

Circulation
Average for 1920, 5250
Population of Salem 1900, 4238;
1910, 14,094; 1920, 17,679
Marion County 1920, 47,177;
Polk county, 14,181
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The Weather
OREGON: Tonight and Tuesday fair, moderate westerly winds
LOCAL: No rainfall; northerly winds; clear; maximum 68, minimum 40, set 59; river 4 feet and falling.

Forty-third Year—No. 129 Salem, Oregon, Monday, May 30, 1921 Price Three Cents ON TRAINS AND NEWS STANDS FIVE CENTS

TOMMY MILTON WINS INDIANAPOLIS RACE Smashes All Past Records

Heroes Honored By Vets

Decorations Day Is Given Over to Befitting Ceremonies Honoring Dead
In commemoration of heroes of two great wars, patriotic organizations throughout the city held befitting ceremonies planned to keep alive in the hearts of the coming generations the appreciation now felt for those who made the supreme sacrifice.
Promptly at 9:30 the American Legion ceremonies on the court house lawn and the laying of the bronze plates in memory of the soldier, sailor and marine heroes who fell amid the havoc of the world war took place with over a thousand citizens present.

Institution was pronounced by Mrs. Elaine Kirkpatrick, followed by a military selection entitled "Officer of Day" by a band of eighteen pieces. The selection was followed by an appropriate quartet rendition of a patriotic hymn. The address of the day was offered by Dr. Carlton Smith, who paying tribute to the veterans of the Civil war and those who served in the Spanish American war, directed attention to those veterans of the late war who had made the supreme sacrifice, and in memory of whom tablets had been placed on the court house lawn. Attention was called to unpreparedness and pacifism in the face of the Armenian disturbances, bolshevism in Russia, war in Upper Silesia, Irish revolutions, and Japanese preparations for war. And the audience was admonished to recall King's poem, "Least we forget, least we forget."
Following the address the band played the well known military march, "The American Patrol," and another song was sung by the quartette composed of Mrs. Ethel Law, Mrs. W. Carlton Smith, F. G. Deckerbach and William McGilchrist. Then with great solemnity the entire crowd, save one man, bared his head while the band played the Star Spangled Banner.

In fifteen automobiles, provided by the American Legion, over 100 veterans of the Civil war were taken to the City View cemetery where 290 graves of Grand Army men were decorated.
The impressive ritual service in commemoration of the unknown dead of both wars was staged at the mound by Salem members of the Grand Army post with the aid of the Woman's Relief Corps, Ladies of the Grand Army and Daughters of Veterans. During this service Mrs. Hal Hinges sang "Nearer my God to Thee."
Returning to McCornack hall a banquet was served to officials of the American Legion, Veterans of the Spanish and Civil wars and their families, and at which there were over 300 present.
In the afternoon the "water service" in memory of the naval heroes was held at the county bridge where two boats were launched and a large crowd in attendance.
Led by state officials and including members of all the different patriotic orders of the city, the veterans with the different auxiliaries to their organizations paraded in parade through the streets, decorated with flags and bunting.

The Baker White Pine Lumber company has increased the number of men on the payroll by one third, making the total number of employees of the company 300.

Communism Fails Lenine Says; Asks Capitalism Back

Riga, May 30.—According to a direct Moscow dispatch received today from independent sources, Nikolai Lenine, Soviet Russian premier, declared yesterday that communism was in complete bankruptcy and asked the presiding officers of all-Russian central executive committee to approve the unlimited return of capitalism and the recall to Russia of the Constitutional Democrats and other parties to aid in rebuilding the state.

Memorial Day Message

By F. W. Galbraith Jr.
National Commander the American Legion.
"To day a mighty nation bows its head in memory of the men who have died that the nation might live—men of Bunker Hill of Gettysburg of Santiago and of the Argonne.
"The American Legion joins the nation in its reverence for the dead; but the Legion also claims a deeper kinship for those who gloriously fell in the World War. For these men were our comrades-in-arms, linked to us by the strongest of ties.
"We shall visit every grave today, at home and abroad, and shall speak words of comfort to the dear ones who mourn. But we shall not only give, we shall receive. For, as we stand at their graves to-day our comrades will speak to us. They will remind us of the dangers that beset our beloved land, of the enemies, within and without; of the long fight that must be waged. The voice of our comrades comes to us, like a call to arms. 'Right on, right on,' it urges us."

Selection of Referee Big Task, Report

Atlantic City, N. J., May 30.—Selection of a referee to decide the contest between Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier at Jersey City, July 2, will probably be made at a meeting of the New Jersey boxing commission Wednesday, according to information at Dempsey's camp today.
Members of the New Jersey state boxing commission said the third man in the ring had practically been selected, but official announcement would be withheld for a few days. Judging from advance indications, the choice will be between Harry J. Ertle of Jersey City and "Slim" Brennan of Newark, with the indications favoring the final selection of Ertle.

Today's Games

National League	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1	7	2
New York	5	6	1
Hubbell, Betts and Wheat; Toney and Smith.			
Chicago	0	5	0
Pittsburgh	13	22	1
York, Cheever and O'Farrell; Zinn and Schmidt, Skiff.			
Brooklyn	3	10	4
Boston	9	14	2
Mammoux, Bailey, Mohart, Miljus and Krueger; Scott and Gib-			

Daily Bible School During Vacation Is Plan Of Churches

One of the most far reaching community enterprises ever launched by the churches of Salem is that of the Daily Vacation Bible school, yesterday (Sunday) afternoon the pastors and representatives from several of the local churches and Sunday school met at the First Methodist church and considered the whole matter of establishing the Daily Vacation Bible school as a permanent community enterprise. A committee previously appointed made a favorable report and it was enthusiastically received by those present.
Alpheus Gillette, chairman of the committee, showed that it was no longer an experiment but a success everywhere it has been tried and that it has become a great national movement. Last year the following places in Oregon had such schools and intended to continue them year by year: Roseburg, Eugene, Albany, Astoria, Corvallis, Oregon City, Portland and also several places in Eastern Oregon. "The Baptist church of Salem conducted such a school last summer and intended to do so again and intends to co-operate in this community enterprise.
It is the hope of the council that was elected yesterday that the Sunday schools of the various churches in this city will enter into and help foster the movement. Those elected were: President, Dr. Frank Brown, Vice president, Rev. R. E. Kirkpatrick, Secretary, Harold Garrett; Treasurer, Harold Eakin; Director, Alpheus J. Gillette. Committee: publicity chairman, R. L. Putnam; finance Harold Eakin, Mrs. W. W. Emmons, C. F. Hageman.
The following schools will in all probability cooperate in the enterprise of this summer's school which will be in session for three weeks immediately after the public school closes: First M. E. Jason Lee M. E., Baptist, Central Congregational, First Congregational, Nazarene, Court St. Christian, Highland Friends and one or two other small churches. The matter is to be presented to each school for definite action.
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Cannery Will Open Tomorrow

Cooperative Canning and Packing Co. Will Receive Production of Its Members Only

Ready to handle all the produce of its members the Co-operative Canning and Packing company will open its doors tomorrow to commence packing local strawberries, according to an announcement made by Fred A. Kurtz, general manager, this morning.
The company is entirely owned and operated by the growers and will only handle the product of its members. It was incorporated in last March with L. T. Reynolds, president; Will Rickman, vice president and Frank Gibson, secretary, while Fred A. Kurtz, formerly sole owner of the plant was made general manager.
A very little of the concern, \$125,000 stock remains unsold, and outside of the larger canneries is the only one in a position to present to operate.
Mr. Kurtz stated this morning that he anticipated no drawback in handling the production this season and that the market for it was practically certain.
Within the next 10 days the crest of strawberry production will be reached and the cannery will be operating to its full capacity.
Regarding the general market price of loganberries to be received by the farmer, Mr. Kurtz stated that it would be around five cents a pound.
This price he said, would be necessary because of the general financial condition of the packers who need to make a long profit on this season's pack because of the losses experience last year by the high prices paid to the farmers.
Mr. Kurtz stated that it was the opinion of a great many of the growers to whom he had talked and who were not members of his organization that a good profit could be made per acre on the price of 5 cents a pound, paying two cents a pound for picking and the cent and a half for training and cultivating. This price will enable the packers to handle the berries at a profit which will cover their losses and also put the price within reach of eastern people, thus assuring a ready market.
The Cooperative Canning and Packing company includes in its membership 160 growers of Polk and Marion county and under the present arrangement finance their own business and get their profit out of the ultimate market.

War Veterans Organize To Boost Bonus

Memorial day has crystallized the sentiment of the veterans of all our wars on the matter of the soldiers' loan measure which will be voted on at the special election of June 7.
The measure has not thoroughly been understood heretofore, but the members of the G. A. R. and Spanish American war veterans, Indian war veterans and world war veterans have used Memorial day to thresh the matter out among themselves and it is now believed by every veteran, that the passage of the soldiers' loan constitutional amendment will do more to develop Oregon than any other measure which has ever been before the people of this state.
As one old G. A. R. veteran aptly put it, "It will start \$3,000,000 in circulation in and around Salem, in our allied industries, which is just the difference in amount, between reconstruction period business and a brisk business boom for this community."
To create this new wealth the state simply loans its credit and the benefitted ex-service man does all the rest, including paying the bill. The result is that the housing problem will be solved. Our carpenters, brick masons, shingleers, concrete workers, and every other artisan whose work includes domestic construction, will be up to his ears in work. Better business for his pockets to spend, means better conditions for our merchants, our real estate and our professional men. All will benefit from this great measure, and the net result will be hundreds of thousands of dollars in new property on our assessment rolls, hundreds of new homes and developed farms in Oregon and a higher and better standard of citizenry developed throughout this commonwealth.
Corvallis is to have a new hospital. A company has just been incorporated with \$25,000 capital

Four Charged With Violating Traffic Laws

Salem police made war on visiting motorists over the week end and two Portlanders and a Gervais resident fell into the traffic officers' nets. Only one Salem man was arrested.
Robert J. Kosland and K. C. Reiner were the two Rose city travelers captured by officer Hayden and charged with speeding. Each put up \$10 for his appearance before Police Judge Earl Race Tuesday.
Samuel Riggi, of Gervais, was arrested by Officer White last night. He is charged with cutting a corner on Court street and with operating his car without a full light. He also was required to put up \$10 bail.
Joseph J. Sproed, 2590 Cherry avenue, was arrested by Officer Hayden and charged with speeding. He is cited to appear in police court Tuesday.

National Cemetery at Arlington Today Shrine of Pilgrims Strewing Flowers On The Graves of Our Dead Heroes

Taps

By George R. Holmes
Washington, May 30.—The nation halted today while mourning millions joined in paying tribute to the memory of those who have fallen in its defense.
Here in Washington, where lie the graves of so many thousands who have given up their lives down through the stretch of years from Lexington to the Argonne the example was set for the country. All the ponderous machinery of congress and government stopped and, led by the president himself, the capitol took the lead in honoring those to whom the nation owes its all.
The great national cemetery at Arlington, brilliant in its young summer foliage and holding more than 30,000 soldier graves, was the shrine of many pilgrimages today. Some of the graves are old, the stones that mark them covered with the moss of years. They hold all that is left of many who fought at Gettysburg, at the Wilderness, at Antietam, Chancellorsville, Cold Harbor, Fredericksburg, Manassas, Shiloh and Stone River.
Some of the graves are new. A fast increasing number of them are new, their outlines yet marked by the yellow clay upturning when they were made. No stones yet mark them. They contain all that is left of many who fought at the Marne, at St. Mihiel, at the bloody crossings of the Meuse and Moselle and in the Bleak Argonne.
Flowers there were in abundance today to mark the graves of the unknown as well as the known dead who rest there. From early morning, automobiles laden with fresh cut blooms from the celebrated conservatories of Washington crossed the historic Potomac to the beautiful old cemetery that overlooks the river.
President Harding took the lead in Washington's observance of the day. In the morning he reviewed from the portico of the white house a parade of veterans of all the wars since '61. Later in the day he delivered an address to thousands at the new amphitheatre on the outskirts of Arlington.
The parade of veterans was impressive. It was led by Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles, retired, veteran of not only the Civil war, but of the Indian wars and campaigns that preceded it and followed it. The 82 year old veteran was the general marshal, and he still is a commanding figure despite the weight of years.
The procession formed on what is known as the white lot back of the executive mansion. In the line were United States marine corps band, an escort of regular cavalrymen and infantry from Fort Myer and nearby posts, the members of the department of the Potomac, G. A. R.; the Sons of Veterans, Spanish War Veterans, members of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the World War Veterans.
From the white lot the parade proceeded north to Pennsylvania avenue to the west gates of the white house, where it entered the grounds, past the north portico, where stood the president, Mrs. Harding and a small party, and thence to Thirteenth and C streets where cars and automobiles carried the marchers to Arlington.



Nation's Chief Duty Lies In Self-Preservation Harding Says In Eulogizing War Dead

Washington, May 30.—A nation loyal first of all to itself, but never failing to measure up to the days of an advancing civilization, was pictured by President Harding as an American ideal today in a Memorial Day address at Arlington national cemetery.
American heroes of every war, the president said, had accomplished far more than the immediate ends for which they fought because they had helped erect and preserve a shrine for the liberty-loving of very race.
He declared the whole mission of America would become an unrealized dream if this heritage ever was sacrificed.
"Our country," said Mr. Harding, "has never failed to measure up to the demands presented to it in behalf of humanity, and it never will. When it ceases to meet these demands, it will no longer be our country; it will be, if that time ever comes, the wretched and decaying memorial of another civilization that has crumbled, of another ideal which has failed, of another ambition for men's happiness which has somehow gone awry."
In equally emphatic language the president asserted his conviction that his duty to civilization could be accomplished only if the nation took care first of its own integrity.
The text of the president's address in part follows:
"Devotions General
"We are met on sacred soil today, for a solemn hour of sacrifice and consecration. But the soil whence we come is itself sanctified through the sacrifices of those who lie here. Wherever our flag flies, within the boundaries of the republic, it is over lands whose freedom and security have been wrought through these sacrifices.
"It is the privilege of this company to utter our tribute of love and gratitude in the sanctity of beauty within sight of the national capital.
"But others, no less devoted, will assemble all over our land and other lands, under foreign skies and among alien peoples, to pay like tribute of love and memory. There is no discordant note in the hymn of gratitude, no sectionalism in our memorial. Above the murmuring of grief is the swelling concord of union, and the dominant note is our faith in the republic.
"National Ideals High
"It will be a tribute today spoken in many tongues, and by diverse races. Wherever men are free they are wont to give thought to our country's services in freedom's cause. Where men may but aspire to a freedom not yet achieved, their instinct turns the eye and the thought of hope this way, and they pray that their cause may gain our approbation. They know that we have never drawn
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Great Falls, Mont., May 30.—As a result of a battle between seven bootleggers and Under Sheriff Melrose of this county and a federal operative near Manchester eight miles west of the city, Albert Strizich, 28 lies in a local hospital not expected to recover with a bullet wound through the groin, 36 cases of liquor are held by the sheriff, and three men, are under arrest charged with bootlegging and resisting an officer.
The officer had made arrangements to purchase the 36 cases and at 2 o'clock this morning followed two of the men in a car to a farmhouse. Told they were under arrest, the men opened fire on the officers and the later responded.
Three of the men escaped.
Eva Emery Dye to Speak
Mrs. Eva Emery Dye will speak at the chapel service of Williamette university tomorrow at 11:30. Mrs. Dye will discuss different phases of Oregon history and has already written a number of books regarding the early events of this state.

Anti-Bolsheviki Hold Vladivostok

Tokio, May 30.—Anti-Bolsheviki are still in control of Vladivostok, which is quiet, although the general political situation is somewhat obscure, it is said in press and official advices.
The city is gayly beflagged with the old Russian colors.
M. Merkuruff, head of the new government, established in Vladivostok has issued a statement saying the primary task of the new regime is to maintain order.
The formation of the administration will follow the popular will the legislative powers of the old assembly will not be altered, although Communists will be urged to serve. Members of the old government, except those liable to criminal prosecution, will be liberated from prison and the freedom of the press is guaranteed.
There have been reports that General Semenov, Cossack anti-bolshevik leader, would go to Vladivostok from Port Arthur to direct the new movement but it is declared his leadership will not be accepted. General Verbitsky, commander of troops formerly under the leadership of the late General Kappel, has arrived in Vladivostok and is trying to reach an agreement with the Japanese relative to the administration of the city.
Machine Guns Guard Mexican Palace Grounds
Mexico City, May 30.—Machine gun units were placed on guard at the municipal palace, the cathedral and the main plaza of the city of Puebla yesterday. The authorities having learned that radicals intended to break up the national convention of the Knights of Columbus, now in session there.

American Car Leads Field In 500-Mile Classic; Averages 89.62 Miles per Hour

Speedway, Indianapolis, Ind., May 30.—Tommy Milton, driving an American car, won the 500 mile automobile race here today.
Roscoe Saries finished second, three minutes behind Milton. The victory gave Milton \$20,000 for first place and more than \$8000 in lap prizes.
The time was five hours, 34 minutes, 44.75 seconds an average of 89.62 miles an hour. A new track record for cars of net more than 183 cubic inches piston displacement.
Seven drivers sent out of the race through accidents, but no one was injured. Fontaine's car turned over on the north turn, hanging on the edge of the incline and threatening the lives of hundreds of persons below.
Thomas hit a wall on the same turn and was forced out with a broken steering knuckle and Wilcox, 1919 winner, had to quit when a connecting rod broke.
Jimmy Murphy skidded on the north turn and Eddie Pullen took his place.
Joe Boyer, after forcing DePalma to a terrific pace, dropped out at the 74th lap with axle trouble.
Van Ranst went out at the 78th lap with a broken connecting rod.
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