

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Daughter Born—

A 12 pound daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walker, 2030 Trade street, Wednesday, July 25, according to announcement made yesterday.

Artisans Attention—

The picnic which was to have been held tonight at the Fairgrounds has been postponed for another week. The regular lodge meeting will be held tonight.—Adv.

Lineman Killed—

A lineman, Willard Eddy, fell from a telephone pole at Forest Grove in the electric zone where the red cars of the S. P. run and was instantly killed yesterday. No details have been received.

Electronic Reactions of Abrams—

Dr. White, 506 U. S. Bank bldg.—Adv.

Patient Escapes—

Walter C. Hill, inmate of the Cottage farm of the state hospital for the insane, escaped yesterday. He was committed from Multnomah county June 13 of this year.

Many Visit Lake—

Mr. and Mrs. David A. Wright have just returned from a visit to Crater lake and the Oregon caves. Their permit to enter the national park was numbered 20.—Adv.

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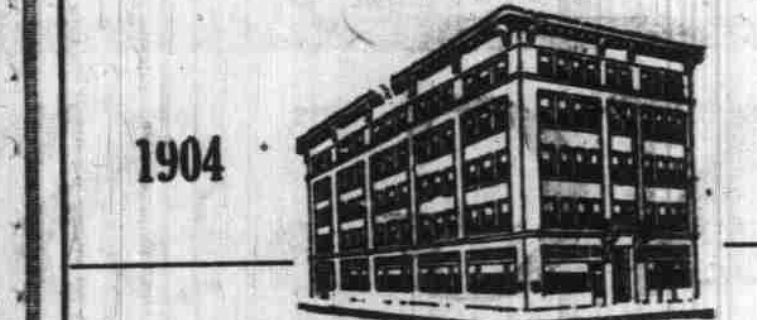
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163, which represents the number of parties which have entered the park since it opened July 1. Mr. Wright is employed by the Portland Railway, Light & Power company in Salem.

Does This Interest You?—

If you are looking for a job, or if you need to employ help, use the city free employment bureau at the YMCA.—Adv.

Agreement Will Stick—

Attorney General Van Winkle has issued an opinion, written in response to an inquiry by Governor Pierce, holding that the proposed market agreement of the Pacific Cooperative Poultry Producers' association is valid and does not conflict with any Oregon laws. There are some features, the opinion says, that are liable to criticism, but they are legal.

Commission to Meet—

The state highway commission will meet in Portland for a regular session Monday. The commission probably will be in session two days.

Trade Your Old Piano—

For a new Victrola or Brunswick. H. L. Stiff Furniture Co.—Adv.

Here From Los Angeles—

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sherwood and daughter of Los Angeles were in Salem Wednesday, and went from here to Dallas to visit their son, George Sherwood. They formerly lived in Salem. Mr. Sherwood having been deputy warden of the state penitentiary under the administrations of Governors Lord and Withycombe. He is in the building contracting business in Los Angeles.

Pearson Amends Complaint—

S. R. Pearson has been granted permission to file an amended complaint in his case against C. B. Richards and Margaret I. Richards, Lane and Stella Morley and the city of Salem. The order was signed by Judge Bingham.

Harry Herchen Dies—

Harry Herchen, 23, an employee of the Ladd & Bush bank, died Monday at Manhattan, Kas., while with his parents on a pleasure trip, according to information reaching here. His parents are from Dillard, Or. Acute indigestion.

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tion is believed to have been the cause of his death. The body is being brought west to Dillard and the funeral will be held there Saturday. The Ladd & Bush bank probably will be represented. He had been absent from Salem about six weeks.

Willis Is Captured—

Wynter Willis, who with four other convicts escaped from the flume gang of the state penitentiary on June 18, was caught Tuesday in Portland, according to information received by prison authorities. He had stolen several automobiles since his escape. Of the four who escaped, two are now back in prison. The other is George Holtzclaw, who returned voluntarily from the home of his father in Douglas county.

Big Carnival Dance—

At Dreamland Saturday night. A balloon free to every lady attending. Good snappy music. Have combined two orchestras. Balloons, hats, horns, serpentine, etc., to make this a big carnival. Come early.—Adv.

Salem Thrifts Are Many—

Many of the throats that are thrifting tonight, is the opinion of Chief of Police Birchett, who declared yesterday that sources of information reveal that there is a real dearth of "likker" in Salem. Regular patrons of bootleggers are beginning to miss steady calls from this type of gentry, Birchett stated. From wet to moist was but a step, and ever since the department began its war upon vendors of liquor, the drought has gradually become more pronounced. The chief declares that there will be no let-up and that Salem will be "dry" before he gets through with it.

Findley Is Speeder—

Thirty-five miles an hour on South Commercial was too fast for any motorist declared Officer Edwards yesterday, when he booked Dwight Findley, 225 North Twentieth street. Findley was cited to appear in police court this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A Classified Ad—

Will bring you a buyer.—Adv.

Mrs. Johnston Returns Home—

Mrs. William Johnston, who has been a patient at a local hospital for some time, was able to be taken to her home near Woodburn yesterday by her son, W. H. Bailie, rural school supervisor.

Seller Goes to Jail—

When Paul Seller was fined \$50 in the justice court yesterday upon pleading guilty to a charge of beating his stepdaughter, he was unable to pay the amount demanded by Judge P. J. Kuntz. As a result he will spend the next 25 days in the county jail, "laying out" the fine at the standard rate of \$2 per day. Seller was arrested Monday night by Sheriff Bower at a berry picker's camp near Salem.

Guardian Is Named—

George Henriksen has been appointed guardian of Anna Gibson by an order signed by Judge W. M. Bushey.

Legal Blanks—

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

Larceny Reports Continued—

Two more reports of thefts have been turned into the police station. Stanley Waters, 1599 State street, reported that \$7.95 in cash and a Swiss watch had been stolen from him while Donald Spear, of Aumsville, reported that an overcoat had been taken from his car while it was parked in the business section of the city early Tuesday evening.

Bicycles Are Claimed—

Two bicycles found by Officer Victor Wednesday morning have been claimed by the owners. Ray Cummings identified one and G. E. Wilcox the other.

Jail Is Sailormen's Port—

Under suspicion Vernon Hooper and Dallas Hughes, two of Uncle Sam's naval men were picked up by the police yesterday and are being held for investigation. It was learned that the pair were five days over their leave period at present. They will be held in the city jail until an answer to a wire to Seattle has been received.

Printers Picnic Saturday—

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annual picnic and high jinks in Silver Creek park, Silverton, next Saturday. The printers are requested in the invitations to bring their basket lunches. Coffee will be served. A tour of the big Silverton sawmill has been arranged for 2:30 o'clock. Sports will be put on for everybody and the printers are requested to bring their whole families. Stages leave the Salem terminal for Silverton at 7 and 11 a. m. and at 5 p. m. Returning, they leave Silverton at 8 a. m. and 1 and 6 p. m.

Well Furnished Flat for Rent—

Modern; first floor; large five rooms. Immediate possession; \$45 a month, at 666 Ferry street. Call at Statesman business office, or phone 23.

Funeral to Be Here—

James F. Miles, age 77 years, died at his home in Hobart, Okla., July 23, just as the family was considering removal to Salem for permanent residence. The body will be brought to Salem, arriving here Saturday, in charge of the Rigdon mortuary. Funeral announcements will be made later, upon the arrival of his widow, Mrs. Ada C. Miles, and his son, Dr. E. P. Miles, who are coming here to make this place their home. Two daughters already live in Salem, Mrs. T. H. Clare and Mrs. Elsie M. Eisman, and another daughter Mrs. S. L. Boyce, lives at Riddle. Mr. Miles was a member of the Baptist church and of the Masonic lodge.

Royal Society Sale—

Pillow cases, college girl gowns, towels, all are stamped in assorted designs, all are finished in hemstitching; all are priced extremely low. Today is the last day of the sale. Come! Miller's.—Adv.

Accidents Are Reported—

C. M. Landacre of route 4 reported to the police Wednesday afternoon that while he was riding his bicycle he was struck by an automobile at State and Thirtieth streets, smashing the front wheel of his bicycle. T. K. Wilson of Kerry, Or., reported a collision with another machine while traveling south on the highway near Aurora. Slight damages were sustained by both cars, he reported.

Have you Eaten a Steak—

Cooked to order at the Royal Cafeteria? If not, try one.—Adv.

Pierce Will Speak—

The Marion County Community federation is to have its big annual picnic at the state fair grounds Tuesday, July 31, starting at 4 o'clock. The program will last until night. The big picnic dinner will be served at the regular evening time, but before and after that there will be sports of all the quick and strenuous kinds. Barnyard golf for both men and women, foot races, baseball, and plain play games of many kinds will be on the bill of fare. The talking program will be not very long, though Governor Walter Pierce is to be one of the speakers, and he will have the right of way for whatever time he wishes. With 24 communities now claiming active membership in the association, there should be an attendance of several hundred people.

New and Used Records—

25c each, at H. L. Stiff Furniture Co.—Adv.

Byers Arrested With Boozie—

One pint of "white mule" reposed upon Desk Sergeant Minto's desk at the police station last night and \$50 bail reposed in the city coffers while Henry Byers went on home, bemoaning the vigilance of Officer Olson, who arrested him down town for having intoxicating liquor in his possession. He was cited to appear in police court at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Left Car on Street—

Trubert Henderson, 1225 Shipping street, failed to show up in police court yesterday afternoon to a charge of improper parking. His machine was left on High street between Court and State without being parked at the curb.

People Stirred—

The announcement that Sloat, convicted and sent to the penitentiary as a moral pervert, is seeking a pardon on the ground of "framed" evidence, is received by the people of Salem Heights with sinister looks. A man answering the exact description of Sloat attacked a little girl of Salem Heights just before he was captured. She kicked him on the shins so furiously that he had to let her go. A neighborhood posse set out to find him, but he escaped in the mist. The community is certain that Sloat was the man, and the story of his effort to get out of prison has stirred the people to a vigorous protest.

Son Is Born—

A 10-pound son is announced from the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hume, who live on rural route No. 1. He was born Monday morning, July 23, and has been named Russell Eugene.

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Calculating machines. C. M. Lockwood, local agent. The best buy in this line. See them at 247 North Commercial street.—Adv.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

MARION—Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Althouse, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hinkley, Roseburg; A. W. Stone, Hood River; J. A. Roberts, H. W. Riley, W. Gearson, Eugene; M. S. Stephenson, Pendleton; F. F. Smith, McMinnville; R. R. Cooke, Alex. Friedeman, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Roring, Paul C. Morton, Charles Combs, P. C. Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Strong, F. G. Bennett, R. E. Neal, L. B. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Harrel, Portland; H. Willingham, San Francisco.

BLIGH—Olive Darby, McMinnville; G. W. Goodman, Lenore, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Ashler, Seattle; J. R. Conner, W. McBride, Los Angeles; W. Hylander, San Francisco; Robert Walker, Escondido.

TERMINAL—A. C. Bracken, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Phelps, M. W. Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hicks, W. F. Hart, L. V. Hendricks, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sovern, R. L. Hart, Portland; Mrs. R. H. Nichols, Council Bluffs, Ia.; Harold Samuels, Monmouth.

Man Faces Serious Charge—

When Robert Johnson pleaded guilty to charges of disorderly conduct and of carrying concealed weapons, and was fined \$10 upon each, he thought he was free from the law, but he was rudely awakened yesterday upon complaint of Mrs. Sarah Hayden, charging him with contributing to the delinquency of a minor. This second charge followed his arrest early Sunday morning while with Delta Pratt in Bush's pasture. His companion was fined \$10 on a charge of disorderly conduct, and when arrested gave her age as 26 years. Mrs. Hayden avers she is under age.

Claim Strangers Robbed Him—

Z. Blankenship, a resident of the county for 58 years, was robbed of \$65 by two strangers on the county road about two miles north of Marion Tuesday night, he reported to Sheriff Bower yesterday. Blankenship claims that one of the men held a gun while the other hit him a blow on the head and took his money. He said he had been camping in the vicinity of the hold-up for some time, and that he was engaged in peeling chittam bark and trapping skunks.

Hawkins & Roberts—

City loans; lowest rates.—Adv.

Says Coyote Not Stolen—

T. G. Albert, superintendent of the Salem auto camp, declares that the report made to Salem police by a tourist to the effect that someone, presumably another tourist, had stolen his pet coyote, was made against his advice. Albert, who investigated the affair, says the animal obtained his freedom by chewing the rope that tied him. At the time he told the tourist the coyote had only escaped. Reports that the animal had been seen twice in the vicinity of Eyre's woods apparently bear out the Albert statement.

New Pianos for Rent—

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Birthday Observed—

Auntie Feldt, one of the members of the Old People's home family was honored yesterday, on the occasion of her 83rd birthday, with a birthday party to which other residents of the home and a number of guests were invited. The family has increased in size recently with a number of others coming to take advantage of the new building with its up-to-date modern conveniences.

Makes Speedy Trip—

Ed Anderson of the Used Car Corner has completed what is believed to be one of the speediest trips ever made from Redding, Calif., to Salem. He left the California city at 6:25 in the morning and arrived here at 1 o'clock the following morning. The distance is 443 miles. He made the trip in a Ford touring car. Stops were one of 45 minutes for lunch, another of 30 minutes for water and another of 45 minutes for supper.

New Superintendent Is Arrival at Silverton

SILVERTON, Or., July 25.—(Special to The Statesman.)—The Silverton school board held a special meeting Tuesday night for the purpose of completing the contract with Robert Goetz, who has been chosen as the new superintendent of Silverton schools. Mr. Goetz, who is from Klamath Falls, was present at the meeting. The contract for Miss Violet Crowfoot of Portland was also signed Tuesday night. Miss Crowfoot has been instructor in the commercial studies during the past two years. R. E. Watson of Eugene was engaged as history instructor and athletic coach.

The country is so large and the activities of the come-on boys so intense that, if there is only one born every minute, there won't be suckers enough to go around.

The doctor will tell us that if we keep our arteries open we will not suffer from congestion. City planners and traffic regulators might paste this jewel in their lids.

RAILROAD COMPANY ANSWERS HARPER

Negligence Alleged By Utility Against Man Injured in Accident

That whatever injuries were received by J. H. Harper on the night of July 1, 1922, resulted directly from his negligence, is the contention of the Oregon Electric railroad in its reply to the damage suit filed recently in the county clerk's office against the railroad company.

The reply states that notwithstanding Harper's knowledge of the premises and of the switching of a train on a spur track near the Oregon Gravel company, he negligently crossed the spur track and stood in such close proximity to the track that a car struck him and caused whatever damages were sustained; that Harper failed to exercise his senses of sight and hearing and his powers of observation; that instead of keeping within the safety zone he placed himself in a position of danger, as he had full knowledge of the switching operations. The Oregon Electric declares that injuries received by Harper were his fault, and asks that the action be dismissed.

At the time of the accident Harper was employed as a watchman for a paving plant near the gravel company's property. The railroad admits that he was injured about the feet, suffered pain and incurred hospital bills, but through no fault of the railroad company.

YES, WE HAVE NO CHERRIES

This Is Song Superintendent Albert Sings at Auto Camp Grounds

"Yes, we have no cherries." This is the song T. G. Albert, superintendent of the Salem auto camp, has to sing more or less regularly these days since almost every tourist party asks for a rose to put on the windshield of the car. When told that Salem is the Cherry City and not the rose city they immediately ask for cherries and then comes the refrain, "Yes, we have no cherries."

The Cherrians may be advertising Salem in southern Oregon this week, but according to Mr. Albert they are missing a big chance to advertise the Cherry City over the entire United States in failing to provide bright red cherry labels to paste on the windshields of the tourists' cars.

The Cherrians provided neat cards for distribution last year with the picture of the capitol, a bunch of cherries and a lot of information about the Cherry City. These cards are not carried around as the stickers are, according to Mr. Albert. The tourists seem to take a pride in seeing how many labels they can collect, somewhat like the much traveled persons who display their belated luggage.

A committee of two Cherrians in uniform visited the auto park each evening last year and the year before, but this year apparently no such arrangements have been made, Mr. Albert says. The eastern cars are coming into camp every night now in numbers and many leave early the next day although a few remain for an extra day.



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Churchill, state superintendent of schools.

The enrollment for June, 1923, was 3799, while in June, 1922, it was 3374, an increase of 425 pupils for the last year. The number of teachers has increased from 124 in 1922 to 137 in 1923. The report shows that there are 52 schoolhouses in the county, 26 of which have only one room each. During the last school year St. Helens, the county seat, became a district of the first class.

Four American cities have officially chosen women as city managers. But there are a lot of other towns with women managers without advertising the fact.

Both Wood and Underwood were considered for the presidency three years ago. There is still a general feeling that the country would do better under Wood than Underwood. This is quite general.



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NEW CORPORATIONS

Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday by the Pacific Beach Mining company of Portland, capitalized at \$10,000. The incorporators are W. A. Gill, H. P. Meyer and F. A. Cook.

Notice of dissolution was filed by the Gil-Lee Products company of Portland.

A permit to sell bonds in Oregon in the sum of \$74,700 was issued to the Vancouver Steam & Manufacturing company of Vancouver, Wash.

Romance of Raindrop Shown to Californians

F. G. Bennett, who for the past several weeks has been making his headquarters in Salem in the campaign of the PRL & P company to interest Oregon people in Oregon public utilities securities, has just returned from an interesting visit to Los Angeles. He attended the informal session of the securities branch of all the big utilities companies of the west, and gave them the Oregon film story of "The Romance of a Raindrop."

This is a beautiful, impressive story of a raindrop, from its course up in the mountains of Oregon, down through all its various manifestations until it and its myriad neighbors come to run the tremendous power plants that are making the Oregon rivers famous, and from then on through the home, industrial and social life that is made so attractive by the use of the electric current coming from the raindrop armies.

They were so impressed with this Oregon film, that Mr. Bennett was persuaded to give it before other gatherings, one a convention of bankers. The story of Oregon's beauties and power facilities made a profound hit with the Californians, who though proud of their "Second New York" as they term Los Angeles, nevertheless sighed the sigh of utter content as they saw the green coolness of the Oregon shade and the beauty of the Oregon flowers and the grandeur of the forested Oregon mountains. Mr. Bennett believes that he did a really great stroke for the Oregon tourist business, as well as for the industrial recognition of the state, by showing this picture in arid California.

Clashes Feature 56th Day Of Morse Trial in Chicago

WASHINGTON, July 25.—Sharp clashes between the court and counsel and between Charles Plesch of Chicago, a witness and counsel, featured today, the fifty-sixth day of the Morse trial, during which the defense rested and the government began the introduction of testimony in rebuttal.

It now is regarded as a probability that the case will reach the jury within two weeks.

Report Is Received From Columbia County Schools

Both the elementary and the high schools in Columbia county show an increase in enrollment for the last school year, as compared with the previous year, according to the annual report of the county superintendent to J. A.

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