

**Circulation**  
Average for 1920, 6250  
Population of Salem 1900, 4258;  
1910, 14,094; 1920, 17,679  
Marion County 1920, 47,177;  
Polk county, 14,181  
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# Capital Journal

Salem, Oregon, Monday, June 27, 1921

**The Weather**

OREGON: Tonight and Tuesday fair; moderate northwesterly winds.  
LOCAL: Rainfall .02; northerly winds, cloudy; maximum 75, minimum 57; set 61; river 1.1 feet and falling.

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## BANK ROBBER KILLED

### Corvallis Man Is Shot In Running Fight With Posse

**Discovered In Alleged Attempt to Enter Bank At Halsey, Henry and William Schultz and William Wright Flee Before Officers; Body of Former Found Later; Others Arrested**

Albany, Ore., June 27.—Henry Schultz of Corvallis was killed and William Schultz, his brother, and William Wright, also of Corvallis, are in Linn county jail as a result of an alleged attempt to break into the Halsey state bank at Halsey, Oregon, near here, early today.

Three or four men were reported seen at midnight by Delos Clark, a young man of Halsey, attempting to break into the bank. He spread an alarm and town and bank officers gathered. Later when the suspects reappeared they were ordered to stop but fled, officers pursuing and keeping up a running fire.

A machine reported to have been the one the fugitives used was found stalled near Corvallis this morning and officers later arrested William Schultz and William Wright, both young men, and reported finding the body of Henry Schultz hidden under the porch of the Wright home.

### Baseball Conspiracy Cases Opened Today Railroad Order Is Extended

### Pay Cut Is Made General

**New Labor Board Ruling Makes Wage Reduction Applicable to 210 Roads July 1**

Chicago, June 27.—The United States railroad labor board today extended its wage reduction order effective July 1, to practically every large railroad in the country. No change from the average 12 percent reduction granted to 194 carriers on June 1 was made by today's decision. The order affects 210 roads. The new decision will make a total of the estimated four hundred million dollars annual savings expected by the roads.

### On Trial In Famous White Sox Case



Ten ball players on trial in Chicago and Abe Attell, freed on a writ of habeas corpus in New York Saturday.

### 10 of 18 Players Appear

**Two Defendants Absent Because of Illness, But One Ordered to Answer Summons at Once**

Chicago, June 27.—Ten of the 18 defendants in the baseball trial which opened here today put in an appearance. The suspended White Sox players, Felsch, Cicotte, Williams, Jackson, Gaudil, Weaver and Ribberg, were on hand when the case was called. Fred McMullin, the other indicted player, is on the Pacific coast and his attorneys stated that he would appear whenever the court ordered him to. He is not under bond.

With the seven players there also appeared three other defendants, Ben and Louis Levi and David Zeller, Carl Zork and Ben Franklin of St. Louis, both of whom are under bond, were not in court, but their attorneys presented affidavits to the effect that both were ill and asked for a continuance.

Judge Friend ruled that Zork must come to trial at once. He also ordered an investigation of the condition of Franklin.

After attorneys for Zork and Franklin had filed affidavits relative to the illness of their clients, the state filed an affidavit from a St. Louis man stating he had seen Zork walking on a street last Thursday night.

### Two Men In Liquor Cases Are Given Jail Sentences; Negro's Case Before Jury

L. A. Williams, Salem pool hall proprietor, convicted of unlawfully selling intoxicating liquor, was fined \$100 and sentenced to serve two months in the county jail, and Frank Grimes, who pleaded guilty to a charge of having liquor in his possession, was sentenced to 30 days in jail by Judge Percy Kelly in the circuit court this morning. The case against Jesse Padden, colored, charged with unlawfully selling liquor, which is on before Judge Kelly today, gives evidence of reaching the jury before evening.

Grimes, who was indicted on two counts by the grand jury, originally pleaded not guilty, but changed his plea to guilty when the second charge, that of selling intoxicating liquor, was dismissed.

**Negro Is Fined.**  
The bulky form of Jesse Padden, the colored defendant, filled the witness chair for a considerable period during the late part of this morning and the early part of this afternoon. Overlaid, wide-eyed and voluble, the witness reiterated previously-made statements, relative to his innocence, at the slightest provocation, and declared himself to be the victim of "Red" Pendergast and A. B. Gates, Anti-Saloon league operatives.

"Ever been in trouble?" District Attorney John Carson queried the colored man.

**Padden Tells Story.**  
"No sub. Nevah been in no trouble before in mah life. This

### Salem Carrier Elected Head of Association

Lyman McDonald, carrier of the Salem postoffice, was unanimously elected president of the State Association of Rural Letter Carriers held at Eugene Saturday in conjunction with the state convention of the Postal Clerks and City Letter Carriers. Salem was chosen as the meeting place for the convention next year, to be held here on Labor day.

Other officers elected were William Eberhardt, McMinnville, first vice-president; M. W. Brown, Corvallis, second vice-president; W. H. Boyd, Beaverton, secretary; treasurer; A. O. Sturm, Lebanon, national delegate; J. H. Maxwell, Eugene, alternate; B. T. Kumble, Brownsville, and A. O. Sturm, Lebanon, executive committee delegates from Salem were C. B. Bracher and Lyman McDonald.

### Car Strikes Horse Which Is Crippled And Later Killed

A horse driven by a Mr. and Mrs. Hogan was crippled so badly that it was necessarily shot when it was struck yesterday by an automobile driven by G. E. Schunemann, 266 North 14th street, according to Mr. Schunemann.

The accident, which occurred near Woodburn on the Pacific highway, happened when Mr. and Mrs. Hogan, who were riding in a light buggy, essayed to turn from the highway into a private road. The buggy and the automobile were both moving in the same direction. Nobody was injured.

London, June 27.—A provisional agreement was reached this evening by the striking coal miners and the mine owners by which the coal strike, which has been in progress some three months, will terminate. The men will resume work next week.

### Comet Likely To Side-Swipe Earth Tonight

Berkeley, Calif., June 27.—The periodic comet, Pons-Winnecke, with which the earth has been engaging in a neck and neck race for a week or more, is due to "side-swipe" its rival and give off a shower of sparks tonight, according to Professor A. O. Leuschner, head of the observatory at the University of California. If the demonstration occurs it will be generally visible on the globe where there is no daylight, he said.

There is a possibility, however, that on account of the distance of the earth from the comet the phenomenon will not occur at all, and the further possibility that if it does occur it will not be until tomorrow or Wednesday night, he said.

There is no indication of the exact time the cometary matter will come in contact with the earth's atmosphere if such contact actually occurs.

### Son-In-Law Jailed For Taking Car

"Just call my father-in-law," Ben H. Connelly, former janitor of the Derby building, requested police yesterday when he was jailed for stealing an automobile.

"I hope they give you the limit," Father-in-Law John W. Foster told Son-in-Law Connelly a few minutes later. After Foster had left, a bystander asked the desk sergeant, "How come?"

"It was Foster's car," the desk sergeant explained.

Connelly was arrested on the Pacific highway by the Woodburn chief of police after the theft had been reported by Mrs. Ethel Connelly, 1335 Madison street, wife of the jailed man. The complaint, on which Connelly will be arraigned today, was signed by his father-in-law.

### Howard Asks Injunction To Halt Bout

Atlantic City, N. J., June 27.—Clinton N. Howard, secretary of the International Reform bureau, left here today for Camden, where he said he would appear before Vice-Chancellor Learning to seek an injunction to prevent the Dempsey-Carpentier fight at Jersey City, July 2. If he fails to obtain such a writ in the chancery court, Howard said he would appeal to the supreme court at Trenton.

Jersey City, N. J., June 27.—Governor Edwards today declared that any attempt to stop the Carpentier-Dempsey fight would be a waste of time.

"Of course, I don't know what Mr. Howard may have up his sleeve," said the governor. "This exhibition, I can say, will be conducted strictly according to law. I am sure of that."

### McCarl Is Choice for Budget Job

Washington, June 27.—J. Raymond McCarl, of McCook, Neb., secretary of the republican congressional convention, was nominated today by President Harding to be comptroller of the United States, a position created by the budget law.

Joseph T. Booth was nominated to be register of the land office at Evanston, Wyoming. Donald McAllister was named receiver of public moneys at the same place.

Mr. McCarl is about 40 years old and has been secretary of the congressional committee for about three years. He was secretary to Senator Norris, republican, Nebraska, for a number of years.

An comptroller general, Mr. McCarl will have charge of government finances, expenditures of appropriations, auditing of all expenditures, settlement and adjustment of claims of and against the government and management of all fiscal affairs with the exception only of postal accounts.

Many government activities will be co-ordinate under the comptroller.

He will inherit the duties, personnel staff, documents and offices of the comptroller of the treasury, whose position and those of six auditors for various government departments are abolished by the new act.

The comptroller's term of office is 15 years and he is made ineligible for re-appointment. His salary will be \$10,000 a year and he will be subject to removal for improper conduct by joint resolution of congress, requiring the president's approval.

### Peace Resolution Ready

Washington, June 27.—Terms of a compromise agreement on the Knox-Porter resolutions to end the state of war with Germany and Austria have been settled, republican leaders said today and formal acceptance is expected at a meeting of the conferees tomorrow after the return of Senator Knox, republican, Penn., author of the senate peace resolution.

### Small Fox Boy Passes Away

Lionel Allen Fox, 5 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Fox, of this city, passed away yesterday afternoon at his home at 1253 Market street. Besides his parents the boy is survived by a sister, Doris, and Earl and Glenn, brothers. Mr. Fox has lived in Salem about eight years with his family.

The funeral services will be held Tuesday, at two o'clock from the Free Methodist church. Interment will take place in the City View cemetery.

The Statue of Liberty has in its left hand a tablet upon which is inscribed "July 4, 1776."

### Marketing of Big Berry Crop Hinges On Drive Success

Price of Logans Cut Half Cent by One Cannery This Morning; While Another Withdraws From Market; Forty Percent of Crop Yet To Be Handled

Marketing of that portion of the huge loganberry crop tributary to Salem which has not already been sold at a price insuring a fair profit to the grower depends principally upon the success of the movement to finance the reorganized Northwest Fruit Products company (successors to the Phez company) it became evident today.

**Hunts Quit Buying**  
With all of the berries purchased that it will be able to handle, the Hunt Bros. company, which has been paying 3 cents a pound, withdrew from the market this morning and the Oregon Packing company announced that its price, established last week at 3 cents, had been cut to 2½ cents.

With the Phez company out of the market—and it will be unless \$25,000 is raised locally to aid in financing this year's operations—markets are available for only slightly more than 50 percent of the loganberry crop it is estimated. Hunt Bros. and the Oregon Packing company are the only concerns which have been buying to any extent on the open market, and their consumption will be added to by the cooperative handling plans of the Kurts and Salem Kings plants, and the Drager Fruit company, which plans to handle about 500 tons of berries.

**Berries Fine Quality**  
About 40 per cent of the crop will still be waiting a market when these firms have filled their needs, fruit men estimate.

First commercial deliveries of berries were made this morning in small lots, but heavy picking will not start until late in the week. The berries are of excellent quality.

Cherries began their heavy run this morning and Wednesday will see the canneries handling this fruit running at capacity.

### Transportation Discussed At Noon Luncheon

That there has been little justice exercised in the increase in freight rates, was the statement of C. I. Lewis, assistant general manager of the Oregon Growers association, when speaking this noon before the members of the Commercial club.

"We are living in an agricultural community, a community which depends on the success of our agricultural industry, and 3000 miles away from our markets. The freight question enters in in this way:

"Suppose you have some land which produces 2000 boxes of apples to the acre. Your freight rate is 97 cents a box, amounting to six per cent on \$5000, enough to pay the interest on your land.

"Take prunes. There are 10,000 acres of prunes in this vicinity. The freight is \$1.50 a hundred pounds, not including switching charges. Prunes are worth this year two cents a pound. What are you going to do when your freight rate is equal to your price received?"

Mr. Lewis cited the instance of California oranges and lemons, stating that the freight prices on lemons from that state to New York was equal to the selling price of Italian lemons on the same market.

Frank Deckbach, previous to the speech of Mr. Lewis talked on the necessity of doing something for the railroads.

J. R. Boyd, who settled in Lane county in 1852, died a few days ago at the age of 83.

### Bill To Increase Farm Loan Fund In Hands of Harding

Washington, June 27.—Legislative action on the Curtis-Nelson bill to add about twenty-five million dollars to the capital of federal farm loan banks for long term loans to farmers was completed today with acceptance by the senate of the house reduction from fifty million to twenty-five million dollars. The bill goes to the president.