

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Brush Pile Burns—A brush pile near the Hansen planing mill necessitated the aid of the fire department in putting it out yesterday. No damage was done.

Full Line Ingersoll Watches—Tyler's Drug Store, Adv.

License Issued—W. E. Hanson was issued a combination resident hunters' and anglers' license yesterday for which he paid the county clerk the \$5 as required by law.

Legal Blanks—Get them at The Statesman office. Catalog on application. Adv.

\$50 Reward for the Return of—My six cylinder, seven-passenger Studebaker car. License 3953, motor 40478. Dr. E. E. Fisher. Adv.

Fire at Capital Garage—Fire originating from oily rags caused a small conflagration at the Capital garage late yesterday afternoon and resulted in practically no damage. Fire which caught the overalls of one of the employees was quickly put out without injury to the wearer.

Struck While Stopping—Max Proba reported to police yesterday that while he was stopping his car in front of Neimayers drug store, a car with a license No. 85020 ran into him

from the rear, causing slight damage to both cars. Police records showed that the car was the property of G. W. Orey of Toledo, Or.

Methodist Picnic This Evening—Members of the First Methodist church and their friends will hold a picnic this evening at 6:30 o'clock at the far grounds, under the auspices of the two missionary societies of the church. The luncheon will be according to the Methodist church night plan. The committee in charge will serve coffee and ice cream.

Swimming Instruction for Boys—R. R. Boardman, new physical instructor for the Y. M. C. A., says that swimming lessons will be given at the Y for boys on Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons at 2 o'clock.

Lower Priced Axminster Rugs—Max O. Buren, 179 N. Com'l. Adv.

Favors Turnover Tax—According to notice received by the Salem Commercial club, the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, by a vote of all such organizations in the country, will go on record as favoring a general federal turnover tax on all business transactions.

Lost—Cross and crown brooch, pearl sets, initialled C. S. Leave at Statesman office. Reward.

Estate Is Appraised—The estate of Ruth W. Carter, deceased, has been appraised at \$14,112.50. Of this amount \$14,000 was a loan on some real estate in the state of Washington, made December 9, 1920. The appraisers were V. R. Putnam, Albert H. Veach and F. E. Lau.

DIED

HILL—August 1 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Williams, Salem, route 4, Hazel, wife of Lynn Hill at the age of 27 years. Besides her husband, Lynn Hill, she is survived by two children, Elva H. Hill, age 8 and Zerla Hill, age 6; also by a sister, Gladys Williams and two brothers, Gny and Leon Williams. Funeral services will take place from the Terwilliger funeral home at 2 o'clock tomorrow, the Rev. Wm. Nichols officiating. Interment will take place in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

MEITHON—At her home on route 4 on August 2, Anna Katherine Meithon, at the age of 67 years. She was the wife of William Meithon. Funeral services will be held at the St. Louis Catholic church at 10 o'clock Thursday, August 4. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of the Terwilliger home.

KURZ—At a local hospital yesterday morning, Louise Kurz, wife of Ferdinand Kurz, of 1565 South Liberty street, at the age of 74 years. The couple have resided in Salem since 1903, when they came here from Minnesota. The deceased was a member of the Ladies of the G. A. R.

Remains are at the Terwilliger home. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 3 o'clock from the Leslie Methodist church. Interment will take place in the City View cemetery.

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Attend Executive Session—Dr. B. F. Pound, commander of Capital post No. 9, is in receipt of telegraphic instructions to report in Portland next Friday to attend a meeting of the state executive board of the American legion. The meeting has been called to discuss the policy of the American legion in Oregon for the coming year. The state executive committee included Dr. B. F. Pound of Salem, Fred E. Kiddle of La Grande, G. R. Wilbur of Hood River and O. B. Huston of Portland.

Ivory Enamel—Best made—get my price, Max O. Buren, 179 N. Com'l.—Adv.

Had Fine Picnic—L. S. Geer, secretary of Woodman of the World, says that the picnic held by the lodge and the Women of Woodcraft last Saturday was one of the most successful for many a year. Mr. Geer also says that the lodge is thriving, with 638 active members.

A Classified Ad—Will bring you a buyer.

Seattle Position Accepted—Paul Sherwood, junior of Willamette university, the past year, will leave for Seattle where he will take up work in the Seattle Y. M. C. A. in the boys' department. Paul Flegel, also a Willamette university student, recently went to Tacoma to become associated with the Y. M. C. A. of that city.

Films in Today—By 4 p. m. out tomorrow at 9 a. m. Tyler Drug Store, 157 South Commercial.—Adv.

Wants to be an American—Joseph Gerold of St. Benedict, Or., has filed with the county clerk his declaration of intention of becoming an American citizen. In his declaration he states that he was born in Germany 33 years ago and that his occupation is that of student. He arrived in this country eight years ago by way of Galveston. He forswears allegiance to Germany or any independent state within the boundaries of the former German empire.

Notice to Irrigators—Irrigators on flat rate will please observe the following rules. All hours having even numbers are limited to irrigate on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Sunday; odd numbers on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. Hours for irrigating: 6 to 8 a. m., 5 to 9 p. m. Salem Water, Light & Power company.—Adv.

Goods Taken From Shop—The theft of several gallons of paint and several gallons of oil from a Mill City paint shop was reported to local police yesterday with a request that they make an attempt to find out whether the oils had been sold in Salem. The goods were stolen from the paint shop of Frank Thomas.

Hill Military Academy—Portland, Oregon, is the school that gets results. Opens September 14.—Adv.

May Study School Laws—The school laws for 1921 have been published in book form and are now in the office of Mrs. M. L. Fulkerson, county school superintendent. As the supply is limited, Mrs. Fulkerson says that only two will be sent or delivered to each district. The district clerk is entitled to one copy and the chairman of the school board to the other.

An Ice Cream and Cake Social—Will be held on the lawn of Mrs. F. A. Baker, 355, North 18th street by the Bungalow, Christian Endeavor society at 8 o'clock, Wednesday evening.—Adv.

Highwayman Ordered Out—James Barnes, alias Pat Crowe, a drunk who greatly amused the local police Monday night by his thrilling stories of highway robbery and train robbery committed by himself, was ordered out of town yesterday. While there were several charges that might be preferred against him here, the police did not seem willing to put him in jail and feed him for 20 or 30 days at the expense of the city, and as it would have been impossible to extract a fine, they left him to the mercy of the next town.

Milinery at Cost—The French Shop, 115 High.—Adv.

Accident on State Street—W. R. Hurst of 1190 Ankeny street, Portland, reported to police yesterday of an accident with A. Glover of 736 Market street. The accident was said to have occurred on State street while Hurst was driving east on State street and Glover was driving south on Twenty-fifth street. Damage was settled to the satisfaction of both parties, Mr. Hurst said.

Presses At Cost—The French Shop, 115 High street.

Woodward Claims Tire—R. F. Woodward, 541 Center street, yesterday claimed a Diamond tread tire brought to the police station the day before by O. J. Newgard. Newgard said that it had been found on one of the downtown streets and was evidently lost from the rear of a car.

Card of Thanks—We wish to express our appreciation for the acts of kindness extended to us by many friends, and especially the members of the Elks' lodge who conducted the services at the funeral of our late father and brother, A. G. Magers.—Helen Magers, Mary Magers, Miss Minnetta Magers, Mrs. J. E. Magers, Mr. James Magers, Mrs. S. E. Woodington, Mrs. W. S. Thompson

A Disappointed Man—There was one disappointed man in Salem yesterday. He appeared smiling at the marriage license counter of the county clerk and asked for a marriage license. When he said this his prospective bride did not live in Marion county, Miss Ruth Wallace, who had put the certificates, had to impart the sad information that such licenses were issued only in the county in which the bride lives.

Remodeling Sale Prices—On all millinery. The French Shop, 115 High street.—Adv.

Stolen Hammock—A complaint that someone had stolen his hammock early Monday evening was taken into police headquarters Monday night by I. W. Potter. He reported that it had been stolen from his home at 320 West Superior street.

Daughter is Born—A 7 1/2-pound baby arrived July 28 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pratt, 1810 South Twelfth street. She has been named Pauline.

Auto Park Did It—Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Label, who formerly lived at Mt. Or., are soon to become residents of Salem, having just purchased a five-room bungalow in Richmond addition from H. H. Hulsey, Mr. and Mrs. Label camped at the auto park a few days, sized up Salem and especially its fine schools and public buildings, the thought was about the right place in which to educate their children. The sale was made by W. H. Graebnorst & Co.

Good Wheat Crop—E. D. Velle who lives on rural route 1, about 10 miles north of Salem in Polk county, says that he has just threshed his wheat crop and that it will average 30 bushels to the acre. His oats will run about 50 bushels to the acre, all of which Mr. Velle thinks is a little above the average for that part of Polk county.

Sues on Note—The Bank of Woodburn has brought suit in the Marion county circuit court against Charles L. and Nellie O'Leary, defendants, alleging that in October of 1918 the defendants borrowed \$1,000 and that one year's interest has been paid. The bank asks for judgment and \$100 attorney's fees. A writ of attachment has been taken against the defendants' real estate in Woodburn, consisting of two lots and two tracts.

Where is Boon's Island—Ernest Anderson has brought suit against George Devol and others to quiet title to a lot on Boon's island, in the city of Salem. According to the survey of Salem in 1851, Boon's island was just north of the north end of Liberty street, across North Mill creek. In the early days the old crooked mill through the city of Mill creek several hundred feet north of its present flow, creating in an island. But this creek now takes its southern swing around in that part of Salem, and Boon's island is no more nor has it been for a generation or so.

Estate Valued at \$4,955.18—J. W. Bellamy, Orsa Fagg and Edgar B. Perrine, appraisers of the estate of D. F. Harrison, deceased, have made returns of valuation amounting to \$4,955.18. The estate includes a contract of sale valued at \$2,800 in United States bonds \$100, saving account \$1,200 and other smaller items.

Beatty Estate Appraised—Appraisers appointed to value the estate of George A. Beatty, deceased, made return yesterday to the county court. A lot in Woodburn was appraised at \$900 and household furniture at \$79.50. The appraisers were G. M. Sniderhohn, S. E. Brune and Minnie Richards.

Casabas Soon On Sale—The casaba, which some folks say is sort of a second cousin to the cantaloupe, will be on the market for the first time next Saturday. Another new fruit to make its appearance next Saturday is that of the ice cream melon, which appears to be some relation to a watermelon, only it isn't, as the ice cream melon is round and rather small. And again, new sweet potatoes will be found in the market this week.

Tons of Catalogs—The big mail order houses of Chicago have selected Salem as the right city from which to send their catalogs into this part of Oregon. These catalogs are mailed from Salem to the fourth post zone, reaching 400 miles away. Incidentally, the mail order houses also pay postage into the Salem postoffice, amounting this month to \$2,179. The catalogs are shipped to Salem by freight. The mail order houses supply the necessary label for each catalog, which are properly attached by the house handling the business here.

Didn't Leave an Address—M. C. Wood, a general manager of the Silver Falls Lumber company, was in Salem Tuesday, attending to some business matters before starting a real vacation. With his wife, he is motor-ing to California and in order that care may not follow along, he announced to his friends that he didn't intend to leave any address. He just intends to travel care free.

Ride Without Lights—Three boys were brought to the police station Monday night where they were charged with riding bicycles without lights. Those against whom the complaint was made were Lloyd Satterlee, 1446 Saginaw street; Orval Lewis of route 3; William Varley, 1096 South Commercial street.

Tools Are Stolen—The loss of a set of tools which they said were taken from their car while it was parked at Saginaw and Bush streets, was reported to police yesterday by Charles Letcher and Frank Grossman. So far the tools have not been recovered.

Zinsler Pays Fine—A. D. Zinsler paid a fine of \$5 in the police court yesterday after having been arrested by Officer Hayden for speeding. Zinsler was charged with having traveled at 35 miles an hour.

Recovers Ford Car—A. B. Hughes reported to police yesterday that he had recovered the Ford car which was stolen from him in June. It was found that a man by the name of Patterson, who is under arrest at Seattle for stealing cars, was implicated in the stealing of the car.

Yakima Driver Arrested—Arrested for cutting a corner, R. W. Fenn forfeited a \$5 bond for his appearance yesterday to answer a charge filed against him by Officer Birchet for cutting a corner. Birchet reported he had cut the corner while turning west on Chemeketa from Liberty.

Off for Vacation—L. J. Elmeral and wife are to leave today for their annual vacation. They are heading up into British Columbia to spend the time.

Society to Meet—The Ladies' Aid society of the West Salem Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. H. Bedford tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Judge Resumes Duties—After a brief mid-summer vacation during which time Circuit Judge Percy R. Kelly presided in department No. 2, Marion county circuit court, Judge George O. Bingham has reported for duty and will preside in the department commencing with today's session.

Nolan Assumes Charge—George M. Nolan, superintendent of superintendents for the New York Mutual Life Insurance company, is temporarily in Salem from the Portland office of the company. Mr. Nolan will have charge of the New York Mutual office at 371 State street, formerly maintained by J. F. Hutchason, recently resigned.

Visits Brothers Here—Prof. I. H. Sefton, a teacher of languages, arrived yesterday from California by automobile and is visiting his brothers, Fred C. and A. W. Sefton, well known local printers.

Baby Son Arrives—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McGilchrist Tuesday morning, August 2, 1921, at the home of Mrs. E. C. Bailey, 529 South Commercial street. The boy weighed 10 pounds. He has been named Elton Edwin. Mr. and Mrs. McGilchrist make their home at Robedale.

Why They Are High—Those who eat watermelons and hope to eat them until about state fair time may have the satisfaction that the high price of 4 cents a pound is due somewhat to the fact that the freight charges and refrigeration and shrinkage amounts to 1 cent a pound. One year ago the freight was half the present rate. Just now shipments of watermelons are from the Imperial valley in southern California where it really gets hot.

Will Do Some Farming—Justice Lawrence T. Harris, accompanied by Mrs. Harris, will leave Thursday for Coburg, near Eugene, where Judge Harris plans to own a farm. After farming while they will spend the remainder of a month's vacation near McKenzie Bridge, where the judge owns a cabin.

Will See a Bad Boy—Next Monday the boys at the state training school will have the pleasure of seeing "Peck's Bad Boy" in the movies. The five-year-old youngster who made a national reputation in playing with Charlie Chaplin in "The Kid," and who is said to be making \$100,000 a year. The picture will be shown through courtesy of Frank Bligh of the Liberty theater.

Ellis Enjoys Alaska—A letter received from Dr. G. V. Ellis, now visiting his son, Dr. R. V. Ellis at Ketchikan, Alaska, says that they are having the time of their lives in the Alaskan summer. Ketchikan has four or five good ball teams and there are several other teams in town only a few hours away by motor boat. The games this Arctic circle league put on are said to be of world series caliber, and everybody goes to see them, whoever plays. Dr. Ellis says that the Statesman is bringing him a fine gift of home-town news—though he wishes some of the friends to whom he has written would reciprocate.

Quackenbush to Move—G. G. Quackenbush, 219 North Commercial street, has taken a five-year lease of the north half of the Maxwell building at Commercial and Chemeketa streets, generally known as the Barnes' dry goods store location. Mr. Quackenbush, whose business is that of general auto accessories and vulcanizing, says he has found it necessary to secure larger quarters. The move to the new location will be made within a short time. The Kingrose Auto company, which formerly occupied the Barnes' location, is now at 219 North Commercial street, formerly occupied by W. H. Hildebrand & Co. Mr. Hildebrand closed out his business and is now in Portland.

Takes Too Much Medicine—Mrs. Fred Otgen of Silverton, had a narrow escape from death Sunday when she took several doses of heart medicine too close together. She was hurried to the Silverton sanitarium for treatment and is now out of danger.

"Y" Gives Good Service—During the month of July, the service department of the Salem Y. M. C. A. found 77 boys and men. For the month swimming places were secured for five men. The "Y" swimming pool was a sort of a Mecca for the boys of Salem as the attendance averaged 125 daily. For the business men who needed a little active work, the gym was in service every evening of the week except Sunday for games of handball.

At Westcott Home—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson have taken rooms at the home of Mrs. Lenta Westcott, 575 Court street, pending their removal to the new home they recently purchased south of Salem from Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reuf.

PERSONALS

Mrs. W. K. Andrew of Haleville, Ala., and children, have gone to Corvallis to visit after spending a week with Mrs. O. E. Lewis, a former school mate.

Warner and Jack Guise, sons of R. L. Guise, postmaster at Woodburn, are visitors in Salem at the home of their aunt, Mrs. E. Cooke Patton.

E. F. Smith of the New York Life Insurance company was in Portland yesterday on insurance business.

Vivian Bartegods of 110 Lincoln street will leave today for Washington for a two months' visit with relatives.

E. M. Reagan, editor of the Albany Herald, was a Salem visitor Tuesday.

William McGilchrist, Jr., will leave today for a visit of several days at Newport, where his family has been spending the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Connel Dyer expect to spend several days visiting at Newport.

Col. E. Hofer is home after spending several weeks at Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Keyes will leave today for a 10-day outing at Belknap Springs.

H. C. Pugh of the New York Life Insurance company left yesterday for a ten days fishing visit at Newport and vicinity.

C. S. Hamilton and son Ralph Hamilton are in Portland attending buyers' week.

Avery Hicks, student and musician, was in Portland Tuesday attending to some matters relative to music.

L. S. Geer and F. G. Breck, Jr. of the Hamilton furniture store will spend several days in Portland to attend buyers' week.

Miss Jessie Miller left yesterday for a visit with relatives at Harrisburg. Before returning from her vacation she will visit Rockaway beach.

Dr. William Brady, health lecturer, says baths and clothes are a menace to society. Thought it was the inadequacy of both that was the menace. However, most youthful members of the rising generation agree with him.

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Robert Weddle Dies at Home Near Jefferson

Robert Weddle, prominent Jefferson farmer and a resident of Oregon since 1863 who died July 28, was buried in Jefferson. The funeral was held in the Evangelical church, Rev. F. W. Lauer officiating.

Mr. Weddle settled in Linn county from where he moved to Marion county to take up a farm near Jefferson which he made his home until his death. In 1872 he was married to Rebecca Beard, and to them were born six children of whom two daughters preceded him in death.

He is survived by his wife and four children, Mrs. W. L. Robbins of Turner, Mrs. L. W. Montgomery of Albany, Fred Weddle of Jefferson, and Miss Ida Weddle of Jefferson. He also leaves James Weddle of Jefferson and B. F. Weddle of Albany, brothers.

O. P. Chase Charges His Wife With Cruel Treatment

DALLAS, Ore., Aug. 2.—(Special to The Statesman)—O. P. Chase, city marshal of Dallas, filed suit for divorce in the circuit court from Maggie Chase. Mr. Chase accuses the defendant of cruel treatment and infidelity.

MUTUAL CARDS APPROVED.

PARIS, Aug. 2.—The French National union of Combatants has approved a proposal providing for cards for veterans of the allied nations entitling the former soldiers to all the advantages in an allied country that they enjoy in their own.

The organization has a membership of 800,000.

Annual Stunt Program At Normal School Tonight

INDEPENDENCE, Or., Aug. 2.—(Special to The Statesman)—The "annual stunt" program to be given by the various groups of the summer school of the state normal school will be held in the chapel Wednesday night. A flag will be awarded to the winning group on the following Friday at

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