

Local News Briefs

Special Music—Prof. T. S. Roberts, organist at the First Methodist church, has arranged several particularly fine musical numbers for the 11 o'clock Sunday morning service as follows: organ choral prelude to the tune "Psalms," played by Prof. Roberts; duet "O Divine Redeemer" by Gounod, sung by Eleanor Moore and R. D. Barton; quartet, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" by Bassford, sung by Eleanor Moore, soprano, Josephine Albert, contralto, Ronald Craven, tenor; and R. D. Barton, baritone.

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Wants 1916 Paper—Who has a copy of the Statesman of January 1, 1916? A former Salem resident is very anxious to have that number of the paper, on account of a feature that it carried. If any reader has one, he will confer a favor by communicating with The Statesman, when the information will be relayed to the party interested.

Saturday night ends National Emma Jettie Shoe Sale. Get them now! Miller's.

Plead Guilty—Plea of guilty was entered to charge of larceny of vegetables by Clinton Allen, Ken Parker and Earl Kelly when they appeared in justice court yesterday afternoon. 24 hours in which to plead. They are in the county jail in lieu of \$100 bail each, pending Monday morning, when sentence will be given.

The Thos. Kay Woolen Mill Co. is paying 10 cents for medium valley wool. Farmers take notice.

On Vacation—Miss Hazel M. Coe, chief operator at the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company offices here, left Friday night for Nehalem valley, where she will spend a week with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Hopkins. She will spend the second week of her vacation in Portland, returning here early next month.

Old Time Dance Hauled MILL. Every Sat. nite. Adm. 25c.

Allege Theft—Gilbert Taylor and Harvey Brooks, arrested yesterday on charge of burglary not in a dwelling, will be arraigned in justice court this morning. They are alleged to be the thieves who entered the Ramage bottling works here some time ago and stole an adding machine. Bail of each will be \$2500.

American Legion carnival dance, Mellow Moon, Tues. Aug. 23. Music by Willamette Valley Boys.

Eugene Man Dies—Mrs. John H. Scott of Salem yesterday received a telegram from Eugene telling of the death of John Bean, eldest son of Louis E. Bean of that city. Funeral services will be held at that city Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rullison's Peaches are ripe. The Best. R. 8, Box 59, Phone 474.

Guardian Named—Mrs. Rena Fox was named guardian Friday of the estate of Merrill H. Fox, her husband, who has been judged incompetent to handle his own affairs. He receives a monthly allowance of \$12 from the veterans' bureau.

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Case Continued—Reckless driving charges against Elva Daley were continued for several days following his appearance in justice court yesterday morning. He is out on his own recognizance.

Opening Hop Pickers Dance. Kent Hall. Tonite. Adm. 25c.

Reckless Driving—Ted W. Erickson of Portland is in the county jail, serving out a fine of \$25 and costs given in justice court yesterday when he was found guilty of reckless driving after standing trial.

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Visit Mrs. Dunlap—W. Byars, postmaster of Goldendale, Wash., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Effie W. Dunlap of this city. Miss Evelyn Wright, of Lebanon, is the guest for a few days of her grandmother, Mrs. Dunlap.

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No Industrial Deaths—A total of 470 industrial accidents were reported to the state industrial accident commission here in the week ending August 18. There were no fatalities.

Gloves on Vacation—Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Glover are spending a week at Breitenbush and will return home Sunday. They have a cottage there.

At Breitenbush—Mrs. Sherman W. Thompson and daughter Lou are spending some time at Breitenbush.

Coming Events

Every Tuesday and Friday night, band concert in Wilson park, 8 o'clock.

Aug. 21—Wilson park service at 8:30 in charge of W. C. K. U.

August 21—Douglas county picnic, fairgrounds.

August 21—Salem Lodge of Perfection, A. & A. S. R., picnic at Silverton park in afternoon.

August 21—Hal Hibbard Camp No. 5 United Spanish War Veterans and their auxiliary—annual picnic at Silverton Park.

August 28—Nebraska club picnic, Silverton park. September 5—Marion County Federation of Community clubs picnic, Champeau Park.

September 19—Opening of Salem public schools.

September 26-October 1—Oregon state fair.

GRAY BELLE DOORS CLOSED BY NELSON

Resumption of Operation is Likely Soon; Sale may Be Consummated

Rather than to allow obligations of the Gray Belle restaurant to pile up, doors were closed late Wednesday night by W. J. Nelson, who has been in charge since John Blakeley turned the business over to creditors about seven months ago.

"While we have closed the doors, there is every reason to believe that the Gray Belle will be in operation again soon, as several experienced restaurant persons are interested in it. We expect a sale to be made within a few days," Mr. Nelson says.

Mr. Nelson took affairs of the restaurant over at the request of creditor concern and the employees seven months ago, agreeing at that time to continue for one or two months, however, with spasmodic hopes of a sale, he continued. Mrs. Nelson has had much of the responsibility for the business.

The restaurant was renovated and the silver grille and kitchen improvements added by the Blakeleys, but a sustained increase in business did not follow, and creditors were forced to take over.

Should the sale not be consummated, as anticipated, the stocks and equipment will be liquidated for benefit of creditors and employees.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson are making every effort to place employees and have assisted several to secure other positions. Mr. Nelson is assistant manager of the Gideon Stolz company.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE SAVES FOODSTUFFS

Men Sent to Pick Berries; Cold Storage Plants Here Offer Help

Berries, meat, beans and wood are the commodities being stored for winter by the Salem industrial league. It was announced yesterday. Thirty-five men were sent to work picking blackberries on the Sam Brown ranch yesterday morning. Three tons of berries already picked by league members on the Elbert place in Polk county are being canned at work by the West Salem cannery.

Both local cold storage plants have offered the league permission to place meats in refrigeration. Sheep are to be donated by William Emery of Waide Hills, near Clatskanie. Spaulding from his Yamhill county ranch.

The league has had around 3000 cords of wood offered for its use, including 1000 cords near Pratun, another 1000 in Polk county and a third thousand on scattered plots. Officials of the organization are attempting arrangements for obtaining and packing of beans from the West Stayton section and also for corn, tomatoes and other supplies.

Plates for printing the scrip which will be issued the league members for their work in harvesting foodstuffs and cutting wood have been obtained and printing will be started soon.

Through the aid of a local philanthropist, the league has arranged for the use of the old garage building on Church street at the back of the old Valley Motor company plant as a warehouse.

NICHOLS' ENTRIES TAKE HIGH AWARDS

BETHEL, Aug. 19—Chester White swine from the J. M. and Cass A. Nichols farm were shown at the fair at Sokeeman, Montana, last week. They won all but two of the first prizes, and all but one of the second prizes in the classes in which they competed. They also won a senior and grand championship.

The Nichols' Duroc Jersey swine won more first prizes than those of any other breeder. One of their spring pigs became junior champion boar.

These 30 head of swine were exhibited in competition with those of breeders from Nebraska, Iowa, Texas, Montana and Oregon.

Neighbors' Picnic Slated For Sunday

SILVERTON, Aug. 19—The Neighbors of Woodcraft will hold their district picnic at the Coolidge and McClaine park here Sunday. Members of the Marion Circle are acting as hosts and will furnish the coffee, sugar and cream for the basket luncheon at noon. The different circles will sponsor the program to be given in the afternoon.

Births

Grabel—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hart Grabel, 2128 North Commercial street, a girl, Jacqueline Joy, born on August 9 at the residence.

Ingraham—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Ingraham, route three, a girl, Martha Legg, born on August 12 at Salem General hospital.

Dr. Chan Lam Chinese Medicine Office hours Tuesday and Saturday 2 to 5 p. m. Rooms 1 and 2 145 N. Commercial Salem

SET RECORD IN GOLD CUP CLASSIC



The Delphine IV, owned by Horace Dodge, is shown Montauk, Long Island. The Delphine set a new mark with her pilot, Bill Horn, of Newport News, Va., and of 66.64 miles an hour in winning the classic. Inset: Mechanic McGee groups after their victory in the annual shows C. F. Chapman (right), chairman of the Amer-Gold Cup Regatta, America's speedboat classic, at Ican Speedboat Association, presenting the trophy.

CONTEST PLANNED FOR MUSIC WEEK

Violin, Voice, Piano Pupils To Compete; Rosekrans Explains Proposal

Plans and organization for a new feature of national music week here next spring were discussed at a meeting of local violin, voice and piano teachers at the chamber of commerce last night, when Chester W. Rosekrans of San Francisco met with the group to explain a feature which is a popular part of music week observance there.

The new plan is for music week contests for violin, voice and piano students in Marion and Polk counties. The contests at this time would feature only the best talent in certain areas, and would be held in the final contest during music week which is selected in preliminary or elimination contests held during the spring in the various neighborhoods, or Salem.

Such a plan as this has worked to splendid success in San Francisco, recounted Rosekrans, who was executive director of music week for the San Francisco Civic association.

This fall all teachers of these three branches will have blanks for entry into the spring contests, and children who propose to enter the eliminations will be registered this fall.

The general program for music week will be under auspices of the chamber of commerce.

With the plan of fall registration, children preparing for the eliminations will have the full winter ahead of them to study to make their best efforts to secure the contest awards which will be made.

About 40 persons attended the gathering at the chamber of commerce.

M'CALLISH GUN IS READY FOR BANDIT

House-breakers had better not try their luck on the home of Ed McCandlish, 1490 Hines road.

McCandlish was awakened at 2 a. m. Friday by a noise on his front porch. He arose, partly dressed and saw through an open door inside the house that a man was then trying to unlatch the back screen door. McCandlish went out the front door but as he did, he started the intruder who beat a hasty retreat down the street.

With his .32-calibre gun, McCandlish fired three times at the would-be burglar but failed to hit him. Police were notified and they produced two vagrants in the district each of whom swore he had just gotten off a train and knew nothing of the attempted robbery.

"They'd better not try again," McCandlish emphasized yesterday. "If they get within range of my gun, it will be too bad for them."

Elliott Visitor At Water Plant

R. C. Elliott, president of the Oregon-Washington Water company, was a visitor at the local plant yesterday on a short trip he is making in the northwest out of his headquarters at San Francisco. Accompanying him was H. K. Griffin, also connected with the company at the California offices. Mr. Elliott said he had no special business other than a general conference with J. T. Delaney, northwest manager and with other officials of the company in the northwest.

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IRRIGATION TOUR REACHES EUGENE

100 in Party; Valley Isn't Damp Enough In Summer, Arthur King Shows

EUGENE, Ore., Aug. 19.—(AP)—Attracted by highly developed irrigation systems near Eugene, nearly 100 members of the third annual western Oregon irrigation tour were guests of Eugene business men and the agricultural department of the Eugene chamber of commerce at luncheon here today.

T. O. Russell, president of the chamber of commerce, welcomed the visitors, and F. E. Chambers, president of the agricultural division, was toastmaster.

Following the luncheon the party went to Chase Gardens east of Eugene where they viewed the irrigation system in greenhouses and the overhead irrigation on land outside. Other points visited in this county included the J. O. Holt farm and the James gardens.

Four members were informed that with proper management irrigation increases land production by double and at low cost per acre.

The progress of irrigation has been hampered somewhat by the general opinion that there is plenty of moisture from rain in the Willamette valley, Arthur S. King, extension specialist in soils, said. Contrary to this belief, he continued, weather records for 40 years show that the average rainfall for the four growing months of May, June, July and August is 4 1/2 inches. He said that approximately 1,200,000 acres of Willamette valley land will respond to irrigation.

WORK ON JETTIES WILL START SOON

ASTORIA, Ore., Aug. 19.—(AP)—Work on two jetties to be constructed on the north shore of the Columbia river, one 4000 feet long near Chinook point and the other nearly 2000 feet long, extending out from Sand island, is expected to start early next week, Major Oscar O. Kuents, district officer of the United States engineers, and R. E. Hickson, senior associate engineer, said today. The two were here from Portland today on an inspection trip.

Trestle work on the south jetty at the river mouth is expected to be completed this week. It will extend about 7500 feet out from Clatsop spit.

Engineers estimated that a total of 450,000 tons of rock will have been dumped in the jetty work by the end of the month.

AWARDS FOR YEAR MADE, PLAYGROUND

59 Receive Letters, Four Memberships in Y, for Winning Points

Fifty-nine boys and girls received their playground letters for the season at Lincoln field yesterday afternoon and four were awarded Y. M. C. A. memberships for having earned the highest number of points. To earn the letters, the children were required to score a total of 500 points in playground activities, attend at least two-thirds of the two months season and conduct themselves in a good manner.

Receiving the Y memberships were Bobbie Blake, Arthur Wilson, Margaret Addie and Maxine Bach, Margaret Addie also was selected as the most courteous girl on the grounds, and Maxine Bach as the most helpful.

Special awards were made as follows: Douglas McKay, Jr., for high number of points; Shirley McKay, for high points; Marjorie McCallister and Virginia Mason, scorekeepers for ball games, and Dick McNamara, best conduct and attendance.

Director Margaret E. Nelson especially thanked Bob King for being the best boys' captain, Ray Elliot for helping organize the senior championship ball team, Douglas McKay, Jr., for good sportsmanship, and Virgil Mason for being the best worker.

Lincoln playground will close today.

Those earning letters are: Douglas McKay, Jr., Shirley McKay, Joan Donaldson, Emma Louise East, Doree Potter, Carol Potter, Catherine East, Maxine Bach, Leland Hyland, Marjorie McCallister, June Earle, Ruth Kline, Bob King, Margaret Sehon, Walter Nelson, Bob Blake, Myron Pursley, Margaret Pursley, Virgil Mason, Dick McNamara, Arthur Wilson.

Doris Kline, Arthur Kline, Deryl Craig, Lloyd Godkin, Bob East, Ray Elliot, Virginia Mason, Daryl Mason, Harold Johnson, Harold "Red" Johnson, Anita Russell, Junior Mason, Dorothy Snyder, Mary East, Shirley McClellan, Earl Ellis, Lewis Peffer, Bettie Scott, Art Kline, Vera Rohmer, Carol Cooper, Wayne Miller, Alden Addie, Bunny Mason, Dick Blake, Jack Nelson, Jim Earle, Vera Ellis, Nona Pasching, Walter Johannsen, Kitch Earle, Margaret Addie, Cora Edgell, Billie Scott, Tom Gabriel, Allan McCallister, Shirley Thomas and Reva Fisher.

IRISH IMPROVING SILVERTON, Aug. 19.—H. R. Irish, who underwent a major operation at a Portland hospital, in July, is again at his home and able to be about, but has not yet returned to his work, which is with the Silver Falls Timber company offices.

Vacation Time Is Here....

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