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CITY NEWS

THEATRES

OREGON—State street near O. E. depot. Home of Arter and Paramount pictures. Seneca Hayakawa in "The City of Dim Faces."

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Dr. Schenk's Office—Will be closed from August 3 to September 8.

Mrs. Dodd To Speak—Mrs. Alice H. Dodd will be the principal speaker at a meeting of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Parents' club tonight. Additionally a short literary and musical program will be given. The meeting will be in the auditorium of the Commercial club.

Dr. C. H. Schenk's—Hydro-electric Therapeutic Institute will be closed from August 3 to September 8.

Higher Gas Rate Asked—Applications of the Oregon Power company for an increase in gas rates in Oregon towns were filed with the public service commissions yesterday. One of the applications asks for an increase at Eugene and Springfield and another for an increase at Marshfield and North Bend.

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Hearing Date Set—The public service commission yesterday set Saturday, September 23, as the date for hearing of an application of the Gresham Lumber company for a booming franchise. The company asks the right to boom and drive logs on Grift creek, Alsea river and Alsea bay. The hearing will be held at Newport.

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DIED

JETTE—In Salem, August 5, 1918, at the Willamette Sanatorium, Mrs. Hazel Helen Jette who was 17 years old.

Mrs. Jette, who was Miss Hazel Arnold before her marriage, was a bride of six months. She formerly lived in Salem although she recently lived at Seaside.

Besides her husband, she is survived by her parents, six brothers and three sisters. The body will be taken to Portland by Webb & Clough where the funeral will be held today.

Camp Stoves—And camp furniture at E. L. Stiff & Son's, 446 Court street.

Neat Sum for Battalion—While all the figures have not been lined up, it is known that the Salem battalion of Oregon Guard will receive something like \$60 as its share of the war address of Mike O'Rourke given Monday night at the armory.

Cheap Tents—At E. L. Stiff & Son's, 446 Court street. Just received, 25 second hand ones.

Must Rush Muslin—A call for quick shipment of all the muslin garments and bandages on hand at the Red Cross headquarters has just been received by Mrs. W. H. Dancy, head of the supply department. She has requested that all having materials out hasten completion of the articles they are making.

Selling for Cash—Commencing July 1 we established our business on a strictly cash basis. Patton's Book Store.

Births and Deaths—During the thirty-day period just ended there have been recorded twenty-three deaths in Salem and immediate vicinity, there being fifteen women as against eight men. At the same time there were recorded twenty-eight births, in the community, fifteen of them being boys and thirteen girls.

New Lines of Study—The office of County Superintendent Smith has been busy of late in blocking out special work for the rural school teachers, embracing the four studies, reading, arithmetic, language and geography. This is being done with a view of facilitating the teaching of these branches throughout all the grades in the rural schools.

Idaho Men Go South—A special train carrying upwards of a thousand drafted men from Idaho passed through the city yesterday on its way to camp Fremont, Cal. They were a wild, hilarious lot, as hot on the trail of Kaiser Bill as an Ayerdale pup after a coon. One of the cars bore the placard, "Hun Hunters." Among the number was a former Salem boy—Christie Neff—who was given a warm reception by friends and relatives.

At the Court House—An order was issued releasing from service Edward Uppendahl, executor of the estate of William Uppendahl, deceased. Complaint was filed in the case of Ed Wert, Decree of divorce granted in the case of Elsworth Riches against Nina Riches. The couple were married in 1915 and have but one child. Plaintiff alleges desertion. Final account filed by administratrix in the estate of Thomas H. Blundell, deceased. Marriage licenses issued to James W. Anderson, of Portland, and Ruth Kress, of Salem; to Rollin C. Edmund and Lorena May Allen, both of Salem; to Oliver M. Shields, of Portland, and Minnie E. Allen, of Silverton.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Mills are here from Portland passing the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mills.

Mrs. C. Staffin, Mrs. C. D. Forette, Mrs. T. J. Hansen and Miss Laura Beebe were Dallas people visiting in Salem yesterday.

Mrs. Edna Ensley and Miss Velma Ensley, of Oreg., were transient visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. D. Mars came in from Ger-vaux Tuesday stopping briefly in Salem.

B. F. Russell, of Albany, was in Salem on business Tuesday.

W. H. Pudy was one of the Woodburn citizens stopping in Salem yesterday.

F. W. Stensloff spent Tuesday in Portland on matters pertaining to the council of Defense.

E. E. Rorapough, one of Eugene's real estate and insurance men, spent Tuesday in Salem looking after business matters.

Manager Robert Paulus, of the Salem Fruit Union, returns this morning from a tour of southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Perrine, of Roseburg, have just moved their household effects to Salem and will make their home here. Mr. Perrine is associated with H. L. Marsters in the real estate business.

W. M. Hamilton of the Portland Railway Light & Power company, spent Tuesday in Portland on business.

Mayor J. N. Young of Mount Angel transacted business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. George Shaw returned to her home in Ogden yesterday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hill.

Mrs. L. G. Curtis and daughter left yesterday for a visit of several days in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kaiser, of Macleay have just received word from their son Fred Kaiser, stating that he had arrived safely in France. He is connected with the aviation corps.

Miss Sophia Townsend, a former Salem teacher now an instructor in the Tacoma high school, has recently arrived in the city for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. D. D. Keeler, who is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. White left yesterday.

\$5-CHARGE IS DOWN AND OUT

Service Commission Permanently Suspends Car-Weighing Costs

Permanent suspension of the charge for the weighing of cars by the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company was ordered by the public service commission yesterday. On two previous occasions the commission suspended the operation temporarily pending the investigation which has resulted in the permanent order.

The commission holds that the railroad company has not justified the rate charged, and the commissioners say that at the hearing in the case the company's representatives made their argument almost entirely one concerning the commission's jurisdiction instead of arguing on the merits of the case. Charges have been made by the company only when cars were weighed at the request of the consignor or takes the position that compensation for the consignor, but the commission to the company for weighing cars, even when requested, should be covered by the general freight rate increase of the railroad administration.

terday, in company with Mrs. E. J. Ray, for a visit of several weeks at Newport.

H. A. Marsh of Port Orford, Curry county, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Marsh formerly was assessor of Curry county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Beads, of Portland, were among the guests at the Bligh hotel last night.

W. L. Sharp of Corvallis, visited briefly in Salem yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bayley and Miss Madeline Bayley, of John Day, Or., were guests at the Marion hotel yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Botsford, of Portland, were among the recent arrivals in Salem.

Max Solof, the junk dealer charged with purchasing material from a minor without proper investigation, will appear before Recorder Earl Race for hearing and a jury trial this morning.

Escapes Also During Time of Mr. McKinnon

A Statesman reporter, in yesterday's paper, interviewing M. J. McKinnon, former warden of the Oregon penitentiary, quoted him as saying that there was a single escape from that institution while he held the place as warden, about nine years. Mr. McKinnon's memory is defective. There were a number of escapes during that period; nine or more—probably a good many more. The record does not give account of the return of several of the escapes. There have always been escapes from the penitentiary. Some people talk as if they think the trusty system there is a new thing. It is not. It has existed throughout all the administrations. And there have been escapes in all administrations.

NOTABLE FRUIT MEN TO ARRIVE HERE TODAY

(Continued from page one)

culturist of Kelowna, B. C.; R. L. Ringer, bureau of United States Department of Agriculture; E. R. Bennett, field horticulturist of the University of Idaho; O. B. Whipple, professor of horticulture, Montana Agricultural college; R. J. Barnett, professor of pomology, Washington

State university, and M. C. Merrill, professor of horticulture, Utah Agricultural college.

Mr. Ringer is the man who built the Waite Memorial fountain in Willson park and he was formerly sporting editor of The Evening Telegram.

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KILLS 2, THEN SLAYS HIMSELF

William Crane of McTimmonds Valley, Polk County, Enacts Tragedy

DALLAS, Ore., Aug. 6.—William Crane, a Polk county farmer, living in the McTimmonds valley community, southwest of Dallas, late yesterday afternoon shot and killed his son, James, his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Claude Crane, and himself, following a series of quarrels between the two men.

Claude Crane, another son, came home at 5 p. m. from work in a distant field and found his brother shot dead lying near the family automobile and his wife and father shot dead, lying inside the triple crime had apparently been committed was found under the body of the elder man with four chambers discharged. In the family automobile were piled the belongings of the dead youth and the engine of the auto was still running. At the coroner's inquest it was suggested that the father and son had quarreled; that the son had killed when in the act of leaving, and that the murder of the daughter-in-law and the suicide of the old man followed in the frenzy of the latter.

During the late afternoon three shots were heard by a neighbor and other neighbors saw the two men at work in the field part of the afternoon. The bodies were brought to this city and after the coroner's inquest were prepared for burial by Undertaker R. L. Chapman. The coroner's jury decided that the elder Crane had committed the triple crime.

AT THE OLD HOME

Written by the old fire place of the Hatch home 636 North Front street, Salem, Oregon, August 4, 1918.

So the dear old home is gone and I stand here alone. I call aloud "Mother, my mother." But she does not seem to hear. The fire place is dark. The house seems still as if some evil spirit hovered near.

This is the place where father knelt each day, and asked God's blessing on his little ones. Here is the place where mother ere she died said: "Father keep my children as long as they shall live." And so we loved the home for her dear sake. But now 'tis gone, taken away by strangers, while God seems very far away, and life seems dark. Never again to say, "This is my house." God help us all.

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