

PUBLIC COURSE IN BANKING OFFERED

Chance for Study of Important Subject Is Open to People of Portland.

15 LECTURES TO BE GIVEN

Work Beginning February 14 Is Under Auspices of University of Oregon, With American Institute of Banking Co-operating.

A course in investment banking will be offered to the Portland public, beginning February 14, under the auspices of the extension division of the University of Oregon, the American Institute of Banking co-operating.

Public Interest Housed. Students of financial affairs throughout the country agree that the liberty bond sales, together with other forms of war financing, will serve to arouse public interest in the subject of bonds in general.

Lecture Dates Announced. The lectures will be held at 7 o'clock every Thursday evening in the Oregon building, either in one of the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce or the parlors of the American Institute of Banking.

Photography May Be Studied. Provided as many as 25 apply for it, there will be a course in photography Saturday mornings by Dr. W. P. Boynton, of the science department of the university.

A new course in literature will be given by Mrs. Mable Holmes Parsons on "Versification and Contemporary Poets."

In the music department Dr. J. J. Landis's course in harmony will continue, and W. H. Boyer's two courses will continue, with a new one added in more advanced teaching of music.

A course in general chemistry will begin Monday evening at 7:15 at Lincoln High School, and the class will meet three times a week.

Dr. B. W. DeBusk will give a new education course in "Mental and Physical Tests and Diagnostic Methods," beginning Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

HELEN BRANSON MOE DIES

Bellevue Resident Passes; Survived by Husband and Five Sons.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Helen Branson Moe died at her home at Bellevue, Monday, January 21, the funeral being held at the United Brethren Church at Bellevue, the presiding elder, Rev. H. D. Fatman, preaching the sermon.

She was born at Willamina, Yamhill County, March 4, 1876, the daughter of George and Mary Elizabeth Branson. She was married to Senert Moe February 6, 1896, five boys being born to the union: Jesse, Charles, Ole, Austin and Melvin, all of whom, with the husband, survive and reside at Bellevue. She also is survived by nine brothers and two sisters.

Two Promotions in Day Is Record.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Two promotions in one day is the record set by Walter Dimm, son of J. C. Dimm, editor of the Springfield News and a graduate of the university with the class of 1916, who is now serving with the First Replacement Engineers. Dimm enlisted little more than a month ago, and his initial promotion was to first sergeant. Later the same day he was made sergeant-major of the first battalion. While in the university Dimm was a major of cadets.

Slacker Held as Deserter.

ASTORIA, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—J. J. Miller, who registered at North Yakima, but failed to answer his questionnaire or inform the board of his change of address, was arrested here today by Federal officers on a charge of being a deserter.



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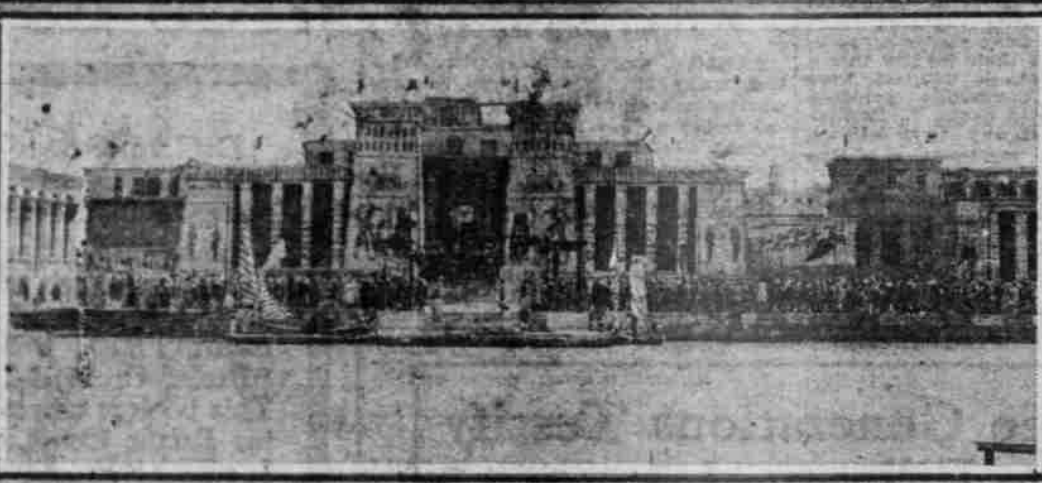
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HOOD RIVER BOYS WRITE

DeWalt Bonebrake and Donald Cochran Are "Somewhere in France."

HOOD RIVER, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—Letters have been received by local friends announcing that DeWalt Bonebrake and Donald Cochran, former Hood River high school students, are "somewhere in France." Young Bonebrake, in aviation service,

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is the son of Rev. P. O. Bonebrake, a United Brethren minister of Portland, who formerly resided on a West Side orchard place. Young Cochran was formerly a star athlete of the local school.

Walter W. Sbay, a graduate of the high school, who was formerly with 11th Company, Oregon Coast Artillery at Fort Canby, was recently transferred to the aviation corps. He writes that he has just reached Springfield, Mass., where he will engage in intensive training.

OIL LANDS UNDER OPTION

Cooa Bay Properties May Be Developed by Outside Capital.

NORTH BEND, Or., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—No less than three firms and individuals are now securing options on land supposed to be oil-bearing in Cooa County. The Powers Investment Company, of Los Angeles, already has secured op-

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tions on about 8000 acres of land in the South Inlet district. J. E. Himes, oil operator of Cheyenne, Wyo., who was here last Summer, in company with the Wyoming state geologist, has, through his local attorney, John D. Goss, taken options on a big acreage.

C. R. Wade and W. W. Button, of Bandon, are also out after options between Beaver Inlet and Bandon. They have refused to make any statement regarding the parties they represent. A North Bend man named Fackler, last Fall put down a shaft to a depth of 200 feet, and although he found

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traces of oil-bearing shale, he was compelled to give up the experiment owing to difficulty in obtaining labor.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Jan. 26.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the Southwest Washington Fair Board held Wednesday, F. B. Hubbard, of Centralia, was reappointed for the coming year, and the secretary, George R. Walker, was also reappointed. The secretary's report was submitted and accepted,

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showing the expenses for 1917 to be approximately \$16,000 and a balance on hand in the fair fund of \$1500.

IMPORTANT NOTICE! Before you go to the closing-out sales or selling-out sales, just step into Factory Sample Shop, 286 Morrison street, between Fourth and Fifth, next to Corbett Building, for a genuine clearing sale, and you will save money and time and go no further for Dresses, Suits, Coats, Skirts and Waists.