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Tales of the Town

Ivan Male is suffering with an attack of the grip.

Hall, the Shoe Doctor, for good repairing with the best leather. Fifth and Main street.

A Southern Pacific crew is in Springfield to rebuild the part of the freight platform in front of the old portion of the freight house.

Capt. May, assistant superintendent and trainmaster for the S. P. Co., was in Springfield Friday evening. Other officials were in Eugene, but did not come over.

Mrs. Edward Leckbond of Dayton, Oregon, arrived in Springfield Saturday to spend a couple weeks with her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Coffin.

Rev. H. C. Ethell went to Donna yesterday morning to occupy the Methodist pulpit for Rev. Mr. Landine. In the evening he preached at the Free Methodist church in West Springfield for Rev. M. F. Childs who is in Wendling.

Mrs. Wince Hileman of Marcola was in Springfield shopping Saturday.

W. P. Elliott of Fall Creek, who has been in the Springfield hospital, leaves today for his home.

Mrs. Anna Buell arrived Friday to be with her father, Rev. N. J. Blair, who is very low at his home here.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at 2:30 p. m., Friday at the home of Mrs. Sorenson, to take up the study course.

Good reliable fire insurance. No assessments; no membership fee. Pay once and you are done. H. E. Walker at the City Hall.

Councilman M. Fenwick is just recovering from a severe illness at his home at Fourth and E streets, but is not yet able to get out evenings.

B. F. Miller has purchased the Jasper store from Leslie Wright, taking charge the first of the year. Mr. Miller is an experienced merchant, and will give the people of Jasper and vicinity good service.

George E. Towner, for nearly four years superintendent of the Eugene-Springfield railway system, tendered his resignation Friday evening, to take effect February 1. He has purchased a cigar store in Eugene, and will engage in business.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dill arrived Friday afternoon from Dolph, Tillamook county, for a visit at the home of their son, W. A. Dill. Their daughters are spending the winter in Springfield, Miss Eileen attending the University of Oregon, and Miss Flora the Springfield high school.

E. M. Bowerman and wife, who left this vicinity 12 or 13 years ago, are here from Cowley, Alberta, Canada, for a visit with relatives and friends. They have a large wheat ranch, and threshed 16,000 bushels of wheat this year. They are on their way to California for the winter. For 20 years they owned a tract, part of which is now the Millican place at Waterville.

John Eaton, aged 72, a veteran of the Civil war, and an uncle of Mrs. James Cox of this city, died at his home in Eugene Saturday. He came to Eugene 13 years ago. Besides his wife he leaves three daughters, Mrs. Howard Cannon of Alberta, Canada, Mrs. W. F. Wallace and Mrs. F. M. McMassters; two sons J. F. Eaton and J. E. Eaton, and one sister, Mrs. Jack Poill of Eugene. The funeral services will be held at the Gordon & Veatch chapel in Eugene at 2:30 o'clock Monday, and interment will be made at the L. O. O. F. cemetery.

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Go to the Palace of Sweets to buy peanuts, 5 cents a quart.

Glen Anderson left yesterday for Portland where he will serve on the jury.

R. H. Knox of Independence is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Knapp.

The Booth-Kelly pond was drained and cleaned of surplus bark and rubbish Sunday.

A. E. Chambers and Arthur L. Keeny, insurance agents of Eugene, were in Springfield today on business.

Miss Grace Sidwell went to the Stroda farm, near Harrisburg Saturday to visit her brother, Fern, for a week.

Born—in Eugene, on Wednesday, January 5, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Browning, formerly of Springfield, a son.

Mrs. George Barnard who has been in the Springfield hospital was able to be taken to her home last Friday.

Mrs. Frank Withers of Creswell visited her brother, D. S. Beals, a short time Friday while on her way to Corvallis to visit her parents.

W. L. McCulloch, Chief Engineer of the Oregon Power Co., returned Saturday from a business trip to Dallas and other points.

Falsework for the erection of the new Booth-Kelly burner is being put in place, and erection of the steel work will begin in a few days.

Norwod Cox, who went to Arizona several months ago, to reside, writes Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cox that he has never been better in health. He says there have been two light rains—just enough to settle the dust—since he went there.

Six big acts of vaudeville, requiring 25 people to present them, will be shown at the Eugene theatre Tuesday, January 11 at 7:15 and 9 p. m. Popular prices will prevail. A seven-piece orchestra accompanies this Empress S. & C. attraction.

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The Oregon banking authorities did not follow their usual custom this time, and they did not call on the state banks for a statement of condition on December 31, as was required of the national banks.

Thomas Martin of Creswell died at the Springfield hospital at 1 o'clock Sunday morning, January 9, 1916, aged 74 years. Weakness incident to old age is given as the cause of death. He fell and broke his hip about a year ago, and had not been well since. The body was taken to Cottage Grove, where funeral services were held at the Christian church. He leaves a wife and a grandson.

SOCIAL NOTES

The Missionary Society of the Christian church held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jennie Smith, on Second and C streets. The usual routine of business was disposed of after which a program was given. A feature of the program was the special number by Mr. Webb of the Eugene Bible university. Guests of the society were Mrs. Ellen Tomson, Miss Geneva Lambert, Miss Sadie Lambert, Miss Etta Vallier, Miss Mabel January and Mr. Webb. Members present were Mr. Nettleton, Mrs. McKinney, Mrs. E. C. Wigmore (Eugene), Mrs. Marvin Drury, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Olverson, Mrs. E. E. Morrison, Mrs. M. J. McKlin, Mrs. W. A. Lambert, Mrs. Ragan, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. George Vallier, Mrs. S. A. Gay, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Bucknow, Mrs. Percy Tyson, Mrs. W. E. Nott.

The Kensington club spent a most enjoyable afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. B. Kessey last Friday. The hostess served a very dainty luncheon. The guests of the club were: Miss Laura Tryon, of Crescent City, California, Miss Florence Coffin and little Miss Margaret Swarts. The following members were present: Mrs. J. W. Coffin, Mrs. L. May, Mrs. W. A. Herndon, Mrs. H. A. Korf, Mrs. F. E. Lenhart, Mrs. A. Middleton, Miss Edna Swarts, Mrs. C. E. Swarts. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. A. Korf, Jan. 21.

Owing to so many of their members being sick and unable to attend lodge the United Artisans postponed their installation last Wednesday evening, until their next regular meeting night, January 19. The following officers will be installed: Chas. M. Stites, P. M. E.; Norris O. Nettleton, M. A.; Ida Larison, Supt.; Lavina Kester, Insp.; Mary Male Sec.; Agnes Stites, Treas.; Marion Adams, Sr. Con.; Nora Cofer, M. C.; Lillie Gibbs, Jr. Con.

BOYS LIKE PIG CLUB WORK

By C. J. McINTOSH, Editor O. A. C. Press Bulletins
Oregon boys are taking a keen interest in the work of pig raising, reports the state leader of the pig clubs, L. J. Allen. Letters received from a great many members show that the boys appreciate the scientific phases of selecting, feeding, and managing their pigs as fully as they appreciate the economic advantages, which have been considerable in a great many instances. None of the writers of these letters formally state that the well-conducted work along with the financial remuneration constitutes an added tie that attaches them to home life on the farm, but the spirit of that fact shines through almost every letter. Indeed, the fact that such is the case becomes so apparent in reading the boys' reports that the value of attracting boys to the farm home is enumerated by Mr. Allen as one of the very positive advantages of the pig club work.

It is evident that just at this time, in view of the ratio of pork prices to the cost of feed, a good many young boys have to go into the game rather independently of their father's approval. Not that there is any positive disagreement, but many fathers are skeptical as to the possibility of producing pork at a profit and hence do not actively encourage their boys to go into it for fear of discouraging failures. When the parents are willing for the boys to take up the work, but doubt the financial success of the venture, they generally concede that the habits of industry and thrift inculcated as well as the value of the scientific knowledge and experience gained should richly repay all effort, even though no financial gains are made. When an ambitious boy apprehends this situation he feels that he is going into the enterprise under a sort of challenge to make good, and frequently redoubles his efforts to make his feed go as far as possible in the production of gains. In all such

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Report of the condition of the First National Bank

at Springfield, in the state of Oregon, at the close of business on December 31, 1915:

RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts, (except those shown on b).....	\$106,046.06
Total loans.....	106,046.06
2. Overdrafts, secured, none; unsecured, \$178.95.....	178.98
3. U. S. Bonds.....	6,250.00
4. b Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits.....	3,000.00
c Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged.....	13,267.37
Total bonds, securities, etc.....	16,267.37
5. Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock.....	1,000.00
6. Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank \$1700 a Less amount unpaid.....	850
7. a Value of banking house (if unincumbered).....	8,052.61
b Furniture and fixtures.....	2,409.00
9. Real estate owned other than banking house.....	8,110.59
10. Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank.....	3,600.00
11. a Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis.....	3,899.11
b Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities.....	7,633.34
12. Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11).....	2,422.70
15. a Outside checks and other cash items.....	155.60
b Fractional currency, nickels and cents.....	267.33
16. Notes of other National banks.....	885.00
17. Federal Reserve notes.....	65.00
18. Coin and certificates.....	12,595.95
19. Legal tender notes.....	175.00
20. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	312.50
Total.....	\$181,197.54
LIABILITIES	
24. Capital stock paid in.....	25,000.00
25. Surplus fund.....	3,900.00
26. Undivided profits.....	222.94
27. Circulating notes outstanding.....	6,250.00
28. Individual deposits subject to check.....	78,181.95
29. Certificate of deposit due in less than 30 days.....	20,750.97
30. Cashier's checks outstanding.....	21.50
31. Postal savings deposits.....	1,212.41
32. Total demand deposits.....	100,167.83
40. Certificates of deposit.....	46,556.77
Total of time deposits.....	46,556.77
Total.....	\$181,197.54

State of Oregon, County of Lane, ss.
I, D. S. Beals, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
D. S. BEALS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me Correct—Attest:
this 8th day of January, 1916.
HERBERT E. WALKER, Notary Public.
Commission expires Mar. 9, 1916.
L. K. PAGE, A. MIDDLETON, CHAS. L. SCOTT, Directors.

cases a very careful and scientific which is won by every earnest tending is likely to be put into practice, with the result that the project ends with satisfactory financial gains. It seems natural to suppose that the boys who do succeed financially and make a good profit on their labor and investment would be better pleased with the work than those who do not succeed in making a profit, but no such condition is noted in the reports. Those who succeed tell of the pleasure they took in the work and seldom so much as comment on the fact that they made a neat little sum of ready money. Those who come through with no money profit from their work express equal pleasure with the results of the project, since they say they have learned many an important lesson that they could never have learned in any other way. Most of them seemed to be unconsciously possessed of the same spirit of optimism that prompted Joaquin Miller to pen the beautiful lines to the dove, in which he makes that plaintive-voiced bird say, "There are many Tomorrows, but only one Today." In fact not one of the members reporting lack of money profits but said emphatically that he would try again next year, whereas some who succeeded felt inclined to try another project by way of comparison. Many pig club members received to prizes at local, county and state fairs, but it is not in this way that success is measured, according to the state leader. The prize of achievement, the farm, while pig-raising makes that appeal but relatively few it makes it a sturdier, resourceful and most desirable type of young manhood whom it would be a misfortune to lose from the farm.

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