

C. D. BABCOCK MAY GET POST

Former Salesman Mentioned for California Insurance Commissioner

Carlton D. Babcock, former member of the Oregon state industrial accident commission and now a resident of San Francisco, is being prominently mentioned for insurance commissioner in California. Alexander McCabe, present commissioner, is being made the target of an attack by California insurance men following the recent election. McCabe has three years yet to serve and if he does not resign charges may be preferred against him by the state legislature.

Mr. Babcock is an attorney with 12 years experience as an insurance man. While in Oregon he was the author of the Oregon blue sky law and at one time was head of the corporation department.

In a statement issued to the San Francisco Call, Mr. Babcock said: "My friends in San Francisco and in southern California have urged me to seek the appointment of insurance commissioner. I am not making an effort to secure the place. I would take it on my own terms, which the governor-elect might not care to meet. I have no desire to pre-empt a political insurance position. There is an excellent opportunity for the insurance commissioner to accomplish something constructive for the people of California. This office, as well as other public departments, should be run strictly on a business basis, the same as successful private enterprises are conducted. The insurance commissioner should have no friends to reward and no enemies to punish. The department should be conducted as impartially as a court of justice."

FRENCH POLICY IS RAPID BY SENATORS
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wards, commandant of the first army corps area, was among the party of notables led by Lieutenant Governor Fuller which met him in the station. A double lane of national guardsmen kept the path open for him to the street. Outside had been massed fighting men of every sort that the city could muster. These were cavalrymen, infantrymen, artillerymen, marines, bluejackets and policemen.

Pauses Before Statue

Up Boston's winding streets the cavalcade moved, through streets lined with cheering crowds. Ticket tape and confetti rained down on him through French and American flags in the financial district. After ceremonies at City hall, Clemenceau was escorted to the state house. Entering, he paused several moments before a statue of Washington.

Beneath the high dome of the Hall of Flags the Tiger's first greeting went to a blinded son of his native France. The "blue devil" who lost his sight in the great drive of 1915—was Private Guy Endin, now a student at Harvard. The Tiger aided him as he was led forward, his breast resplendent with the Croix de Guerre, the Medaille Militaire and the decoration of the Legion of Honor, and he stepped quickly to embrace him.

Tiger Early to Bed

He spoke emotionally to him in French for several minutes before Governor Cox could start his speech of introduction.

From the state house, again riding through cheering crowds and paraded troops, the Tiger drove through the Back Bay section to the public library where nearly a thousand school children were singing the Marseillaise in French. The Tiger alighted for

CHAMBER ROOMS WILL BE USED

Marion County Corn Show Hopes to Have Independence Cooperation

It has been almost decided to hold the Marion county corn show in the Chamber of Commerce rooms December 14 to 16. The other rooms that had been proposed will not now be available, having been rented for immediate occupancy. In casting about for a location the committee could find no more appropriate place than the club rooms, and this will doubtless be the program.

Paul Carpenter, the efficient Polk county farm agent, has been invited to cooperate with the Marion county people in staging the exposition. He was one of the leaders in the Independence show last week, and a show was put on that would look too good to be true even back in the Missouri valley. Local agents are to be asked for from each of the 25 communities in the Marion county federation, and the whole county is to be interested in making the show a really big affair.

One of the most interesting features of the Independence display was the department devoted to corn cookery. They had everything, from ear corn canned whole to cakes, cookies and candies. The display was so attractive that it is expected a similar department will be arranged for the Salem fair.

at a moment so that he and the children could see each other better. Then he was driven to the home of F. L. Higginson, Jr., nearby, where he will stay while in Boston. An hour later he was in bed, resting up for his second formal address, which he is to deliver tomorrow afternoon in Tremont temple.

BIG SERVICE BY LOCAL RED CROSS

Support in This District Falls Far Short, Record of the Year Shows

A printed circular just issued by Willamette chapter Red Cross, shows that Salem has been exemplary in devotion to the benefits of the organization, and looking the other way and talking pleasantly about the weather most of the time when there was any money to pay.

The last year's roll call in Salem was \$1578, while the money paid out was \$5186.82 for ex-service men alone, and \$1,173 for other helpful purposes. If it hadn't been for the country, that noble came to the rescue of the Red Cross, there would have been a goose-egg financially in the local chapter. The deficit was met by drawing on the funds that were left over after the war closed and there was not quite so much steady demand for funds as there had been during the war. But the bonds and other funds won't last forever. They are melting away like the proverbial snowball in the spiritual oven.

The roll call for 1922-23 is now on, and some collections have been made. It has been hard to get volunteer collectors, however, according to the local directors, and so little money comes in voluntarily that the Red Cross feels like an orphan. It rendered some kind of service to 1281 ex-service men last year. It wrote 5547 letters on relief cases. It held 5703 office interviews in relation to help, and it has given some kind of service to hundreds of men and their families. In one case the department wrote something like 180 letters or papers for one man.

It is estimated that the maximum of hospitalization will not be reached until 1926. The boys keep finding that they are not as good as they are thought of, and they are next thing to down and out. The Red Cross is the medium for looking after them. It must be supported, as a sacred obligation.

LOCAL FLAX TOW IS DISPOSED OF

Successful Selling Trip Made By President of Valley Association

President George W. Eyre of the Willamette Hemp & Flax Growers' association, has returned from a successful marketing trip in the association's interest. He has sold in Spokane, Seattle, Portland and for delivery there and at San Francisco, practically the last pound of tow from the company's flax holdings from the 1922 crop.

The association had several hundred tons of flax this year but because of the drought the stalks were short and were used only for tow that goes into mattresses and furniture-stuffing. Some of the product had been sold but the sales were too slow. So President Eyre took a short trip to the north, where he placed the stuff quickly for a satisfactory price.

There is still close to 75 tons of fiber flax that sells at a far higher price. This was grown by the few fortunate farmers whose flax was able to defy the weather and make a satisfactory growth. It had been hoped that the whole crop would be of this sort. In a good year it would be so, and the receipts to the growers would be from two to 10 times what they will be during this almost disastrous season. At that, the flax was one of the best of all the spring small grain crops. It has paid much better than spring wheat or oats, taking the average for the whole valley. It is understood that there will be a larger acreage of flax next spring than there was this year. The drought-shortened yield hasn't in the least frightened away the flax enthusiasm of last spring.

MRS. ROWLAND FUNERAL HERE

Mrs. Dr. L. L. Rowland Passed Away at the Home of Jay Smith in San Francisco Wednesday Night

Mrs. Dr. L. L. Rowland passed away at the home of Jay Smith in San Francisco Wednesday night. Mr. Smith left with the body for Salem last night, on the train that is to arrive here at 6:55 tomorrow morning, and the funeral will be held at the Rigdon undertaking parlors at 1:30 tomorrow afternoon, to be conducted by Rev. J. J. Evans, pastor of the First Christian church. Interment will be in the amily lot in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Dr. L. L. Rowland was one of the prominent physicians of Salem for a great many years, and he was superintendent of the Oregon asylum for the insane in the 90's. He afterwards retired to his farm near Scotts Mills, and there he died a number of years ago.

Lovisa Smith, wife of Jay Smith, was their only daughter. Jay Smith was raised in Salem and was very well known here in the 80's and 90's. Mr. and Mrs. Smith went to San Francisco 20 or more years ago, and she died there a few years ago. Mr. Smith has been an employe of Libby, McNeill & Libby. There are three children, Bessie, Wanda and Rowland, daughters and son of Jay Smith and granddaughters and grandson of Mrs. Rowland.

OUR FLOUR PRICE MUST ADVANCE MONDAY

Flour has made three 2c advances within the last few weeks. Friday and Saturday we will sell at the old price.

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Crown, sack	\$1.85	Barrel	\$7.40

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OREGON ALUMNI HOLD PEPPY REUNION HERE

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The voters in 1921, based upon the assessed valuation of property which, he stated, had declined during the last year. The alumni he urged must come to the relief of their university and contribute what they could, within their means, each year. The endowment goal was placed at \$10,000,00, he stated, which was a small amount in comparison with Oregon's immense resources. He pointed to the fact that Yale last year had a total of \$6000 alumni contributing regularly each year to an endowment fund.

Others Speak

Other speakers of the evening were Miss Grace Edgington, secretary of the alumni association, who urged alumni to subscribe to "Old Oregon" in order to keep in touch with the university; John B. Gelsy, mayor-elect, who promised to make duplicates of the key to the city for every Oregon alumni; W. K. Newell, director of the endowment campaign headquarters, who spoke on the gifts which the university had received; George Hug, who talked football, and A. O. Condit who took his audience back to "when I was a student."

Slides Shown

The organization and election of officers for the Salem alumni association was followed by stereopticon slides of the campus, at the conclusion of which the first meeting and organization of Salem's Oregon alumni broke up for the evening.

Aged Tradition Broken at Yale Football Rally

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 23. — One of the oldest of Yale's traditions was smashed tonight when President James R. Angell appeared at a football rally to lend his support to the team that will face Harvard on Saturday. He was greeted with a war of cheers from one of the largest rallies at Yale in recent years.

President Angell said that he knew he was breaking a tradition but added that he did it because he wanted to pay his respects to a team "that took defeat as Yale men should."

Answer Filed in Case of Yoder Against Bank

An answer to the complaint of Amos Yoder against the State Bank of Hubbard was filed in the circuit court yesterday morning. Yoder alleges that the bank endorsed his name to a check without authority. In its answer the bank asserts that it acted only as agent for Mr. Yoder's brother, N. J. Yoder, and that the check was not cashed.

The bank further states that L. A. Beckman, cashier, did endorse the name of Amos Yoder on the check but that it was forwarded for collection and then deposited to the account of N. J. Yoder. It asserts that \$950 was received by the plaintiff and that the balance went to his brother to cover various costs.

Wheatland Ferry Operator Is Sued By T. B. Jones

According to a suit filed in the circuit court yesterday T. B. Jones would enjoin Clyde La Follette, operator of the Wheatland Ferry, from further operation on the grounds that La Follette has placed anchors, poles, wires and cables on the east bank of the river, which land, Jones States, belongs to him.

In the suit Jones alleges that La Follette is rendering his property valueless for his own use and that he has been landing freight on the river bank land which he has owned for a number of years.

The complaint asks that La Follette be restrained from operating the ferry, from landing freight on the east bank and from placing poles and wires on the property owned by Jones.

BITS FOR BREAKFAST

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Salem has a chance to build up a bigger fruit country than the one around Fresno, and a bigger city than Fresno, because we have a much greater diversity. What we need is to tell the world of our advantages; and to get the correct view of our advantages into the minds of our own people, too.

The Oregon Electric is building a new spur up along side of the addition to the Salem paper mill, so that cars can be loaded direct from that part of the mill. Work on the fourth story of the addition is proceeding, and the roof will soon be on. The reinforced concrete walls on the south side of that addition are being left so that a further addition may be added later—and this will likely be next year. That is growing to be a great mill, and will be constantly a greater and better paper mill.

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\$1.00 Brassiers	50c	Brassiers 3 for	\$1.00

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\$4.00 Coatings or Suitings — per yard	\$3.00	50-inch Suitings, per yard	\$1.25
\$3.50 Coatings or Suitings — per yard	\$2.63	\$3.00 Dress Goods — per yard	\$2.25
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Outing Flannels, good grade, for	17c	Cheap Percales, yard	9c
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