

# LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Van Valenberg were in this city yesterday. They are residents of Silverton.

Dance Friday Crystal Gardens, 192

W. S. Clark of Albany was in Salem on private business today

Want used furniture, phone 511 in this city yesterday.

W. K. Powell of Lebanon was in this city yesterday.

Want used furniture, phone 75.

Mrs. Frank Spaulding, wife of Dr. Spaulding of Portland, was in Salem this morning.

Salmon for canning 14c per lb., sliced 2 lbs. for 35c. Midget Market. 192\*

Mrs. Charles Talmage of Roseburg was a Salem visitor today.

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Rex Robinson of Corvallis was in Salem on private business this morning.

Women wanted at Starr Fruit Products Co. Friday 7 a. m. Church & Mill Sts. phone 439.

The birth of a boy, to Mr. and Mrs. William John Vogt, was reported to the office of the city health officer this morning. The birth took place on August 7. Mr. Vogt operates a farm near Salem.

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Mrs. M. F. Ford of Independence was in Salem this morning.

See Stiff's used furniture department, opposite the court house.

O. E. Franke, resident of Newport, took a brief trip to Salem today.

Bargains at Stiff's in old bed room furniture.

A. W. Oliver of Corvallis was in this city on private business this morning.

Visit Stiff's housewares dept. in the basement.

Rev. D. Lester Fields, pastor of the Methodist church at Grants Pass, and president of the Willamette university alumni association, arrived in Salem from Grants Pass this morning.

500 lbs. of ice free with each refrigerator sold. Stiff's.

Edgar Nicholson of Corvallis was in Salem yesterday.

M. W. A. and R. N. A. gathering at Breckenrath Sunday 10:30. Bring your lunch and cups, coffee furnished. Free entertainment and electric prizes given. Come and bring your friends. (Do your duty.) 192\*

E. D. King was in this city on private business Wednesday. He is a resident of Molalla.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nick Beer were in Salem yesterday. Their home is in Aurora.

Grand opening at Brookside Confectionery, 19th and State Sts. Friday the 14th from 2 p. m. till 10 p. m. 192

Mrs. O. J. Morris was a Salem visitor this morning. She is a resident of Stayton.

Hop picking in the Minto yard will start Monday Aug. 17th. 194

Mrs. Ray Fish of Aurora was in Salem this morning.

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A birthday picnic was last night given in honor of Earl Isahol of Brooks. The picnic was staged at Westland ferry, with a bonfire and appropriate music. Some 30 people from Brooks and the immediate vicinity was present. It was staged by Frank Speer and Earl Isahol, both of Brooks. Beginning early in the evening, the picnic continued until nearly midnight.

Wanted, blackberries, top call price. Baker, Kelly & McLaughlin. Salem Fruit Union building, phone 224.

By paying \$12.50 per month, you can retire a loan of \$1000 principal and interest in 110 months. See Ralph H. McCurdy, office over Miller's store.

## Hotel Bligh Arrivals

Portland, W. G. Sumpter, J. K. Wood, F. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Butler, Andrew C. Rawson, Joseph Murphy, M. E. Murphy, W. C. Boyd, Lloyd Moore, Marchfield, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence T. Griffin, Newport, A. N. Whitlaw, Cottage Grove, Floyd H. Runk, Mulvey C. Lewis, D. A. Luffoon, H. L. Hart, Independence, M. R. Alfred, Herbert Ruff, C. O. Smith, Dallas, Mike Kandorf, Pendleton, Mrs. Rhoda M. Davoll and daughter, Everett, W. P. George E. Lawson, Seattle, W. P. Downie, Mr. and Mrs. Clement N. Davis, Tacoma, R. H. Ward, Earl C. Kruser, James W. Tamm, and son; Oakland, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Shawi, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Caplan, Miss Lolla Chamberlain, San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Thayer, Frank D. Sprague, Los Angeles, Ma. Helen Darmody, Miss Marguerite McDonald, Miss Lyla McDonald, Douglas Dalton, and Mrs. and Mrs. Herbert L. Smythe and son.

Judge McMahan has named A. M. Dalrymple as guardian for Elsie Dalrymple, alleged incompetent. Friends M. Gehler, William H. Trindle and Martin Forebush have been named appraisers.

Dance, DuBois' popular dances, Crystal Gardens Friday and also Tuesday. Bilis' orchestra of Portland playing. 192

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Three hundred China pheasants were liberated in Polk county between Moamouth and Saver, today, by Deputy Game Warden Henry Stevenson. A total of six hundred birds have been turned loose in this district during the past week. They were raised at the state game farm near Corvallis. More birds will be ready for freedom in the fall.

Dance Saturday night August 15th at Happy Canyon, Mill City. Dance at Gates Saturday August 22nd. Good floor and splendid music. 193

Dr. Marshall, osteopath, Or bid

Due to burning out of the motor in the plant which operates the electric fountain in Wilson park the fountain will not be operated for the next 10 days while repairs are being made.

Crystal Pool, Salem's new swimming auditorium opens to public Sat. Aug. 15, and daily from 1 to 10 p. m. Clean, warm water, entire tank of 71,000 gallons, filtered every four hours. Heated by steam, good showers and steam room, everything for cleanliness. Single swim 4c, special rates to clubs and families. 192\*

Banjo, guitar, uke and mandolin lessons. Inquire 639 Center street. 192

Notice of appeal has been filed in circuit court in the case of Velma Melville against Bryce Melville, the husband appealing from a decree of the court which granted a divorce, gave the wife custody of the two minor children, and decreed that the husband pay \$25 a month toward their support. The decree also granted the wife an undivided one third interest in the real property of the husband.

Artisans attention, special meeting tonight to arrange for trip to Nehalem beach. Candidates to be obligated. 192

Attention Old Fellows, Willamette escampment members meet Friday, Aug. 14, at which time the patriarchal degree will be conferred. All members are urged to be present. 192\*

The state board of control today approved contracts let by the WCTU farm home for children near Corvallis for a school building to cost about \$45,000 and a cottage to cost a contract price of \$14,952.73. The state appropriated \$35,000 for the school building, and the excess cost will be paid by the WCTU. E. N. Traver of Corvallis was awarded the contract to build the school building and Heckert & Son of Corvallis the cottage.

Crawford peaches are now ready for canning. Egan Bros. one mile north Hoppers station on the Oregon Electric, phone 3711. 193\*

David I. Wareham was arrested again today for being drunk.

Capital Ice & Cold Storage Co. phone orders early to 230 to service promptly residence service. After delivery hours call at plant 569 Trade street. "We never close."

Love, the Jeweler, Salem.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Claude C. White and Angelina Leland, Salem and Hany H. Peters and Bernice Scott, Sublimity.

Thus to can salmon, extra quality, fine fat deep sea troll fish at Pette Mkt.

Lester Schloberg, proprietor of the Smart Shop, left this morning for a two weeks' buying trip in Chicago and New York city.

The charge of grand larceny against George Bell was today reduced to petty larceny, to which he pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail. Irene Thomas, who was arrested with him, was freed. It was said that she is in poor health.

## THREE DON'T ISSUED TO HELP MOTORISTS PARKING HEAD-ON

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ing space, and ran into the curb too hard, which is not the most beneficial in the world for an automobile, particularly when the blow against the curb is made with the front wheel rather than a rear one. Don't forget to look around while backing out. Move out a few feet, hesitate, and get your bearings before going on out into the traffic. Facts brought out by the use of the head-in system elsewhere show that the outlet will naturally be cautious in most cases, realizing that he is going backward, but the police feel that a few may need to be warned. In general it is believed that, while a few may be on the lookout for accidents in the hope of being able to say, "I told you so," for the most part motorists will be careful in using the new system, and will do their best to guard against accidents.

## OREGON JONES BODY VIEWED BY OVER 7000

Crowds of people, totalling more than 7000 in the estimation of attendees, had filed past the body of Oregon Jones, who died in the death in last night's prison riot by one o'clock this afternoon. A continuous stream of persons, beginning early last evening and continuing until midnight, reentered early this morning and continuing unabated into the afternoon, entered the headquarters of the local coroner, to view the body. The crowd viewed the remains and went on their way.

The crowds included women as well as men, young as well as old. Only the very youngest of children were refused admission. Women and girls, ranging down as low as 10 years in age, comprised nearly half the crowd.

The face of the man, who had made a name for himself among the most notorious criminals in the west, was said by those who knew him to be reposing more peacefully than it had ever reposed in life.

Oregon Jones' brother, D. Jones of Grants Pass, and his sister, Mrs. E. Hall of Portland, arrived in Salem early this morning to take charge of the body. It will be shipped to Grants Pass, the Jones home town in a few days. The brother stated this afternoon. The remains will be placed in the Jones family plot at Granite Hill, just south of Grants Pass, at the same time next week. He will lie in state in the home of a grandmother and grandfather.

Sitting before the fireplace at the undertaking parlors this afternoon, D. Jones answered the questions that were put to him with short, curt replies.

"My brother lived in Grants Pass all his life until he was 21," he said. "That was three years ago, when he got sent over for robbery."

"Yes, I think probably if it hadn't been for his wife and baby in Cleveland, he wouldn't have tried to break away this time. He got married when he was out in the spring of 1924, and since that time a baby has been born."

"There are plenty of things the public would be interested in if I should tell 'em, but I don't aim to let 'em out."

By comparison with the notorious "bad man," arrangements with regard to the remains of the two guards who were killed in last night's affray sank into relative insignificance, so far as public interest was concerned. An occasional visitor asked about James Holman, whose corpse is at the funeral parlors where the remains of Jones were taken, and was told that the guard's body was not in condition for the public to see. The body of John Sweeney, reported at another funeral establishment, inspired an occasional inquiry.

## BELGIANS SEEK INTEREST CUT

Washington, Aug. 13.—(AP)—The Belgian government has asked that a total of the debt be reduced through a computing of accrued interest at a rate lower than the 4 1/2 per cent at which the British debt interest was figured, but no agreement on that point had been reached.

The only agreement so far disclosed is that for a brief memorandum. The commissions remain far apart on the other questions in "olved, but both sides are hopeful of an agreement with out prolonged discussion.

## NEW MARKET OWNERS ARE READY TO MEET TRADE

Paul Marmarosh and T. J. Olson, now operating in the meat market in connection with the Honolulu fruit stand on North High street, announce that with the installation of most modern, and up-to-date equipment in every branch of their market they are able to serve the public with the choicest to be obtained in meats at prices to meet any competition.

Buying facilities and a knowledge of the trade give them an opportunity to conduct their market along latest and most satisfactory lines. Both of the new proprietors would be glad to welcome their friends, or any patrons seeking the best to be had at reasonable prices.

## SHERIFF DEPUTIES TO ASSIST IN MAN HUNT

Sheriff Bower has detailed Deputy Sheriffs Bert Smith and Roy Bremner to assist in the man hunt for the escaped convict. The two deputies were out until late last night and started early again this morning, in Smith's automobile, armed with sawed off shotguns. The deputies are working on the theory that the men will make their way south, following the track that Kelly and Jones took on their previous escape, going by Jefferson if they can get through the open country around Pratum.

## AMUNDSEN OFFERS TO SELL THE MAUDE

Copenhagen, Aug. 13.—(A. P.)—Amundsen has offered to sell his ship, the Maude, which has just been freed from the ice of the Arctic ocean after a year-long imprisonment, in order to satisfy his creditors.

## CROPS OF YEAR SHOW DECREASE OVER YEAR AGO

Washington, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Despite an increased area of 2.4 million acres, the principal crops this year, total production was estimated today by the department of agriculture as 3 per cent lower than last year due to decreased yields per acre.

But for the increased area, officials said today, there might have been a serious crop short- age in the United States.

Yields per acre showed a reduction for all principal crops of 6.4 per cent compared with the ten year average and 4.5 per cent under last year's crop. Prospects for yields, the department said, had not been so low at this time of year in the last twelve years with the exception of 1921.

The decrease was attributed mainly to drought in the corn belt and southwestern states.

The only crops showing increased yields per acre were given by the department as spring wheat, which is expected to run over the five year average yield per acre by about one tenth of a bushel.

## WOMAN THROWS LYE ON ANOTHER

Fowlkittan Courthouse, Va. Aug. 12.—(AP)—Mrs. Maggie B. Nichols was sentenced to three months in jail and fined \$500 in circuit court Tuesday for throwing a bucket of lye water into the face of Mrs. Hortense V. Mitchell.

Testimony developed that Mrs. Nichols dashed the lye water on Mrs. Mitchell, who is superintendent of the Rocky Oak Methodist church Sunday school, her husband, J. E. Mitchell, and their two young children when she met them on the way to church. All were badly burned. The trouble between the two women was alleged to have arisen over a letter from Mrs. Mitchell to Frank C. Nichols, the defendant's husband, teacher of the men's Bible class at the church.

## DESCRIPTIONS OF ESCAPED CONS

Portland, Aug. 13.—Description of the three escaped convicts broadcast from the penitentiary, follows:

Thomas Murray, age 29; height 5 feet, 10 1/2 inches; weight 153 pounds; blond hair, gray-blue eyes, light complexion.

Ellsworth Kelly, alias Eugene E. Kelly, age 29; height 5 feet 6 inches; weight 151 pounds; light hair; slate colored blue eyes; medium complexion.

James Willcox, alias Walter Miller, alias Walter Burns, alias James Willcox, age 27; height 5 feet, 4 1/2 inches; weight 141 pounds; gray brown eyes, chunky build, dark complexion.

## BINGER HERMAN ILL BUT NOW IMPROVING

Portland, Aug. 13.—Binger Herman, of Roseburg, Oregon, pleases and prominent for many years in state politics, who has been ill in health for some time, is at a Portland hospital. His condition was said by relatives to be satisfactory, and he expects to leave soon and return to his home in Roseburg. Mr. Herman recently returned from a trip to California, feeling improved in health, but a few days ago he started feeling unwell. He came to Portland for treatment. He went to the hospital Monday for observation.

## BELGIAN DEBT HEARING TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED

Washington, Aug. 13.—(A. P.)—Negotiations between the American and Belgian debt commissions were suspended temporarily today to permit the visitors to receive instructions from Brussels as to a new Belgian offer. A reply is expected overnight, however, and the commission agreed to meet again tomorrow. At that time they will have before them also a new American proposal, embodying some concessions presented today to the Belgians.

## MURRAY FEARED AS DESPERADO IN LANE COUNTY

Eugene, Or., Aug. 13.—Lane county officers, fearing that knowledge of the Lane country possessed by Tom Murray, one of the trio of convicts who escaped from the Oregon state prison last night, might lead the desperados to attempt the McKenzie pass into eastern Oregon, patrolled the highway all night last night. Nothing suspicious was sighted, however.

The local officers were aided in their search by two prison guards, Foster and Sandifer, and a life term trusty, who came here upon receipt of word that a car carrying the escapes had headed this way. The "tip" proved erroneous.

The patrol of the highways was continued today in the Eugene district.

Murray, one of the trio of escaped prisoners, was sent up from Lane county following the robbery of the Florence bank of December 11, 1923.

Murray with two others held up the bank and escaped with several thousand dollars. He was captured about a week later and was tried here on the hold-up charge. He was sentenced to serve 20 years in the penitentiary by Judge Skipworth of the Lane circuit court.

## FUNERALS FOR GUARDS ARE SET

Funeral services for both J. M. Holman and John Sweeney, who were killed in the prison break last night, will be held next Saturday. It was announced this afternoon.

Holman was the brother of Mrs. A. M. Dalrymple, wife of the warden of the penitentiary. He was 60 years at the time the time the tragedy occurred. There were four children in the family, Homer, Robert, Dorothy and Meda.

In addition to Mrs. Dalrymple, Holman was the brother of Mrs. F. E. Murray, Mrs. I. N. Woods of Long Beach, A. N. Holman of Portland and Mrs. Edwin Jacobson of Portland.

John Sweeney was 65 years of age, and had been a guard at the prison since January of this year. He came to Salem from Dallas, where he had been in the flouring mill business. He was a prominent member of the Masonic lodge.

## APPRAISER FOR GRAZING FEES

Washington, Aug. 13.—Dan B. Casement of Manhattan, Kan., a livestock raiser today was appointed special representative of the secretary of agriculture to review the forest service's recent appraisal of the national forest range situation.

New grazing fees, which are to become effective in 1927 will be based on the appraisals as finally approved. Mr. Casement will begin his work January 1.

## PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY CONCERT

Friday night's band concert program was announced this afternoon by Oscar Steinhilber, director, as follows: "Kling Selection from 'The Dollar Princess'"; "The Two Little Bulfinches"; "Bombeck and Fred Bruce"; "Popular Numbers"; "Vocal Solo, (a) 'Yearning'; (b) 'If You Knew Susie'"; "O. B. Gringrich"; "Overture, 'Scherzando'"; "Rossini's 'Serenade at Evening Time'"; "Jewell Selection, 'The Firefly'"; "Jimmie March, 'Washington Grays'"; "Graultia"; "Star Spangled Banner".

Because of the motors burning out, there will be no illumination of the fountain for the next ten days.

## FOUR HOLD UP TRUCK OF REGISTERED MAIL; ESCAPE

Peoria, Ill., Aug. 13.—(AP)—Four men held up the mail truck which had just been loaded with mail from the Chicago-bound Chicago Burlington and Quincy train today and escaped with an undetermined amount of registered mail. The robbery occurred at the station just as the train pulled out. The robbers escaped.

## THREE CARLOADS BEER SEIZED IN NEW YORK

New York, Aug. 13.—(A. P.)—Three carloads of beer were seized today by prohibition agents, bringing to 6000 barrels the amount seized within the past 30 days by agents in their activities against what Prohibition Director Merrick termed a tidal wave of incoming beer.

The beverage seized during the 30 days was estimated to be worth \$100,000.

## TO OPEN BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF STATE ROADS

Bids for the improvement of 30.39 miles of state highway will be opened at a meeting of the state highway commission in Portland, Thursday, August 27. Also bids on bridges in Curry and Umatilla counties will be opened.

The projects are: Baker county—Terford-Mill Gulch section of Baker-Unit highway, 12.45 miles of grading, Eagle Creek-Emigrant Creek section of Baker-Crookpaugh highway, 2.5 miles of crushed gravel surface.

Deschutes county—Bond-Lava Butte section of The Dalles-Calloway highway, 9.95 miles of grading.

Lane county—Sutton Lake-Florence section of Roosevelt Coast highway, 6.15 miles of grading.

Washington county—Paving of approaches to Dairy Creek bridge on Tualatin valley highway near Hillsboro.

Curry county—bridge over Hunter creek on Roosevelt Coast highway near Gold Beach.

Umatilla county—Two bridges over Umatilla river on county roads at Echo and Stanfield.

Also bids will be opened on a building for rest room and concession purposes at Emigrant park on Old Oregon Trail about 27 miles southeast of Pendleton.

## CONS MAKE GOOD THEIR GET-AWAY

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office to be operating under Guard Gardner, but inquiry revealed that they had split into several parties, and Gardner did not know where they were. George L. Cleaver, former state prohibition commissioner, and four men were conducting still another campaign.

No Claws Reported. Added to all of these, innumerable groups of farmers and other volunteers seeking excitement were wandering here and there, but no claws were reported.

About 10 o'clock this morning Deputy Warden Lilley left for the scene of the hunt to see if some more effective organization could not be effected that would coordinate the efforts of all, and try to eliminate some of the volunteers.

Prison authorities looking back over the previous attempt of Murray and Kelly to escape this afternoon expressed the opinion that the fugitives would likely adopt the same tactics they used upon the former occasion, lie in hiding during daylight and travel at night, also doing their foraging for food under the cover of darkness by robbing country stores and raiding farm houses. According to these calculations the convicts are not yet sufficiently hungry to risk showing themselves, but will likely do so as soon as it becomes dark enough for them to travel safely tonight.

Tactics of Escapes. The officers are also inclined to give credence to the argument that it is entirely likely that the three will work their way southward toward Astoria, a distance of nine or ten miles, the scene of their former hide-and-peek game with the possums.

From Astoria south through the Marion country to Jefferson the country is all familiar to Murray, who evaded the officers for a full week in that section.

Another theory being considered is that the men will remain close to their present hiding place for several days, until the enthusiasm of searchers has waned and their vigilance relaxed and then steal another automobile and make a night attempt to get out of the country entirely.

Tracy Escape Recalled. All of the officers are agreed that the situation is a potential duplication of the Tracy-Merrill rampage of 1902, and that Murray, at least, is as dangerous as either Tracy or Merrill. Warnings are being broadcast at farmers and county stores to be on guard at all times, for another murder or two means nothing to the convicts now.

## LEGION LOSES AGAIN

The American Legion, winners of the city championship last their second game to the Heckert Construction company, champions of Corvallis last night when the Corvallis diamond by a score of 7 to 0.

## REDUCTION IN POWER RATES IN SALEM DISTRICT

The reduction in power rates announced at Portland last Monday by the P. E. P. company will affect rates in Salem as soon as there are industries here large enough to come under the regulations involved in the announcement. It was stated this morning by W. M. Hamilton, head of the local branch of the company.

At the present time, Hamilton stated, the paper mill is the only local plant using a sufficient amount of power to come under the provisions of the reduction, and the mill already has the rate given to large plants at Portland. Their present contract, entered into when the mill was first established, calls for a rate of \$27 per horsepower hour after the load carried exceeds more than 4000 kilowatts.

"It is our policy to foster these industries as much as possible," says Mr. Hamilton, "in order to build up the community. We gave the local paper company their rate in order that they might compete successfully with other paper mills such as the one at Oregon City, where they use direct water power."

Any other industries which become large enough to secure the reduction will have it, he states, except that there may be a slight difference between the rate here and that at Portland due to the fact that Portland is closer to the source of power supply.

## COOK IS SHOT BY ROBBERS

Portland, Or., Aug. 13.—Police were looking today for a light touring car with a bullet hole in the back used by robbers who shot James Nessons, cook in a Third street restaurant, and took \$50 from the cash register. Nessons is in a hospital in a serious condition.

## BE CAREFUL



An automobile collision between cars driven by B. H. Keith, 442 Ferry street, and an unidentified motorist, was reported to the police. Glenn Miller is reported to have received injuries.

George P. Harrington, 1170 North 15th, reports that he was in an accident, but gave no details.

Arthur Lyons of Corvallis, driving an automobile, and George Barrett of Salem, driving a truck, collided with light damage.

Died. JOHNS—At the residence, 1925 Fir street, August 13, Miss Mamie Johns, 45 years, daughter of Mrs. Ada Johns, and sister of Mrs. Besse Schultz of Salem. Mrs. May Wilson of Portland, Mrs. Isabella Ruthford of Mill City, Miss Gabriella Johns of San Francisco, Eugene Johns of Salem, and Jesse Johns of Salem. She was a resident of Salem for forty four years. Announcement of funeral will be made later by Rigdon and Son.

HAYES—In this city on August 12, Joseph W. Hayes, age 67 years, Father of Harlan D. Hayes of John Day, Or., Mrs. Veda Swarts of Portland, Miss Alma Hayes and Miss Lelah Alma Hayes of Carlton, Or. Son of Thomas W. Hayes of Carlton, and brother of E. L. Hayes of Dallas, J. B. Hayes of Toledo, S. A. Hayes of Carlton, Mrs. Laura Archibald of Shaw, and Mrs. Margie Easterbrooks of Bellingham, Wn. Rigdon and Son mortuary will forward the remains to McMinnville where funeral services will be held at 2:30 on Sunday. Interment in the Carlton cemetery.

HOLMAN—In this city August 12, Milton Holman aged 60 years. He was the father of Homer, Robert, Meda and Dorothy Holman, the brother of Mrs. F. E. Murray, Mrs. I. N. Woods of Long Beach, A. N. Holman of Portland, Mrs. A. M. Dalrymple of Salem and Mrs. Edwin Jacobson of Portland. Funeral services will probably be held Saturday, Rigdon and Son in charge.

HUFF—In Oregon City August 12, at the age of 69 years, Mrs. Lilla H. Huff, Mother of I. Huff of Chemawa. Announcement of funeral will be made later by Rigdon's.

SWEENEY—John Sweeney was killed at the state penitentiary Wednesday evening. He was 65 years of age. He is survived by his widow, Lucille, a son, John, Jr., and a daughter, Helen, all of Salem. Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Saturday from the Webb funeral parlors, Rev. J. J. Evans officiating.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kindness to us during the illness and death of our wife and mother, Isabelle Knutson.—John Knutson, C. E. Barnes and wife, Lawrence Barnes and wife, Geo. Barnes. 112

## SPOULE PROMISES NEW RAILROAD IN MEXICO

New York, Aug. 13.—William Sproule, president of the Southern Pacific, said today on his return from abroad that if conditions in Mexico remain favorable the 1500 miles of railroad the company is building to connect the west coast of the United States with far north as