

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

Orders for copies of the New Year's Oregonian, which will be issued on January 1, 1916, to be sent to friends, should be sent to the Oregonian at once.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS PLAN FESTIVITIES

Oregon Rose Camp, Royal Neighbors of America is making elaborate preparations for the last meeting in the city.

CHURCH LIVES HOPE

The Christian Church, which erected a church building at Nehalem avenue and Milwaukee street two years ago, has allowed the property to revert to the creditors.

NEW ENGLAND SOCIETY TO MEET

The New England Society will hold its next social on January 27 at Woodmen Hall, East street and Washington street.

FRANK BARSTOW IS PROMOTED

Frank Barstow, who, for the past five years, has been the manager of the wireless station of the Federal Wireless Company at Lents has been promoted.

484 DOLLAR CONTESTANTS REMEMBER

Royal Bread label saving contest closes Monday, December 23. All labels must be in by 11 P. M. of that day.

ROSEBURG COUPLE TO GET POSSESSION OF OLD ORGAN

Dr. and Mrs. George E. Houck will become owners of one of first instruments in Oregon.

ILLINOIS SOCIETY TO MEET

The Illinois Society will hold a regular meeting in the Commercial Club rooms Tuesday evening.

CHRISTMAS SUNDAY TODAY AT UNITARIAN CHURCH

Christmas services will be held today at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. at the Church of the Unitarian at Broadway and Yamhill.

CHRISTMAS CLAM TO HEAR CHILDREN

The Alberta Woman's Improvement Club will meet Tuesday evening in the Vernon Schoolhouse.

THE LANGUAGE OF FLOWERS IS INTERESTING

To all who are free by purchasing your Xmas plants or holly trees from the Swiss Floral Co.

MILTON ST. JOHN TO LECTURE

St. John will lecture tonight on 'The Veiled Prophet' at the Knights of Pythias Hall.

Gift Suggestions From the Shop of Jaeger Bros.

See the new things in sterling table service, including the famous Mary Chilton, the Chatham, the Fairfax, the Lafayette, the Puritan, and others.

Genuine Mahogany Nut Bowl, our own make, plain \$2.50, with sterling mounting, \$3.50.

Casseroles, heavy plate, on sale at \$3.50.

American Sheffield Sandwich Tray, special, each \$2.00.

Bread Plates, quadruple plate of pretty design, \$1.75.

American Sheffield Bon Bon Baskets, special \$2.00.

Sterling Top Jam Jars, with heavy spoon, glass etched, special, each \$2.00.

American Sheffield Cream and Sugar Set, pair \$6.00.

Sterling After-Dinner Coffee Cups, pierced, French china lined \$2.75.

Sterling Salt and Peppers, screw top, pair \$1.25.

See Opposite Side

Our Christmas Trade 61 Per Cent Better Than Last Year. WHY? Jaeger Bros. Special \$100 Diamond Ring is the Gift de Luxe.

JAEGER JEWELRY IS GENUINE



JAEGER BROS. JEWELERS JEWELERS OPTICIANS 'On Portland's Fifth Avenue' 131-133 Sixth Street, Oregonian Building OPEN EVENINGS See Opposite Side

Diamonds

Buy your Diamonds now. We are giving exceptional values in gems of extra colors and brilliancy. Hamilton Thin Model (Gentlemen's) Watch, 12 size, 25-year case, nobby dial, special value at \$28.00.

Ladies' Convertible Wrist Watch, Gruen Movement, 25-year case, very small and exquisite, each \$15.00.

Special - Great showing of Gold Pendants and Chains, large assortment, the very newest designs, choice \$2.75.

Solid Gold Baby Rings, special, each \$1.75.

Solid Gold Necklaces, special, each \$1.50.

Icy Hot Bottles, to keep things hot or cold, best kind made, as low as \$1.50.

8-Day Mantel Clock, cathedral gong, mahogany, priced as low as \$4.00.

Tambour 8-Day Clocks, cathedral gong, each \$10.00.

\$5 for our special Umbrella, with two detachable handles, in gift box.

Umbrellas for Men and Women, sterling mounted handles, as low as \$2.50.

Good Things in the Market for Christmas.

The Portland stores did unusually good business for Thanksgiving and consequently have choice extensive stocks on hand for Christmas.

Supp.

Canned soup, of standard make - Vegetable, chicken, gumbo, julienne, clam chowder, tomato, ox-tail, pea or mullinratatouy, at 20 cents for pints.

Roasts, Turkey, Etc.

Choice rib roast, 23 to 25 cents; legs of lamb, 20 cents; veal roast, 15 to 18 cents a pound.

Vegetables.

Green peas from California, 20 cents a pound; artichokes, two for 25 cents; Brussels sprouts and egg plant, 15 cents a pound.

Olives.

Queen olives, in bulk; extra-large, ripe California olives and stuffed Manzanilla olives, each at 25 cents a pint.

Pudding, Etc.

Very fine fruit or fig pudding, made in Tacoma, in tins, at 15 to 25 cents each. In larger sizes at 55 cents, sufficient for 12 persons.

Fruit Cakes, Etc.

Homemade fruit cake at 50 cents a pound, in seven, five, three and 1 1/2-pound sizes, or sold by the pound.

Edam full cream Kokoko brand.

Edam full cream Kokoko brand, of large size, and Oregon chestnuts, of large size, at \$1.25; pineapple, 70 cents; French Camembert in ten-ounce boxes, 50 cents each.

Imported Japanese chestnuts.

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Spiced currants, cherries, peaches.

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Contractors, We're Simply Snowed Under

Some thirty new homes have been built in LAURELHURST the past few months and they are nearly all sold. We're in an embarrassing position. We've created a wonderful demand for new modern LAURELHURST homes and now we haven't enough houses to show prospects.

The City has begun work on the beautiful artificial lake in LAURELHURST PARK and in three months time LAURELHURST will be enjoying the biggest building boom ever known in this city.

Unless a large number of builders come to its assistance at once the LAURELHURST CO. will itself be forced to go into the building business on an extensive scale.

If you have a good record back of you, we have an extremely attractive opportunity for you in LAURELHURST. Our terms are 10 per cent down, 2 per cent per month after house is completed, with second mortgage privilege, 6 per cent interest.

We will assist you in selecting a plan that WILL SELL and will secure liberal building loan for you. Special house selling department maintained in which we employ some of the highest class salesmen in the city.

Come in at 270 1/2 Stark Street; Main 1503, A 1515, and let's get acquainted. We've just received some classy up-to-date plans. You're welcome to use them free of charge. PAUL C. MURPHY, SALES AGENT.

SELECT FOR OTHERS As You Would For Yourself

Fine Stationery, white and tints, in plain and fancy boxes, 50 cents to \$6 the box. Waterman's and Swan Fountain Pens, in all sizes, styles and points, plain and fancy gold and silver filigree holders.

Writing Sets and Desk Accessories in Leather, Brass and Cut Glass. All prices and in great variety. Many Novelties, both useful and ornamental.

Diaries, Calendars, Fancy Memorandums and other Leather-Bound Books of every description.

Playing Cards and Game Sets of all kinds. Folding Card Tables, Chairs, Game Counters, etc.

Our excellent line of Christmas and New Year's Cards is still complete, but very much in demand; so don't wait till the last minute.

Dennison's Gift Dressings, Seals, Labels, Tinsel, Twine, Tissue and Wrapping Paper.

Everything for the Office

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THE NEW ENGLAND MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

was founded in 1835—its assets today are over \$70,000,000—its surplus \$5,000,000—think of the above when considering insurance.

HORACE MECKLEM General Agent. Northwestern Bank Bldg.

Notice to the Public:

We, the undersigned members of the Retail Meat Market Men's Association, desire to submit to the public the actual facts concerning the difference now existing between the UNION MEAT CUTTERS and our members.

The Union Meat Cutters are unconsciously being exploited by certain so-called Labor Leaders, and have declared us to be unfair to Organized Labor, thereby proving themselves unfair, as they state to the public that they are contending for a ten-hour day, while the real fact is that the half hour contended for is mere subterfuge, and they fully understand that we cannot concede this and do justice to our customers, who require their meats delivered by 6:30 and 7 o'clock in the morning.

Between the hours of 5:00 o'clock and 6:00 o'clock P. M. is also our busy time and all of our men must be on duty at that time. The Union demands a straight 10-hour day, which is impractical to us for the reason that the man who works at 6:00 A. M. must quit work at 5:00 P. M., just when we need him for the evening hours.

We could have conceded even an hour outside of the rush hours, thereby granting the 10-hour day and more, but this would not suffice, as the Walking Delegate will not be satisfied unless we permit him to run our business and he dictate the terms, but we know of nothing in the constitution of this state, or of the United States, that obligates us to concede our rights of citizenship to any Walking Delegate, many of whom may not even be citizens of this country.

We positively refuse to transfer our business to IRRESPONSIBLE AGITATORS, and in the future our business will be absolutely conducted on the OPEN-SHOP Plan, which involves a principle and not a condition.

We will not, however, discriminate against any wage-earner by reason of any affiliation with Labor Organizations, as we make EFFICIENCY the basis of wages and employment, and not the possession of a Union Card.

WE BELIEVE IN THE PUBLIC, and that they should know the facts, inasmuch as false statements have been made against us, and all we ask is that the PUBLIC investigate and accord us the patronage which our position as fair-minded business men and taxpayers deserves, and we respectfully request that the public take no action against any member of our association by reason of BOYCOTT BANNERS, as we favored all be held equally to blame or blameless AS INVESTIGATION determines, and no member favored against the other.

The fair-minded public should investigate the persons or merchants who join the Union as "Silent Partners" by inaugurating a boycott against us by refusing to buy from Open Shop Members, this boycott being the most reprehensible of all and should find no favor with the public. The names of these parties should be given to the public, so it might know who they are. Respectfully,

JONES' MARKET (M. J. Jones). BAY CITY MARKET (Paul R. Spath). VETERAN MARKET (Robt. A. Sawyer). STATE MARKET (Chas. Rudeen). SEATTLE MARKET (Alex. Friedman). T. R. HOWITT.

PEOPLE'S MARKET & GROCERY CO. (J. A. Henry). WHITE HOUSE MARKET (Bennett Brothers). MULTNOMAH MARKET (Park & Kolb). RAY FAIRCHILD. BOSTON PACKING COMPANY. ALDER MARKET (Wm. Constant). GEO. L. PARKER.