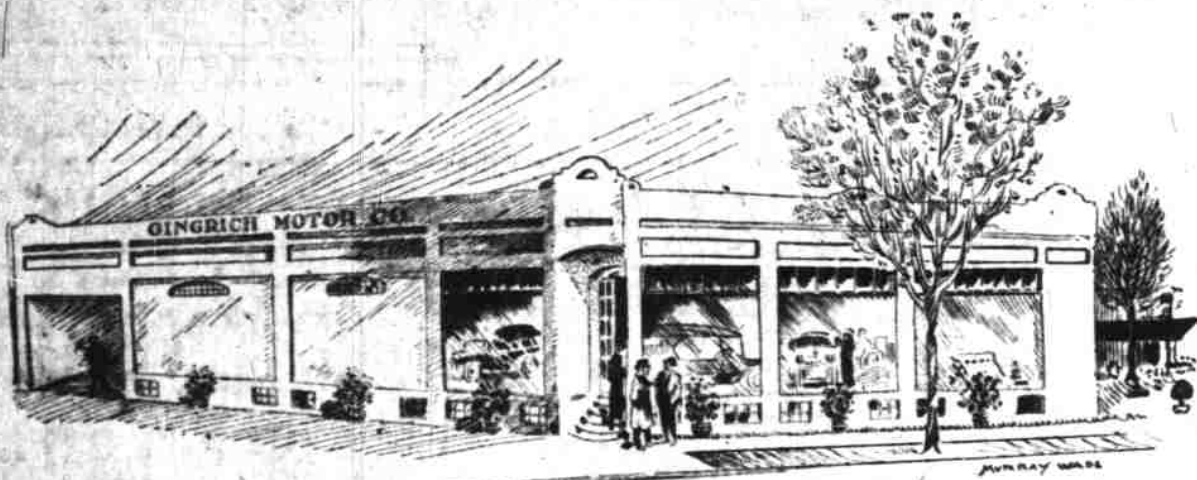


**NEW BUILDING GOING UP**



The above is a sketch of the building Oscar B. Gingrich of the Gingrich Motor Company will construct at the southwest corner of South Commercial and Bellevue streets. The building will house his large automobile business.

**SALEM PLAYER TIES SCORE FOR AGGIES**

Five Minutes Extra Playing Time Given and OAC Quintet Win 23 to 22

MOSCOW, Idaho, Jan. 19.—Oregon Agricultural college and the University of Idaho basketball teams met here tonight in their first clash this season, the former winning by a score of 23 to 22 in a fast, hard fought game, after an extra five-minute period. It was Idaho's first defeat for the season.

Idaho had a two-point lead with one minute to go when Gill, OAC captain, converted two free throws following Kline's foul, tying the score, 21-up. The loss of Captain Telford, through removal for personal fouls, was responsible for Idaho's defeat.

In the five-minute extra period Idaho was first to score on Penwell's free throw, but in the final minute Gill's field basket won for the aggies.

Substitutions: Idaho—Kline for Telford.

OAC—Stoddard for Ellerston, Ellerston for Stoddard.

**IDAHO SCORING: Field baskets—Penwell, Reamer, Fitzke 3, Telford 2. Free throws: Penwell 2, Reamer, Fitzke, Nelson 3, Telford.**

OAC scoring: Field baskets—Gill 2, Ridings 2, Brown, Steele, Stoddard. Free throws: Gill 4, Ridings 2, Brown 2, Steele.

Referee—Elra Hunter (Idaho), Spokane.

**Silverton Boys Lose, But Girls Win From Chemawa**

The Chemawa Indian school basketball team defeated Silverton high school at Silverton last night by a score of 20 to 10.

The Silverton high school girls defeated the Chemawa girls 25 to 10.

**GRAIN RATES REDUCED BY SERVICE COMMISSION**

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per one hundred pounds. For each succeeding five miles the rate shall increase not to exceed one-half cent per hundred pounds for each five miles for hauls up to and including 100 miles; the rate thereafter shall increase not to exceed one-half cent per one hundred pounds for each 10 miles for hauls up to and including 400 miles, and the rate thereafter shall increase not to exceed one-half cent for each 20 miles up to and including 600 miles.

**SALEM DEFEATS NEWBERG TEAM**

Visitors Come Dangerously Near Upsetting Victory in Last Quarter

Newberg almost overcame the lead of Salem high school in the last few minutes of the return basketball contest last night but the whistle saved the locals who edged out a victory by the narrow margin of 18 to 17. Salem led for three quarters, annexing 13 points to the visitors' 6 in the first half and starting the final canto with a 6 to 11 score. Two neat field goals, from an angle, tossed into the hoop by Hanville, Newberg captain, brought the visitors into the danger zone. Patterson missed three consecutive free throws, and a few seconds before the final whistle, Babcock, forward, tossed in another one from the center of the floor. Drager, Salem center, dropped a neat one from a long try with one minute to go.

It took both teams three quarters to get down to business, and when they opened up in earnest exhibited some pretty basketball.

**THANKFUL FOR THE CHRISTMAS GIFTS**

The Salem War Mothers and Rotarians and Others Scattered Good Cheer

At Christmas time the American War Mothers of Salem, with the help of the Salem Rotarians and others, undertook to send gifts of candy and fruit and cakes, etc., to all the ex-service men in the various state institutions here, and to a number of the families of ex-service men in the city—about 100 of them in all.

Many letters have been received in grateful acknowledgment of the timely gifts.

Sample Letter

The following sample letter has been received, addressed to The Statesman:

"I would be very thankful for a bit of space in your valuable paper to thank the Salem chapter, American War Mothers, for their kindly remembrance of me Christmas."

"Also Barbara Fritchie, tent, Daughters of the Civil War, Julia K. Webster, tent president, for a year ago. With due regards."

"M. D. BOUSMAN, 7562."

**PRATUM NEWS**

The kale and broccoli fields in this community are a sad looking sight.

Mr. Evans from Fruitland is drilling a well for A. W. Powell.

W. de Vines is installing a gravity pressure water system.

The first cases of measles have passed without any serious effects but a few new ones are on the list now. Among them is Paul Williams, S. Use, Waldo Kleen, Evelyn Emery and Joice and Jean Beades.

Mr. and Mrs. Branch got connected up with the rest of the world the past week by a long distance telephone.

Measles and fear of measles greatly reduced the attendance at Sunday school here last Sunday.

Henry Powell attended the Santiam district Sunday school convention at Stayton last Sunday.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cross took a sick spell during the night and they took her to a doctor this morning.

Everett Frazier left for California Tuesday morning in his automobile.

W. Hicks had his rural telephone changed from the 23 line to the 32 line.

Val Gerig is blowing up stumps.

**Plenty of Money to Fight Oregon Predatory Animals**

Plenty of funds are at hand for the war against predatory animals in this state during 1924, says a statement made by Dr. W. H. Lytle, state veterinarian and secretary of the state livestock sanitary board. This board administers the fund.

The legislature of 1923 appropriated \$40,000 for the two years, 1923-24, the money to be allotted to the counties as matched by them, and no county to receive any of the fund otherwise.

Of the \$40,000 the board allotted \$17,000 for 1923, and of this amount \$13,633 was matched, leaving \$3,367 unmatched for the year.

Of a total appropriation of \$27,266 for the year, which is the \$13,633 appropriated by the counties and the equal amount available from the state under the match agreement, \$18,055.96 was expended, leaving a balance unexpended of \$9,210.04. To this is added \$3,997.57 in receipts from fur sales, making the unexpended balance for the year \$13,207.51.

**BASKETBALL**

At Eugene: University of Oregon Frosh 49; Franklin H. S., Portland, 19.

SEATTLE, Jan. 19.—University of Washington's basketball team rushed the University of Montana quintet off its feet tonight and won the second game here from the Grizzlies this year by a score of 33 to 31. The game does not count in the Northwest conference standings.

At Eugene: University of Oregon 55; North Pacific, Portland, 22.

**TILLAMOOK WINS COVETED TROPHY**

Oregonian Award Goes to Unit Making Best Showing for Drill

Company K, 162nd infantry, Tillamook, was yesterday awarded the Oregonian trophy for the largest average attendance at armory drills during the year 1923, according to announcement of Brig. Gen. George A. White, adjutant general of the state. The award was made by a board of officers at national guard headquarters following a check of all the records of attendance at drill of the 33 organizations of the state.

Tillamook won the Oregonian trophy in a nip and tuck contest with a Portland company, Company G, 168th infantry. The average attendance at drill of the winning company was 66.2 per cent. The winning company is commanded by Capt. Jacob W. Shearer of Tillamook and Company G by Capt. Fred Mahnke of Portland.

The Oregonian trophy, a large silver cup, was given by the Oregonian Publishing company to the national guard as a stimulus to drill attendance, the condition being that the trophy shall be held each year by the company turning out the largest percentage of men for each drill.

The Tillamook company will hold the cup until the end of the present year and then must surrender it unless it succeeds in having the highest drill attendance during the current year.

Battery D, 249th artillery, of Newport and Toledo, took third place, and the machine gun company of the 166th infantry at Cottage Grove fourth place, the hospital company at Lebanon fifth place, and the howitzer company 166th infantry at Woodburn, sixth place. The machine gun company at Corvallis and the infantry company at Dallas were the two low companies in drill attendance in the state.

**CHANGE ASKED IN HIGHWAY RULING**

Scotts Mills and Mt. Angel Men Want Load Minimum Deferred

A delegation of Scotts Mills and Mt. Angel business men have asked the county court to make exception to the blanket ruling which reduces the load which may be carried on unpaved roads until April 1.

Those making the request offered to put up the money to keep the road in order, and the case will be up for hearing Monday by the court. It was said by members of the court that the request would probably be granted since those interested were willing to pay for any damage which might be done, putting up the money for this to the court.

The Butte Creek Lumber company is the interested party in the request. It is claimed by those who appeared before the court that the monthly payroll of the company is \$100,000, and that it will have to shut down for a time if the request is not granted.

Residents of Mt. Angel and Scotts Mills are employed at the mill. The road in question is the macadam road between Pine Tree corner and Scotts Mills, and cost \$6,500 to build.

**Court Cases Are Set By Judge Percy Kelly**

Judge Percy Kelly heard motions and demurrers and set cases yesterday. Cases set for trial at the time are Fisher, vs. Smith, Jan. 21; Ray vs. Browning, Jan. 22; Purcell vs. Kieper, Jan. 23; Heltzel vs. Gabroth, and Snyder, vs. Anderson, Jan. 24; Johnson vs. Nelson, Jan. 25; Business Mens Adjustment company vs. William Gordon, Jan. 26.

Miller vs. Schmitt, Jan. 28; Harwood vs. Southern Pacific company and Clackamas county vs. O&C.R. company, Jan. 29; Oglesby vs. Engle; Burdick vs Southern Pacific company, Jan. 31; Brunns vs. Larmer, Feb. 1 and State vs. Vall, February 2.

The case of the state against Vail is on an assault and battery charge originating at Jefferson. The charge was made by W. E. Moses a teacher at Rickreall.

Other cases will be set for trial Tuesday.

**Scenic Art Service Is Launched By F. Ray Felker**

F. Ray Felker, filled with the desire to remain in Salem if possible, has found an opening in his line of work and has launched the Scenic Art service; to be located at 439 Court street, upstairs, with Henry Lee.

Before coming to Salem about a year ago Mr. Felker was engaged in commercial art work, costume designing, newspaper and magazine illustration and similar lines. He was forced to abandon this work because of his eyes. In his

**HARDING FUND BOARD NAMED**

Mrs. Riggs, Chairman, Appoints Her Helpers for Marion County

The Marion county Harding Memorial committee has just been completed by Mrs. Z. J. Riggs, county chairman. The personnel includes members of various civic organizations in various sections of the county.

The members as announced by Mrs. Riggs are: John McNary, Rotary; Dr. H. E. Morris, Kiwanis; Harley White, Chamber of Commerce; Allan Carson, American Legion; Mable Robertson, high school; L. S. Geer, Woodmen of the World; E. M. Page, Elks; Ivan Martin, Artisans; O. A. Olsen, Masonic organizations; Mr. Bauman, Mt. Angel; M. C. Eastman, Silverton; E. T. Pierce, Turner; J. Porter, Aumsville; J. W. Mayor, Stayton; Joe Fontaine, Jefferson; F. R. Olin, Mill City; C. W. Magar, Hubbard; Jim Smith, St. Paul; C. J. Espy, Donald; Sam Brown, Gervais; Rev. J. J. Evans, Salem.

**Stayton Takes Two Games From Lebanon Players**

STAYTON, Jan. 19.—(Special to The Statesman.)—Stayton took a double-header basketball game from Lebanon last night, the boys winning by a score of 15 to 11, and the girls 19 to 16. Both games were ragged and rough. Many open shots were missed by players of both teams. Both teams will play in Woodburn on Wednesday night.

Stayton has had a successful season so far, having met with one defeat out of the seven games played. The McMinnville girls took their contest from the Stayton girls, while the boys dropped one to the Dallas quintet.

Following is the schedule for the remainder of the season: Jan. 23—Stayton at Woodburn. Feb. 1—Turner at Stayton. Feb. 8—Mill City at Stayton. Feb. 15—Stayton at Salem. Feb. 21—Woodburn at Stayton. Feb. 29—Salem at Stayton. Mar. 3—Stayton at Lebanon.

**Aged Coast Educator Passes in California**

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 19.—Dr. Joseph Emery, 91, died Friday at his home in Hollister, Cal., according to word received by his son, James M. Emery, here. Dr. Emery formerly was acting president of the Oregon Agricultural college, having been appointed in 1867 when it was a denominational school, and was a member of the faculty for 17 years, being a member of the mathematics department. He attended the homecoming last year.

He was born in Butler county, Pa., in 1832.

He was Indian agent and allotted the lands on the Klamath reservation during the administration of President Benjamin Harrison. He also was former president of Pacific Methodist Episcopal college of California.

Among the survivors are the following grandchildren: Charles M. Emery, E. D. Lake and Juanita



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- Break small rocks with bare hands.
- Have man break rocks on his head.
- Hold stone weighing from 900 to 1000 lbs. on chest and have rock broken with sledge hammer.
- Place rail on shoulders and hold fifteen—15 men on each end and bend same.
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