

EDWARD MCGINN HOME AFTER NEAR YEAR IN SERVICE

Member of Prominent Portland
Family Was for 11 Months a
Secretary for the K. of C.

WAS IN MANY HOSPITALS

Interesting Experiences of Port-
land Man Are Told; Visited
Some; Enjoyed Papal Audience

With many interesting stories of varied experiences, including a papal audience, a visit to the "Hilltop on the Marne," and chats with a number of world celebrities, Edward Everett McGinn, brother of Judge Henry E. McGinn, a descendant of a pioneer family of Portland, returned recently after 11 months' service in France as a Knights of Columbus secretary. Mr. McGinn sailed last July, arriving in Paris about the middle of August, where he was assigned shortly afterwards to the hospital department in that vicinity.

"My work carried me all around the city of Paris," said Mr. McGinn, "and at different times I was stationed at most of the large hospitals in the district. The first hospital I worked at was at Joinville, No. 41, San Denis, which is one of the largest on the continent, and up to the armistice, accommodated 4000 patients. Then I went to No. 1, Neuilly, which is considered the finest hospital in Paris, and is the most famous in the world for its surgery. Later I was assigned to No. 6, at Bellevue, formerly the Hotel d'Alsace, the property of Isadora Duncan, a famous Parisian dancer. This beautiful place, which is devoted entirely to gas cases, is situated on a high hill overlooking the city, and commands a marvelous view of all Paris.

HELP CARE FOR WOUNDED

"The work of the Knights of Columbus secretaries was the distribution of cigarettes, tobacco, chocolate, candy, writing paper, and other little comforts, and at all times much needed articles. But quite as important, however, was the cheering words and the faculty of getting close to the boys, for each was always eager to tell his little story and his particular participation in the conflict.

"During the tremendous drive of St. Mihiel, and in the Argonne, it was the work of our department to aid in unloading train loads of wounded and to assist in transferring them to ambulances. This work was kept up under a great strain until the signing of the armistice. After that, even though our duties were not quite as strenuous, and even though the condition of the wounded was less serious, we were kept busy all the time. Then the epidemic of influenza filled up all the hospitals again, proving almost as fatal as the wounds from fighting. This terrible condition continued until March.

"After six months of service, I was granted the usual two weeks of furlough, which I spent in Rome. Here I enjoyed many courtesies, especially from the Vatican, which occupied me very kind to Americans in uniform. Papal audiences are given once a week, usually on Sunday, when all American cases, regardless of creed, may obtain invitations through the Knights of Columbus.

SPOKANE MAN IN CHARGE

"In Rome the Knights of Columbus have one of the most complete and capable conducted clubs in all Italy. The secretary in charge is Mr. E. J. Hild, of Spokane. The club, which occupies the Hotel Minerva, is centrally located and equipped with sleeping accommodations for 300 men, with baths and modern conveniences. This is a very rare thing in Europe, and it is considered quite a find to discover bathing facilities of any kind on the continent. Usually you can't find them at all. Breakfast and beds are provided for every man, and coffee and chocolate are served at all hours. As a proof of the true appreciation of these services, a great many officers, captains, majors and colonels are daily guests. Complete guides were always available for trips to the important points about the city.

"In my opinion, the great success of the Knights of Columbus (and they have certainly been successful, as attested by hundreds of returned soldiers) was due primarily to the slogan, 'Everybody Welcome, Everything Free.' It was impossible to buy anything from the Knights of Columbus.

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PORTLAND K.-C. WORKER BACK HOME ONCE MORE



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OREGON COLLEGE IS CLASSED AMONG 10 BEST INSTITUTIONS

For Third Time Corvallis Receives
Rating as 'Distinguished'
by War Department.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, June 16.—Oregon Agricultural college qualified for classification distinguished college.

Thus read a telegram received Sunday by President W. J. Kerr from the war department. This is the third time that the military work of the college has been recognized as in a class with the best institutions in the country. Colonel Partello has applied for three more infantry officers to be stationed at the college as instructors. Five artillery officers are already here, but the need for infantry officers is said to be pressing. Colonel Partello expects his request to be granted promptly.

DEAN BEXELL TO COUPLE

EDUCATION AND PRACTICE
Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, June 16.—To put the United States bureau of markets into closer touch with the marketing business practice needs of the country through the educational institutions, is the object of a trip being made by Dean J. A. Bexell of the college school of commerce, who has been appointed special representative of the United States bureau of markets.

Institutions which Dean Bexell will visit include the agricultural colleges of Washington, Idaho, Utah, Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Ohio, New York and Pennsylvania.

He will attend the National Educational association at Milwaukee, July 1-5, and will spend two weeks in Washington, D. C., returning to Corvallis August 1.

O. A. C. GRADUATES TO ATTEND

SUMMER TRAINING CAMP
Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, June 16.—Two Portland men are among the graduates of the college who will attend the military training camp at the Presidio, California. They are Arthur S. Moulton and Elmer D. Hunter. Other members of the class are Earl A. Hutchings of Corvallis, P. B. Sweeney of Walla Walla, Wash.; Karl F. Newhouse of Ferndale, Cal., and Sigurd W. Lavey of Astoria, Oreg.

They all have been recommended by Colonel Joseph K. Partello for commission, and he had been advised that his recommendations will probably be acted upon soon.

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OPEN ANSWER TO TELEGRAM GIVEN BY OSWALD WEST

Professional Work Done in Coos
County Was Approved by Two
Judges and Reported to Court.

CHARGES SHOWN FALLACIOUS

Alleged Facts Are Either Plain
Lies or Product of Enormous
Ignorance, ex-Governor Says.

For the purpose of correcting certain misstatements which appeared in the Telegram relative to the collection of half a million of back taxes on the Coos Bay wagon road grant, ex-Governor Oswald West addressed the following open letter to the publisher of that paper:

"Portland, Or., June 14.—(To the Editor of the Telegram.)—The Telegram has had occasion to publish several news items, carrying a Marshallfield date line, which purport to give an account of my activities towards collecting a fee for services rendered Coos county in the matter of securing payment of back taxes due on the wagon road grant.

"These Marshallfield dispatches give a thrilling account of my being in San Francisco at the time the Coos county recall election was held, and upon being advised by Marshallfield citizens who were then in San Francisco that the election had gone three to one against Judge Watson, I immediately dropped all business and 'beat it' for Coquille, where I proceeded to demand from the retiring court an exorbitant fee for my services.

"These articles also speak of a letter written by Judge Watson to the incoming court, in which he recommended the payment to me of \$2500 to cover expenses.

"For your information, I wish to say that I was not in San Francisco on nor since the day of election. I met Judge Watson to the court specifically, in San Francisco on May 26 and 27, but as this was about a week prior to the date of the recall election it would have been impossible for them to have given me any such information as intimated in your news report.

ACCOUNT CALLED FALSE

"As to the charge that Judge Watson had written a letter to the new court asking that I be paid \$2500 on account of expenses, it is absolutely without foundation. The letter written by Judge Watson to the court specifically states that I had voluntarily waived any claim for expense money.

"For your further information, I wish to say that while in Washington, D. C., during the month of February, 1918, I received wires from the county judges of Coos and Douglas counties, asking me to represent them in committee, where it had just been reformed. I advised the county judges that I would be pleased to act for them, and proceeded to take such action as would keep the bill alive until a more favorable opportunity for presenting the case of the counties arrived.

"Returning to Oregon, I met in conference with Judges Watson and Marsters and District Attorney Neuberger. A review of action had been discussed and outlined, the question of my fee came up and it was agreed that its determination should be left to the incoming court.

SERVICE PERFORMED

"The service for which I was retained was performed, and with greater success than was anticipated. The counties will receive not only all of the taxes claimed, including penalties, interest and costs—being a sum around \$600,000, but also 25 per cent of the proceeds of all sales of timber made from the grant. The proceeds from these sales will amount to as great a sum as that now being secured in payment of taxes.

"I was in Portland on the day the recall election was held. On the Thursday following, having other business in Coos county, I visited Coquille for the purpose of discussing the status of my fee with the court. As I had agreed to leave its determination to Judges Watson and Marsters, I felt that it was necessary for them to make some finding before the retirement of Judge Watson. At this conference, the question as to whether the entire matter should be finally disposed of by the existing court or the new court was discussed and the judges were of the opinion that inasmuch as I had been employed by the existing court, which was familiar with the details of the transaction, it should take action toward the disposition of the matter. Upon his conferring with the commissioners, it was found that the opinion in this direction was divided. The judges, therefore, after conference with Judge Marsters, decided to confine himself to making and submitting his findings as to the fee to the new court, which was done.

EXMITY IS PERSONAL

"The situation, therefore, is as follows: 1. I was formally employed, by an order of the county courts of Coos and Douglas counties, to render certain service. 2. It was agreed that the judges of the two counties should fix the fee when the service was rendered. 3. The service for which I was employed was rendered, and with satisfactory results. 4. The judges who were to fix the fee fixed it, and their action has been reported to the county courts. 5. While I know there are individuals who for personal reasons would be greatly pleased were I denied a fee for services rendered, and who would enjoy seeing me being used as a football in this transaction, I know that the claim will be given fair consideration by those who will be finally called upon to determine its justness.

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U. of O. Has Named Marion McClain as Graduate Manager

University of Oregon, Eugene, June 16.—Marion McClain, a graduate of the university in 1906, has been elected graduate manager of the university for next year by the athletic council and executive committee of the student body. He succeeds Dean Walker, who took the position during the war year emergency following the resignation of A. R. Tiffany, registrar and graduate manager of the university last year.

The athletic council has had difficulty in the selection of a man for the position and had met several times during the past month without reaching a decision. Don Orput, a graduate of 1915, now assistant in the athletic department; Carl Nelson, a graduate this year, and James Sheely, president of the student body last year, were mentioned in connection with the position, and it was generally expected that one of these men would be selected.

McClain Held the Position of Manager

of the students' cooperative store when it was established on the campus, and later accepted a position in the business office of the university.

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LONG AND SHORT HAULS UP AGAIN

Hearings Have Been Resumed in
Congress on Railroad Question
Affecting Northwest.

Washington, June 16.—(WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE JOURNAL.)—Hearings have begun once more on the long and short haul question, based upon the bill of Senator Poindeux, which was reported late in the last session of congress, to forbid charging more for a short haul than for a longer haul over the same track in the same direction.

This measure has the general support

of the intermountain country, and for the most part is opposed by terminal and coast sections and by shippers who must cover long distances to market. It is a "cost of service" idea, limited to the primary question of distance. Some of the advocates of the Poindeux bill have asserted that there is no real hostility between themselves and the coast region, because, they say, the coast terminals cannot be deprived of their natural advantages, and can protect themselves against the loss of long haul traffic by making fuller use of the water routes.

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Barbecue and Sports To Mark Strawberry Festival in Milton

Milton, June 16.—Milton will celebrate Strawberry day this year Thursday. All plans are made and the affair promises to be one of the biggest ever held here.

A feature is to be a barbecue, which will be free and returned soldiers of the county have been invited to be the guests. The Rev. Leuit. Warren of Walla Walla has been secured as a speaker for the day. There will be races and prizes for all and a water fight between the fire brigades of Milton and Freewater, and a baseball game between the Milton-Freewater team and returned soldiers.

Bade-Harder Nuptials

Milton, June 16.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Harder of this city was the scene of a pretty wedding Friday evening, when their daughter, Miss Ethel Harder, was married to Homer Bade, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bade. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Floyd A. Ross, pastor of the Christian church, after which the newlyweds left for Portland by auto, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. William Harder and Mr. and Mrs. George Bade.

Rev. S. H. Shangle on Trip

Milton, June 16.—Rev. S. H. Shangle, principal of Columbia college, left this week for Pendleton and Boise on a business trip, after which he will go to Richland and dedicate the new Methodist church there.

Accident Injuries

Are Fatal to Boy

Aberdeen, Wash., June 16.—Charles Clark, Montesano high school boy, 17 years old, who received a fractured skull in an automobile accident near Stead last Sunday, died Saturday morning without regaining consciousness. Clark was injured when an auto he was driving went into a ditch, pinning him under the wheel.

July Pictorial Review Patterns Here—Street Floor

Lipman Wolfe & Co.
"Merchandise of Merit Only"

**All-Wool Dress
Goods \$4 Yard**

—Wool taffetas, prunellas, serges and poplins in the shades that women of fashion are demanding—tan, navy, brown, wistaria, Copen, sand and green.

—These all wool fabrics are especially desirable for one piece dresses and capes.
—48 and 54 inches wide.

Second Floor—
Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

**Stamped Centers
and Scarfs 49c**

—Take a bit of needlework to improve spare moments. On your vacation trip. These scarfs and centers are stamped for simple embroidery stitches such as:

—Cross-stitch, lazy daisy, outline and scalloping. Simple—but wonderfully effective.

—36-inch centers and 18x45-inch scarfs.

Fifth Floor—
Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

**Sixty Handsome Suits
Reduced Tuesday to \$35**

—The first sixty women to visit the section Tuesday will be the fortunate ones—for not in months have there been such suits values at this store, or hereabouts. And, no matter what we say of them, we expect you to be pleasantly surprised when you see them.

—Substantial serges and checks are the fabrics that go to make up these astoundingly good suits.

—They are black and navy serges, and brown and white and black and white checks, in the smartest tailored styles.

—Box styles, plain tailors and pleated models. Every suit is beautifully lined and effectively trimmed with tucks, buttons or pleats.

—These are individual suits for individual types.

3d Floor—Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

**Genuine Leather
Purses, \$1**

—A right new assortment of genuine leather bags and purses we have just received and offer at the extremely low price of \$1.

—They are neatly fitted with mirror and coin purse, and some have extra patent safety fasteners.

—Remarkably good values.

Street Floor—
Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

**Overalls, Creeper
and Rompers \$1**

—Jim Dandy overalls for youngsters, 3 to 8. Regulation bib style with buckles and straps trimmed with red, tan, khaki or blue Stiefel cloth.

—Creeper and rompers in sizes 1 to 6. Creeper are pin stripes and plain colored chambray.

Rompers in combinations of plain colors, round and square neck.

Fourth Floor—
Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Linens

That will make any bride proud to open her linen closet for her friends' inspection—the finest kinds, including the famous Cervyale linens here only.

—Second Floor
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Luggage

that will make all your trips equal the "honeymoon"—because the end of your journey will find your clothes uncrushed and not dusty. See the Menard-Drucker trunks.

—Fifth Floor
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Lingerie

—Always a most important feature of the trousseau—trape de Chine underthings—and we've hundreds of new ones, exquisitely dainty. And the latest new-made Philippine garments.

—Fourth Floor
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Apparel

plays its own part in the trousseau—and a most important one. We will help you select the right frock, suit, coat, cap, skirt, blouse for all occasions and assortments are excellent.

—Third Floor
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A Splendid Assortment of French Pearls—\$135 Up

—What gift could be more appropriate than a strand or several strands of these exquisite pearls to grace the throat of a June bride? These pearls are made from the scales of fish found in Russian waters, sent to France and made into pearls that are as nearly like real pearls as it is possible to make them. They are in pure white, flesh and pink shades, some with diamond studded clasps.

—Street Floor, Lipman, Wolfe & Co.

Hosiery

to match the several pairs of shoes and slippers so indispensable to a complete trousseau. Beautiful new lace stitch stockings and clocked hose and plain hose in all wanted colors are here.

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Toiletries