

## OREGON STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

### Brief Resume of Happenings of the Week Collected for Our Readers.

Senator Frederick Steiwer has telegraphed from Washington, D. C., that he will take up with the department of commerce the Baker request for permission to use the government landing field north of the city in return for payment of the ground rent. It is felt that Baker must have a landing field before long and the government field north of the city can not be used by private fliers except in emergencies.

Complying with the request of the Lincoln County Agricultural council, the county court has set aside a revolving fund of \$260 to purchase agricultural lime for the farmers of Lincoln county. Splendid results have been obtained on all types of soils with the use of ground lime rock. Clover and vetch yields have been doubled, and stands secured where the crops failed to grow previously. A carload of lime was ordered for immediate delivery at Toledo.

The Douglas county court has granted the request of the granges of the county for appointment of a county fair board and named George Staples of Reedsport, C. O. Garrett of Glendale and C. C. Hill of Glides as the three members, who, with the county school superintendent, Mrs. Edith Ackert, will make up the board. There has been a strong demand throughout the county for renewal of the annual county fair and the board was appointed with a view to its re-establishment.

Governor Patterson relieved for one week the death sentences imposed on James Willos and Ellisworth Kelley, who were slated for execution in the state penitentiary Friday, for the slaying of Milton Holman and John Sweeney, guards, during a break at the prison in August, 1925.

After clinging to their overturned boat for one and one-half hours in the middle of the Columbia river off Bradbury slough, near Mayer, ten miles below Rainer, Ray Johnson, 35, and his brother-in-law, a boy of 13 years, were rescued by two deputy fish wardens passing in a patrol boat.

Fire losses in Oregon, exclusive of Portland, during March aggregated \$231,443, according to a report prepared by the state fire marshal. There were 69 fires reported, five being of incendiary origin, the most disastrous fire was at Goble, where a warehouse was destroyed with a loss of \$30,000.

La Grande will be host for the next convocation of the Oregon grand commandery of Knights Templar, grand chapter of Royal Arch Masons, and grand council of Royal and Select Masters, it was announced in Portland recently, after the three bodies had voted to meet in that city next year.

The Salem jail was flooded last week when Bill Lang, an unruly prisoner, tore the water pipes from their fastenings and caused other damages. Lang was arrested when officers had found him beneath an automobile which had overturned a short distance east of the city. Officers said he was drunk.

Joe Kirby, 26, employe of the Booth-Kelly Lumber company, lost his right hand and part of the left, and Wesley Kibby, 28, also of Wendling, was burned about the face in a dynamite explosion. Kirby was blasting stumps and was holding a stick of dynamite with a 12-inch fuse in his hand while he lighted it.

There was one fatality due to industrial accidents in Oregon during the week ending April 12, according to a report prepared by the state industrial accident commission. The victim was Fred W. Wagner, bridge carpenter, of Elgin. There were 716 accidents reported to the commission during the week.

The state highway maintenance crew is engaged in repairing the diking along the Roosevelt highway, just south of Coquille, which was damaged by the recent high water. A strip 200 yards long and 2 feet wide was washed away from the south side of the highway. The state crew is refilling the washout with ballast.

The load limits on the Old Oregon Trail highway between Baker and Haines and between Pendleton and La Grande were lifted last week, according to announcement by H. G. Smith, division engineer. The removal of the limit over the Blue mountains is tentative, as the highway near Glover is still reported to be weak.

Directors of the Canby, Mundorf and Union Hall school districts met at Canby recently and formulated plans to discontinue school in each of the two latter districts, sending the pupils to the Canby school. This plan is made possible by completion of the new high school building and will be tried out for the remainder of the year.

### New Sport Outfit



### DEBATE STUDENTS MAKE REFORESTATION TALKS

Four debate students at the high school addressed an assembly Wednesday afternoon in behalf of the national forest fire prevention week which is in progress.

William Cox spoke on the history of reforestation, Frank Mersdorf on the purpose of reforestation, Dortha Bailey on the nature of reforestation and Dick Kliese on the progress of the movement.

Paul Potter sang "Jean", the number which he will present at the state music tournament Saturday and the quartet sang "When Love is Kind", the number which they will enter in the competition.

### HIGH WATER IS HARD ON FISHING, ANGLERS AVER

Fishing will be poor in streams near here until the water subsides, local anglers said this week. Not much fishing is being done during the past few days. The water is high and the streams muddy making fishing almost impossible.

The following licenses were taken out during the week: Cletus Rice, Ed. L. Blossom, Paul Robley, Harold McPherson, Roy Owens, Bob Pierre, Luther White, B. E. Hoffman, Everett Nelson, R. J. Adams, all of Springfield, W. E. Schwerling, Blue River, Ralph Cole, motor route B, E. B. Fossock route 1, Robert Jakeways, Wendling, D. E. Benson, Walterville; Homer Davis, Albany, Kenneth Wylie, motor route B, H. H. Weiss, Thurston, Willard Orem, D. C. Trotter, both of Walterville.

### HIGH SCHOOL MUSICIANS TO ENTER TOURNAMENT

Springfield will be represented at the state high school music tournament at Forest Grove this week-end by a girls' quartet from the high school and two soloists. It was announced by Miss Grace Potter, music instructor, who will accompany the musicians to the tournament.

The quartet includes Dorene Larimer, Melba Mellon, Jule Pollard and Evelyn Manley. Winifrid Tyson will be entered in the piano section and Paul Potter in the boys' tenor voice competition.

Last year Charles Nadvornik, violinist, brought home honors by placing third in the contest in competition with students from the larger high schools throughout the state.

Rodenbough Given Degree—William Dodenbough was given the third degree initiatory work at a meeting of the I. O. O. F. lodge here last night. This is one of the highest degrees of the order.

Marcola People Here—Among the Marcola people here yesterday were Mrs. N. E. Volgamore and daughter, Mrs. Fred Paulus, Charles Hagar and son, Roland and daughter, Mrs. Fred Wright.

Several visit Here—Among the shoppers here this morning were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith, Creswell; P. F. Fayton, Walterville; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hadley, Blue River; Those here yesterday included: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lane, Marcola; J. Skordahl, Wendling; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brewster, Noti.



E. J. Adams, of Eugene.

E. J. Adams, of Eugene, has filed as a candidate for delegate to the Republican national convention to be held at Kansas City in June, from the First congressional district.

Mr. Adams was a delegate to the national convention at Chicago in 1920 and secured the first forest road plank ever written in the national platform. This plank pledged the consideration of the taxable value of the national forests as a controlling factor when considering appropriations for forest roads and trails.

Later he accepted the position of secretary to Senator Stanfield and there continued his effort for larger appropriations. Since then Oregon has received over six million dollars, or to be exact, \$6,347,793.90, of Federal money expended on the forest roads of Oregon. Though this fund is shared by eleven States and two territories Oregon receives about one seventh of the total appropriations.

Mr. Adams was also a delegate to the national convention at Cleveland in 1924 and chosen a member of the resolutions committee. The chairman named him one of 15 to write and arrange the platform. There he secured three planks in which Oregon is vitally interested. A continuation of Federal aid for highways; larger appropriations for forest roads; and the consideration of potential tonnage in approving projects for the improvement of harbors.

Mr. Adams conceived the method of securing relief for the O. & C. He also planned and directed the land grant counties and drew the bill that passed Congress without amendment. He also planned and directed the campaign before the committee and Congress that resulted in the passage of the bill in 1926. These counties have already received over eight million dollars and will receive annually about three quarters of a million until the proceeds from sales are sufficient to refund these advances and leave a residuum for distribution according to the terms of the original act.

Mr. Adams was active in the preparation and passage of the present Federal aid highway law in co-operation with the late Senator Townsend who was the author of the law.

### Scouts Take Hike

Troop 11 of the Springfield Boy Scouts took a hike to the hills near here last Sunday. Scoutmaster W. R. Aldrich led the group. Other hikes are planned soon. Plans are also under way for the summer camp conducted by the county unit of scouts.

## About Your Health

Things You Should Know



by John Joseph Gaines, M. D.

### HOT-WEATHER DIET

A few days ago I had occasion to take a noon meal at a first-class restaurant which supplies a large trade. The mercury outdoors was reaching for the century-mark. The waitress dropped a menu-card in front of me which read:

OUR STANDARD FEATURES  
Prime ribs of beef, au jus  
Roast loin of pork, apple sauce  
Porterhouse steak—cuts to order  
Braised veal cutlets, lima beans  
Goose-liver sausage, onions  
Frankfurters and kraut  
Old Home Farm sausage

A selection from that list, on a torrid day, and for a fat man with blood-pressure! There was one at a neighboring table, devouring one of these steaks served rare; he was calling to his aid a bottle of Worcestershire sauce, with which he literally forced his overworked stomach to swallow the insult! It is no wonder that apoplexy is still on our unconquered list.

In hot weather we do not need heat-producing fuel in the body. We have calories enough without adding more.

A capable breakfast at this season may consist of a dish of cereal, butter, toast, an egg, two strips of crisp bacon—a half-cup of black coffee if the day's task is strenuous—and an orange or half a cantaloupe.

The noon meal should be sustaining: brown bread, buttermilk, well-cooked garden vegetables, stewed fruits, a moderate slice of boiled ham, or a much more moderate one of cold roast beef. The meal will be complete with the addition of a piece of plain apple pie or custard. The fewer condiments, ice-cold temptations, and fancy sweets the better.

And the evening meal? Well—as nearly nothing as possible, if you would retain the health that I am assuming you have. This bit of advice is not for invalids, you know.

## STATE RALLY TO BE HELD HERE MAY 2-3

Leaders of Christian Churches to Gather in Rally at Springfield Church; Noted Man From Ohio in Charge; Complete Program is Given.

Fundamentalists leaders of the Christian churches of Oregon will gather here for a two-day conference in the Springfield Christian church, May 1 and 2.

Victor Johnson, of the Christian Restoration association Cincinnati, Ohio, who will come here to be in charge of the gathering, is nationally known as an exponent of Christian unity, which he says "can come only by the discarding of all man-made dogmas and creeds and the acceptance of the New Testament as the only rule of faith and practice."

The gathering will open with a supper given by the women of the Springfield church in honor of the visiting speakers and delegates. Missionaries, ministers, church officers and society executives will be here in large numbers.

The program of the conference is as follows:  
Supper in honor of visitors, May 1 6:30.

Evening Session 8:00 o'clock.  
Better Understanding of Our Plea. Invocation, H. L. Ford, Enterprise, Oregon.

Evangelistic song service.  
Address, "What We Stand For" and organization of the rally, Victor Johnson, Cincinnati.

Special Music.  
Address, "Why the Restoration Plea Will Win." Dr. E. C. Sanderson president Eugene Bible University.

Devotional and Benediction, N. K.

Allison, Klamath Falls.

May 2

Morning Session.  
Better Understanding of Our Problems.

Favorite hymn time and invocation, Paul DeF. Mortimore.

Appointment of committees.  
Open forum, Victor Johnson, Cincinnati.

Recognition of church represented.  
Address, "The Autonomy of the Local Church—A Panacea for Our Organization Ills," Norris J. Reasoner, Salem.

The Herald five minutes.  
Address, "Is Oregon Being Evangelized?" Ted Leavitt, Vernonia.

Benediction.  
Afternoon Session.

Better Understanding of Our Free Agencies.

Favorite hymn time and invocation, B. L. Hicks, Coquille.

Address, "Our Associated Free Agencies," Victor Johnson.

Open forum.  
Special music.

Address, "Training Tomorrow's Leadership," Rev. S. Earl Childers

Address, "The Marvel of I. B. M.," Abe F. Bennett, Eugene.

The Herald five minutes.  
Address, "The Need of the Gospel in Japan," M. B. Madden, Osaka, Japan.

Committee reports.  
Benediction.

Evening Session.  
Better Understanding of Our Stewardship.

Favorite hymn time.  
Invocation, Leon Chamlee, McMinnville.

Address, "Good Stewards of Christ Jesus," Rex Dallas, Albany.

The Herald five minutes and offering. Special music.  
Address, "The Nineteen Hundredth Pentecost," Dr. E. V. Stivers, Pastor First Christian church, Eugene.  
Pentecostal pledge and benediction.  
People of all religious faiths are cordially invited to attend any of the sessions. Rev. S. Earl Childers of the Springfield church, announced.

### FATE OF REST STATION RESTS WITH THE VOTERS

The only remaining hope for the building of a comfort station here is in the fall election, C. E. Kenyon, chairman of the park committee for the chamber of commerce, said today. A bond voted by the people here is the only means of financing the building, he said. The proposed station would cost in the neighborhood of \$3500.

The city already owns the lot at the corner of Fourth and A streets which is proposed as the site. Those who favor the move urge that the building be made to include the city library and city hall offices in order that it would not be necessary to employ a custodian for the building.

### TROOP 11 SCOUTS ARE ACTIVE, REPORT AT MEET

Membership in troop 11 of Boy Scouts here is at the maximum of 24 and the boys are doing fine work, it was reported at a meeting last night.

Each of the three patrols put on a humorous pantomime as a feature of the meeting. The first patrol presented a feeble-minded school stunt, the second patrol a jazz band demonstration and the third patrol an Indian massacre.

Stereoptican slides from the university extension division were shown. The pictures dealt with flowers and insects.

# Williams Self Service Store

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### Demonstrating Our Self-Service Policy

To demonstrate to you the saving to be made thru our Self-Service Plan we are bringing to Springfield from our regular stock at Eugene at our regular prices, a fine assortment of new goods.

Come in and see these goods.

Why Not Serve Yourself and Save?

### Rummage Lot

Consisting of Women's Silk Shirt Waists, Women's Petticoats, Men's Shirts, Children's Poplin Dresses, Laundry Bags, Boys' Hats, Underwear and Dozens of Articles. Values to \$3.75.

19c

### RIBBONS

One lot of plain and fancy Ribbons width up to 5 inches—

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10c bolt

Regardless of yardage on bolts.

27 INCH DAISY OUTING

Regular 22c Value

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Newland's Sale Price 10c

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24 INCH WHITE OUTING

Medium weight Outing Flannel. Regular 13c

4c yd.

### PATTERNS

New Stock McCall Patterns

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### Are We Going to Remain in Springfield?

You are to decide. If the people of Springfield and vicinity want us to stay and will convince us that they need a store with Eugene prices we will stay.