

All Around Town

CURRENT EVENTS

May 27—Baby clinic, Commercial club, 2 p. m.

May 28—Appollo Club concert, Grand theater.

May 28—Senior class play of Salem High School, S. H. S. auditorium, 8:15 p. m.

May 29—Address by Wm. H. Taft, at the armory.

May 31—Portland Drama presentation, opera house, 8 p. m.

June 1—Memorial day parade, American Legion meeting, armory, 8 p. m.

Court House News

Circuit Court.

Ella Follis vs. Oscar Follis. Affirmance of publication of summons.

Jack Barnes vs. Katie Barnes. Transcript of testimony.

Edward Siltner, Maurice Lortier and George Rucker vs. Allegred, dependent children. Civil subpoena.

Elizabeth Long vs. J. M. Long. Transcript of testimony.

Rilla Josephine Brown vs. O. W. Brown. Summons.

Mildred Lucille Thayer vs. Charles Fairfax Taylor. Complaint.

Probate Court.

Timothy M. Hicks, estate. Order fixing time for final hearing.

Joseph Fery and Mary Fery, estate; the said Joseph Fery being deceased and Mary Fery being living. Order fixing time for final hearing.

Joseph Fery and Mary Fery, estate. Account and final report.

Timothy M. Hicks, estate. Final report.

Daily Statistics

Died

ROCHE—Edward Roche, 48, in this city Saturday morning. The funeral will be held from St. Joseph's Catholic church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Burial in the Catholic cemetery.

KREPLA—Alois Krepla, 23, at a local hospital Monday. Body at Rigdon & Son's. Funeral arrangements incomplete.

Born

LICHTY—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lichty of Macley, May 23, a son. He will be called Howard Buford.

This weeks Drapery Special, broken lines, Art Cretonne, values to \$8, all at 50c yard. Hamilton's. 124*

R. K. Kreh of Akron, Ohio, acknowledged as one of the ablest orators of the county, will be in Salem Tuesday and address the public in the interests of better farming, at the armory, Wednesday noon. He will speak at the Rotary club luncheon at the Hotel Marion.

Wanted to lease for 1 year or more 6 or 7 room furnished house. B-82 Journal. 124*

Baby chicks, 558 State. Phone 400. 124

The Nancy Hank Lincoln club of the Lincoln school met Monday afternoon at 2:45 for the election of officers. Mr. Davidson, music supervisor of the intermediate grades gave a demonstration, and Miss Cornelia Marvin, state librarian, spoke on her trip to the Orient.

Love, jeweler, watchmaker, Salem. 124

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Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, of the current week will witness the convention in Salem of the Oregon branch of the Women's Home and Foreign missionary societies of the United Evangelical church. It will be the 17th annual convention of the societies. The principal speaker during the convention will be Reverend C. Nevada Dubs, pioneer missionary of the church. He has spent more than twenty years in active missionary work in China and his lectures promise to be exceedingly interesting. All persons interested in mission work are extended an invitation to attend the meetings.

Cherrian drill tonight 7 p. m., city hall. 124

Several modern improvements have been made in the establishment of the D. H. Mosher tailors on Court street, during the past week. The atelier has been replastered and several new fixtures have been purchased. The tailoring rooms upstairs have also been remodelled, and the shop is now one of the most up-to-date in the city.

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Annual S. H. S. senior play, "The Secretory," by Percy Mackaye, high school auditorium, Friday May 28, 8:15 p. m. 125*

The May baby clinic, under the auspices of the Marion county children's bureau will be held Thursday May 27, at 7:30 p. m. in the Commercial club rooms. There are still a few vacancies and women desiring to enter their children are requested to notify Mrs. F. Von Eschen, 1773 Court street, or telephone her at 9033.

Ye Olde Time Concert by Chas. W. Hawley, Jr., at the Oregon theater Wed. and Thurs. evenings. 125*

High reguimen mass was held Monday morning at the Catholic church in the funeral for Patrick Fenmel, former Salem resident, who died at Portland Saturday night. The body arrived

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NOW

Truck Loads and Speed Should be Restricted--Nunn

The people of the state of Oregon can never hope to have good, substantial hard surface highways for the use of pleasure cars and other traffic so long as huge trucks are permitted to haul heavy loads at excessive speeds over them. This statement was made by Herbert Nunn, state highway engineer, speaking before the regular weekly luncheon in the Commercial club Monday noon.

Highway engineers, realizing these facts, have prepared to take the matter up and deal with it at length at the next session of legislature. Mr. Nunn said. Until something is done to prevent large trucks hauling heavy loads on the highways it will be impossible to "make permanent highways unless you want to spend \$4500 to \$50,000 a mile for highways as is being done in Pennsylvania. And the people of this state can never stand that rate of cost."

Highway Work Limited

Mr. Nunn said that the highway between Canby and Aurora, a distance of about four miles, will not be paved this summer. Much interest is centered on this stretch of the highway because it is the main drive between Salem and Portland. Work is progressing well on the Pacific highway between Salem and Brooks, and will be finished on schedule time, which is August. Mr. Nunn told the business men.

The Dallas-Salem road will also be completed this season. Its cost will be \$350,000 Mr. Nunn said.

A total of \$24,000 will have been spent by the state highway commission in Marion county for roadwork by the end of the present season, the state engineer said.

Moeth Work Being Done

In the state there are 1866 lineal miles of road being improved. This is divided as follows: pavement 420 miles, macadam 448 and grade 998. Money being expended on this work totals more than \$25,300,000. Mr. Nunn declared.

In this state there is \$1,400,000 of federal funds available for road work, and \$2,000,000 in state available each year by gasoline and auto taxes in Oregon.

Impetus to the road work in the state has been lent by the government giving great quantities of T. N. T., 250 trucks, 30 autos, 38 tractors and much other material invaluable in highway making. Mr. Nunn said.

Many bridges are being made in the state this season, Mr. Nunn said; and their structure is permanently insured because of the fact that only concrete is being used.

No more than five percent of the highways in the state can be paved, the engineer said. Fund restrictions make this imperative, the state being unable to pay for more highway improvement of the variety that is now being made.

Homeless Given Tents To Live In

Newark, N. J., May 24.—One hundred and ten families, evicted by landlords are comfortably housed in Vailsburgh Park today under tents loaned to the city of Newark by the war department. It is a real Tentville whose denizens, although temporarily homeless are as happy as could be expected in a community forced to live outdoors. It is expected that before the end of summer, 200 more families will have joined the little colony.

The city appropriated \$25,000 for the operation of the camp and Governor Edwards donated a big tent which, in the center, serves as a community kitchen. Army food from the municipal sales stations helps further to keep down the cost of living. The new settlement is provided with many conveniences including a sewerage system, running water, a laundry tent equipped with tubs and stoves for ironing, shower baths and toilets.

The total cost of installing the improvements was less than \$100, the largest single item being \$120 for heavy insulated wire for electric lights. Soldiers and a number of city employees are helped to put up the tents which are 16x16 feet and lay the board flooring. The tents are boarded up three feet from the ground. Most of the inhabitants of Tentville have stored their furniture in the prospect of better days and are sleeping on cots furnished by a local hospital. The "town" is laid out in eight streets with one main avenue bisecting them.

Smokeless Summer Due In Valley This Year, Is Belief

If plans of the state forestry department carry it will be a "smokeless summer" in the Willamette valley, F. A. Elliott, state forester, said in addressing the business men's luncheon at the Commercial club Monday noon. Mr. Elliott was talking of the forest fire preventing week May 23-29, and told of the efforts that are being made in all parts of the state to allay forest fires and to prevent them.

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in various parts of the state now. It is thought that the fires of this kind that cause so much smoke will have been through by the time tourists visit the valley and shall want the best views, Mr. Elliott asserted.

He said that 85 per cent of the forest fires that have occurred in the state have been preventable, and that more timber has been destroyed by fire than has been utilized in manufacturing purposes.

Montana School System Rated Best of States

New York, May 24.—The state of Montana has the best all-round public school system in the United States, according to the results of a comparative study of state school systems made public today by the Russell Sage Foundation. The report assigns second place to the schools of California, third place to those of Arizona, fourth to New Jersey and fifth to the state of Washington.

These finds are contained in a report by the department of education of the foundation. The volume is entitled "An Index Number for State School Systems" and the author is Dr. Leonard P. Ayres, director of the foundation's department of education.

Other findings of the report are that the school system of the United States as a whole has doubled in efficiency during the last 30 years, having an index number of rating of 38 in 1879 and one of 52 at the present time. Since these index numbers are figured on the basis of 100, the school system of the country has now an effectiveness or efficiency of only 52 per cent, according to the report.

The figures for the individual states as given by the Foundation show that during the past 30 years the west has been coming up educationally while the east has been going down. During this time the greatest increase among all the states has been made by Utah while the state which is attributed the greatest falling off in relative standing is Maryland. In the east the only state that has gained instead of losing is New Jersey. In the west the state that has the best and most

consistently high record is California. Among the interesting results of the study is the conclusion that the school system of the United States' territorial possessions, such as Hawaii, the canal zone, and Porto Rico, have higher ratings than those of many of the 48 states. That of Hawaii is reported better than that of the majority of the American states. Ten southern states have records poorer than that of Porto Rico.

Count Rushed An G.O.P. Delegates

County clerks throughout Oregon will be urged to "speed up" the official canvass of the votes on candidates for delegates to the Republican national convention, according to Sam A. Koser, deputy secretary of state, who will send out letters to that effect tomorrow.

Ordinarily 30 days are allowed in which to complete the official canvass of the vote. The Chicago convention will have convened and adjourned before that time, however, hence it is imperative that the canvass be expedited as much as possible in order that the successful candidates may know their status, so that they can complete arrangements for attending the big pow-wow.

Governor Signs New York Boxing Measure Today

Albany, N. Y., May 24.—Professional boxing was restored to legal status in New York state today when Governor Smith signed the Walker bill to regulate the sport and to provide for the appointment of a state athletic commission.

Receivership Is Denied By Court

New York, May 24.—The application of 1400 holders of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad for the appointment of a limited receiver to prosecute the corporation's right of action against the board of

directors, formerly headed by William Rockefeller, for the restitution of approximately \$150,000,000 alleged to have been wasted by the board in improper purposes, was denied late today, by Federal Judge Julius W. Mack.

Governor Olcott Leaves Eugene

Eugene, Or., May 24.—Lieutenant R. M. Kelly and Governor Ben W. Olcott of Oregon left here at 5:25 o'clock this morning for Stockton, Cal., resuming their flight from Blaine, Wash., interrupted yesterday by heavy head winds. Lieutenant Kelly said he expected to reach Stockton with only one stop between here and the California city.

The governor and his pilot expected to reach Stockton yesterday for the opening of the Pacific Coast Ad Men's convention.

The men of the Kelo, Wash., Presbyterian church are planning to prepare and serve dinner in the church parlors next Friday.

When Mrs. Ida M. Caswell and Mrs. H. A. Sanna of Salem returned home after visiting with out-of-town friends they found that their homes had been ransacked by burglars during their absence. In each case a small amount of jewelry was taken.

Commencement exercises of the Stanfield high school have ended with the graduation of five students.

The only warred mill west of the Ohio river is in Oregon.

The Washington state school for the deaf and for the blind at Vancouver will close June 9.

Owing to the increase of business the Baker postoffice will be made an office of the first class July 1.

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| <p>Ladies' Brown Shoes</p> <p>Brown calf vamp, cloth top shoes, lace, Cuban or Louis heels, latest toe, reg. \$10</p> <p>\$5.95</p> | <p>Men's \$14 and \$15 Shoes</p> <p>High grade black or brown English or staple last, blucher or bal lace, all sizes</p> <p>\$9.95</p> | <p>White Kid Oxfords</p> <p>Regular \$12 white kid oxfords, long pencil toe, Louis heels, very swell</p> <p>\$8.95</p> |
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