

DODGE MAN GIVES AWAY 20,000 CRATES ORANGES TO KIDDIES

H. W. Lancashire is well known in Toledo, O., as the Dodge Brothers dealer, but he is perhaps better known at least among the juvenile population of the city, as "Santa Claus."

WELLS, OREGON CITY BOY, MAKING GOOD AS DAREDEVIL

(Taken from the Reno, Nev. News) While the crowds were awaiting the arrival of the bands on the state house grounds Sunday afternoon, aviators Herbert Williamson and L. A. Wells in their big Curtiss airplane came hopping over the trees from the west.

Youngest Mayor Is Elected at Dayton

DAYTON, Wash., Dec. 16.—Lloyd G. Edwards, 26, was elected mayor of Dayton today by a majority of 77 votes over Homer Samuels, his opponent, who received 34 votes.

Griffith on Board of Portland Library

PORTLAND, Dec. 9.—Franklin T. Griffith and W. L. Brewster were chosen members of the board of directors for the library association of Portland at the annual meeting last night.

SEVERAL VACANCIES IN COUNTY SCHOOLS

Breton Velder, county school superintendent, announced Friday that there are several vacancies for teachers in the county schools of Clackamas county, caused by the recent resignations handed in.

Last Respects Paid to Late Joseph Hunt

Funeral services of the late Joseph Hunt, of Willamette, were held from Holman & Pace funeral chapel Friday morning at 10 o'clock and were largely attended, with Rev. Willis Pettibone, pastor of the Baptist church officiating.

THE DALLES FARMERS UNABLE TO PAY TAXES OVER RECENT SLUMP

THE DALLES, Or., Dec. 11.—With delinquent taxes totaling \$25,469.19 at the close of tax collections in Wasco county it is apparent that many ranchers in the county are hard hit by the recent slump in the wheat market.

Negro, by Trickery, Dupes Farmer Family

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 16.—R. C. "Prince" Pondexter, negro neercromancer, who conducts an alleged love college and sanitarium for "divine healing" at 215 Twenty-fourth avenue, convinced Mr. and Mrs. William Fanson, who live near Auburn, of his power to cure the sick and wicked, it was learned today, by performing at their home some weeks ago some unanny Hindu tricks.

Hoover Asks For Thirty-three Millions

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The European relief council, recently organized by combination of eight American relief organizations, today appealed to the American people to contribute \$33,000,000 for food and medical supplies for the children of Eastern and Central Europe.

FIFTY NEW BOOKS ADDED TO LIBRARY

Fifty new books, selected by Mrs. Bertha Adams, city librarian, have been added to the shelves of the Oregon City library. The volumes were purchased with the money donated by the Honor Guard girls of this city, and amounted to \$115, of which a balance is left for future use as seen fit by the librarian.

New Commissioner Yeon, Given Banquet

PORTLAND, Dec. 9.—With a banquet at the Benson, friends of John B. Yeon last evening celebrated his appointment as a member of the state highway commission.

COUGHING REVEALS VERY POOR ADJUSTMENT

Coughing in the carter, followed by sharp explosions in the muffler, indicates a faulty adjustment of the auxiliary followed by a choking down and stopping of the motor, indicates that there is water in the gasoline.

SUMMER HOMES ON MT. HOOD LOOP ARE IN DEMAND

Three accessible summer home sites have been found on the Mount Hood loop road by a party of forest service men, who have just returned to Portland after a two weeks' trip over the road. The foresters made a survey of the country to locate the best possible recreational centers.

OPEN DOORS IN BUSINESS

THE BEAUTY "DOCTOR" The art of the Beauty "Doctor" was practiced among the ancient Greeks and Romans who appreciated greatly physical beauty. It is increasing today as social polish and luxury increase, and is patronized, not only by wealthy men and women but by many business girls who feel the need of aid in keeping themselves attractive.

Twenty to be Sent to Idaho Seed Show

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Dec. 11.—The seed and grain judging team which is to represent the college at the Idaho Seed show in January, will be chosen from 200 farm crop students who are trying out for the team. The show will be under the auspices of the Idaho Seed Growers' Association, under the active management of B. F. Sheehan, a former instructor at the college, and Charles B. Ahlson, who was graduated from the farm crops department.

HENRY FORD IS MISSING AS GOV. WITNESS

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Representatives of the federal district attorney have started a nation-wide search for Henry Ford, Detroit automobile manufacturer, who is wanted as a government witness in the trial of Dr. Edward A. Rumely, charged with concealing the alleged German ownership of the New York Evening Mail during part of the war.

Student Goes to Reserve Bank Job

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Dec. 11.—Olin H. Baum, 16 has just accepted a position with the Federal Reserve bank of San Francisco. Mr. Baum operated a farm near Pendleton before accepting the appointment with the government bank. He entered the first officers' training camp at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, and served as an officer in the 161st Depot Brigade at Camp Grant for the duration of the war.

French Girl Causes Couple to Break

NEW YORK.—The strange story of a French girl, an American army captain and his American wife was forwarded to Secretary Wilson in Washington today by immigration officials at Ellis Island. Captain Robert Charles Gill, former medical officer, told immigration officials that Miss Marie Schneider, a pretty young French woman held there, was his adopted daughter. He said he had assumed parental rights over her while he was in Paris, following the death of her father, in whose home he lived. He asked that she be permitted to enter the country.

VANCOUVER LOSING HOLD AS LOVE CENTER

VANCOUVER, Wash., Dec. 10.—That Vancouver is losing favor with Dan Cupid and is not holding her own as the Gretna Green of the Northwest, is indicated in the total number of marriage licenses issued here this year. A total of 2581 licenses has been issued so far this year, 233 less than last year.



WOMAN'S PAGE by Florence Riddick Boys

REAL PHILANTHROPY

Ragged, uncomely, and old and grey, A woman walked in a Northern town; And through the crowd as she wended her way One saw her loiter and then stoop down, Putting something away in her old torn gown.

OPEN DOORS IN BUSINESS

One of the best open doors in business for the young woman with tastes in that direction is that of the Public Health Nurse. There is already a distinct shortage of Public Health Nurses in America and the demand for them is increasing at a rapid rate.

PIECING

There are two kinds of piecing; the piece which Mother gives when Young America comes from school, and the odds and ends to which he helps himself at any and all hours of the day.

RECIPES

Carrot Pudding. Cup ground carrots (or sweet potatoes), cup ground suet, cup floured raisins, teaspoon cinnamon, half teaspoon cloves, etc.

SMILES

"Father!" said the youngest. "No," said his sire, "if it's only mail of ye stoopid questions, aw' ye ken, I've told ye already that I dinna ken whether a man who does gild or gild-dooer or a dog-gilder, or whether the seat of war is what the staidin' army sits down on, if it's reduce ions question of that kind, aw' ye gang to bed!"

Sinnett and Yoder Receive Mill Prizes

Prizes for December, awarded to employees by the Crown-Willamette Paper Company for safety suggestions were as follows: First prize \$5 awarded to A. M. Sinnett, who suggested that the boiler men in Mill D boiler house give a signal of warning by whistle blasts before opening the blow off valves.

Iowa Farmer Visits Oregon City Friends

J. D. Vosberg, wife and daughter, of Gilman, Iowa, are in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robey, on Washington street. The Vosbergs are on their way to Long Beach, Calif., for the winter.

Thirty Natives Dead Over Education

MANILA, Dec. 10.—Thirty Moros were killed in the Sulit islands in a battle with the Philippine constabulary growing out of efforts to encourage education. It was learned here today in official advices from the governor of Jolo.

MISS TIEDEMAN, MAIL CARRIER ON ROUTE 4, DIES AT STAFFORD

Miss Lillian Tiedeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tiedeman, prominent residents of Stafford, died in Oregon City Tuesday. Her death was due to goitre.

BEAVER CREEK WOMAN DIES IN WYOMING

Mrs. Frank Dowling, of this city, formerly Miss Grace Weidner, of Beaver Creek, died suddenly from bronchitis in a hospital at Kammerer, Wyoming, Sunday morning at 1:10 according to word received here.

Pioneer Woman of County Dies Saturday

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Adkins, pioneer woman of Clackamas county, died at the home of her daughter on the Abernathy road Saturday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Boy, 14 Years Old Over Six Feet Tall

WANETTA, Mont.—Doyle Marsh of this place is thought to be the state's biggest "small boy." Although only 14 years old, he is 6 feet 1 inch tall.

ALL COAST IS HIT BY BIG STORM WAVE

PORTLAND, Dec. 10.—A sudden and terrific storm, accompanied by a downpour of rain, lashed the north Pacific coast yesterday, cut off telephone and telegraph communication with most outside points, delayed trains and generally wrought havoc throughout the affected area.