

# All Around Town

## CURRENT EVENTS

Feb. 25—Monthly meeting of Salem Business Mens League, Commercial club, 8 p. m.

Feb. 25—Rotarians go in a body to the First Congregational church, 7:30 p. m.

Feb. 25—American Legion dance at armory; evening.

Feb. 24—Business Men's Luncheon Commercial club.

Nov. 23—Meeting of Mothers club of Lincoln school, 3:15 p. m.

Feb. 25—Lecture recital at public library, 8 p. m.

Feb. 25—Cherry City Rotary will entertain friends at a banquet at 6 p. m.

Mar. 2—Regular meeting of American Legion in armory, 8:30 p. m.

Love, watchmaker, jeweler, Salem.

Walt—The Way to Health, Lecture every Monday afternoon, 2 p. m. room 311 Hotel Marion.

It wouldn't be spring without Hanser Bros window display of baseball, tennis and other athletic goods. See it today.

Dr. S. C. Stone can now be found at Tyler's drug store.

A. R. Stewart, who conducts a repair shop on Court street, went to Portland Sunday for a brief visit with business acquaintances. He will return Monday evening.

Notice: O. J. Perry and Earl Wood do oxyacetylene welding at 805 Broadway. Phone 1189.

NOTICE—Earl Wood, formerly of the Liberty garage, and O. J. Perry, who was shop foreman at Vick brothers for several years, do automobile repairing at 805 Broadway. Phone 1189.

Mrs. Martha Stewart, prominent in musical circles in the city, is ill at her home, 738 North Front street.

Wood for sale, good 16-inch mill near at new wood yard, Trade St. near Church St. Fred E. Wells. Call 1541 from 7 to 9 a. m. and after 5 p. m.

Joseph G. Richardson, deputy state treasurer, was a Portland visitor Sunday.

The regular monthly meeting and supper of the Baptist Brotherhood will be held at the church Tuesday Feb. 24, at 6:30 p. m. Rev. Avison will be the speaker. This will be "Father and son" night. (adv) 46\*

The prevalence of sickness in the county was responsible for the small attendance of members at the meeting of the Marion County Principals Association held in Salem Saturday evening. A banquet at the Cherry City hotel was followed by a business meeting in the court room of Circuit Judge Kelly. The next meeting of the association will be held on May 3, at which important matters will be discussed.

NOTICE—Is hereby given that on Thursday February 26, 1920, at 10 a. m. sealed bids will be received by a committee on the third floor of the Derby-Lafky building, corner High and Court streets, Salem, Ore., for a quantity of household goods and furnishings formerly the equipment of the Moose lodge and club, consisting mainly of rugs, carpets, linoleum, leather and mahogany chairs, one complete office outfit, roll top desk, chairs, directors tables, complete invoice of stuff can be examined at No. 394 United States National bank bldg., phone 376, and opportunity to see and estimate on stuff will be given from 1 to 5 p. m. Tuesday and Wednesday February 25th and 26th. (Adv) 45\*

The Macabees will hold a meeting in the McCormack hall Wednesday evening, and if a good attendance is assured several important matters will be discussed. Persons from Portland will deliver addresses. The meeting will be an open one, and all friends of the order are invited. Refreshments will be served, and it is expected that the Lady Macabees will assist on the program.

Special meeting of Multnomah chapter No. 1, R. A. M. this evening. Work in the Mark Master degree. Visitors welcome. (adv) 46\*

CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to thank all the kind friends who so generously gave us beautiful flowers, sympathy and assistance in our recent bereavement. Mrs. Florence Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mitchell. 46

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We wish to thank the G. A. R., Woman's Relief Corps and our friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of Albert Hart—E. D. Hart and family. 46

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for the man. The stranger was middle aged, five feet six inches tall, weighed about 150 pounds, had a very dark heavy beard and mustache was stoop shouldered, walked with a slouchy carriage, had a black hat and dark colored overcoat.

A small hole was burned in the roof of the residence at 728 North Broadway when a fire started from sparks from the chimney. The fire engine, which left the department at 1:30, quickly put out the flames. Damage to the roof was slight.

Mrs. Sydney Hall and Mrs. Minnie M. Bates will entertain the Luella club of the Kimball school of Theology at Mrs. Bates home, 1138 South 13th street on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A large attendance is expected.

E. E. Woods has returned from Milton, Oregon, where he has been painting scenic views for the Columbia university.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Blackburn and children of Lebanon, are visiting for a few days with Mrs. Blackburn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Moffitt, 506 North High street. After a short stay in Salem as the guests of relatives and friends, they will leave for a motor tour of California.

Mrs. N. L. Prunk of Eugene is the house guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Moffitt, at their residence on North High street.

In a divorce action filed Saturday Ruth Gay asks for legal separation from Harry Gay, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment. The couple were married at Vancouver, Wash., October 8, 1917, and as a result of the union there is one child, Amos Gay, aged about ten months. Mrs. Gay alleges that her husband deserted her February 20, 1919, leaving her without funds or support, previous to the birth of the child. She alleges that Gay is the owner of an undivided one seventh interest in 400 acres of land in Jefferson county and requests that she be given a one third interest in this holding and \$20 monthly alimony, together with custody of the infant.

Joining in the campaign to defeat the insidious hosts of Spanish influenza Chief of Police Jack Welsh Monday issued instructions to his officers to arrest any one caught spitting on sidewalks in the city or in public buildings or conveyances. Chief Welsh cited an ordinance prohibiting the practice, which imposes a fine of from \$1 to \$10, or a jail sentence of from 1 to five days, for violations. He said that he believed much could be done to allay the epidemic of flu if expectation in public places is brought to an end.

The Baptist Brotherhood will meet Monday night at 6:30 at the church. A record attendance is expected.

Elmo Bennett, a resident of Dallas, was a Capital City visitor Monday.

Alaf Esteb, a student at the Seventh Day Adventist college at Walla Walla, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Addie C. Esteb, 1267 Marion street. He will return to Walla Walla the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gardner, aged 71 years, died Sunday morning, Feb. 22 at a local hospital. She had been a paralytic invalid for the past two and a half years. Mrs. Gardner is survived by the following sons and daughters: Louis Gardner of Pittsburg, Massachusetts; John Gardner of Salem; Mrs. Joseph Roquo of Salem; Mrs. Carl Johnson, of Kenosha, Wis.; Mrs. Della Pies, of Kenosha, Wis.; Joseph Gravel, of Green Valley, Wis.; and Mrs. Nagel La Chapelle of Salem. The body is in charge of the Webb & Clough establishment and funeral services will be held from St. Joseph's Catholic church Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock.

The funeral for Norma Haines, 19-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Haines, of Silverton, who died at their home there Sunday, will be held at the chapel of the Rigdon & Son company here at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday. The baby will be laid to rest in City View cemetery.

The public has been invited to attend the inspection of Company M, of the Oregon National Guard, which will occur in the armory Monday night. Inspection will be by Colonel Koester, of the United States Cavalry stationed at Vancouver barracks.

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## COUNTY TAX ROLL IS COMPLETED BY ASSESSOR WEST

Monday morning Assessor Ben F. West was able to turn over to Sheriff W. I. Needham, the Marion county 1919 tax rolls. Assessor West reports that considerable delay was encountered, due to the fact that the work on this year's rolls was nearly 40 per cent heavier than that of any previous computation.

The six per cent tax limitation items, special and school district levies represented a portion of the extra work met with in making the sum up. In addition to these difficulties, Assessor West was not able to recruit his clerical staff up to required strength because of a scarcity of trained help needed for this special work.

Sheriff Needham is working on the books, adding to the record property transfers and other business pertaining to the work of his office and correcting the index up to date. He announces that the books will be open Wednesday morning.

According to the completed roll, the total valuation of taxable property in Marion county, is \$42,292,143; while a total of \$1,340,902.44 represents the amount of taxes levied in this county for 1919 and collectable during the present year.

For the 131 school districts in the county, \$240,231.04 is the sum total of the special levies for school purposes. Special taxes levied in road districts total \$64,733.45.

The special taxes levied in towns and cities of the county is represented by \$201,235.41, Salem heading the list with a levy of \$162,500.71. For the year 1919, the sum of \$442.10 is levied upon special districts for the forest patrol service.

General taxes levied for state and county purposes are:

State tax, \$190,315.63; valuation, \$42,292,143; rate mills, .0045.

County tax, \$329,878.71; valuation same as state; rate mills, .0075.

Road tax \$137,255.63; valuation, \$39,507,918; rate mills, .0045.

School and library tax, \$109,959.56; valuation, same as state; rate mills, .0026.

Excess 6 percent limit for high school districts; tax levy \$14,983.30; valuation \$18,729,131; rate mills, .008.

Excess of 6 percent limitation in non-high school districts; tax levy, \$2,883.21; valuation, \$23,563,012; rate mills, .0014.

For the purpose of comparison with the present levy, the following items from the 1918 tax roll is given:

State tax levy, \$132,316.96; valuation \$42,876,447; rate mills, .0031.

The county tax levy as based upon the 1918 valuation, was \$252,971.02 at a millage rate of .0059. It will be noticed that the valuation for the present year is somewhat lower than for that of 1918.

In 1918, the county school and library tax levy was \$102,903.45 at a millage rate of .0024. The road levy at .0042, was \$129,350.07. The high school tuition fund levy was, \$16,626.25 at the millage rate of .007. The total levy for state and county purposes was \$634,767.59.

For 1919, the special taxes were: Schools, \$193,789.09; roads, \$54,207.86; cities and towns, \$186,236.59; forest patrol, \$254.33; special tax for road district No. 7, uncollected from 1917 tax roll, \$2326.99.

TRADE BALANCE FAVORS SOME SOUTHERN REPUBLICS

Washington, Feb. 23.—While the net trade balance in favor of the United States in 1919 was \$4,017,745,000, a number of South American and Far Eastern countries held balances against this country of \$664,055,000, says the annual report today of the federal reserve board in naming the countries to which extension of credit will not be necessary for the continuance of foreign commerce.

SEATTLE OBSERVES HOLIDAY

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 23.—Seattle patriotic societies today held exercises at the base of the statue of George Washington on the University of Washington campus. Spigs of green were placed on the statue by representatives of each organization while the Blithen chimes on the campus played national airs.

PORTLAND OFFICIAL TO BRING FRAUD OPERATOR

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 2.—A deputy United States marshal from Portland, Or., arrived here today bringing S. L. Powell, wanted here in connection with an alleged plan to defraud the federal railroad administration by issuing fraudulent passes. Mrs. Powell, and the couple's six-year-old son also arrived in company with a police man.

OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE IS CALLED IN SPECIAL SESSION

Oklahoma City, Feb. 23.—The special session of the Oklahoma legislature which convened here today in addition to the ratification of the federal woman suffrage amendment may take up the matter of investigating operation of state government departments.

An attempt this morning to place the democratic caucus in the senate on record as favoring ratification of the federal suffrage amendment failed.

SENATE SKEWING VIEWS OF LABOR ON SHIPPING POLICY

Washington, Feb. 23.—Views of organized labor will be sought next week by the senate commerce committee engaged in framing a national shipping policy bill, testimony of ship owners having been concluded today with the appearance of R. H. M. Robinson of New York and William A. Dobson of Philadelphia, representing the Atlantic shipbuilders association. Chairman Jones, republican, Washington announced that hearings would end with examination of shipping board and other government officials when labor representatives have been heard.

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## RECOVERY OF MANY CASES IS RESULT OF STRICT RULES

One of the most immediate results of the observation of strict measures pertaining to influenza, is the startling number of cases reported as having "recovered" since institution of strict quarantine, Saturday. City Health Officer Dr. R. E. Pomeroy, Monday, was besieged with phone calls from physicians who reported that many of their influenza patients had fully recovered from the flu. Over 58 cases are now recorded as having fully emerged from the baneful effects of the disease.

All of the 40 cases now under quarantine in Salem have been placed under the measures instituted Saturday by the police committee. This new ban on the disease is as stringent as quarantine in case of smallpox or cholera, and the authorities request that all violations of these rules be reported.

Physicians are required to report all cases of influenza to the city health authorities. It has been reported that certain physicians have circulated statements that Dr. Pomeroy was not enforcing quarantine.

Now that the city health officer has been given full authority to enforce quarantine provisions, these same physicians, if there are any, are in turn put up against it to comply with the law by reporting all diseases. While the source of the rumors in question has not been determined, Dr. Pomeroy has denied that he has ever failed to enforce quarantine where reported.

In many cases, however, the physician's report is delayed many hours. In other instances, the deputy to the city health officer has often had a number of cases in widely separated sections of the city, rendering a delay in quarantine necessary. The city health officer points out that these delays do not point to lack of enforcement.

While many physicians agree with Dr. Pomeroy that the present strict measures may work a temporary hardship upon those affected, yet the city officials feel that the source of wide-spread rumors of careless enforcement of influenza measure in Salem, will be run to the ground. With only two deaths attributed to influenza, Salem is regarded to have been fortunate in the flu season this year, as compared to other cities in the state.

On the other hand, authorities urge complete isolation and thorough care of actual case of the disease in order to prevent a widespread epidemic.

## Third Hospital In Prospect For Salem Is Report

The Sisters of St. Vincent, in a letter received here Saturday by Frederick Lamport, have offered to erect a \$200,000 hospital in Salem in the event the city will donate half of the money needed for the purchase of the site and construction of the building.

The letter said their hospital at Roseburg recently was destroyed by fire, and that they would not rebuild there in case the people of Salem thought their proposal worth consideration. The new hospital, if erected, would be of fireproof construction, and would have a capacity of more than 200 patients. Two other hospitals are under construction here at the present time, and there is some speculation as to whether the offer will be accepted. However, a meeting will be called some time next week, according to reports, when some definite action may be taken.

AVIATOR KILLED

Engle Pass, Texas, Feb. 23.—Second Lieutenant Horace M. H. Corey was killed here today when his airplane fell 1200 feet after suddenly bursting into flames. Corey was 28 years old. His home was in Chicago.

JOURNAL WANT ADS PAY BEST

Good Board  
It isn't a hard thing to find. It means merely a pleasant, little arm chair trip through the Want Ad columns of this paper. The best boarding and rooming houses of this city advertise in our Want Ad columns regularly. If you want a good boarding house, pleasant home surroundings, read these Want Ads right now then act. Read and Use the Want Ads in

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Tractor School  
The Cleveland Tractor Co. will hold a tractor school at 121 S. Commercial St. during the week of Feb. 23 to 25, for owners and those interested in the Cletrac tractor. Experts will be in attendance as instructors. W. H. Patterson Co. 45\*

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