

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Boises Nearing Home—
Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Boise, who have been touring in Europe, arrived in Vancouver, B. C., yesterday over the Canadian Pacific. They are due in Portland this evening.

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Homing Pigeons Released—
One hundred and eighty homing pigeons will be liberated at 5 o'clock this morning from the office of the American Express company as a start on a race to Oakland, Cal. The race is being conducted by the Pacific Homing Pigeon club. The birds are expected to arrive in Oakland by 9 o'clock Sunday morning if weather conditions are favorable to the flight.

West Salem Church—
Services in new church building tomorrow commencing with Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior league, 3 p. m. Song service, 7 p. m.

Summit Church—
Services tomorrow: Sunday school, 10 a. m. Rev. Earle Officer will preach at 11 a. m. Public welcome.

See Salem Signs—
Mr. and Mrs. George H. Letholz of Peoria, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Brune of Woodburn spent Friday visiting and seeing the sights of Salem and vicinity.

Haysville Baptist—
Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Preaching service, 11. At this service the two girls who were at Columbia City, Elva Cross and Harriett Kenton, will give a report of the things they received while there. It is earnestly hoped that all who are interested in Baptist work of the state will be there to hear these reports and a few remarks from the pastor. We all are alike: we do not realize the

great responsibility that rests upon us as Christians in this state. Before we can do our duties as such we must know what our duty is and how far it extends. Come, let us learn more of our Christian co-workers of the state. B. Y. P. U. at 7:15. Preaching at 8:00. Topic: "The Growth of Sin."

Grey Wool—
Camping blankets, \$4.50, at Bishop's. a10

Leaving for Vacation—
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bligh and daughter will leave for the beach Monday morning to be gone about two weeks. Mr. Bligh plans to take in the state convention of Elks and the bathing girl contest at Rockaway beach.

Another Home Burglarized—
Paul Hendricks, 1109 Market, reported to the police about 8:30 o'clock that his home had been entered by a prowler and a watch and chain stolen. Hendricks was away from his residence but a comparatively few minutes. The prowler entered through a rear door by means of a pass key and left by the front door. A neighbor reported that a young man of slight build and light complexion had been seen loitering in that vicinity this afternoon.

Poodle Dog Found—
Small white poodle dog with black nose, black eyes and red leather collar found. Owner may have dog by calling at 2397 Center street and paying for this advertisement. A9

Returned From the Coast—
Albert Clark, night foreman of The Statesman, returned from a week's sojourn to the seacoast. He says he did no fishing, as he left his license at home.

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Band Concert Enjoyed—
Although the crowd at the Cherran band concert in Willson park last night was not the largest of the season, nevertheless there was an appreciative audience of a few thousands of persons. The cool weather discouraged a few who did not wish to sit out in the open air for an hour or two. Miss Ferne Coacher, a student at Willamette university, was the soloist last night. There will be only one concert next week, the one on Tuesday night. On account of the state gathering of Elks at Tillamook the Friday night concert is being postponed until the end of the season.

Grain Reported Stolen—
A sack of wheat was stolen from his garage Thursday night, according to a complaint made to the police yesterday by G. W. Bellamy, 702 North Church.

Speeder Pays Fine—
F. Viesco, 1343 South Liberty, contributed \$15 to the police court coffers Friday for speeding. According to the report of Officer Wiles Viesco was hitting it up to 55 miles an hour along Capitol a few nights ago.

Gets Building Permit—
A building permit to spend \$800 in altering and repairing a dwelling at 1259 Chomeketa street, was issued Friday from the city recorder's office to Ruth E. Sayre.

Still Selling Cranberries—
Robert G. McNary, sales manager of the Pacific Cranberry Exchange, of Ilwaco, Wash., was in the city yesterday on his way to California. The crop this year will be in excess of 35 per cent of

the crop last year, or about 60,000 boxes. The eastern production is cut nearly 50 per cent this year, he said. According to government investigation, the Oregon berry requires about one-third less sugar than the eastern berry. The exchange with which Mr. McNary is connected, handles about 90 per cent of the cranberry acreage in Oregon and Washington. Before going with this exchange Mr. McNary was connected with the fresh fruit department of the Oregon Growers Cooperative association and is widely known in the Salem district and Willamette valley.

Dance Albany Every Thursday—
Music by Jasper's Versatile Band. A-9

Rain Clouds Disappear—
What promised to be a rain up until noon Friday disappeared early in the afternoon and another day passed with the long drought still unbroken.

Timber Placed On Sale—
Twenty-five hundred acres of land carrying 107,630,000 feet of standing Douglas fir, spruce, hemlock and cedar timber in the Siletz reservation in Lincoln county will be placed on sale in the United States land office in Portland on August 18. It is announced by Walter L. Tootze, Sr., register, and Frank O. Northup, receiver of the office. The timber has an appraised value of \$140,025 and the land \$247,600. Terms of the sale are one-third cash down, one-sixth of the remainder the first year and the balance in three years. Five per cent interest is charged on deferred payments.

Talk Silver Fox Farm—
Seeking to interest people in the breeding and raising of silver foxes, E. E. Amsden, state agent of the Allegan Silver Fox company, of Allegan, Mich., is spending the week in Salem. Arrangements for the establishment of a fox farm at the H. W. Thielens place, on route 3, have been completed. The climate in the Willamette valley is ideal for this purpose, Mr. Amsden said, and each of the several farms are making a success. The firm sells foxes for \$500 to \$1700 to those wishing to start farms. The average price for a pair of breeding foxes is \$2000. The pelts, most of which are sold in London, net the farmer from \$500 to \$700.

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Five Join Lions Club—
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July is Rainless—
With only a trace of precipitation on the 14th, July was practically a rainless month, according to the official report of Clarence E. Oliver, federal weather observer. The atmosphere was clear on 23 days, partly cloudy on six others and cloudy only twice. The mean maximum for the month was 83.4 with mean minimum 51 degrees. The actual temperature was 67.2 degrees. July 24 was the hottest day of the month, with a temperature of 99 degrees the hottest this year. The minimum temperature was recorded on July 12, when the thermometer stood at 45 degrees.

Nebraska Admits Sheep—
Governor Pierce yesterday received a message from Governor Bryan of Nebraska consenting to allow Lake county lambs entrance into that state for feeding purposes under conditions. The agreement applies only to Lake county. The lambs must be transferred at Wendell, Lassen county, California, directly from the narrow gauge to the standard gauge railroad by means of a chute. The animals must have a federal guarantee that they are free from disease.

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Three Accidents Fatal—
During the week ending August 7 a total of 611 accidents were reported to the state industrial accident commission, of which three were fatal. The fatal cases were Richard Younger, Black Rock, wood cutter; Lewis A. Schafer, Woodburn, donkey engine operator; Harold Hastings, Cottage Grove, choker setter. Of the total number of accidents reported 532 were subject to the provisions of the workmen's compensation act, 75 were from firms and corporations that have not elected to come under the act, and four were from public utility corporations that are not subject to the act.

Lane Schools Strong—
Lane county has 191 school districts, which is a larger number than any other county in the state, and employs 416 teachers, or more than any other county in the state except Multnomah, declares the annual report to the state department of education made by E. J. Moore, Lane county school superintendent. The enrollment in the schools of the county increased during the school

Miss Helen Wills, America's Olympic Victor, and Mlle. Vlasto, Runner-Up in Tennis Championship



Miss Wills, the Berkeley, Cal., star, is shown here with Mlle. Vlasto immediately after the American champion had defeated the French girl on the Olympic courts at Colombes, France.

year of 1923-1924 to \$670, as compared with \$119 for the previous year, an increase of 551. In the elemental grades 7657 pupils were enrolled and 2015 in the high schools. The report shows that of the 416 teachers employed 127 have been to college for at least one year, 170 have spent at least one year at normal school, 96 have been graduated from high school and only 23 have not had a four-year course at high school. Sixty-nine teachers are college graduates and 86 are graduates of standard normal schools.

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Bakery Change—
M. T. Madsen is selling out the Dixie bakery to Frank Dowelman of Portland. Mr. Madsen came here almost six years ago and bought the Dixie bakery. Since that time he has doubled the business and put in electric machinery.

Salem Man Injured—
Claude Ballard of Salem, employed in the Holt camp of the Spaulding Logging company, stopped here last evening for medical attention while on his way to Salem. He had a bruised shoulder, a sprained back and a badly injured arm. Another young man, whose name could not be learned, was injured at the same time, also came here for medical attention.—Independence Enterprise.

Flax Growers Elect—
All of the old officers of the Willamette Valley Flax Growers' association have been selected by the board of directors to serve for another year. Those re-elected are C. F. Hein, president; W. McEwen, vice president; J. W. Denham, secretary treasurer, and John Dozier, Joe Pieser and Charles Eyre, directors.

Dance Tonight Dallas—
Art Jasper's Versatile Band. W. O. W. Hall. A-9

Sells Bakery Interests—
Frank Dolman, of the Foster Baking company of Portland has purchased the interest held in the Dixie Baking company here by M. T. Madsen, who has been engaged in business here about six years. Upon coming to Salem Mr. Mad-

sen purchased the Hastings bakery, later changing the name to that of Dixie bakery. During his management the store space has been more than doubled. Mr. and Mrs. Madsen will remain in Salem through the summer, after which they will be located in San Francisco, where Mr. Madsen has other business interests.

Young Due Monday—
According to telegraphic information received in Salem yesterday, John Young, of Young & Wells, Spokane fresh fruit buyers, will arrive in Salem Monday and begin buying green prunes for shipment to eastern markets. The firm was represented here in the spring, sending out a large number of carloads of cherries.

Open Air Dance Tonight—
Santiam park, Jefferson. a9

Tourist Pays Fine—
G. Van Lent, a tourist, was going through the Willamette valley at too high a rate of speed Friday and was halted by State Traffic Officer Griffith. In the justice court Van Lent contributed \$15 before proceeding on his way.

Prune Picker Prices—
Prune pickers in the Salem district will probably receive the same amount paid those in the Roseburg district this year, the price being 6 cents a bushel, with an additional 1 cent bonus for remaining through the season. Some little confusion has arisen over the price, for the Roseburg box is a standard bushel and that used here is a half-bushel. However, the pickers who have figured that the price means 6 cents for the half-bushel box are doomed to disappointment and the prices will approximate those in the south.

Auto Catches Fire—
Defective wiring on an automobile called out the fire department to 534 North Winter street about 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. The machine apparently was little damaged by the fire, but did receive a thorough drenching from nearby lawn hose.

Invited to Walk—
Callers at offices in the Bank of Commerce building Friday were greeted by a sign on the elevator telling them to take to the stairs as the hoisting apparatus was out of commission.

Tonight! Tonight! Tonight!—
The big dance at Dreamland. The ten-piece valley orchestra. Ladies free. a-9

Legion Meets Monday—
An invitation to all ex-service men in the county is being broadcast by Capital post No. 5, American legion, for the big special meeting to be held in McCormack hall Monday night. It is planned to have a large number of bonus application blanks on hand, with equipment for the taking of the

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necessary finger prints. Assistance will also be given in filling out the blanks. Several questions of importance to ex-service men will be discussed, with a special talk to be given by George Griffith, state commander. The meeting will be preceded by a parade by the post drum and bugle corps, and will be featured by special entertainment and something to eat.

Two Births Reported—
Two birth reports, a trifle belated, were filed with the city health officer Friday. These were William Harry Mayne, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Clifton Storm, 730 South Nineteenth, July 20, and of Raymond Arthur, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weathers, five miles north of Salem, on July 26.

PERSONAL

Guy O. Smith, local attorney, spent yesterday in Portland on business.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Myers expect to leave soon for a short pleasure trip to Seattle.

R. E. Stacey, of Eugene, was in Salem Friday morning.

Miss Irene Frost was in Salem yesterday from Independence.

Mrs. John Fry, of Dallas, who recently underwent an operation at the Deaconess hospital is making satisfactory progress toward recovery.

Mrs. Nona White and daughter, Zelphe, will leave for Portland this morning, where they will spend the week-end. Mrs. White is county juvenile officer.

BITS FOR BREAKFAST

Canneries speeding up—
Our busiest busy season is opening.

Hon. T. B. Kay talked to the McMinnville Rotary club about flax at their noon luncheon yesterday. Some other Salem Rotarians were present. Mr. Kay showed to the Yamhill people what a great thing it will be when the Willamette valley gets the flax and linen industries fully developed.

They can grow fiber flax in Yamhill county of as good quality as is produced in Marion and Polk counties. This is true of all of the Willamette valley. And they can treat it as well up to the fiber stage. But they cannot expect to get into the game unless they back the industry by providing warehouse room, threshers, retting tanks and scutching facilities. These are not very expensive, but they will require some money; the largest expenditures being for the retting tanks. The state flax plant cannot take care of a larger acreage than was contracted this year. In fact, had there been a full crop it would have literally swamped it; covered it up.

But the expected linen mill development will soon require a great deal more fiber than the state flax plant can supply. This will make a reliable market for fiber from many plants, worked with free labor; preferably worked by individual farmers or groups of farmers. It would be a good thing for the industry if farmers in all the valley counties would grow and treat some flax—next year. They should start in a small way, perhaps, till they get the hang of the various stages. As the prices now stand they could make some money producing flax fiber for the general market, and some seed and upholstering tow, which are by-products. But the big development will come with the construction of linen mills, and that seems about to start here. There are independent flax plants now at Turner and Stayton, and the farmers and business men of the other valley counties may get pointers from them.

Paris says fat women may come back in style. This is considered bad news. It costs more to feed a fat woman.

Lineman Is Electrocuted By High Voltage Wire

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 8.—Gabe B. Feleyn, 22, employed as a lineman by the California-Oregon Power company of Klamath Falls, was killed while working 50 feet above the ground when his body came in contact with a high voltage wire. The lineman's body fell across other wires and was badly burned. Feleyn, before coming here had worked at Grants Pass, Or. His mother lives at Canby, Minn.

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