

### SCHOOL CHILDREN WRITE ON THRIFT

Eugene school children are taking keen interest in the "Thrift" essay contest this year, reports Joseph T. Glenn, city superintendent of schools, and chairman of the essay contest.

Pupils of the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades will write essays of from 250 to 500 words on the general subject of thrift. Mr. Glenn says: "It is intended that the pupils in their essays give instances of practical thrift in their own lives."

Essays are to be prepared in connection with the English work of the rooms during Thrift week, and are to be ready to be placed in the hands of the judges by Friday, January 23. The essays are to be written at school and are to represent the pupil's original composition.

Judges will not be asked to pass on all the essays that are written but from each room two or three of the best essays will be selected by the pupils and teachers. These will be turned over to the judges who will select a first, second, and third choice for each of the six buildings.

At all the schools speakers discussed the subject of thrift on Tuesday. The pupils appear to be taking a lively interest in the contest. Prizes of \$3, \$2, and \$1 will be awarded for the three best essays from each building. The prizes will be in the form of an initial deposit in a savings bank account.

### SHERIFFS TO MEET IN ANNUAL SESSION

Prohibition law enforcement will be the chief topic to be discussed at the annual session of the Oregon State Sheriffs' association, which will be held at the Multnomah county courthouse at Portland, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, according to word received by Sheriff Frank E. Taylor of Lane. One of the features of the convention will be a banquet Friday noon at the county jail. Government, state, county and city officials have been invited to attend the banquet, is the announcement.

Expectations are that every county in Oregon will be represented at the meetings which are expected to develop considerable interest with discussion of the state prohibition department looming as one phase of the sessions.

### Noted Writer to be Assembly Lecturer

Dr. Thomas Curtin, who speaks at the University of Oregon assembly Thursday morning, received his title of "historian of the state" from the making of his varied career as newspaper correspondent, writer, traveler and lecturer, it is announced. During the war Mr. Curtin was the war correspondent for the London Daily Mail and saw service on 18 battle fronts.

Mr. Curtin has met and talked with leaders of nine of the most important European countries as a special writer and investigator. While at the university he will meet the history classes and Dean Allen's editing class, in special sessions.

### Contract Let For Erection of Home

Contracts for the erection of the new home of George H. McMoran on Fairmount heights have been let to Stica brothers, building contractors, of this city. The excavation and basement walls of the new home which will adjoin the home of Carl G. Washburne were recently completed and work will be under way at the English 179c house. Several other homes in the Fairmount heights district are contemplated during the coming spring, it is indicated.

### Lodge Team Plans Visit to Initiation

Members of the degree team of the Eugene lodge of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will go to Salem to direct the initiation of a large class of candidates for the lodge there early next month, is the announcement today. All candidates making application for membership in the Eugene lodge will enter the order at a big initiation planned for February 23 at the time of the visit of the national president of the F. O. E. The Eugene Eagles will hold a basket social and entertainment at the local hall the evening of February 27.

### Judge Hamilton is Appointed Regent

Judge J. W. Hamilton of Roseburg has been reappointed as a member of the board of regents of the University of Oregon for a term of 12 years after completing 24 years as one of the directors of the institution. The reappointment of Judge Hamilton sets at rest a rumor current at the last meeting of the regents held here that the judge was to submit his resignation and would decline to accept another term. The appointment of Judge Hamilton was announced yesterday by Governor Pierce.

### Officers Named by County Fair Board

Annual election of officers was held by the board of directors of the Lane County Fair association yesterday, and E. U. Lee of the Title Abstract company of Eugene was named president for the coming year. W. L. Wheeler of Trent, vice-president, and William B. Robertson of Eugene, secretary-treasurer.

Clinton Hard, county commissioner, is the retiring president of the association, and W. A. Ayres, retiring secretary. The meeting was held in the office of the former secretary at the courthouse, and another meeting will be called to formulate plans for the fair this year, it was announced.

### WOMEN'S CLUBS, SOCIAL, PERSONAL

By MARIAN LOWRY  
Club Items Should Be Phoned To the Society Editor Between 8:30 A. M. and 11:30 A. M. Telephone Number 1200

Much interest is manifest by Eugene society in the annual benefit orange tea which is to be given Saturday by members of the Eugene Daughters of the Nile club at the Osburn hotel between the hours of two and five o'clock. It will be the largest affair of the week, and plans are being made to have sewing in the parlor of the hotel, bridge in the parlor room, and whist and ice-cream in the oriental tea room. There will be a program of music and other entertainment given in both the parlor and the palm room. Mrs. E. A. Droste is general chairman for the affair and is assisted by a large committee of others. Proceeds from the tea are to be used in aiding the crippled children in the Shrane hospital in Portland.

A merry party planned for this evening is that of the Kill Kare Klub, members of which will entertain their husbands at the home of Mrs. Maude T. Bryan in Springfield. The party is an annual event. The club has in its membership both Eugene and Springfield residents.

Mrs. Frederic S. Dunn will be hostess to members of Thimble club at her home tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. F. L. Poindexter will entertain the Kill Kare Klub at her home, 1724 Lawrence tomorrow afternoon for its regular meeting.

Inter Se club members are to

sponsor a congenial affair this evening when they meet at the Osburn hotel for a no-host dinner, entertaining as special guests their husbands. The committee in charge is Mrs. W. W. Calkins, Mrs. David Link, Mrs. Seth Laraway, Mrs. T. C. White.

Mrs. W. O. Swan will entertain at a one o'clock luncheon tomorrow for the U. D. Bridge club.

Members of the Eugene Business and Professional Women's club will meet at the Osburn hotel Thursday noon for a luncheon and general meeting.

A very important meeting of the Fortnightly club is planned for Thursday when members gather at twelve forty-five o'clock for a luncheon at the Osburn hotel. It will be an "Oregon Products" luncheon. At the meeting following there will be election of officers.

Genevieve Bridge club members will be guests of Mrs. A. P. McKinney at her home, 550 Fourteenth avenue east, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kuykendall will be hosts to members of the Little Club Around the Corner for their meeting Thursday evening at their home, 1250 Willamette street.

### Have You a Hound? Better Get Him a New License Today

All dogs in Eugene, whether they are Pomeranian pups, Russian wolf-hounds or just plain hounds are out on the streets of Eugene during the month of January.

But on and after February 1 every animal for which a license has not been purchased is liable to capture and will be impounded, and the owner of the dog will be liable for the cost of the impoundment. Owners of the dogs have a month in which to obtain the license under the new law, which is now in effect.

A special officer will be employed by the city to check up on dogs February 1, says Hamey Hugh of the police committee. Strict enforcement of the "dog" ordinance is prospected.

### Altar Guild Name Officers For Year

Officers for the coming year were elected at the annual meeting of the St. Marys altar guild held last evening at the home of Mrs. Lillis W. Pittman. The new officers are: Mrs. A. H. Tyson, president; Mrs. Edna Swartz, vice-president; Mrs. G. M. DeBrook, secretary; Mrs. J. F. Gerot, treasurer. Mrs. DeMott McMoran was elected to membership in the guild.

The following members were present for the meeting: Mrs. Clara A. Lee, Mrs. Lillis W. Pittman, Mrs. Flora Macdonald, Mrs. A. H. Tyson, Mrs. Roy S. Woodruff, Mrs. J. F. Gerot, Mrs. Herbert Smeed, Mrs. Frederick G. Jennings, Mrs. Ellsworth Crocker, Mrs. G. M. DeBrook, Mrs. H. W. Woolley, Miss Juliette C. Gibson, Rev. Frederick G. Jennings.

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### Students Hear of Chamber Activity

Eugene Chadwick, secretary of the Eugene chamber of commerce, was the speaker at a meeting of the junior chamber of the Eugene high school this forenoon. Mr. Chadwick addressed the students on the activities of the local chamber and its larger program of co-operation with similar organizations for state and national progress and development. The junior chamber of the E. H. S. is arousing considerable interest especially among the students who are looking forward to business careers, according to school officials.

### Stage Driver Pays Fine For Speeding

Another stage driver attempting to make train time on the state highway fell foul of the law yesterday and paid \$15 in the Crawford justice court for his burst of speed near that city Harry Shade at the wheel of a south-bound Pickwick on the way to San Francisco was halted by Melvin Turnbull, county traffic officer, who reported that a speed of between 35 and 40 miles was maintained by the big bus.

### Talks Slated For Sheriffs' Meeting

Clyde N. Johnston, former district attorney of Lane, will be one of the



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speakers at the annual convention of the sheriffs of Oregon which opens tomorrow at Portland for a three-day session. Mr. Johnston has been asked to speak on any topic he desires and states that he will recommend that a study of the code be taken up as in many cases enforcement officers fail to note what evidence is necessary for convictions. Sheriff Frank E. Taylor left for Portland today to attend the meeting. Friday and Saturday will be devoted to a speaking program, is the announcement.

### M. H. Elliott Asks \$50 For Contract On Garbage Ground

Although the city of Eugene has abandoned the H. M. Elliott dump ground site originally planned on South Alder street, Mr. Elliott has filed a statement against the city, asking for \$50 due on the contract. The agreement with Mr. Elliott, as originally projected, was that he be paid \$50 a month for the use of his premises as a garbage dump.

Charles M. Stevens, former city attorney, declared that, although not signed by Mayor E. B. Parks, the contract nevertheless was in effect. It is understood that the new city attorney has indicated that the contract is not binding.

No action has yet been taken on Mr. Elliott's claim.

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### Eugene and Lane Disabled Men Are Affected by Rule

Army and Navy departments and the United States Veterans' bureau have agreed to a joint regulation authorizing commanding officers of Veterans' bureau hospitals to make application for adjusted compensation in their care for whom local guardians have been appointed.

This information was received today by Miss Grace Norton, secretary of the Red Cross, who says it will affect several Lane county men in government hospitals, and their dependents or beneficiaries in Eugene and Lane county.

The director of the Veterans' bureau has instructed commanding officers that no beneficiary other than the veteran or veteran's estate shall be named in such applications. Commanding officers of army and navy hospitals are included in this regulation, Miss Norton says.

### Hints For Women

More important to women than the question of food, the latest fancy work to beautify the home or points in etiquette or dress, is the subject of health. There are thousands of women everywhere affected with stubborn ailments which make life a burden. These ailments may be easily overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is a woman's medicine for women's ills prepared from roots and herbs. After three generations of success it is recognized as the standard remedy for such ailments.

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