PAY RISE GRANTED

Board of Control Allows Increases for State Employes.

FURTHER ADVANCES LIKELY

Schools for Deaf, Blind, Feeble-Minded, Tuberculosis Hospital and School for Girls Included in Institutions Benefited.

SALEM, Or., April 11-(Special)-Further increases approximating \$3000 a year were granted to state institution mployes by the State Board of Control today. Added to the approximate \$27,000 a year granted at the last meeting of the board this now makes a total of about \$15,000 increase granted. Increases are still to be given to Eastern Oregon State Hospital employes at Pendiston, which may bring the total up to or above the \$44,000 mark an-

The Pendleton institution employes will be placed on the same basis as employes at the central hospital here. It is not known just what the total figures for those employes will be, as no figures were submitted by Superintendent Mc-Nary today, but a fair estimate is given at \$3000 a year. All employes here re-Nary today, but a fair estimate is given at \$3000 a year. All employes here receiving under \$40 per month were increased \$10 monthly at the previous meeting of the board. These employes were receiving mainly from \$30 to \$40 per month, and the wage was so low, superintendents said, it was becoming practically impossible to Reep them on the job.

Superintendent Gilbert Surprises.

The institutions covered today is the increases were the State School for Feeble-Minded, approximately \$2700 in-Freshe-Minded, approximately \$2700 in-crease for the year; State Tuberculosis; Hospital, approximately \$360 increase for the year; State School for the Blind, approximately \$780 increase for the year; State School for the Deaf, ap-proximately \$2880 increase for the year, and State Industrial School for Girls, an increase of approximately \$789 for

an increase of approximately \$780 for the year.

Superintendent Gilbert, head of the State Industrial School for boys, furnished the surprise of the meeting whan he sent word to the board that all of his employes were satisfied and that no increases would be asked there.

The increases at the School for the Dear included some teachers. In the main, however, the increases at all of the institutions cover general classes of the institutions cover general classes of mployes, such as attendants, nurses, gardeners, carpenters and farmers.

Half Hollday Sought.

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Employes of the state printing department also filed a petition with the board asking that they be allowed a half holiday each Saturday to give them further time for working in their war gardena. This request was taken under advisement until the next meeting.

At the Eastern Oregon Hospital it was provided that experienced help shall be started at 146 monthly, instead of \$10, and then given an increase at the end of the month, as is now the practice.

A. M. WRIGHT IS CANDIDATE

Moro Business Man Will Run for State Legislature.

MORO, Or., April 11.—(Special.)—
Voters of all parties from every section of Sherman County met at Moro this afternoon in an endeavor to select a candidate for State Representative for the district embraced by Sherman, Gilliam and Wheeler counties. For several years this county has not been represented directly in the State Legislature. lature, giving the honors to the other two counties of the district.

A. M. Wright, relired farmer, and

in business in Moro, former County Commissioner, was selected by persuasion agreed to make the race, mmediately after his convent was secured a campaign committee was formed and Mr. Wright shies his political hat in the ring, with every voter in Sherman County back of him-

C. A. EPPINGER, BAKER, DIES

Heart Fallure Overtakes Prominent Retired Business Man.

BAKER, Or., April 11 .- (Special)-Charles A. Eppinger died suddenly late yesterday afternoon at his home near this city. His death is attributed to heart failure.

Mr. Eppinger, who was 47 years of age, was for 15 years associated with the Alexander Mercantile Company, of Pendleton. He was engaged in ranchhis mother he is survived by a 15-rear-old son, Eugene C. Epping, of Walla Walla: to sisters, Mrs. R. Alex-ander, of Fendleton, and Mrs. W. J. Patterson, of Portland. Fred W. Ep-pinger, of this city, is a brother. Mr. Eppinger was a member of the Mr. Eppinger was a member of the Pendleton blue lodge and Royal Arch Masons and Baker Commandery of Knights Templar and of the Elka

ENGINEER MAKES PROTEST

Alleged Unfair Treatment.

The Municipal Civil Service Board erranged yesterday to investigate the complaint of C. W. Wanzer, an engineer, who says he has been laid off from his position in the Public Works Department under Commissioner Barbur, while men not so long in the service as he have been retained Mr. Wen. ice as he have been retained. Mr. Wan-zer will be called before the board at its next meeting.

in 1964 as an engineer and has served continuously since then, having charge engineering work for the city

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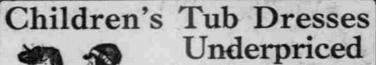
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Girls' Wash Dresses \$1.98 to \$3.00

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to know we have just received a large shipment of the celebrated Reynier French Kid Gloves in the wanted styles and in most desirable shades-tans, grays, browns, also in black and

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Second Floor-Coats that embody the very latest fashion ideas-Coats for motoring, for street, for dress wear-not one or two styles, but a number of smart models at each of the above prices. Dressy high-waist, belted effects with large collars, fancy cuffs, buckles—new pleated models with

convertible collars-new styles with wide belts and tailored cuffs. Materials

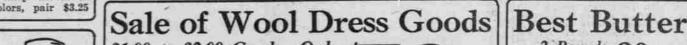
are wool velours, poplins and serges in newest shades for Spring wear.

New Separate Skirts of Silk or Wool

-AT \$5.50-A smart new skirt of black serge with slight fullness at back, neat belt and set-in pockets. A full range of all sizes. Best values. -AT \$7.50-Black Taffeta Silk Skirt with panel front and buck-trimmed with covered buttons. This model is shown in extra sizes only. See them today. -AT \$10.75-Fancy plaid taffeta skirt, shirred top, wide two-piece belts, fancy patch pockets. Attractive colorings. In a full range of all sizes,

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\$1.00 to \$2.00 Grades Only HERE, INDEED, is a sale that will command the attention of every woman who has need for new Spring wearables. Special lines taken from our regular stock -true they are not our newest Spring materials, but they are ideal fabrics for Summer dresses, skirts, waists, etc. The assortment contains \$1.50 Pointelle Voiles-

\$1.75 Dotted Crepes—\$1.75 and \$2.00 French Crepes—\$1.50 Silk Stripe Voiles—\$1.75 Wool Marquisette—\$1.00 Wool Crepes in pink, blue, rose, tan, lavender, nut brown, Nile green and apricot. Strictly high-grade materials. 40 to 44 inches wide. See window. Priced, yard 79c 2 Pounds 90c

Fourth Floor-This is our famous Glenwood brand-always uniform in quality. Friday special, 90c two pounds for low price -No delivery of Butter except with other purchases in Grocery. -CORN FLAKES, Quak-er Brand, special, package 10c -GARDEN SEEDS for that war garden-SEEDS THAT GROW!

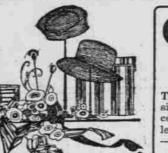


Friday-\$1.69

-THE BASEMENT MILLINERY announces a great two-day sale of Hat Shapes beginning Friday morn ing at 9 o'clock. Over 500 Shapes to be disposed ofmany of them are regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 grades. Straight brims, rolling brims, droops, pokes and dozens of other styles. Black, white and colors. By adding a bit of trimming these may be easily transformed into a semart hat for Spring wear. They come in large, medium or in the small sizes. See them

Millinery Braids— 25c Priced Special, Bolt

-One big lot of Hat Braids in various styles and on sale in the Basement at low price 25¢



Garden Hose 50 ·Ft. Length \$6.75 Special, Only

Third Floor-Black Rubber Garden Hose in %-inch size, 50-ft. length, complete with brass nozzle couplings. Only a limited number of \$6.75 lengths left at this price. Special today at \$6.75 —Complete stock of hose in all sizes and grades.

Lawn Mower \$5.75

-Coldwell Lawn Mower with direct drive gear, adjustable split brass bearings, bottom knife of best tool steel. Eight-inch wheels. Fully guaranteed in every respect. Priced now at \$5.75

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"Business Battalion."

Civil Service Board to Investigate ALARMIST RUMORS DECRIED

CHICAGO, April 11.—Unreserved praise for the high efficiency of President Wilson's "business battalion" was voiced today by A. C. Bedford, president of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, in a speech before the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

"There is too much for each of us to do to listen to the wild stories of the alarmist kind that seem to be the invariable accompaniment of everey war in every country," he declared. "I am not a defender of the men who "I am not a defender of the men who are handling the work of the Government, but I would be lacking in fairness if, after my own experience at Washington. I withheld tribute to those tried and proven generals of our industrial armies who have grappled with the Government's problem and who are silently, quietly and I say here and now, successfully working state outside of the three largest cities. here and now, successfully working

Conserve Gasoline, Is Plea.

cently, declared in a speech that the ship promises to prove a success in every way.

The shippard in which the Falth was

built was put up within a week at a cost of \$22,500. A similar yard for the construction of steel ships of the same tonnage—500 deadweight—would cost, according to the speaker, \$100,000 and would require a year's time to

Mr. Comyn said that at present there is need of Government aid in concre shipbuilding. If the Faith proves se worthy, with Government backing, con rete ships can be turned out in large numbers without interfering with any other branch of the industry or drawing on material needed in building steel or

The Great Lakes shipbuilding plants are turning out two ships every three days, according to John A. Penton. He said that 35 boats would be started toward the Atlantic seaboard May 1 and that 135 more would be ready before

Dr. Charles A. Eaton, head of the National service section of the United States Shipping Board and Emergency Fleet Corporation, said that he wanted to see representatives of labor and capi-tal go to Washington and place them-selves at the disposal of the Govern-ment.

"I want to see a partnership cemented between these men," he said, "which I trust will never be broken asunder when times of peace come."

Aberdeen Teachers Get Rise. ABERDEEN, Wash., April 11 .- (Spe-

Aberdeen teachers the best paid in the state outside of the three largest cities.

Aberdeen War Stamp Sales Grows. While declaring that the petroleum industry will meet every demand made upon it by war time conditions, Mr. Bedford urged the imperative necessity of conservation in the use of gasoline.

W. Leslie Comyn, president of the corporation, which built America's first big concrete ship—the Faith—which was launched on the Facilic Coast re-

OPERATION SOON.

Prisoner Admits Serving Several Priso Terms, but Disclaims Knowledge of Troutdale Job.

Jim Carlin, who is held under guard at the County Hospital while Sheriff Hurlburt's force clears up the safe-cracking at the Fox Bros.' store at Troutdale last Monday night, may undergo an operation to determine whether he was struck by a bullet, as he stoutly maintains. Other suspicious circumstances which might tend to connect Carlin with the safecracking were brought to light yesterday, the officers said.

An examination of the overalls by Deputy Sheriff Schirmer showed them to be streaked with what appeared to he brown soap, of the same color and quality used by the yeggs who blew open Fox Broa.' safe. An analysis of the soap found on his overalls probably will be made.

There was also found in Carlin's pockets a spool of coarse, black thread. A pair of shoes which the safe-crackers left at the detention home Sunday night when they stole some tools and a pair of shoes are patched

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same size and texture as that found in Carlin's pocket.

Carlin's left leg shows what appears to be a lead bullet imbedded directly under the pelvis bone, Deputy Sheriff hristofferson is not yet convinced that One theory is that Carlin may have

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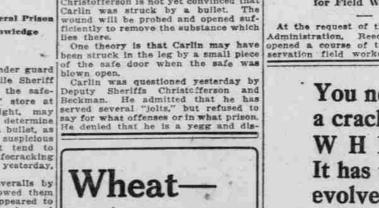
Although an X-ray of the wound in

tificates from Washington, together with authority to aid in future cam-paigns of the Food Administration.

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President William T. Fonter opened the course with a lecture on "The Food Situation in Europe." Other lectures and demonstrations will be presented by Professor Hudson B. Hastings, Professor Hudson B. Hastings, Professor Hudson B. Torrey and Miss Eliza-At the request of the Federal Food
Administration, Reed College has opened a course of training for conservation field workers. Those who Fridays at 3:50 o'clock at the college.

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