

CITY NEWS

Mount Crest Abbey Mausoleum—Provides all that is "best" for the care of the dead forever. The cost is no more. See caretaker at Mausoleum or your undertaker.

Cretonne Draperies, very beautiful, modestly priced. Buren's furniture store, Commercial street.

Sheldon Funeral Today—Funeral services will be conducted this afternoon from Webb & Cough parlor for Walter H. Sheldon. Interment will be made in the Odd Fellows cemetery.

Come In and Let Us—Show you our new Spring Silks, in the latest patterns. J. C. Penny company.

Yes—Barton does battery work. Any make tested free. Charging and repairing. Masonic temple, phone 1200.

Goes Back to Portland—Mrs. O. S. Richards, who was here to attend the funeral of her sister, Miss Floy Bonney, returned to Portland yesterday. Burial was held Tuesday at Rosedale.

Cloth Effect Wall Paper, with cut out borders—prettiest decorations ever produced—29 cents and up, per double roll. Buren's Furniture store, Commercial street.

Highways Rapid Transit Auto—Service to Portland and way points, twice daily, leaving Salem at 7 a. m. and 6 p. m. Phone orders evening before, 137 S. Com'l. Phone 663.

Grocery Company Sues—Suit has been filed by the Roth Grocery company against C. R. Lantz to secure payment of \$37.56 alleged to be due on purchases of supplies. The case is before the justice court.

See Our Window Display—Of Ladies' Kimonos. Reasonably priced. J. C. Penny company.

Elderly Couple Marry—A marriage license was issued yesterday for James A. Wood, an Albany storekeeper, aged 65, and Caroline Pearson, aged 58, a nurse in this city. Shortly afterward the pair were wedded by County Judge W. M. Bushey in the court house.

Fine New Popular Priced Extension tables, Buren's Furniture store, Commercial street.

We Have Moved—Our offices to rooms 201-203 Gray Block, over Hartman Bros' jewelry store, 125 N. Liberty street.

Baby Born at Hospital—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ramsden of Macleay are the proud parents of an 8½-pound son born at the Salem hospital Thursday at 8:30 a. m. The boy has been named Carlton LeMar.

Just Arrived—A new shipment of women's dainty muslin underwear at J. C. Penny company.

Flour Sale at Pratum—Flour Mill—Bring your flour sacks and have them filled at \$2.50 per sack. Exchange of wheat—40 pounds of flour to the bushel.

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

Petition Is Dismissed—The Public Service Commission yesterday denied the Heppner Light & Water Company an increase in water rates and dismissed a petition for such increase on the ground that the company is partly owned by the city.

To Loan—\$1000 or \$2000 on approved security, one to five years. W. A. Liston.

Build Up Salem's Industries—By supporting those now on the ground.

Automobiles Collide—At 12:30 yesterday afternoon a delivery automobile belonging to the Cross market crashed into a car driven by E. Bartruff at the corner of State and High streets. The former car was badly battered up, but Bartruff's machine sustained only a broken fender.

Flue Makers and Fever—Thermometers at Ward's drug store.

Standard Scale Books—In duplicate. Statesman job office.

Teachers Get Certificates—Results of the recent teachers' examinations were made known yesterday when the county school superintendent's office mailed certificates to instructors near Salem. Those who have been granted one year certificates are: Adeline Bayerle, Beulah P. Madill, Nellie Allen, Lillian Bruenger, Eunice Knauff, Mrs. Lucille Harader, Lois McElhaney, Mrs. Robt. Massie, Sybil Harrington, Fern Wells and Amos O. Weeks were granted three-year special certificates, and Grace Lick a life certificate.

We Are Receiving—Daily shipments of Spring Dress goods and material. J. C. Penny company.

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

Annual Election of Officers—By the Stockholders of the Marion-Polk National Farm Loan Association. The stockholders of the Marion-Polk County National Farm Loan Association met in the office of W. D. Smith, secretary-treasurer, 303, Salem Bank of Commerce, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year. The following stockholders were elected directors of said National Association: L. P. Hopkins, Benson Shaw, C. W. Parker, W. E. Moss and A. L. Collins. Since the organization of said association in July, 1917, it has distributed among the farmers of Marion and Polk counties \$222,100.00. The borrowers have all paid their interest and taxes promptly.

PERSONALS

P. G. Judd of Roland, Manitoba, is stopping at the Bligh. He has just come from Canada and is intending to purchase property in this vicinity.

C. Frasin and R. Frasin, two brothers from Seattle, are at the Bligh while in the city on business.

Private Louis Corner spent yesterday in town, stopping at the Bligh. He is on his way home to Macleay.

Major L. A. Walton, who has been here from San Diego visiting his mother and brother, will leave tomorrow night on his return trip.

Clarence F. Bayes returned yesterday to American Lake after passing a furlough in this city.

Miss Bernice Blake departed Thursday for North Yakima, where she will visit her mother.

Claude E. Moore has gone back to Camp Lewis, after passing a furlough in Salem.

Mrs. Harry Nolan returned Thursday night to her home in Tulare, Cal. She has been visiting her parents in this city.

James W. Nicholson of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, left yesterday for New York, where he will attend a national meeting being held by the concern he represents.

LANE COUNTY BOY RELEASED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The war department made public tonight a list of Americans who have been released from the German prison camp at Rastatt, and have reached France. The enlisted men include Budd Timmons, Mynda, Mont, and Albert J. Perry, Nott, Or.

HAYNES



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BAN MAY LAST ANOTHER WEEK

Fight Against Influenza to Be Kept Up Although Cases Are Fewer

If epidemic conditions continue to improve in the next week as they have in the past few days assurances were given out yesterday by the Mayor and city physician that Salem will be an open town either next Saturday or the following Monday. Vigilance, however, is not to be relaxed until the ban has actually been lifted and even then quarantine will be rigidly enforced.

Thursday but two cases of influenza had been reported to Dr. J. Ray Pemberton.

"The reason we can't open the town right away," he said, "is that there are a lot of cases that are not being turned in. Through unofficial sources we have learned of a number. With everything closed another week we want the people to feel that they must still be on the watch. Keeping things quiet is evidently what has put the epidemic under control."

Dr. Pemberton believes that school may also be opened next week. Mayor Albion said last night that an effort will be made to get the teachers together shortly and instruct them in preventative measures for the class rooms.

Dr. A. G. Seeley of the state board of health conferred with the mayor yesterday and voiced his approval of the quarantine restrictions in force in Salem. He believes that patients should be kept inside ten days after temperature has reached normal and that for two weeks following they should wear masks in public places. Mayor Albion also approves of this and says he sees no reason why the latter clause should not be enforced in this city.

Dr. Seeley will return again next week to make final arrangements for reopening business.

Circuit court was again postponed on account of the flu another week by Judge Percy R. Kelly, who was here from Albany yesterday to arrange the docket if it were deemed advisable to get the session under way Monday.

WOUNDED HERO RETURNS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Forty-nine wounded American soldiers, among them Private James Scarro of Kennewick, Wash., who was decorated by the French government for bravery at Chateau Thierry, arrived here tonight for discharge after treatment at the hospital of the San Francisco Presidio.

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12 oz. Royal Baking powder 37c

1-2 Hershey Coco 17c

10 lbs. Sugar \$1.00

100 lbs. Sugar \$9.75

Fresh, Crisp Soda Crackers, pound 17c

Fresh, Crisp Graham Crackers, lb. 17c

5 bars white laundry soap 25c

5 bars No Rub Naptha soap 25c

5 bars Ivory soap 32c

Pure lard in bulk, lb. 28c

Peanut butter, lb. 18c

Nut Ola Butter substitute, pound 37c

Best Creamery Butter, lb. 69c
Fresh Eggs, dozen 52c
Ghiradelli's Ground Chocolate 30c

LIME BOARD IS NEEDING MONEY

Bill Will Ask Legislature to Give \$20,000—To Crush Rock at Plant

Unless the legislature comes to the assistance of the state lime board with an appropriation the board will be in a precarious state and may cease to exist. This was brought out at a meeting of the board today and it was decided that a bill be drawn asking the legislature for an appropriation of \$20,000 to serve as working capital. Chairman A. B. Cordley and B. G. Leedy, another member of the board, will go before the ways and means committee to urge the necessity of the appropriation.

When Warden Stevens of the state penitentiary, ex-officio member of the board, submitted figures to the board to prove the feasibility of allowing the prison to produce crushed rock as well as lime from the Gold Hill plant, the board instructed the warden to go ahead with that plan. Warden Stevens has inaugurated this additional utility of the plant to help solve the problem of prison labor, and shows also that it will off-set expense from the prison fund in transporting convict laborers to and from the plant and maintaining them while there. The warden expects to dispose of the crushed rock to the state highway commission, the Southern Pacific company and possibly a small amount to Jackson county for road building purposes.

Another bill to be submitted to the legislature will ask an amendment of the lime board enactment to remove restriction on sales of lime as fertilizer. One objectionable restriction is that prohibiting sales outside the state. Chairman Cordley said there is opportunity to make sales in Clark county, Wash., and he believed the state should take advantage of the opportunity. Under the law as it stands the board must sell to farmers for their own use. The board can see no reason why farmers should not buy for other persons. It was suggested that the restriction requiring application for purchase to be made to the board might be removed and the grange allowed to serve as a medium through which sales could be made. Chairman Cordley explained further that removal of this restriction would allow the board to sell to dealers, which would be a great advantage to farmers desiring small quantities of lime and would enhance the aggregate of sales.

Another suggestion of the chairman was that Superintendent Courtney of the plant could serve also as sales manager and leave the plant at times. Warden Stevens objected to this, saying Courtney's presence at the plant is necessary to keep the convict laborers from taking French leave. Warden Stevens protested at a suggestion that the requirement in the law for advance payments on lime be removed. Advance payment, he considers, is necessary from a business point of view. Relative to expense of the penitentiary in maintaining a crew, with the expense running up and the board short of money the warden remarked that "the board has been dancing and the penitentiary paying the fiddler." The contract to be entered into with A. H. Beeman, leasing the right to extract crushed rock, covers a period of five years with the provision that it may be extended five years if the plan proves feasible. The royalty to be paid Mr. Beeman will probably be 8 cents a yard, half the rate charged for lime.

Blow from Hook Kills Former Salem Resident

Arthur L. Whitman died at 3 o'clock Friday morning at Oregon City as the result of an injury he had received at the Crown-Willamette Paper mill the day previous. A hook which was used to draw logs, became loosened and struck Mr. Whitman in the face, mutilating it and fracturing his skull.

Services will be held this afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Buena Vista church by Rev. Cook, of Independence. Interment will also be made in Buena Vista cemetery beside the mother of the deceased.

Mr. Whitman leaves four children. Evelyn, Paul, Gladys and Ruth, a father, S. J. L. Whitman, three sisters. Mrs. A. M. Hansen, of Salem. Mrs. Addie Lynch of Portland, Mrs. Frank Howe of Seattle, and a brother, John. All of these are here with the exception of the two youngest children, Gladys and Ruth, who are ill with influenza. Mr. Whitman is an old resident of Marion county and has many friends in and near Salem.

Abnormal Situation in Barcelona Is Watched

(By The Associated Press)
MADRID, Jan. 17.—Premier Romanones, after a meeting of the Spanish cabinet today told the newspaper correspondent that he would not be surprised at anything which would happen in Barcelona. The cabinet, he said, had discussed the situation in Barcelona, which was quite abnormal.

Count Romanones informed the cabinet that the trouble at Barcelona arose from the hostility of the nationalists to the military and the latter's refusal to tolerate nationalist disturbances. He said he has authorized the captains general of Barcelona to take measures to prevent collisions, because such encounters would in the highest degree be prejudicial to a solution of the Catalan problem. The ministers accorded the premier a vote of confidence.

According to history Nero was the first emperor who was first

PRAYERS ASKED BY GOVERNOR

Proclamation Asks Intercession of Divine Aid to Suppress Epidemic

Intercession of Divine aid to suppress the spread of Spanish influenza epidemic will be sought in the homes and churches of Oregon when all Christian people are called upon to pause, whether in their homes or in their churches, at 11 o'clock next Sunday morning and direct special and earnest prayer to that end. This is asked of in a proclamation just issued by Governor Withycombe at the instance of the Portland Ministerial Association.

In his proclamation the executive says: "Being mindful of the great sorrows and griefs which have been visited upon the people of this state by the toll exacted through Spanish influenza, and conscious also of the additional consequences that may be expected unless this pestilence is checked in the early future, I feel amply justified in giving official endorsement to the resolution passed by the Portland Ministerial association calling for a day of prayer next Sunday, January 19.

"In every hour of need and distress we are accustomed to look to ward God Almighty for deliverance and for such guidance as his wisdom may dictate. Even at a time of heart darkness, when the clouds seem to hang heavily overhead, every God-loving man or woman has complete faith in the judgement of the Supreme Ruler and in His willingness to listen to the fervent prayers of His worldly subjects.

"Now, therefore, I, James Withycombe, by virtue of authority in me vested as governor of the state of Oregon do hereby proclaim Sunday, January 19, 1919, as a day of special prayer and earnest call upon all Christian people to pause in their homes or in their several places of worship at the hour of eleven o'clock that morning and to voice a devout prayer asking the Divine Father to grant relief from the present infliction of sickness by suppressing the spread of the epidemic and extending comfort and spiritual sunshine among those families which are now in the throes of disease and despair."

LEGISLATOR IS DEAD AT BANDON

John R. Stannard, Who Was Slated for Highways Committee, Succumbs

John R. Stannard, elected a member of the Oregon house of representatives from Coos and Curry counties is dead of pneumonia at Bandon, according to a letter received by Speaker Seymour Jones today. Mr. Stannard died Wednesday and because of incapacitated telegraph and telephone wires it was necessary to send the information by letter. Mr. Stannard's family is ill at Gold Beach and had not been notified of his death. He was slated for membership on the roads and highways commission, but because of his inability to reach Salem on account of illness when the legislature opened, he informed the speaker that he would be willing to allow another member to be substituted on the committee.

Hired Men Would Be Benefited by Measure

A bill for the benefit of hired men may be introduced in the legislature by State Senator Shanks of Gilliam, Sherman and Wheeler counties. Differences of amounts too small to take into court frequently come up between the hired man's claim and the amount his employer thinks is due him, and the only advice the lawyers can conscientiously give is that the laborer take what the farmer is willing to give him. The bill contemplated by Senator Shanks may provide that if the laborer takes his case into justice court and recovers he shall be allowed three times the amount sued for as a penalty assessed against the employer, or in lieu of that provision the bill may require that the worker be paid at least \$1.00, with a probable minimum of \$1.00, which would be assessed against the employer along with other costs.

Bill Would Facilitate Getting Cases to Court

Greater facility for defendants in certain justice court proceedings in reaching the circuit court would be made possible through the enactment of one of Senator Norblad's bills. The bill provides that a defendant in a justice or district court shall have the right to plead a counter claim in excess of \$250 or \$300 respectively, whereupon the justice or district judge shall, within 10 days after the filing of the answer, file in the circuit court a transcript containing all material entries and original papers, and the case shall then be considered as transferred to the circuit court to proceed as if originally started there. It would allow the plaintiff in the transferred case 10 days following the filing of the transcript in which to appear. Payment of costs of transfer are provided in the measure.

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Equal Suffrage Memorial Forwarded to Washington

Senator Moser's joint memorial calling upon congress to take speedy and favorable action on the equal suffrage amendment and to submit it to the states at an early date was mailed by Chief Clerk John Cochran of the senate yesterday, one copy going to President Wilson, one to Vice-President Marshall and one to each of the five Oregon senators and representatives in congress. The memorial was adopted by both houses of the Oregon legislature Thursday, and it petitions the Oregon delegation to work for favorable action on the measure. Senator Hurley's joint memorial petitioning congress for an appropriation for construction of the Owyhee project, which passed both houses Thursday, was mailed to the Oregon delegation yesterday.

Presbyterian Conference to Be Held for District

An outgrowth of the conference of the New Era movement to be held next Monday and Tuesday in Portland at the First Presbyterian church will be a number of district conferences, one of which is to take place in Salem shortly. Among the prominent eastern speakers who will come here in the interest of this new church activity are Rev. John R. Davies, Dr. John A. Marquis, secretary of the board of home missions, and Dr. W. H. Foulkes. Local Presbyterian pastors will go to Portland next week to attend the large meeting.

Case Against Keller Is Dismissed in California

State Parole Officer Joseph Keller has been informed that the kidnapping charge brought against him in California about a year ago has been dismissed. The attorney generals of California and Oregon agreed that the charge was baseless. Keller was accused of irregularly bringing from California a parole violator of the Oregon penitentiary.

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