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COMING EVENTS

- May 23-24.—Annual convention W. C. T. U., Ramp hall.
May 29.—Concert by College of Music, advanced class, First M. E. church.
May 30.—Memorial day. All stores closed.
June 4.—Special state election.
June 5.—Registration day. All men between ages of 21 and 31 years.
June 8.—High school commencement at armory.
June 13.—Commencement exercises Willamette university, First M. E. church.
June 14.—Flag Day.
June 18.—Election of school directors.

Mary C. Rowland, M. D., offices over Golden Rule store. Special attention to Women and Children, and Diseases of the Skin. Office hours 10 to 12 and 2 to 4.

Will change location after June 1st. White the dentist, No. 318 U. S. Bank Bldg.

Criseys Gladiolus bulbs. Phone 2107 R.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Englewood United Brethren church will be entertained by Mrs. Albert Fuestman, 1260 North Nineteenth street, Wednesday afternoon for their regular business meeting.

At the meeting held in Silverton Sunday evening at the Methodist church, the sum of \$94.15 was raised for the army Y. M. C. A. Addresses were made by John W. Todd, O. B. Gingrich and H. J. Hickerson. All churches in the city united in the meeting to assist in raising money for this cause.

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Among those who will attend the meeting of the Grand lodge, I. O. O. F., of Oregon, at Eugene this week are: Past Master J. A. Mills, and wife; Judge Theo. F. Ryan, Past Master William Galloway, Mrs. William Galloway, Past President Rebekah Assembly and Past Master George H. Burnett.

Criseys Gladiolus bulbs. Planting season soon over. Phone 2107R.

After you have seen a copy of the Capital Journal's war atlas, you will not only want one for yourself, but you will want to send several to your friends. Free to subscribers. Information gladly given at our office.

The Woman's Relief Corps Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. Helen M. Southwick, 1079 Marion street, Thursday afternoon. The afternoon will be devoted to sewing as usual. Mrs. Southwick will be assisted by Mrs. K. Schott, Mrs. Alice Caldwell, Miss Hattie Skelton, Mrs. Blanche Davis, Mrs. Lamoine Clark and Mrs. Norma Terwilliger.

Special meeting of Maitnah Chapter No. 1, R. A. M., this evening. Work in the R. A. degree. Visiting companions welcome.

Do you want a kitchen cabinet? See what we are showing at \$9.85 and up.—Hamilton's.

There is a silver lining to the h. c. of I. announced today bringing joy to those who have, and to those who haven't, it doesn't make any difference. Gasoline dropped one cent a gallon and the price announced for today is 21 1/2 cents a gallon. For the past six months it has been 22 1/2 cents.

Big rug values, visit our carpet department during this special price sale of rugs, you can save money.—Hamilton's.

The river has been gradually falling for the past three days with the stage today at 6.8 feet. Although there has been only two partially clear days so far this month, the rainfall so far recorded is only 1.57 inches. The range of temperature for Sunday was from 62 to 46.

Electric parlor lamps at very low prices.—Hamilton's.

Miss Genevieve Frazier of this city, is one of the honored women of the Oregon Agricultural college. This year of the 21 honor students, seven were women and Miss Frazier happened to be one of them. Her work has been in the commercial department. The selection of honor students is based on a student's scholarship besides student body activity and personality.

Mid-season sale of room size and other rugs.—Hamilton's.

The following Elks are in the service of the United States, all from Salem lodge No. 336. At the Presidio, R. B. Duncan, F. E. Mangis, M. E. Lamport, R. E. Day and H. N. Ord. At Vancouver, J. P. Alexander, Conrad Staffin, Frank Simon, William Perlich and E. G. Wallace. At La Grande, Walter L. Spaulding and Herbert Savage. At Medford, Chas. Randall, Company I.

Prior to the war, Oregon's quota of men was 104 officers and 1,622 soldiers. This is one of the thousands of facts in the Capital Journal's war atlas. Free to subscribers. Ask about it.

One of the big moving pictures of the week is that of Nazimova who will appear at the Grand theatre Tuesday and Wednesday in "War Brides." The pic-

ture comes direct from Seattle where it has been showing at the Moore theatre at 30 cents, 75 cents and \$1. Manager High announces the prices here for evening at 25 cents, 35 cents and 50 cents with a 25 cent matinee.

Rag bath and bedroom rugs in dainty colors, at special sale prices.—Hamilton's.

The automobile belonging to E. Eckerle was stolen Saturday night from the parking in front of the Elks' club. This morning it was found in front of Mr. Eckerle's garage with its nose pointed in ready for the door to be opened. It was muddy but otherwise in good shape. It is believed the car was run about 100 miles since Saturday night.

The body of H. R. Winslow, who was drowned April 26, was found Saturday by Theodore and Frank Woelk, about two miles south of Lincoln. He lost his life while attempting to prevent a disabled launch loaded with passengers from colliding with a pier of the old bridge. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the chapel of Rigdon & Richardson and were conducted by the Rev. R. N. Avison. Burial was in the City View cemetery.

See the new electric cleaners at Hamilton's. Lowest price cleaner sold in the city.

Charley Faulkner has been placed on the fire department as second driver on the auto pumper and Tom Thrapp driver of the horse chemical this morning to take the place of Ray Cooper, who was head driver on the pumper, and Elmer Gupton, second driver on the pumper, both of whom resigned from the force. The new members of the department were being given instructions in driving this morning.

The young man who is not old enough to vote, is not old enough to buy or smoke cigarettes, as the cigarette law passed during the last session of the legislature goes into effect today. Hereafter a boy of 18 years or more could legally buy and smoke cigarettes. Now he cannot do either. The law regarding the sale of small fire arms is made more effective and hereafter all such sales must be registered in a uniform system of books.

Have one of our new electric cleaners sent to your home for a demonstration, \$29.50 cash.—Hamilton's.

One of the important elections for next month is that of school director. The last legislature in fixing up the fight in Portland to make a certain element, passed a law making the term of director three years and at the same time causing the terms of two directors to expire this year instead of one. A. A. Lee, who has served five years, and E. T. Barnes, who has served four years, are the outgoing directors, according to the new law. The election will be held for two directors Monday, June 18. The board of education handles about \$150,000 each year. The two members elected next month will have something to say as to the erection of a junior high school building as it is probable this and other important problems will come before the board within three years.

A big lot of new rugs just received and marked at specially low prices.—Hamilton's.

Those who are students of history as it is being made will be interested in several new books at the public library. "The Issue," by J. W. Headlin is one of the latest received. The author maintains that the three issues are, the Atlantic, involving domination of the seas; the east, centering around Turkey and German patronage of Mohammedanism; the European, touching on the preponderance of Germany in Europe. He claims that only by the defeat of Germany can the questions be satisfactorily settled. "The Hilltop of the Marne" is another book in a series of letters by a woman who lived on the battle field. There is also a book for those who wish to learn something about our navy. It gives all details of the various types of vessels of the navy and a lot of information about guns that the landsman does not know or even imagine.

J. Halley Hunt, who enlisted in the navy the first week in January, writes Recruiting Officer Adams as follows: "I now have my official transfer to hospital apprentice first class. In this promotion I skip one class and doctor told me I could go up for third class pharmacist mate in about six weeks."

Last evening at the Oregon theatre an address was made by the Rev. J. M. Heady, speaking on enlistment in gen-

ANNUAL TRACK AND FIELD MEET SATURDAY

Turner Defeated Scotts Mills and Wins Back Cup Lost Last Year

A wet, sloppy field did not deter the boys of Turner and Scotts Mills from playing off the baseball game schedule as part of the Marion county annual track and field meet, which was held Saturday afternoon on Willamette Field. The game resulted in Turner defeating Scotts Mills by the score of 14 to 5. Turner, accordingly, wins the cup from Woodburn, which won it from Turner last year. On account of the rain, the playing was not exceptionally good.

The festival drills were held in the Willamette gymnasium and were pretty and entertaining. The banner for the May Pole winding went to the Central Howell School. This prize was won by ten little girls gowned in white chiffon. Second place went to the Englewood school. The festival was under the direction of Mrs. Fannie Douglass of Parkersville and F. S. Gannett of Salem. The following are the results:

- Butterfly Drill—Parkersville.
Spanish Dance—Central Howell.
Russian Haymaking Dance—Washington Junior High School.
Folk Dance—Highland School.
Norwegian Mountain Dance—Englewood.
Map Pole—Central Howell.
May Pole—Parkersville.

The Cherrub band played several numbers, including the Star Spangled Banner, while the judges were awarding the prizes.

The spelling contest was held in the morning but the results were not known until late Saturday. Fifty words were given each of the following grades—fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth. The contest was held at the high school and is a feature of the annual festival day. Places were won in this contest as follows:

Fourth Grade.
1. Henry DeBoest, Woodburn, district 103, 82 per cent.
2. Thelma Holt, Mill City, district 14, 72.

Fifth Grade.
1. Hilda Starr, Sublimity, district 7, 96.
2. Royal Keifer, Keizer district 88, 92.

Sixth Grade.
1. Annie Wolf, Sublimity, district 7, 94.
2. Thelma Myers, Aumsville, district 11, 92.

Seventh Grade.
1. Norma Mars, Woodburn, district 103, 88.
2. Sara Caldwell, Stayton, district 77, 86.

Eighth Grade.
1. Walter Myers, Aumsville, district 11, 86.
2. Pansy Prink, Butteville, district 57, 84.

3. Oliver Holmen, Thomas, district 67, 82.

Now is the time for the boys to enlist as there is rapid opportunities for promotion. Young Hunt is barely 18 years old and with his promotion to pharmacist mate, will receive \$33 a month and all found. Based on the proposition that it costs a young man \$30 a month in civil life to live, he is getting \$33 a month with chances of promotion, which isn't bad for a youth of 18 years.

A king was on trial this morning in Salem—King Bing, the royal High Muck-a-Muck, of the Cherrians, William Lerehen, who was accused by the police officers of speeding on the highways of the city. The king denied it and demanded a trial by his peers, the citizens. Saturday the trial was to have been held but it was postponed until this morning. As a result of the trial, the jury disagreed. Four held out that the king was guilty and two said he was not, so there it is. The following peers of the king acted as jurors: F. G. Deekbach, A. Raue, F. O. Bartholomew, J. W. Cox, S. P. McCracken and J. C. Clearwater.

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eral, calling especial attention to the extra pay now offered in the service, schooling advantages to be had in many departments of the service and the many other advantages that will accrue to the young man, besides the financial and patriotic side of the proposition. He also called attention to the fact that enlistments are only for the war and that within four months after the declaration of peace, all enlisted men may receive their discharge.

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CUTS DOWN RATES FOR BOTH LIGHT AND POWER

Public Utility Commission Reduces Charges of Portland Ry., Light & Power Co.

Reductions in the rates of the Portland Railway, Light and Power company for residence lighting and commercial power made by the Oregon public utility commission this morning propose to save to the consumer from sixty five to seventy thousand dollars each year. This order goes into effect twenty days from the date of the order, and charges the company to discontinue the rates that have been found to be unreasonable and to substitute the rates and practices found, under conditions now surrounding the operation of the utility, to be just and reasonable.

The investigation of the rates of the company was made on the commission's own motion and the reducing of the rates follows the fixing of the values of the company's electric, city railway, interurban railway, gas and non-utility operations. The Salem gas utility is fixed at a value of \$21,797.24. Illustrative of the reduction made in the rates, the order shows that under the old rate the consumer paid \$1.00 for 11 kilowatt hours and under the new rates he will pay the same money for 13 kilowatt hours. Formerly for 20 kilowatt hours he paid \$1.60 while under the new rate he will pay \$1.49; for 15 kilowatt hours he formerly paid \$1.25 while now he will pay about \$1.14.

In the matter of the rates on commercial power, it was the aim of the commission to fix a rate that would give universal justice to all consumers as against a system that favored some consumers as against others. This condition was found to exist in the rates charged some consumers, and all were not being treated alike; in other words, the company discriminated. It was the aim of the commission to remedy this and fix a rate that would be universal in its application.

Elks Requested to Attend Drill Tonight

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PERSONALS

Mrs. W. H. Sherman, of Jefferson, is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. N. H. Jones.

W. T. Rigdon is in San Diego. He will return to Salem about the middle of June with his family.

Mrs. S. R. Worrel, of Albany, was in the city over Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and relatives.

Harry Whitman, of Portland, formerly of Lebanon, has accepted a position with the Steuelfloft market.

A. M. Sealey, who enlisted in the yeoman school, will pass through the city this evening on the Southern Pacific at 10:05 on his way to San Francisco. He enlisted a few days ago.

DIED

STEGE—At the family home, Twelfth and D streets, Saturday, May 19, 1914, Eli H. Stege, at the age of 87 years.

Besides his widow, he is survived by the following children: Mrs. Florence Love, Charles W. Stege and Herman Stege, all of Portland; George Stege, of Shaniko, Ore.; Paul H. Stege, Mrs. Robert Savage, Miss Lillian Stege and Clyde Stege, all of Salem.

The funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from the home. They will be conducted by the Rev. Carl H. Elliott and burial will be in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Mr. Stege came to this country at the age of 12 years and for the past 40 years, has been a resident of Salem. For more than 35 years, he was an employe of the Southern Pacific.

KAYS—William Kays, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cass E. Kays, of Howell's Prairie, died Sunday morning at the Salem hospital.

He was six years and 11 months old. His death was due to appendicitis. The funeral services were held this

afternoon at the chapel of Webb & Clough and were conducted by Mrs. F. T. Porter. Burial was in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

BORN

BECKNER—To Mr. and Mrs. George Beckner, Saturday, May 19, 1914, a daughter. She has been named Mina May.

The Elks will hold their regular weekly drill this evening in the club rooms. The drilling now is in preparation for the part the club members will take in Decoration day exercises.

The business girls who are organized into an auxiliary of the Red Cross will meet for its first lecture this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The lecture will be given by Dr. W. B. Morse in the office of Drs. Steeves and Findley on the second floor of the Bank of Commerce building.

A meeting of the Sons of the American Revolution has been called for June 24 by Secretary George M. Post. This meeting will be called for the annual election of officers, to succeed Winthrop Hammond, president; Frank J. Miller, first vice-president; E. R. Greene, of Albany, second vice-president; George M. Post, secretary; F. S. Gannett, treasurer.

William H. Haskins, 27, formerly in the 134th Coast Artillery, stationed at Ft. H. C. Wright, New York, decided that after his three years' experience, life in the army beat civil life. Hence, with his discharge papers, he appeared at the local recruiting office and was promptly taken care of by Corporal Toy. Mr. Haskins enlisted in the infantry Elmer E. LaForge, 24, of Sodaville, Ore., also appeared at the recruiting office and enlisted in the hospital corps.

The Salem Floral society will meet this evening at the Commercial club. Besides the usual business that comes before a monthly meeting, a report will be read from those who handled the exchange last Saturday. It is probable that the society will endorse another Saturday exchange as it is figured that at least 2,000 plants were exchanged and this is considered as ample evidence that such an exchange will be welcome, at least for the next month or so.

C. K. Spaulding, who was operated on in Portland one week ago today, is making favorable progress towards recovery. Several of his friends from the Commercial club sent him a box of flowers as a token of remembrance, acknowledged by Mr. Spaulding as follows: "It was with pleasure I received your box of roses. They certainly are beautiful and one appreciates such, especially when one is on his back and has nothing else but four bare walls and a ceiling to look at. Such kindness is never forgotten."

RED CROSS NOTES

The following doctors have just received their authorization cards from the Red Cross authorities at Washington: Dr. D. B. Ross, Salem; Dr. W. W. Allen, Mill City; Dr. P. A. Loar, Silverton; Dr. Victor Rocho, Woodburn; Dr. Edward Schoon, Hubbard; Dr. S. W. Weaver, Hubbard.

Dr. Harry Clay has received his authorization papers from Washington and is now ready for classes. The classes for instructions in surgical dressings at the postoffice in charge of Mrs. Harry E. Clay have grown so fast that it has been necessary to add several work tables. No classes are instructed Wednesdays or Saturdays but other days of the week the large rooms will barely accommodate those who are taking the course of instructions. The mornings are given to preparing materials for the afternoon classes.



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