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## CITY NEWS

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### Auburn Is The Place

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**York, Nebraska, Editor Here**—T. E. Sedgwick, York, Nebraska, is a Salem visitor. There are a number of former residents of York now living in Salem, quite a colony of them, and Mr. Sedgwick is made to feel at home here. He was for a long time publisher of the York Republican, the principal newspaper of that thriving Nebraska city. He has disposed of his newspaper property, however, and is more or less footloose. It is hoped that his old York neighbors in Salem may induce him to take up his residence in this city. Mr. Sedgwick has already come to the conclusion that Salem is one of the finest looking cities he has ever visited.

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### BORN

WHITE—To Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. White, February 9, 1918, a daughter, to be called Lola Irene.

### DIED

MADDOCK—At the residence of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Maddock, 1110 Center street, Tuesday, February 12, 1918, at about 9:50 o'clock in the morning, Gwena Maddock, who was 12 years old.  
The body will be taken to Portland this morning on the 9:45 o'clock Oregon Electric train for burial. Funeral services will be held at the Finley chapel, followed by interment in a Portland family plot.

**Niemeyer at Independence**—Charles W. Niemeyer of Salem addressed a large audience in a theater at Independence, Sunday and as a result of the meeting over \$70 was procured for the Red Cross, the address having been in behalf of that organization. While at Independence Mr. Niemeyer was the guest of Major and Mrs. Lewis L. Rose.

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**Convention Coming Soon**—An Epworth League and Sunday school convention will be held at the German Methodist church February 26 to 28. From 35 to 40 delegates will be present. Rev. M. Roeder is arranging for their entertainment. During the day papers will be presented and at the evening ministers will preach.

**Collegian Not Published**—The Willamette Collegian, published by the students of Willamette university, will not be published today, owing to the fact that the past week has been devoted to examinations.

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**Oregon Patents Granted**—Reported weekly by Beale & Park, solicitors of patents, Washington, D. C. Chester H. Beardsley, Arlington, vehicle-signal. Paul A. Jones, Irigoin, umbrella. Ralph W. King and H. C. Miller, The Dalles, evaporator. Howard J. Lambert, Portland, direction indicator. Pete Valoon, Portland, hand-printing machine. Puritan Milk Co., Portland, label granted for beverages and non-alcoholic drinks as follows: "Puritan Brand," Mount Hood Soap company, Portland, trademark granted for lubricant used as a substitute for oil. James O. Kafader, Fort Bidwell, California, fish-screen.

**Funeral Held Yesterday**—Services over Mrs. May Audley, 44 years old, who died in Salem, were held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Rigdon chapel. Her husband, George Audley, came from Astoria for the funeral. Rev. H. N. Aldrich was in charge and burial took place in Lee Mission cemetery.

**Brock Funeral Today**—The funeral of the late Norman Brock of Marion who died Saturday at the Salem hospital, will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Rigdon funeral establishment. Burial will be in Odd Fellows cemetery. He is survived by a brother S. Brock.

### PERSONALS

D. B. Jarman, manager of the J. C. Penney company, made a business trip to Dallas Monday.

Mrs. H. L. Fenton and Mrs. Frank Wood of Dallas were in Salem Tuesday visiting with friends.

J. I. Foskett of Portland is at the Argo hotel.

C. W. Hersell left yesterday over the Oregon Electric railway for Spokane.

H. Basie was a passenger yesterday morning on the Oregon Electric train for Bremerton, Wash. "Tom" Anderson, formerly of Baker, now of Portland, arrived in the city accompanied by his wife. Mr. Anderson will remain in Salem for a short time, as he is engaged in buying up stocks of goods from retiring merchants and reselling to job lot concerns.

V. J. Philippi of Stayton is a guest of the Bligh.

C. H. Weider of Albany is registered at the Bligh.

Fred Wessel of Toledo, Or., is at the Bligh.

J. L. Falk and E. L. Harris of Astoria are stopping at the Bligh.

Roy Millard and wife and Miss Mildred Miller are here from Chicago on a short visit to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Owen of New York are guests of the Bligh.

Mrs. Allen Johnson, Monmouth, is registered at the Bligh.

Thelma Marks is a guest of the Hotel Bligh from Monmouth.

C. A. Finley and wife, and Miss Finley, Lewis Adamson and D. C. Ramsaver of Portland are registered at the Bligh.

Hugh Smith of Silverton is at the Bligh.

Henry Pierson of Seattle is at the Bligh.

C. Snyder of San Francisco is a guest of the Bligh.  
Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mendelsohn, E. C. Pinkerton, Y. Himma, S. H. Kinney and A. A. Pim of San Francisco are at the Marlon hotel.  
E. E. Behrrell, W. C. Schappell, W. F. Jeffrey, C. T. Jones, H. B. Allen, F. H. Thompson, J. M. Keeney, J. Foraythe, Ben Rhyse of Portland are registered at the Hotel Marlon.  
H. H. Stickley of Sweet Home is at the Marlon.  
C. B. Nourse of New York is a guest of the Marlon hotel.  
H. D. Waldron of Tacoma is at the Marlon.  
O. B. Frank of Roseburg is quartered at the Marlon.  
George L. Polmanre of Soapville, Ind., is at the Marlon.

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### NEW SEMESTER IS NOW OPENED

**Willamette University Students Hear Letter from President Doney**

Chapel exercises of Willamette university were held Tuesday morning, opening work for the second semester. Most of the old students were back and several new students entered the university for mid-year work.  
One of the most interesting features of the chapel exercises was a letter to the student written by President Doney, who is en route to France to take up work for the Y. M. C. A. The letter was written from New York. It was read by Acting President Alden.

A second letter was read to the students which was sent to President Doney from John R. Mott, international Y. M. C. A. secretary in charge of war work expressing his appreciation of Dr. Doney giving his time and work to the Y. M. C. A. cause. In part the letter was as follows:  
"On behalf of the national war work council, I want to tell you that we are very grateful that Willamette university has granted you the necessary leave of absence and that you are giving yourself to us in service to our soldiers overseas."  
"We believe that you will render great service and after your return, your service in this country will be broadened because of this new experience."

Dr. T. B. Ford, district superintendent of the Methodist church, Salem district, gave an interesting talk on "Abraham Lincoln" in commemoration of his birth.  
A Rev. Mr. Green of Goldendale, Wash., was on the program.

**Willamette Personals.** Miss Hazel White, of Olympia, Wash., is among the new students entering Willamette university for the second semester.

Miss Mildred Johnson, of St. Paul, Ore., has entered the university.

Miss Margaret Goodin will resume her studies this semester.

Ben Maxwell who has been a student at Oregon Agricultural college for the past year, will enter the university for the second semester.

Paul Day, who hails from Bremerton, Wash., came to Salem, to look over the university and decided he liked the place, so he signed up for work during the second semester.

Mrs. Gertrude Shisler, of Harrington, a former student in Willamette will resume her studies. She will enter the senior class.

### Luther J. Chapin Speaks to Salem Floral Society

Luther J. Chapin, former county agricultural agent, gave an address on "War Gardening" before the Salem Floral society at its meeting in the Salem Commercial club auditorium Monday night. Mr. Chapin emphasized three points in his speech, gardening for profit, gardening for pleasure and health, and gardening for patriotism.

In the development of his subject the speaker dwelt at some length on soils, their treatment, drainage by sub-irrigation instead of ordinary methods, the breaking of ground intended for garden purposes in the fall or winter. He somewhat surprised a large part of his audience when he told them a compost of dried leaves and ashes makes the very best kind of fertilizer, barring the more expensive kinds. Most people after the winter has passed, and real spring comes, have the bad habit of raking the dried leaves into piles and burning them—a rank waste of good material, according to Mr. Chapin, that costs no more to spread on the garden patch and not so much effort as to wheel out into the streets and waste a lot of matches and paper to make a small sized conflagration, which does nothing but scent the whole neighborhood for days.  
"In the first place plant spuds,

and then some more spuds," said Mr. Chapin. "This is a war necessity, leaving those raised for commercial purposes for army use; then asparagus, rhubarb, and last of all but not the least, make a horse radish bed, and when you have used all you want during the season, pull up the plants and plant them again in the spring. Many leave these plants in the ground all winter, which is a great mistake."

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**Dozen Scout Troops Is Goal for Marion County**  
Salem Boy Scouts are continuing their campaign to enlist more members and their search for available men for scout masters. The intention is to organize four or five more troops in Salem and a number in other places in Marion county until the county has at least a dozen troops.  
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**Riggs' Candidacy for Legislature Announced at Business Men's League**

### MERCHANTS WILL FIGHT

**Trading Stamp Interests Expected to Attempt Invasion at Session**

Announcement was made at the meeting of the Salem Business Men's league last night that Z. J. Riggs, Salem druggist and a member of the league is to be a candidate for the state legislature. Mr. Riggs will seek the Republican nomination at the primaries in May.  
This will be Mr. Riggs' first venture into state politics. Sentiment in Mr. Riggs' favor was generally expressed last night. Business interests of the state expect to have a hard fight or two on their hands at the coming session and it is believed that Mr. Riggs will be a fair representative of the business men.

**Denton Sounds Warning**  
At the meeting last night Walter A. Denton sounded a warning that business men of the state, particularly the merchants, must be organized to combat various things that are expected to appear before the 1919 session. The trading stamp forces, defeated in 1917, have threatened to come back with strengthened forces, and the business men expect to be on their guard against an invasion from this quarter. Because 1919 is a session year the annual convention of the Oregon State Grocers' association will probably meet in Salem. At least the Salem delegation to the Portland convention which meets in a few days will urge its being brought here so that a stronger front may be presented against detrimental legislation. The date for the Salem convention, if it is held here, will be fixed for three days including the last day for introducing bills in the legislature.

**Attorney Wiest Resigns**  
The resignation of W. A. Wiest as attorney for the business men's league was presented and accepted last night, Mr. Wiest having resigned because of his new position as deputy clerk of the supreme court. The selection of his successor is left to the board of directors of the league.

**Speaking of the coming Portland convention, Mr. Denton last night urged as many members of the league as possible to attend. He said that any member in good standing will be entitled to a voice and a vote in the proceedings.**

**Patton Kids 'Em Along**  
Hal D. Patton presided last night in the absence of Director Fullerton. As usual Hal D. "kidded" the boys along and selected subjects as embarrassing as possible for the several members called upon to speak.

Mr. Patton asked Mr. Riggs to speak on his candidacy for the legislature. Mr. Riggs replied that his bottle of campaign thunder has not yet been uncorked, but that when the cork goes off something is going to spill.

T. F. Rhoden, a representative of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, now making his home in Salem, spoke to the members at length on the thrift stamp sale.

Virtually all military aviators actively engaged in the war have masochists to safeguard them in their flights. If they did not, air casualties would be far heavier; at least, that is the opinion of every genuine flying man, and particularly every "old hand" at the game.

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### FINAL TEST TO BE ON WESTERN FRONT

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received today from Minister Vo-picka at Jassy, Rumania.  
Such consular officers as the United States happens to have in Ukrainian territory will be retained at their posts in accord with all usages in the case of the establishment of new governments, but this cannot be taken to mean even a de facto recognition. Official confirmation that either France or Great Britain had recognized the new Ukrainian government was still lacking today.

The one clear thing in the whole situation from a military point of view is that the struggle has narrowed down to a western front of which the Italian theater already has been officially recognized as a portion by the allied chiefs. The final test of arms is to come on that front.

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