

PAYMENT FIRST UNDER NEW LAW

Associated Oil Co. Sends in Check Paying Tax on Motor Fuel

The Associated Oil company is the first to report to the secretary of state its sales of motor vehicle fuel under the statute of the 1921 legislature imposing an additional tax of 1 cent a gallon on gasoline. The company yesterday remitted to the secretary of state \$14,232.98, representing the total tax under the tax enactment of the 1919 and the 1921 sessions. The former session imposed a tax of 1 cent a gallon on gasoline and 1/2 cent a gallon on distillate. The 1921 act does not apply to fuel used for industrial purposes.

The Associated Oil company's sales for March, this year, were 646,226 gallons of gasoline and 87,217 gallons of distillate.

"All receipts for the 1919 tax are immediately paid by the secretary of state to the state treasurer, and by him placed to the credit of the state highway fund," says a report by the secretary of state. "Receipts under the 1921

law, however, are also promptly paid by the secretary of state to the state treasurer, who places the same to the credit of the general fund. At the end of each calendar month the state treasurer is required to transfer such receipts, except the sum of \$5,000 from the general fund to the state highway fund, and the remaining \$5,000 becomes available for the payment of claims for refund of the tax paid on motor vehicle fuel used for purposes other than propelling or operating motor vehicles, and for the payment of necessary operating expenses incurred by the secretary of state in administering the provisions of the law.

"Claims for the refund of this tax under the 1921 law on motor vehicle fuel used for purposes other than operating motor vehicles are being filed in the office of secretary of state. Upon properly verifying their claims, these claimants are entitled to a refund of one cent per gallon each on purchases of both gasoline and distillate, purchased since March 1, 1921. Under the provisions of the law authorizing this refund, verified claims therefor must be filed with the secretary of state within 90 days from the date of purchase in order to obtain the refund.

"Do you have any trouble with your furnace?"
"Getting my husband to look after it is all."—Detroit Free Press.

CARRYING CRIPPLE ON STRETCHER TO VOTING PLACE IN PLEBISCITE AREA.



The Germans defeated the Poles in the Silesian plebiscite. There was great rivalry between the nations, and both made sure to get all the voters possible to the polls. The picture above shows a cripple being carried on a stretcher to the voting place.

SALEM STUDENTS CAPTURE HONORS

Credit is Reflected by Grades Awarded at University Of Oregon

Of the Salem students at the University of Oregon who received grades of two and over in their last term's work, Maurice N. Sellig, a senior majoring in psychology, comes at the head, with honors in his entire course. In the percentage basis, honors count as zero, giving him a percentage average of zero.

V. Lyle McCroskey, a senior majoring in law, received an average of 1.8. Margery Gilbert, a junior in the school of education, made an average of 1.88, and Olga Wikberg, also a junior in education, followed closely with an average of 1.9.

Those who won high grades in some subjects, their classes in the university, major subjects, and grades received, are as follows:

Fred L. Abbot, special mathematics, received a grade of 2 in elementary still life; Mary Jane Albert, sophomore, household

arts, piano, 2; Ferris Bagley, senior, mathematics, principles of economics 2, differential equations, 2, advanced analytical geometry 2, English outlines 2, American literature, 2; Lyle Bartholomew, senior, architecture, architectural history 2, architectural design 2, building inspection 2, special subjects 2; Josephine Baumgartner, sophomore, romance languages, second year French 2, English outlines 2; Herbert S. Booth, freshman, law, trigonometry 2, surveying 1; Victor D. Brandson, senior, economics, contracts 2; Donald Bradford, freshman, architecture, elementary architecture 2; Leon A. Culbertson, sophomore, commerce, principles of economics 2; Herbert Darby, sophomore, economics, elementary psychology 2; Margaret Goodin, junior, architecture, architecture history 2; Iola Gilbert, senior, zoology, adolescence 2; George W. King, sophomore, commerce, principles of economics 2, extempore speaking 2; Kenneth Logge, sophomore, architecture, pen and pencil 2, ornament 2; Muriel McKinley, junior, English literature, Shakespeare 2; Georgia G. Pettit, freshman, commerce, general physics 2, economic history 2, practical ethics 2; Eva L. Randall, freshman, history, English outlines 2; Merrill D. Richmond, sophomore, architecture, architecture history 2, specifications 2, building inspection 2, special subjects 2; Bernice M. Rise, sophomore, En-

glish literature, elementary psychology 2; Charles G. Robertson, junior, zoology 2; Helen Ross, junior, romance languages, French literature 2, botany 1, educational psychology 2; William A. Rosebraugh, sophomore, economics, law of officers 2; Miriam Swartz, freshman, commerce, economic history 1; E. Wilson, junior, chemistry, microscopy 1, minerals 1, scientific German 2.

WAS IN BED THREE DAYS
Mrs. Josie Reed, 217 N. Eastern St., Tulsa, Okla., writes: "I was in bed three days with my back. I took Foley Kidney Pills and two days was at my work again. I cannot praise your medicine too much." Foley Kidney Pills stop bladder irregularities and strengthen the kidneys. They help eliminate from the system the poisons that cause backache, rheumatic pains, stiff joints, muscles, swollen hands and puffiness under the eyes.—(adv.)

VALUE OF POLITENESS
Because a prisoner just sentenced to 10 years spoke pleasantly to the elevator man in asking to be taken down and to the turnkey in asking to have the outer door opened he was allowed to be a visitor and permitted to make his escape from the St. Louis city jail—another tribute to the practical value of politeness as an all round asset.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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| Crown Olympic with a big reduction. | Peaberry Coffee, 4 1/2 lbs \$1.00 | Oil, in bulk, 1 gallon \$1.20 |
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| Dry Green Peas, 10 lbs. 60c | 3 lbs., per lb. 40c | Picnic Shoulders, 1 lb. 20c |
| Split Peas, 5 lbs. 40c | 3 cans Carnation or Libby's Milk 27c | Bacon Backs 25c |
| Lima Beans, 5 lbs. 50c | (Limit, 3 cans to customer) | Cottage Rolls 25c |
| 1 sack Corn Meal 33c | 5 cans Standard Tomatoes 50c | Sugar-Cured Bacon 30c |
| Coffee, Diamond W: 5 lbs. with 3 small cans milk FREE | 4 cans solid pack Tomatoes 60c | Karo Syrup, No. 10 65c |
| | 5 cans Peas 50c | 10 bars Crystal White Soap 50c |
| | 3 cans Pineapple, tall 55c | 10 bars White Wonder 42c |
| | 9 pounds Crisco \$1.46 | 75c Broom 39c |

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