

SPRINGFIELD

ARTHUR KIRKLAND LEAVES STRANGE BURIAL REQUEST

No One Allowed to See Remains and No Flowers to Be Placed on Coffin

Springfield, Jan. 6.—Arthur Kirkland, a wealthy stock man and resident of this city for the past quarter of a century, well-known and well-liked, died at his home yesterday, leaving an unusual request with the local undertaker, W. F. Walker. It seems that Kirkland, who was about 50 years old, realized a month ago that he would die soon, being troubled with stomach complications, and made preparations for his death. He instructed that as soon as he died his remains should be taken to the undertaking parlors, placed in a coffin, and as soon as this could be closed it should not be opened again, nor should any one be allowed to see his body after the coffin was closed. There are to be no flowers placed on the coffin at any time nor shall any be in evidence at the funeral. There are to be no services other than the customary Masonic rites, Mr. Kirkland having been a member of the Masonic order. The funeral will be held Sunday at 1:30 p. m. in the undertaking parlors and interment will take place in the Laurel Grove cemetery, where the remains will be placed beside those of his wife who died over twelve years ago.

He is survived by two daughters, Grace and Junia, aged 18 and 17 years, respectively. The deceased was for a number of years a lumber salesman for the Booth-Kelly Lumber company here, but for the past year has remained at home. He leaves considerable property and wealth.

WORK ON NEW BRICK BUILDINGS BEGINS

Springfield, Jan. 6.—Construction has already begun on two of the several brick blocks which are to adora

Main street this summer, and material has been delivered and work will commence Monday on the construction of the big feed barn at the foot of Main street on Mill, making three large buildings under construction with hardly one week of the year gone. Earth was removed this morning for the basement of the new Perkins and Stevens building, several teams and men being placed at work, and they will accomplish as much as the weather permits. The last three days have seen the construction of the new electric building on Sixth street well under way, with the big concrete mixer pouring cement into the foundations for the heavy wall and large quantities of material piled about the ground for heavy construction.

In addition to the list of seven buildings that are expected to be built this summer and spring, several more have developed. Since his return from California, M. M. Peery announces that work will soon commence upon the construction of a building to be erected at the corner of Fifth and Main streets by himself and Mr. Winzenreid.

MAIN STREET GIVEN GOOD CLEANING

Springfield, Jan. 6.—Taking advantage of the beautiful January weather, the Springfield street force is giving Main street a good cleaning, removing all the loose mud and leaving the macadamized streets almost as smooth as the paved streets of Eugene. The mud is readily taken off and the bottom below is hard and smooth. With a little repairing this street will pose as an ideal piece of macadam street, and it is standing up well under the heavy travel. When scraped it is dry enough to walk across without muddying the shoes.

An exciting little scrap between two young men about nine o'clock enlivened things on Main street last evening. One of the fighters received a finishing blow that was distinctly heard at a distance.

WILL TRY TO INCREASE PROMOTION FUND

Springfield, Jan. 6.—The Springfield Commercial club meets this evening to start the work of the new year. Among the matters that will

be brought up at this meeting will be an effort to increase the subscriptions to the promotion fund considerably. At present there is subscribed to this part of the club's treasury something between \$1200 and \$1500, and it is thought that with additional membership this would nearly be doubled. It is understood that at this meeting a number of questions as to the policy of the club for the coming year will be taken up, and also possibly matters pertaining to manufacturers for this city.

SPRINGFIELD STORE KEEPERS ASK BETTER POLICE PROTECTION

Springfield, Jan. 5.—To demand that a night watchman be employed by the city of Springfield to protect their stores the Merchants' Protective association decided at a meeting one night this week to attend the meeting of the city council next Monday night and make their demand as a body. An all night watchman has long been asked for and the action of the merchants' body is directly the result of the robbery of the Anderson & Yockey grocery store of a small quantity of provisions and partly of a number of midnight street fights that have disturbed the peace of the city. Practically no other business was taken up at this meeting of the association other than the postponement of the election of officers for two weeks because of the very small attendance present last evening.

BURGLARS ENTER SPRINGFIELD GROCERY AND STEAL GOODS

Springfield, Jan. 5.—Burglars a few nights ago entered the Anderson & Yockey store from the rear and stole a quantity of goods, including a couple of sacks of flour, ham, eggs, lard and other provisions. No money was taken, for none was left in the store. The entrance was made through a window in the woodshed by removing a glass. It is thought by the proprietors that the work was done by some local person who has a knowledge of the store and that the purpose of the robbery was not for money but for provisions. The things were taken away in gunny sacks, for one of the sacks of flour had a large hole in it and aside from the spot where the flour was appar-

ently put in a second sack there was no flour spilled.

GAS MAY NOT BE SUPPLIED THIS YEAR AT LEAST

Springfield, Jan. 5.—Because the city council asked too much in a franchise from the gas company it is announced from the office of the Oregon Power company that it will not construct gas mains from its plant in Eugene to this city, as it previously intended. It seems that the city demanded a permanent bond for the repair of the streets and to this, with a number of other details, the company refused to comply and when the council would not give ground the company changed its plans and gas will not be delivered to Springfield this year, at least. The matter of franchise has been up for several months.

CENSUS BUREAU GIVES OUT POPULATION OF 17 CALIFORNIA TOWNS

Washington, Jan. 5.—The population of the following cities and towns of California has been announced by the census bureau: Stockton, 23,253; Fresno, 24,892; Eureka, 11,845; Santa Rosa, 7817; Santa Cruz, 11,146; Santa Barbara, 11,659; Santa Ana, 8429; San Rafael, 5934; San Luis Obispo, 5157; San Bernardino, 12,779; Riverside, 15,212; Richmond, 4892; Redlands, 10,449; Petaluma, 5880; Napa, 5791; Marysville, 5430; Bakersfield, 12,727.

SPRINGFIELD NEWS NOTES

Those who entertained at what this week were Mr. and Mrs. Chase Hardt, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mullen and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whaeton. James D. Herdman arrived last week from Medford, to assist Caterer Bob Wyatt in the Eagle lunch room. He is a former acquaintance of Mr. Wyatt's and being professional in the "hash slinging" art, his services will be valuable to the "Eagle." Mr. Dunlap who has been with the firm of H. S. McGowan & Co. for the past ten months, and was also connected with the same store for nearly two years prior to the present ownership, has severed his connec-

tions this week. Mr. Dunlap will not be unemployed long, for he is too good a salesman to remain idle.

Owing to the change in the landlordship of the Springfield Hotel, the real estate firm of Greenleaf & Hard found it necessary to seek other quarters, therefore leased office rooms on the second floor of the W. O. W. hall where they moved the first of the week.

J. B. Halsey who lives northwest of town returned Wednesday from a six weeks sojourn in Arkansas, going there in response to a message announcing the illness of his father. He says that his wather is not much improved at the time of his departure, and there is not much hope for his recovery. On his return trip, when in Montana, they passed through a blizzard that made him wish he was back in Oregon.

Mayor Sutton, who was elected by the largest majority vote of any candidate on the legislative ticket, to represent the voters of Lane at the January session of the legislature, which convenes at Salem next Monday, will leave tomorrow for the capital city to be in readiness to answer roll call Monday morning. President of the council, Welby Stevens, will preside over the meeting during Mayor Sutton's absence.

Linn Nesmith, who is now associated with Lee Travis in the collection department of his law office, was in Springfield Wednesday, interviewing a number of members of the Merchants' Protective Association, regarding his chances as a successful candidate for the secretaryship of the association. It is understood that the present secretary, Rev. J. W. Perkins, has made public his intentions of resigning and is with this understanding that Mr. Nesmith makes application.—News.

Real Estate Transfers

Glendella Nokes and John Nokes to Stephen R. Southward; lots 7 and 8 in block 2, Nokes' ad to Cottage Grove, \$250.
Joseph Pestal et ux to Union High school district 1; 3 acres in tp. 18, s. r. 2, w. \$200.
John Petty to David J. Copenhaver; 19.50 acres in sec. 24, tp. 19, s. r. 3, w. \$1.
Emily J. Lowery to Roy B. Boyd lot 2 in blk. 6 of College Hill park; \$10.
U. S. to Joseph Auel NW 1/4 of

SW 1/4 of sec. 34-18-8 W 40 acres; Pat.

Catherine McMahan to Christian W. Hansen 45 acres in sec. 28, 29, tp. 17-2 W; \$10.
N. J. Nelson to Laura Nelson 76 acres in sec. 18-16-3 W; \$1.

N. J. Nelson to Laura Nelson lot 6 in blk. 5 in Coburg and lots 13, 14, 15 in Casandria Delaun's add to Coburg; \$1.
Mintie Howard to J. D. Howard lot 2 in blk. 6 of Scott's add to Eugene; \$1.

Dora A. Furnish to Geo. W. Servey tract 34 in Glenada Gardens; \$10.
J. N. McFadden to W. S. McFadden W 1/2 of SE 1/4 and lots 1, 2, sec. 29-15-4 W \$10.

Charles E. Shant to Jessie E. Van-Seoy SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of sec. 9-18-4 W; \$2000.
E. B. Baldwin to A. E. Lawrence; 40 acres in sec. 9 and 20 acres in sec. 10, and 40 acres in sec. 15, tp. 17, s. r. 4, e. \$1.
Bruno Vitus to N. B. Mann; 18.50 acres in sec. 24, tp. 17, s. r. 3, w. \$2775.

W. L. Jones to Hattie A. Wayman; lots 6 and 9, sec. 36, tp. 16, s. r. 4, w. \$10.
E. L. Beekman to E. B. Baldwin; 280 acres in tp. 17, s. r. 4, e. \$1.
Hattie A. Wayman to W. L. Jones; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 7, in Frazier & Berry's part of Florence, in Frazier.

Lena M. Graves to Jackson Hoover; 240 acres in sec. 16, tp. 16, s. r. 8, w. \$480.
A. J. Perkins to First National Bank of Springfield; lot in block 63, S. I. P. Co. ad to Springfield; \$1,000.

Arthur W. Sumers to Melville G. Evans; lots 19 and 20, block 109, in Washburne's sub div S. I. P. Co. ad to Springfield, \$10.
U. S. to William A. Morgan et ux; 320 acres in tp. 18, s. r. 4, w. Patent.

N. H. Martin to J. V. and L. C. Foster; 3 acres in sec. 35, tp. 20, s. r. 3, w. \$10.
J. D. Howard to G. M. Bonnett; lot 2, block 6, Scott's add to Eugene; lot 2, block 6, Ellsworth's add to Eugene, \$100.

Richard Bauer to Milton D. Mitchell; part of lot 7, block 17, original plat of Eugene, \$10.
Joseph V. Hoed to W. O. Cook 1 acre in D. L. C., 40 Tp. 17, 4-w. \$200.
Thomas J. Morrison to Elizabeth J. Morrison, lot on Willamette street, Eugene, \$1.
Elizabeth J. Morrison to Elmer E.

Morrison, \$10 lot on Willamette street, Eugene, \$10.

John F. Woodard to Arthur Needham, N 1/2 of 2W 1-4 and lots 3, 4, in Sec. 36-18-6 W, \$10.
E. A. Washburne et al to John H. Hynes, lot 3 in blk 1 of Kelly's add to Springfield, \$130.

Wilbur H. Hyland et ux to Ira D. Hyland, lots 6 in blk 1, lot 6 in blk 6, lot 8 in blk 10 and lot 7 in blk 13 of Lowell, \$500.
W. H. Hyland to Ira Hyland, lots 8, 9, 10 in blk 13 of Lowell, \$500.

Wilbur Hyland et ux to Ira Hyland, tract in sec. 11-19-1 w, 17 acres, \$650.
Anno Paulsen to Peter A. Pehrson, lots 5, 6, 7, in blk 11 of Washburne and Millhorn's add to Junction, \$1,000.

U. S. to Joe F. Clark, E 1-2 of NW 1-4 SW 1-4 of NW 1-4 of SW 1-4 of Sec. 34-18-10 W, 160 acres.
W. H. Kay to E. W. Hughes et ux, S. 58 feet of lot 5 in blk 10 of Skinner's donation to Eugene, \$100.

Joseph Sams to Sherman L. Godard, tract in sec. 4-21-3 W 1 acre, \$100.

HOMESEEKERS ARRIVE AT JUNCTION CITY

Thompkins Land Company's Special Car Comes in With Twenty-five

Special Correspondence.—Junction City, Jan. 6.—The Thompson Land & Immigration Co. have started from St. Paul and will arrive here today with a special car of twenty-five persons who have bought orchard land five miles west of Junction. The Commercial club is making arrangements for their entertainment while they are here. These gentlemen are but a few who will be here as the company has bought and hold options on 1700 acres of land in the Fruitdale tract.

The civic improvement company is getting the opinion of the residents of the city as to improvements that should be made and will report these soon.

The Junction City Commercial Club took in 36 new members Wednesday which makes its total membership 102. This is the largest club in the state considering the population of our city.

The new members of the city council were sworn in last Tuesday and have started in at once with those that held over to further improve our little city.



Great Clearance Sale at the Brownsville Woolen Mill Store

We have just completed our annual inventory, and following our usual custom in all the Brownsville Woolen Mill Stores in Portland, Eugene and Marshfield, we have taken out all the broken lines and small lots of goods and in many cases regular goods that we will not run this year, all these are now on sale at the lowest clearance prices we have ever advertised. Remember that we allow no exaggerations in our advertisements, or misrepresentations in the stores--you'll find the goods here exactly as mentioned in this ad.

Special Clearance Sale Men's Suits

21 Men's \$10 and \$15 Suits, clearance price \$5
36 Men's \$15 and \$20 Suits, clearance price \$10

Special Clearance Sale Men's Cravenettes

8 Priestly Cravenette Coats, sizes to 36, regular \$12.50, clearance price \$6.50

Special Clearance Sale Boys' Suits and Overcoats

23 Boys' \$4 to \$5 straight Pants Suits—Clearance price \$2.25
18 Boys' \$5 Knicker Suits, Clearance price \$3.00
30 Boys' Reefer & Buster Brown \$4.50 to \$6.00 Suits—Clearance price \$3.00
27 Boys' Presto and Military Overcoats, regular \$6.50 to \$12.50, Clearance \$5.00
6 Boys' Cravenette Coats, regular \$7.50; sizes to 34; Clearance price \$2.50

Special Clearance Sale Men's Hats

We find entirely too many hats in the store, therefore we have been very liberal in selecting a large quantity from our \$2.50 and \$3.00 lines which we offer at, clearance price .95c

Special Clearance Sale Men's Underwear

Broken lines of regular \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2 Underwear, clearance price \$1.95

Spec a Clearance Sale Men's Odd Vests

Odd vests are bound to accumulate around a store, many times a man does not wear a vest and only buys the coat and pants, leaving a good vest. 36 of them are in the lot, worth up to \$1.50 each; Clearance price 25c



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