

SALEM LAUNDRY TO STAGE GRAND OPENING MAY 12

A grand opening of the new plant of the Salem Laundry company will be staged May 12, 13 and 14, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. The plant, located at 263 South High street, has recently been completed at a total cost of \$100,000, nearly all equipment being new. The Salem Laundry company formerly was located on South Liberty, just off State street. Operation of the present plant was begun May 2.

E. L. Wiedler, manager of the establishment, has announced that the general public is invited to the opening next week. The opening will be staged in the evenings, hours being set from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock. The plant will be kept running all the time visitors are present in order to demonstrate how every piece of machinery operates, and how each individual washing is handled.

"Except for the high temperature of water used in our washing, the water we use is such that anyone would be perfectly willing to wash his hand in it," says Mr. Wiedler.

The building is made of reinforced concrete, with huge windows which let in an ample supply of light. The entire floor is of concrete. Twenty-eight people are employed at the plant. A rest room and lunch room, as well as a room to hang coats in, have been built upstairs.

The plant has a big two flat-work ironers of the most modern type. It is also equipped with a revolving dryer which pumps 7000 feet of dry air a minute through the clothes. As explained by Mr. Wiedler, clothes which are hung on a line to dry become stiff. In a revolving dryer they remain limp and flexible. Nothing but men's soft collars is hung on a

Husband Held in Slaying



WEAPONS and PRINCIPALS in TURSO MURDER CASE, shown.

Frank Kocurek, former army butcher, shown above in inset, was arrested in Chicago, following the finding in his home by detectives (shown above) of a stained knife and hatchet, in their investigation into the supposed murder of a woman whose torso was found on a lonely golf course. Kocurek's wife, Anna, also shown, was missing.

line to dry at the Salem Laundry company's plant. The process of ironing a shirt involves the use of five different irons, each of which is operated electrically by means of a foot lever. One irons the cuffs, another the neck band, another the sleeves and a fifth the body of the shirt. Each iron is steam heated, making it impossible to burn the clothing.

Four nickel plated sock ironing forms from the socks from the inside. Each form is adjustable to the size of whatever sock is washed. A special darning machine is used to darn holes whenever they are found.

"We can make a curtain look like new," says Mr. Wiedler, referring to the work done by a special curtain dryer which has a gauge making it possible to fix any sized curtain by a moment's adjustment. A carding machine is used to treat blankets make them look as soft and fluffy as the day

WEST SALEM NEWS

West Salem, Or., May 2.—The Egworth league held its regular business and social at the parsonage on Saturday evening. The young folks will give a measuring party on Thursday evening, May 14. Everyone come and enjoy a good time and help the plant fund.

Ben Garner of Kingwood Terrace, who has been seriously ill following a major operation, is convalescing nicely. He is in the veteran's hospital at Portland at this time.

Mother's day will be celebrated by appropriate services Sunday, and on Monday evening a general good time is planned for mothers, fathers, sons and daughters. The entertainment will consist of songs and exercises, after which the ladies will furnish light refreshments.

Quite a few folks from town attended the funeral of Mr. Osborne, Friday.

Fev, F. L. Cannell, wife and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrester of the Silverton road.

Dr. Copeland of McMinnville was a visitor at the home of A. D. Leach and visited the capital city Wednesday.

Mrs. Harrison of Salem called on Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Goodspeed last Monday.

Mrs. Hobbie, who has been very ill, is getting along nicely at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Sebern and family motored to McMinnville, Sun-

day, and called on friends. Mrs. Mary Davis is visiting her brother, Mr. Logan of Dallas, who is in ill health.

Mrs. E. Best is visiting relatives at Summit. Lloyd F. Harris of Los Angeles, Cal., visited at the McAdams home Tuesday.

Mr. Ashenbrenner has purchased two lots from William Phillips and is improving them by a house.

Mr. Maye of Aumsville is visiting his old time friends, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson.

Mr. Marts is still improving his property. He is putting up a saloon house now.

Eva Thornton of Salem visited last week with her aunt, Mrs. Thornton.

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SILVERTON NEWS

Silverton, May 2.—Preliminary plans for the National Guard armory which is to be built at Silverton, have been submitted and it is thought that everything will be in readiness to start work on the building on June first.

With Mrs. Inez Reynolds as honor guest, Mrs. H. B. Latham was hostess at a delightful tea at the home on Mill street. Spiraea, tulips and peonies were used throughout the rooms. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. William Service, Mrs. C. A. Reynolds, Miss May Service and Mrs. H. R. Irish. Guests were the honor guest, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. C. A. Reynolds, Mrs. William Service, Mrs. E. A. Cowden, Mrs. John Hoblitt, Mrs. Carl Stamey, Mrs. A. E. Jans, Mrs. George Hubbs, Mrs. Fred Evenson, Mrs. G. L. Barr, Mrs. Nora Evenson, Mrs. C. W. Keeche, Mrs. H. R. Irish, Mrs. P. L. Brown, Mrs. Frank Syng, Mrs. Ernest Palmer, Mrs. Helen Wrightman, Mrs. E. R. Ekman, Mrs. William MacNeill, Mrs. William Towne, Mrs. G. E. Benton, Mrs. Gertrude Cameron, Mrs. Fred Treadgold, Mrs. C. M. Wray, Mrs. R. E. Kleinsorge, Mrs. E. A. Booth, Mrs. E. Banks, Miss May Service, Miss Eleanor McClaine, and Miss Florence Gamble.

Harold Madsen has entered the Benson Polytechnic school at Portland. Mr. Madsen is registered with the electrical engineers.

Rev. and Mrs. S. Lindseth have moved from the St. John's parsonage to their new home built on recently purchased property on the Salem-Silverton highway. Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Klev who came to Silverton last fall from North Dakota have rented the parsonage and moved into it.

Mr. and Mrs. Micheal Olsen are making plans for an automobile trip to their old home in Iowa. They will be accompanied by their son, Alvin. Their daughter, Miss Hannah Olsen will join them in June as she expects to leave here as soon as her school duties are over for the season. The party will also attend the Norwegian centennial to be held at Minneapolis in June. Mr. and Mrs. Olsen expect to leave around the 15th of May.

Mrs. E. Cramer is one of the Silverton mothers who will attend Mother's day festivities at Corvallis. She will be the guest of her daughter, Miss Vivian Cramer.

Attorney H. J. Van Valkenburg, who has had his offices in the First National bank building since it was built will move to the Blackery building on south Water street the 10th of May.

M. C. Woodward, who with Mrs. Woodward and daughter, Miss Catherine Woodward, has been touring Europe for the past three months, has returned to Silverton. Miss Woodward is visiting in California and Mrs. Woodward is with friends in Canada. They expect to return to Silverton within the next few days.

Miss Ella Moores, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moores, is now employed at the Meier and Frank store at Portland.

S. A. Pitney, son of Mrs. A. C. Barber, is visiting friends at Silverton. Mr. Pitney came from Walla Walla, Washington, where he is taking treatment at the government hospital for injury received in the world war.

NEW INCORPORATIONS

The following articles of incorporation were filed Thursday with the corporation department:

West End Development company, Portland; incorporators, Warren E. Thomas, Otto J. Kramer, L. G. Carnahan; capital, \$25,000.

Alderton Investment company, Portland; incorporators, Oscar Alderton, Archibald Alderton, Andrew F. Alderton; capital, \$1000.

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