

Town Topics

Ernest Worle and family were here shopping Monday.

The "Youth's Companion" (new) and "Today's Housewife" both one year for \$2.50.

Many people were in the city Saturday to take advantage of the Sadler & Kraus sale.

George Gray was among the Union district people in Oregon City on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy N. Hickok and son Nelson were up from Portland Sunday to visit friends here.

E. M. Hurst, who last week became ill with an attack of pleuro pneumonia, is reported much better.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Will came up from Portland Sunday to visit Mr. Will's mother and other relatives.

R. O. Jack was here Monday from the Needy section. He says farming operations may begin soon, with a few days of good weather.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Krueger of Canby were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Krueger's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ritter at Wolfer Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bents were Salem visitors last week. While there they visited the state house and a session of the Oregon legislature.

Review of Reviews has now advanced to \$4.00 per year, and worth it! But you can get this great magazine and the Observer, both one year for \$4.50.

Blue-\$5.00-1919-War-Savings Stamps cost \$1.13 during February, and you can buy any amount of them up to \$1000, at the Aurora Post Office. Don't crowd, please!

Mr. and Mrs. Sadler, of Aurora, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Evans, of Canby, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Robinson last Friday evening.—Canby News.

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The Clackamas county tax rolls just turned over to the sheriff for collection show that the total amount to be collected for 1919 is \$944,869.15—only a little short of a round million. This is \$75,000 more than for 1918.

Thos. M. Wescott, eight years old, is very proud of a post card from Cpl. Lee D. Marsh, at Tours, France, received here this week. The American dough-boy never forgets the kids—at home or abroad.

The following have been appointed road deputies in Clackamas county for 1919: D. R. Dimick, Canby; R. W. Zimmerman, Aurora; R. Klaus, Macksburg; W. W. Sporsky, Union; A. F. Eymann, Aurora, R. 2.

More honors have been piled upon the broad shoulders of E. G. Robinson, president of the Molalla Electric Co. He has been chosen president of the Canby Commercial Club. J. R. Vinyard is vice-president, and R. C. Smith, secretary.

Everybody, beware, and lock up the chicken houses, as someone might get chicken hungry again. The Mayor of Paradise and Elmer Deetz are suffering the loss of all their fowls, says the Wolfer Prairie correspondent of the Canby News.

"The following information is wanted: Names, locations, capacity and superintendents or managers of all institutions, public or private, equipped for the care of the sick in Marion and Polk counties. Call 1500 or address Willamette Chapter A. R. C., Salem, Oregon."

The following K. P. officers were installed recently at Hubbard. Elmer Stauffer, C. C.; A. F. de Lespinasse, V. G.; Julius Stauffer, K. R. & S.; M. S. Kromling, M. of F.; L. M. Scholl, M. of Ex.; Fred Wolfer, M. of A.; Earl Koehler, Prelate; Lester Will, M. of W. Elton McLaughlin, I. G.; H. F. Scholl, O. G.; C. F. Bevens, Trustee.

M. N. Crisell was among the farmers here Saturday, and was among several farmers looking over the Fordson at the Miller garage. The Crisell Bros., have a Fordson with which they turn over an acre and hour. They were the first in this section to own a Fordson, but it is probable that many other's will invest soon.

Mr. Myers was here from Portland Sunday to visit the Zimmerman home. His father is an employe in the ice plant of which Mr. Zimmerman's son Augustus is superintendent in San Francisco. As Mr. Myers is going to San Francisco soon he called to see the Zimmermans before leaving—to carry word to their son.

Henry L. Bents recently sent a package of hop samples to a Belgian firm, but the hops went no further than New York, from which city they were returned marked "Forbidden". For what reason it is not allowed to send hop samples to Belgium is not known, but it is probably due to some war restriction not yet removed.

HUNT WRITES ABOUT PAVING

County commissioner J. T. Hunt writes the Observer that some of the legislators having criticized the paving done by the county, it was decided to appoint a committee of three senators and two representatives, to accompany Roadmaster Culver and Mr. Hunt to inspect the pavement laid by the county and that built by the Highway commission at Newberg, and to secure samples from both. The samples are now in the hands of the committee. After comparing them, Mr. Hunt declares he and the other members of the court are proud of the showing made. He is positive the county can do the same work cheaper than the contractors can do it, and it appears so far that the county advocates have the best of the argument by a dollar or so per square yard.

BURGLAR FOOLS OGLE

By telephoning the Lincoln garage, 374 Union avenue North, and asking employes to call James Ogle, manager of the Standard Oil filling station near by, a burglar yesterday lured Mr. Ogle from the station and robbed the till of \$7 during his absence. The burglar telephoned from W. C. Church's drug store at 355 Union avenue North, and watched from the doorway of the store until he saw the manager leave the filling station.—Oregonian.

LEGISLATIVE PARAGRAPHS

LA FOLLETT—Senator La Follett seems to be emulating "Cousin Bob", "Lob" who makes questionable speeches for which he was nearly thrown out of the United States senate, while "Alec" opposes Senator Dimick's bill to forbid the teaching of German in state supported schools in Oregon.

THE DOG CURFEW—Representative Dennis has introduced a bill in the House applying the curfew law to dogs—to prohibit them from "night-hawking" between the hours of 8 o'clock in the evening to 6 o'clock in the morning. Poor dogs, poor Dennis!

TRACED "FLUSHER" TO LAIR

Western Man Found One in New York That Will Give Any of Them a Hard Run.

The newest "flusher" is the fellow who gives you the silver voice over the phone. He is related to the common or garden variety of fourflushers. It is over the phone that he makes himself conspicuous, and those who are not hep imagine he is the guy who knows it all. A man from the West, a wealthy miner from Butte, Mont., discovered the phone flusher and he has announced that it is his intention to start a society to eliminate this particular breed. "I got into town the other day," said the miner, "and the first thing I ran against was a phone flusher, who had me hypnotized until I met him. He called me on the phone about a business deal he knew I was interested in. I decided to visit him at his office after he had convinced me that it was worth while. Especially was I affected by the remarks he made to people in his office while we were talking. First he interrupted me by turning to some one and saying, 'Don't forget those two lovers for Washington. I've got to be in Washington and meet the president at the White House at 10.' A few minutes later, he told some one else to wait a minute and he'd sign those checks. We talked some more and were halted when he turned away a third time and said, 'Oh, that's all right. Tell him to draw on our Chicago office for \$50,000.' This afternoon I went to his office. It's a little hole in the wall, and when I went in darned if he wasn't cutting his own hair."—New York Sun.

FRUIT TREES AND ROSES

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LOCAL AD RATE.

Local notices and classified column advertisements of every description are 5 cents per line, but no "ad" will be inserted for less than 25c. This rate of 5 cents per line applies to for sale, for rent, lost, found, want ad, card of thanks and all similar notices, as well as to all notices of entertainments, fairs, socials, shows, etc., which charge an admission fee or are given to raise money for any purpose. Copy for local reading notices must be in not later than Wednesday noon.

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