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DUN'S WEEKLY REPORT ON BUSINESS CONDITIONS

"Trade in most important branches continues to show a satisfactory gain over last year in volume of transactions. Business sentiment, however, while confident, is conservative. A notable development is the marked increase in railroad activity. While track construction is at low ebb, the railroads are, with conspicuous energy, adding to their rolling stock and extending their terminal and other facilities for handling both freight and passengers. This creates a notable demand for iron both freight and passengers. This creates a notable demand for iron and steel which now constitutes the most important factor in that trade. Railroad earnings continue large, the record of gross earnings for the first week of January showing a gain of 11.6 per cent.— the largest increase in over a year -but this in part is accounted for by the weather conditions, which are exceptionally favorable for railroad traffic. The copper trade is the only great industry which does not report current improve-ment. The dry goods market is not only more active than last per cent., respectively, over the preceding two years. The wheat "Our good friend Colonel per cent. Tespecation of the preceding two years. The wheat and cotton markets displayed conhard conhard cotton markets displayed conhard conh

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The Albany Democrat as an essential part of his operating expenses.

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"And what is infinitely more important to the local editor, every local editor is the center of a great national distributing agency. He is the owner and controller of his own "zone." The parcel post divided into some is a bad idea. There should be only one zone, and that should be the national and to the local advertiser are multiplied by ten.

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"But the individual zone of the in dividual editor is a very good thing, a fortunate thing for him, since it means that he alone possesses the power to put manufacturers, merchants, and all that advertise in immediate contact with a certain class of readers whom he alone can ad dress personally every day or every week and to whom the United States will immediately deliver parcels, or dered as a result of intelligent advertising.

Herman Wise.

In our Judgment, no man in the state is better qualified for the position of Collector of Internal Revenue than Herman Wise of

reprint the same in full:

"Well done, thou good and faithful servant." This is what all Oregon year, but enjoys a satisfactory outlook for the coming months. The shoe trade also improves, with a prospect of still larger business. Bank clearings this week a point wherein he becomes the logical successor for the office of Internal cal successor for the office of Internal acreased 7.5 per cent. and 12.6 Revenue Collector under the admin-

GOVERNOR GIVES HIS ULTIMATUM

Will Set Deadline on What the Legislature Can Spend; Veto Will Protect Treasury.

CHARTER WITH RED INK LIMITS FOR SOLONS' EYES

State Will Stand With Him, He Thinks, in His Fight for Economy.

Salem. Oregon, January 24.—
"I am going to draw a deadline 24.—"I am going to draw a deadline 24.—"I am going to draw a deadline on appropriations. Above a certain amount nothing will receive my approval and I will stand up to that line to the end of the session. Let the legislature do what it will to the bills it has before it. My fun is yet to come."

Governor West this morning laid out the course he is to pursue in dealing with the two houses, and the plan of his opponents in trying to organize the two branches with a two-thirds majority to pass bills by wholesale over his yeto. Such a combination is to be attempted, but it is far from certain that it will succeed.

He explained that he will have a chart drawn, which will be placed in a conspicuous place in the state house, on which a line will be drawn at the top. That line will be in red ink, and it will carry in figures the limit he is willing to go on appropriations at this session.

This chart will be prepared by next Monday, and each day the money bills will be chalked up on it. As the bills become laws, the total will be shown, and after the deadline is reached, the yeto ax will fall, whatever it may hit.

The governor indicated that he is eady for any move that may come. If the legislature is organized against him, he is prepared to slash right and left, and he is confident that the people of the state will stand behind him in what he conceives to be his duty to their interests.

The governor gave the lie to many of the stories that have been circulated, He denied he ever said that he would be satisfied if the legislature would sustain his veto on certain bills and then pass new bills in identical form or of the same effect.

He likewise denied that he had ever approved the Thompson swamp land bill as a member of the land board, declaring he always stood for the principle of sale in small tracts to actual settlers. And as to that Thompson bill he said: "It if were entitled," A bill to give so many acres to the Wanner Valley Land company," do you thin

EMPLOYMENT OF ADDITIONAL NIGHT MAN IS URGED

Alarms Business Men; Catlin Suggested.

An epidemic of crime which appears to be sweeping over Albany is causing no little uneasiness in local business circles and the demand is becoming urgent for the employment of an additional night man who understands all of the crooks and turns of an office of this character.

That the night force is unable to cope with the situation is admitted on all sides and many of the local merchants are advocating the employment of John Catlin as night policeman.

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Cathin held this office for eight years and it is claimed that during that time Albany was the best policed city in the state.

While the mayor and members of the city council have authorized no public statement, it is understood that the situation is causing them no little concern.

RECEPTION WILL BE GIVEN NEW PASTOR WEDNESDAY

Albany People Will Meet Rev. F. W. Emerson and Members of His Family Next Week.

A public reception will be tendered on next Wednesday evening to Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Emerson at the First Christian church. Rev. Emerson receptly accepted the pastorate of the Christian church of this city, and delivered his first sermon last Sinday.

Rev. Emerson who came to Albany from California, was for many years pastor of the First Christian church of San Francisco and also of that church in Topeka, Kansas. He has been prominent in religious work throughout the country and comes to this city well recommended as a pastor, preacher, lecturer, scholar, and citizen, and the members of the local church expect to experience a large growth under his leadership.

The reception on next Wednesday evening which will be held at the church, is given to give the people of this city an opportunity to meet the new pastor and the members of his family.

HOTEL HAMMEL WILL SOON BE READY FOR OPENING

Rooms Are Now Being Furnished with Rich Furniture of Attractive Design.

The new 5-story Hammel hotel at The new 3-story frammel hotel at the corner of Second and Lyon streets will soon be ready for the formal opening which will probably take place during the month of February. The beautiful rooms of the new hos-tely are now being furnished with rich furniture of mahogany, Circas-sian walnut, curly maple, and solid oak.

WYOMING MAN WILL MANAGE GOLDEN RULE

Epidemic of Crime in Albany Concern Owned by J. C. Penny of Salt Lake City Will Locate Here.

> That Charles H. Baker, manager of the store operated by the Golden Rule Syndicate at Cumberland, Wyoming, is slated for the same position when the consern opens its store in this city, became known today through parties who are close to the manage-ment.

The headquarters for the Golden The headquarters for the Golden Rule Merchantile company are at Salt Lake and J. C. Penney, a capitalist of that place, owns the controling interest in the stock. This company now operates a chain of thirty stores in various western towns, and according to present plans, will be conducting forty-five by the first of

April.

Just when the new establishment will be opened could not be learned but the negotiations for a building are said to be practically settled.

JURORS APPRECIATE JUDGE P. R.

They Pass Resolutions Expressing Gratitude for Considerations Received.

The following resolutions were passed by the jurors serving the

passed by the jurors serving the circuit court expressing thanks for kindness shown them by Judge Percy Kelly, says the Salem Statesman:

We, the undersigned jurors, wish to express to Percy R. Kelly, judge of the circuit court, our sincere thanks for his kindness to us during the term of court just finished.

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Also that a copy of the same be sent to each of the daily papers for publication.

Clarence Wampole, Fred Thomas, Oliver Beers, Walter Pemberton, T. E. Caufield, Tolbert Hook, John Butsch, Alex A. Manning, Fred Eisenbart, B. S. McGinnis, G. H. Ottaway, L. E. Judson, M. W. Mahony, W. A. Rutherford, C. W. Robinson, W. L. Dunagan, F. E. Shafer, Fred Looney.

IDAHO MAN HELD UP IN DEPOT AT EUGENE LAST EVENING

Eight Dollars Secured by Bold Highwayman Who Is Caught Later at Springfield.

An exceedingly bold highwayman last evening robbed J. D. Forsythe, an Idaho man, as he was waiting for a Southern Pacific train, and escaped, says the Eugene Register. He was captured a few hours later at Springfield by Sheriff Parker, Deputy Sheriff Croner and a railroad detective.

The bandit, who goes by the name of "Shorty," because of his stature, entered the smoking room at 6:30 and after engaging Forsythe in conversation for a few minutes, pulled a short gun and demanded money. Forsythe immediately handed over his pocket-

Charged with assault and battery on the person of John J. Brown, Leslie Perkins of Harrisburg was yesterday arrested by Constable John Catlin and brought to Albany where he was arraigned before Judge Swan and entered a plea of guilty to the complaint. He was fined five dollars and costs.

It seems that Perkins was employed y John Gosser of Harrisburg and that the latter and John Brown had an altercation over the removal of some cordwood. Perkins engaged in the controversy and the assault followed.

MANY ROBBERIES IN THIS CITY LATELY

Four Residences Entered Here Within Two Weeks and Many Valuable Articles Taken.

POLICE APPEAR POWERLESS TO COPE WITH SITUATION

No Arrests Have Been Made in Any of the Cases and People Talk of More Policemen.

During the past few weeks, a wave of crime has swept over this city and many homes have been entered during the absence of the owners and articles of wearing appared and jewelry to the value of several hundred dollars taken, and so far the local police force seems powerless to handle the situation. That the thefits are being committed by a gang of idle men that are now passing through the valley is the opinion of many local people, and steps are now being taken toward securing protection to the residents of this city. All of the robberies have been daring ones and no arrests have been made so far in any of the cases.

Within the past ten days there have been two daring burglaries in the city and on both occasions the thief made good his escape after looting two homes in Albany and carrying away articles valued at many dollars.

The first robbery occurred on Tuesday at the residence of Prof. E. L. Wilson on Ferry street, while the family was away from the house attending the concert given by Miss Olga Steeb at the armory. The thief forced an entrance to the residence and after ransacking the place and turning everything topsy-turvy, left the place taking with him a suit of clothes, a raincoat, a razor, and several pieces of iewelry belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson. The police officers were notified of the burglary but were unable to apprehend the thief who has made good his escape.

On the same night or early the next morning, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Senders at 418 West Fifth street was broken into while the members of the family were in Portland visiting friends. When Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Senders returned home on Thursday evening they found everything in the house in a state of disorder, various articles being strewn about the house and indicating that the thief or thieves had made a thorough search of the entire house.

As far as Mr. Senders was able to ascertain, the only articles that are missing are a revolver and case and a safety razor, the latter being a pre ent to him from his wife. This rof, by has also been reported to the Li

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When assured that it was, the bandit backed hurriedly out of the room and escaped. There were two other men in the room, but they were not molested, neither did they attempt to tackle the man with the gun.

While the Eugene police searched the city, Sheriff Parker and Deputy Croner went to Springfield. The robber attempted to draw his gun, but the officers were too quick. He had been working fit-fully at a Springfield cafe and had a room in a lodging house there.

Mr. Forsythe went on to Creswell where he is visiting friends.

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GUILTY TO ASSAULT

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