

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Protest is Filed—A protest has been filed with the state engineering department by C. H. Purcell, district engineer of the United States department of agriculture, against an application of the California-Oregon Power company to divert the waters of Mill creek to its power plant at Prospect, Jackson county. The claim is made that the proposed diversion is contrary to public policy.

Now at New Location—John J. Rottle Walk-Over Shoe Store is now located at the new home, State and Liberty streets. 331.

Schools Fight Drug—The increasing use of narcotic drugs among young men and women has caused the state board of education, composed of the governor, the secretary of state and the state superintendent of public instruction, to adopt a resolution urging boards of education throughout the state to be especially vigilant to guard against this evil. The boards also are asked to review the curricula of the schools to see that suitable training and information are given the children to enable them to guard against the drug evil.

Special Sale—On all stamped goods at the Elite this week. 329 Oregon bldg.—329.

Lenz Also Interested—In the Statesman's account Sunday of the transfer of The Ace, confectionery, tobacco and magazine shop on High street, to a new ownership, there was failure to mention the name of Albert J. Lenz, who will be equally interested with Elmer A. Klein. The purchase from Mr. and Mrs. Cohn was made Saturday and the new owners took possession yesterday. Mr. Lenz is from Gilby, N. D.

There Are Five—Important points to keep in mind when buying wire fencing to get the most for your money—Full gauge wires, good galvanizing, firm knots, stiff stay wires and live tension. The "Square Deal"

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Returns From Hospital—Walter Leisi has returned to his sister's home at 2708 Lee street. He was in St. Mary's hospital at Albany for five weeks as a result of an automobile accident that occurred December 22.

See Our Drapery Man—Extra special for one week only we will make your draperies up at a great discount. C. S. Hamilton.—329.

Bicycles Stolen; Recovered—Thefts of two bicycles were called to the attention of the police during the week-end by Jack Frost, 335 South Twelfth, and Leonard Satchwell, 840 Union. Frank and Alex Kershner, 2304 Hazel avenue, called at the station and recovered two bicycles that had been stolen some time ago.

Buy That Boy a Pup!—Airedale, collie and bull pups at special prices. Flake's Petland, 273 State.—329.

Work Is Court's Order—Believing that work is the best prescription for a young man who willfully refused to provide for the support of his 19-year-old wife and young child, P. J. Kuntz, justice of the peace, has ordered Marvin Monroe to obtain a job and provide the necessary funds for his family, to which an early addition is expected. In order to insure the work, a bond was posted, to be forfeited if Monroe fails to keep employed. Monroe was scored by W. E. DeLong, constable, the sheriff's office and Judge Kuntz.

Only Three More Days—To take advantage of our January clearance sale. Hamilton.—329.

Ward Irvine Loses—During his absence from home over the week-end, burglars visited the home of Ward Irvine, secretary to Governor Pierce, at 995 North Winter. He reported to the police that a suit of clothes, a revolver and an overcoat were stolen.

Extra Special—On our entire line of draperies. For this week only we will make up your draperies at a great reduction. See our drapery man. C. S. Hamilton.—329.

Livesley Baby Falls—Though Mary Patricia Livesley, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Livesley, fell from the second story of the Livesley residence, 610 South Winter, Saturday she was reported as doing well.

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Rail Is Forfeited—Traffic law violators unanimously decided to forfeit \$5 bail each Monday. Russell Bonesteel was arrested for speeding; Joseph K. Campbell for failure to dim, and L. Hill for cutting a corner. The men were arrested by Officer Sproed.

January Clearance Sale—Our entire line of cretonnes. C. S. Hamilton.—329.

Rottle Moves Stock—Practically all of the stock of the John J. Rottle shoe store has been moved from the old location on North Commercial to the new location at 417 State, formerly occupied by Vallton's. Only a few minor articles remain in the old store, and by February 1 everything will be in the new place. Mr. Rottle announced Monday.

98 Cents Bays—A fine rag rag at Hamilton's January Clearance Sale.—329.

"Nothing But The Truth"—Auspices Order of DeMolay, Grand theater, Thursday, Jan. 31. Big 10-piece orchestra. Tickets on sale at Davies' Shack. Box office open for reservations Wednesday and Thursday.—331.

Noted Educator Here—Dr. Winship of Boston, editor of The Journal of Education, will address all the teachers in Salem at the city library tonight. In addition to local teachers, invitations have been sent to all the teachers of county schools as well as those in adjacent towns.

Dance Tonight (Tuesday)—Derby hall, music by the Orioles. 329.

Few Seek Free Beds—Warmer weather has brought a drop in the number of seekers for a night's lodging at the police station. During the cold spell there were as many as a dozen a night who applied for a warm place to sleep, but only three applied Saturday and Sunday nights.

Loan Wanted—Wanted to secure a \$1500 loan at 7 per cent for 3 years on good Salem residence. Socolofsky, phone 970. 341 State street.—331.

Cripps Fined for Assault—James Cripps was fined \$20 Monday. He was charged with assault and battery upon Walter D. Gardner, driver for a local dairy.

Notice—The Oleson Auto Exchange has been sold to H. H. Harris, who is sole owner of the business at this time. We are out for business. Day and night storage and service at reasonable rates. First class mechanical service. Ambulance service continuous. For any immediate service phone 666. H. H. Harris, 173 S. Liberty.—329.

Will Build Footbridge—The county courts of Marion and Linn counties have entered into an agreement to build a footbridge west of the large bridge at Mill City. The work will begin as soon as the weather is favorable.

32-Piece Set Dishes—Several patterns to choose from. January clearance sale. \$5.10 at Hamilton's.—329.

Discharge Filed—A military record of some distinction is disclosed in the army discharge of William M. Andres of Woodburn, which was filed yesterday with their county clerk. The papers show that he was a wagoner with the infantry unassigned. He fought in the Alsace, Colise-Alsace and Meuse-Argonne offensives, and on September 12, 1918, he was gassed.

Several Patterns of High Grade—Bedroom suites in ivory, mahogany, walnut and gray, greatly reduced during Hamilton's January clearance sale. 327

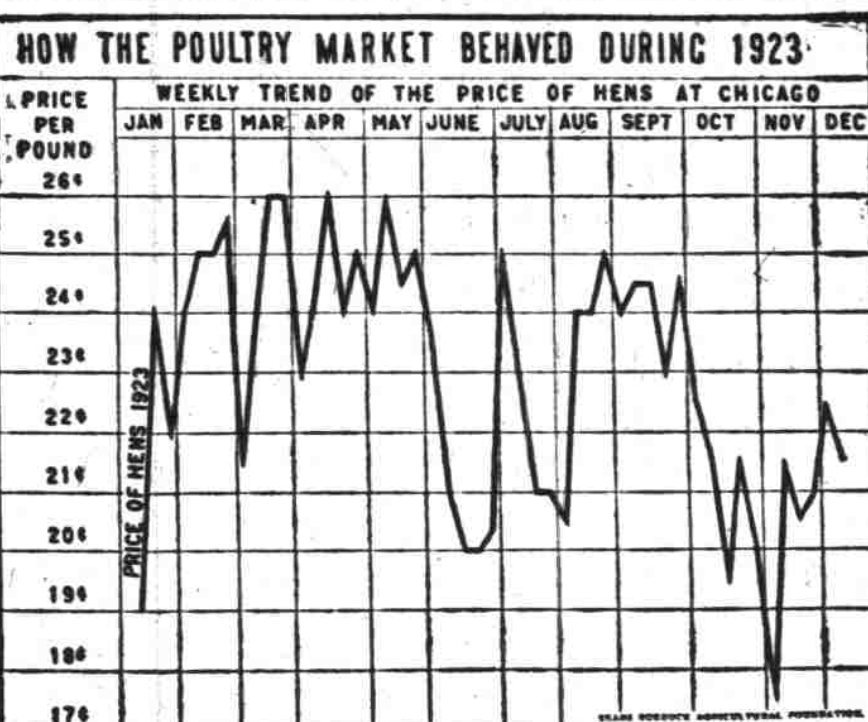
Drunk Men Contribute—Fines of \$10 were given John Picketts and Jack Campbell when they appeared in the police court Monday. Perkins was arrested Saturday night with being drunk and charged an officer. Campbell was arrested by Officers Wright and Shafer Sunday.

All Short Ends—Of drapery greatly reduced. January clearance sale. C. S. Hamilton.—329.

Little Girl Very Ill—Katherine, the 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Neer, was reported as getting along well Monday, following an operation Saturday afternoon. Katherine had been very sick for some time, but was apparently on the road to recovery when she suffered a relapse Friday night. So serious was her condition that three physicians were called, and held little hopes for her recovery. As a result of this second attack, Mr. Neer said yesterday, that he probably would be forced to abandon his plans for a trip to California, which was to be made primarily for Katherine's health.

All Living Room Suits—Greatly reduced during January clearance sale. Hamilton.—329.

Laymen Will Meet—The Willamette Presbytery conference of laymen of the Presbyterian church will meet at Corvallis at the YMCA building of Oregon Agricultural college Saturday, Feb. 2 to review activities and work out plans of the organization from the laymen's point of view.



NINETEEN HUNDRED TWENTY-THREE was a record year in production for the American poultryman. The output was the greatest in history. Egg production increased 4 per cent. Receipts of dressed poultry jumped 22 per cent over that of last year, making the increase over a four-year period approximately 65 per cent, according to the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural foundation.

The poultryman made money from his flocks, but not as much as three years ago. The continued increase in production caused a gradual decrease in profits. For three years prices have gradually been working lower. This year they are about stationary. Egg prices managed to keep at a 2-cent level above the prices of 1922, but prices for chickens dropped slightly. On the first day of each of the first eleven months of 1923 chickens averaged 19 cents a pound as compared with 19.2 cents a pound on those days in 1922 and 20.6 cents the year previous.

Up to date, consumption has kept pace with production. In 1919 there was an average production of 150 dozens per capita. In 1923 the average was 18.7 dozens. From 1899 up to 1909 production averaged about 17 dozens per capita, which goes to show that in reality the poultryman is not overproducing. But the business has reached a point where further expansion, except in proportion to the increasing population, will be unprofitable.

However one looks at the poultry figures, the fact remains that, per dollar invested, the hen is about the greatest money-maker among all farm animals. Profits are sliding off, but there still is a wide margin of profit for the farmer whose hens average 100 or more eggs per year. The average hen lays 72.

Last year Salem had the biggest delegation at the conference and has issued a challenge again for this year to all other Presbyterian churches in the conference. It is believed 25 delegates will go from here. All cities between McMinnville and Cottage Grove are included.

Put a Heatrola—In your home. It heats every room the same. C. S. Hamilton.—329.

Banquet at Marion—Employees and stockholders of the Willamette Grocery company to the number of about 50 met at the Marion hotel last night for a banquet and a program of toasts and music. They were accompanied by their ladies. The program was in charge of Harry Moore, who served as toastmaster.

Pierce Addresses Frat—Governor Walter M. Pierce, speaking before the members of the Phi Kappa Pi fraternity of Willamette university Monday evening, declared that the future work of the rising generation was learning how to distribute the rewards of human toil. The past generation has invented many things which the present generation will perfect and use and it was up to the young men of this age to solve the many problems that confront the world, he said.

Forger Bound Over—F. A. Hash was committed to the county jail yesterday to await action by a grand jury. He is accused of forgery. Hash was arrested in Roseburg Saturday and brought back to Salem by Deputy Sheriff Sam Burkhardt.

Caughlin Will Teach—James Caughlin, Willamette university senior and president of Sigma Tau fraternity, has signed a contract to teach the coming semester in the Woodburn high school. This will not prevent his graduating in June.

PERSONAL
Mr. and Mrs. Al Krause and son Johnny were week-end visitors in Portland.
R. O. Snelling, manager of the Associated Oil company, spent Monday in Scott Mills and Woodburn on business.
William Soday of Stayton was registered at the Bligh hotel last night.
L. B. Saling of Estacada was a recent visitor in Salem.
A. P. Heriman was in the city over the week-end from Sublimity.
Miss Grace Russell was a Sunday visitor in Salem from Turner.
Mrs. Earl Yarnell was in the city Sunday from her home at Stayton.
J. M. Davis was registered at the Terminal from Stayton Monday night.
Vesta B. Stanley was a recent visitor in the city from Silverton.
G. H. Wilson and family spent the week-end in Salem. Their home is at Smith River, Calif.
Mrs. E. T. Pierce was in Salem Sunday from Aumsville.
W. J. Heberly of Silverton was in the city yesterday.
The Misses Mary and Fern Bachelor of Brooks spent Sunday in Salem.
Miss Merle Churchill, an instructor in the Portland schools, spent the week-end here, returning Sunday night.
Mrs. Earl Yarnell of Stayton spent Sunday in Salem and returned to Stayton yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Grunert left for Portland yesterday where they will remain for a short time.

Seattle Dock Official Hurt in Shooting Fray
SEATTLE, Jan. 28.—Major William J. Muirhead, 46, former traffic manager for the port of Seattle and now superintendent of the Coleman dock, was in the city hospital with a bullet in his lung as the result of a shooting affray in an uptown restaurant here tonight.
His assailant was Harry Derby, 42, of Seahurst, according to the police, who are holding him at the police station on an open charge. It was claimed by Derby, the police state, that his wife was dining with Major Muirhead at the time of the shooting.
The police declare that Derby said his wife drove her automobile to the Coleman dock where she met Major Muirhead and that the two went to a restaurant uptown. Three shots were fired but only one took effect, the police say. Following the shooting Derby walked to the police station. Major Muirhead, in the meantime, had arrived before Derby and told his story to the authorities. He was later taken to the city hospital.

EASY YEAR FOR ARBITER BOARD
Report of Conciliation Body Is Made to State Executive

No very difficult tasks faced the Oregon state board of conciliation during the year 1923, according to the board's annual report, which has been filed with the governor. Probably the outstanding case that has been before the board was the controversy between the wholesale butchers of Multnomah county and the Butcher's Workmen's local union No. 656.

In connection with this hearing members of the board visited and studied conditions in Seattle, Spokane and Willamette valley cities, perused the records of the state industrial accident commission held several hearings. The result was the fixing of the following wages for the workers: All-around men and splitters, \$48 a week; floor men, \$43; helpers on the floor, \$38; casing men, \$43; casing room helpers, \$38; pork cutters, \$35. Work after 12 o'clock noon Saturdays is at time and a half.

The wage scale for barbers in Portland was adjusted by the board during last July, but the board kept its hands off the matter of opening and closing hours, holding that this should be arranged between employers and employees.

Another controversy before the board was that of the Northwest Electric company and the report states that considerable time was given to it.

A case now before the board is that of the mailers' union of Portland in which publishers of that city are interested. Working conditions, hours and wages are involved.

The members of the board are William F. Woodward, Otto Hartwig and John F. Flynn, all of Portland.

Carson and Helgeson Honored by Prosecutors

John H. Carson, district attorney for Marion county, was elected vice president, and J. N. Helgeson, Polk county prosecutor, was elected secretary-treasurer of the District Attorneys' association of Oregon at the closing session in Portland Saturday. Ben Fisher of Coos county was elected president and Clyde Johnson of Lane, Stanley Myers of Multnomah and Robert Lytle of Malheur were elected directors.

Boston had a cat show. When we get mad enough we will say the first cat show was a sewing circle.

BITS FOR BREAKFAST
Do you like the rain?
If you do not, think of the California people; especially the southern California people—
For they are literally praying for rain. They are afraid they will not have enough water even for irrigation. They have had almost no rain, and no snow in the mountains. Copious showers like our Webfoot kind would be about the most welcome thing imaginable to those people.

There was an Associated Press dispatch in The Statesman of Sunday morning about the death at Independence, Kans., of Major John Frederick Nolle, aged 95. "He built the first court house at Salem, Oregon," said the dispatch. He did not; at least, he was not

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the contractor. He may have worked on the construction of the first court house. The present court house was built by W. F. Boothby. But that was in the seventies. The first court house, built in the fifties, was a wooden structure, which stood until fifteen or twenty years ago, occupied as a livery stable and for other purposes after it had ceased to be used for its original purpose. Who knows who did build the first court house? The Statesman had a history of it a few years ago, but the writer does not remember the date of the paper which contained it.

Every week a trainload of hogs is received at the Portland stock yards from the states east of the Rockies. As long as this condition exists, there will not be enough hogs raised in Oregon.

The way the Billy Sunday proposition stands now is this: The committee having the matter in charge has made a full report of conditions here, and it has urged that Mr. Sunday come and hold the series of meetings on the open dates that were announced. It has not been the practice of Mr. Sunday to go where the sentiment was not unanimously in favor of his going. But he may come to Salem, heading the strong plea made by the committee.

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