

1. President Truman's forecast of a "300 billion dollar economy within a few years" will be reached if government and business continue to cooperate.

2. Additional methods must be found to improve the "productivity of low-income groups."

3. Government programs must be carefully tested to see if they "promote general stability and expansion or rob Peter to pay Paul."

4. Agricultural programs, such as farm price-supports, should be "consistent with the need of urban consumer incomes."

5. There is room in America for both "well conducted big business and for small business."

Governor Off to Rose Bowl Game

Governor and Mrs. Douglas McKay left yesterday by automobile for the Rose Bowl game at Pasadena, Calif.

They will spend several days in southern California, and will return to Salem late next week.

Secretary of State Earl T. Newbry left by train yesterday for San Francisco, where he will see the Shrine East-West football game.

Senate President William E. Walsh, Coos Bay, is acting governor.

FREE

Teen-Agers' DANCE

Four Corners Community Hall

Friday, Dec. 30

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