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50c Milk of Magnesia (Owl Brand) pint size.....80c	One Pint Thermos Bottle.....98c
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## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF



### UNSETTLED

Rain in the west portion and rain and snow east portion; moderate temperature; strong southwest and west winds, diminishing in the night. Tuesday—Max., 43; min., 37; rainfall, .60; river, 9.8, rising; atmosphere, cloudy; wind, southeast.

### Hotel Men Meet

Members of the Oregon State Hotel Men's association, at their monthly meeting Tuesday received a telegram from Senator McNary to the effect that the appropriation for post and forest roads in Oregon probably would receive favorable consideration at this session of congress. The meeting of the hotel men was featured by a banquet after which the guests were taken through the Oregon Pulp & Paper company's plant.

### Hotel Marion

Dollar dinner, served 5:45 to 8 every evening. 121f

### Chemawa Head Named

James A. McGregor of the Rosebud Indian agency in South Dakota has been appointed head of the Chemawa Indian school to succeed Harwood Hall, who has resigned because of ill health. A telegram announcing Mr. McGregor's appointment was received yesterday from the commissioner of Indian affairs at Washington. He has been located in South Dakota for the past 13 years. Mr. Hall and family will leave here next week for California where they will locate permanently.

### Suits Cleaned and Pressed

\$1.25. Cash and Carry Cleaners. Down town receiving office, 352 Chemeketa St. 121f

### One License Issued

A marriage license was issued here Tuesday to William Jefferson bakery manager of Albany, and Venice Campbell, 1445 Fifth street, Salem. 121f



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### Steam Shovels Sent

The state highway department Tuesday sent two steam shovels to Coos county for use in clearing away the slide on the Coquille-Marshfield highway. The slide occurred last Saturday with the result that all traffic on the highway between Marshfield and Coquille has been blocked since that time. Roy Klein, state highway engineer, said he had received information from Marshfield that traffic probably would be resumed today.

### Radio Poles of Superior Quality

Good used sets. Phone 1935. 124

### Hot Cross Buns

Drop in an buy a dozen or a half of hot cross buns and see the difference. They are delicious. They are different. Bake Rite Bakery. 125

### Teacher Up North

Miss Carlotta Crowley, supervisor of English in Salem public schools, was in Seattle yesterday inspecting the school system of that city. She is expected back in Salem today.

### Special on all Shirts

G. W. Johnson & Co., 469 State. 124

### The West Fur Company

190 Liberty St., has been closed by bankruptcy. That will not interfere with the sale of millinery in the same store. 125

### Named on Committee

County Superintendent Fulkerson has been named a member of the national education association committee of 100 from all parts of the country to consider problems of the school teacher.

### Piano Jazz Taught

In 12 lessons. Note or ear. Waterman Piano School. 307 1/2 State. 124

### Boxing, Armory Arena

Wed. Feb. 24, Frankie Lewis, Salem vs. George McCormick, Portland. Ten 3-minute rounds. Snappy preliminaries; 24 rounds of boxing. 124

### New Organist Arrives

Percy S. Burraston, one of the most accomplished organists in the western states arrived in Salem last night from Seattle, and has accepted a contract with the management of the Oregon theater. Prof. Burraston will make his first appearance this afternoon. Having studied under premier music instructors, Mr. Burraston has made a special study of the

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## BEN SEZ

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**VICK BROS.**

Thompson on the corner of Winter and Mill street. He was turned over to authorities from the school.

**Furniture Upholstery—**  
And repairing. Giese-Powers Furniture company. 120f

**There Will Be Some Action—**  
Wed. nite at F. N. Woodry's new store, 1610 N. Summer St., of new and used furniture. See ad. 124

**Poster Contest Planned—**  
A poster contest to be staged in Salem public schools was announced yesterday with prizes ranging from \$1 to \$25. Posters are to be drawn by children and represent the plea for kindness to dumb animals.

**Hats Cleaned and Blocked—**  
75c. Cash and Carry Cleaners, 352 Chemeketa St. 121f

**The F. W. Pettyjohn Co.—**  
Gave us a beautiful set of dinner dishes with the used car that we purchased from them. 125

**Recovered From Grippe—**  
Larry Blaisdell and Bert Pratt, proprietors of the Terminal barber shop, recently ill with grippe, are on duty again.

**See Our Shirts—**  
And note the prices. G. W. Johnson & Co., 469 State. 124

**Teacher Is Ill—**  
Suffering from neuritis of the heart, Miss Anne Tew, of the Salem high school faculty, was taken to a local hospital Monday.

### Removed a Cancer

Dr. Stone, by the use of medicine, yesterday removed a cancer from the corner of the mouth of A. H. Logan, of Silverton, Oregon. 124

### Seattle Man Fined

J. W. Mason of Seattle was fined \$25 in the justice court here by Brainerd C. Small, justice of the peace, when he was arrested on a charge of carrying passengers for compensation without first obtaining a public service commission permit.

### Dance Saturday at—

Clemens Pavilion, Hazel Green. 124

### Hop Man Is Fined

John Roberts was fined \$10 in the justice court yesterday on a charge of violation of the weights and measures act in that hops were picked in his yard last year by measure instead of by weight. The case was filed last year but was continued awaiting a decision of the supreme court. That body upheld the validity of the measure, which only recently became a law.

### Lady's Sewing Machine

Demonstration Wed. nite 6:30 to 7 p. m. at F. N. Woodry's, before the auction start. 124

### B. E. Sisson in Portland

B. E. Sisson, manager of Miller's, is in Portland on a business trip.

### Compare Pettyjohn's

Used cars and prices with any others in town. They will stand the test. And yet they will give you a set of dishes. 125

### Convention Programs Mattd—

Last week, programs for the Marion county Sunday school convention which will be held at Turner March 19-20, have been mailed to nearly every Sunday school superintendent in Marion county. If any superintendent did not receive his programs he is asked to notify Fred de Vries of route 6, Salem.

### The Cost of Delay

Many wait year after year to secure a business education. Such delays cost a loss of many valuable positions. Enroll in the beginning class in shorthand at the Capital Business college next Monday. Call, let us talk it over. 124

When government ownership displaces private business, the loss in taxes, as well as the excessive cost of operation, is levied upon property and business which survive.

### DISEASES

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## GOVERNOR AWARDS HONORS TO CHORUS

Pierce Presents Medals to Members of Eugene Pioneer Boys' Chorus

Sixty members of the Pioneer boys' chorus of Eugene, on their first sojourn out of the city, shook hands with Governor Walter M. Pierce in Salem Sunday afternoon. The boys were presented to the governor prior to a program given by them in the First Christian church of that city. Mr. Pierce pinned medals on several of the local boys for high honors in Pioneer work.

Following the meeting with the governor at the state house the boys were guests at dinner of the Salem Pioneer group. In the evening W. P. Walter, boys' work secretary of the YMCA, was the principal speaker. Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Dorks, assisted by Vera Champey, directed the chorus during the evening.—Eugene Register.

## DEFENSE RESTS IN CONSPIRACY TRIAL

Schooner Pescawha Case Comes to Sudden Close in Portland Courts

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 23.—(By Associated Press.)—Council for the defense in the liquor conspiracy case being heard in the court of Federal Judge Bean caused surprise today when they announced that they would rest their case. But two witnesses had been called to the stand out of a host who had been summoned. The move came after a consultation of attorneys for the defendants, Jacob Woltte and others, including Captain Pamphlet and other members of the crew of the Canadian schooner Pescawha.

Attorneys for the dozen or so defendants at once began their introduction of motions, including a motion for a directed verdict, a motion to suppress and to withdraw certain evidence from the consideration of the jury. A motion for the government to elect upon which of certain counts of the indictment it would seek conviction and two others affecting certain specific counts.

The closing of the defendants' case came after the testimony of George D. Austad of Portland, ex-member of the Algonquin crew. The two most important points of his testimony were that to the best of his knowledge the Pescawha was about 18 miles off the Washington shore when she was sighted by the Algonquin and that he had heard Lieutenant Commander William P. Wishaar, ex-master of the Algonquin, state that he wanted to re-write the log of the cutter in order that the government might have a better case against the Canadian craft.

## PROPERTY TAX CUT DISCUSSED AT MEET

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study to a proposal to increase the gasoline sales tax from three to four cents per gallon. He said such a levy would raise approximately \$1,000,000 annually and allow for the elimination of the market road tax of one mill. Smith of Baker said that while he considered the gasoline sales tax a fair and equitable levy, he believed that an increase of one cent a gallon would start an agitation to reduce materially the motor vehicle license fees now received by the state. A similar opinion was expressed by C. C. Chapman, editor of the Oregon Voter, who appeared at the meeting in the role of a taxpayer.

There also was some discussion in connection with a proposal to increase the fees levied against certain corporations operating in the state. Under the existing law these corporations now pay to the state approximately \$40,000 annually. The California method of raising all funds for state purposes through indirect levies was considered, but no action was taken pending further investigation of that system. Members of the tax investigating committee who are conducting a probe of the California system of taxation promised to submit data for consideration of other members of the committee at the next meeting, which will be held late in March.

Several members of the committee expressed the opinion that the low salaries now paid to the county assessors and the fact that the state tax commission was without sufficient funds to extend its operations, might have contributed in the past to the failure of officials to uncover much property in Oregon which has escaped taxation.

It was argued that the tax situation might be handled more efficiently through the adoption of the Washington plan which provides for three salaried tax commissioners. These men give their full time to tax matters and cooperate with the county assessors in uncovering sources of tax revenue. These commissioners re-

## OLIVER A. SANDERS PASSES TO REWARD

Well Known Scotts Mills Man Dies, Funeral Will Be Held Today

Oliver A. Sanders, aged 57 years, died at Scotts Mills on Monday. He was born in Gervais on April 26, 1868, and resided in Scotts Mills for more than 20 years.

He was well known and highly respected. Among other organizations, he was a member of the Odd Fellows, Modern Woodmen and a Spanish War veteran. He is survived by his wife, Gertrude, and five children, Mrs. Edna Cook of Astoria, Miss Marie Sanders of Salem, Andrew Sanders of Scotts Mills, and Ransom Sanders of Astoria. Funeral services will be February 24, at Scotts Mills. Interment in Odd Fellows cemetery there.

He received a salary of \$6,000 a year, as against \$3,000 received by Oregon's one tax commissioner.

Today's meeting of the tax investigating committee will be devoted to a discussion of tax matters with more than 20 county assessors in attendance. The assessors held a preliminary session here Tuesday. Reports here last night indicated that the assessors would appoint a committee of five members to cooperate with members of the tax investigating committee in working out a plan for more equitable taxation.

At a meeting of the tax investigating committee to be held in Salem on March 27 the heads of the various state institutions supported by millage levies will be in attendance. They will be questioned with relation to their financial needs in connection with proposed legislation fixing the minimum millage ratio in this state.

Members of the tax investigating committee who attended Tuesday's session were A. A. Smith, Baker; John Carlin, Medford; Carl D. Shoemaker, Portland; Governor Pierce, State Treasurer; Kay, Secretary of State; Koser and Earl Fisher, state tax commissioner.

The committee was created by an act of the last legislature and held its first meeting a month ago.

### Obituary

**Wiles**  
At a local hospital Tuesday, Feb. 23, Gertrude Wiles, age 35. The remains will be forwarded to Portland today by the Webb funeral parlors.

### Koska

Suddenly at Kelso, Wash., Feb. 20, P. L. Koska, age 26 years. He is survived by two brothers in the east and one sister, Mrs. Helen Williams Hardy, 2139 Maple avenue, Salem. Funeral services at the Terwilliger funeral home on Wednesday at 2 p. m., Rev. Sims officiating. Committal services in Leo Mission cemetery.

## THE PATH OF SORROW

The path of sorrow, and that path alone.  
Leads to the land where sorrow is unknown.  
—Cowper.

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## Social Precedents of White House Are Changed as Result of Illness

Mrs. Coolidge, Suffering From a Severe Cold, Causes Upset in Dinner Plans; Old Records Searched for Correct Procedure Under Circumstance

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—(By Associated Press.)—Illness, described at the White House as a severe cold, prevented Mrs. Coolidge from accompanying the president to a dinner given tonight in their honor by Attorney General and Mrs. Sargent.

While the condition of the president's wife was not considered serious and assurance was given that there was no cause for alarm, she felt unable to attend the affair, one of the weekly dinners being given for Mr. and Mrs. Coolidge by cabinet members and their wives.

The indisposition forced a last minute rearrangement of the dinner plan and the president, almost recovered from the cold which bothered him last week, was accompanied by Mrs. Jardine, wife of the secretary of agriculture.

The dinner was given in the presidential suite of the New Willard hotel with many of the 50 guests residents of Vermont, the native state of both President Coolidge and Attorney General Sargent.

Mrs. Coolidge's illness, in its relation to tonight's dinner, presented a problem in social usage which required a search for precedents extending back to the McKinley administration before the correct procedure could be determined.

The question was, should the president go to Mrs. Jardine's home and escort her from there to the dinner, or should a White House automobile be sent to take her from her home to the hotel where the president would join her? Or should a White House car be sent to take her from her home to the White House, the president joining her there and accompanying her to the hotel? It was found that, during the

McKinley administration, the illness of the president's wife had caused him to escort first one and then another of the cabinet member's wives to similar functions. In each case, one of the president's aides acted as escort from the cabinet member's home to the White House and the president took up his duties as escort there.

This was the procedure adopted tonight.

After the dinner, still following the precedent, the White House car returned first to the executive mansion and the aide then accompanied Mrs. Jardine back to her home.

No such problem was raised, of course, when the president himself was unable to attend last week's "cabinet dinner," and Secretary Kellogg acted as Mrs. Coolidge's escort.

### Photographed Etiquette

Being Taught by Movies

TOKYO.—The Japanese are to be taught etiquette by means of moving pictures. Officials of the department of education are planning to launch a cinema campaign of instruction next spring. A committee composed of 20 leading educators will adopt standards of social etiquette which they believe should be taught the public and which they consider has been somewhat neglected in Japan because the emphasis of education has been placed on family rank rather than upon social contacts.

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