

## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

## No Fatalities Reported—

During the week that ended January 5 a total of 242 industrial accidents were reported to the state accident commission, and among them were no fatalities. Of the total number reported 219 were subject to the provisions of the workmen's compensation act, 12 were from firms and corporations that have rejected the provisions of the act and 11 were from public utility corporations not subject to the act.

## Watch the Old—

And new bears tangle at the armory Sat. Jan. 7.—Adv.

## Hen Lays Goose Egg—

Salem poultrymen are pleased with the way their flocks are starting the new year. Many report heavy egg production and more large eggs than usual at the season of the year. As evidence of the unusual industry of his flocks, Will Kosenborger presented this office with a hen egg measuring 5 1/2 by 8 inches yesterday, which is about the size of an ordinary goose egg.

## New Course Announced—

Professor Panunzio, head of the social science department of Willamette university, announces a new course that will be open to freshmen and sophomore students. It is a course of elementary economics, "Our Economic Organ-

ization," a study of actualities instead of the theory of economics. The time will be so divided so that two hours will be given to quizzing and the other hour to lecture work. Professor Panunzio warns those who are looking for snap courses to be watchful of this one.

## Card of Thanks—

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and floral offerings during the illness and death of our wife and mother, Delilah Brady. F. Brady and family.—Adv.

## Young Flax Grower—

At the meeting of flax growers held Thursday evening at Aumsville, the youngest grower who was deeply interested in flax is only 16 years old. His name is Owen Thomason and he has been growing flax for about four years. To show his confidence in flax, he signed up for five acres.

## Red Cross Report—

The December report of the Red Cross activities in Salem as prepared by Mrs. Arthur S. Benson, calls attention to the fact that 170 cases were handled, every one of which was for the benefit of ex-service men or their families. In many instances, the service consisted in filing papers for ex-service men and in other work. In the way of cash payments, \$210.44 was paid out during December.

## Willamette vs. Alumni—

Jan. 7, at the armory.—Adv.

## Some Football Player—

Bill Reinhardt, member of the University of Oregon football team, and who is well known in Salem, was one of the players who went to Honolulu to play with the Oregon team. The December 27 issue of the Honolulu Star-Bulletin, discussing the game, says the following about Reinhardt: "There were several men who stood out in the Oregon team. Bill Reinhardt played in two quarters, but that was enough, for during that time, he made three touchdowns, besides being the best ground gainer on the Webfoot squad. His specialty is running through a broken field, two of his touchdowns being made in this manner."

## December Business Good—

Business at the Salem postoffice during the month of December broke the records of all months in the history of the postoffice. The total sales amounted to \$17,656.35.

## One License Issued—

Only one marriage license was issued yesterday and this was to Alexander G. Swan of Los Angeles, a student, and Norma Davis of Jefferson, Or., also a student.

## DIED

ANDERSON—At the Peterson residence, 360 E. Washington St. Thursday morning January 5th. Mrs. Ellen Matilda Anderson, age 44 years, wife of C. F. Anderson, sister of Andrew Peterson, aunt of Magdalene and Anna Peterson. Funeral services will be held Monday, a.m. 8, at 2:30 p. m. from the Rigdon mortuary, concluding service Mt. Crest Abbey mausoleum.

## WILLIAMS—In this city, suddenly, early Friday morning,

Jan. 6, Mrs. Martha A. Williams, age 58 years, wife of J. H. Williams, mother of Ben, John, Roy and Miss Jennie Williams, all of Salem, and Mrs. W. V. Daniels of Eugene. Announcement of funeral will be made later by Rigdon mortuary.

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## To Quiet Title—

Abraham Jones has brought suit against John Marlin and a number of others, to quiet title to 70 acres of land in section 24, township 19, south of range 3 west. In the complaint, Mr. Jones alleges that he and his predecessors have been in continuous possession of the land for 58 years.

## Administratrix Appointed—

Sarah Ellen Thompson has been appointed by the county court as administratrix of the estate of J. S. Thompson. His estate consists mostly of a claim for damages against the city of Philomath. On July 29, 1920, Mr. Thompson was seriously injured in a fall caused it is claimed by a defective sidewalk, his death resulting about a month later.

## When Bearcat Meets Bearcat—

Jan. 7, at the armory.—Adv.

## Estate Appraised—

The estate of Deltona Burr has been appraised at \$4,452. The appraisers were G. H. Jewett, C. W. Peters and J. N. Nunn. Included in the estate are lots 13 and 14 in block 20 of Englewood addition to Salem, appraised at \$2500.

## Wants to Be Citizen—

Martin Sells, 26, wants to be an American citizen, after living in the United States since 1907. He now lives at Silverton. Yesterday he filed his intention. He was born in Germany and is now farming near Silverton.

## Examination Papers Mailed—

Eight grade examination papers will be mailed in a day or two from the county superintendent's office to school teachers in Marion county, for an examination to be held January 12. The teacher in each district will hold the examination, which is for those who failed last June or who were not examined at the time. Those who pass are eligible to attend high school.

## Dance Tonight—

Macleay, Big lunch. Elite orchestra. Excellent roads. A big time.—Adv.

## Good County for Boys—

According to reports from rural school districts, and also from the report of the Salem public schools, Marion county is a great county for boys, as they are in the majority in many schools. December reports of schools not far from Salem are as follows: Middle Grove, boys, 54, girls, 27; Rosedale, boys, 22, girls, 23; Ricker, boys, 15, girls, 22; Pringle, boys, 36, girls, 27; Croston, boys, 27, girls, 21; Hazel Green, boys, 28, girls, 18; Prospect, boys, 16, girls, 5; Hayesville, boys, 27, girls, 21; Perkins, boys, 15, girls, 10; Auburn, boys, 18, girls, 30; Clear Lake, boys, 17, girls, 19; Bethel, boys, 10, girls, 9; Buena Vista, boys, 28, girls, 21; Labish Center, boys, 10, girls, 12.

## Fire Chief in City—

E. J. Stannard of Woodburn was a visitor in Salem Friday. Mr. Stannard has the honor of serving his home team as chief of the fire department.

## "Salvation Nell"—

At the Liberty, starting Sunday.—Adv.

## Judgment by Default—

In the suit of H. E. Witham against H. Baker and others, a judgment by default has been entered of record. The suit was brought for \$116 and this amount was given the plaintiff, in addition to \$35 attorney's fees.

## Thirty Days Indoors—

For the first time in his life, T. G. Bligh says he staid in the house for 30 days. This was just recently. The cause of his staying in was an attack of tonsillitis, and then coming out on the street before he had entirely recovered. That is, he was 20 days in the house, then four hours down town when he happened to meet his doctor. Under the doctor's instructions he went home and remained there for 10 days more just for good measure, and safety also.

## Grocery Store Sold—

The Kelley & Camp grocery store on North Church street near the high school, has been sold to H. McGregor and K. Ross. Mr. McGregor has been a resident of Salem, while Mr. Ross comes from Portland.

## Children's Free Show—

"Winners of the West," Bligh theater, 10:30 a. m. today.—Adv.

## Captain Barber Will Talk—

A. C. Barber, state insurance commissioner and also state real estate commissioner, will be the speaker at the evening at the meeting of Marion County Realtors' association to be held next Monday night at Leslie Methodist church. The occasion is the annual election of officers and a banquet given by the realtors to their wives and others. The chicken dinner will be served by the women of Leslie church.

## Verdict Against Van Doren—

In the suit of W. Barnett vs. J. L. and P. W. Van Doren, for merchandise delivered, valued at \$250, the jury returned a verdict against the Van Dorens for the \$250 and \$50 attorney's fees.

## Town Is Growing—

The town of Grande Ronde is taking its place on the map and may eventually be a real town, with some folks figuring a population as high as 500. In time, according to U. G. Holt, logging superintendent of the Spaulding Logging company, Contracts have been recently let for the building of six dwelling houses. Grande Ronde is the town from which all shipments of the Spaulding-Miami Logging company are made, the railroad being known

## as the Willamina &amp; Grande Ronde

Railway company.

## Fees in Question—

The jury in the Marion county circuit court is now hearing the case of Leroy Hewitt against B. F. Forbes, wherein the plaintiff asks for \$400. Mr. Forbes claims he just talked things over with Mr. Hewitt regarding plans for a house, but did not order. Mr. Hewitt drew plans for the house which he claims was on an order from Mr. Forbes.

## Legal Blanks—

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

## Another Collision—

R. W. Matthis of 161 South Fourteenth street last night reported to the police that while driving east on State street he had struck an unidentified car. His car was little damaged, Mr. Matthis reported.

## Cars Collide—

W. R. Ramp reported to the police that his car had been struck by a car bearing Oregon license No. 3640. The accident occurred at Commercial and Center streets. It was reported.

## Car Speeds On—

Ellis Hurst of 578 North High street yesterday reported that while driving south on Twelfth street his car had collided with a machine, the identity of which was not ascertained. The unidentified driver failed to stop, according to Mr. Hurst. There was but small damage.

## Free—

Consultation and examination. Drs. Bradford & Bradford, D. C. state licensed physicians. Ten years in practice. Phone 526. Suite 319 Oregon Bldg.—Adv.

## Find Carpet Bags—

A collection of carpet bags, contained in a straw suit case, was yesterday turned in at the police station and will be held for the owner.

## Bicyclist Escapes Injury—

M. J. DeLapp of Salem, route 2, reported to the police yesterday that while driving south on Commercial street his car had struck a bicycle. Mr. Brooks was not injured, Mr. DeLapp claimed.

## Interested in Schools—

Parents in the Salem school district are interested in the public schools to the extent of 395 visits during the month of December. This is in accordance with the December report of all schools in the city. The Garfield school had the greatest number of parent visits, numbering 145, while the high school had the least, with only four visits from parents.

## A Classified Ad—

Will bring you a buyer.—Adv.

## Initiated Last Night—

The Woodmen of the World held their first initiations of the year last night in the Elks' temple. Seventeen new Woodmen were added to the rolls.

## W. U. Frosh vs. Scio H. S.—

Jan. 7, 7:30 p. m. at armory.—Adv.

## Madam Rumor Says—

That in Portland there is a general discussion everywhere as to the best means of financing the 1925 exposition, and the common opinion is that it will have to be financed by a stock subscribing plan. This is what several Salemites heard in Portland yesterday, following the announcement there would be no special election called May 19 to vote on the gasoline or any other tax.

## Are Salem Visitors—

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Warner and two daughters of Spokane, Wash., stopped in the city overnight, on their way home from a vacation spent in San Diego. Mr. Warner spoke to the Scout council at their meeting in the Commercial club.

## Women to Debate—

Three Bar W women have dignified their intentions of entering the debate team of Willamette university. They are the Misses Lorlei Blatchford, Ruby Rosenkranz and Helen Hoover. About nine other women have answered the call sent out by the organizer of the debate team, Virgil Anderson. He expects to see a group of debaters that will make all opposing teams take a drubbing. The university men taking oratory will represent the college in the coming event, and there will not be any tryouts.

## Band Tunes Up—

Lee's Paint shop is being used during the evenings by the brass band of Willamette university. Yesterday the band met at that place and tuned up for the street parade that will be held this evening. They then will play at the basketball game between the Scio high school and Willamette freshmen and later at the game between Bearcat and Bearcat.

## Dreamland Rink—

Dance! Dance! Dance! Special attraction. Famous vaudeville dancers. Direct from Chicago in exhibition ballroom dances to night. No raise in price.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

MARION—Laura Marie Larsen, Falls City; Mrs. L. Glischay, Gates; Paul Devine, Pendleton; B. Zinwald; A. V. Orcutt, Roseburg; T. H. Stanley, Klamath Falls; W. S. Shinn, Kings Valley; Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Meacham, Hood River; Clyde Kelly, McMinnville; Josiah Wells, Dallas; G. D. Goodall, Eugene; F. R. Hewitt, Olympia, Wash.  
BLIGH—J. B. Williams, St. Helens; Mrs. J. F. Scott, Corvallis;

## C. F. Hill, Gervais; Mrs. E. Sloan,

Eugene; C. B. Hodgkin, Independence; G. C. McCame, W. W. Ruche, L. F. Drake, Mrs. L. L. Bolter, Portland.

## PERSONALS

President Carl Gregg Doney spoke at the blind school yesterday evening.

Mrs. R. E. Schisler arrived last night from Harrisburg to visit her sister, Miss Jessie K. Miller, an preme court. Mrs. Schisler and Miss Miller will go to Portland today.

Frank Froemel, Henry Kersch, Charles Walker and John English, residents of Mount Angel, transacted road business with the Marion county court yesterday.

W. M. Cline of Portland, was a visitor Friday at the office of the public service commission. Mr. Cline has construction contracts on portions of the Pacific highway route.

Judge Asa Robinson, of Polk county conferred with County Judge W. M. Bushey yesterday.

O. W. Humphreys of Victor Point, is sojourning in Salem while serving on the circuit court jury panel.

H. E. K. Whitney, director of the Whitney boys chorus of Portland, was in the city yesterday.

Captain T. A. Rilea of the adjutant general's office, returned yesterday from an official visit to Portland.

Mrs. Gustaf F. Liening left yesterday for Astoria. In Tacoma, W. W. Green left yesterday over the Oregon Electric for Pendleton.

Leonard Jones was a passenger yesterday on the Oregon Electric to Astoria.

## REALTY EXCHANGES

Reported by Union Abstract Company

C. O. and Bertha Settlemier and Robin D. Day to Adam Eckhorn, 10.02 acres, J. Stevenson DLC 6-3-W, \$850.

J. R. Reynolds to Hettie Powers, lot 16, Mrs. Remington's subdivision in Woodburn, \$1.

E. M. and Ella S. Croisan to J. W. and Clara Thomas, 12.81 acres in H. Croisan DLC, 7-3-W, \$10.

H. and Emma Snook to Joseph and Emma Roewe, part of lots 3 and 4, block 37, Salem, \$2650.

O. D. Bower, sheriff, to Alice R. Trindle, lots 1, 2, and 3, block 1, Meeker's addition to Salem, \$3,372.

Theo and Elsie Roth to Alice R. Trindle, lots 1, 2, and 3, block 1, Meeker's addition to Salem, \$10.

Lucy A. and H. M. Baker to Alice R. Trindle, lots 1, 2, and 3, block 1, Meeker's addition to Salem, \$10.

H. G. and Caroline H. Meyer to Alice R. Trindle, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 1, Meeker's addition to Salem, \$10.

P. H. Fitzgerald and N. S. Scollard to Rudolph and Edwar Zak, 52.73 acres in Thos. Fitzgerald DLC 5-1-W, \$9218.48.

Agnes Hermle et al to Rudolph Zak, 1.36 acres in Thos. Fitzgerald DLC 5-1-W, \$272.

P. H. Fitzgerald and N. S. Scollard to John Hybner and Aloisio Bartos, 59.38 acres in Thos Fitzgerald DLC 5-1-W, \$10.

## Weigant Asks Damages

For Death of His Son

DALLAS, Ore., Jan. 7.—(Special to The Statesman)—Joseph Weigant of this city this week filed with the county clerk a suit against the Oregon Growers' Packing corporation for \$7500 damages for the death of his son, Charles Herman Weigant, which occurred on the evening of October 29 when the child, who was but seven years old, fell into an open cesspool of scalding water alongside the plant building in the southern part of Dallas.

The complaint charges negligence on the part of the corporation in not providing a cover for the pool. Oscar Hayter of this city will handle the case for Mr. Weigant which will be tried at this term of the circuit court which convenes in Dallas next Monday.

## Premium

Trading

Coupons

Given by Local Department Store

The great majority of people analyzing the worth of their purchases will quickly respond to favor the People's Cash Store, definitely known to be the only large concern in Marion county whose interests have exceeded their own by offering its patrons an added discount on purchases.

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## Special Department

Our premium department located on the balcony, with a special force in attendance will courteously help you pick out your desired articles.

The coupons are in denomination of a 50c purchase and upward and the premiums are so marked. The writer wishes to clearly convey to all readers of this article that inasmuch as these coupons are issued (as they have been in the past) the People's Cash Store will continue to be Salem's leading store of values and dependable merchandise.—Adv.

REGULARS WILL  
PLAY OLD-TIMERS

"Fussers" Night at Salem High School to Be Properly Celebrated

The high school regulars and alumni meet on "Fussers' Night," January 13, for the annual basketball battle of the old and the new. Some of the kids really expect to wallop the old timers, and do it with an insouciant patronizing air that the old timers will hardly appreciate. The kids don't want 'em to like it, but they say they have got to take it. The whole high school turns out for this historic, annual battle; and then the whole school goes to a movie show as a wind-up of the day.

It is understood that Coach Sparks is giving the youngsters a pretty thorough course in the game, and that they're going like a 40-inch greyhound after a winged jackrabbit. They are popularly expected to need all the speed they can muster, for the woods are full of crackerjacks and the Yellow Jackets from the Salem Y. were of previous Salem high teams, and there are others by the busload who could be dragged in to make a good showing. Of these Yellow Jackets and others who have been playing regularly this winter, enough players could be picked to make a team that simply couldn't be ever were. It ought to be a game worth the seeing.

And look out the Fussers with the pretty girls!

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## BRIEF IS FILED

IN KERBY APPEAL

Supreme Court Receives Document in Capital Punishment Test Case

Attorneys for Elvin D. Kerby in the case instituted to test out the validity of the Oregon capital punishment law and which served as a stay of execution for Kirby and John L. Rathle who were sentenced to hang December 3 last for their part in the killing of Sheriff T. Taylor of Pendleton, yesterday filed their brief in the state supreme court.

The case is an appeal from a petition for writ of habeas corpus which was denied by Judge George G. Bingham of the Marion county circuit court.

The brief sets out that the Oregon capital punishment law is a violation of inalienable rights. It shows that the law which in 1914 abolished capital punishment in Oregon and put into the bill of rights of the state constitution, and further it is averred that the bill of rights cannot be repealed, as was done when capital punishment was reinstated.

The brief bristles with citations in support of the arguments. The present effect of the case is to hold up all sentences of death applying to men in the Oregon penitentiary, now numbering half a dozen. If the attorneys for

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This is a gopher, graydigger and mole story and tells