

Local News Briefs

Funeral is Sunday—Funeral services for F. W. Hurlburt, 51, who died here Thursday afternoon, will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Alliance Gospel tabernacle, 685 Perry street, of which congregation he was an elder. The remains will be shipped to Booneville, N. Y., for interment, and will be accompanied east by his 16-year-old son, Robert, only relative living here. Mr. Hurlburt was a carpenter by trade. Since coming from New York seven years ago he has devoted his time and ability to developing a residential section on Warner street.

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32 Licenses Revoked—Thirty-two automobile driving licenses were revoked by the state department during the month of July. Hal E. Hoss, secretary of state announced yesterday. Nine licenses were suspended. Certain convictions in Oregon courts make it mandatory upon the operators division of the state department to suspend licenses for a period of one year while suspensions are for varying periods of time and are based upon court and enforcement officers' counsel.

Dance Kent hall tonight, 25c.

Survey Gains Approval—A survey to determine the cost of developing storage on Burnt river and diverting part of the water into Willow creek, for the irrigation of several thousand acres of land in the vicinity of Brogan, Malheur county, will be recommended by R. F. Walter, chief engineer for the federal reclamation service, with western headquarters at Denver. This information was received at the office of Charles E. Stricklin, state engineer, Friday.

Old Time Dance, Haunted Mill. Sat. nite. Willamette Valley boys.

More Marines Wanted—A few more vacancies exist in the ranks of the U. S. Marine corps. Sergeant Mack Sherman, local officer in charge of recruiting, announced yesterday. He is looking for several men of high physical and character ratings to enlist in the general corps service. Many young men are now enrolling in the Marine reserve corps, Sherman says.

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Seeks Attorneyship—M. O. Wilkins, of Ashland, yesterday filed in the state department here a nominating petition as an independent candidate for district attorney of Jackson county. Wilkins will oppose William M. Briggs, republican nominee, and George A. Coddling, democratic nominee. Coddling has served as district attorney of Jackson county for two terms.

Mesh stockings on sale at Miller's 75c pair.

To Buy Five Cars—Bids for the purchase of five automobiles, to be used by the state highway department, will be opened by the state board of control in another two weeks. Purchase of the cars was authorized by the board yesterday. Officials gave no intimation as to the weight or manufacture of the cars under consideration.

Dance in the fan cooled Mellow Moon hall, Sat. nite. Woody's 10-piece band, featuring Joe (Blackie) Martelle dancing. Adm. 25c.

Many Workers Injured—There was a total of 449 industrial accidents in Oregon during the week ending August 4, according to a report issued by the state industrial accident commission yesterday. Guy Weekley, Myrtle Point truck driver, who was killed when his vehicle overturned, was the only fatality reported.

Health Meet Off—The meeting of the executive committee of the Marion County Public Health association, the first at which the new president, Dr. David Bennett Hill, would have presided, was postponed yesterday until some time in September. At that time the year's committees will be named.

Statesman subscribers have been paid \$3378.03 in claims on their \$1 Accident Insurance Policies.

Estate Probated—The estate of Reese E. Anderson, deceased, was admitted yesterday to probate in the county court here. Josie V. Anderson and Earl J. Anderson are to be executors of the will. The deceased left real property valued at \$4500 and personal property valued at \$500.

Coming Events

Every Tuesday and Friday night, band concert in Wilson park, 8 o'clock.
August 6—Wisconsin picnic, Salem municipal auto park.
August 7—Ohio "Buckeye" picnic at state fair grounds.
August 7—Minnesota picnic at Silverton city park.
August 7—The Orchard Heights "Old-Timers" picnic at Luther Stout farm at Mehama.
August 7-21—Annual Chemeketa outing at Spirit Lake.
August 8-9—Annual meeting Presidents and Secretaries, Rotary district No. 1.
August 12—Annual Atwater-Kent audition, Knight Memorial church, 8 p.m.
August 12—Homes of David vs. Salem Senators baseball, 2:30 p.m. at Olinger field.
August 14—Dakota picnic, Fairgrounds.
August 14—Illinois picnic at Woodburn auto park.
August 22—Larchmont Marion hotel for L. W. Stevenson, President National Association Real Estate Boards.

State Highways Answer—Answer to the first amended complaint of the Cascade Investment company was filed yesterday by Attorney General VanWinkle, presenting Julius L. Meier, governor, and Charles P. Pray, state superintendent of police. The suit involves the right to use trucks on the highways. A number of truck lines have intervened with the plaintiff.

Wool swim suits at Miller's \$1.50 ap.

Wants Property Sold—Right to sell the local holdings of the Northwest Fruit Products company was asked yesterday in circuit court by S. R. Stevenson. His holdings of delinquent tax certificates aggregate \$19,500, he sets forth. A number of co-defendants are named in his action against the now defunct canning company.

Oregon Loggers, old-time broadcasting band, in person, Mellow Moon hall, dance and entertainment Tuesday nite. Adm. 25c.

Funds to be Put Out—Appropriation of funds to schools in this district will be made soon by the county school superintendent's office from income received from the state's irrevocable school fund. This year the per capita appropriation will be \$1.20 compared to \$1.45 last year. Falling off in interest payments on loans by the state from the funds accounts for the loss.

Audition Ahead—Data of the fifth annual Atwater Kent local audition has been changed from Friday, August 12, to Thursday, August 11, the chamber of commerce announces. The change is made primarily because of interference of the first date with the regular Friday night band concert.

Vacation time is travel time. The Oregon Statesman offers to subscribers a Travel Accident Insurance Policy for only \$1 a year.

Marriage License Granted—One marriage license was granted yesterday in the county clerk's office. It went to James Samuel Reed, 185 North Ninth street, San Jose, Calif., a clerk, and Bessie E. Farrington, 24, 2765 Brook street, Salem.

Featuring Blackie Joe Martelle of Virginia—tap, buck and wing dancing. Mellow Moon Sat. nite. Adm. 25c.

Barrick in Pictures—The San Francisco Chronicle rotogravure pictorial section of July 31, contains a picture of Dr. Leon E. Barrick "the crooning coroner of Salem, Ore., who made a singing campaign and won the office."

Marcy Speaker—Dr. M. A. Marcy, superintendent of Salem district Methodist churches, will give the address Sunday afternoon at the 3:30 o'clock services in Wilson park.

Cool frocks for summer \$7.50. Miller's.

Fruitful Return—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pruitt and son, Carl, have just returned from visiting Mr. Pruitt's father in Tillamook county. The elder Pruitt suffered a fractured arm Sunday. He is getting along nicely, his son says.

Waltz Case Continued—Municipal Judge Poulsen yesterday continued the case of Floyd Waltz, 195 West Superior street, for 10 days longer. Waltz is charged with speeding.

Fan cooled dance. Mellow Moon every Sat. & Wed. nite. Adm. 25c.

Lane Pays Fine—Mike Lane of Salem yesterday paid the city recorder \$10 fine for having been intoxicated, according to municipal court records.

Duard Maley attended Athens, Ga., public schools 11 years without being absent or tardy. Now he has finished two years at the University with his record intact.

Obituary

Hurlburt
In this city August 4, Frank W. Hurlburt, late of 1850 Warner street, age 51 years. Father of Eugene and Mrs. Rena Satterlee of Boone, N. Y.; Bertha of Rome, N. Y.; Ernest and Maynard of Utica, N. Y.; John of Boone and Robert of Salem. Funeral services will be held from the tabernacle of the Missionary Alliance, Perry street, under the direction of Terwilliger's Funeral home, Sunday, August 7, at 3 p.m. with Rev. W. W. Calder officiating. Remains will be forwarded accompanied by the son, to Booneville, N. Y., for interment.

Mills
At the residence at Jefferson, Aug. 5, Eli O. Mills, at the age of 84 years. Survived by widow, Laura Mills of Jefferson, and a daughter, Miss Lydia Mills of Adrian, Mich. He was a Civil war veteran. Funeral services Monday, August 8, at 10:30 from the chapel of W. T. Rigdon and Son, Interment Cityview cemetery.

Kenyon
At Medford, Oregon, August 5, Rachael Kenyon. Remains will arrive in Salem Saturday in care of Terwilliger Funeral home. Graveside services will be held Saturday in I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Card
At a local hospital, August 4, Effie M. Card, of Oretown, Oregon, aged 85 years. Survived by daughters, Mrs. Jack Hanson of Oretown, Mrs. Howard Fleming of Oretown; one son, Joseph Card of Oretown; mother, Mrs. Sarah A. Judson; two sisters, Mrs. J. A. French and Mrs. C. F. French; four brothers, Lewis E. Judson, George A. Judson, Robert T. Judson and Leonard B. Judson, all of Salem. Services will be held from the United Evangelical church at Dallas, with interment in Cityview cemetery, Salem, on Monday, August 8, at 10:30 a.m.

TRUCK REGULATION NEEDED SAYS WEST

Ex-Governor Says Revenue From This Class Road Users Insufficient

The chief objects of the so-called "highway protective law" proposed by Highway Protective association are to bring common carriers and contract hauler trucks under closer supervision and require them to pay more for the use of public roads, Oswald West, ex-governor of Oregon and president of the association, told members of Lions club Thursday.

Under present laws the common carrier companies pay about 81 cents per day per truck; the contract haulers only 16 cents per day. The new law, according to West, would require both types of companies to pay about \$1 a day per vehicle, as is done by bus companies.

The proposed law would place the contract haulers as well as common carriers to obtain a permit from the state public service commissioner, who would have full power to prescribe the hours of labor for the truck and bus drivers.

The act regulates the movement of explosives and combustibles, limits the speed of oil trucks to 25 miles per hour, sets the maximum weight of motor vehicles at 34,000 instead of 49,000 pounds at present, and prohibits the use of trailers weighing over 3000 pounds and of semi-trailers weighing, with cab, over 34,000 pounds.

West asserted that common carriers and contract haulers now pay the state only \$708,000 annually, while private motorists and small truckers pay a total of \$5,850,000.

SOCIALIST-LABOR SLATE ANNOUNCED

The socialist-labor party, which was organized by petition several weeks ago, Friday filed with the secretary of state a complete list of candidates for the November election. The candidates follow:

For president—Vernon L. Reynolds, New York.

For vice-president, John W. Alken, Massachusetts.

Presidential electors—H. S. Berger, Deschutes county; E. S. Cook, R. W. Huff, Mack Johnson and George J. Wellman, Multnomah county.

United States senator—Sverre Jacobson, Portland.

Congressional candidates—First district, Upton A. Upton, Estacada; second district, Paul F. Schuue, Bend; third district, Carl V. Soderback, Portland.

Secretary of state—D. R. Midwood, Bend.

State treasurer—Michael Ward, Bend.

State senators—Multnomah county—Theo. Evanoff, Alfred Hoglund, John Lundeen, Barney McCabe and John Zoller. From Deschutes county, John H. Young, Bend.

Representatives, Multnomah county—Anders D. Berglund. From Deschutes county, Virgil R. Garver and Herman Berger.

Slight Gain For Number of Jobs Available Seen

Slight improvement in labor was noted at the U. S.-Y. M. C. A. employment bureau yesterday. Six men received jobs during the day, three as common laborers, two as woodcutters and one as salesman. With the smoke pall settling on the city and presaging forest fires, D. D. Dotson, bureau assistant manager, informed the state forester's office that he could supply a large number of firefighters on short notice.

Employment is expected to remain slow until hop picking time, which growers say will start between August 20 and 30.

Gasoline Sales in June Much Lower

Gasoline sales in June, 1932, when compared with the sales for the same month in 1931, showed a decrease of 3.6 per cent, Hal E. Hoss, secretary of state announced Friday. Motor vehicle registration for the past year, compared with the previous season, decreased 7.32 per cent.

Statistics just completed by the state department show 17,927,232 gallons of gasoline distributed in June of 1931 while only 15,648,445 gallons were sold in June of this year, the loss being 2,278,787 gallons. Distillate fuel showed more heavy decrease, there being 332,923.5 gallons sold in June of last year against 305,199 for June, 1932, a decrease of 23.5 per cent.

Tax receipts on both these commodities were 12.8 per cent less for the month of June this year, there being \$730,341.58 collected in 1931 during June against \$646,619.77 received for the same month this year, a loss to the state of \$83,721.81.

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THE source of money for the circulation of the so-called merger petitions and who is sponsoring the campaign for the consolidation, and in fact who owned the petitions alleged stolen still remain a mystery, even after a court investigation. Even the judge said he couldn't determine much about it.

In other words Brownell was closed by Judge John A. Meier in Portland late yesterday of a change of lawyers. He said "the money collected and the sponsors of the merger were matters that he could not determine," and ruled "no crime had been committed." Apparently the signatures stolen were of no value.

This weather certainly requires more shirts. It is impossible for statehouse officials to wear the same one more than a day because the 100 and plus weather will not permit them to cover them up with coat and vest. But leave it to the young women to look cool and arouse the envy of the opposite sex.

Leave it to Sam Gillette, purchasing official for the state highway department, now under the state purchasing department, to handle a mean carver when it comes to watermelons. And he can do more than carve it. The staff of the purchasing department had a fine melon yesterday and Gillette presided.

The governor knows when to spend a week at his country estate. Perhaps the hottest week of the season, and the executive not only did not show up at the state capitol, but he was at his Portland office but very little of the time. And the week ends today with promises of more perspiring brows.

Hal E. Hoss expects to leave during the next few days for a vacation trip to the coast, where he will bask in the sunshine and sea breezes in the vicinity of

Actions Against Flouring Mills Prove Numerous

A succession of actions against the Fischer Flouring Mills corporation culminated in the court records here yesterday.

Report of the seizure of 40,000 new and old grain sacks on behalf of the First National bank of Silverton was filed by Sheriff Bower who also reported that he had taken on and turned over to Edward L. Eyre and Company a quantity of grain being held by the warehouse concern for the company.

A writ of attachment on various stocks of goods held by the Fischer Flouring Mills was also filed by the sheriff in behalf of Clyde Ramsey, plaintiff in an action for \$1216 and costs.

Y. Camp Staff Handed Praise By Naturalist

Praise of the personnel of the Salem Y. M. C. A. summer camp held at Oceanside is voiced by H. M. DuBois, Portland naturalist, in a letter to C. A. Kells, local Y. secretary. DuBois speaks especially of the calibre of the leaders and of the number provided to direct the boys. There was one leader for every six boys in this year's camp.

Mr. DuBois, who led the boys in nature studies this year, offers his services for future camp periods.

Frank Shauble Dies In Portland, Report

LAKE LABISH, Aug. 5.—The death of Frank Shauble, 78, of this place gave sorrow to many here who had known him and lived beside him for the last 30 years. Mr. Shauble died in Portland July 31. Mr. Shauble was an expert grower of fine grapes, living alone happily on his farm here until beset by illness. Previous to coming to the Willamette valley he worked at the mines in Montana and elsewhere.

Aurora Assumes Airs Of Hustling Cities

AURORA, Aug. 5.—Aurora will be more sophisticated and take on airs like some of her larger neighboring sisters, so it was decided at a meeting of the city council Monday night. When residents have been sufficiently notified, the voice of the fire siren will be heard at noon each day. The department will then be quite sure it is in working order, and the housewives can then set their clocks with station AFD.

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FIRST DELIVERY OF NEW WHEAT MADE

First deliveries of the new crop wheat are being made to local warehouses late this week, but so far the receipts are very limited. Oats are coming in faster, and some barley is being delivered.

A variety of prices are offered by local dealers on the new wheat. One dealer is offering 40 cents, but has received no deliveries yet. Another is paying 45 cents on fair quality wheat. The top price offered for wheat is 46 cents on No. 1 red, and 48 cents on No. 3 white.

The dealer offering 46 and 48 cents is paying regularly three cents under the Portland daily quotation.

Offers on oats are running pretty well in unison, with \$16 on No. 1 gray feed oats and \$17 on No. 1 milling the top quotation. Barley growers are getting \$16 a ton on the local market.

The carryover of old wheat on July 1, stored in interior mills and warehouses in Oregon, was estimated to amount to 2,400,000 bushels, according to the annual report of the division of crop and

'SIS HOPKINS' WELL LIKED BY AUDIENCE

That old-time favorite of American playgoers, "Sis Hopkins," pleased a fair-sized audience at the Capitol theatre Friday night when it was presented by the Duffin Players in their second appearance here this summer.

Jack Cassidy in the role of Obadiah Odium, typical product of Indiana, presented the most authentic characterization and rivaled Gay Raymond's personation in the title role. Fans of the legitimate stage who know the Duffin cast, were not all pleased at finding the usually lovable Ned Lynch in the "villain" role in this frank "melodrammer."

While the play was greatly appreciated by the majority of audience, some slight incongruities were noted, especially in the "ad libbing" which at times was too modern for the period.

FEDERAL GAS TAX HELPS OUT STATE

The new federal gasoline tax of one cent a gallon, which became effective in Oregon July 1, has placed additional facilities in the hands of the state department in connection with its war upon gasoline tax evaders, Hal E. Hoss, secretary of state, said Friday.

Hoss said the heavy penalties imposed by the federal law for failure to report the amount of fuels compounded or blended and pay the federal tax on the resulting product, will stimulate prosecutions and assist materially in stamping out evasions of the state gasoline tax laws.

"Under the federal law, any person compounding, mixing or blending any motor fuel is defined as a producer, and must report the amount of all such fuels compounded or blended and pay the federal tax of one cent per gallon on the resulting product," Hoss said. "Failure, refusal or neglect to so report the gallonage blended and the payment of the tax places the violator in peril of a fine of not more than \$10,000 or not to exceed two years confinement in a federal prison."



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