

## TOWN AND VICINITY

**At Coburg**—Nellie Stewart spent the week-end with friends at Coburg.

**Lowell Resident Visits**—Mrs. Augusta Ettinger of Lowell was a visitor here Friday.

**Camp Creek Man In**—N. Myers, of Camp Creek, was a Springfield business visitor Friday.

**Marcola Resident Here**—P. M. Gosler, Marcola resident, was in Springfield on business Friday.

**Walterville Resident Here**—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carney were in Springfield from Walterville for a short time Saturday.

**Feed Car Out**—A car of feed was loaded out for Mable by the Springfield Mill and Grain company Friday.

**Returns to Portland**—Jerry Van Valzah, who visited here for a few days with his mother, has returned to Portland.

**Has Tonsils Removed**—Genevieve Carter, of Leaburg, had her tonsils removed at the office of a local physician last week.

**Thurston Men In**—John Price, Roy Edmundson and Charles Taylor were among the Springfield visitors from Thurston Monday.

**Entertain At Dinner**—Mr. and Mrs. W. Bur Lloyd entertained Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cyr and Mrs. Katherine Duncan and son at dinner Sunday.

**Goes to Albany**—Mrs. N. A. Rowe returned Friday from Albany, where she visited at the home of her son, John Lamberty.

**McLagan at Marshfield**—Wayne McLagan engineer for the Mountain States Power company, spent the early part of the week at Marshfield.

**Portland Man Here**—W. Eberhart, of Portland, was here this week installing the X-ray in the new offices of Dr. W. C. Rehban in the First National bank building.

**Child Undergoes Operation**—Mildred Billings, 5-year-old daughter of Mrs. Mary Billings of Springfield, was operated on at the Pacific Christian hospital Sunday.

**Goes to Washington**—Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Hills of Oakridge passed through here last Friday on their way to Long Beach, Washington, where they will visit relatives and friends until after the holidays.

**Make Portland Trip**—Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Murphy made a motor trip to Portland over the week-end. They were accompanied by Miss Hazel Murphy, and Miss Sylvia Gillien of Eugene.

**Private Phone Line In**—The Springfield Mill and Grain company has completed the installation of a private telephone line connecting its office with the red warehouse on the tracks.

**Echo Residents Here**—Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Johnson of Echo, Oregon, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. McBee of Springfield. The Johnsons motored here from their Eastern Oregon home.

**Accident Commission Man Here**—S. D. George, representative of the state industrial accident commission, was in Springfield Tuesday in business in connection with the work of that body.

**Buys Car**—J. R. Holverson purchased a Dorr car this week.

**At West Fir**—Mrs. W. Hall and children spent the week-end at West Fir.

**In from Walterville**—Charles Jensen of Walterville was in for a short time Saturday.

**Bags Ducks**—Fifteen ducks were bagged by Carl Olson local Southern Pacific agent, on a hunting trip at Siltcoos Sunday.

**Dexter Merchant Here**—William Williams, merchant of Dexter, was here on business Monday.

**Thurston Man Here**—Charles Hastings of Thurston was here on business Monday.

**Motor to Silverton**—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Scott and daughter motored to Silverton Sunday.

**Here from Thurston**—Mrs. Lawrence Gosler of Thurston was in for a short time Monday.

**Has Successful Hunting Trip**—Carl Olson, local Southern Pacific agent, spent Sunday at Siltcoos. He hunted ducks in that district.

**Jess Gates Here**—A business visitor here Tuesday was Jess Gates of Camp Creek.

**Wending Man Here**—John Purcell, of Wending, was a Springfield business visitor Tuesday.

**Walterville Man Ill**—James Hart, Walterville rancher, was seriously ill early this week.

**Albany Man Visits**—Harry Neberg of Albany was in Springfield on business Monday.

**In from Marcola**—Mrs. Myron Craig of Marcola visited in Springfield early in the week.

**Are Guests**—Mrs. H. E. Lepley and Frank Lewis were guests at the home of I. N. Endicott Sunday.

**Pruneville Man In**—G. R. Fish of Pruneville visited Springfield friends Monday.

**Wheat is Sold**—A. B. Mathews, Pleasant Hill farmer, sold a load of wheat at the Springfield Mill and Grain company plant Monday morning.

**Wending Resident Here**—Frank Crawford, accountant of the Booth-Kelly plant at Wending, was in Springfield on a visit Tuesday.

**Bushman in South**—Art Bushman, of the Springfield Mill and Grain company, left Monday for Southern Oregon, on a business trip.

## STORY OF CHRISTMAS SEAL INTERESTING

Idea Originated in Denmark Years Ago Accomplishes Wonders in United States.

More full of dramatic interest than the chapters of a novel, is the history of the little Christmas Seal now on sale throughout the state of Oregon. Conceived by a Danish postal clerk, to raise money that would save the lives of children suffering from tuberculosis; wandering across the Atlantic, falling into the hands of a great American writer; being recreated on American soil; and sold to maintain another tuberculosis hospital; becoming the sole financial support of a great organization dedicated to a Health campaign steadily and surely overcoming the "white plague," are leading events in the life history of the Christmas Seal.

Mr. Einar Holboell, postal clerk in far off Denmark, busy cancelling stamps and handling packages during the Christmas season of 1903, had on his heart the problem of raising money to support a little hospital for poor children stricken with tuberculosis. In the midst of his work, he conceived the idea of selling a seal somewhat like the stamps he was so busy cancelling. Mr. Holboell submitted his plan to the king, received the royal sanction and the new seal was printed, sold, and fulfilled its mission. The children of the poor received the care they needed, at the little hospital.

Several years later, one of the Danish seals fell into the hands of Jacob Riis, the American writer and publicist. He was immediately interested, wrote to a friend across the ocean, obtained the story behind the seal and published it in the "Outlook" in 1907.

This story in turn stirred to action an American woman, Miss Emily Bissel, who like the Danish Postal Clerk, was struggling with the financial problem of a little tuberculosis sanitarium near Wilmington, Delaware. Miss Bissel managed the first American Christmas Seal Sale in 1907, raising \$3,000 for the needy hospital, a sum far beyond her expectations.

From the three thousand dollar Seal Sale in 1907 to the four and a half million dollar sale in 1924, the story of the Christmas Seal has been one of magnificent accomplishment against the foe tuberculosis. Between 1908 and 1919 the American Red Cross, put its shoulder to the wheel, and backed the Seal Sale, hence the term "Red Cross Seal" which still lingers although now six years out of date. The right name is CHRISTMAS SEALS or tuberculosis Christmas Seals, for since 1918 the National Tuberculosis Association, and its branches, state and local, have been selling the seals, and depending on them for their entire support. The Oregon sale is conducted by the Oregon Tuberculosis Association and the County Public Health Associations.

Since the time of the first Seal Sale many millions of dollars have been invested in tuberculosis-fighting equipment; hospitals, open air schools, clinics, dispensaries, tuberculosis nurs-

ing, etc., and it has been largely through the interest focused on the problem by the annual sale of Christmas Seals. The tuberculosis death rate in the United States has been considerably more than cut in half in these eighteen years. The disease is being conquered. The winning slogan is Health! Health! Health!—such fine radiant health that it repels sickness, and Christmas Seals are in the field in Oregon, and in every state in the Union, to continue the fight to a winning finish.

### EIGHTEENTH SEAL SALE ON

Money to Finance Anti-Tuberculosis Fight in Oregon

Christmas Seals, selling for one cent each are expected to raise \$50,000 in Oregon between Thanksgiving and Christmas, in the 18th annual Seal Sale. Ninety-five per cent of the money will be kept in Oregon, where it is the sole source of income for the Oregon Tuberculosis Association, and provides most of the funds used by the County Public Health Associations.

Every city, village and community in the state will have a chairman or group of workers actively interested in selling the seals. Women's clubs and organizations are giving it enthusiastic support, and a large number of Parent-Teacher Associations are lending aid to the "Give Health, Fight Tuberculosis" campaign which the seals finance.

One of the few things a penny will buy—A Christmas Seal.

Here from Leaburg—Mrs. W. Peplot and daughter were her from Leaburg Monday.



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- FOUNTAIN PENS
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- CAMERAS, BRUSHES
- MANICURE GOODS
- SHAVING SUPPLIES
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- SPECTACLES
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### McKinnon's Story Accepted

D. W. McKinnon, secretary of the Springfield unit of the Loyal Legion of Loggers & Lumbermen, received word this week of the acceptance by the 4-L Bulletin of a fiction story

written by himself. The story, entitled, "A White Medicine Man," is built around the lumber industry. This is Mr. McKinnon's first try at fiction, and he is receiving the congratulations of his friends.

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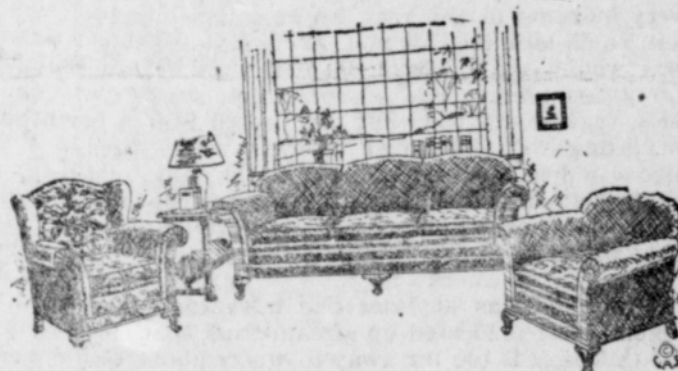
Sweaters, new shipment, Pullovers and Coat style for men and women and children, Men's— \$2.49 to \$5.90

Women's— \$2.98 to \$4.98

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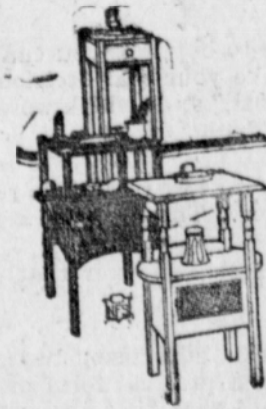
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