

CITY NEWS

Goes to Portland on Business.
E. W. Merrill, of the McMorran & Washburne store, is a business visitor in Portland today.

Former Resident in City.
Orman Bean, architect, formerly engaged in business in Eugene, visited friends here over Sunday.

Came Here to Live.
J. A. McAllister and family have arrived from Seattle, and will make their home here, residing at 639 Oak street.

Mining Man Visiting Father.
J. C. Stanley, mining man, on his way to Chicago from Canada, today stopped in Eugene to visit with his father, C. S. Stanley.

Hotel Has New Night Clerk.
J. E. McDonald arrived in Eugene on Saturday from San Francisco, and will take the position of night clerk at the Hotel Osburn.

Will Attend Convention.
Dr. W. B. Lee and family left on Saturday by motor for Portland, where Dr. Lee will attend the state dentists' meeting.

Salem Man is Visitor.
Herbert Roome, of Salem, was a Eugene visitor yesterday. Mr. Roome was formerly an employee of the First National bank here.

Plan Two Weeks' Outing.
Mr. and Mrs. John Tryon will go to Westlake, Ore., July 3, for a two weeks' outing. Mr. Tryon is an employee of the First National bank.

Roseburg Men in City.
J. H. Hanson and S. J. Jones, of Roseburg, are business visitors in the city today. They have been looking over land with a view to making a purchase in Lane county.

Miss Myrtle Kays Here.
Miss Myrtle Kays, who is a graduate nurse at the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland, is in the city to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kays.

Home from Indiana Visit.
Mrs. L. L. Ray and little daughter, Margaret Lucile, returned home Saturday night, after a three months' visit with Mrs. Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Dugan, at Indianapolis.

Will Reside in California.
F. L. Dorman and daughter, Miss Verna Dorman, will leave Tuesday morning for Vallejo, Cal., where they will reside. Miss Dorman has a position with the navy on Mare Island.

Return from Motor Trip.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKevitt have returned from an extended motor trip to Seaside and up the Columbia highway and will leave here again on Tuesday for Oakridge, where they plan to spend some time in a further outing.

Motor to Portland and Tacoma.
Dr. R. T. Burnett, a dentist of the city, left Sunday with his family for a motor trip to Portland and Tacoma. The doctor will attend the dentists' convention in Portland, and afterwards they will go on to Tacoma for a week's visit.

Scrooges is Now Captain.
Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scrooge, of Irving, have received word that their son, E. F. Scrooge, has been advanced to the rank of captain. Scrooge, who is now serving his sixth year in the army, attended the public schools in Eugene, when his parents resided here.

Iowa Has Bumper Crops.
Chief of Police C. B. Christensen today received a letter from his wife, who is visiting with her mother at LeClaire, Ia. She states that the Iowa corn crop is three weeks ahead of normal growth as a result of an unusually favorable season. Other Iowa crops will give bumper yields, the letter states.

Change Clerical Forces.
Miss Beatrice Wetherbee has accepted a position in the fancy goods department of the McMorran & Washburne store. Miss Harriett Combs has accepted a position in the mail order department and Mrs. Ethel Stenler, formerly of the Friendly store, has been employed in the alterations department.

Potter to Enter Army.
H. L. Potter has disposed of his interest in the Cyle Supply company, at the corner of Ninth avenue east and Oak street, and will enter some branch of the army. Mr. Potter a few days ago sold a half interest to F. M. Robinson and yesterday completed a deal for the sale of the other half to L. C. Liston, formerly with the Overland garage.

New Manager at Woolworth's.
A. R. Goodside, formerly of the Woolworth store in Oakland, Cal., arrived in this city on Saturday, and will take the position of manager of the local Woolworth store. He takes the place of Elmer Bundgaard, who goes to Sheridan, Wyo., to be the manager of the company's store there.

Willamette at Low Stage.
The Willamette river at Eugene during the month of June has been at the lowest stage for the month in nine years, according to the records of Lee Goetschius, federal river observer. The mean stage of the river for the month was 2.3 inches. His rainfall record shows a total precipitation for the month of .62 of an inch, as compared with an average of about two inches.

Files Two Civil Suits.
Cal Eaton, a Eugene cattle buyer, filed two suits in the Lane county circuit court Saturday afternoon, against the Southern Pacific company. In one suit he sets forth three causes of action and asks damages in the aggregate sum of \$417 for injury to livestock in shipments between Cushman and Portland, Canby and Creswell, and from King City, Cal., to Grand Junction, Colo. In the second suit he asks damages for personal injuries in the sum of \$2500. He alleges that one of his hands has been permanently injured as a result

WHOLESALE POISON PLOT IS UNCOVERED

Police and Hotel Employees Claim Attempt Made on Women's Lives at Dinner.

San Francisco, Cal., July 1.—A wholesale attempt to poison guests at a luncheon of the Women's Service association was charged today by police and employees of the Fairmont hotel.

Miss Marion Russell and Mrs. F. A. Swain were said to have suffered from the effects of poison in food they ate at the luncheon and other guests became ill.

A crude notice was found tacked to a wall in the hotel kitchen. It was signed "German and Austrian employees of the Fairmont."

Guests at the luncheon declare they received anonymous telephone warnings that attempts would be made to poison them.

The Women's Service association has been engaged in finding employment for soldiers' wives. Officers of the association declare they have been the target for a studied campaign of abuse by men in whose positions they tried to put women.

of an accident due to carelessness of trainmen on the trip from King City, Cal., to Grand Junction.

Cashier of Springfield Bank.
L. C. Hull, formerly cashier of the Lane county bank in Eugene, has been elected cashier of the First National bank of Springfield. Mr. Hull has been prominent in financial affairs here for a number of years. He returned to Oregon about a week ago, after spending the winter in Claremont, Cal., where his son, Wilbur, attended Pomona college. The Lane County bank occupied the rooms now occupied by the Bank of Commerce.

Dan Wilson Insane.
Dan Wilson, who was arrested May 27 and sentenced to 30 days in jail for vagrancy, was today adjudged insane. Wilson had been employed on a ranch near Eugene, since his release from jail. He annoyed the farmer's wife, who ran him off the place with a shotgun. He was taken into custody Saturday and given a hearing to determine his sanity this morning. He was first taken into custody. The officers know little about his past history.

Seek to Recover on Notes.
J. H. Hawley is plaintiff in a suit filed in the circuit court Saturday against D. L. Miller and Sophia A. Miller, seeking a judgment in the sum of \$1000 with interest at the rate of 8 per cent from November 1, 1916, and \$150 attorney fee, with the foreclosure of a mortgage. Williams and Bean and attorneys for the plaintiff, C. N. Johnston has filed suit against J. H. Miller for the recovery of the sum of \$137, alleged due on a promissory note given to Elijah W. Standley, with \$31.10 interest to June 11, 1918, and 10 per cent interest on \$137 from June 11, 1918, to date and \$20 attorney fee, also \$203.78 with 6 per cent interest from May 22, 1917.

Canneries to Work July 4.
There will be no holiday in the canning plants of Lane county on the Fourth of July, according to an announcement made by the Eugene Fruit Growers' association operating canneries in Eugene, Creswell and Junction City, owing to a shortage of labor and the necessity for handling fruit at once to prevent waste. The saving of the fruit crop this year is looked upon as a patriotic duty, and also as a matter of vital importance to the community because of dry weather which threatens a shortage of other crops. Manager J. O. Holt, of the association, stated that 216 women and girls were working today and that the supply of fruit arriving at the cannery was easing up a little.

Former Diplomatist Goes to Jail on Serious Charges.

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Charles Emil Strangeland, a former secretary in the American embassy in London, charged with violation of the Espionage Act, is in the Tombs Prison in New York City. He had written code letters to his wife in Copenhagen, Denmark. He had been employed as an accountant with the Bethlehem Steel Company.

OUR ORGANIZATION NOW COMPRISES 37 PEOPLE, ALL SKILLED IN THEIR VARIOUS DEPTS. TO RENDER YOU SATISFACTORY SERVICE.

Shop at McMorran & Washburne's Wednesday Evening, when it is cool. Band Concert 8 to 9 p. m. on Willamette St.

Editorial On Work

What a boon is work. Work is action applied to useful purpose, and action is the secret of life. Work dissolves care and prevents pessimism. It refreshes and renews body and spirit.

Work will win the war; will cool the worry of warm days; will bring you all the good things that you want.

And there is no scarcity of work. If you haven't any, borrow some to start on, by helping the first person you see who has a little too much. The magnetic force of your action will bring you more work, good health and contentment.

Besides you will be really helping to win the war.

McMorran & Washburne

A wonderful lot of 50 dozen 20 x 36

Turkish Bath Towels at 25c Each.

This is an offering not likely to be passed over, because very few homes have all the towels they can use and this is an opportunity to replenish and save quite a little sum of money in so doing. Splendid weight towels in good usable size and an exceptional value at 25c each.

WE RECOMMEND Renfrew Devonshire Cloth 32-Inch.

A Yarn-Dyed Fabric. "Outwears Galatea."

The Family Wash Fabric.

House and Outing Dresses, Children's School Clothes, Boys' Wash Suits, Rompers and Creepers.

McMorran & Washburne



HOT—HOTTER HOTTEST SNAPPY DAYS \$2.00

Men—have you seen the straws that we are showing at \$2? Notice the big window today and you'll want one or two, and \$2 is a mighty little price for them.

Men's Section, First Floor.

McMorran & Washburne

Notice of Error in Ad.

We recently advertised in the Guard, "Men's Nainsook Athletic Union Suits in B. V. D. Style." This was an error. "The B. V. D. Company" having complained of this use of their trade mark, these not being B. V. D. goods, we wish to say that hereafter, so that the public may receive right service we will only refer to the trade mark B. V. D. to advertise goods bearing the label B. V. D. as we have no desire to infringe in any way on the B. V. D. company's trade mark rights.

The garments advertised were, as we mentioned, very similar to B. V. D. and in mentioning that they were similar we did not think that we were infringing upon their wishes.

July 1 McMorran & Washburne.

WANTED—Girls and women to volunteer services for canning fruit for soldiers. Phone to Mrs. A. T. Cokerline or register at the headquarters of the National League for Women's Service at Coe's Bookstore; open from 2 to 4:30 every afternoon.



Help Stamp the Trail to Berlin

Don't leave it all to the other fellow. Everybody everywhere must constantly help in some way to defeat Prussianism. Just now the big thing to do is to invest every idle quarter in War Savings Stamps. Stamps on sale at our office.

START TODAY—BUY A STAMP A DAY.



SURELY YOU HAVE SOME OLD LEATHER LYING AROUND THE HOUSE.

The Chapter H, P. E. O. Sisterhood wants it, the soldiers need it. Get busy; bring us all old gloves, shoes, leather pillow tops—in fact any kind of leather. They use it to make jackets for the soldiers to wear next winter.

DON'T DELAY—DO IT TODAY.

Leave the leather at our office on balcony and we will deliver to proper place.



STORE OPEN WEDNESDAY EVENING UNTIL 8:30 P. M.

That we may better serve our thousands of out of town patrons, who will be in Eugene for the Home Guard celebration, we will remain open until 8:30 p. m.

Our store will close at 12:30 p. m. Thursday, July 4, and re-open again from 5 to 5:30.

When in town make use of our phones, rest rooms, stationery, accommodation desk, etc.

Our Tremendous Stocks, Our Unexcelled Service,

Our Large and Capable Organization Added to Our Unquestioned

Financial Strength Now Enables Us to Do the Largest Business in the Willamette Valley



We invite the people of Lane County to participate in the many Fourth of July Specials that are now being offered by us. Our prices in most cases are less than present wholesale.

850 Yards of Beautiful White Materials, Values to 75c a Yard Tomorrow 19c Yard

25 pieces—850 yards of our finest white dress materials, novelty fabrics for blouses and dresses, 27 to 40 in. wide in woven and embroidered stripes and figures. You'll be delighted at these fabrics and more than pleased with the price.

VERY SPECIAL TOMORROW, 19c YARD.

High Colors in Sport Flannels \$1.50 to \$3.00

Just the thing for summer sport coats, jackets, suits, skirts, etc. An all-wool cloth 27 inches wide and comes in robin's egg blue, electric blue, blue devil blue, sapphire, cardinal, Copen, navy, Reseda, emerald, pink, coral, tan, yellow. See these tomorrow in Dress Goods Section, first floor.

Men, Celebrate the 4th In a New Chesterfield Suit

1500 highest grade men's and young men's Suits are here, ready for you to select from. Every garment is all-wool—all are hand tailored.

Chesterfield, Hirsch-Wickwire, Styleplus and Griffin

\$20 to \$40

Boys Should Celebrate the Fourth in American Boy Suits

\$10.00

With Two Pairs of Pants

American Boy Suits are positively the best boys' clothes made—that's why we sell them. Many of these suits are all wool and some have two pairs of pants.

American Boy Magazine Free with every suit.

Boys' Kaynee Summer Blouses at 75c.

You can't get better blouses even though you pay more. Kaynee Blouses come for boys from 4 to 15 years, absolutely fast colored fabrics. Light and dark patterns, also black, white, tan and gray.

MARX-MADE TROUSERS FOR MEN \$2.50 TO \$10 PAIR.

Men's Department, First Floor.

FOURTH OF JULY BUNTING, 10c
2000 yards of best grade Fourth of July Bunting in three patterns. Phone your orders and we will hold for you.

McMorran & Washburne

25—Busy Stores in One—25
'The Store with a Conscience'



Values to \$45 Beautiful Silk Dresses on Sale Tomorrow at \$26.50

Just 20 in the lot, and every one a Dream. Dresses that are very suitable for street, office, afternoon or dinner wear. They come in a big range of colors and in the most favored materials.

Buy Women's Coats and Suits Tomorrow by all Means

Coats \$29.50 Suits \$23.75

Handsome, stylish, stunning new suits and coats at these little prices. All are of newest materials and in prettiest colors.

Garment Section, Second Floor.

\$2.50 Women's Gloves \$1.98

22 dozen fine doeskin gloves in white, biscuit and tan shades. All sizes, 5½ to 7½—SPECIAL, \$1.98.

CHAMOISUEDE GLOVES, \$1.00 TO \$1.25.

Colors are gray, white, black, self and contrasting stitching. All sizes.

FAST COLORED AMERICAN FLAGS, 5c to \$10.

All sizes and styles in service and regulation flags, both in cotton, wool and silk.

Casualties with Pershing Number 49—5 Are Killed

Washington, July 1.—General Pershing reported 40 American expeditionary forces casualties today, divided as follows: Killed in action 5, died of wounds 4, died of disease 7, died from aeroplane accident 1, died from accident or other causes 5, wounded severely 20, missing in action 1.

The list does not include the names of any Oregon boys.

Crew of Californian Is Landed at French Port

Washington, July 1.—The crew of the American steamship Californian has been landed at a French port, the navy department announced today. Several days ago Vice-Admiral Sims reported that the Californian had struck a mine and was sinking. The Californian was an American vessel of 9,125 tons and was being used as an army supply ship.

DUAL CELEBRATION HELD

Rome, July 1.—A huge Italian-American demonstration was staged at Janiculum, a suburb, yesterday. A prominent citizen explained America's part in the war and expressed Italy's loyalty to the allies.

THIRTEEN DESTROYERS READY

Washington, July 1.—Thirteen new destroyers will be launched from American yards July 4, the navy department announced today.

Phone S. E. Stevens for piano tunings.

The New York American says:
"Tarsan is like nothing ever before seen. One wonders how it can ever keep up its speed." It will be shown at the Rex and Orpheum next Friday and Saturday, July 1 and 2.

WANTED CHICKENS
Early tomorrow morning. Phone 850-J. Tamale Factory, 682 Oak st. if

Try the Guard "Want Ad Way"