

CITY POSTAL BANK OPEN FOR DEPOSITS

Any Person More Than Ten Years Old May Intrust Savings to Government.

BUSINESS SECRECY RULE

Banks Do Not Suffer by Operation of New System, Says Official. Women May Have Accounts Beyond Husbands' Reach.

RULES OF POSTAL SAVINGS BANK

Bank will be open from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. every day except holidays and Sundays, beginning today. Deposits may be made by any person of 10 years of age, and by married women free of any control by their husbands. Deposits may be made only by individuals. No account may be opened for less than \$1. Fractions of a dollar will not be accepted for deposit. Maximum of an account \$100. Savings cards will sell for 10 cents each. When covered with nine 10-cent savings stamps they may be deposited, and the account credited with \$1. Accounts cannot be opened by mail or by persons of other address than the city in which the bank is situated. Interest on deposits, 2 per cent.

Portland's postal savings bank will open this morning at 9 o'clock. It is situated on the east side of the main Postoffice lobby, in the office formerly used by the superintendent of the money order division, adjoining the money order office. George H. Carr, who has been assistant superintendent of the money order division, will be in charge of the bank. With the assistance of Postoffice Inspector Durand he and Postmaster Merrick have been studying the details of the operation of the bank for several weeks, and the office has been fitted up for the purpose.

Individual Deposits Required. An account may be opened and deposits made by any person over 10 years of age, and by a married woman. Her deposits must be made in her own name, and will be free from control of her husband. No person may have more than one savings account.

Interest will be paid at 2 per cent annually, where deposits remain for more than a year. Computation will be made from the first day of the month following the day on which deposit is made. Withdrawal of a deposit within the year forfeits the interest.

No corporations, firms, societies or partnerships may make deposits; they will be accepted only from individuals. Neither will an account be opened by one person in trust for another, except when the Postmaster-General so authorizes.

The names of persons having accounts with the postal savings bank will not be disclosed to any one except upon direction of the Postmaster-General.

Mail Deposits Allowed. If a depositor is not able, because of infirmity, to make his own deposit, the postmaster will issue a blank form of application upon receipt of the amount from the intending depositor, which will be filled out by the depositor.

When a person is already a depositor and is unable to appear in person with the money, he may send it by mail or through a representative. Accounts cannot be first opened by mail.

Postmasters are required to deposit daily with local depository banks all money received by them on account of the bank's business. Several Portland banks have made application to be designated as depositories for the postal savings bank.

One dollar is the minimum deposit to open an account. Fractions of a dollar will not be accepted at any time. Postal savings cards will be sold for 10 cents. When nine postal savings stamps, at 10 cents each, have been affixed, the card entitles the holder to \$1 on account. No person may deposit more than \$100 in a single month, or have a balance of more than \$100 on hand, exclusive of accumulated interest.

Certificates Not Transferable. Certificates of deposit will show the amount deposited, the name of the depositor, and the date of maturity. They are non-transferable and non-negotiable. If one is lost or destroyed, the postmaster must be immediately notified, and a new one will be issued in the discretion of the Postmaster-General.

The whole or part of a depositor's account may be withdrawn at any time, when interest will be paid on surrender of the certificate and the records of the postoffice, and the certificate returned to the depositor.

"The business of postal savings banks has not been detrimental to the established banking business of the country," said Assistant Postmaster Williamson yesterday. "On the other hand, banks generally have profited by the establishment and extension of the system. Ninety-five per cent of the money received is immediately placed with the banks in the city where deposits are made, and the Government pays 2 per cent to the depositories."

10-YEAR CRUELTY ALLEGED

Mrs. W. Belle Barbour Asks Divorce From Portland Attorney.

Threats and attempts to take her life, efforts to make her dead to her husband her home under pain of death and cruel and inhuman treatment generally are alleged by Mrs. W. Belle Barbour in a suit for divorce from W. S. Barbour, a Portland attorney.

The couple married in Butte in 1900, and the maltreatment is alleged to have begun soon after, and to have continued for 10 years.

In December, 1910, she complains, her husband threatened to end her life with a revolver if she did not sign a deed conveying to him her residence in Portland in Couch's Addition. Seeking to force her to sign the paper April 23, 1911, she alleges, he twisted her arms so violently that she is still suffering. May 25 of the present year, she alleges, he struck her in the face, kicked her in the back and dragged her over the floor. Then on May 19 last, she alleges, she awakened to find her husband had a revolver

pressed against her temple. On June 13, she complains, she was choked almost to death, and the day following she was struck violently and her life was again threatened. On September 5, the complaint continues, her husband dragged her from bed to the floor, letting her drop with great force, and proceeded to bump her head on the floor.

BANDON RESERVE PRAISED

Few Days' Drilling Works Wonders With Green Militiamen.

Portland divisions of the Oregon Naval Militia have been set a new pace by 23 members of the Bandon division, who drilled on the cruiser Boston at Marshfield, according to Chief Gunner's Mate Gavin, of the Philadelphia, who is in charge of caretakers on the cruiser Boston, and Chief Master-at-Arms Norris, of the Boston. They say that in three days the Bandon crew showed a proficiency in collision drill, fire quar-

PRIMA DONNA IN FIRST MUSICAL COMEDY OF SEASON IS WANTED IN GRAND OPERA.



Miss Olive Vail, the charming prima donna, who is at the Helix Theater for this week, beginning last night, in the first musical comedy of the season, "Miss Nobody From Starland," is fighting off a grand opera engagement. Miss Vail has been sought at the end of the last two seasons to cancel her engagements with the lighter musical shows and take up the more serious and laborious work, but has not been won over as yet.

Miss Vail has a beautiful and clear soprano and has been the rage in Chicago for the last three seasons, where she has created all the new soprano roles in the Princess Theater's productions.

As a mark of merit for their efforts the Bandon division was outfitted with 50 full sets of sailorman's gear, comprising hammocks, bags, rifles and belts and accoutrements usually given every man aboard ship. They will be held accountable for the equipment, but until given another opportunity to live on a naval vessel they will be in possession of sufficient service gear to carry on all drills that can be conducted ashore, as well as hammock work and stowing bags.

ROUTE MAKERS IN CITY

Sign Post of Pacific Highway Is Set in Portland by Mayor.

Work was started yesterday morning on the posting of signs pointing out the route of the Pacific Highway through Oregon. This work is being directed by Frank Fretwell, secretary of the Pacific Highway Association, assisted by M. K. McRae, resident manager of the Oregon Hotel.

Early yesterday morning Fretwell's party started for the Vancouver, Wash., ferry and before noon the signs and posts placed into the city. At 1 o'clock a party of Pacific Highway enthusiasts, headed by M. C. Dickinson, E. Henry Wiggins and Frank B. Riley, left Seventh and Stark streets to witness the placing of the first signpost in the city. Mayor Rushton turned the first shovel of dirt and put the post in place.

Fretwell will supervise the placing of the posts to the California boundary line. There the work will be taken up by California members and carried through to the Juarez, Mex., the southern terminus of the "road of three nations." The northern end is Vancouver, B. C.

The route from Portland follows the Riverview drive, on the west side of the oil on the pavement, and the spilling of such fluids is explicitly forbidden.

Many protests have been made by business men, who have refused to swear to complaints, saying that if the police kept watch they could make arrests without citizens being forced to intervene.

Plan to Divide School District.

BEAVERTON, Or., Sept. 8.—(Special.) A petition to divide the present School District, which joins this District on the east, is in the hands of the County School Commissioner. Rather than build a public high school the people at the end of the district want to divide.

BISHOP KEEPS TAB ON EVERY PARSON

Merit System in Use for Promotion or Rejection of Methodist Ministers.

CARD FOR EACH CHECKED

Rev. W. B. Hollingshead's Plan for Selecting Those Who Fall and Others Who "Make Good" Is Tried—Clergy Alert.

Rev. W. B. Hollingshead, formerly superintendent of Portland District, Methodist Episcopal Church, representative of the Fifteenth General Conference District, and widely known as a minister in the denomination, has worked out a card system for checking the work of ministers which bids fair to revolutionize pastoral appointments by bishops.

Use of this system, being tried for the first time by Bishop Smith, in his Fall conference throughout the Northwest, is creating no end of comment, not only among the preachers, but it has been taken up by the laymen, as well. It is regarded by many as one of the most important features introduced into Methodism within recent years.

Card for Every Parson. It might well be called a merit system, for its use amounts to the same thing. The simplicity of the plan is one of its chief features. Cards, which give the name of the charge, district, conference and name of the pastor, together with data lines, to be filled in, comprises the scheme. In this manner, a presiding bishop, at the close of a set of these cards, distributes them the first day of a conference session to the preachers, with instructions to fill out and deposit with him.

When these cards are returned, the bishop, who is the appointing power in the Methodist Episcopal Church, has all the data necessary upon which to base his assignments. On the back of each card is worked out for a period of three years the percentage of benevolences collected, amounts paid by a particular church to pastoral, district and general work, and other data. The plan to the bishop at a glance whether a given minister in charge of a church is "making good."

Benefit Is Foreseen. In glancing over his lists of ministers, the bishop can see instantly who have "made good" during the year and, by comparison with the year preceding, whether his percentages have increased or decreased. If they have increased, the bishop has a right to feel that the preacher in question has been working hard; that he has his charge in good condition and is eligible for one of two things—return to his charge or to a higher grade, in other words, to be promoted. If the preacher, on the contrary, has low percentages; if they do not equal or exceed his last year's work or that of his predecessor on the charge, it is reasonable to believe that he is incompetent, which states him for a smaller and less important charge.

Bishop Smith, now in the midst of his Fall conference, is said to feel that Dr. Hollingshead's new system is going to prove of immense benefit in many ways. He is using the plan for the first time and is said to be well pleased with it. Hearing of it, other bishops throughout the United States have sent for cards and are using them in making their conference appointments.

Ministers Set Flaring. Many ministers, learning of the new system, have obtained cards and are anxiously flaring up their year's work, to see whether they have measured up to their predecessor's work, or have surpassed it. It is argued by many that, if the plan is fully adopted and made a part of the discipline, it will have the effect of creating more determination on the part of ministers to put their charges on a better plane and to initiate new work and to push the benevolence—collections for missions, education, work, etc.—and to keep all features of the work on a high plane of efficiency.

Efforts are to be made to have this system incorporated in the discipline, the law of the church. This will require its adoption by the General Conference, which will meet next May in Minneapolis. The Oregon delegation will likely be instructed to work for this purpose.

FISHER SENDS REGRETS

Hope Is Expressed by Secretary to Visit Oregon at Later Date.

Through a telegram to J. N. Teal yesterday morning, Walter L. Fisher, Secretary of the Interior, notified the Commercial Club and the Chamber of Commerce that he would be unable to accept their invitation to visit Portland and inspect the Umatilla irrigation project on this trip, but hoped to be able to make the visit later.

From Seattle Secretary Fisher will go to Yellowstone Park for a conference with the park officials, after which he will go to Boise for a meeting with the reclamation engineers. Suggestions have been made that a delegation from Portland wait upon him there, but it is generally held by members of the Commercial organizations that an effort should be made rather to insure a visit to the project in the future, since it is the belief that the development of the resources of Eastern Oregon is a matter that merits the personal attention of the Secretary.

Mr. Fisher's telegram to J. N. Teal was as follows: "J. N. Teal, Portland—Express to interested parties my appreciation of invitation and greatly regret that I cannot visit either Portland or the Umatilla project on this visit. Shall hope to do both soon."

"WALTER L. FISHER."

POLICE SENDS MAN TO WIFE

Herbert Little Almost Arrested When He Makes Objection.

Two men tried to break their way into the City Jail last night and one of them succeeded. William Buckley, 204 Twenty-second street North, a brass melter, brought to the station at the complaint of a restaurant-keeper, was about to be released because the restaurant man had not got out a warrant for his arrest when he suddenly decided he would assault his accuser at the police station, and was immediately locked up. Herbert W. Little, stran-

gely objecting to being ordered home by the police when his anxious wife asked them to call him up on the telephone and send him to her, came near the restaurant before Buckley could be telling Captain Bailey that he was gambling.

Buckley, passing a restaurant in Second street, noticed a Sunday closing sign in the window. It angered him and he sought out the proprietor and told him his opinion of Sunday closing of restaurants. The indignation of the proprietor applied to Captain Bailey, who brought Buckley to the station. Then Captain Bailey instructed Cash that a warrant would have to be sworn out by the restaurant before Buckley could be arrested. Not satisfied with getting out of the trouble, Buckley then advanced threateningly on the restaurant man and said he would punish him. Under a charge of using abusive and threatening language, he was locked up.

Little was playing cards on the East Side, when his wife telephoned the police Wednesday morning to have him sent home. Little appeared at the station later to ask about the precise



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legal right of the police to come into family affairs.

"What game were you playing?" asked Captain Bailey. "Solo," replied Little.

"For money?" queried the Captain. "Yes—ah—er—no, we were just playing solo," replied Little, and left the station.

O'BRIEN TO SEE COOS BAY

Railroad Head to Inspect Country New Line Will Pierce.

J. P. O'Brien, general manager, and R. B. Miller, traffic manager of the Southern Pacific, expect to leave Portland soon for Coos Bay to make a personal investigation of the territory that will be developed by the construction of the road from Eugene to Marshfield, as announced by the Southern Pacific a few weeks ago. Against the engineers of the company are getting information to be used in preparing contracts for the actual work, which, it is expected, will be started within the next few months.

Several postponements of the trip have been necessary on account of the absence of the officials from the city.

With the ending of the hearing conducted by Franklin K. Lane, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, in this city a few days ago, Mr. Miller finished a six weeks' period in which his entire time was taken up by business growing out of rate legislation and proceedings conducted by various railroad commissions.

His presence was required for three weeks at the conference in Chicago of traffic representatives of all roads affected by the decision in the Spokane rate case, and he was again called home to attend the hearings conducted at San Francisco by Commissioner Lane in the Portland-San Francisco distributive case, and on his return was required to attend hearings in the same case in this city.

BIBULOUS NURSE LET GO

Lena Hansen Drunk After Three Years of Temperance.

"I knew if I didn't come in you would go out and get me," said Lena Hansen, arrested at Third and Burnside streets by Patrolman Johnson on a charge of drunkenness. "I never felt so mean in all my life," she continued, fingering a big bruise under one eye, sustained, she said, in falling from a table. Lena is a nurse of the Sarah Gann type, and fell a victim to potations in the stillness of the night's vigil.

"I had been good for three years," she said, "but I got to drinking again, and it was a mighty good thing they picked me up when they did, for I am a whirlwind when I get started."

Lena's candid penitence won leniency from the court and she went out under suspended sentence.

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