TE SECRETARY HERE

KOZER NON-COMMITTAL ON GOVERNORSHIP

ks on State Automobile Tax e Given by Officer; With Regents Today

ping and non-committal, Sam ner, secretary of state, ar- in Eugene last night to at- the meeting of the University regon board of regents today.

Kozer did not announce his didacy for the governorship of on. He did not even admit he would run.

t you can say that I am ly considering a guberna- campaign," he added. "I been urged by friends from rts of the state to run, but 't made up my mind to an- e it."

secretary of state did, how- grant an interview, and gave ome statistics about the gas- tax, the number of automo- licensed in Oregon, and the that the automobile tax was r by far than the property

income to the state by au- bile registrations has grown e rate of about $700,000 a since 1922, he said, and added in the period from January 1 cember 31, 1925, the total nt received by the state was 791.78. This was balanced st the sum of $2,334,931.25 ed in 1921.

ere there were 168,412 mo- hicles in Oregon in 1923, are 216,553 now, and Mr. is not sure but that the er for January of 1926 will tstrip those for the same a year ago.

OBSERVE BIRTHDAYS

T. U. WILL HOLD MEETING WEDNESDAY

W. C. T. U. meeting on Wed- of this week will take the of a birthday party according nouncement by Mrs. Roy s, who has charge of ar- ments. Seven of the members cent birthdays and these will ebrated.

afternoon will be spent in sewing and fancy work followed by a social hour and refreshments. The committee that has charge is headed by Mrs. Carrie Norris.

It is announced that all W. C. T. U. members and friends are invited and a silver offering will be taken for the week-day Bible school.

The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. L. L. Woods at 734 Fourteenth avenue east.

JEWELRY STORE IS SOLD

HERB GREEN SELLS OUT TO C. C. CARTER

New Owner formerly In Business Here, Takes Possession of Place on Eighth Avenue West

C. C. Carter, for 13 years in the jewelry business in this city and who has been in Portland for the past year or more, has purchased

C. C. Carter

Herb Green's new jewelry store at 22 Eighth avenue west, and took charge yesterday.

Mr. Green was a partner with W. W. Bristow in the Luckey jewelry store prior to his moving to Portland, where he was engaged in the wholesale jewelry business.

Mr. Green opened his store last fall and has enjoyed a good business. He has not announced his plans for the future.

BARBER SHOP IS SOLD

SMITH AND HICKATHIER SELL TO BEND MAN

Roy Marcum for a number of years engaged in the barber business at Bend has bought the Oregon barber shop on the east side of Willamette street between Eighth and Ninth avenues from Bert Smith and O. E. Hickathier and has taken possession.

This is one of the oldest shops in Eugene, having been established many years ago.

Mr. Marcum was employed at the Lotus shop in Bend and later in the Metropolitan shop there.

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THREE BROTHERS HELD

VIOLATIONS OF LIQUOR AND GAME LAWS ALLEGED

Trio in Jail Here Give Lane County Authorities Few Minutes of Excitement

George, Ernest and Leonard Ready, brothers of the lower Siuslaw district, are in the county jail here today facing charges that involve liquor and game law violations as the culmination of a week-end trip taken by local authorities.

Apprehension of George and Ernest Ready early yesterday morning followed a moment or two of excitement in which a gun, a shattered cabin window, and a jug of moonshine whisky were said to have figured.

According to the story told at the county jail last night upon the return of the officers and the trio, an automatic pistol pointed through a shattered window, was tossed on a bed when the deputies broke down the door and forced their way into the cabin.

The window was broken, they said, when an attempt was made by one of the men to discard a jug of moonshine. A quantity of liquor was brought back to Eugene to be used as evidence against the men. In another part of the cabin the officers alleged they found venison, and a sample of that was also brought back.

George and Ernest were arrested in the cabin, situated near the station of Siboco, about a mile south of Cushman. Leonard was arrested at Florence yesterday afternoon. The first two face the venison possession charge.

Armed with search warrants, the officers left Eugene at midnight Sunday, waited until daybreak and raided the Ready cabin. They returned to the city at midnight last night.

NAME MORE PATROLMEN

NAMES SEVEN ADDITIONAL ROAD MEN ANNOUNCED

Two reappointments Made by County Court and Rest are New Men on Job

The list of county road patrolmen was completed yesterday by the county court, seven appointments having been announced that were withheld at the time the main body of them were named a few days ago. The new appointments are as follows:

No. 14.—C. A. Van Scholack, Dorena, re-appointed.
No. 23. — Asher Veach, Fall Creek.
No. 27.—A. E. Ellingsen, Point Terrace.
No. 41.—William Maloy, Junction City, R. F. D. No. 1.
No. 43.—C. E. Duckworth, Elmira, re-appointed.
No. 59.—L. W. Newcomb, Canary.
No. 80.—A. J. Brinkley, Eugene, motor route A.

MEN'S CHORUS TO MEET

MORE MEMBERS ARE WANTED BY ORGANIZATION

First rehearsals of the men's chorus recently organized at the chamber of commerce will be held in the chamber rooms tonight at 8 o'clock, it was announced yesterday by Hugh Winder.

The music work will follow a short business session in which the name of the organization will be adopted and its purpose as a Tuesday night music club outlined to prospective new members.

"It is the wish of all those interested in the cultural advancement of the city, to make this chorus an outstanding success, not only in our part of the state, but of the whole Northwest," said Mr. Winder yesterday. "If it can be done, Eugene will do it," he added.

There are approximately 65 men signed up and the membership is open to anyone and Mr. Winder urgently requested any newcomers in the city to join.

HENRY H. RUTH IS DEAD

FORMER KANSAS MAN RESIDENT HERE SINCE 1908

Henry H. Ruth, 63, resident of Eugene for the last 18 years, died at his home, 228 Twelfth avenue east Sunday, following a lingering illness.

Funeral services will be held at the Veatch funeral home at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. A. H. Saunders, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, will officiate and interment will be in the Laurel Hill cemetery.

Mr. Ruth was a member of the Presbyterian church and the Modern Woodmen of America. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lou Ruth, and two sons, Harry B. of Eugene and John B. of Los Angeles, Cal. He came here from Topeka, Kan., in 1908.

50 BOYS ARE EXPECTED

PROGRAM FOR CONFERENCE IS NOT COMPLETED

Approximately 50 boys are expected to attend the older boys' conference which will be held at the Y. M. C. A. here January 30 and 31, it was said last night, when a check was made of replies to invitations which had been sent to all communities of Lane county.

Details of the program for the conference have not been fully prepared and as yet no speaker has been obtained, according to W. P. Walter, assistant boys' work secretary, who sponsored the conference movement in Eugene.

Registration cards were in the mails yesterday.

CLASS OPENS THURSDAY

NINE SEEK LESSONS IN PUBLIC SPEAKING

The first lesson in public speaking in the course adopted at the Y. M. C. A. for local business and professional men, will be given Thursday night by Professor B. A. Gilkinson of the University of Oregon.

Nine people have enrolled in the class. They are as follows: John Campbell, M. B. Stegner, Elisha Large, Dr. Sherman W. Moody, Dr. W. D. Lee, Harry T. Shea, R. U. Steelquist, Vernon B. Payne and James W. Presby.

Read Register Classified Ads.

The Coolidges at Home

Latest photograph of the Coolidge family taken on the White House grounds while John Coolidge was home from college for New Year's.

BRAINS NEEDED ON GRID

SCHOLARLY PLAYERS SOUGHT BY OREGON COACH

Kiwanis Club Hears Captain McEwan, Scout Executive, and District Trustee Report

Good football players have brains, are naturally good students, and the exception is rare, according to Captain John J. McEwan, new coach of the University of Oregon, who was the principal speaker at the Kiwanis club luncheon meeting yesterday noon.

Captain McEwan qualified his remarks by saying that if the player didn't have the brains to be a good student, he didn't have enough of them to be a good football player. Scholarship will be one of the aims of the new coach in the development of his team here this year.

It takes time to develop a winning team, the ex-army officer said, in asking for the co-operation of the Eugene Business men. He made no promises for the future of Oregon, but said that he was pleased with the reception accorded him in this city and that he would give his best to make a winning grid machine at the university.

Football is the greatest of all college sports, he said, and is not alone played for the benefit of a few stars, but rather for the entire school.

John H. Piper, regional scout executive of Spokane, who is in the city to assist in the financial campaign of the Lane county council, gave a brief sketch of scouting activities and urged the support of the people here to continue the movement.

R. S. Bryson, district trustee of the Eugene Kiwanis club, gave a report of the meeting of district trustees held in Portland recently.

CHURCH CHARTER CLOSED

LUTHERANS HAVE 165 ON MEMBERSHIP BOOK

Sunday School Lessons Are Arranged; Visiting Pastors Will Be Entertained

Charter membership in the Eugene Evangelical Lutheran church (American) was closed at a meeting of the council held in the Y. M. C. A. bungalow last night, with 165 names on the roll book.

Following a report of the membership committee, the church music committee was instructed to make a report at the choir organization meeting to be held in the O. P. Nordling home, 970 Seventh avenue west, tonight.

The Sunday school committee was authorized to draw on the general fund for advance supplies and the international uniform Sunday school lessons were decided on as the lessons to be used here.

The recording secretary was instructed to prepare entertainment for visiting ministers who will peach in Eugene this month and next.

SPARTANS TO BE GUESTS

CLUB INVITED TO SOCIETY DINNER TONIGHT

Spartan Comrades will be the special guests of Austin Dodds at the St. Andrews' society dinner to be held in the Central Presbyterian church tonight.

Invitation to attend the dinner and entertainment was extended to the club yesterday. Mr. Dodds is father of one of the boys in the Spartan club, of which W. P. Walter, boys' work secretary of the Y. M. C. A. is the leader.

SCOUT CAMPAIGN OPENS

HEADQUARTERS IN ROOM 19 IN BANK BUILDING

Team Captains Organized at Meeting in Chamber of Commerce Rooms Last Night

Twenty-seven team captains will open the Boy Scout financial campaign in Eugene today.

This number was elected last night at the final campaign committee meeting held in the chamber of commerce rooms when Lynn S. McCready, president of the Lane county council and John H. Piper, regional director of the Boy Scout movement were present.

Each of the 27 captains will open their drive this morning with the selection of from eight to 10 men to assist, and by actively soliciting the city.

Those who will lead the teams are as follows: K. C. Ables, George Turnbull, Carl Baker, T. I. Chapman, Frank Fay Eddy, T. M. Gerow, Mark Hathaway, J. Matt Johnson, Melville S. Jones, Keith Kiggins, Elisha Large, C. Lombard, E. Ludlow, A. W. Morris, George Miller, W. E. Moxley, Ray O'Donnell, Dell Oberteuffer, J. K. Pratt, Lon Roberts, M. Sweet, H. White, C. P. Tillman, Wallace Wintler, Taylor C. White, J. M. Carr and E. R. Gilstrap.

There were 40 local men interested in the scout movement at the meeting last night.

Headquarters for the drive will be opened in room 19 in the First National bank building this morning where Leland Johnson, George Hitchcock and Harry S. Dunbar, finance drive committeemen, will attend the details of the campaign.

PROWLER SCARED AWAY

THIEF BREAKS INTO HOME OF DR. DONAHUE

Call for Police Believed to Have Frightened Man Who Disappears Without Booty

The home of Dr. C. D. Donahue, local physician residing at 972 Twelfth avenue west, was entered by a prowler early Monday morning, it was reported yesterday.

Nothing was missed and it is believed that a call for the night police frightened the intruder away, before an opportunity had been reached to ransack the premises.

Dr. Donahue, it was said, heard a man in the house at about 3:30 o'clock in the morning and following investigation, called for the officers.

OIL COMPANY IS FINED

STANDARD ASSESSED $8 FOR HAVING NO LIGHTS

The Standard Oil company was fined $8 in police court yesterday on a charge of failing to display lights on its cars at night. The extra sum was assessed for the reason that several citations to appear were made and were ignored, it was stated at the office of Police Judge Gilmore yesterday.

Others fined $2 each for failure to have lights are Jack Van Duyn, E. L. McKenney, J. M. Gambill, V. L. Baldwin, Mrs. Ruth Carter, C. L. Awbrey and W. A. McClain. E. L. Perry was fined $2 for letting his motor run unattended.

Rail Magnate

O. P. Van Sweringen, Cleveland will become the outstanding railway magnate of the country if the Interstate Commerce Commission approves his plan to merge five large railways into one system, making another great trunk line from St. Louis and Chicago to New York. Decision is expected soon.

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Victory Pillow Cases, 42x36	29c
Cannon Medium Size Huck Towels	15c
Heavy Turkish Towels, Colored borders, 22x44	59c
Good Quality Turkish Towels	23c

Yard Goods

Bleached Hope Muslin, 36-inch width, per yard	15c
Pequot Pillow Tubing, 42-inch, per yard	45c
Bleached Sheeting, 81-inch width, per yard	49c
Fancy Outing Flannel, 36 inch width, per yard	23c
Cotton Charmeuse, 36 inch width, per yard	49c
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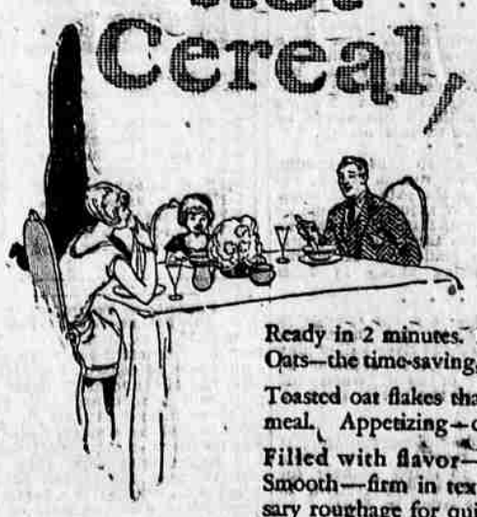

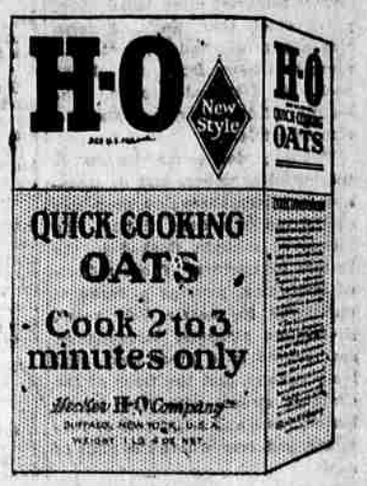

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