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WORK NOW TO BEGIN ON SALEM'S PAPER MILL.

Work will begin today on Salem's paper mill. A commencement will be made of clearing the ground for the new buildings that will contain the best and latest paper mill machinery ever manufactured.

This commencement of work is made possible by the granting of the vacation of streets by the Salem city council last night.

The initial mill and mill machinery will add some 250 people to the industrial payrolls of Salem.

And it may be confidently predicted that this number will be increased to a thousand or fifteen hundred or more, and that within a very short time.

The great Pacific trade is opening up. So there will be a market. And the raw materials, the most important item, are available.

So Salem is building wiser than she knew in this respect. This enterprise will lead to the development of more hydro-electric power for Salem; and that will mean other factories, and still others.

In this field, one thing brings another; and many others. Salem is fortunate in enlisting as helpers in her development such men as F. W. Leadbetter and Chas. K. Spaulding and their associates. Their activities and ambitions make them city builders.

The Eastern Oregon newspapers are in favor of the Roosevelt Highway. The people of that section of the State will vote for it, and all the rest of the reconstruction program. And they have a right to expect that the people of the rest of Oregon will vote for the measure to guarantee the bonds of well organized and properly vouched for irrigation and drainage districts—the success of which will be of large benefit to many sections east of the Cascades. But so will it add to the prosperity and the greatness of all Oregon. And it will not likely ever cost the State a single cent.

The big dehydrating plant of the Salem King's Products Company will start up today, on spinach. It should never again be shut down. The fires should be kept burning twenty-four hours a day for every day of the future. And the indications are that this will be possible. It will depend upon the farmers to furnish the vegetables and fruits. And they are doing well, and promise to do better.

In the current bill, the Salem U. S. Indian Training School at Chemawa receives \$28,000 for improvements; including \$8000 to replace the barn that was destroyed by fire. So wires Congressman Hawley, who is on the job and looking carefully after all the interests of the institutions and people of his district.

"It is indeed the right of him who grants, and not of him who solicits it, to dictate the terms of peace." So admitted Hannibal to Scipio in the year 550 B. C. And the German leaders have read history.

Marion County's fifty-fifty plan will get by, 98 per cent strong, according to present appearances. Fifty per cent bonds and fifty per cent cash, and a hundred and fifty miles of Market Roads in the next five years.

The luck is in even numbers this year.

Skip the odd numbers.

It will be up to Germany again Thursday.

The commander of the NC-4 would rather be safe than sorry.

No matter how they squirm and kick, the "germ" will be taken out of Germany.

The big four are to recognize the anti-Bolshevik governments of Admiral Kolchak and General Denikin, conditionally. If these men keep

their heads, this will be the beginning of the building up of a government in Russia that will have the respect of the decent people of the world.

If there are people in Oregon against the good roads program, they are evidently ashamed to make themselves known. And they should be.

The Huns will whine, they will grumble, they will invoke the manes

of the fourteen points and call on Thor and all the denizens of Valhalla to shake their spears. But they will sicken.

Taking one consideration with another, an international peacemaker's lot is not a happy one.

The peace treaty contains \$0,000 words, but we don't have to read it as carefully as do the Huns.

Judging from the Peace Conference proceedings the busy little Japs are as wise as they are brown, and that is saying a lot.

The flying events of the present time are enough to make Darius Green turn over in his grave and give utterance to a sound resembling for all the world, "I told you so."

AMERICANS ARE IMMUNE

"Wonder if President Carranza ever thought how little we care about what he thinks?"—Exchange.

Probably not. Old Whiskers takes himself very seriously.

Along the same line, what Patullo says in the Saturday Evening Post of last week, in his article concerning the American army of occupation in Germany, is interesting.

Mr. Patullo, besides being one of the world's outstanding writers, is an American soldier; and he is in the Rhine country with our doughboys. He says the American commanders do not prohibit the circulation of the German Spartacan journals in the zone under American rule, though the English do, in their zone, and the French do, and have asked the American officials to do the same.

But Mr. Patullo says the propaganda stuff of the Spartacans (or near-Bolshevists) is so utterly insane, childish and silly that they do not fear for its effect upon Uncle Sam's doughboys. They pass it all up like they would the ratings of a lunatic. They regard all the stuff as too silly for the material for a poor joke.

Which also reminds the writer of the advice of the members of a Chicago University club, given a few weeks ago, when the Russian Bolsheviks were saying a thousand of their members were to be sent to the United States to make speeches and convert America to the barbarism yecept Bolshevism. Of course, the thousand batty Bolsheviks could not get by our immigration officials. But the advice was like this: "Let them come, and give each one a soap box in one of a thousand cities, and let him talk his fool head off."

The people of the United States, and the doughboys of Uncle Sam, have heard and seen all the claims and effects of Bolshevism on the half-baked peoples of the world, and they know our people are not half-baked.

In this field, it may be said that they are what the doughboys call hard-boiled.

And they are immune from any ill effects from the ghost-dances of any and all the under-done tribes and peoples and national and international idiot asylums on the green earth.

EVERYBODY CAN

According to the available authorities the habit of canning fruits and other perishables did not materialize until 1819, when it appeared extensively in France.

Possibly this was anticipatory of the canning of Napoleon, who was given quite a jar a few years later. But be that as it may, the canning industry had no real status or importance in the world until the airtight glass jar was invented and marketed in America. This seemed to demonstrate how simple it was for nature to reproduce her works in definitely and the canning custom was quickly established in almost every household.

Look at it now! Everybody rushes the can and lots of people begla housekeeping with nothing but a can opener and a tin spoon. We have canned music and the canned drama. Lik-wise almost everything that is either eatable or drinkable is put up in glass or tin

FUTURE DATES.

- May 23, Wednesday—Recital by senior music students of Willamette university.
May 29, Friday—Memorial Day.
June 1 to 6—Commencement at Salem Indian Training School, Chemawa.
June 2 to 8—Campaign to raise funds for Marion county V. M. C. A.
June 5, Tuesday—Special election in Oregon.
June 5, Thursday—Amalgamated commercial clubs of Marion county to meet in Salem.
June 7, Saturday—Annual picnic of Polk County Farmers Union, Rickreall Grove.
June 7 to 11—Historic pageant commemorating 75th anniversary of Willamette university.
June 8, Sunday—Willamette university baccalaureate sermon, First Methodist church.
June 29 to July 15—Methodist Centenary celebration at Columbus, Ohio.
June 23 to 29—Salvation Army fund drive by Elks.
July 2, 3 and 4—State encampment of United Spanish war veterans in Salem.
August 14, 15, and 16—Elks state convention at Klaskan Falls.
September 22-27—Fifty-eighth Oregon state fair.

Boys! Boys!

VACATION DAYS

will soon be here. Get in line to make MONEY this summer. No premiums or prizes. REAL CASH!!!

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The Oregon Statesman

for preservation or convenience. The canned cow gives milk in the midst of the desert.

With a canning factory and a cold-storage plant the ephemeral products of the tropics may be kept untainted and wholesome from year to year.

The tin cans that are emptied and thrown at barnyard cats every month would make a pile three times the height of the great pyramid.

Millions upon millions of dollars go each year into the manufacture of these tin or glass containers, and one industry has developed more than a score of tributary ones until the fields of endeavor extend from the polar seas to the tropical jungle. Even a modern war is chiefly reliant upon the canning industry for strength to maintain itself.

PLATFORMS AND SKIRTS

Now the women are to have an important share in the construction of party platforms. So we'll have platforms that we can dance on as well as stand one.

CREDITS AND COSTS

Experts say that the only way American jobbers can do business with Mexico and South America is to extend a long line of credit. That is about the only way the butcher can sell us bacon right here at home. —Los Angeles Times.

LEST WE FORGET!

The tumult and the shouting dies— The captains and the kings depart— Still stands Thine ancient sacrifice, An humble and a contrite heart, Lord God of hosts, be with us yet, Lest we forget—lest we forget!

IN A SOCIAL WAY

By DORRIS LEAH SIKES

Three graduates from the College of Music of Willamette university will be presented in two recitals within the next two weeks. Miss Venita McKinney is popular as a soloist and pianist for affairs on the campus. She is completing her second year as a music student. Miss McKinney's recital will be given on June 4.

The two other students, Miss Margaret Wible and Miss Florence Shirley, will be presented Saturday night at the First Methodist church. Miss Wible is president of the Girls' Glee club of the college and is completing her third year as a student at Willamette. Miss Shirley is pianist for both the men's and girls' glee clubs. She is also popular as a dramatic reader.

Following is the program in which

LEMON JUICE FOR FRECKLES

Girls! Make beauty lotion for a few cents—Try it!

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply the three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and resplendent the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless and never irritates.

Miss Wible and Miss Shirley will appear:

The program for Miss McKinney's recital is:

- 1. Concerto, op. 25, in G minor. (Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy) 2nd piano, Miss Florence Shirley (1809-1847).
2. Love's Epitome, cycle of songs (Mary Turner Salter).
3. (a) "Traumerl (Dreams) op. 9, No. 4. (Richard Strauss) (b) Nocture, op. 9, No. 2 (Frederic Chopin).
(c) Valse, op. 64, No. 1 (Frederic Chopin).
4. (a) The Bell (C. Saint-Saens). (b) Sing to Me (J. W. Bischoff).
5. Hungarian Rhapsodie, No. 2 (Franz Liszt). (1811-1886. Miss Evelyn DeLong, accompanist.
1. Liebestraum (Love's Dream) Nocturne No. 3 in E flat (Franz Liszt) (1811-1886), Miss Shirley.
2. (a) Dedication (Robert Schumann) (1810-1856). (b) "O Come With Me in the Summer-night" (Frank von der Stucken) Miss Wible.
3. Momen's Musicaux (Frans-Schubert) No. 3. Allegro Moderato in F Minor (1797-1828) No. 5. Allegro Vivace in F Minor Miss Shirley.
4. Serenade "Chantez, Chantez, Ma Belle," (Charles Gounod (1818-1893) (b) Morning (Oley Speaks), Miss Wible.
5. Rustles of Spring, op. 32, No. 3. (Christian Sinding) Miss Shirley.
6. "One Fine Day," aria from "Madam Butterfly" (Giacomo Puccini, (1858), Miss Wible.
7. Rondo Capriccioso, op. 14. (Felix Mendelssohn - Bartholdy (1809-1847), Miss Shirley.

Ladies' day at the Country club will not be observed today because so many of the women interested in the tea are busy in the preparation of the pageant to be presented at Willamette university during Commencement week. The next tea will be guest day and will be held June 10.

Cards were received during last week announcing the birth of a daughter, Barbara Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar T. Pierce in Portland. The mother was formerly Miss Ursula Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bowen were hosts for a party of Saturday at their home on University street. The decorative scheme was carried out with pink and white roses and sword fern. After an evening of music and conversation refreshments were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Delona, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mishler, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McElvain, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Scharf, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kruetz Mrs. Burton Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler De Sart, Mr. and Mrs. Al Tooder, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bowen, and Lewis and Leone Tooler.

Mrs. William G. Prunk has returned from a month's stay at Newport where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Santon and family.

"Broadview," the country home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlavy, was the scene of a pretty birthday party on Monday given in honor of their little daughter, Annie Marie's tenth birthday. The guests were entertained with music and games. A pretty color motif of pink and white was carried out in the dining room and living room, roses of both colors being used. A large birthday cake decorated with pink rosebud candles was on the table centerpiece around which the children gathered for lunch.

The guests were Misses Maybelle Murdick, Ethel Aspinwall, Mable Macy, Altha Smeade, Nina Murdick, Blanche Vaughn, Marjorie Macy, Ellen Hackitt, and Marie Dunlavy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spohn are leaving Tuesday from Fowler, Colo. Mrs. Spohn is a granddaughter of Mrs. Elsie Prunk.

A most enjoyable day was that celebrating the 78th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Effie L. Prunk at her home near Turner on Sunday. Her children and grandchildren enjoyed a most sumptuous repast with her. All of the family was present except one daughter, Mrs. James Kelly. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. James D. Mays, Mr. and Mrs.

Last Times Today



NORMA TALMADGE "THE FORBIDDEN CITY"

BEGINNING TOMORROW Ethel Clayton in "Pettigrew's Girl"



James M. Reed and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson and family, William Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney, C. Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Prunk, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Prung, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Prunk, Mrs. Rachael E. Reeder, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spohn, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowers and family, and Alex Reed.

Mrs. Prunk had three grandsons in the service. Robert Spohn was with Company C of the 308th infantry, 77th division; Jyde C. Kelly, with company 9, Fort McArthur, as a Pedro, Calif.; and William McKinley Reed, Company F, Fourth United States Engineers. The latter died Sunday with friends in Eugene.

Honoring Mrs. Sophie Catlin Spears of Salem, Mrs. O. F. Stafford entertained at an exceedingly delightful luncheon Friday. Red roses and peonies brightened the rooms for this affair. The guests included Mrs. Spears, Mrs. David Graham, Mrs. Frank Jenkins, Miss Marjorie Kay, Miss Vivian Hopson, Mrs. Spears is the house guest of Mrs. David Graham.—The Morning Register, Eugene.

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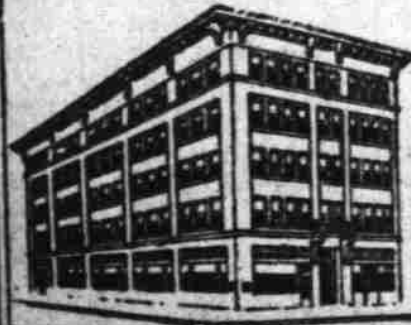
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