

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks to neighbors and friends for their kindness during our bereavement and for the many floral tributes to our beloved wife and mother.
Ben Cox and family

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Borman
Sgt Howard Patton and family
JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE—
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❖ **Star Reporter** ❖

Friday-Saturday, Jan. 19-20
Friday-Saturday, Jan. 26-27

Pearl of Death

Basil Rathbone, Nigel Bruce. Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's "The Six Napoleons" is the basis for the latest sleuthing of Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson... a worthy addition to an excellent mystery series.

Plus **FIREBRANDS OF ARIZONA**
Smiley Burnette, Sunset Carson. Fun for all and action aplenty.

Sunday-Monday-Tuesday, Jan. 28-30

Since You Went Away

Claudette Colbert, Jennifer Jones, Monty Woolley, Robert Walker, Joseph Cotten, Shirley Temple, Lionel Barrymore

David O. Selznick's first production since "Gone With the Wind" and "Rebecca". A distinguished cast in a story of today's love and laughter, hopes and dreams. (Note that this film will be shown three days, which we feel its excellence warrants).

Wednesday-Thursday, Jan. 31-Feb. 1
Music in Manhattan

Anne Shirley, Dennis Day, Phillip Terry, Raymond Walburn, Jane Darwell, Patti Brill, Charlie Barnett and his Orchestra, Nilo Mendez and his Rumba Band

A terrifically funny three-cornered honeymoon that never lets up on hilarity... plus swell new songs on the side.

LOSING MONEY

The state of Oregon is losing money and big money, as the shortage of accountants is affecting the work of the state tax commission. In the past year the income tax division of the commission has lost 27 accountants who were trained specifically for tax income work. A field accountant working on readjustment and delinquent cases for the income tax department will uncover or readjust reports which will benefit the state to the extent of from \$50,000 to \$150,000 a year. Field workers are advanced from \$175 a month and are advanced to \$225 a month. Field accountants top salaries are \$275 a month. The state loses them to private business where they are paid as high as \$600 a month.

NEW LEGISLATION

New bills introduced in the legislature provide: for regulation of registration of government owned motor vehicles; for the transfer of revenues from the personal income tax fund to the elementary school fund; that workmen shall receive benefits of the industrial accident fund for injuries arising out of and in the course of their employment; that premises wherein intoxicating liquors are sold shall be sufficiently lighted to render the interior plainly visible and that blinds and screens shall not be maintained; for preventing people's utility districts from serving outside their boundaries without the consent of the people involved; for setting aside an additional \$5 million for Oregon schools; creating a board to be known as the Oregon state board of opticians; for raising the pay for degrees of permanent partial disability from \$25 a degree to \$35; giving the forestry board consent to suspend registrations; for extending the supervision of the state board to the state office, state library, state printing building and designating them as the "Capitol Buildings and Grounds."

LEGISLATIVE COMMISSARY

Delicious large pears from Hood River were passed out to all members of the legislature, several to each member, by Representative E. Riddell Lage and Senator Earl T. Newbry followed with equally large and delicious pears from the Rogue river valley. The usual donations of canned salmon, crab and cheese are scheduled to come from other districts as they have in past sessions. The cigarette shortage is being bewailed daily by the smoking members. The fellow who said he would walk a mile for a Camel has to stick to his story.

MAYBE BILLS

There is much discussion over the introduction of bills to: consolidate state health and agricultural departments; memorialize congress to let 18-year-olds vote; establish a "Boys' Town"; require union business agents to obtain licenses from state; restrain price fixing by barbers; sentence and fine heavily culprits who steal dogs and sell them for fox food.

FOR SALARY RAISE

The house educational committee has decided to sponsor a bill to increase the salaries of county school superintendents to a maximum of \$2800 a year, or \$800 more than is paid to the state superintendent of public instruction.

CAPITAL SHORTS

With the number of bills introduced in the legislature over the 200 mark at the middle of the third week, the record of 730 bills introduced at the 1943 session will be broken this session.

Saturday the state department sent \$56,749 to counties and cities, the amount being their share of liquor taxes in the last quarter of 1944. . . There were 250 persons killed in Oregon traffic accidents in 1944. . . Loss of revenues because of the government's ban on horse and dog racing will have little effect on the state finances, only \$49,000 loss a year.

Army Nurse Gives Oxygen and Indirect Transfusion



In a crowded evacuation hospital tent in France, Lieutenant Ann A. Kerker, ANC, of Pelham, New York, gives oxygen and an indirect transfusion at the same time to a wounded fighting man. The Surgeon General has appealed for 10,000 registered nurses to join the U. S. Army Nurse Corps.

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