

## BURGLARS OPERATE IN DALLAS STORES

(Capital Journal Special Service.)

Dallas, Or., Nov. 7.—Some time Monday night burglars visited several places in Dallas and made away with several articles, but nothing of much value was taken. The Bee Hive store was entered and a suit of clothes and other small articles taken. The grocery store of Simonson & Scott next door was also entered but beyond a few articles nothing has been missed. The New Scott hotel store room was also broken into and a quantity of road-stuffs taken. One of the school buildings was also entered and besides several clocks, some articles belonging to several of the teachers were stolen. The thefts are supposed to have been committed by tramps.

### Urgent to Sue City.

Through his attorney, Shibley & Eakin, Abel Egliow of this city has filed a suit in the circuit court against the city of Dallas for breaking a contract made by the city last spring in regards to the purchase of a tract of land in the eastern part of the city for the site of a septic tank. The purchase of the tract was left to a board of arbitrators who named a price, and the city council thinking it too high turned down the offer and purchased another tract from L. D. Brown. Oscar Hayter has been engaged as special counsel for the city. The city in its answer admits practically all the allegations of the plaintiff, but sets up the defense that the agreement to arbitrate was not binding as it was contrary to the provisions of the city charter.

### Personals.

Mrs. Taylor Den has returned to her home at Polk station after a visit with relatives and friends in this city.

Walter Williams, assistant cashier of the Dallas National bank, was operated on at the Dallas Hospital Thursday morning for appendicitis by Drs. Bellman and Staats.

Miss Bessie Gouch has returned to her home in Corvallis after a short visit with Dallas friends.

Misses Frank VanNortwick and daughters have returned to this city from Salem, where they have been making their home for the past several months, and are occupying the J. R. Hastics residence.

Mrs. A. S. Campbell went to Salem Wednesday to visit her sister, who is ill in a hospital in the Capital City.

Mrs. Frank Morrison was in Salem the first of the week visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Goode.

Veron Smith and family of Portland have arrived in this city and will make their future home.

Ham. William Galloway, grand master of the Odd Fellows of Oregon, visited the local lodge Tuesday evening and was tendered a big reception at an open meeting held by the Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges.

A. N. Ballou of Monmouth was a Dallas business visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adams have returned to their home in this city after a short visit at the home of their daughter in Salem.

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## SILVERTON NEWS

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Silvertown, Or., Nov. 7.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kerr of this city a nine-pound baby boy.

Mr. J. B. Oakford of Corvallis, who was visiting Mrs. A. F. Blaskeberry a few days this week, returned to her home in Corvallis this afternoon.

Miss Madeline Harding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Harding, living three miles west of Silvertown, came home this week from a short visit in Eugene with friends in the university to prepare to depart for New York, where she will enlist in the Red Cross service in the European war.

The Moose Lodge gave a very pleasant dance in their hall in the open house building.

A new orchestra has been organized in Silvertown and is giving a dance at the W. O. W. hall Saturday evening. The orchestra will be known as the Peerless orchestra.

### CLASH IN MEXICO.

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 7.—No definite information had been received here today concerning the result of Thursday's clash between Carranzistas and Villistas 20 miles below Agua Calientes. It was thought likely, however, that it was indecisive, since both Agua Calientes and Puebla are in touch with the outside world, and had either side won a distinct advantage it would naturally have announced it. News of further fighting was momentarily expected.

Culture has not yet discovered any way of carrying the war into the fourth dimension.

## THE CHURCHES

### Swedish Tabernacle.

Corner South Fifteenth and Mill streets, Rev. John Ovalf, pastor. Services at 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. All are most cordially invited to attend.

### First Christian.

Corner High and Church, F. T. Porter, minister. 9:45 a. m., Bible school; Dr. H. C. Epley, director; 11 a. m., worship and sermon; subject, "The Master's Cup"; 6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor; 7:30 p. m., sermon; subject, "God in the World."

### First Methodist Episcopal.

Church and State streets. At 9:45 a. m., the Sabbath school meets under the superintendence of Messrs. Gilkey and Schramm. If you are not obliged elsewhere permit them to assign you to a class in our school. Morning sermon by Dr. R. N. Atkinson at 11 o'clock. Class meetings will be held at the close of the morning sermon. At 3 p. m., the Rev. F. T. Porter will speak at the Old People's Home. The Epworth League will meet at 6:30 and the evening sermon will be by the pastor at 7:30. Mid-week service at 7:30 Thursday evening. Richard Noble Avison, minister.

### Unitarian.

Corner of Chemeketa and Cottage streets, Richard F. Tischer, minister. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Advanced study class, 10 a. m. Service at 11 o'clock. (No evening service.) Subject, "Man's Duty Toward Man." All friends of liberal religion and of progressive thought are cordially invited to our services. Music by Miss I. Deacon.

### First Congregational.

Corner of Liberty and Center, Perry Frederick Schrock, minister. Bible school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Schrock will preach at both services. Sermon topics: Morning, "The Future Possibilities of Congregationalism in Oregon"; evening, "A Road Without Foundation." Christian Endeavor devotional service at 6:30 p. m.

### W. C. T. U.

Dr. Flora A. Brewster will speak on "Divine Healing" in the W. C. T. U. hall, South Commercial street, Salem, Sunday at 3 p. m.

### United Evangelical.

North Cottage, near Center; A. A. Winter, minister. 10 a. m., Sunday school; Prof. A. L. Schmale, superintendent. 11 a. m., preaching. "The Apostles' Faith." 6:30 p. m., K. of C. meeting; president and vice-president of the society are leaders.

1:30 sermon, "Loyalty to Principle." The first of a series of talks especially adapted to young people, on "Life Principles That Are Worth While." Come and bring your friends with you. You are welcome. Special music. Good singing.

### HIGHLAND FRIENDS.

Corner of Highland and Elm streets. Sabbath school 10 a. m.; Earl Prouty, superintendent. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Josephine Hockett, pastor, phone 1465.

### FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.

November 8, 1914. Services are held at 440 Chemeketa street, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; subject of Bible lesson, "Adam and Fallen Man." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.

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## THE GREAT WHITE THRONE: ITS JUDGMENT NOW DUE

### Financial, Ecclesiastical and Social Shakings.

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**Men's Hearts Failing Them For Fear.**  
Apprehending Troubles Impending—Selfishness Blighting Humanity—Messiah's Throne of Purity and Justice and Love Earth's Only Hope.



PASTOR RUSSELL

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 8.—Pastor Russell preached today at the Colonial Theatre from the text, "I saw a Great White Throne, and him that sat on it from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away, and the place for them was empty." (Revelation 20:11.) The Pastor had a request for further light on previous discussions which he answered before reading today's text. As it is of peculiar interest, we give it in full. He had applied Hebrews 12:27 to our day, decrying the "whole world" in progress, and calling upon all to flee from it. He said: "The world, v. 1, represents that one thing harmonious with Divine standards which cannot be shaken, may remain. He held that the shaking heavens represented Churchianity—Ecclesiasticism—and the shaking earth represented social, innocent and political affairs. His questioner wanted to know what financial shakings are to be expected.

**Stocks and Bonds to Be Shaken.**  
Everything false, bogus, inequitable, will be shaken. In financial parlance this is equivalent to saying that the "water" will be scooped out of all the stocks and bonds. By methods once unthought, but now everywhere reprehended, stocks and bonds have been issued for sums far beyond the actual value of the properties. These stocks and bonds have cost their present owners varying sums from nothing up to par; but their actual value is what the properties were worth, plus a reasonable amount of interest, or "rent," for eight per cent per annum, means a drainage of two hundred millions of dollars every year in gold needed to pay that interest. Now we seem to be coming to a dead stop through this war; and the wheels of finance which worked so favorably for the bankers in the past, are turning in the opposite direction and threatening them heavily.

Again, our financial "house of cards" is trembling and about to fall. Various expeditions are being tried by the governments and the chief financiers of the world to prop up what is left. In ordinary times these had a market value fully upon hope of their future prosperity. Now, however, the general public has become aware of the real situation and is fearful to touch at any price these shares and bonds of over-capitalized companies, and the most sound and solvent of them share the panic of the market. Now, in the opinion of the New Dispensation, there is no such thing as a "shaking" of stocks and bonds which will be shaken to value until everything like dishonesty and treachery shall have been shaken out.

Forty years ago the world's great banks and financiers concluded that it would be to their interest to demonetize silver and have only a gold standard. This finally accomplished what they foresaw and intended: It curtailed the world's monetary supply and enabled the banker to exact a premium for capital throughout the world. By an elaborate banking system (equivalent in some respects), it made each gold dollar chase itself and do the work of five dollars or ten dollars, assisted by bank checks and drafts. Thus the profits of the larger banks increased amazingly by reason of higher discount and interest charges, making them rich at the public expense.

The public, of course, acquiesced in the law demonetizing silver and making gold the single standard. But this did not prevent the bankers' gain; rather than this was really the best thing for the people, and not merely a measure in the interest of the banker and at the expense of the people. It is perhaps fair to say that less than one-half of the bankers understood the phoniness of the matter; the others were guided by the wealth and more astute who did fully understand.

The result has been great profit to the bankers and great poverty to the nation. Gold and silver bonds and loans could not be handled successfully. The bankers took over large issues of railroad stocks and bonds, by what is known as the underwriting process. They were capable sales agents for the bonds at a good round percentage of profit, advancing money on the bonds and holding them for sale to the public.

**The Day of Reckoning.**  
Now we see fulfilled the Scripture declaration, "He takes the wise in their own craftiness." (Job 5:13.) How so, do you ask? I reply that the great banks have their vaults well filled with these bonds and stocks on which they had hoped to make large profits; but which, on the contrary, they are now unable to sell at any price. These stocks and bonds reckoned in as part of the banker's assets, show them to be wealthy, with immense advantages; but now the "water" is gone, and there will be no market for them. They will become worthless, and will undergo an immense shrinkage in the resources of these banks. They will become suddenly poor without actually losing a cent, by reason of the market value of their securities falling.

This fact is being great profit to the bankers and great poverty to the nation, which holds these securities, perceive that if it is difficult to raise money for the meeting of the interest on the bonds, it will be more difficult to issue new bonds to replace maturing ones, no matter how sound and well managed the railroads may be. Is it any wonder that the trepidation of the financial and political princes of the earth is great, as they look into the future?

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home securities will not be saleable for cash, and a general attempt will be made to sell American securities—American stocks, bonds, etc. But who will buy these? Americans will be practically the only buyers for the time being, and already many American banks and bankers are loaded down heavily.

When we learn the immense amount of these American shares and bonds held in European hands, we need not wonder that American bankers pale at the thought of their being dumped upon the American market. Reliable financial authorities declare that Europe has about five thousand millions of dollars invested in American securities. If these are to be sacrificed to realize gold, it will mean a financial