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CITY NEWS

THEATRES

OREGON—State street near O. E. depot. Home of Artcraft and Paramount pictures. Charles Ray in "A Nine O'clock Town."
LIBERTY—Liberty near State street. High class reels. Sessue Hayakawa, in "His Birthright."
BLIGHT—State between Liberty and High. Mutual and Bluebird films. Special films. Robert Warwick, in "The Argy Case."

Second Hand—Camp furniture at E. L. Stiff & Son, 446 Court St.

Another is Independent—Certificate of nomination of Enoch E. Mathison by individual electors for the office of state senator from the 15th senatorial district, comprising Clatsop county, was filed yesterday at Secretary of State Olcott's office.

Trespass Notices—On cloth. The kind that lasts. Statesman job office.

Have 30-Day Furlough—Verne and Francis Wikoff arrived in Salem Wednesday from the Bensonhurst naval base in New York. They are on a furlough of 30 days and are at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Wikoff, northeast of Salem.

Camp Stoves—E. L. Stiff & Son, 446 Court St.

Home on Furlough—Thomas C. Wood, who is in the navy on the battleship Connecticut, arrived in Salem on a furlough last Tuesday from Philadelphia to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Wood. He has been in the service about 13 months. He was met in Portland by his father who was in Astoria when informed that his son was coming home.

Receipts, Notes and All Blanks—At Statesman job office.

McMinnville Elks Coming—McMinnville Elks have voted to come to Salem on Elks day at the state fair, which is next Thursday. Almost the whole McMinnville membership is coming. Thirty-five members of the Salem Elks went to McMinnville Thursday night and extended an invitation in person. Thirty liberty girls from McMinnville will accompany the lodgement.

Dr. Alice Bancroft—Eyes and nerves. Breyman Bldg.

An Unusual Bargain—A \$750 Singer player piano for \$582—an exception buy for anyone desiring a high grade instrument. E. L. Stiff & Son, 446 Court street.

Construction Held Up—Construction of the proposed overhead crossing at Divide Lane county, is being delayed because of inability of the Lane county court and the Southern Pacific company to agree on the extent to which the county shall assume liability after completion of the crossing. Contracts for construction were let recently by the state highway commission.

Bigger and Better—Ward's Drug Store. New Location, first door east of Grey-Belle confectionery.

Riches in Service—Another star has been placed in the service flag of the Oregon State Editorial association. Lloyd Riches, secretary of the association, and advertising manager of the Oregon City Enterprise, has been accepted for limited service and assigned to a Vancouver barracks. He had made two previous efforts to get into the service, but was rejected for a slight physical disability. E. E. Brodie has been appointed to serve as secretary of the association in Mr. Riches' place.

Closing out Wall Paper—Wholesale cost and less. Imperial Furniture Co.

Wool Remnant—New Lot Just Arrived. Remnant Store, 254 N. Com'l St.

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Big Dance—Tonight. At Moose hall.
Mail at Fair Grounds—Mail will be delivered and collected at the fair grounds during fair week, the same as it is handled in the city. Trains will stop to receive it also and a regular post office station will be conducted.

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Dozen Questionnaires In—Up to last night a dozen questionnaires completely filled out had been returned to the local draft board. The legal advisors were already at work aiding registrants in filling out the blanks.

Furniture Sale—Greatest furniture sacrifice of the year. Entire furniture stock of Imperial Furniture Co., now being closed out by Feldstein-Dreikow Co., 177 North Liberty street, Salem.

Dr. Fined Yesterday—Dr. H. Garnjost paid a \$5 fine in the municipal court yesterday for driving an automobile having no red tail light on Thursday night.

Irrigation—Even numbers on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday. Odd numbers on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday.
Even numbers are on south and east side of street. Odd numbers are on north and west side of street.

Miss Barton To Teach—Miss Lucile Barton has been appointed instructor in voice and theory at Willamette university for the coming year. She is now in Schenectady, N. Y., but will return shortly. Miss Barton until recently has lived in Salem.

Legal Blanks—Get them at the Statesman job office. Catalog on application.

Automobile Located—The automobile belonging to G. A. McKay of the state training school which was reported missing a few nights ago, was located late Thursday night at Hopner by A. E. Harris. He reported that it had been standing in the road just north of town the entire day.

Cars of Apples Shipped—The Salem Fruit union yesterday completed the shipment of two carloads of Gravenstein apples to San Francisco. The fruit brought from 30 to 40 per cent more than in past years, the cars averaging with all sizes \$1.50 a box. Some went as high as \$1.75 each.

PERSONALS

J. C. Lowe of Corvallis registered at the Bligh yesterday.

Dora Johnson and Effie Morgan registered at the Bligh from The Dalles last night.

J. Sorenson of Hillsboro passed the night at the Bligh.

H. H. Lowe, principal of the Falls City high school stopped at the Bligh last night.

A. C. Amon and family were Kennewick, Wash. visitors at the Bligh yesterday.

R. J. Ruby was in from Silvertown and registered at the Bligh yesterday.

Two Albany visitors at the Bligh yesterday were T. R. Wyatt and A. L. Wilbur.

George W. Taylor, W. W. Cummings and George F. Houghton are stopping at the Bligh while here from Eugene to do some decorating work at the state fair.

W. A. Burr from Roseburg was at the Marion over night.

L. Eugene Robinson of Oregon Agricultural college was a visitor at the Marion last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard J. Allen also registered at the Marion from Corvallis.

Winnie Braden and Mrs. J. E. Goetz, manager of the Polk county booth at the state fair, are here from Dallas to prepare the exhibit. They are at the Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Kellaway and J. M. Ward from Tasmania, Australia, are stopping at the Marion for several days.

Mrs. T. G. Bligh and her grandson Donald Gregor, have gone to Canada for a two months' trip visiting relatives in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and British Columbia. They will return by way of Vancouver.

Attorney J. R. White of Albany is in the city awaiting the next case scheduled for the circuit court. He will act as one of the attorneys in it.

Miss Edith Graham of Indianapolis was in the city yesterday as the guest of Professor Della Crowder Miller. The visitor is a vocal teacher and is on her way to Eugene to join her sister, who lives there.

Eight Sacks Clover Seed Taken From White Warehouse

Eight sacks of clover seed were found to be missing from the warehouse of D. A. White & Sons yesterday and it is presumed that the building was burglarized. White Chief of Police J. A. Poland was making an investigation in the building when he stepped into a hole in the floor and suffered a badly sprained ankle. It is doubtful if he will be able to go to his office today.

MILL STRIKE BEING BREWED

ABERDEEN, Wash., Sept. 20.—Circulars urging a general strike until October 1, in protest against "the acts of the capitalist class in imprisoning Haywood, Debs and Mooney," were scattered broadcast last night among the mills in this district by persons whose identity had not been learned up to tonight. Demand was made in the circulars that all citizens prisoners be set free. The circulars bore the imprint of the International Printing company, of Butte, Mont.

QUARTZ ROCK IN PEANUT BUTTER

Health Officer Reports That Substance Is Not Glass, as Suspected

DALLAS, Or., Sept. 20.—(Special to the Statesman.)—Sheriff John W. Orr received a report from Dr. Robert Holt, state health officer, this morning of his examination of a portion of the can of peanut butter sent him last week by the Polk county official for examination. The peanut butter was purchased by Thomas R. Smith at an Alrie store and when opened by the family was found to contain a foreign substance that greatly resembled glass. Mr. Smith immediately brought the butter to this city where Sheriff Orr examined it and sent it to the state official for an official analysis.

Dr. Holt reported that the butter did not contain any glass but had in it a quantity of ground quartz which however does not seem to be like glass hence no danger is occasioned by the use of the butter. It is best, however, to let the product alone if this substance is found in it. Dr. Holt further states that as a large amount of the peanuts used in the manufacture of the product is shipped from southern states where the quartz rocks are in abundance the machines for cleaning the peanuts before being ground up fail to clean them properly and they are ground up with the food. He also states that during the past several months he has examined a quantity such butter and found that the foreign looking glass substance was nothing but quartz rock.

AT THE LIBRARY

"Over Periscope Pond; Letters from Two American Girls in Paris; Esther Rott and Marjorie Crocker; "Front Lines," clever little stories of trench life, amusing, pathetic, but always inspiring by Boyd Cable. "History of the World War," vol. 2, by Frank Simonds. Vol. 2 is entitled "The Making of Middle Europe."
"History of the Pacific Northwest" a new edition by Professor Schaffer.
"Tales of the Home Folks in Peace and War" by Joel Chandler Harris.
"The Boardman Family," a new novel by Mary Watts.
"For the Older Children."
"Pecky of Roundabout Lane" by Tarplin.
"The Long Journey" by Elsie Singmaster.

Another Polk County Man Fine for Leaving Fire

DALLAS, Or., Sept. 20.—(Special to the Statesman.)—J. A. Riddell, a prominent Polk county farmer and stockraiser of the Monmouth neighborhood, was arrested and brought to Dallas this week to answer a charge of having left a camp fire burning in the Sitka basin in July. The complaint was filed by Fire Warden W. V. Fuller. Mr. Riddell pleaded guilty to the offense and was fined \$5 and costs by Justice of the Peace Hardy Holman. This is the third case of the kind to happen in this county this year and will go a long way to prevent forest fires in the future from starting from camp fires that have been left by careless campers.

Attorney Brown of Dallas Goes Into Red Cross Work

DALLAS, Or., Sept. 20.—(Special to the Statesman.)—L. D. Brown, one of the prominent attorneys of this city, will leave about November 1 to enter the war service of the American Red Cross as a civilian secretary. Mr. Brown has signed up for a year's service with the Red Cross and expects to be sent to Switzerland. During his absence the affairs of his law office will be looked after by Attorney John R. Sibbey who was formerly a partner with Mr. Brown. From letters in his possession Mr. Brown thinks that he will be sent to Bern to take up Red Cross work in that city. Mr. Brown's family will move from their country home to Dallas to live during his absence.

Loss Is Suffered by the Home Telephone Company

The net income of the Home Telephone company for the year ending December 31, 1917, showed a loss of \$163,806.70, according to the annual report which was filed yesterday with the public service commission. This loss is greater by \$115,842.50 than the loss of the previous year. The grand total operating revenue of the company was \$252,002.72, an increase of \$14,278.60 over the previous year. Operating expenses were \$251,749.24, an increase over the year previous of \$129,750.51.

Oswald West was appointed receiver for the company by the federal court as a result of a suit filed by Samuel Hill.

Three Fatal Accidents Reported to Commission

During the week ending September 19 a total of 642 accidents was reported to the state industrial accident commission and three of them were fatalities. The fatal cases were:

Mike Jlokvitch, Garibaldi, quarrying; James Scraggs, Portland, shipbuilding; Fred A. McIntyre, Portland, shipbuilding.

Of the total number of cases reported 601 were subject to the provision of the compensation act. 33 were from firms and corporations which have rejected the act and eight were from public utility corporations not subject to the act.

MUSIC CREDIT TO BE GIVEN

Churchill Announces Ruling of State Department of Education

J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of schools, announces that the state department of education authorizes the giving of credit for music study outside of school when the student and the teacher both meet conditions enumerated in a report of the committee on credit for private music study. This report was adopted by the State Teachers' association December 29, 1917.

The committee's report was submitted by J. O. McLaughlin of Corvallis, chairman. It provides that pupils of accredited high schools who are taking instruction regularly in applied music, may secure credit in school for the work done by complying with the following conditions, the credit to count toward graduation:

1. There must be an application from the parent or guardian requesting the recognition of such instruction and agreeing to the conditions stated below.
2. There must accompany this application a recommendation from the private teacher, who has been duly credited as hereinafter specified, giving such details as to the present musical status of pupil as are called for, and agreeing to furnish such information regarding the progress and proficiency of the pupil and the character of the work as shall be necessary for the purposes of examination and record.
3. At the option of the school granting such credit the pupil may be examined at the close of each semester, or school year, by an examining committee consisting of the instructor of music in the high school and one or two recognized teachers of music to be appointed by the local school authorities. It is suggested that one or both of the examining teachers be nonresidents. The teacher of the pupil shall not be a member of the committee.

Another Portland Company Wants to Increase Fares

Giving as its reason the increased cost of materials and labor the Kenton Traction company of North Portland yesterday informed the public service commission that it will be necessary for that company to petition for an increase in fares. The company desires to discontinue the sale of commutation tickets of 50 rides for \$2 between Kenton, North Portland and North Portland harbor and make a straight 5-cent fare, and to industries that require tickets in operation of their plants the company desires to continue the sale of tickets at the regular 5-cent rate. If a hearing is required the company asks that it be at the earliest possible date.

Dr. Lucas at State Fair

Dr. Alzamon Ira Lucas, Psychologist of Portland, will speak on Vocational Guidance and Child Psychology, to children and parents each day at 11 o'clock in the Auditorium, New Pavilion, in the Fair grounds. Every evening, after the concert, Dr. Lucas will speak to adults on the Science of Life. Admission to all meetings free. Dr. and Mrs. Lucas have a booth in the same building.

Germany Plays Secret Treachery in Rumania

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The betrayal of Rumania and elaborate advance plans of Germany and her Russian Bolshevik tools for suppressing and murdering loyal Rumanians, Russians and Poles, are exposed in detail by astounding secret Russian documents which the American government is giving to the public.

Other installments of the series have described how the Bolshevik leaders, Lenin and Trotsky and their associates, were bought by the Germans for millions in gold and engineered their bloody overthrow of Russia for the benefit of their masters. Now the story is told of how while the Brest-Litovsk peace conference was still in progress, the Bolsheviks were sending hired agents into Rumania to disorganize the armies of Russia's ally, dethrone the

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Roumanian king and turn loose the German armies occupied there for service in a great offensive on the western front.

The second phase of the latest disclosure shows the Bolsheviks, at German direction, undertaking not only to kill refractory Russian generals, but to shoot individually and wholesale Polish soldiers who were refusing to be sold to the Germans and patriotically keeping the field against their enemies. One of the documents transmits orders from the German intelligence service to "take most decisive measures, up to shooting en masse, against Polish troops." And to institute surveillance of institutions and persons including the Roman Catholic Polish clergy.

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