●AIRPORT LAND PURCHASED AT \$138 PER ACRE

Kelly brothers through condemnation cost the city an average of approximately \$138 an acre, was shown in a recapitulation of costs Wednesday.
This cost includes the award

made by a circuit court jury, at-torney's fees on both sides, and

other court costs.

The city had offered Kelly brothers \$2752.50 for the land and the brothers had in turn asked for \$14,037.50.

After a circuit court jury heard the case, it decided on \$4250 as the value of the land. To this must be added \$500 at-torney's fees for Kelly brothers. \$83.25 as defense court costs. \$250 for the city's attorney's fees, \$16.90 for other costs, mak-

ing a total of \$5100. This sum, divided by 37 (acres of land) gives an average cost of

Protection of **Vital Facilities** To Be Discussed

SALEM, Dec. 24 (AP)-Guarding of vital facilities, such as telephone, telegraph and power systems, bridges, railroads, airports and highways, will be dis-caused at a meeting here at 10:30 a. m. Friday by Capt. Chester Ott, Fort Lewis, repre-

cities and the states, but the army will provide men for guarding airports and railroads, which

be off guard.

Dark Headlights Held Not Likely To Be Needed

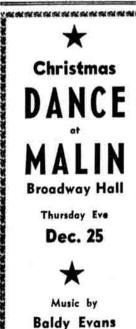
is unlikely that there will be any information to ships off shore, more precautionary blackouts but at least let's not broadcast discontinued for the duration such as the northwest experienc- it to him. ed two weeks ago, Brig. Gen. Carlyle H. Wash, Seattle, commander of the second intercept or command, advised state civilian defense headquarters today.

necessary, fire and police vehicles and ambulances be allowed to run with full lights during air raids. All other vehicles would be banned from the streets and highways.

DOING HIS BEST

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (47)—A Cheshire man, rejected several times by the navy because of a slight eye defect, finally passed and in his excitement developed a pulse beat that was so fast the examining physician rejected him again.

He was told to come a week, however.



Baldy Evans and his Orchestra Dancing 10 to 3

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-Keep In Line!



Won't be long now, remarks the tired shopper as he lines up at the local postoffice to packages from Maine to California. This is a typical holiday scene as snapped in the lobby week. Mailing volume shattered past records, postal officials said.

Army Issues Some Reasons Why Weather Data Banned

Chester Ott, Fort Lewis, representation on the ban on certain cover the area in Washington such forecasts are approved by the state civilian defense, highway, public utilities, police and military departments. property will be permitted, but

police and military departments.

Defense Coordinator Jerrold other forecasts which might aid the enemy will be prohibited.

Owen said Captain Ott is being sent here by Maj. Gen. Kenyon A. Joyce, Fort Lewis, commanding general of the 9th army corps to offer the army's cooperation. The responsibility of guarding these facilities rests primarily with the industries, counties.

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now are not properly guarded.
General Joyce also asked everyone to be on guard against sabotage over the holidays, asserting the Japanese would be most likely to sabotage these facilities during the period in which they expect Americans to be off guard.

SALEM, Dec 24 (P)—It won't ture (to warn against freeze damage and ley roads) and one broadcast by radio until to two other items. The enemy lights for blackouts, because it information to ships off shore, is unlikely that there will be any

leased to newspapers and to former weather maps.
radio stations for broadcast in "These are only a few of the

SEATTLE, Dec. 24 (AP)— operating in every way possible
The army's 2nd interceptor with restrictions required by command loday issued a memilitary agencies. The items weather is a factor in production, will be given forecasts if

ill reach us later.

"The enemy, in planning an livestock conditions will be attack, is in desperate need of forecast and published in modi-confirmation from shore as to fled form.

Tom river, held back the major portion of a flood in the upper whether his calculations are "However, these special Willamette river area. The res-

light remark about 'how hard telephone or telegraph to per-it rained here this afternoon,' sons interested or agencies may be the tip-off on how fast which may have been previweather 'front' has ad-ously approved by the interceptor command.

"Therefore radio stations "4 Precipitation and wind have been ordered to use noth-data, both local and for the

it to him.

"Storm warnings will be flown, without indicating the wind direction, and will be relimited weather builteins containing mostly temperature data will be substituted for the

radio stations for broadcast in emergencies, as a protection to life and property.

"The weather bureau is co-information. With military ap-

proval and within certain limitations, special forecasts will be prepared for responsible officials of public utility concerns, city, state and federal agencies. Also, private concerns known to be under contract to produce

They said the dam, 12 miles

COVINGTON, Ind. (P)-Before the United States went to war, a Christmas star shone alone from atop a Covington

business block.

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service at 3 a.m. and then con-tinue with several meetings beore dawn. The reflection of the lighted torches on the glistening snow, the sound of the jingling sleighbells; the candle illumined church all these made an inimpression especially upon young, plastic minds.

the julotta service. The First Covenant church 823 Walnut avenue, has carried on this traditional gathering ever since the church was or-ganized. The meeting on Christ-

ish languages will be used. Following is the complete program: "All Hail to Thee, O Blessed Morn!" audience. Responsive reading, Luke 2:1-20; prayer by the pastor; "Christmas Has Come," audience; "Listen! Listen! Mrs. P. Hedberg, alto, Fred Reinsermon in English; vocal solo, Mrs. Franklin Rafson; announce

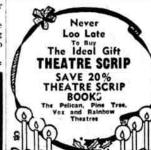
Penalty Taxes on **Payrolls Ordered** Off Next Year

employers got a nice fat Christmas present today when the state unemployment compensanot have to pay penalty unem-ployment taxes on their payrolls Their selectee-chauff

during the next year. northwest of Eugene on the Long reserve fund probably will remergy for the long drive home Tom river, held back the major main above the \$14.373,000 mark during the entire year, which blouses and put on the spare means that the payroll tax rate while the private sat on the will range from 1 to 2.7 per cent. ning board and watched. The dam was constructed re- If the fund falls below that mark, the rates will be from 1 to

> ably will boost the fund to \$18,000,000, while a \$20,000,000 total later in the year is pos-

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Season's Greetings

... and a suggestion that for 1942 each one of us resolve to go about our daily business, whether as public official, truck driver, housewife, business man or what not, with this one thought in mind . . .

We're all just plain 100% Americans doing our best to make the wheels turn to victory in the present struggle . . . Remember Pearl Harbor!



Marshall E. Cornett

State Senator for Klamath, Deschutes, Lake, Crook and Jefferson Counties.

Christmas Day Program to Be Held at Church

For centuries the Scandinavian candlelight processional, "Si-people have gathered early on lent Night," by Gruber; "Away Christmas day for a worship in a Manger," by Luther, choir; Christmas day for a worship in a Manger, by Luther, choir, period in their churches. In hymn, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear"; "Christmas Promlege crowds attending, it has been necessary to begin the first service at 3 a. m. and then continued in the continued of the choir in the continued of the choir in the choir gregation.

This unique service is called

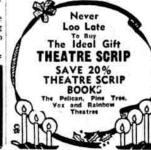
mas day will be held at 6 a, m. Both the English and the Swed-

Hear the Angelic Chorus!" mixed quartet, Gerda Persson, soprano, oldson, tenor, A. O. Persson, bass; sermon in Swedish; "No Room in the Inn," vocal duet: Neli Lindbergh, Mrs. Iris Nelson; ments; "The Star of Bethlehem," audience; benediction.

SALEM, Dec. 24 (A)-Oregon

4 per cent. #

January tax payments prob-



Christmas day services at Klamath Lutheran church: Can-dlelight service at 6:30 a. m.; candlelight processional, "Si-"Today There is Ringing," by Christiansen; "Christmas Lul-laby," by C. Warren, choir; sermon, "Theme, "Light."; hymn, "The First Noel"; offertory, selected; candlelight recessional, "Silent Night," choir and con-

Regular festive Christmas worship at 11 a. m. Theme, "He Came to Us." Church choir will sing, "A Babe is Born in Bethle-" by Malmin, and the girls junior choir will sing, "Christ-mas lullaby," by Mrs. R. J.

was judged guilty of statutory rape, according to a verdict reached by the jury and return-Saturday. The jury recommend

Circuit Judge David R. Van-denberg set Friday, December 26, for passing of sentence. Richardson was indicted by the grand jury, and went on trial Tuesday morning.

Chauffeur Gets Aid From Colonel

MEMPHIS, Dec. 24 (P) - Two colonels from second army headtion commission announced that quarters were driving back to the employers probably would Memphis after an inspection trip

Their selectee-chauffeur jump-The commission said that its ficers told him to save his Then they shucked their natty while the private sat on the run-

FLYING RESUMES

PORTLAND, Dec. 24 (P) - A few private planes, mostly en-gaged in student instruction, resumed flying at the Swan island airport here yesterday. Installation of a CAA control tower, plus clarification of military orders regulating flight of private planes, made the activity pos-

F. R. SENDS SCOUTS

In his annual Christmas mes sage to the Boy Scouts of America of which he is honorary president, and in which he himself was active for more than 17 years, President Roosevelt paid high tribute to the Boy Scouts, expressing "the appreciation of the nation for the contribution which scouts and scouting make to our national strength and morale by helping to keep alive the manly virtues of truthfulness, Bruce lived and called—leaving manly virtues of truthfulness, loyalty, courage and helpful-

The president's greetings to the nation's 1,470,316 scouts, cubs and their leaders follow: 'The White House, Washington

To the Boy Scouts of America: Once again I send sincerest Christmas greetings to the Boy Scouts of America; bespeaking also the appreciation of the nation for the contribution which scouts and scouting make to our national strength and morale by helping to keep alive the manly virtues of truthfulness, loyalty, courage and helpfulness. as always, the nation needs citizens who are pledged to keep themselves physically fit, men-Alfred Marion Richardson, 19, tally alert and morally straight.

Pennsylvania Lad Has Faith Restored

POTTSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 24 (P) Santa Klaus aiready has paid a visit to nine-year-old Bruce A. Rawson.

The boy found \$800 in cash near his home Monday and promptly hunted up someone who turned it over to the owner. His first reward was only a hearty thanks and Bruce confided to chums he was a bit bothered over that rumor about

"There ain't no Santa Claus." But Paul "Santa" Klaus, who had dropped the money en route a \$5 bill.



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