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The army wants a goodly number of clerks besides those who are training for trench warfare. Especially are type writers and stenographers welcome. Young men who feel well qualified for this kind of work and who would like some army experience while young, may enlist as clerks and be assigned to this work.

Mrs. N. O. Bales, of the Englewood grocery, has done her bit for the country as she has given two sons for service in the army. Yesterday Paul D. Bales, 18, enlisted in the aviation section of the signal corps and today Carl E. Bales, 23, enlisted as clerk in the quartermaster's corps. They will both leave in a day or so.

Corporal Toy, in charge of the army recruiting station enlisted Silas F. Scott, of Scio, in the cavalry; Eugene D. McVickers, of Turner, in the engineers' corps; Ralph P. Neer, of Turner,

in the engineers' corps, and John Ruble, of Salem, in the hospital corps. Business at the army recruiting station was good today. There are several married men of military age called on Corporal Toy this morning to get a line on their chances of enlistment. They feel well qualified for fighting. The corporal will write headquarters for information as to whether the army service will take married men just at present.

Work started this morning on Church street where the mill race passes under the bridge. In order to bring this bidge to a level of the street, the water in the mill race will be passed under in the form of a concrete siphon, three feet and eight inches deep and fourteen feet wide. During the construction of this concrete siphon, the water from the mill race has been shut off near the Kay Woolen mills and run into Mill creek.

All Around Town

COMING EVENTS

- Tonight.
- May 8.—Cherrian jitsay dance, armory.
- May 11.—Circus day in Salem.
- May 18.—"Maneuvers of Jane," senior play, high school auditorium.
- May 17.—Salem Festival Church, First M. E. church.
- May 19.—Last day of registering for special election, June 4.
- May 29.—Concert by College of Music, advanced class, First M. E. church.
- June 8.—High school commencement at armory.

A man was seen on the streets this morning wearing a straw hat. Spring has come.

Everything is now ready for the Cherrian jitsay dance tonight at the armory. Dancing will begin at 9 o'clock and the Cherrians will be there in uniforms.

You and your friends are invited to attend the May tea and sale Thursday afternoon at the Episcopal rectory. A fine program.

The river is two feet higher than it was yesterday, with a stage today of 8.5 feet. The temperature for May 7 ranged from 63 to 44 according to the government's official record at the O. C. T. dock.

Dr. Stone's Drug Store makes free delivery. Phone 35.

I wish to thank the friends of my father, John Gray, for their many kindnesses during his last illness.—W. C. Gray.

Although a close watch has been kept on the river between Salem and Wheatland, the body of Bert Winslow has not been found.

For the week ending May 5, enlistments for the navy in the Portland district were as follows: Portland, 17; Spokane, 29; Pendleton, 15; Astoria, 5; Salem, 3; Medford, 2; Eugene, 0; Roseburg, 0.

The Rev. James Elvin has been invited to deliver the baccalaureate address

to the graduating class of the Turner high school Sunday, June 10.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. N. S. Savage, 293 South Fourteenth street.

Two appointments will be made for midshipmen at Annapolis this year from this district, according to a recent ruling of the navy department. The appointments will be according to competitive examination to be held at Willamette university, May 25.

Two marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk yesterday. One was granted to Emery G. Van Slyke, of 243 North Twenty-first street, a printer, and Minnie C. Clark, a nurse, of 243 North Twenty-first street; and the other to Archie Wiley Lightfoot, a farmer, of Salem, and Katherine Mabler, a nurse of Salem.

Roseburg wants the Cherrians for the Strawberry festival, May 19, and the members of the organization will have the matter brought before them Wednesday evening at the armory. Should the Cherrians vote to go, they will leave here Friday night, stay all day in Roseburg and leave Saturday evening arriving in Salem Sunday morning about 6 o'clock.

The navy recruiting office in the post-office building reports the following recruits: R. S. Radcliffe and Earl L. Anderson, both of Salem and both going into the yeoman school. They left today. Applications for enlistments were received today from the following: Dean Curtis, fireman third class; John J. Lynch, yeoman; Cyril E. Nadon, cook.

The Woodmen of the World of Dallas will for the first time see the new ritual for the Pacific coast put on this evening. The work will be exemplified by the drill staff of the Salem lodge under the direction of L. S. Geer. It is expected that about 30 members of the Salem lodge will attend the Dallas session tonight. The Salem team will also put on the work at several cities in the valley.

Mrs. G. H. Poland, Mrs. George C. Swabb and two children of Tillamook, and O. W. Kinnaman, of Beaverton, a brother of Mrs. Poland, arrived in Salem last night to visit a brother who is ill at the Salem hospital. They came on the 11 o'clock Oregon Electric and, being strangers, were taken in hand by the police matron, who assisted them in securing rooms.

About 150 of the soldiers who have volunteered in Oregon will pass through the city this evening on the 10:05 Southern Pacific on the way to southern California. Among them are several Salem boys.

The United Artisans of Portland, at a meeting held last Saturday attended by Ivan G. Martin, voted to invest \$25,000 in the new government three and one-half per cent bonds.

Elks to the number of 40 turned out last night for the weekly drilling. They are under command of that veteran of the Spanish-American war, George C. L. Snyder.

Mrs. Ada Swank, of Aumsville, is in the city in the interest of the Red Cross work. Mrs. Swank will take the lectures in surgical dressing and qualify to help the Aumsville auxiliary.

Judge Galloway yesterday evening received notice of his appointment as appraiser for the federal farm loan board, in Spokane. He leaves tomorrow for his new field, and the good wishes of the whole Willamette valley go with him.

Ray A. Fasching, formerly of this city, but now of Seattle, with the Kenney Economy Hydraulic company, is in the city for a few days en route to San Francisco. Mr. Fasching is the inventor of several useful devices. His latest is a submarine bullet.

The program for the First Methodist church for this month is as follows: May 14 and 16, rehearsals for the festival chorus. May 17, concert by the festival chorus. May 13, Epworth League anniversary services. May 27, Children's day exercises by the Sunday school.

The Business Men's league of the Commercial club will meet this evening to elect a director for the coming year to succeed Fred W. Steusloff. As yet no candidates for the honor have announced. And while the Business Men's league is electing, the department of agriculture will meet to choose a successor to Seymour Jones.

Miss Gail Reed, of Mapleton, Ore., arrived Saturday evening in Salem for a visit with Mrs. Sara Dorsey, the police matron. Mrs. Reed, a teacher in the high school, and Mrs. Bohmstedt, of South Commercial street. Miss Reed is a graduate of the 1916 class of the Salem high school and has been teaching school in the Reed school district in the foot hills of the Cascades.

A plant exchange is one of the plans of the Salem Floral society. At the meeting held last night a committee was appointed to prepare plans and fix a date and place whereby all who have plants to swap may be able to do so. This plant exchange idea has been tried successfully and the members of the Salem society believe that it could be made a success in this city.

The wayfarer on the streets of Salem heard the following bits of conversation, just scraps from interesting but unfinished stories: "I think I will try Freezone and if it doesn't work—" "I just couldn't believe it and I won't unless—" "He's the handsomest man I ever saw on the streets of—" "She's some bird, believe me, and if I ever happen—"

The submarine kiss is the latest. In discussing this latest invention a Salem young lady said: "It has wonderful possibilities, but not in Salem. As I look at it, the proper setting should be at some hippid lake—blue water—even temperature and flowers on the bank. It is vastly more interesting than anything Theda Bara ever showed on the screen."

There was a good sized crowd of people out at the Southern Pacific station last night to bid farewell and good luck to about nine of the members of the Salem class of applicants for commissions in the officers' reserve corps. They left on the second section of the 10:05 p. m. train. About 15 of the 50 members of the call have received orders to report for duty at dates varying between May 10 and May 15. Another group expects to leave Wednesday evening.

The steamer Grey Eagle of the Spaulding Logging company picked up a drifting gasoline launch last night and brought it to Salem, where it is safely tied up, awaiting its owner. Said wandering launch is about 30 feet long and is propelled by a Ford engine. The launch was found drifting near Wheatland. If anybody has lost a launch the same will be delivered to them by the Spaulding Logging company upon proof of ownership and by paying the expense of bringing to Salem.

The funeral of Mrs. Karen Morgren, who died Sunday, May 6, 1917, was held this afternoon from the chapel of Webb & Clough. She was 89 years and 2 months old. Two aged sisters survive her, Mrs. M. Rasmussen, who is 96 years old, and Mrs. N. Hansen, who is in her eightieth year. Mrs. Morgren's husband died 40 years ago yesterday and for the past 40 years, she has lived in the same home in Salem.

The call to report at the Presidio, San Francisco, was received this morning by the following, who had passed and were recommended for the officers' reserve training camp: W. G. Patterson, O. W. James, Harold Benjamin, Paul Burris and Mr. Cooper of the Oregon Hop Growers' association. Next Sunday is the day they are to report to the war department authorities. For three months members of the officers' reserve training camp will be instructed in not only the drilling of raw recruits but in the tactical work, which includes trench digging, bomb throwing and bayonet work.

Classes for surgical dressings are meeting with Mrs. Harry E. Clay in the postoffice building. Another class will be formed Friday morning and other classes will be taken on as soon as organized and proper registration made at headquarters. The members of each class must first register at the Court street headquarters. All who want to work should report to headquarters or where any group of women wish to work, headquarters must first have

COUNCIL WILL STOP SALE OF "EXTRACTS"

Proposal Made to Increase Pay of Street Department Laborers

On account of the fact that so much essence, extract, and tinctures are being used to alleviate the thirst caused by the "bone dry" condition of the state, the council last night introduced an ordinance to prohibit the sale or gift of such essences, extracts, tinctures, etc., which contain an excess of five per cent alcohol by volume.

The ordinance caused considerable comment in that it proposed to include only drug stores. It was thought by a number of councilmen that general grocery stores should be included inasmuch as they sell large quantities of essences and extracts for family use.

The proposed ordinance would consider also the selling of medical compounds that exceed the five per cent limit of alcohol. This ordinance is the outcome of the sale by certain drug stores of Jamaica ginger, peppermint, etc., to boys. Some of the essences and extracts are declared to contain as high as 85 per cent alcohol, and the ordinance proposed to eliminate this sale.

In view of the rising cost of living in general, a resolution was introduced in the council giving the men who work in the street department a raise in wages of twenty five cents a day. The men are now receiving \$2 a day and because bread has gone up so that fifteen cents will only buy two loaves when it bought three before, and other things necessary have gone up in proportion, it was deemed only justice that these men should be given wages that will enable them to live.

This resolution caused considerable discussion and practically all the councilmen took a fling at it. They were all agreed that the men deserved a raise but to determine just how much was the question. Councilman McClelland moved that the pay be made on a basis of thirty cents and hour. The resolution with the amendment was referred to a committee composed of the chairmen of the committees on streets, sewers and bridges for adjustment.

New Fire Ordinance Introduced In Council Gives Chief Much Power

In line with the new regulations of the state law for the prevention of fire, there was introduced in the city council at its regular meeting last night an ordinance that will make City Fire Chief Hutton an Assistant State Fire Marshal, with power to require the owners of buildings to observe the regulations for fire prevention as provided by the city ordinances and by the state fire marshal law.

The fire chief by virtue of his office is a deputy fire warden, and the ordinance now introduced and passed to its second reading is in compliance with the new law which was passed at the recent legislature. The aim of the state law is to require the cleaning up of rubbish, and to remove combustible materials from places where they may cause fire. The duty of seeing that this work is done is up to the local fire marshal, who works under the direction of the state fire marshal and two deputies.

The ordinance was referred to the committee on fire and water and it is probable that it will pass. The new state law goes into effect on May 21, and the city ordinance is required to give the fire chief the power of fire marshal within the corporate limits of the city. Where there is no organized fire department, police officers are given the authority of a fire marshal.

Fire Chief Hutton, when the ordinance becomes effective, will have power to order dangerous fire traps cleaned up and made to comply with the regulations for the prevention of fire.

PERSONALS

B. A. Case, of Mill City, was a Salem visitor yesterday. W. Van Schanck, of Palmer, Ore., was in the city yesterday. Mrs. F. W. Roykl left this morning for an extended visit at Council Bluffs, Iowa. Mrs. Lucile Harlow, of Portland, is in the city the guest of Mrs. E. Cooke Patton. J. G. Taylor and wife left this morning for Los Angeles, called there by the death of Mr. Taylor's mother. Miss Eva L. Scott is home from a few days' visit with her sister, Miss Hazel Scott, superintendent of the hospital at that place. Merrill L. Lampert leaves for San Francisco Wednesday evening on the 10:05 Southern Pacific, to report for duty for the officers' training camp at the Presidio.

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GASOLINE LAMPS 600 Candle Power. See my lamps first. C. M. LOCKWOOD, 244 S. Commercial Street. Also a granddaughter, Mrs. P. L. Baker, of Polk county. Mr. Prescott came to Salem in 1850 and has lived in Salem since that time. He was for many years one of the prominent lumber men of the city. The body is at the undertaking parlors of Webb & Clough. Funeral announcements have not as yet been made.

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