

# CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

**Commission Sued**—The public service commission was yesterday served with summons in a suit instituted against the commission by the Pacific Power & Light company in Clatsop county to set aside the recent order of the commission reducing the company's gas rates at Astoria. The reduction was approximately 15 per cent. The complaint also objects to the valuation of the gas equipment at Astoria, as found by the commission, which was \$448,000. The company claims that a fairer valuation is \$625,000. The suit is filed in the circuit court at Astoria.

**Mrs. Purdy Ventures**—Ruby Purdy, who has been connected with the state bonus commission, has taken out a state license to become a real estate broker and is opening an office in the Porter wall paper store at 455 Court street. Mrs. Purdy expects to do selling and renting of property.

**Classified Ad.**—Will bring you a buyer.—Adv.

**Will Talk on China**—The men who fall to hear J. C. Clark at the Commercial club Monday night will miss hearing many vital things about China and the Chinese. Mr. Clark, an Oregon boy, graduate of O. A. C., went to China 17 years ago and at Shanghai he has built up the greatest boys' department in the world. He has lived in the celestial kingdom through almost all the great epoch-making events that have put China on the world map, and he has a story to tell that will grip men's hearts. China is the one great human interrogation question that America must know in business and social defense. Mr. Clark comes as an authority who is really down under the skin of China, and he speaks with authority of the things that America ought to know about China.

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**Serve**—Gray Belle French Pastry.—Adv.

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**People Use Swift's Fertilizer**—Because it makes them money, see C. S. Bowne or phone 353.—Adv.

**Girls Are Guests**—Some 25 girls from the Girls' Industrial school were guests of Manager Arthur Laflar yesterday at a special showing of the film "That Something."

**Roast or Fried**—Chicken, \$1 per plate; all day today at the Gray Belle.—Adv.

**O. A. C. Graduates Invited**—Mr. and Mrs. Mark McCallister, 1433 South Liberty street, will be hosts this afternoon for the graduates and former students of O. A. C. in honor of J. C. Clark, a graduate of the college who is in Salem for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. McCallister have invited all former students to meet Mr. Clark at this time.

**Hold Memorial Services**—Memorial services for the late Freeman Drake will be held at the Salvation army hall on State street, Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock. A special program of singing and addresses will be given.

**Dr. White and Marshall**—Osteopathic physicians, U S Bk.—Adv.

**Mexican Resident Here**—B. C. Deyarmond, recently from Tampico, Mexico, is a visitor in Salem and vicinity, having come a few days ago, called by the illness and the subsequent death of his father, E. H. Deyarmond, near Macleay. Mr. Deyarmond was never a resident of this part of Oregon, his parents having come here from eastern Oregon a few years ago, after he had left home. He went to Mexico from New York, in the employ of the International Petroleum company, an American concern doing business in Manana-land. He expects to return to Mexico within the next few days, his vacation being up on May 15. He says that business conditions are stabilizing wonderfully under the present administration. He says that wages are high there; enough higher to make them attractive for Americans, even in Tampico, on the gulf, which is not in all respects the most desirable location, although on the uplands of Mexico living is a perpetual delight.

**E. B. Flake's Flower**—And bird store, 273 State St. Pansy plants, dahlia and gladioli bulbs.—Adv.

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Radio for the Beginner ... \$1.00  
Radio for Everybody ... 1.00  
Handbook of Birds (by Bailey) revised ... 5.00  
Auto Blue Book (western and Transcontinental) ... 4.00  
Queen Victoria, Strachey ... 5.00  
Bungalowcraft ... .60

**Salem Housewives**—Don't miss the Red Star oil stove this week at Stiff's.—Adv.

**Edwin Mortimer Arrives**—A son, who has been named Edwin Mortimer Randall, arrived recently at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Edwin T. Randall, route 6, box 149. His father is pastor of the Methodist churches at Waconda and Brooks.

**Trusses**—Fitted at Tyler's Drug Store by an expert in the business.—Adv.

**Candy is Sold**—The Girls' club of Willamette university held a candy sale at Eaton hall yesterday during the election. This sale was to raise money to pay off a deficiency created by the Co-ed carnival.

**MacDonald's Farmer Almanac**—At Tyler's Drug Store.—Adv.

**Orchards Are Inspected**—C. A. Kineman of Sacramento, Cal., Professors H. P. Barrs and A. L. Lovett of O.A.C., Corvallis, and S. H. Van Trump, county fruit inspector, yesterday made a visit of inspection of prune orchards near Salem. The Rosedale and Liberty districts have been visited during the past two days. Mr. Kineman is connected with the United States department of Agriculture and is a specialist of prune and plum culture.

**For Today's Baseball Results**—Phone 939, The Ace.—Adv.

**Cooper, Aisea; Mrs. V. J. Denvie. C. D. Cheatham, Portland.**

**Brooks and Waconda Churches Meet Jointly**—A joint all-day meeting of the Methodist churches of Brooks and Waconda will be held today at Waconda, with Rev. E. E. Gilbert, superintendent of the Salem district, present as one of the speakers. The day will start with Sunday school at 10 o'clock, and the morning sermon an hour later will be preached by Superintendent Gilbert. A basket luncheon will be served at noon, and in the afternoon there will be a quarterly conference and a consecration service for six young persons.

**A Warning**—to feel tired before exertion is not laziness—it's a sign that the system lacks vitality, and needs the tonic effect of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Sufferers should not delay. Get rid of that tired feeling by beginning to take Hood's Sarsaparilla today.—Adv.

**RAULIG**—In this city, April 28, Jacob Raulig, age 97 years, father of R. J. Raulig of Concrete N. D., A. F. Raulig of Salem, Mrs. E. Emmers of Spokane, Mrs. Peter Philippi of Salem, and Mrs. H. H. Wohl-nick of Salem. Funeral services Monday at 10 a. m. from the Rigdon mortuary, after which the body will be forwarded to Cavalier, N. D., for interment.

**HILL**—At Santa Cruz, Cal., April 26, Miss Clara Hill, sister of Mrs. Charles D. Mulligan of that city. The body will arrive early Monday morning. The funeral cortege will leave the Rigdon mortuary at 9:30 a. m. for the City View cemetery where services will be held and interment made.

**Needlework Shop**—All kinds of fancy work and hemstitching done. 121 S. Com'l. St.—Adv.

**Examination Announced**—Announcement is made through the postoffice, that the government will hold a stenographer-typist examination for the 11th district on May 9. This district comprises Alaska, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming and Oregon. Applicants who might be interested should write at once to the secretary of the civil service commission, postoffice building, Seattle, asking for blank applications.

**The Air Eater Keeps**—Money in your pocket and puts pep in your engine, reduces carbon, upkeep and oil, and increases mileage from 20 to 100 per cent. Your money back after 30 days if we do not make good our guarantee. Tests made in Salem average 45 per cent increase in mileage per gal. of gas. See Col. E. Olmstead, sales manager for Marion, Polk, Linn, Benton and Lincoln counties.—Adv.

**Portland Visited**—The Oregon History class of Willamette university, drove to Oregon City and Portland, Saturday, to take in some of the important points of early northwest history. They spent some time in the Oregon Historical Society rooms in the Auditorium of Portland, where there is a very comprehensive exhibit of old-time relics and a wonderful library of Oregon bibliography.

**Acetylene Welding**—And brazing. Doerfer & Campbell, 410 So. Commercial.—Adv.

**Fought in Cuba**—The Spanish-American war service record of Herbert A. Verneat has been filed with County Clerk U. G. Boyer. Mr. Verneat enlisted July 21, 1898 and was discharged from the service May 17, 1899. He served in Cuba and the United States with Company I, Third Regiment, United States Engineers.

**Red Star Oil Stove**—Demonstrations, 3 days beginning tomorrow, at Stiff's.—Adv.

**Four Couples Marry**—Deputy Clerk Ruth Wallace yesterday issued four licenses to couples who had yielded to Dan Cupid's wiles as follows: Stanley Borten, telephone constructor, of Portland and Elsie Beckner, of Salem; William M. Andrus, farmer, and Katherine E. Grinta, bookkeeper, both of Woodburn; Harvey Edward Ketchner, laborer, and Maude Belle Hodges, both residing at Salem. Ward W. Wolfe, bricklayer of Salem; and Rita Loter, of Salem.

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday**—See Red Star demonstration at Stiff's.—Adv.

**Gilbert Greets Visitors**—Lee Gilbert, local auto dealer, was much surprised last night when a party of Portland and Salem friends visited Lee at his Hupmobile show at 156 south Commercial street. Accompanied by their wives, Al Tutu, potato

**Wake Up! In the Morning**

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**LONG**—Josephine Long, age 33, died at a local hospital. Remains are in care of Terwilliger home. Funeral service will be held Monday on arrival of relatives from Portland.

**FRYE**—At a local hospital, Richard F. Frye, Troutdale, Or. Remains in care of the Terwilliger home, and later will be taken to Portland for cremation.

**JOY**—At his home, 1835 South High street, April 28, Truman Decatur Joy, aged 62 years, 11 months and 5 days. Survived by his wife, Minnie Joy; five children, Claude Joy of Moose Jaw, Canada; Mrs. G. C. Maddock, Mrs. A. C. Maddock of Brainerd, Minn.; Mrs. G. R. Richardson and Harry Joy of Salem. Remains are in care of the Terwilliger home. Funeral will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. from the Adventist church, Rev. Bell officiating. Burial will be in I. O. O. F. cemetery.

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Fine quality of very high lustre mercerized top with wide hem, good strong heels and toes, fawn, navy and brown, a pair— 79c

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9c each. 14x24 Cotton Huck Towel with neatly hemmed ends, will give satisfactory service and desirable for individual use.

**PERSONALS**

William Brown returned last night from California where he has been for the winter. He was in Redlands most of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Legge of Eugene are guests at the Beta Chi sorority of Willamette university during this week-end.

**HOTEL ARRIVALS**

MARION—M. Turner, W. N. Whalen, Horace Addis, Mrs. E. T. Johnson, M. Lindberg, W. C. Bryant, W. R. Johnson, Mrs. V. Stanley, H. K. Langdon, W. E. Graham, H. Fuller, Henry E. Ernst, Portland; J. R. Roberts, Sacramento; Miss Zoe Miller, Banks; Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Conklin, Eva Burke, Sterling Colo.

BLIGH—D. H. Hayes, Roseburg; R. M. Gibson, Los Angeles; O. C. Stubbs, F. Stewart, Portland; Henry Sorenson, Corvallis; D. J. Valley, Silverton; O. C. Harris, Astoria; R. H. Johnson, Grants Pass.

TERMINAL—Grace Harding, Mill City; Mrs. R. D. Curtis, The Dalles; H. A. Lorenz, Milwaukee, Wis.; R. Wilson, Lebanon; H. Phelps, Marshfield; H. A. Wilson, M. Burke San Francisco; R. D.

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